

# TYENDINAGA



# NEWSLETTER

# ISSUE 5 /99

## THE MOHAWK LANDING SUN. MAY 23



LANDING BREAKFAST - SAT. MAY 22  
7-11 a.m.

SUN. MAY 23  
LANDING 9 A.M. LANDING PARK  
BAYSHORE RD.  
FEAST 12:30 COMMUNITY CENTER  
UPSTAIRS  
1:30 CRAFT SHOW DOWNSTAIRS  
MOHAWK SINGERS MOHAWK DANCERS

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Newsletter Deadline  
TUESDAY, MAY 25/99  
12:00 noon  
396-3424

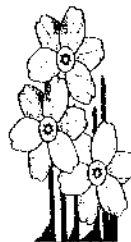
We're on the Internet  
[www.tyendinaga.net](http://www.tyendinaga.net)  
(What's happening)

### Spring Clean Up!

Tuesday, May 18 to Friday, May 21

It's that time of the year again!  
This Week has been designated for the  
clean up of yards, etc. to help beautify our community.  
Please note that this week a truck will be available  
for pick-up of larger garbage (eg. furniture)  
This is **not** a pick up of appliances or  
any other heavy metal materials.

Please Call: The Administration Office  
for pick up and once a date has been  
agreed upon, you should set your garbage  
out by the road.  
396-3424



### 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

# ADMINISTRATION NOTICES

## NOTICE

As you may be aware, the Richmond Landfill Site has applied to the Province to expand the site from 16 to 96 ha. This is a huge expansion and has the potential to adversely affect Marysville (Mud) Creek.

The Tyendingaga "STOP THE DUMP" committee has delivered a limited number of signs to the community for distribution. If anyone is interested in a sign please contact Todd Kring at the Administration Office at 396-3424.

Nia:Wen



## MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE

R.R. #1, Tyendingaga Mohawk Territory, Ontario K0K 1X0

Phone: (613) 396-3424 Fax: (613) 396-3627

April 22, 1999

Honourable Lyle Vancief  
59 S. Front Street  
Belleville, ON  
K8N 5P4

Re: Veterans Assistance

Dear Lyle:

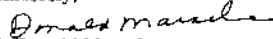
The Federation of Saskatchewan Indians has filed a court action against the Queen for depriving Native Veterans of post-war benefits that were given to other Canadians.

Grand Chief Anderson of the Saskatchewan's First Nations Veterans Association has informed me that they wish to hold a conference this summer to address outstanding Veteran's compensation issues. Two Native Veterans from each province and territories will be requested to attend this conference. The Native Veterans Association requires \$250,000.00 to sponsor this conference. Would it be possible for you to raise this matter with your cabinet colleagues and to make inquiries within the federal government senior civil service levels to determine if financial assistance could be provided for this conference?

I am enclosing a copy of the Statement of Claim and a copy of the Assembly of First Nations Resolution #6, which was passed on April 13, 1999.

I am very supportive of this conference, and I am sure that you will agree that this conference is overdue, and that you will be supportive of addressing outstanding issues of the Native Veterans of this country who served Canada with distinction and honour during the war years.

Sincerely,

  
R. Donald Maracle  
Chief, Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte

- c.c. Grand Chief Howard Anderson
- Grand Chief Doug Maracle
- Reg. Chief Tom Bressett
- AFN National Chief Phil Fontaine
- Hon. Jane Stewart
- John Donnelly, Reg. Dir.
- Gary Fox, MPP



Grand Chief Howard Anderson  
Saskatchewan First Nations  
Veterans Association

Federation of Saskatchewan Indian Nations  
Regina Sub-Office  
Regal Plaza 1962 Albert Street  
Regina SK S4P 2S6  
Phone: (306) 721-2822 • Cellular: (306) 537-1086  
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Confederacy of Nations  
April 12 - 14, 1999  
Ottawa, Ontario

Draft Resolution No. 6/99

SUBJECT: A First Nations Veterans Strategy

WHEREAS many First Nations voluntarily fought in Korea, WW II, and WWI although they were not required to join the armed forces;

WHEREAS the Federal Government has never satisfactorily recognized the sacrifices of First Nations in these wars; and

WHEREAS First Nations veterans, dependents and descendants have been denied access to the many benefits and entitlements provided by the Federal Government;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Assembly of First Nations Chiefs in Confederacy support and assist in the development of a National First Nations Veterans Association.

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Assembly of First Nations Chiefs in Confederacy support the demand for the Federal Government to apologize for its treatment of First Nations Veterans and establish a formalized process to deal with their outstanding issues and concerns.

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Assembly of First Nations Chiefs in Confederacy support the demand for a National Monument devoted solely to First Nations Veterans.

FURTHER BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Assembly of First Nations Chiefs in Confederacy support and assist First Nations communities and individual in acquiring their lost benefits and entitlements.

FINALLY BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Assembly of First Nations Chiefs in Confederacy endorse and support the planning and organizing of a National First Nations Veterans Conference in Winnipeg from August 25 - 27, 1999.

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March 16, 1999

Grand Chief Doug Maracle  
Association of Iroquois and Allied Indians  
ONYOTIA A:KA  
R.R. 2  
Southwold ON N0L 2G0

Dear Grand Chief Maracle:

Thank you for your letter about the collection of Ontario's retail sales tax (RST) at international border crossings from residents returning to the province.

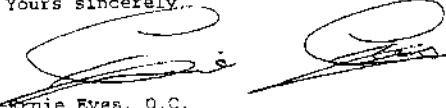
I am happy to inform you that Ontario's policy remains the same regarding Status Indians. They will continue to enjoy the exemptions for goods imported for their own use or consumption on a reserve. As a result, the border collection agreement will have no adverse effect on First Nations.

Upon showing their federal Certificate of Indian Status identification card to the Revenue Canada customs official and declaring that the non-commercial goods are to be used or consumed on a reserve, Status Indians are not required to pay RST on goods brought into Ontario.

Goods entering Ontario destined to Status Indians through the postal or courier stream are not easily identified as exempt. Therefore, Status Indians will be required to pay the RST on goods imported through Canada Post or couriers. Revenue Canada will process a refund of the RST paid upon receipt of a refund application form (Form B2G, Customs Informal Adjustment Request), along with a copy of the Certificate of Indian Status card and a declaration statement that the goods are delivered to an address on a reserve in Ontario, for use or consumption on the reserve.

I appreciate having the opportunity to respond to your concern.

Yours sincerely,

  
Ernie Eves, Q.C.  
Minister of Finance

## ADMINISTRATION NOTICES



### KAHWATSIRATA'TIE PLAY-GROUP



She:kon'

We are glad to welcome Julie Brant as the new resource teacher to the Play-Group. Julie is a graduate in the Early Childhood Education Program from Canadore College. Julie also works in the Tyendinaga School Age Program.

Congradulations Angie Brant on winning last months 50/50 draw. Thank-you for all those who bought and sold tickets. The money raised will go towards our year end trip!

Nia:wen Betty Maracle for demonstrating and supplying Ceramics for our workshop.

Happy birthday to Noah who will be two years old.  
Happy third birthdays to Jack, Wade and Chyann.  
From all your friends at Play-Group!

Play-Group meets at the Eska Okon'a Childcare centre for in-house play every Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 9:00a.m to 11:00a.m. If you are interested, have questions or require transportation please call Gabrielle or Julie at the Childcare Centre 967-4401



# 9-1-1

9-1-1 is for Emergency calls Only!  
If you need to contact the Emergency Services for non emergency matters please call:

Police: 613-967-3888  
Fire: 613-968-7985  
Ambulance: 613-542-0221

### March 27, 1999 Election Results Wahta Mohawks

Chief Blaine Commandant  
Councillor Michael DeCaire  
Councillor Stuart Lane  
Councillor Scott Sahanatien  
Councillor Lawrence Schell

## Employee Introductions

Hello, I would like to this time to introduce myself, my name is George Brant. I started working at M.B.Q. on April 7/99 through a Career Training Program at F.N.T.I. This program is a 8 month program. I have a great interest in the field of recreation. I plan on going back to college to take Recreation Leadership. I hope this program will give me valuable knowledge and increase my eagerness in pursuing a career in this occupation. I look forward to seeing and hearing from you.

George Brant

## Mohawks Of the Bay of Quinte

### Hides Depot



**TYENDINAGA MOHAWK NATION  
ADMINISTRATION OFFICE**  
R.R. # 1 TYENDINAGA TERRITORY  
ONTARIO, K0K 1X0

PHONE: 1-613-396-3424 FAX: 396-3627

**HIDES DEPOT: 613-396-5802**

**FOR MORE INFORMATION  
ON MORTGAGES THROUGH  
THE BANK OF MONTREAL  
PLEASE CONTACT:  
CAROL REYNOLDS AT 967-4307**

### ADMINISTRATION NOTICES

Due to Upcoming A.I.A.I.  
AND A.F.N. MEETNGS,  
PLEASE NOTE THAT  
THE REGULAR T.M.C.  
SCHEDULE IS:

WEDNESDAY AT 7:00 P.M.

- MAY 19
- JUNE 2
- JUNE 23
- JULY 7
- JULY 28

### Thank You!

The roads department wish to thank  
the Community for their patience  
over the past winter weather conditions.  
When clearing all the roads on the  
Territory your patience has  
been greatly appreciated.

Thanks Again,  
Roads Department

The Mohawk



Fire Department  
is asking  
that you refrain from  
any outdoor burning  
because of the unusually  
dry spring.



TO ALL COMMUNITY MEMBERS!

*You're Invited To help us Celebrate!*

WE WILL BE UNVEILING OUR NEW EMERGENCY  
VEHICLE AND WE ARE HAVING A B.B.Q. &  
FISH FRY AT THE FIRE HALL

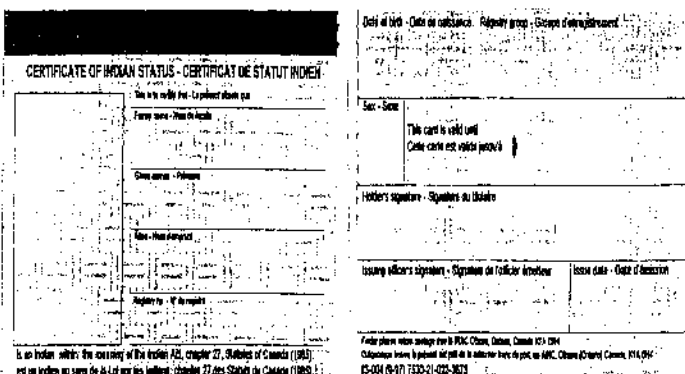
MAY 21/99  
STARTING AT 12:00 NOON



### \* Notice \*

FROM THE MEMBERSHIP DEPT.

THE INDIAN STATUS CARDS HAVE CHANGED, PLEASE COME INTO THE BAND  
OFFICE AND HAVE YOUR CARD UPDATED. IF YOUR STATUS CARD DOES NOT  
LOOK LIKE THE ONE BELOW, THEN YOUR CARD MUST BE UPDATED.



### 25<sup>th</sup> Annual All Ontario Chiefs Conference

To be hosted by

**Ojibways of Batchewana First Nation  
Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario**

**June 15-16-17, 1999**

Deadline date for the Newsletter  
Tuesday, May 25 at noon  
396-3424

**PRESS RELEASES**



**NEWS**

*News Release Communiqué*

News release via Canada NewsWire, Toronto 416-863-9350

Attention Business/News Editors:  
ROYAL BANK ANNOUNCES 1999 WINNERS OF NATIVE STUDENT AWARDS PROGRAM

-- Funding for five students to pursue post-secondary education --

TORONTO, March 26 /CNW/ - Five exceptional students attending university or college in Canada have won educational awards through Royal Bank's Native Student Awards Program.

This year's winners are: David Alexander from Merritt, B.C.; Olin Lovely from Yellowknife, NWT; Hilary Daikie from Northwest River, Nfld.; Lizanne LeFevre from Timmins, Ont.; and Desirée Kamatch from Saskatoon, Sask.

The five students will receive \$4,000 annually for their educational expenses to a maximum of four years at university or two years at college. In addition, recipients who indicate an interest are considered for summer and post-graduate employment at Royal Bank.

An independent committee of aboriginal academics reviewed all applications and based its final selection on personal and academic achievement, as well as individual financial need. All status and non-status Indians, Inuit or Métis were eligible to apply.

"Since their inception in 1992, the Royal Bank Native Student Awards have assisted a number of aboriginal students with the rising costs of post-secondary education," said Lynda White, Manager, Diversity & Employment Equity. "This year's recipients are determined, bright individuals who we are pleased to support in furthering their education."

The program was introduced in 1992 to help aboriginal students achieve post-secondary education, and also provides an opportunity for Royal Bank to strengthen its relationship with the aboriginal community.

To obtain more information about the Native Student Awards Program:

- Send a written request to Royal Bank Native Student Awards, Diversity & Employment Equity, 11th Floor, North Tower, Royal Bank Plaza, Toronto, Ontario, M5J 2J5

Send an e-mail request to [sharon.hussain@royalbank.com](mailto:sharon.hussain@royalbank.com)

- Visit our web site at <http://www.royalbank.com/hr/world/nsap.html>

Royal Bank (RY) is Canada's premier global financial services group and a leading provider of personal and commercial banking, wealth management and corporate and investment banking. As one of North America's largest financial institutions, Royal Bank and its key subsidiaries Royal Trust, RBC Dominion Securities, RBC Insurance, and Royal Bank Action Direct have 60,000 employees who serve 10 million clients through more than 1,500 branches and offices in over 30 countries.

For further information, please contact: Vicky Beach, Media Relations, Royal Bank, (416) 974-5600, [vicky.beach@royalbank.com](mailto:vicky.beach@royalbank.com); Sharon Hussain, Co-ordinator, Royal Bank Native Student Awards Program, (416) 955-5924; Lynda White, Manager, Diversity & Employment Equity, (416) 955-5927 (R.Y.)

**ADDITIONAL FUNDS TO ADDRESS URGENT HOUSING NEEDS**

TORONTO, ONTARIO (March 10, 1999) - Seventy-four First Nations have received additional funding to accelerate housing activities thanks to an additional \$20 million in funding made available by the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development (DIAND) for housing on-reserve across Canada. The additional \$20 million brings to approximately \$200 million the total DIAND investment in on-reserve housing for the current fiscal year.

Mr. David Ifody, the Parliamentary Secretary for Indian Affairs and Northern Development Minister Jane Stewart, announced the additional funding at the *First Nations' Housing Conference: Building into the 21<sup>st</sup> Century* which was organized by the Assembly of First Nations on March 10-12 in Toronto. The conference focussed on sharing information and learning about new technologies and techniques in the construction sector.

"We are pleased to support projects with such potential to deliver important, practical improvements for the residents of these First Nations," said Mr. David Ifody, on behalf of Minister Stewart. "These First Nations have demonstrated their commitment to improving housing in their communities - they have the tools in place and the capacity to do it. Building strong communities, people and economies is key to changing our relationship with Aboriginal people and is one of the themes of *Gathering Strength -- Canada's Aboriginal Action Plan*."

Housing is one of the most critical issues facing First Nations and the Government of Canada. The objective of the *On-Reserve Housing Policy*, announced by the Government of Canada in July 1996, is to increase local control and accountability, improve program flexibility and encourage more non-government resources to achieve immediate and sustainable improvements to on-reserve housing conditions. Under this policy, First Nations may coordinate housing, job training and social assistance-based programs in community-based housing projects.

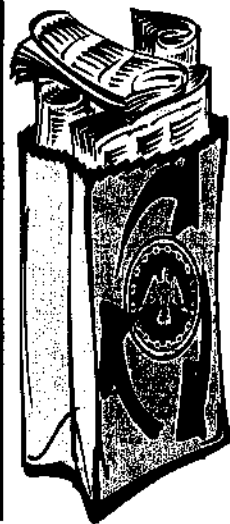
The *Innovative Housing Fund*, announced earlier this year, allows First Nations to develop innovative housing ideas such as new house building techniques and alternative house designs and energy sources to accommodate the diverse housing needs within their communities. DIAND developed the *Innovative Housing Fund* in collaboration with First Nations organizations including the Assembly of First Nations.

While significant progress has been made, overcrowding still exists in many First Nations communities. These additional funds will allow the construction of new houses and help to reduce the number of multiple families living in a single residence. A portion of the funds will also be used to repair or renovate existing houses, thus enabling the First Nations to meet their goal of bringing all houses up to normal adequacy standards. In addition, improved housing and socio-economic conditions on-reserve may contribute to addressing urban homelessness among First Nations people.

This news release is also available through the Internet at <http://www.inac.gc.ca>.

For more information, please contact:

Lynne Boyer  
DIAND  
Media Relations  
(819) 997-8404



**LANDFILL HOURS**

- Monday - CLOSED**
- Tuesday - 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.**
- Wednesday - CLOSED**
- Thursday - 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.**
- Friday - CLOSED**
- Saturday - 8:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.**
- Sunday - 9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.**



**Global Television Network Broadcasters of the Future Awards**

The Global Television Network "Broadcasters of the Future Awards" scholarship, internship and mentorship programs are designed to encourage and aid talented and enthusiastic Canadians in establishing or furthering careers in the Canadian broadcast industry. These annual awards reflect Global Television Network's commitment to the personal growth of Canada's future broadcasters.

**Global Television Network 1999-2000 Aboriginal Peoples' Internship Award**

This annual Internship Award offers an Aboriginal Canadian a challenging opportunity to work in private television, in pursuit of a career in broadcasting. The Award, valued at up to \$10,000, places the Award Recipient in a 4-month Internship program at any one of our Global Television stations located in: Toronto, Ontario; Halifax, Nova Scotia; Vancouver, British Columbia; Winnipeg, Manitoba; or Regina/Saskatoon, Saskatchewan where the Award Recipient will be paid on a salary basis for the summer of 2000. In addition, the Award covers transportation, hotel and attendance expenses at the Canadian Association of Broadcasters Annual convention in November 1999, where the Award will be presented.

**ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:**

- Aboriginal Canadian,
- secondary school graduate,
- interest in, and aptitude for, a career in the broadcasting industry,
- strong English language communication skills.

**INTERNSHIP GUIDELINES:**

- Award Recipient must be willing and able to relocate to any one of the Global stations listed above for the summer of 2000. Assignment of Internship location will be determined by the judging committee, in consultation with management from Global Television stations.
- If Award Recipient must relocate, Global Television will offer reimbursement of transportation and accommodation expenses of up to \$1,500 for the duration of the Internship period.
- Award Recipient will intern in an entry level position, within an area determined by Global Television. Internship will be designed by Global Television, based upon the abilities and interests of the Award Recipient and the requirements of the selected Global Television station.
- Award Recipient will be paid on a gross salary basis, subject to applicable taxes, for four months, May through August.

**APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:**

- completed application form
- copy of transcript of marks from most recent educational institute (high school, college, university), or date when transcript of marks will be sent directly to Global Television.
- one-page typewritten statement, 500 words or less, outlining Applicant's educational and career goals, interest in broadcasting, and reasons for applying for the internship Award.
- three typewritten letters of reference (e.g. teacher, employer).

The decision of the judging committee is final.  
Deadline for submission of entries is Friday, September 3rd, 1999.

**POLICE**

**CRIMESTOPPERS: 1-800-267-4357  
OR 969-TIPS  
OR Tyendinaga Police 967-3888**

During the early morning hours of April 1, 1999, Tyendinaga Police attempted to stop a car in Shannonville. The persons in the car jumped from the moving vehicle, which crashed into a garage at a private residence. The vehicle turned out to have been stolen from the city of Belleville approximately one half hour earlier. A female Young Offender was arrested later that morning, and with Belleville Police Identification Unit locating fingerprints in the vehicle of another person, a warrant has been issued for the arrest of Douglas Thomson. Anyone with information on the whereabouts of Doug Thomson is asked to call their local Police or Crimestoppers.



SS-01082P  
**Douglas THOMSON**  
Age 19 yrs.

Photo Date: Oct '98



*Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte*  
*Mohawk Family Services*  
BOX 132, TYENDINAGA MOHAWK TERRITORY



Phone (613) 967-0122  
Admin Phone (613) 396-3424

Fax (613) 967-8990  
Admin Fax (613) 396-3627

**FOSTERING / ADOPTION**

Fostering is not a lifetime commitment to a child but rather a commitment that will positively impact a child's lifetime. It is families helping families.

Sometimes natural parents run into difficulties that do not allow them to ensure safe care of their own children. During these times it may be necessary for the children to be taken care of by someone else. Often aunts, uncles, or grandparents can take on this responsibility, but sometimes this is not possible and we must look to community members to assist this family.

TOGETHER we can make this happen! Urgently needed are homes for children of all ages.

Mohawk Family Services needs you to help care for these children.

Monetary compensation is available, as well as training to assist the caregivers.

Please contact Mohawk Family Services, 967-0122, for further information.

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Circle the words in the puzzle from the list below. The leftover words will form a message.

- ABORIGINAL
- DIABETES
- EXERCISE
- GRANGRENE
- HYPERGLYCEMIA
- IMPOTENCE
- LDL (low-density lipoprotein)
- OBESITY
- STRESS
- WATER

- CHRONIC
- DIALYSIS
- FOOTCARE
- HEMOGLOBINATIC
- HYPOGLYCEMIA
- INSULIN
- LIVER
- PANCREAS
- TYPE 2 DIABETES

- CHOLESTEROL
- DIABETIC KETOACIDOSIS
- GESTATIONAL DIABETES
- HYPERTENSION
- HDL (high-density lipoprotein)
- IMPAIRED GLUCOSE TOLERANCE
- NEUROPATHY (nerve disease)
- RETINOPATHY (eye disease)
- TYPE 1 DIABETES



Answer to the puzzle are found on page 18

- From S.O.A.D.I., Eastern Region

**POLICE**

**Press Release - April, 1999**

The enforcement of traffic rules and regulations is just one of many ways the Tyendinaga Police promote Traffic Safety. Enforcement places the onus on Police to assist people to understand these principles and their importance in regard to safety. Therefore Traffic Education is essential when maintaining a high level of safety for the Citizens of Tyendinaga Territory.

Council is now in the process of reviewing a new approach to Traffic Safety on the Tyendinaga Territory. The Driver Safety Course will be administered by the Tyendinaga Police to violators found committing certain traffic offences on Tyendinaga roadways. This approach is designed to formally correct poor driving habits without costing demerit points or a severe fine. A driver will only be eligible to take the Driver Safety Course once per year and again this will only be available if the driver has not been involved in a collision and the offence is in the category listed.

**A) DRIVER SAFETY COURSE NOTICE shall not be given for the following offences:**

- involving motor vehicle collisions
- involving class L, Gi, G2, M1 or M2 drivers
- of Careless Driving
- of exceeding the Speed Limit by 20 Km/h or more
- involving a School Bus
- equipment on commercial vehicles

- involving drivers licenses or permits

**DESIGN**

This is a voluntary program that is a formal extension of the warning system now in use by our officers engaged in traffic enforcement duties on the Territory. The added "fee for service" driver education feature is designed to assist drivers in understanding the principles and realities of failing to adhere to rules of the road.

Under the existing process an offender may receive a warning or be issued an offence notice. The offender receiving an offence notice may select one of three options;

- pay the fine,
- attend a Justice of the Peace office and give an explanation to their guilty plea,
- or set a court date for a trial.
- under the proposed process a fourth option would be available to the driver as follows;

Officers would issue a DRIVER SAFETY COURSE Information sheet with an explanation of this option and the listed \$55.00 fee.

**Driver Safety Course (D.S.C.)**

Under the Driver Safety Course (D.S.C.) program, offenders are

given the option to attend OUR course and educate themselves as a means to correcting poor driving habits. After attending the Tyendinaga Police Office (within 5 days of receiving their D.S.C. Notice ) and completing the course (usually 30-40 minutes in length), they leave more aware of the consequences of poor driving habits and without receiving a Provincial Offence Notice or any demerit points on their licence.

Benefits of the Driver Safety Course Program

1. Increased Traffic Enforcement.
2. Increased Morale.
3. Reduced time spent in court.
4. Increased officer patrol time.
5. Program is self sustaining.
6. Revenue is generated for budget deficit reduction.
7. Program can be expanded into other areas (modules).

Any person issued a DRIVER SAFETY COURSE NOTICE may, within 120 hours (5 days) of the date of such issuance (not including date of issuance), participate in the DRIVER SAFETY COURSE by; reporting to the Front Desk of a Tyendinaga Police Service Station, providing the information requested, paying the required fee of \$55.00 and spending the time necessary to read the appropriate DRIVER SAFETY COURSE Module and correctly complete the compliance questions. No Officer shall accept payment of the \$55.00 fee at the time of delivery of the DRIVER SAFETY COURSE Notice.

**DEMERIT POINT SYSTEM**



**Demerit point suspensions**

Points	Offence
7	Failing to remain at the scene of a collision
6	Careless driving Racing Exceeding speed limit by 50 km/h or more Failing to stop for a school bus
5	Driver of bus failing to stop at an unprotected crossing
4	Exceeding speed limit by 30 to 49 km/h Following too closely
3	Exceeding speed limit by 16 to 29 km/h Driving through, around or under a railway crossing barrier Failing to yield the right-of-way Failing to obey a stop sign, traffic signal or railway crossing signal Failing to obey the directions of a police officer Driving the wrong way on a divided road Failing to report a collision to police Improper driving/passing where road is divided into lanes Crowding the driver's seat Going the wrong way on a one-way road

3	Driving or operating a vehicle on a closed road Crossing a divided road where no proper crossing is provided
2	Failing to lower headlight beam Improper opening of a vehicle door Prohibited turns Towing people - on toboggans, bicycles, etc. Failing to obey signs Failing to stop at a pedestrian crossing Failing to share the road Improper right and left turns Failing to signal Unnecessary slow driving Reversing on a divided high-speed road Driver failing to wear a seat belt Driver failing to ensure that a passenger less than 23 kg is properly secured Driver failing to ensure passenger under 16 years is wearing a seat belt

Demerit points remain on your driving record for two years from date of the offence.

**Fully licensed drivers**  
At 15 points, your licence will be suspended for 30 days from the date you hand over your licence to the Ministry of Transportation. You can lose your licence for up to two years if you fail to hand over your licence. After the suspension, the number of points on your driver's record will be reduced to seven. Any extra points could again bring you to the interview level. If you reach 15 points again, your licence will be suspended for six months.

**Graduated Licensing**  
As a Level One or Level Two driver, your licence will be suspended if you collect nine or more points during a two-year period. At nine points, your licence will be suspended for 60 days. After the suspension, the number of points on your record will be reduced to four. Any extra points could again bring you to the interview level. If you reach nine points again, your licence will be suspended for six months.

For further information contact the nearest Ministry of Transportation Driver Examination Centre.

## EMPLOYMENT & TRAINING

### Employment Opportunities

#### K.C. Builders

One summer student position - labourer  
One regular position - Layout framer

#### Summer position

Student will work as part of a crew in residential construction.  
Must have own transportation and valid drivers license  
Must have general construction knowledge and high energy to work in this fast paced environment. Own workboots required.

#### Layout Framers

Candidate must possess knowledge and experience as a layout framer.  
Must have own transportation to various work sites. Must have high energy level to work in a fast paced environment. Ability to work long hours. Own workboots, and equipment.

To apply: fax resume to K.C. Builders @ 396-5829, please indicate position applying for.

### HELP WANTED A.S.A.P.

WILLING TO PAY TWO PEOPLE TO  
WALLPAPER A 5TH WHEEL

PLEASE CONTACT RUSS BRANT AT  
966-0642 OR 613-351-8051

### Looking for Interested Community Members

For

*"Go For Green Day"*

THURSDAY, MAY 20

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (clean up)

Barbecue

For more information please contact Lesley at the Thayendanega  
Health Centre  
967-3616



# Aboriginal Media PROGRAM

Fall 1999

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 K0K 1X0

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

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

#### SUMMER EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

SUMMER YOUTH INITIATIVE CO-ORDINATOR  
Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte  
Employment Department

The Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Employment Department are accepting applications from eligible students returning to school in September 1999 for summer employment. 1 successful applicant will commence work on June 1, 1999 for 13 consecutive weeks.

#### DUTIES:

- To assist the staff in the employment dept. by receiving summer applications, setting up interviews, assisting with interview questions and the interview process;
- To maintain a good working relationship with the students and co-workers;
- To ensure that the summer students are receiving practical experience in the position they hold;
- To ensure that weekly timesheets are maintained on all summer students and ensure that they are all signed (by students) and submitted to the payroll department by the specified deadline;
- To keep up to date records on the progress of the summer students and/or any issues that arise;
- To complete student evaluations and prepare a final report;

#### QUALIFICATIONS

- ▶ Must possess a valid drivers licence and have own transportation
- ▶ Excellent oral and written communication skills, interpersonal skills and organizational skills
- ▶ Must have the ability to work well as a Team Player
- ▶ Computer skills ( Windows, Microsoft Office)
- ▶ Must be returning to school in September

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS MAY 21, 1999 AT NOON

Please forward resume and cover letter to:

Bev Hill or Karen Brant-Jones  
Employment Department  
Mohawk Administration Office  
(613) 396-3424 (Phone)  
(613) 396-3627 (Fax)

A DETAILED JOB DESCRIPTION IS AVAILABLE FROM THE  
EMPLOYMENT DEPARTMENT

(\*Please Note) Funding for this initiative is provided by Kagita Mikam LDM, therefore, All Applicants must meet Kagita Mikam Requirements.



## RED CEDARS SHELTER

*Thank You to those who donated gifts  
for our Easter Basket Draw.  
Your help and support is greatly appreciated.  
Nia:wen Goha  
Staff of Red Cedars Shelter*

Southern Ontario Aboriginal Diabetes Initiative - sweater and sweatband

Okwaho Gifts - dreamcatcher

Kelsey's - \$20 Gift Certificate

Exclusive Hair - haircut and bottle of shampoo

Red Cedars Shelter - sweater, mug, chocolates, ceramic pieces

Native Renaissance - large picture

Flint and Feather - small picture

Native Expressions - walking stick

Body Shop - mini-makeover



**WHERE: RED CEDARS**

**WHEN: MAY 30 @ 7:30 P.M.**

Please wear a dress and bring water

Bring tobacco and cloth with you

(if you have it)

**POTLUCK AFTER THE CEREMONY**

### LATERAL VIOLENCE

There are many forms of abuse present within our community that work against its harmony and wellness. We have all heard of alcohol and drug abuse, sexual abuse, domestic abuse physical mental, emotional and spiritual. There is another form of abuse and we call it "lateral violence."

#### Examples of lateral violence

- Gossiping
- family feud
- religious fights
- extreme competitiveness

Lateral violence plays a role in our community by disrupting community wellness and resiliency. Our Elders say if we speak badly of someone it diminishes our Spirit. Gossip is a very negative form of Lateral violence and may emotionally hurt the person it is directed at. It is this negativity which spreads to our Spirit and builds barriers between people in our community. Spreading rumours and gossiping may seem harmless but in actuality is a very real form of abuse. It creates feelings of low self-worth, fear, humiliation and shame. When we listen to gossip we are perpetuating the spreading of it, if we choose not to listen then it ends it.

There is a saying "if you have nothing nice to say about person, then don't say anything at all." Be respectful of others and their privacy. Support the people in your community by saying positive words rather than hurtful. As Haudenosaunee we know the importance of unity in our Nation and the strength we receive from that unity. Accept the diversity of others and respect their choices and our Nation will become stronger. If we choose to listen to gossip or spread it, then we diminish the Spirit of our community and Nation.

#### Poem: CDiomampo

*But, life is about who you love and who you hurt  
It's about who you make happy or unhappy purposefully.  
It's about keeping or betraying trust.  
It's about friendship, used as a sanctity or a weapon.  
It's about what you say and mean, maybe hurtful, maybe heartening.  
About starting rumors and contributing to petty gossip.  
It's about what judgments you pass and why. And who your judgments are spread to.  
It's about who you've ignored with full control and intention.  
It's about jealousy, fear, ignorance, and revenge.  
It's about carrying inner hate or love, letting it grow, and spreading it.  
But most of all, it's about using your life to touch or poison other people's hearts  
in such a way that could have never occurred alone.  
Only you choose the way those hearts are affected, and those choices are what life's all about.*

The Characters in this story are purely fictitious. Any resemblance to anyone is accidental. If you are being hurt by someone or you have a loved one being hurt, or if you want information or if you just want to talk to someone confidentially, call RED CEDARS SHELTER AT 967-8212.

Mommy and Daddy fought for a long time last night. I didn't think they were going to yell at each other tonight cause they were having a good time before I went to bed. Daddy even kissed and hugged Mommy and they were dancing around in the kitchen. Then baby Noah started to cry cause he was hungry. I thought if I got out of bed and got Noah, Mommy and Daddy would stay happy.

I picked up Noah out of his crib but he wouldn't stop crying. I checked his diaper—yucky!—he's soaking wet. I change Noah's diaper cause I've been doing it since he was born cause sometime Mommy forgets. Noah is crying really loud and I scramble around looking for his bottle. I find it but it's empty, this means I have to go into the kitchen to get Noah some more milk. I try my best to quiet him but nothing will calm him down.

When I get to the kitchen Mommy and Daddy aren't dancing anymore and Mommy's eyes are all red. When Daddy sees me and Noah I know I'm in big trouble. Daddy yells at me and wants to know what the ... I'm doing out of bed. I try to explain but he won't listen. He grabs Noah out of my arms. Noah is scared and he cries even harder. Daddy tells Mommy to make Noah shut up. Mommy takes Noah from Daddy and says lots of swear words at him, then she asks me why I just couldn't keep Noah quiet. I try to explain but Mommy won't listen.

Daddy is really mad now and I try not to be scared but I can't help it and I start to cry. Daddy yells at me to stop balling but I can't. He comes toward me and I turn to run away but Daddy grabs me by my pajamas. He hits me on my head and keeps telling me to shut up. I try to be quiet but I'm so scared and he hits me again and again. Daddy drags me down the hallway to my room and throws me inside and yells at me to go to sleep.

I can still hear Noah crying and now Mommy is crying really hard. I can't fall asleep and I hurt where Daddy hit me. In the morning I feel all stiff and achy. There are bruises on my arms and when I look in the mirror I see another one on my cheek.

In school today I can hardly stay awake or do my homework. I worry about Mommy and Noah. My teacher asks me if I'm feeling all right and I tell her I feel okay. She asks me to stay in for recess cause she wants us to talk a little. When recess comes she tells me she is very concerned about me. She says she noticed my bruises and that I have been tired a lot. My teacher is very nice and she makes me feel safe. We talk a little more and then I .....

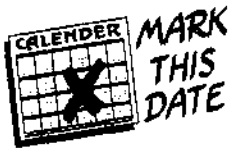
## SCHOOL ANNOUNCEMENTS



In October 1974, the new QUINTE MOHAWK SCHOOL facility on the York Rd opened its doors.

1999 marks the 25th Anniversary of this opening! We would like to form a committee of Q.M.S. Alumni and any other individuals who would like to be involved in coordinating the events of this celebration. If you would like to be a part of this history-making event, or if you have suggestions for the event, please call: Callie Maracle at 967-2835 or 396-3100 (day) e-mail at HYPERLINK mail to: calliem@fnti.tyendinaga.net or Ken Claus at 966-6984

**Lets make this a memorable event!**



QUINTE MOHAWK SCHOOL  
KINDERGARTEN REGISTRATION  
FOR THE 1999-2000 SCHOOL YEAR

ELIGIBILITY: *All children born in 1994 residing on the Tyendinaga Territory.*

WHERE: *School registrations will take place at Quinte Mohawk School.  
Health documentation will be received next door at the Tyendinaga Health Centre.*

WHEN: *Friday May 21/99 8:15-3:00 pm*

HOW: *Contact Mrs. Angie Hill to book an appointment at 966-6984. Please allow approximately half hour for the total time of school and health registration. Parents will need to provide proof of birth, health card, band number and record of immunization. The child being registered must also be in attendance.*



## Congratulations!



*Dannie (Joe) on your successful graduation from the Social Services Worker Program at Loyalist College. We knew you could do it. We are Very proud of your major accomplishment!*

*Love Mom, (Irv), Tanya and George*



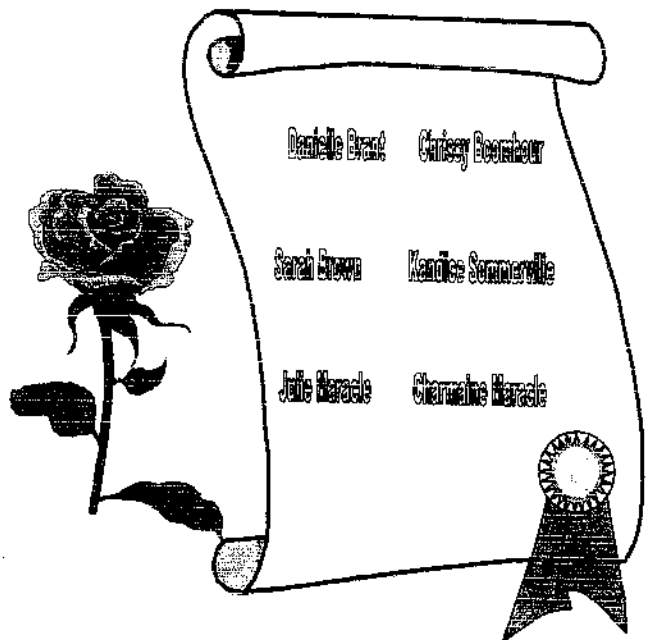
Congratulations **Crystal and Lesley** on completing your first year at Mohawk College... with a Dean's Honour Standing at that! Now, one year's down and just one more to go.

## Congratulations!

Six girls from our territory completed their two-year course in Social Work at Loyalist College.

These girls all had hardships in their young lives. But they set a goal and achieved it.

We should be very proud of them, as they will now strive to reach other goals in their careers.



**WELL DONE GIRLS AND GOOD LUCK !!!!**

## COMMUNITY INTEREST

*It's  
a GIRL!*



*Greg and Lisa Lewis are proud to announce the Arrival of their daughter.*

**" Adrianna Mackenzie "**  
 Born: April 12 at 7:38  
 Weight: 9 lbs. 6 3/4 oz.  
 Belleville General Hospital

*Proud Grandparents are:*

*Sandra Lewis & Joe Den Otter  
 Marion Boomhour*

*Extra Proud Great Nan :*

*Audrey Lewis*

Remember if you have an EMERGENCY  
 CALL



### UPDATE

TYENDINAGA MOHAWK MUSEUM  
 AND CULTURAL CENTRE

THE NEXT MUSEUM MEETING  
 IS MAY 17 AT 7:00 P.M. AT THE  
 SENIORS HALL ON HWY. # 2

Finalists for the museum logo contest are on display at Kanhiote Library. Come in and choose your favorite.

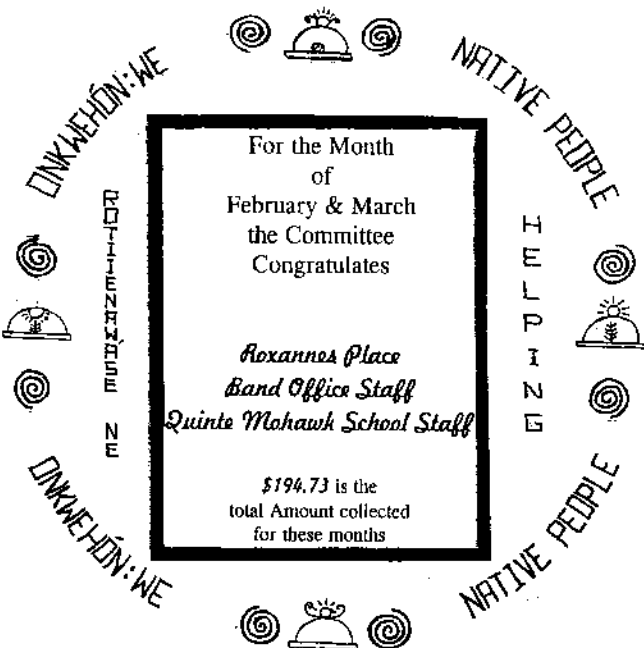
### DID YOU KNOW?

BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE MUSEUM COMMITTEE

Band numbers 1-279 were assigned in 1889. Band number 1 was Jacob Brant.

Each month the Museum Committee will insert a bit of history in the newsletter. Information may be historical or cultural; be about people, places, buildings, elections, nicknames, teachers, Indian agents, disease, important dates, food, leases, surrenders, etc.

If there is a topic of interest to you or a question you would like answered forward all requests to Kanhiote Library.


 DINKWEHON:WE  
 NATIVE PEOPLE  
 HELPING  
 NATIVE PEOPLE  
 DINKWEHON:WE

For the Month  
 of  
 February & March  
 the Committee  
 Congratulates

*Roxanne Place  
 Band Office Staff  
 Quinte Mohawk School Staff*

\$194.73 is the  
 total Amount collected  
 for these months

### MOHAWKS OF THE BAY 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     | Administration Office      |
| Bayview Variety            | Chief's Inn Restaurant     |
| Roxanne's Place            | Chief's Inn Store          |
| TMT Sports                 | Turtle Island Crafts       |
| Tyendinaga Computer        | McMurter Home Centre       |
| Kagita Mikam               | Native Renaissance II      |
| Family Services            | Maracle Mohawk Gift Centre |
| York Rd. Restaurant        | Miracle Food Mart          |
| Ward's Gas Bar             | Shirley's Variety          |
| T.M.T. Police Services     | Native Expressions         |
| B. & M. Variety            | Pat's Variety              |
| Quinte Mohawk School       | Deseronto Foodland         |
| Ka:hniote Library          | Elder's Lodge              |
| Thayendanega Health Centre | Bayshore Flowers           |
| Mrs. Herb's Restaurant     | Hairitage Beauty Shop      |
| F.N.T.I.                   | 1st Nations Pharmacy       |

## \* 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.**

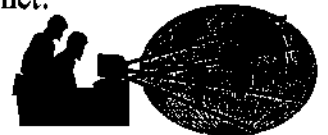
**On Thursdays  
 if you need help.**

For more information  
 please call: 967-6264



Come to the library to surf the net.  
 Public access to the internet  
 provided courtesy of F.N.T.I.

INTERNET



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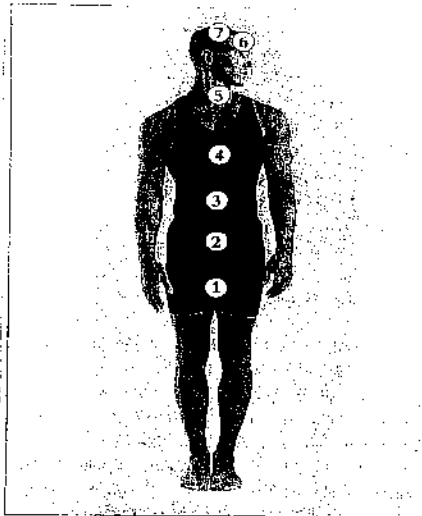


**Rite Number One**  
Standing with your arms outstretched, palms facing downward, spin around in a clockwise direction.

From the book "Fountain of Youth" by Peter Kelder

The bestselling book that reveals the secret of youthful health and vitality.

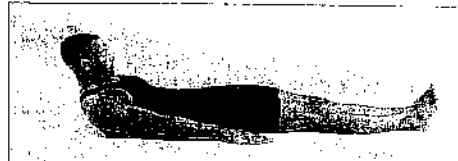
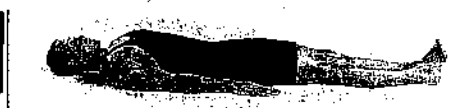
NOW IT'S YOUR TURN TO DISCOVER THE FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH.



The body's seven energy vortexes govern the seven endocrine glands. They are arrayed in a column in the following manner: (1) the base of the spine; (2) the lower abdomen, below the navel; (3) the upper abdomen, above the navel and below the chest; (4) the center of the chest; (5) the throat; (6) the center of the forehead, between the eyebrows; and (7) the crown of the head.

When all seven energy vortexes are revolving at high speed, and at the same rate of speed, the body is in perfect health. When one or more of them slows down, aging and physical deterioration set in.

- \* Do all exercises in order each day in order to work
- \* Do at least 3 x each and work up to 21 x.
- \* The Five Rites work hand in hand with each other and all are equally important, you can split the rites into two sessions, one in the morning and one in the evening. Never strain yourself, take your time and enjoy the rewards.



**Rite Number Two**  
1. Lie flat on your back with your arms by your sides.  
2. Bring your chin to your chest.  
3. Lift your legs to a vertical position, keeping your knees straight.



**Rite Number Three**

1. Kneel on the floor with your body upright. Place your hands against your thighs.
2. Bring your chin to your chest.
3. Arch your spine as you gently move your head backward as far as it will go.



**Rite Number Four**

1. Sit on the floor with your legs outstretched, your feet apart, and your hands on the floor.
2. Bring your chin to your chest.



3. Let your head sink back as far as it will go.
4. Keeping your arms straight and your hands and feet in place, bend your knees and raise the trunk of your body to a horizontal position. Tense your muscles, then relax.



**Rite Number Five**

1. Support your body in a sagging position with your arms straight, your hands planted on the floor, and your toes curled under. Gently move your head back as far as it will go.
2. Keeping your hands and feet in place, bend at the hips and bring your body into an inverted V position. Bring your chin forward to your chest.



"The Five Rites are for the express purpose of restoring health and youthful vitality to the body. Other factors help determine whether you will dramatically transform your physical appearance, as I have done. Two of these are mental attitude and desire.

"You've noticed that some people look old at forty, while others look young at sixty. Mental attitude is what makes the difference. If you are able to see yourself as young, in spite of your age, others will see you that way too. Once I began practicing the rites, I made an effort to erase from my mind the image of myself as a feeble old man. Instead, I fixed in my mind the image of myself when I was in the prime of life. And I put energy in the form of very strong desire behind that image. The result is what you see now.

"For many people this would be a difficult feat because they find it impossible to change the way they see themselves. They believe the body is programmed to sooner or later become old and feeble, and nothing will shake them from that view. In spite of this, once they begin to practice the Five Rites, they will begin to feel younger and more energetic. This will help them to change the way they see themselves. Little by little, they will begin to see themselves as younger. And before long, others will be commenting that they have a younger appearance.

"There is one other extremely important factor for those who want to look dramatically younger. There is an additional rite which I've intentionally been holding back on. But Rite Number Six is a subject which I'll save for a later time."

"Of course," he added, "you must practice the rites every day in order to achieve real benefits. You may skip one day a week, but never more than that. And if you allow a business trip or some other commitment to interrupt this daily routine, your overall progress will suffer.

"Fortunately, most people who begin the Five Rites find it not only easy, but also enjoyable and rewarding to perform them every day, especially when they begin to see the benefits. After all, it takes only twenty minutes or so to do all five. And a physically fit person can perform the rites in ten minutes or less. If you have trouble finding even that much spare time, then just get up a few minutes earlier in the morning or go to bed a little later at night.

**COMMUNITY INTEREST**

*Thank You!*

*George & Carlene Smart and family  
would like to say a  
Great big "Thank You" to our Firemen  
for their promptness and thoroughness  
when we called them in March.  
We'd like you all to know that  
we really appreciate the excellent  
job you volunteers do!  
Thank You*

The Parish of Tyendingaga thanks Fr. Brian Webber for his leadership as temporary Minister in Charge and wishes him the best in his continuing ministry with St. Thomas Church in Belleville.

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The Parish of Tyendingaga welcomes Rev. Cheryl Watson as permanent rector for the Parish. Rev. Watson will be conducting services at all three churches in the parish: Christ Church, Holy Trinity, and All Saints.



**COMMUNITY DRAW  
WINNERS!**

**TYENDINGAGA  
LIONS CLUB**  
50/50 DRAW WINNER FOR MARCH  
**SHERRY MARACLE \$213.00**  
TICKET DRAWN BY LESTER BRANT

**WINNERS FOR THE  
RED CEDARS SATELITE DRAW**

1 <sup>st</sup> prize satellite dish	Kathy Brant
2 <sup>nd</sup> prize Picture	Christina Taylor
3 <sup>rd</sup> prize Parkas	Brad Boomhour
4 <sup>th</sup> prize Sweat Shirt & mugs	Doreen Rodenkirchen

**Winners for Red Cedars Easter Basket Draw**

1 <sup>st</sup> prize Basket of goodies	B. Bernie (Napanee)
2 <sup>nd</sup> prize Picture & gift certificate	Audry Lewis

**A BIG THANK YOU** to everyone who purchased a ticket. Our fund raising was a success thanks to your participation.

Nia:wen ;  
the staff of Red Cedars

*Thank You!*

**Nia:wen to Mike Maracle, Leslie Maracle, Tammy Maracle, Greg Loft and Adrian Weldon.**

Thank you for helping with the family swim. Also Thanks to Art for driving the bus.

From the Recreation Department

**The Deadline for the  
Newsletter is Tuesday, June 25  
at noon 396-3424**

**SADIE'S WALK EVENT  
THANK-YOU**

A big thank you to everyone who came out on Good Friday April 2<sup>nd</sup>, to participate in Sadie's Walk. As you know, our goal was to walk in memory of Sadie, and all our loved ones with diabetes.

Sadie's Walk was successful with a total of 60 people participating in the walk. The ages represented ranged from seven months to seventy plus years.

Participants had a choice of two walking destinations, which was Mrs. Claus's or CKWE Radio station. Most everyone walked to the radio station and back to the Community Centre. For those interested, to Mrs. Claus's and back to the Community Centre it was 2.9 miles, and 3.8 miles to the radio station and back to the Community Centre.

The winner of the beautiful fruit basket was Marilyn Brant resident of the Slash road.

We have many thank-yous to extend to people who helped make this day a success. A very big Thank-you/Nia:wen to:

- ⊙ Tyendingaga Coalition for purchasing the food for this event and to those who donated food.
- ⊙ Gloria Brant, Tanya Brant and Carol Brant for getting the food ready, setting it out and cleaning up afterwards.
- ⊙ Jean Jeffries for looking after the registration of the participants and giving out door tickets.
- ⊙ Aboriginal Head Start Program for giving bottles of bubbles to the children who participated in the walk.
- ⊙ Fish Maracle and Elmer Maracle for volunteering their time for this very worthwhile event. They drove the rescue unit, thus ensuring road safety, etc.
- ⊙ Culligan, for donating bottled water to Sadie's Walk.
- ⊙ Crystal Somerville and Lesley Maracle, CHR's who helped where necessary.
- ⊙ all those who in their generosity donated gifts for the door prizes. The people/organizations who donated were: Okwaho Gifts; Helen Breadman; Brenda Asselstine; Red Cedars; Aboriginal Head Start Program; Mohawk Family Services; Tyendingaga Coalition for Healthy Lifestyles; Southern Ontario Aboriginal Diabetes Initiative; Thayendanega Health Centre Prenatal Program and the Recreation/Fundraising Coordinator Program.
- ⊙ Chief and Council for waiving the cost of the Community Centre.

For anyone I have missed thank-you!

*From Southern Ontario Aboriginal Diabetes Initiative-Eastern Region; Tyendingaga Mohawk Coalition and Thayendanega Health Centre*

COMMUNITY INTEREST



1999 "WOLF PACK" SENIOR LACROSSE SCHEDULE

DATE	HOME	AWAY
SAT. MAY 1		ONEIDA
SUN. MAY 2		ONONDAGA
SAT. MAY 8	ONONDAGA **HOME OPENER**	
SUN. MAY 9	HAGERSVILLE	
SAT. MAY 15		VALLEYFIELD
SUN. MAY 16		GANIENKEH
SAT. MAY 22	SNYE	
SUN. MAY 23	ONEIDA	
SUN. MAY 30		OUTLAWS
SAT. JUNE 5	KAHNAWAKE	
SUN. JUNE 6	OUTLAWS	
SAT. JUNE 19	VALLEYFIELD	
SUN. JUNE 20	GANIENKEH	
SAT. JUNE 26		PINEWOOD
SUN. JUNE 27		TONAWANDA
THURS. JULY 8		SNYE
SUN. JULY 11		KAHNAWAKE

\*Game times - Saturdays @ 7:30pm and Sundays @ 2:00pm  
Games played out of the Deseronto Arena

**WOLF PACK'S HOME OPENER vs ONONDAGA**  
Sat. May 8<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30pm  
Deseronto Arena

The Wolf Pack Lacrosse Club would like to acknowledge and send a "BIG THANKS" to the following Community Volunteers who helped make this dinner a success!

NIA:WEN KOWA' to:

Mildred Maracle  
Rev. John Maracle  
Carol Brant  
"Skin" Maracle

and a Special Thanks to ...

the Lacrosse Parents and Community Members who Donated Dishes for this Dinner.  
The food was Great!

50/50 Draw Winner - Congratulations! Jonah Lewis won \$144.00

**Deadline date for the Newsletter**  
**Tuesday, May 25 at noon**  
396-3424

THANK YOU

It is difficult for me to express the deep gratitude that I feel toward all of my beloved husband Chief Earl R. Hill's friends, relatives and acquaintances who did so much to make his funeral one befitting an honoured chief of Tyendinaga Territory.

Earl certainly would have been overwhelmed by the tributes, floral arrangements and donations made in his name to the Museum Committee, as was I and I thank you

I thank the multitude of people who took the time to come out and pay their last respects to Earl at McGlade's Funeral Home. I thank the hundreds of people, Chiefs, and political people who attended the funeral and the many people who took part in the funeral procession.

Special thanks go to the people who gave the eulogies at the funeral; Chief R. Donald Maracle, Velma Hill-Dracup, Bruce Millar, Donald C. Maracle, Sean Reid and Ted Fletcher. They portrayed Earl in a way in which I actually saw him; a man who was dedicated to his people and worked tirelessly on their behalf, even to the point of endangering his health. Earl was depicted as a man who was never vindictive nor did he sing his own praises but yet accomplished much in his twenty years as Chief of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte.

I thank the members of the fire department who made a visit to the funeral home in uniform and who formed the honour guard at the entrance to the church. I thank Todd Maracle for leading the horse in the procession, representing the fallen warrior. I thank Thomas and David Maracle for playing the native flute in the procession.

I thank all of the six members of the clergy who held the finest service that I have ever witnessed, The Rt. Rev. Peter Mason, Rev. Brian Webber, Pastor David Bowbeer, Rev. Glendon Maracle, Rev. John Maracle and Rev. John Jefferies. I thank our Elder Ernie Benedict who said the Mohawk prayers. I thank the Mohawk Singers for giving a splendid performance. I thank especially Chief R. Donald Maracle who organized the program.

I thank all who took part setting up the tent and the chairs for the overflow of people. I thank the people who did the video of the service so the people in the tent and outside could see and hear it.

I thank the Reserve Police, the Provincial Police and the R.C.M.P. for being there and for the tremendous work they did on traffic control and parking. The procession proceeded beautifully without interruption to the church and to the cemetery.

I thank the men who acted as bearers. Earl was always proud of and respected the men I chose; Doug Maracle, Alfred Ross Maracle Jr, Robert Scott, Bruce Millar, Donald C. Maracle and Glen Maracle.

I thank the two men who acted as my escorts, Chief R. Donald Maracle and my nephew, Ted Fletcher. They gave me strength that day.

I thank the nurses in Napanee in I.C.U. and on first floor and at K.G.H. in C.C.U and in I.C.U. I thank the doctors for their dedicated care; Dr. Reynolds, Dr. Angus, Dr. San Filippo, Dr. Duggan, Dr. Heyland, Dr. Shelley and especially his surgeon Dr. Ropchan. Earl was given the best treatment by very caring people.

I thank everyone who sent the many cards and flowers to Earl at the hospital. He was able to see and appreciate them.

On my behalf I'm thankful to all of those friends who stayed with me and comforted me while I was at the hospital with Earl. I would never have survived the ordeal had it not been for them.

I am thankful for the many and long hospital visits made by the clergy to comfort us. Thanks to Pastor and Mrs. Bowbeer, Rev. John Maracle, The Rt. Rev. Peter Mason and the hospital clergy.

A big thank you goes out to all of the community members who donated food to the reception and the ones who brought food to the house for the family.

A big thanks and hug go to the Native Women for the work they did in preparing the food and serving at the Community Center. Knowing they were looking after that certainly relieved my mind.

It warmed me deeply to realize how many people cared enough to send flowers and cards to me at the house.

A special thanks is given to the staff of the Chief's Inn. They kept the restaurant running while we were absent just as efficiently as if we had had been there.

I thank my family also for being there for me and keeping the home fires burning.

If I have forgotten anyone, I hope you do forgive me. Forgive me also for taking so long to extend these thanks. It has been difficult to face the reality of the situation. However I shall try to carry on in the example that Earl set.

Love and respect was given to Earl in death as well as in life. For this I am deeply touched.

Sincerely, *Lorraine Hill*

COMMUNITY INTEREST

*Thank You!*

The Family of the late Anna B. Maracle wish to express our sincere appreciation to each and every person who so willingly and lovingly gave of themselves through prayer, floral tributes, monetary donations, food (donation, serving and clean up), for every word of sympathy and encouragement and for being there at the time of loss of a dear Mother, Grandmother and Friend ,

We Thank You!

Truly we have experienced the love of our community in our time of sorrow. Your expressions of love and kindness will not be forgotten.

Family of Anna B. Maracle

*Thank You!*

The family of the late Todd Brant (Lad) would like to express their heartfelt thanks to the entire community for all of your support at our time of loss. We would especially like to thank everyone for all the comforting cards, floral tributes, memorial donations, food and monetary gifts. A special thanks to Larry McGlade of the McGlade Funeral Home, Native Women's Association, Chief and Council, Rev. Webber and the Pall Bearers, Murrell Maracle, Chris Brant, Pete Brant, Mathew Brant, Jamie Brant and Scott Worley.

We will be forever grateful to our family, especially our brothers and sisters, Michael, Verna, Doug, Barb, Reta, David, Kathy, Billy, Danny, Ronnie, Mary Lou, Lenny, and our mother Iva Brant.

Your acts of kindness at this difficult time will always be remembered.

Nia wen kowa

Bernard, Carol Ann and Susanne Brant

To A Special Mother-In-Law

I wish to give thanks to the Creator, and to my late beloved Mother-Law, Anna B. Maracle, who recently passed on to the Creator on April 25, 1999

Dear Beloved Anna,

I am forever grateful to you, for the way you have enriched my life, and for the way that you have touched my heart with your wisdom, love and kindness. I am grateful to the Creator, for allowing me to have had such a beautiful Mother-Law as you.

I thank the Creator and you, for the lives of my beautiful wife Carlene, and my loving children Danielle, Mandy and Kerri. As I love my paternal mother, I have loved you also.

I am also grateful to you for my warm loving Brother-in-Laws and Sister-in-Laws. Surely their warmth was kindled from your heart. Anna, I have many reasons to be thankful to you for

But if in the end, I am left with one thought, it is with the deepest conviction that I, have seen, touched and gazed into the eyes of an angel.

Your Son-in-Law  
George Smart

from the family of  
Earl Alexander Hill  
"GREASE"

It truly warms our hearts to be members of a community that can pull together in a time of need.

*Your kindness will not be forgotten.*

We would like to thank everyone for all the support, words of comfort, cards, flowers, and for the donations made to the Diabetes and Heart foundations.

A special thank you must go to Carol Ann, Millie and their helpers for putting on the luncheons at the Elders Lodge and the Council House, and of course to all of the community members who took the time to prepare and donate the food for the luncheons.

I would like to share the contents of a card that I received in hopes that it may help someone else that has lost a loved one.

*We can't know why  
some things happen...  
But we can know  
that love  
and beautiful memories  
outlast the pain of grief.  
And we can know  
that there is a place  
inside the heart  
where love lives always...  
And where nothing beautiful  
can ever  
be forgotten  
if I've learned  
anything down through  
the years,  
it's that nothing beautiful  
in this world  
is ever really lost -  
Those we cherish  
will always live on  
in memory.*

Earl will be forever missed in our home and our hearts. We have learned that we are strong and must go on. Poppa's little boy is keeping us going day to day. We consider ourselves lucky to have the love and support of our family and friends to help us through this time.

I believe that someday, we will be together again as a family and it will be FOREVER.

Thank you, So Much

Eileen, Jig, Lisa and Parker

The deadline date for the  
Newsletter is **Thursday, June 25**  
at noon 326-3424

## COMMUNITY INTEREST

### Needs Assessment Results from The Aboriginal Head Start Developmental Project - April 1999

Dear Community Members:

As many of you are aware the Aboriginal Head Start Developmental Project hosted a Needs Assessment by telephone survey. This survey consisted of contact with parents/guardians of children 0-6 years of age. *During this survey we attempted to reach as many participants as possible. Unfortunately we were unable to contact everyone that we planned to. We would like to extend a big thank-you to all of those who participated in the telephone survey.* We realize that the survey was lengthy, but this had to be done in order to cover the six components of the Aboriginal Head Start Program. We could not print all of the survey results here, due to its length, but if anyone is interested in seeing the complete survey results, please call Tracey Gazley or Tina McDonald at the Health Centre at 967-3603. **A special thank-you goes out to those who used their evenings and weekends to make the telephone contacts and/or home Visits.**

**The purpose in doing the survey was to establish the following:**

- Demographics (population statistics)
  - Types of services that are presently being used under each of the 6 components (Culture & Language, Health Promotion, Nutrition, Education, Social Support Services and Parental & Family Involvement)
- The participants awareness of available services.
- What services and programs the participants feel should be made available to benefit our Children/Community.
- What types of advertisement people are aware Of and/or using.

- Special skills/talents of participants which may enhance Children's programming.
- Ways in which participants are willing to assist with Children's programming.

Listed below you will find interesting key facts which have been taken from the survey.

We came up with a list of 140 potential families with children 0-6 years old. From the 140 potential families, 100 families participated. In as many cases as possible both parents were interviewed. Therefore we actually had 120 participants, 87 females and 33 males. **From 120 participants who were polled we discovered:**

<i>Age Group:</i>	31-40 @ 62
	21-30 @ 43
	41-50 @ 08
	14-20 @ 05
	51-60 @ 01
	60+ @ 01
<i>Total Number of Children:</i>	131
<i>Children with Special Needs:</i>	10

#### CULTURE & LANGUAGE:

*The \* indicates that the service is available to some extent on the Territory*

**The percentage of participants that utilize the following:**

*Mohawk Language Courses	33%
*Culturally related workshops	23%
*Moon Ceremony	7%

**The following services are either used off the Territory or participants practice them in their own homes:**

Mohawk Cultural Resources	35%
Using Medicines	27%
Regular Socials	23%
Legends	23%
Nature Walks	23%
Elder Involvement	21%
Smudging	18%
Ceremonies	18%
Crafting	15%
Clan History	14%
Traditional Societies/Lodges	10%
Mohawk Immersion	8%
Native Parenting	8%
Medicine Walks	6%
Sweat Lodges	4%

**Utilize a general Mohawk Language Course if offered: 72%**

#### EDUCATION:

*The \* indicates that the service is available to some extent on the Territory.*

**The percentage of participants that utilize the following:**

*Library	44%
*Playgroup	35%
*Workshops	33%
*Daycare setting	28%
*Summer Camps Programs	26%
*Private Daycare	23%
*Elders	23%
*Evening Courses	23%
*Adult Education	21%
*School Age Program	12%
*Computer Camps	9%

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**Overall, the participants felt that the present support and information system in the Community rated as follows:**

Health	59%
Parental & Family Involvement	58%
Nutrition	57%
Education	52%
Social Support Services	51%
Mohawk Language	35%
Mohawk Culture	33%

**Participants awareness of services and resources that are available for families, as follows:**

No	60%
Yes	28%
Some	9%
No Response	3%

**Participants felt that the following services were required to accommodate accessibility:**

Ramps	70%
Hearing Aids	70%
Visual Aids	68%
Wheelchairs	68%
Tele Typewriters (TTY)	67%
Haudivan	63%

**Community Awareness (ways to advertise programs):**

Newsletter	92%
Radio(Community Station)	86%
School Notices	82%
Flyers	78%
Community Meeting	75%
Video Information	75%
Verbal (word of mouth)	57%



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The following services are either used off the Territory or participants practice them in their own homes:

Resource Centres	15%
Correspondence Courses	14%
Preschool	9%
Junior Kindergarten	8%
Nursery School	3%
Summer School	3%

## HEALTH PROMOTION:

The \* indicates that the service is available to some extent on the Territory.

The percentage of participants that utilize the following:

*Flouride	49%
*Immunization	46%
*Prenatal	43%
*Healthy & Active Lifestyles	23%
*HIV/AIDS Education & Support	9%
*Drug & Alcohol Information	8%
*Footcare Specialist	8%
*Women's Shelter	4%

The following services are either used off the Territory or participants practice them in their own homes:

Dental Hygiene	68%
Hearing/Vision Testing	52%
Postnatal Courses/Support:	36%
Physical Health	35%
Traditional Healing Methods	18%
Birth Control	18%
Herbal Medicines/Naturopaths:	16%
Special Needs Specialists	15%
Effects of Drug & Alcohol Pregnancy	11%
Support Groups	9%
Massage Therapist	8%
Family Crisis Centre	7%
Grief Counselling	6%
Treatment Centres	6%
Abuse Education	5%
Infant Stimulation	5%
Birthing Centre	4%
Midwives	3%
Special Needs Support Group	3%
Midwife training	2%
Wellness Co-ordinator	1%
Lactation Program	1%
Adopted Children Support Group	1%
Toxic Addiction	1%
Fetal Alcohol Effects Support Group	0%
Fetal Alcohol Syndrome Support Group	0%

## NUTRITION:

The \* indicates that the service is available to some extent on the Territory.

The percentage of participants that utilize the following:

*Resources	35%
*Breakfast Program	18%
*Food Bank Services	17%
*Dietician/Nutritionist	17%
*Diabetic Information	17%
*Good Food Box	14%
*Baby Food Preparation Program	14%
*Preparing Diabetic Meals	8%

The following services are either used off the Territory or participants practice them in their own homes:

Life Skills Courses	13%
Herbologist/Naturopath	13%
Lactation Support and Information	12%
Eating Healthy on a Budget	8%
Food For You, Food For Two	5%
Low Fat Eating	5%
Food Preparation Courses	4%
Traditional Food Preparation	3%
Nutritional Information	1%

## SOCIAL SUPPORT SERVICES:

The \* indicates that the service is available to some extent on the Territory.

The percentage of participants that utilize the following:

*Health Centre	65%
*Nurses	43%
*Housing Program	41%
*Community Health Representatives	37%
*Child Care Centres	27%
*Community Workshops	23%

*Children and Family Services	19%
*Building Healthy Communities Programs	9%
*Personal Support Workers	5%
*Foster Parenting	5%
*Home Support Program	4%
*Women's Shelter	1%

The following services are either used off the Territory or participants practice them in their own homes:

Prenatal Nutrition Programs	23%
Friendship Centres	9%
Parent Support Group	9%
Special Needs Assistance	8%
Parent Resource Centre	6%
Holistic Wellness Person	3%
Employee Assistance Program	1%
Friendly Visiting Program	1%
Intergenerational Program	1%
Crisis Centre	0%

## Social Support Services (continued):

Mobile/Toy/Resource Lending Library	16%
Transportation	9%
Child Clothing Exchange Program	6%
Volunteer Bureau	3%
Female Support Groups	3%
Infant/Toddler Courses	1%
Infant/Toddler Program	1%
Big Brothers Association	1%
Big Sisters Association	1%
Male Support Groups	1%

Participants ranked the following on a rating scale. As a result of the survey, this is how they were arranged in order of importance from the most to the least:

1. To hire full time Native Language/Cultural persons to work with Community and Children 0-6 years of age.
2. Co-op licensed Nursery School that is not just for working parents/guardians. Parents would be an integral part of the operations, as board members, volunteers etc.
3. Parent Relief Program: A list of qualified childcare providers/baby-sitters which could be accessed by the Community. The barter system could be used for those willing to try.
4. To offer an infant/toddler program at the daycare with the same admission policy as daycare is now.
5. Clubs like Beavers, Cubs, Sparks, Brownies, Nature and Culturally Related.
6. To have a Holistic Wellness Co-ordinator for Community.
7. Mobile toy library/book resource/Cultural Resource.
8. To hire a Family Resource Co-ordinator who would partner with parents/guardians in getting their children's needs met in all six AHS components.
9. Support Groups.
10. To hire a Consultant to facilitate linking of existing services.
11. Self Wellness programs, like Herbal Medicines, Stress Reduction, Meditation, Aromatherapy, Acupuncture, Emotional Release, Yoga.

The following percentages of participants felt that families could benefit from these programs:

A "Babysitter's Club"(ie: list of qualified, reliable sitters)	86%
Kindergym Program	85%
Special Community Events(ie: Winter Festival)	85%
Legends	82%
Family Entertainment(ie: singers, storytellers)	82%
Puppet Shows	81%
Tales for Tots	80%
Children & Adult Leagues(ie: darts, volleyball etc.)	80%
Clubs(ie: brownies, beavers)	76%
Music Lessons	74%
Music and Movement classes	73%
Group Field Trips(ie: weekend bus trips)	73%
Martial Arts Programs	63%
Dance Classes	62%
Parent Support Groups	62%
Community Garden	58%
Parent Relief Services	48%

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## COMMUNITY INTEREST

### PARENTAL & FAMILY INVOLVEMENT:

From the survey we discovered that participants were willing to assist with the Aboriginal Head Start On Reserve Program in the following ways:

Donate time using Special Skills/Talents	58%
Parent Advisory Board	46%
Donate Clothing	38%
Donate Toys	33%
Donate Food	28%

Thank you for your interest in the Aboriginal Head Start Developmental Project. The call for proposals for the Operational phase of this program will be coming in the next few weeks. Our understanding is that only about 27% of all submitted proposals will be accepted to the Operational phase. The survey results will be of great assistance in writing the proposal, as it shows a good representation of what the participants would like to see happening in the area of children's programs. Again, we invite anyone who is interested in seeing the compiled survey results to call us at 967-3603.

Nia:wen

Tracey Gazley & Tina McDonald  
Aboriginal Head Start Developmental Project



### KA:NHIOTE

TYENDINGAGA TERRITORY PUBLIC LIBRARY  
York Road, Tyendingaga Mohawk Territory

Membership is free  
967-6264

#### SERVICES:

- Up-to-date reading material for children and adults
- An automated library system
- Encyclopedias
- Public access to the Internet
- Reference service
- Interlibrary loan
- Mohawk language resources
- Magazines and newspapers
- Extensive video collection
- Native collection in all library formats - hard and soft cover books, vertical file, magazines, newspapers, book and cassette tape sets, CD-ROM, games
- Genealogy research
- Local history collection containing information and pictures
- Edukit - an elementary teacher resource for Native studies
- Photocopy service @ .15 cents/page
- In-home service with help of volunteers

#### BORROWING PRIVILEGES

- Must have a membership card
- Loan period is 14 days
- Material may be renewed for an additional 7 days by telephone
- Overdue fines 5 cents/day or 15 cents/week
- Each borrower is responsible for material borrowed on his or her library card
- Responsibility for the reading material of children rests with their parents or legal guardian
- Clients who have overdue material will be subject to loss of borrowing privileges

#### HOURS

- TUESDAY - 8:30 - 12:00 1:00 - 4:30
- WEDNESDAY - 8:30 12:00 1:00 - 4:30
- THURSDAY - 12:00 4:00 6:00 - 8:00



There are plenty of new titles to choose from this month at Kanhiote Library. From children's to adult, these selections include Native, fiction, non-fiction and videos. We also offer material on gardening, cooking, crafts and games. Come in and see our great selection for yourself.

#### These books are overdue:

- Flint and feather
- Pauline Johnson, her life and work
- 1000 useful Mohawk words
- Report of the Royal Commission
- Quillwork
- Chyenne autumn
- Indians of the plains
- Joseph Brant
- Joseph Brant 1743-1800
- The broken chain (video)
- White roots of peace
- Aboriginal law
- Please search your home. If you have any overdue material please return promptly. Fines are negotiable.

#### Fundraising results for Kanhiote Library are as follows:

- BookFair and Corn Soup Supper - \$900.00+
- Food Booth @ Deseronto Arena - \$600+
- Nia:wen ki wahi to all our supporters and volunteers.

Volunteer artist wanted to sketch scenes for children's coloring contest. If you can help, please call Bonnie at 967-6264.



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of Canada, Inc.

March 15, 1999

Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte  
RR #1  
Deseronto, Ontario  
K0K 1X0

Dear Chief R. Donald Maracle,

We are sending you this letter to inform you that our Sault Ste. Marie office is interested in purchasing submerged hardwood and pine logs from both the Great Lakes and inland lakes in the areas around your reserve. All wood from Crown land must have the required permits from the Provincial Government, whereas Federal lands require permits from the Federal Department of Fisheries and Oceans.

Should you or any of your Band members know of locations or be interested in the salvaging of submerged timber we would be interested in talking to you.

Aside from purchasing legally salvaged submerged timber; we can also provide consulting assistance in the exact location of submerged logs, determine species and quality, and applying for permits.

All wood is scaled for payment at our log yard at 530 Cathcart Street in the Sault. If you are interested in pursuing the salvage of submerged timber in your area please contact us at the numbers above or by Email at [treezarus@on.aibn.com](mailto:treezarus@on.aibn.com)

Sincerely,

  
Jorita Paloniemi  
Senior Field Technician, diver






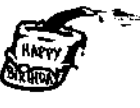













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The leftover words in the puzzle form the message below:

"One of the choices for a healthy lifestyle is exercising regularly."

# BIRTHDAYS


<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>Puppa May 27 </p> <p>Love Christopher &amp; Mackenzie</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>R.J. - May 3 </p> <p>Bernie - May 30 </p> <p>Love Da Momma &amp; Da Sista</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>Aunt Dori!!! </p> <p>May 15</p> <p>Love Linda, Angela Jake &amp; Family</p>	<p>Happy Anniversary!</p> <p>Gladys &amp; Phil  May 16</p> <p>love Ron, Shelley Christopher &amp; Mackenzie</p>
<p>Happy Dirt Day!  Uncle R.J. May 3</p> <p>Love Dylan &amp; Raven</p> <p>It's your 25th  B-Day Uncle Berni!!! May 30</p> <p>Love Dylan, Miki &amp; Raven</p>	<p>Happy Belated Birthday! </p> <p>Mom April 21</p> <p>Love May</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>Daddy  May 23</p> <p>Love Christopher &amp; Mackenzie</p>	<p>Happy 4th Birthday!</p> <p>Christopher  May 19</p> <p>Love Mom, Dad &amp; Mackenzie</p>
<p><b>25 Years...</b></p> <p>1/4 of a century, already.</p> <p>Happy Birthday, Kelly (May 16)</p> <p>Love, Mom</p> <p>Just remember you're not an antique yet, only a collectable.</p>	<p>Happy Mothers Day! </p> <p>Mom! (Ova Brant)</p> <p>"No Words Can Express how much you mean to us!"</p> <p>Lots of love from All Your Children</p>	<p>Happy Birthday! to all celebrating this month!</p>	<p>Happy 1st Birthday!</p> <p>Allie  May 4</p> <p>Love Gram, Aunties, Cousins &amp; Uncles</p>
	<p>Happy Birthday! </p> <p>Auntie  May 18</p> <p>Love Cole &amp; Riley</p>	<p>Happy 13th Anniversary!</p> <p>Dean  May 31st</p> <p>Love Lynda</p>	<p>Happy 1st Birthday Allie  May 4</p> <p>Lots of Love Mommy "Glenna" &amp; Daddy "Dean"</p>
<p>Happy 1st Birthday!</p> <p>Jorahkote </p> <p>Love Mommy, Daddy and Ralo:rahts</p>	<p>Happy Birthday Sharil! May 18 /???? Love Your Family</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>Ashley  May 11</p> <p>Love Mom, Glenn Norman, Amanda Angie &amp; Jordan</p>	<p>Happy 3rd Birthday!</p> <p>Jackson  May 7</p> <p>Love Mommy &amp; Daddy</p>
<p><i>Do You Have a Birthday you wish to put in the Newsletter?</i>                  Birthday Ads are Free! Deadline for the June Issue is                  Tuesday, May 25 at noon                  Please Call: 396-3424</p>			

# UPCOMING EVENTS

**ABORIGINAL SOLIDARITY DAY  
CELEBRATION**

**THEME: HONOUR OUR ELDERS**

Date: June 21, 1999  
Location: Harris Park



**Volunteers Wanted  
Food Vendors Wanted  
Art (Crafts) Vendors Wanted**

Host Organization:  
At'lohsa Native Family Healing Services Inc.

If you wish to participate please contact Arlene Hill at:  
Tel: (519) 438-0068 or Fax: (519) 438-0070

Aboriginal Solidarity Day Committee

Dear Organization:

The theme for the 1999 Celebration of National Aboriginal Day is:

**"Honour our Elders"**

This Questionnaire has been designed to gather input from Elders from all Nations with regard to what they would like to see, hear, do and have available for them. We will be basing the agenda of events on the responses we receive from the community. We would like to be able to confirm the entertainment, events and speakers requested as soon as possible because the bookings must be made far in advance to the actual date. We are requesting the return of this form with your thoughts and ideas by our next meeting date. (Or as soon as you can.)

Interests \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Abilities \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Special Inclusions (such as Elders Helpers, wheelchair availability etc.)  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Would you be able to be a Speaker at our Ceremonies and take the stage?

Yes or No. (Circle one)

If so, for how long? (½ hour, 1 hour...) \_\_\_\_\_

What would you choose to speak about?  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Your suggestions and direction are welcomed and appreciated. Let us make this a day one that truly reflects the wisdom and honour you have earned.

Please return this questionnaire to:

Reta Van Every / Arlene Hill  
At'lohsa

Phone: 519-438-0068  
Fax: 519-438-0070

**Deadline date for the Newsletter  
Tuesday, May 25 at noon  
396-3424**

EXTENDING A NATIVE CHRISTIAN VOICE OF HOPE TO OUR NATION



**Spirit Alive T.V. Ministry**  
invites you to view our upcoming  
Programs for May

May 8 / 9	"Handling Changes in Life"
May 15 / 16	"National Days of Prayer for Native Canadians update"
May 22 / 23	"Pure Love"
May 29 / 30	"Battle Strategies"

seen on CKWS on Sunday Mornings at 7:00 p.m. and on Vision TV on Saturday Mornings at 8:00 a.m.

**For Prayerlines - Call During Program  
613-396-1435**



Write for your free cassette tape by "Flo Eilers" (Native of Alaska)

*Happy Mother's Day to all our mothers*

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**KARON HIAK TA'KIE RECREATION COMPLEX  
GRAND OPENING  
JUNE 18,19,20 /99**

**BASEBALL GAMES STARTS AT 6:30 P.M.  
FRIDAY**

**OPENING CEREMONY  
SAT. JUNE 19  
12 TO 1**



**MIXED BASEBALL  
TOURNAMENT  
\$225.00  
A TEAM**

**1ST PRIZE - \$500.00  
2ND PRIZE - \$400.00  
3RD PRIZE - \$300.00  
4RD PRIZE - \$225.00**

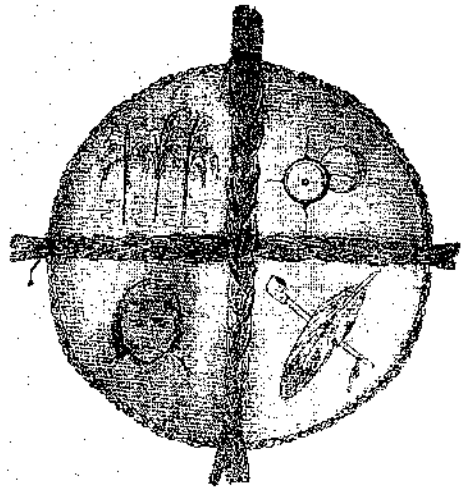
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Competition**

**June 26th 1999 4:00 pm**

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### BALL DIAMONDS

Regular season games: \$15 per game

Kids leagues: \$5 per game

No charge for practice.

Only book one time a week for any teams requesting practice time on diamonds.

Tournament prices: \$125 for 1-day tournament  
\$165 for 2-day tournament  
\$205 for 3-day tournament

\*Money for tournaments must be paid by the Friday before the tournament to secure the diamonds and have the use of them.

Cheques to be made payable to the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte.

Payment can be given to Carole Scero at the Administration Office.

Use of diamonds:

League(s) to pay half before season starts.  
The other half to be paid before mid-season.

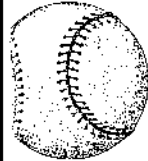
### YOUTH LEAGUE REGISTRATION



**T - BALL AGES 4/5**

**JR. 3 PITCH 6/9**

**3 - PITCH 10/13**



Registration Dates

Sat. May 8th 10 - 2 p.m.

Location

Karon hiak ta'kie Recreation Complex

### COACHES / ASST. COACHES / SPONSORS REQUIRED

Registration fee : \$5.00 per child

\$15.00 PER FAMILY (3 OR MORE)

LEAGUE TO START MONDAY MAY 31ST/99

team roster will be sent out prior to start date



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### THE MOHAWK RECREATION COMMITTEE



### SPORTS EQUIPMENT EXCHANGE



DATE: MAY 30/99

TIME: 1-4:30

LOCATION: KARON HIAK TA'KIE  
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GEORGE BRANT

(PLEASE DONATE ONLY USEABLE EQUIPMENT)



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SATURDAY MAY 8th.  
at MOHAWK FAMILY  
SERVICES (40 YORK RD.)  
from 9:00a.m.-3:00p.m.  
rain date (MAY 15th.)

**UPCOMING EVENTS**



**YOUTH DANCE!  
MAY 21/99**



The dance for May will be a pajama party; therefore if you come dressed for bed you will get in at half price, there will also be a best-dressed prize.

We will be holding this dance at Quinte Mohawk School in the gym. The hours will remain the same from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. for 7 - 9 year olds, and 7:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. for 10 - 14 year olds.

We would like more parents to come out and help chaperone. On an average there is usually around 80 young people that come out and enjoy the contests, games, prizes and music. We would love to have the parents come and have some fun too.

Some of the rules:

- Parents must come into the hall to pick up their children, this is to prevent any missing child.
- No drugs, alcohol, or smoking.
- Rules and regulations were handed out when dances first started.

If more information is required please contact Caroline Green at Mohawk Family Services 967-0122.

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**Nia:wen**  
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**Tuesday, May 25**  
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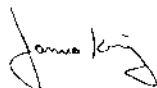
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per: James E. King

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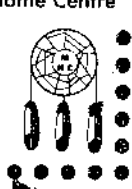
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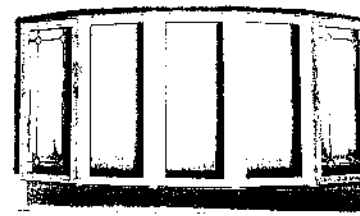


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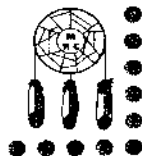
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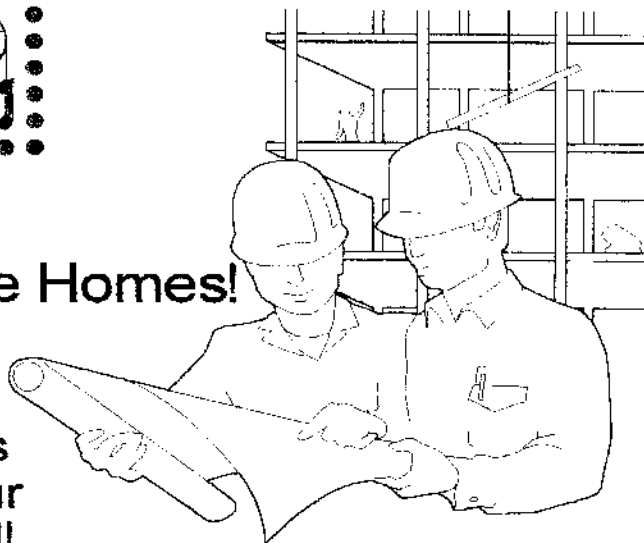
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