

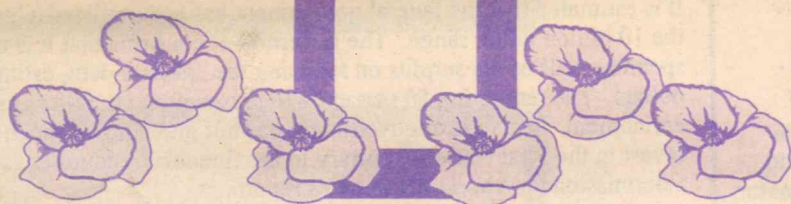
# TYENDINAGA NEWSLETTER



## ISSUE 11 /99

*Thursday  
November 11*

*Remembering Those Who  
Fought for Us!*



## 1999 ELECTIONS



### NOMINATIONS:

SATURDAY, NOV. 20/99  
9:00 A.M. - 12:00 NOON  
QUINTE MOHAWK SCHOOL

### ELECTIONS:

SATURDAY, DEC. 4/99  
9:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M.  
QUINTE MOHAWK SCHOOL

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Newsletter Deadline  
Wednesday, Nov. 24  
12:00 noon  
396-3424

*We're on the Internet*  
[www.tyendinaga.net](http://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



## ADMINISTRATION



### MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE

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### Update From the Chief

October 26, 1999

#### Se:ken Sewakwekenh

I hope this report finds everyone in good health.

I am happy to provide an update for community members on the following matters:

#### Richmond Dumpsite

The community and council continue to have concerns about the impact that the proposed mega dump may have on the ground water and fish habitat in our streams.

A recent water testing program conducted by XCG indicated a concern with one of the test results and recommended further sampling. Council received a proposal from XCG to continue sampling from 5 locations in the Marysville/Mud and Sucker Creeks to be conducted during high water table conditions in the fall of 1999 and spring of 2000.

The water testing in the creeks will cost \$10,700.00 and will be on the agenda for a council decision to proceed.

#### Tyendinaga Mohawk Dumpsite

On October 14<sup>th</sup>, 1999, council met with the firm Henderson, Paddon Environmental Inc. to review planning issues for the Tyendinaga Mohawk Dump. There continues to be a significant concern about the volume of non-reserve waste being dumped at our site.

It was agreed to conduct a study to determine the quantity and composition of garbage entering our landfill site.

Councillor Colleen Maracle, staff and I were able to get a commitment from Indian Affairs to provide \$220,000.00 for the closure of the existing site and to construct a waste transfer station. The Department of Indian Affairs have agreed to cost share this project. Council has allocated \$200,000.00 from its \$733,600.00 minor capital allocation. Council has authorized the construction of the waste transfer station to proceed so that funding will not be lost. It is anticipated that it will cost \$223,000.00 to cap the existing landfill mound.

#### Companies Owned by Council

I have been successful in obtaining funding from Kagita Mikam in the amount of \$47,000.00 under a local labour market partnership agreement. This will enable the companies at the airport to engage CESO professionals to provide management and development of a business and marketing plan. The team will consist of a coordinator, marketing specialist, computer sales specialist, printing specialist, accounting specialist and human resources specialist. It is hoped that this initiative will enable PeaceTree to capture a larger portion of the market place and ultimately preserve community jobs.

#### Fishing Mediation

I requested Indian Affairs to provide the band with funds to carry out a communication process for the fishing mediation discussions that are currently underway. The Ontario Region of Indian Affairs has agreed to provide \$10,000.00 for this purpose.

On October 29<sup>th</sup>, at 7 p.m., at Quinte Mohawk School, a meeting will be held to present the biological and historical research report. Tom Stewart and Sandra Orsatti from the Ministry of Natural Resources will present the biology report. Joan Holmes will present the research report, Judge Stephen Hunter, Peggy Blair the band solicitor, and Council will be in attendance.

The meeting is open to members of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte only.

#### Norway's Road Re-construction

The lowest bid of the nine bids received was from Warren Paving Ltd. at \$497,919.84. On November 1, 1999 there will be a preliminary construction meeting. It is anticipated that the construction period will be 40 days and that the culverts and base road will be built this year. The surface treatment will be completed in the spring of the year 2000. It will be necessary for Council to obtain a bank loan from the Bank of Montreal to finance this project in the form of a term loan. The interest rate will be prime plus one half percent or 6 ¾ percent. The term of the loan can be up to 10 years which could be repaid from future years minor capital allocation. The annual minor capital allocation is \$733,600.00.

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#### Snow Plowing Tenders

Snow plow tenders for band owned parking lots and bus turn arounds were received from the following:

Contract #1 – B & J Pole Line Construction	\$400 per each plowing
Contract #1 – Cliff Maracle	\$310 per each plowing

Contract #2 – B & J Pole Line Construction	\$410 per each plowing
Contract #2 – Cliff Maracle	\$350 per each plowing

#### Dies Property Land Purchase

The Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte purchased 285 acres from Mr. Dies in 1993 under the auspices that the federal and provincial governments would have no objection it be granted "reserve status." These lands once formed part of the Mohawk Tract lands but were alienated in 1908. In 1959, 358.67 acres of the original 620 acres alienated in 1908 were reconstituted to the reserve by way of Order-in-Council PC 1959-896. The lands purchased from David Dies would represent the remaining portion of the 1908 alienated lands.

Tom Vincent was the band solicitor hired by Council in the 1993 David Dies property purchase and currently holds the lands in trust for the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte. Once the land transfers from the trustee to the federal government are completed, the Department of Indian Affairs will proceed to obtain a federal Order-in-Council to give this land reserve status.

In March of 1997, I was able to obtain a commitment from Minister Ron Irwin to reimburse the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte \$388,455.00 for the purchase of this property and this money is now being held by the Ontario Region of Indian Affairs and will be transferred to the band later this year.

#### Speech from the Throne, October 13<sup>th</sup>, 1999

Governor General Clarkson gave the Throne Speech to the Ottawa Parliament on October 13, 1999.

There was no indication whatsoever that the federal government intends to lift the freeze on Indian funding (adjusted to inflation) which has been in place since April 1<sup>st</sup>, 1997. We expect that Indian Affairs will continue to transfer program liability to First Nations through multi-year funding agreements.

It is estimated that the federal government has accumulated a huge annual surplus in the 10 billion dollar range. The government confirms that it is committed to spending half of the surplus on reducing the national debt, estimated at 600 billion dollars. The remaining 50 percent will be spent on tax relief and program enrichment. The federal government has not given any indication that it intends to invest in the First Nations contrary to the financial recommendations of the Royal Commission on Aboriginal Peoples report.

The government is committed to the creation of a Canadian Institute of Health research, increased internet access in schools, a new national infrastructure program, addressing the serious health problems in Aboriginal communities, environmental issues and strengthening Aboriginal economies, supporting economic partnerships and settling land claims.

#### The Wadrihwa, Newsletter

The Wadrihwa is the Woodland Cultural Centre newsletter is celebrating 25 years of service. The May 1999 edition included a special tribute to Mohawk Chief, Earl Hill of Tyendinaga, (1928 to 1999) which is reprinted in the Newsletter. Chief Hill was Chief for Tyendinaga for 20 years.

#### Welfare Funeral and Burials

The Ontario Works legislation prescribes the rules for eligibility for financial assistance for funerals and burials. Effective September 1, 1999 only people eligible for Social Assistance recipients could receive assistance for the cost of funeral expenses.

On October 13, Sam Maracle, Patty Brant and I met with the Regional Chief, Tom Bressett and other First Nations Chiefs and the Regional Director General, John Donnelly. The meeting was held to discuss the serious impact of this legislation on persons in need. The Department of Indian Affairs reimburses the Ontario government approximately 2 million dollars on an annual basis for Native welfare burials in the Province of Ontario.

John Donnelly has agreed to restore assistance in the same manner that had previously been provided under the former General Welfare Assistance Act. Persons with no other financial means to pay funeral expenses could receive \$2,200.00 towards the cost. Mr. Donnelly has agreed to strike a committee to continue further dialogue on the matter.

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## ADMINISTRATION

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### Nominations and Elections

Nominations will be held on Saturday, November 20, 1999, 9 a.m. until 12 noon and the election on Saturday, December 4, 1999, 9 a.m. until 7 p.m. both at Quinte Mohawk School.

### Remembrance Day November 11, 1999

We gratefully acknowledge the sacrifice and service of our Mohawk war veterans. A Remembrance Day Service will be held at the Deseronto Cenotaph at 11 a.m. A Legion Service will be held at the Christ Church, Her Majesty's Royal Chapel of the Mohawks, on Sunday, November 7 1999 at 11:15 a.m.

### The Beaver Magazine

The Beaver is Canada's history magazine. The October, 1999 issue featured an article on Christ Church, Her Majesty's Royal Chapel of the Mohawks and Mohawk Princess and renowned poet, Pauline Johnson. The magazine is available at Chapters Book Store in Belleville at a cost of \$4.95 each.

### Casino Rama Money

The First Nations Revenue Sharing Committee have meetings scheduled on October 28 and 29, 1999 at the law firm of Blake Cassells in Toronto to finalize issues in the revenue sharing agreement. A meeting will follow with the Ontario Casino Corporation the week following.

### Ferry Lane Boat Launch Restoration

The boat launch at the old ferry dock is in need of repair in order to ensure public safety. There is no regular maintenance funding to maintain this facility.

We have received funding from CORDA (Canada Ontario Resource Development Agreement) in the amount of \$45,000.00 to carry out some restoration to the boat ramp.

The project will be tendered out the week of October 25 to 29, 1999, at which time a contract will be awarded. Work will commence immediately to take advantage of the fall low water levels. If you have further questions concerning this project, please contact Chris Maracle at the Tyendinaga Administration Office.

### Christ Church, Her Majesty's Royal Chapel

The contractors and the engineers have found that the interior rubble wall of the tower was in worse condition than originally anticipated. The moisture problems that the tower has experienced over several decades has caused much fracturing of the stone from the inward side of the stone.

The contract was originally estimated to be \$276,000.00 to provide for the reconstruction of the south and west walls of the tower as well as repointing all of the mortar joints in the tower. The revised estimate will be \$350,000.00. The cost increase is associated with additional stone needed, the dismantling of the parapet, and additional labour time associated with the work. The work is progressing.

The restoration committee has raised a sum of \$260,000.00 and a cost sharing agreement of up to \$500,000.00 has been signed with Heritage Canada. The fund raising efforts continue.

*Donald Maracle*

R. Donald Maracle  
Chief

### Dental Survey Notice

The Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approved a dental survey to be conducted by the dental staff of the Hastings and Prince Edward County's Health Unit, with funds provided by Medical Services Branch of Health Canada. The survey will assess the dental health of the elementary school age children and offer preventative services for those children needing topical fluoride and pit and tissue sealants. The survey will begin in November 1999 with Dr. Peter McQueen and Dr. Bill Ryding being responsible for the pilot project. Mrs. Anna Childs, dental hygienist with the health unit, will provide the preventive treatment for children whose parents give consent. This survey and treatment has been provided for public school children in Ontario for the past 2 years by all public health units across the province. For more information, please contact Mrs. Donna English, 613-966-5513, extension 289.

### ATTENTION

#### SALE OF FORMER ABORIGINAL FIBREGLASS BUILDING

Located on Hwy #2, west of Shannonville  
Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory

The Tyendinaga Mohawk Council shall entertain bids for the purchase of the above-mentioned building, along with a 1-acre lot, well and trickle system.

#### Building Dimensions:

- Year Built: 1992
- 64 ft. x 104 ft. with 16 ft. ceiling/clear span.
- Production Area - 5,632 sq. ft.
- Office Area - 1,024 sq. ft.
- Total Area - 6,656 sq. ft.
- 10' x 14' insulated overhead door, commercial front entrance-way
- 400 amp electrical service

Bids should include the following information:

- Anticipated use of building
- Approximate number of jobs to be created/maintained
- Amount of Bid
- Type of Payment

Please submit your bid by Nov 26 at 4:00 p.m. to the attention of:

Donny C. Maracle  
Economic Development Officer  
Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte  
Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory, ON  
K0K 1X0

Please note that the TMC shall have a reserved bid on the above and the highest or any bid shall not be necessarily accepted.

### \*MESSAGE FROM THE LANDFILL SITE \*

PLEASE PUT ALL FIREPLACE  
ASHES IN THE DESIGNATED  
AREA INDICATED BY THE SIGN.



THANK YOU.



### 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.



## ADMINISTRATION NOTICES

### A MESSAGE FROM A MEMBER OF MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE BAND COUNCIL (MBQBC) FOR OCTOBER 1999

Submitted by Wm.J.Brant

October has been a busy month as usual - with one trip to Kahnawake in Quebec. As mentioned in the last newsletter we went to observe at the meeting of the round table. We were told that this union of Mohawk nations- Akwesasne, Kahnawake, and Kanestake was formed in 1994 because of alleged smuggling. They informed us that the federal government proposed sending the armed forces into their territories. These first nations met with federal government and an agreement was made that there would be meetings held in the form of round table discussions to work out solutions to problems in a less confrontational manner. As a result these 3 first nations have formed committees to work on problems common to all and schedule meetings to discuss reports and plan courses of action. The areas of concern were previously mentioned in the September newsletter.

The following MBQBC motions may be of interest to you:

- 1) That the MBQBC housing department undertake a review of the market housing rental rates charged for band owned housing - taking into account the recovery period of our capital investment and the cost of repair.
- 2) That the regular MBQBC meetings are to be held during the day. (NOTE: this will assist council in decision making as resource staff will be available to answer questions that may arise from agenda items. If members of our community require an audience with MBQBC and are not able to attend day session, appointments may be made prior to the agenda closing time so that council may reconvene in the evening to deal with these issues only.
- 3) That a contract has been let to do work on the Yonge Street park in Shannonville.
- 4) That the motion to have MBQBC's representative on the Hastings Prince Edward School Board be elected be rescinded and that this position be filled by a process whereby band members who are interested will apply for this position at the band office and the representative will be selected through an interview process rather than an election process. This is to be done as per the recommendation of the MBQ Education Committee.
- 5) That the contractor Warren Paving proceed with the construction (rebuilding and hard topping) of Norway's Side Road.
- 6) To amend the present administration structure so that the authority and responsibility will be delegated to the staff so that they will manage their own budgets. (NOTE: This change will make our MBQBC administration more efficient so that it will serve our community better. When you go to the band office staff members will be able to make a decision and give you an answer.)

I would like to thank the members of our community who assisted me in raising pledges of \$1381.00 for cancer research through the Jail and Bail program at the Quinte Mall on October 27, 1999.

I invite your call to my office at 967-9861 or you may make an appointment to drop in and see me if you have any questions or concerns in regard to our community or business with our government.

I look forward to your continuous co-operation in assisting to make TMT a better place to live.

## Employee Introductions

Computer Technician/Network Administrator Trainee

I'm Mike Lewis, the newest member of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte staff. I will be completing a variety of training in order to maintain the integrity of the MBQ network system, make repairs to p.c.'s, and suggest changes and/or additions in software & hardware to assist in the provision of quality service to the community.

I look forward to this challenging opportunity and to meet members of the community at the Administration Office.



### MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE

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November 1, 1999

To: The Mohawks Of The Bay Of Quinte Membership

We'd like to tell you about an "exciting event" that is coming to our territory this fall. We are very happy to introduce a Group Home and Auto Insurance Program.

Effective immediately you can benefit from the many advantages of this new plan designed for the Mohawks Of The Bay Of Quinte membership by Tribal Custom Insurance Services Inc and underwritten by Traders General Insurance Company.

#### Why Tribal Custom Insurance?

Tribal Custom Insurance is an aboriginal owned, full service nationwide insurance brokerage firm which was established to provide First Nation people with a viable alternative to the current insurance marketplace. Tribal Custom Insurance is committed to forming strategic alliances with the corporate insurance sector in order to achieve fair and equitable protection for aboriginal people and enterprises nationwide.

#### Why Traders General Insurance Company?

The Traders General Insurance Company was incorporated in 1951, and is one of Canada's largest insurance companies. The Traders General Insurance Company have achieved a leadership position in the insurance industry by continually fulfilling one simple promise - the Traders General Insurance Company will continually deliver quality group insurance products, competitive rates and top-of-the-line customer service.

#### Who is eligible?

The Mohawks Of The Bay Of Quinte membership, spouses, and dependants living in the same household are eligible to take advantage of this program.

#### What benefits will you enjoy?

The major advantages offered by the group program are **great rates, broad coverage, and exceptional service.** In addition you will have the comfort of knowing you are dealing with a company that has a proven record for prompt, fair claims settlement. There are two convenient payment options available: monthly installments free of charge by pre-authorized chequing or full payment.

#### How do you get a quote?

Why wait for your policies to expire - it may be to your advantage to get a comparative quotation now. It's easily done! Simply call toll free at 1-888-335-5502 between the hours of 8:15 a.m. - 5:00p.m. Monday to Friday.

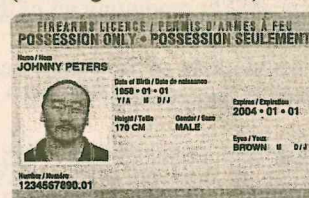
We invite you to explore the many benefits offered by our new Group Home and Auto Insurance program.

The Mohawks Of The Bay Of Quinte Council

## 3 Things

### ALL Firearm Owners Need to Know about the Firearms Act

#### 1 A licence for you (a hunting licence won't do)



You need a Firearms Act licence or valid FAC to possess and register your firearms.

#### 2 A registration certificate for your firearm



#### 3 Remember to safely store your firearm.

For more information, application forms and assistance filling them out, call:

**1 800 731-4000**

or visit our Web site at  
[www.cfc-ccaf.gc.ca](http://www.cfc-ccaf.gc.ca)

Firearms Safety is Everyone's Concern!

Canada



## ADMINISTRATION

### COMMUNITY NOTICES

#### **RE: EDUCATION COMMITTEE MEMBERS**

The Education committee are now accepting applications for 2 new members.

Applications are available from Dave Hill or at the Administration office front desk.

Please submit your application to the administration office before Nov. 26/99 at 4:00 p.m.

#### **RE: ELECTION**

##### **ELECTORAL OFFICER**

*I would like to introduce myself, my name is Kelly Maracle (nee Brant) and I am the Electoral Officer for the 1999 elections. Some of you may know me from in and around the community, I work at the administration office and am involved in many community activities or some time.*

*I am very excited to be given this great opportunity to serve the community and hope to see you all on election day.*

*If you need any information please call me at 396-5994*

##### **DEPUTY ELECTORAL OFFICER**

*My name is Katherine Brant. I have lived on the reserve for 28 years. Roy Brant is my husband (35 yrs). We've brought up two children who went to school at Quinte Mohawk.*

*I have been chosen "Deputy Electoral Officer" for the up coming election. Nominations are Nov. 20th and Elections are Dec. 4th, 1999.*

*I have held this position in the Federal elections and look forward to working here on the reserve.*

*If I can be of any help or answer any of your questions, please call me at 396-2029.*

### **\* NOTICE \***

#### **TO ANYONE WHO WAS NOT ENUMERATED**

Our enumerators have been out for the month of October and are now complete. If you have not spoken to our enumerators and have not called into the Administration Office to give membership or myself your information. Please do so immediately so that you can be included on the voters list. This applies to all residents of the Territory and students away for educational purposes who ordinarily reside on Reserve.

396-3424

KELLY MARACLE

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### **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

ON OCTOBER 6, 1999, MOTION #37 WAS PASSED STATING "TO HOLD THE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETINGS DURING THE DAY FOR ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS AND TO FOLLOW WITH LOCAL BUSINESS."

THEREFORE, PLEASE NOTE THAT THE TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL REGULAR COUNCIL MEETINGS WILL NOW COMMENCE AT 9:00 A.M. STARTING OCTOBER 20, 1999.

COMMUNITY MEMBERS WITH LOCAL ISSUES SHOULD CONTACT THE SECRETARY TO CONFIRM ISSUE AND TIME.

THIS WILL ALLOW FOR A MORE EFFICIENT AND STREAMLINED APPROACH IN THE DELIVERY OF OUR SERVICES.

DEADLINE FOR ISSUES TO BE ON THE AGENDA IS THE FRIDAY BEFORE THE WEDNESDAY COUNCIL MEETING AT 12:00 NOON. PLEASE PROVIDE THE NECESSARY DOCUMENTATION TO THE SECRETARY TO THE COUNCIL ON THE FRIDAY.

YOUR CO-OPERATION IS APPRECIATED.

TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL

### **NOTICE**

Please be advised that the construction of a new playground will be commencing on or about the 26<sup>th</sup> of October. The park is located on the North side of Young Street, across from the Holy Trinity Church in Shannonville.

New playground equipment has been ordered for the play area at Karon hiak ta'kie Sports Complex (Patty Maracle Memorial Baseball Complex) and the Tsitkerhedodon Park (Bayshore Road Park).

Dan Chase, George Brant, Jamie Brant-Jones, John Maracle and Jody Hill have recently been hired to work on the above noted projects. They will also be working on a new Heritage Walking Trail. It will originate beside the Cairn and the pathway will follow the old Mohawk Road to the access road North of Christ Church.

Signs for the Waterfront Trail have begun to be installed. The Waterfront Trail is a network of continuous routes or trails originating at Niagara on the Lake and follows the north shore of Lake Ontario and the Bay of Quinte.

For further information regarding Parks and Recreation activities please call Chris Maracle or Darlene Loft at the Administration Office.

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



## ADMINISTRATION NOTICES



### MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE

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Sharon Mason  
Ontario Region  
Indian & Northern Affairs Canada  
Lands & Trust Services  
25 St. Clair Avenue East  
Toronto, Ontario  
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April 20, 1999

**RE: Addition to Reserve former Dies Property**

Dear Ms. Mason,

It has been six months since we have received an update on the Additions to Reserve for the former Dies Property.

On October 8, 1999, Regional Director General John Donnelly stated in his letter, "...we appear to be in a position to proceed with the addition proposal." Since receipt of this letter, Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte staff have complied to all information requests on this proposed addition including providing appraisal information to Brian Atkinson as part of the additions to reserve requirements. Has this appraisal been completed by Public Works?

It has been over two years since the former minister promised to "fast-track" this addition. Would you please advise us when the former Dies Property will be added to the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory?

Your earliest reply will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

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



Indian and Northern  
Affairs Canada

Affaires indiennes  
et du Nord Canada

October 15, 1999.

Chief R. Donald Maracle  
Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte  
R.R. # 1  
DESERONTO ON K0K 1X0

**Re: Funding for Funerals and Burials for Non-SARs**

Thank you for your letter of August 25, 1999, regarding funding of funerals and burials for non-social assistance recipients (non-SARs).

I appreciate your concerns and can assure you that the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development (DIAND) has been working to address this issue.

I am pleased to inform you that on October 13, 1999, officials from DIAND met with the Chiefs of Ontario and presented them with a draft guideline for a new interim policy to cover funeral and burial expenses for non-SARs. This guideline is currently being reviewed by the Chiefs of Ontario and the Ontario Indian Social Services Council. A final version incorporating this input will be produced and distributed to all Ontario First Nations and appropriate Aboriginal organizations.

I trust that this information has explained the Department's current position regarding this issue. If you have any further concerns regarding this issue, you may contact Ms. Maria Ansoar, Senior Governmental Relations Officer at (416)973-1276, or Mr. Jeremy Anderson, Strategic Direction and Policy at (416)952-9582.

John Donnelly  
Regional Director General  
Ontario Region

25 St. Clair E., 5th Floor  
TORONTO ON M4T 1M2



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Affairs Canada

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et du Nord Canada

10 September 1999

Chief R. Donald Maracle  
Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte First Nation  
Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory  
R.R. # 1  
DESERONTO ON K0K 1X0

Dear Chief Maracle:

Subject: Former "Dies" Properties

Reference: Discussion on September 08, 1999; Chief Maracle - Doyle

When you spoke with Shannon Doyle on September 8<sup>th</sup>, you asked for an update on the status of the Dies properties. In particular you mentioned reimbursement of the purchase price and the necessity for a legal survey of the properties.

With regard to the reimbursement matter, as you know Indian and Northern Affairs Canada had to arrange for appraisals of the value of the Dies properties. This was required before the department could initiate the purchase of the lands with the Trustee acting for the First Nation. The "Attestation Reports" for the Dies properties were received from our consultant, Public Works and Government Services Canada (PWGSC), on August 12, 1999. These Reports confirmed the value of the lands.

After receiving the "Attestation Reports", we arranged for the necessary funds (\$ 388,455.00) to be transferred to the Region. The money has now arrived from Headquarters. The first week of September, we initiated the processes necessary to allow the department to transfer the money to PWGSC; and to delegate authority to PWGSC to allow them to arrange with the First Nation's Trustee for the transfer of the lands to the federal Government. The transfer of title is a precedent necessary to afford the former Dies properties reserve status. The funding transfer and the delegation of authority should be in place very soon, hopefully within the next week or two.

Assuming the Trustee signs the "Offer to Sell" which is being prepared by PWGSC; the transactions to transfer the lands to the Government can be carried out. When the transactions "close", PWGSC will pay the \$ 388,455.00 to the Trustee acting on behalf of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte.

When the former Dies properties title has transferred to the federal Government, the "addition to Reserve" process will continue.

Fairly soon, meetings will have to be arranged, involving representatives of the First Nation, the federal Government, Bell Canada and Ontario Hydro; to discuss the easements those two organizations already hold over parts of the Dies land. We will need to resolve how those interests can be dealt with in the context of affording Reserve status to the Dies properties.

As for a legal survey of the land, I understand that the three plans used for the First Nation's 1993 purchase of the Dies properties should be sufficient for the transfer from the Trustee to the federal Government.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions regarding this letter.

Sincerely,

Doug Patterson  
Special Projects Officer, Land Negotiations, LTS  
Ontario Region

25 St. Clair Avenue East - 5th Floor  
TORONTO ON M4T 1M2

## TO COMMUNITY MEMBERS

**Please note that Road Construction will commence on Norway's Road on approximately November 8, 1999.**

**There will be a slight disruption in the flow of traffic, bus route and we are seeking your indulgence in this endeavour. The project is estimated to extend for 40 days (weather permitting).**

**The Contractor is Warren Paving and the Engineering Firm is First Peoples Consultant.**

**Please avoid this area as traffic will be restricted to local traffic only.**

**If you have any questions, please contact Todd Kring at the Administration Office at (613) 396-3424.**

**Your co-operation is appreciated.**



## ADMINISTRATION

### TYENDINAGA MOHAWK BUSINESSES WITH WHOLESALE PERMITS 1998 - 2000

Cedar Ridge Craft Supply & Variety  
D. & L. Thomas Flooring  
Robert Larry Norman  
The Gear  
J.E.M. Auto Sales  
Lakeview Plaza  
Maracle Herbs & Beauty  
MDJ and Associates  
Millside Ceramics & Crafts  
Mohawk Auto Body  
Mohawk Community Bingo  
Mohawk Coffee Service  
Tyendinaga Propane  
Tyenakwe Tours  
The Work Gear  
Ista's Coonie Ceramic  
Ista's Tacos  
Le-Ka Landscaping & Lawn Care  
Aboriginal Expressions  
D. & N.  
Nanny Turtles  
Shutters N More  
Maracle Welding Service  
Aboriginal Fibreglass Inc.  
Mohawk Delivery Service  
First Nations Business Services  
A. & A. Asphalt Driveway & Foundation Sealing  
Debassige Refinishing  
B. & M. Railing  
R. & A. Trains  
T.D.R. Auto Sales  
Van-Rae Uniforms  
Ralphs Auto Glass  
Smart Graphic Design & Printing  
Wentanon:ron Native Crafts  
Eastern Ontario Plastics  
Bill's Towing  
Time for You Salon  
B.C. Roofing  
Aboriginal Electronic Supply  
Magnum Hydraulics  
C.D. Transportation  
Shannonville Auto Clinic  
Chris' Lawn Care Service  
The Gallery Restaurant  
Paints, Pots & Brushes  
W.R. Leween Enterprises  
BMB Contracting  
A Miracle Auto Sales  
B. & M. Variety Chip & Pop Stop  
Bayview Variety  
Bear Flat Station  
Bluebird Lodge  
Flint & Feather Trading Post  
Free Flow Gas Bar

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Fuller Fries  
McDonuts  
Miracle Mart  
Mohawk Imperial Sales  
Pappineau's Gas Bar  
Pat's Variety & Farm Produce  
Red Bargain Barn  
The Tacklebox  
Village Variety & Gas Bar  
Baskets & More  
Mohawk Trading  
Quinte Bay

### TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL PORTFOLIOS FOR 1998-2000

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- Seniors Issues
- Elders Lodge
- Emergency Measures
- Health & Social Services
- Library
- Recreation
- Economic Development
- Policing

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- Roads
- Grasscutting
- Parks
- Airport
- Busing

Council as a Whole

- Administration
- Housing/Sanitation
- Policing Operational Review
- Lands Research & Land Claims
- Lands & Estates
- Major Capital Projects
- Turton Penn File
- Culbertson Tract Claim File

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## PRESS RELEASES



TO: All Chiefs

October 20, 1999

### RE: Indigenous Hockey Program

In conjunction with World Indigenous Nations (WIN) sport the Assembly of First Nations is pleased to announce the appointment of Ted Nolan to assist in developing an Indigenous Hockey Program. The goal of this hockey program is to build and develop an all Indigenous hockey team to compete on the International scene with the objective of participating in the 2002 Olympic Games in Salt Lake City, Utah.

We plan to qualify and represent our people separately from the Canadian National Team. A national Indigenous hockey team representing Native People of North America will be our Dream Team.

Ted Nolan is the man we have chosen to coach, organize and manage our National Hockey Team. Ted Nolan is a man with a vision, a proven track record, and who has been in the public eye since 1979. Within two short decades Ted has played professional hockey, coached in the National Hockey League and been a NADAP role model and spokesperson. He has traveled across North America and given motivational speeches to corporations and assemblies. Who better to organize and lead our team into Salt Lake City?

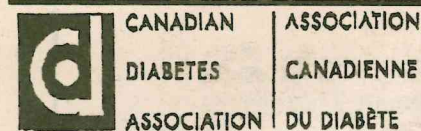
Moreover, in Ted Nolan we have a man with proven professional success. He is a man who is dedicated and committed to excellence and Aboriginal achievement. We have the talent, desire and potential. The Olympic motto states "Stronger, faster, higher", we can compete in on the International scene.

We will continue to provide you with more information as this program develops, and expect your continued support in this important initiative.

Sincerely



Phil Fontaine  
National Chief



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## News Release

FOR RELEASE OCTOBER 16<sup>TH</sup>, 1999 - 10.00AM

### DIABETES REACHING EPIDEMIC LEVELS IN THE ABORIGINAL COMMUNITY

Ottawa, Ontario (October 16, 1999) - The incidence of diabetes among the Aboriginal community is reaching epidemic proportions in many areas across Canada. A symposium titled *Aboriginal Issues* will take place at the Canadian Diabetes Association & the Canadian Society of Endocrinology and Metabolism 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Professional Conference, 2.00 PM, Ottawa Congress Center, Ballroom A.

The symposium will seek to address some of the many complex issues that surround diabetes and its incidence within the Aboriginal community. Topics of discussion will include self-determination and how this relates to healthcare, community and cultural values within the Aboriginal community as they relates to the delivery of healthcare and educational programs, the formation of strategies and organizations to address diabetes in the Aboriginal community and future directions for dealing with, and limiting the prevalence of, the disease.

"Diabetes is at epidemic proportions in many Aboriginal communities across Canada," said Carol Seto, Director, Nutrition and Aboriginal Initiatives, Canadian Diabetes Association. "Discussions like the one taking place today will provide opportunities to share information and allow for the development of new approaches that will hopefully reduce the burden of diabetes among the Aboriginal community."

The Canadian Diabetes Association promotes the health of Canadians through diabetes research, education, service and advocacy. To help achieve its goals the Canadian Diabetes Association has built a strong network of members, volunteers, health care professionals, partners and employees across the country and operates more than 150 branch locations.

For more information, please contact:

Martin McNally, Senior Manager, Media Relations at (416) 363-0177 ext. 469

## News Release Communiqué



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### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

October 15, 1999

(Version française disponible)

### Government Announces \$1 million to Improve Internet Services at Public Libraries

**EXETER** - Public libraries across Ontario will be able to offer improved Internet services through a \$1-million grant from the Ontario government, announced Minister of Citizenship, Culture and Recreation Helen Johns today. The program was announced to coincide with Ontario Public Library Week, October 18-24.

"Public libraries need high-speed Internet access to meet the needs of their community," said Johns. "In our fast-paced, information-driven society, it is important that libraries in both rural and urban areas offer patrons quick access to life-long learning material, government electronic information, business and career sites, and other important information available over the Internet."

The ministry will partner with the Southern Ontario Library Service (SOLS) to administer the program, which will purchase services on behalf of public libraries. SOLS, a ministry agency, will determine individual library needs by surveying public libraries on their existing Internet connectivity contracts and costs, telecommunications carrier and community network membership.

"Public libraries can be very proud of the services they offer their communities. This initiative improves what is already one of North America's best public library systems," said Stephen Barker, SOLS chair.

A steering committee made up of ministry, SOLS, Ontario Library Service - North, and public library representatives will oversee all aspects of this program. Libraries will be receiving the SOLS survey and more details on the program shortly.



Assembly of First Nations

## BULLETIN

October 13, 1999

### Assembly of First Nations National Chief Encouraged by Throne Speech: Looking Forward to "Working Together on Shared Priorities"

National Chief of the Assembly of First Nations Phil Fontaine stated he was "encouraged" by the message in yesterday's Speech from the Throne.

"We are pleased to see that the federal government shares in our priorities as First Nations - building dynamic economies, strengthening our people, and fostering communities that are healthy and viable," said National Chief Fontaine. "Our people have a holistic worldview, and we can see how all these areas are related."

The National Chief stated, "We see ourselves reflected everywhere in this speech, not just in the section directed at Aboriginal peoples. The Governor General spoke of children and youth. While the rest of Canada is aging, more than half of First Nations people are under the age of 25. Employment and education opportunities are important for our young people, and in the best interests of all Canadians. There was talk of dealing with root causes of poverty and homelessness, and there must be more action to deal with these pressing needs in some First Nation communities. In international trade, protecting the environment and strengthening infrastructure - First Nations have much to offer in all these areas."

The Throne Speech highlighted specific undertakings to build a stronger relationship with Aboriginal peoples. It reaffirmed Canada's commitment to work under the principles outlined in *Gathering Strength - Canada's Aboriginal Action Plan*.

"That is an important message for us," said National Chief Fontaine, "because the key principle in *Gathering Strength* is that all sectors of the federal government must work in partnership with First Nations to address our priorities. First Nations must have the lead in the decisions and activities that affect our daily lives. That is the best way to foster good government and stronger communities."

The National Chief will be meeting with the new Minister of Indian and Northern Affairs later in the week and hopes to build on the commitments made in the Speech from the Throne.

"There are opportunities for immediate action. The speech mentioned the need for certainty in land claim agreements. Our office negotiated with Canada and agreed to a proposal for an Independent Claims Body (ICB) to deal with First Nations' claims. The hard work has been done. The ICB is ready to go. All that is needed is the will on the part of the government," said the National Chief.

"Ultimately, government actions will demonstrate commitment to the principles stated in this speech," said National Chief Fontaine. "We look forward to working together on our shared priorities."

For more information, contact Maurice Switzer, Director, Communications, Assembly of First Nations at (613) 241-6789, ext. 383.



## PRESS RELEASES

## UPDATE

Thomas Bressette, Ontario Regional Chief

October 15<sup>th</sup>, 1999

## Speech from the Throne Federal Parliament - October 13, 1999

### NOT VERY MUCH FOR FIRST NATIONS IN THRONE SPEECH

The Speech from the Throne was given by Governor General Clarkson on October 13. While set in general terms, the Speech is a reliable indication of the Liberal government's principal agenda for the next 12 to 18 months. Detail will be supplied in program announcements, bills tabled in Parliament, and the Budget Speech (expected in February of 2000).

There are some general programs/policies described in the Speech that may be indirectly beneficial to First Nations. However, there is nothing new in the small section of the Speech that deals directly with First Nations.

In particular, there is no indication whatsoever that the federal government intends to lift the freeze on Indian funding (adjusted for inflation) in place since April 1, 1997. This means it is virtually certain that the Department of Indian Affairs will continue its agenda of transferring program liability to First Nations through multi-year agreements (FTA and CFNFA model). It also means that the Department will have to access First Nation "own source revenue" within the next few years.

For the last two years the federal government has run huge annual surpluses (in the \$10 billion range). On page 5 of the Speech ("A Dynamic Economy"), the government confirms its commitment to spend half of the surplus on reducing the accumulated debt (in excess of \$600 billion). The remaining 50% will be spent on tax relief and program enrichment. The accumulated debt reduction and tax relief components will not benefit First Nations, except in very indirect ways. The principal area of potential First Nation interest is in program enrichment. However, the federal government has not given any indication that it intends to invest in First Nations, contrary to the principal financial recommendations of RCAP. As noted, the Indian funding "envelope" has been virtually frozen for two and a half years (i.e. since April 1, 1999).

At page 6 of the Speech there is a mention of new legislation creating a "Canadian Institute of Health Research". It is possible that the Institute might encompass work on First Nation health priorities (egs. traditional healing, diabetes, and AIDS). There is some consideration being given to a separate First Nations Health Institute, though this is not mentioned in the Speech.

At page 7 of the Speech there is a confirmation of the government's policy to increase internet access, particularly in school settings. This should benefit First Nations and First Nation schools, particularly in the north.

At page 8 of the Speech there is a mention of a new national infrastructure program. This is to be worked out with other levels of government by the year 2000. The AFN and other First Nation representatives should act to ensure that a fair share of the infrastructure money goes to First Nations.

At page 8 of the Speech, in the context of a general discussion on health, there is the following specific wording with regard to "Aboriginal communities":

**We will also continue to address the serious health problems in Aboriginal communities, supporting their efforts to promote wellness and to strengthen the delivery of health services.**

It is unclear (at best) whether these words will translate into a more reasonable investment in First Nation health care. In the last budget the federal government committed an additional \$190 million to Aboriginal health over three years. This enrichment was minuscule compared to the additional (approximately) \$12 billion committed to the provinces over five years through the CHST transfer mechanism.

At page 9 of the Speech there is a significant section on the environment. As long as the fiscal position of the government remains positive, it appears that Canada will be willing to spend new money on environmental issues. In particular, there is a mention of new legislation on endangered species (and their habitats). There should be some indirect benefits for First Nations in this policy sector.

At pages 10 and 11 of the Speech, there is the following special section for "Aboriginal Peoples":

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The contribution of Canada's Aboriginal peoples has shaped our country's heritage and will continue to enrich Canada in the new century. The Government will continue to build on the strong foundation of reconciliation and renewal created by *Gathering Strength, Canada's Aboriginal Action Plan*.

We are now building stronger partnerships with Aboriginal people - concentrating on improving their living conditions and, increasingly, on strengthening their economies. As a result, Aboriginal people will be able to more fully participate in and contribute to Canada's economic development and social well-being.

Fostering good government and strong accountability in First Nations communities will increase investor confidence, support economic partnerships and improve living conditions. Land claim agreement, in particular, are essential to create certainty for Aboriginal people and their surrounding communities - providing the climate needed for partnerships, investments and economic opportunities. Early in the new session of Parliament, the Government will introduce legislation to implement the historic agreement with the Nisga'a's.

The news for the Nisga'a is good. However, otherwise, it appears that there are no new policy initiatives. On the contrary, it seems that the government will continue to emphasize its "accountability" agenda. This is code for the funding freeze, the multi-year agreement model, consolidated audits, and the taxing of own source revenue. There is no indication whatsoever that the government intends to spend any of its staggering surplus on First Nations. There is no indication that the government will address, or even discuss, the financial recommendations of RCAP.

To conclude, the Throne Speech contains some general policy initiatives that may indirectly benefit First Nations. Examples are the Year 2000 infrastructure program, the national Health Institute, and renewed federal interest in the environment. However, in relation to specific Aboriginal policy there is nothing new. The federal government remains committed to an agenda of cost containment, liability transfer, and taxation of own source revenue. The Budget Speech of February 2000 will reveal whether this pessimistic assessment is accurate.

Thomas Bressette

# Aboriginal Media PROGRAM

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 ~



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visit our website at  
www.tyendinaga.net/media.htm



## EMPLOYMENT & EDUCATION

### OHAHASE UPDATE

Greetings Tyendinaga,  
Are you aware of OHAHASE Adult Education Program?

We are a continuous intake Adult Education program operating out of First Nations Technical Institute. The goal of our program is to assist people in completing their high school diploma. We do not offer upgrading, GED or Basic Skill Development. What we do offer is actual high school courses in a Teacher Assisted Self Study program.

What is Teacher Assisted Self Study? Well, basically our students are working on correspondence courses, with the assistance of a Teacher/Tutor, namely me, Jan Hill. We offer courses in all the basics - math, english, geography, history, science, family studies and a selection of business courses (we also have Native Studies). We have courses available at the basic, general and advanced level.

Everyone is welcome at Ohahase. We have some students who come in faithfully every day and work on assignments. We also have students who work full time and come in once a week for assistance or to hand in assignments for marking. We try to accommodate every one's needs by offering flexible hours of operation. Ohahase is open daily from 9am - 4pm and in the evenings Wednesdays and Thursdays from 6:30 - 8:30pm.

Every course offered by Ohahase is worth credit. Full credit courses consist of 20 lessons, half courses are 10 lessons and we even have some quarter credit courses which are 5 lessons each and provide variety (so you don't get bored).

At present we have about 50 people signed up and working on their high school diploma. No one is turned away. Our students range in age from 16 - 60+. It's never too late to finish high school. After students complete one course we do an official assessment to decide what needs to be completed for them to achieve their high school diploma. If you are over 19 and have been out of school for at least one year you are probably eligible for some maturity credits. You may even be eligible for some equivalency credits if you have completed some certificate or interest courses.

Interested? Drop by. Or feel free to call myself, Jan Hill or Cheryle Maracle at FNTI, 396-2122. We would love to hear from you.

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Respect the wisdom of people in council. Once you give an idea it no longer belongs to you, it belongs to everyone.

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## NOTICE TO COMMUNITY MEMBERS

Re: Woodland Cultural Board of Directors  
Representative for the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory

Attached is a copy of the Roles and Responsibilities for a Representative for the Woodland Cultural Centre.

The Representative would be responsible for the duties and the added duty of professionally representing the needs of our Community.

Interest individuals should submit their resume to the:

Tyendinaga Mohawk Council  
Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte  
R.R. #1  
Tyendinaga Territory, Ontario  
K0K 1X0

by NOVEMBER 12, 1999 at 12:00 P.M. NOON

Nia:wen, your co-operation is appreciated.

**Tyendinaga Mohawk Council**

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### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

#### ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

*Creativity is what every individual brings to an organisation. Therefore, it is important to help people to learn and use their creativity in a collective way. Working as a collective means that people come together and share ideas and thoughts while sitting in a circle. These thoughts and ideas are combined in a collective force.*

*If you can create, you can empower and give direction to the organisation on program development and delivery, and any other issues which need to be addressed.*

*The magic of organisation is simply the ability to integrate your individual thinking with the collective thinking of others in the organisation. This ability to think at a level which is greater than any personal scripts or negative baggage that we may also carry and bring to the organisation is called creativity. When a person is operating from their creativity, they are operating from a spiritual ability to solve any problem.*

*One of the keys to working in an organisation is the ability to facilitate the thinking and feelings that people have around certain issues. Facilitating thinking and feeling means that you are encouraging people to speak and to share their ideas and feelings which may cloud the creativity they need to overcome issues, invent solutions and create new plans, options and directions. When facilitating thinking, you simply listen to what everyone is saying, show them on a flip chart the ideas that they have expressed and then look for the common threads and ideas on which to build.*

*The following statements are provided as descriptions of what is expected of individuals who volunteer as a Director on the Board of the Woodland Cultural Centre.*

1. The ability to portray the needs and aspirations of your community in a clear and concise fashion;
2. To be able to identify community cultural needs through dialogue with councillors, teachers, elders and children;
3. The capabilities of leadership and communication;
4. Ability to operate both technically and administratively;
5. Ability to make good business decisions;
6. Ability to work towards common goals as part of a team;
7. Having some experience in fundraising;
8. Must have a commitment to leadership and active participation, and promote culture and language within your community;
9. Liaise with other first nations and governments to promote our mission and goals, seek and encourage participation of communities and the general public;
10. Able to take risks in the advocacy of positive affirmation of First Nation cultures;
11. Be able to promote knowledge and self-confidence in their work with the Woodland Cultural Centre;
12. It is also recommended that individuals take turns chairing meetings where they can practise facilitating the thinking (thoughts and ideas) and feelings of people who make-up the organisation.

## Volunteers needed for oral history project

A small grant has been secured from the Canada Council for the Arts to conduct an oral history project for Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory. The project, entitled "Words of our Elders: Oral accounts of the relationship between the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte and the land," will attempt to provide a collection of oral histories from various Elders and others to provide a valuable historical information database for the future generations of Mohawk people of Tyendinaga.

Much of our history has been written by non-Mohawk scholars from a very superficial viewpoint. Through a series of interviews, discussions and reflective conversation, we hope that this project will show an in-depth Mohawk perspective of our relationship to the land and the natural environment.

To initiate this exciting project, we are looking for enthusiastic volunteers to assist and participate during the one-year project. Anyone with experience in collecting oral histories would be a tremendous asset to this project, however, we are generally looking for individuals who are genuinely interested in preserving Tyendinaga's history which has been passed down through the generations.

Anyone interested in this project is urged to contact Karen Lewis at Kahnite Library at 967-6264, or Brant Bardy at 396-2122 by November 17, 1999.



## POLICE &amp; MOHAWK FIRE DEPARTMENT

## CHILDREN'S SAFETY ZONE

## Christmas Safety Tips

## Christmas Tree Safety

Consider an artificial tree (they are much safer and cleaner).

- A real tree should not lose green needles when you tap it on the ground.
- Cut 1 inch off the trunk to help absorb water.
- Leave the tree outside until ready to decorate.
- The stand should hold at least 1 gal. of water.
- A 6' tree will use 1 gallon of water every two days.
- Mix a commercial preservative with the water.
- Check the water level every day.
- Secure the tree with wire to keep it from tipping.
- Keep tree away from floor heaters, fire places, or other heat sources.
- Use only UL-approved lights, and no more than 3 strands linked together.
- Use miniature lights--which have cool-burning bulbs.
- Turn off the Christmas lights when you sleep, or if you leave your home for very long.
- Never use candles, even on artificial trees.
- Clean the tree stand to improve the tree's water intake, use one capful of bleach to a cup of water.
- Dispose of the tree properly. **NEVER BURN IN THE FIREPLACE.**



## Home Safety



- Install a smoke detector or new batteries in the one(s) you have and TEST it.
- Use only outdoor lights outside your home.
- Examine light strings each year, discard worn ones.
- Fasten the bulbs securely and point the sockets down to avoid moisture build up.
- Connect no more than three strands together.
- Never use indoor extension cords outside.
- Avoid overloading wall outlets and extension cords.
- Keep outdoor electrical connectors above ground and out of puddles and snow.
- Unplug light string before replacing a bulb. Review the original package to verify proper wattage and voltage.
- Never use electric lights on a metallic tree, use colored spot lights.
- Make sure trees hung with X-mas lights are not touching power lines.
- When using candles, place them a safe distance from combustibles.
- Place candles in sturdy containers. Remember, hot wax burns kids.
- Extinguish candles prior to going to bed.
- Dispose of fireplace ashes into a metal container until cold.
- After parties, check around and under sofa and chair cushions for smoldering cigarettes. (Provide lots of ash trays)
- Install at least one carbon monoxide detector in your home.
- Have an operable fire extinguisher readily available. See Using The Correct Extinguisher.

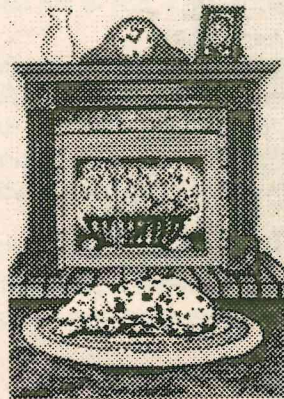
## "Safety" gift ideas

Put together a gift basket containing one or more of the following items:

- Three smoke detectors and batteries.
- A quality fire extinguisher.
- A flashlight and batteries or light sticks.
- A first-aid kit.
- A carbon Monoxide detector.
- A mobile phone.
- A second floor escape ladder.
- "Emergency kit"- energy bars, water, battery radio, flashlight/light sticks and a first-aid kit packed in a small travel bag.



## TIPS FOR SAFE HEATING



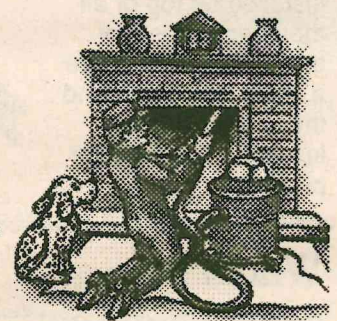
## 1 Follow the manufacturer's instructions.

Carefully follow the manufacturer's instructions for installing and maintaining your chimney or appliance. If you do not have instructions, call the manufacturer. For masonry chimneys, call the builder.



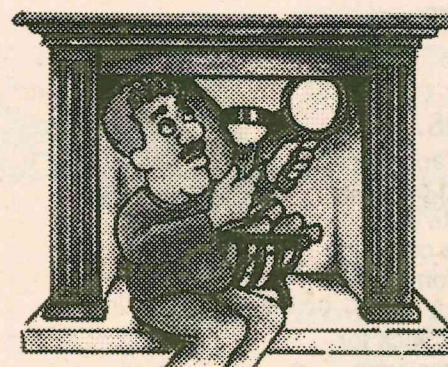
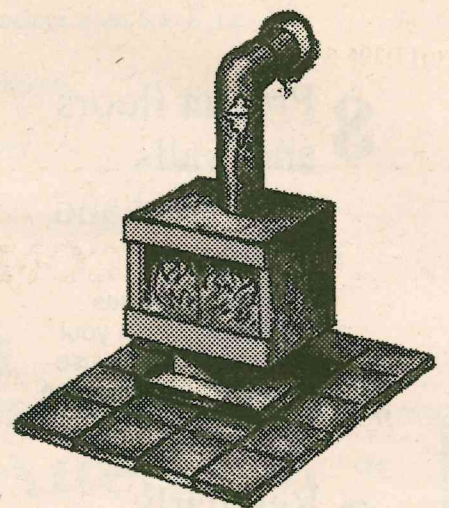
## 2 Inspect and clean your chimney regularly

The Ontario Fire Code requires homeowners to maintain the safety of their chimneys and inspect them at least once a year. Your chimney could have a problem you cannot see. If in doubt, consult a WETT (Wood Energy Technical Training) certified chimney sweep.



## 3 Check stovepipes and connections.

Ensure screws are located at every joint. Also look for leaching (dark staining or white powder) at every joint. This could be a sign of chimney trouble - consult a WETT certified chimney sweep.



## 4 Check for creosote.

Creosote can form quickly and is a major cause of chimney fires. Check chimney and flue pipes often and clean when necessary - never let creosote or soot build up.

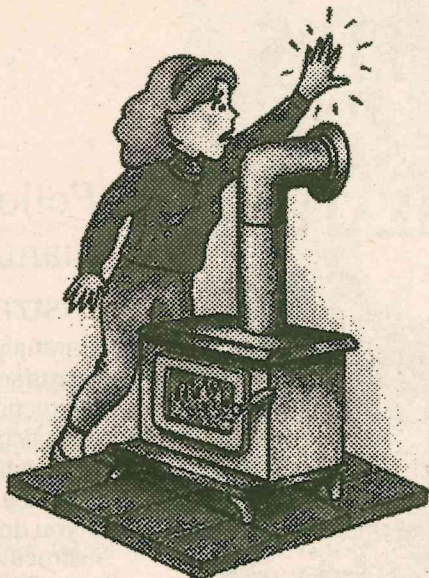
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## MOHAWK FIRE DEPARTMENT

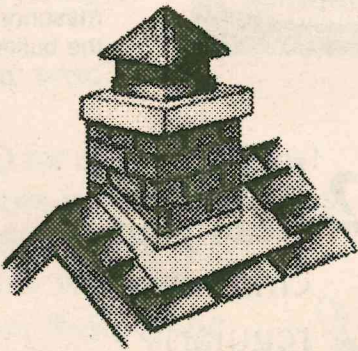
### 5 Check walls for excessive heat.

If the wall is very hot, it could be a sign of improper installation of the chimney or stove pipe. Check with a WETT certified chimney sweep.



### 6 Install a rain cap.

A rain cap should be installed on top of all metal and masonry chimneys. If you have a spark screen around the chimney cap, inspect it regularly for blockage.



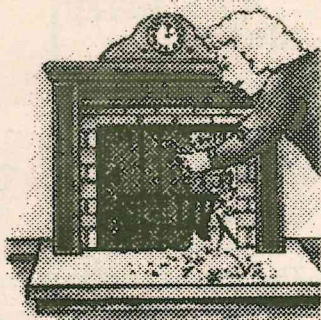
### 7 Watch for smoke coming into the room.

This could indicate a blockage in the chimney or a faulty camper control mechanism. Check it out!



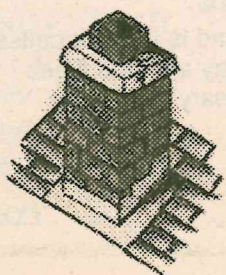
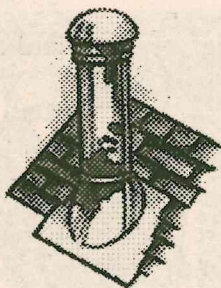
### 8 Protect floors and walls from heat and sparks.

Keep combustibles safely away from your appliance. Always use a properly fitting screen for your fireplace.



### 9 Regularly check for signs of problems.

Your heating appliance, flue pipes and chimney can deteriorate over time. Look for corrosion or rust stains on the outer shell of a metal chimney and check for bulges or corrosion in its liner.



Loose bricks, crumbling mortar, broken liners, dark stains or white powder indicate problems with masonry chimneys. These should be fixed immediately by a qualified mason.



## MOHAWK FIRE DEPARTMENT

Fire Chief: Kurtis Brant

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

#### MOHAWK FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Mohawk Fire Department is seeking applications for the position of Volunteer Firefighter.

#### Knowledge & Experience:

- Current First Aid and CPR would be an asset
- Valid DZ License would be an asset

#### Demonstrated Competencies:

- Ability to work under stressful situations

#### Communication Skills:

- Excellent verbal communication skills

#### Duties & Responsibilities:

1. Respond to fire calls and other calls of assistance, such as automobile accidents, ice rescues, etc.
2. To attend weekly training sessions.
3. To provide community service.

**Deadline for applications:** Friday November 19, 1999 @ 4:00 p.m.

To apply, please contact:  
Bev Hill and/or Karen Brant-Jones  
Employment Department  
Mohawk Administration Office  
(613) 396-3424 or by fax 613-396-3627

\* Note: We thank all applicants, however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.



The start of a new millenium is rapidly approaching and with it is Y2K bug scare.

The media has managed to make this problem seem like "the end of the world". If this is the case there is no amount of pre-planning that can stop this from happening.

But what we can be prepared for is some minor inconveniences that may occur Y2K is a computer bug that may or may not affect certain computers, appliances or programs.

The worst of the inconveniences would be lack of power and or telephone communications.

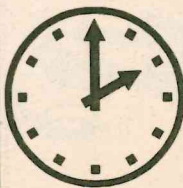
These are inconveniences that we can live with and are prepared for if this happens. Loss of power and telephone are common occurrences in this part of the world and with pre-planning it is not a major emergency. However, emergencies can be created when people over-react to a temporary loss of utilities by doing one or more of the following:

- Fossil fuel burning appliances inside the home.
- BBQ used inside the home
- Storage of fuel inside the home
- Gas operated equipment inside the home.

These are only a few of the things that happen and can be avoided.

Please remember that Y2K and the millenium will be more of an event than an emergency.

If you have any questions please call Scott Maracle, Emergency Operations Coordinator, 968-7985



**YOU CHANGED YOUR CLOCK!  
DID YOU REMEMBER TO CHANGE  
THE BATTERY IN YOUR SMOKE  
ALARM?**



## HEALTH CENTRE



ACTIVITIES & INFORMATION



**THE CNIB 2000 LOTTERY CALENDARS  
ARE AVAILABLE AT THE  
THAYENDANEGE HEALTH CENTRE**

**FOR THE PRICE OF \$20.00 YOU WILL HAVE  
OVER 1250 CHANCES TO WIN.**

**PLEASE SUPPORT THE  
CANADIAN NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR THE BLIND.**



### Planning A Community Event?

Want to add a heart health aspect to your community event? Heart Health Hastings ♥ Prince Edward may be able to assist you with a small financial contribution and resource materials. To find out how you can include the heart health messages; **Be Active, Eat Well and Be Smoke Free**, contact Joan Black Public Health Nurse, Hastings & Prince Edward Counties Health Unit at (613) 966- 5513 ext. 301. Apply early - limited numbers. Application deadline is November 15, 1999.

**BAY OF  
QUINTE  
Country**

**Search  
no further**  
find it online at

**www.quinte.on.ca**

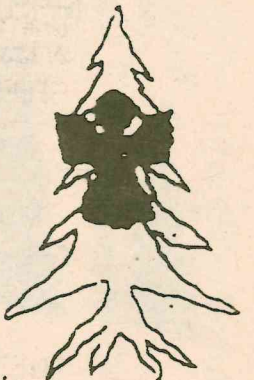
**UPDATED  
WEEKLY**

*Come and be Part of It!*

\* events \* accommodation \* dining  
\* shopping \* arts & entertainment  
\* recreation \* real estate \* services  
\* business & community directory



ACTIVITIES & INFORMATION  
FROM THE CHR PROGRAM



With the cold weather fast approaching and Christmas less than two months away, the CHRs are preparing for the kickoff of this year's *Angel Tree Program*.

The *Angel Tree* will again be located in the upstairs reception area of the Thayendanege Health Centre beginning November 8.

We ask that all unwrapped gifts (with the Angel identifying code attached) be returned to the Health Centre no later than December 10.

It has only been with the support of our caring community that this program has been such a success, year after year.

Please, open your hearts again to make this winter a warm one for the Angels.

To sponsor a child, please come in to the Health Centre or call 967-3603.

The Angel Tree Committee will be taking referrals as of November 1, 1999.

If you would like to have your child placed on the Angel Tree please contact the CHRs at 967-3616.

The following information will be needed to complete the referral application:

- statement of annual income
- proof of residence (civic address)
- band number
- plans for Christmas
- number of children living in the home
- who has custody of child(ren), to ensure gifts are received



The deadline for applications will be November 30.

Remember if you have an EMERGENCY  
CALL **911**



HEALTH CENTRE AND S.O.A.D.I.

Nia:wen

I would like to extend my greatest appreciation to all those who in some way contributed to making this year's Health Careers Fair a success.

- Eagle Orthopaedics (Daryl Brant & Lori Whalen)
- Kelly's Guardian Drugs (Sarah Maracle)
- Dr. Meredith, DDS (Myrna Oliver, Michelle Heaney & Isabelle Fobert)
- Environmental Health - Medical Services Branch (Peter Hill)
- First Nations Technical Institute (Dawn Brant & Tina Brant)
- Loyalist College (Paul Latchford)
- Queen's University (Tom Neren)
- MBQ Education Counsellors (Patti General & Sandy Maracle)
- Community Health Nurses (Helen Breadman & Brenda Assestine)
- Veterinarian (Rosalyn Wilford)
- Midwife (Barb Roche)
- Nurse Practitioner (Janet Brant-Nelles)
- Chiropractist (Christine Malachowski)

Behind the scenes: Patty Brant & Samantha Maracle; Lesley Maracle & Crystal Somerville; Marv Bernhardt & staff; Steve, Greg & Dan; Becky Brant; Mohawk Cresting; Mr. Reid, Ms. Manderville & Mrs. D. Brant; Mike Brant & Bill Maracle;

and  
to all those students  
who took the time to come out.

In the spirit of friendship,  
Kathy Brant, CHR



The Health Fair

On Friday, October 15<sup>th</sup>, 1999 it was the Health Fair. It was held in the gym at Quinte Mohawk School. Ms. Kathy Brant (CHR) was in charge of getting all the people to come from different businesses. There were people there from the following health businesses and schools: F.N.T.I., Dentistry, Pharmacy, Chiropractist, Loyalist College, Eagle Orthopaedics, Prenatal Care, Athabasca University, Veterinarian, Mohawk Administration Office, Health Canada and the Tyendinaga Coalition for Healthy Lifestyles.

Some questions we asked were: How many years of schooling does it take and what courses do we need? What made you want to be what you are now? How does some of your equipment work? What do they measure and how does the equipment help people? (And how much money do you make?)

Here are some comments from the people of the businesses I mentioned earlier: A chiropractist is a foot doctor and Eagle Orthopaedics is a business that makes artificial leg, arms and braces. The lady there stated that they mostly make artificial legs more than anything else. I'm glad I went to the Health Fair was because it gave me some idea of some of the interesting fields of health I could go into when I graduate college or university! It was fun to go the health fair and also a great learning experience!

Submitted By  
Renee Barnhart

Renee is an 11 year old, grade 6 student at QMS. She is the daughter of Gord and Bonnie. She is interested in jazz dancing, eating pizza, writing stories and reading her sister's books.. She avoids broccoli and cleaning her room.



SOADI -EASTERN REGION  
P.O. Box 310  
Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory  
Ontario K0K 3A0  
Tel: 613-396-3900  
Fax: 613-396-3007  
e-mail: soadie@sucker creek.on.ca

October 1999

She:kon,

I am no longer at Red Cedars, I have moved to KC Builders, located at 778 Hwy. 49. My office is at the front, on the right hand side of the building. My mailing address stays the same as the above.

If you need information about diabetes or wellness in general, I have resource materials available in the form of handouts and pamphlets. As well, I have videos about diabetes, heart health, etc. for loan.

If you want information about diabetes, or need resources please call me. I can be reached at 396-3900 and my fax number is 396-3007. I can be reached at the office Monday to Friday from 8:00am to 4:00pm.

Nia:wen,


Carol

Carol Loft  
Regional Diabetes Worker

Southern Ontario Aboriginal Diabetes Initiative - Eastern Region

NOVEMBER IS DIABETES MONTH

November  
1999

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Do not ignore diabetes, it is a serious disease	2 Good blood sugar levels are kept between 4 & 7 mmol/l	3 Some of the feelings people experience, when they first find out they have diabetes are fear, anger & depression	4 The risk increases for diabetes if you are: of Aboriginal descent; overweight or obese; have a family history of Type 2 diabetes; over the age of 45; pregnant; sedentary	5 Diabetes is a disease in which the body can't properly store & use fuel for energy. The fuel that the body needs is sugar (glucose)	6 Monitor your blood sugar levels on a regular basis
7 Make sure you have regular foot care, as your feet is affected by diabetes	8 Life as it used to be included: a healthy diet; being physically active; strong traditions & no diabetes	9 Life today includes: unhealthy lifestyles such as lack of physical activity; unhealthy diet; epidemic of diabetes	10 If you are overweight, eat smaller portions of food	11 It's important to make healthier life choices. This means eating balanced meals, exercising regularly, quitting smoking & reducing stress in your life	12 You may be at risk to develop diabetes, but it doesn't necessarily mean you will get diabetes	13 Be more active at home: use music to keep moving while you dust, vacuum, wash windows, do the dishes or mop the floor
14 If you have diabetes, make sure you wear a MEDIC ALERT bracelet	15 You can lead an active and full life, by understanding diabetes and how it affects your body	16 Keep on doing important activities & focus on positive feelings	17 If blood sugars continue to be high - complications such as blindness, heart disease, kidney failure & amputations can occur	18 The five "White Gifts" milk; flour; sugar; lard & salt  ARE NOT GOOD FOR YOU!	19 To prevent complications, keep blood sugars within a normal range & live a healthy lifestyle	20 We need to teach our children the importance of choosing a healthy lifestyle, as this will give them a better chance of a diabetes free life
21 Drink 8 glasses of water a day (drink juice in small amounts)	22 Be careful when exercising, but always stay active	23 To be more active at work, take a walk or run an errand at lunch time	24 Limit your intake of alcoholic beverages such as beer, wine, etc.	25 Keep informed about diabetes - by reading; joining a diabetes support group & attending diabetes/wellness workshops	26 Managing your diabetes means healthy eating and watching your weight	27 It's important to include a variety of fruits and vegetables in your daily diet
28 A positive attitude is important in dealing with diabetes	29 Limit high fat & high sugar foods in your everyday meals	30 Good nutrition provides good energy		Bee Aware		



## RED CEDARS

### STRESS

#### MAKING THE CHANGE FOR LESS STRESS

- DETERMINE WHAT CAN BE CHANGED AND WHAT CANNOT BE CHANGED
- START SLOWLY AND GRADUALLY WHEN IMPLEMENTING NEW CHANGES
- USE NOTES AND REMINDERS TO HELP YOU GET INTO A ROUTINE
- GIVE YOURSELF PERMISSION TO MAKE CHANGES
- DO SOMETHING EVERYDAY TO DECREASE YOUR STRESS
- KEEP A RUNNING LIST OF WHAT ACTIVITIES, STRATEGIES AND EXERCISES WORK FOR YOU
- DON'T BE TOO HARD ON YOURSELF
- DON'T WASTE YOUR ENERGY ON THINGS YOU CANNOT CONTROL
- SHARE YOUR CHANGE WITH OTHERS
- SEE CHANGE AS AN OPPORTUNITY, CHALLENGING AND FUN
- UNDERSTAND LIFE IS CHANGE
- CELEBRATE YOUR POSITIVE CHANGES

#### RELAXATION TECHNIQUES

PROGRESSIVE RELAXATION, IMAGERY, AND MEDITATION ARE POPULAR AND EASY TO LEARN RELAXATION TECHNIQUES.

Progressive relaxation- this is simply tensing and relaxing the muscles in the body, one by one. This helps you become aware of the muscles tension that occurs when you're under stress.

Imagery - imagery allows you to day dream without guilt. Athletes often use this technique to enhance sports performance. You can use it to relax, change habits, or perform well on an exam, a stage, or a playing field.

Meditation - meditation involves shutting your mental messages down for awhile. It is the core of many religions, but requires no special knowledge or background. It helps you tune out the world, relieving you from inner and outer stresses.

Next issue step by step instructions( from Health Promotion Programs/University of Oklahoma)

"Time out" can have many definitions and descriptions. I'd like to share a few of my ideas.

#### PURPOSE

There are a lot of reasons to put a child in time out--punishment, time for mom to cool off, give the child time to "think about what he did", etc. The reason I like to keep at the forefront is a time for the child to get back in control of himself.

Some basic ground rules are:

- THE TIME STARTS WHEN THE CHILD IS SITTING QUIETLY
- THE TIME IS KEPT SHORT
- THE CHILD SITS
- THE CHILD SITS IN THE SAME ROOM WHICH I AM IN

Time outs give the child an opportunity to calm down, recognize the inappropriate behavior and think about alternative actions. You may want to look at my suggestions for a "THINK ABOUT" book that can be used in time outs.

If the child is earning a substantial amount of time outs, evaluate the child's boundaries. His frustration level or his ability to behave appropriately at this time, may increase his need for more defined boundaries. The example of the child hitting his brother explains this idea. If you let him play with his brother again, and in a short time he is causing problems, then it may be necessary to have him play within your line of sight, play alone, or change activities all together--Read a book together, wash dishes together, have snacktime.

☺The important thing is to find a way to help the child be in control of himself by having successful experiences.

Deadline date for the Newsletter  
Wednesday, Nov. 24 at noon  
396-3424

## MOON CEREMONY



All Women Welcome!

WHERE: RED CEDARS

WHEN: Nov. 23 @ 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

#### DISCIPLINE VS. PUNISHMENT

There are numerous reasons why the use of effective discipline is suggested instead of physical punishment.

#### What is Discipline?

Through discipline, parents teach their children what they should not do to grow up to be happy and competent people. Parents use many different methods of discipline. These include showing, explaining and encouraging behaviours they want the child to perform and punish behaviours they want the child to stop doing. Spanking is one form of punishment that some parents use to try to change their children's behaviour.

#### Consider the following reasons.

- 1.) Children are great imitators, when it comes to copying their parents behaviour. If a parent hits and yells, the child is likely to do the same. In a society concerned with the dramatic increase of violence, it is worth our efforts to provide children with non-violent models who they can imitate.
- 2.) Adults by virtue of their size, are stronger than children. When tempers are lost, the adult may unintentionally do serious harm to a child.
- 3.) Spanking is not constructive. It is used solely to stop a behaviour and does not serve to teach a new alternative way of behaving.
- 4.) It teaches the child to avoid the punishing parent. The child may often fear the parent who spansks and as a result may learn that lying or manipulating is an effective way to avoid punishment. Also, a child who avoids a parent for fear of punishment may also start to avoid that same parent in other, less threatening situations. Over time, the use of physical punishment may lead to a deterioration in the parent-child relationship.
- 5.) The effectiveness of physical punishment is questionable. The child who is punished often learns to behave appropriately only in the presence of the punisher. The immediate effectiveness tends to be deceiving.
- 6.) Physical punishment is unpleasant to use. Often it is used inconsistently. Any technique used to change behaviour must be used consistently and over a long period of time in order to be effective.

#### Discipline: is corrective

Punishment: demeaning and evokes guilt

#### Discipline: is a rational planned response

Punishment: usually irrational and come out of anger

#### Discipline: is consistent and predictable

Punishment: inconsistent and might depend on the punisher's mood

#### Discipline: teaches there are consequences to actions, you have options, choices, there are rules

Punishment: teaches "MIGHT IS RIGHT"

#### Discipline: teaches RESPECT

Punishment: teaches FEAR

Caring for children can be frustrating at times. However, most of their actions are their own way of learning about their world. As adults, we can help them to learn that their world is a safe and loving place and that we can be trusted to guide them through the complex process of development.



## COMMUNITY INTEREST

### Thank You!

The Family of the late Margaret Brant wish to express a sincere appreciation to relatives and friends for their support during the loss of a loving wife, mother, mother-in-law, grandmother and great grandmother. A special thank you is also extended to all those who sent flowers and made memorial donations. Our sincere appreciation to all the friends and relatives who donated food and gave their time in the preparation of all the wonderful meals after visitation hours and special thanks to the Native Women's Association for the meal after the funeral service. Our thanks to McGlade Funeral Home, to Pastor Dudgeon and Pastor Bowbeer, to Aunt Gail, Ella, Missy for their words of endearment, Uncle Ken, Renee and Marshall for their words in song and to the pallbearers. Thanks to Chief R. Donald Maracle and the Mohawk Singers for their songs.

Our hearts were touched by the kindness and comfort of our community and we thank each and everyone.

Art, Bonnie, Debbie, Pam, Cindy  
& Families

### Thank You!

We wish to thank my son, his wife and family and my sisters that worked so hard for this party.

Thanks to all the friends that came out to help us celebrate our 50th Anniversary.

Many thanks for all the beautiful cards and gifts we received. We will treasure all of them.

We shall always remember this day.

We would like to greatly thank our musical friends from Kingston for the afternoon of entertainment.

Thank You

Don & Pearl Rupert

### Nia:wen

To Doug Whitley Insurance  
for the Donation  
of 2 Score Boards  
which was given to the  
Recreation Department

one is at the Karon hiak ta'kie Sports Complex  
and the other is at Qunite Mohawk School



### Nia:wen Gowa



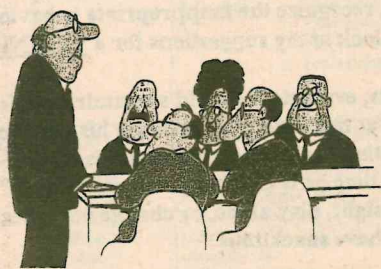
The Tyendinaga Ladies Fastball Team would like to thank its sponsors for the 1999 season:

First Nations Technical Institute (F.N.T.I.)  
Build All Construction  
A. & A. Driveway Sealing (Phil Maracle)

The team would also like to thank the Tyendinaga Council and community for supporting 1999 other team initiatives ( eg. Use of recreation facility, purchasing tickets, patronizing dance, participation at ball tournaments, etc.)

### Our Members are :

Ike Brant , Gladys Bowden , Maryanne Sero , Mice Maracle ,  
Judy Loft , Mandy Smart , Melissa Maracle , Cindy & John Akey



HOCKEY SUBSIDIES  
are available

The next Recreation Committee Meeting  
Date - Dec.6/99

Place - Administration Building  
Time - 7 P.M.

Meetings are the first Monday of each  
month

WE WELCOME NEW MEMBERS !



## COMMUNITY INTEREST

### Nia:wen!

The 59'ers Seniors Club would like to thank all people who attended their Corn Soup Supper. Thanks to all who helped serve and made donations.

It turned out to be a great success and everyone's help was greatly appreciated.

### Museum Update

The Museum Committee announces the installation of a sign to mark the site of the Tyendinaga Museum.

Thanks to the efforts of Millie Maracle - for organizing the project; to Mary Claus and Lois Dalby ( of Saskatchewan) for painting the sign; to Jim McMurter for donating the paint; to Joy Brant for picking up supplies; to Glen Maracle for placing the sign; to Administration for the signboard. Thanks to Doug Brandt for the lettering pattern.

Thanks to all who worked to make the sign a reality. Thanks to all who have supported the museum initiative to this point. We need and value your support and good wishes.

### Nia:wen!

 Kanhote  
Library

Thanks to all who supported our Fall Fashion show with Option L. Fashion Show \$385 was raised for Kanhote.

Kanhote would like to provide winter programming for children around learning the Iroquois social dances - making rattles, making drums, making outfits, learning the songs and dances.

This programming will depend on the interest of children to learn and the willingness of community members who have learned these things to share their knowledge.

Please call Kanhote @ 967-6264 to show your interest.

There will be separate evenings for boys and girls and some when they will meet together. Meetings will be Thursday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m.

Any help you can offer to this program is welcome.

Karen Lewis  
Kanhote - Tyendinaga Territory Public Library  
1644 York Road, RR#1  
Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory  
KOK 1X0  
Phone - 613-967-6264  
Fax - 613-396-3627

### 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  
Bayview Variety  
Roxanne's Place  
TMT Sports  
Tyendinaga Computer  
Kagita Mikam  
Family Services  
York Rd. Restaurant  
Ward's Gas Bar  
T.M.T. Police Services  
B. & M. Variety  
Quinte Mohawk School  
Kanhote Library  
Thayendanega Health Centre  
Mrs. Herb's Restaurant  
F.N.T.I.

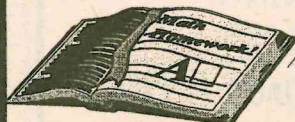
Administration Office  
Chief's Inn Restaurant  
Chief's Inn Store  
Turtle Island Crafts  
McMurter Home Centre  
Native Renaissance II  
Maracle Mohawk Gift Centre  
Miracle Food Mart  
Shirley's Variety  
Native Expressions  
Pat's Variety  
Deseronto Foodland  
Elder's Lodge  
Bayshore Flowers  
1st Nations Pharmacy

### \* Attention \* SECONDARY STUDENTS OF TYENDINAGA TERRITORY



*Do you need some extra help in Mathematics?*

Every Wednesday  
Evening from 4 p.m. - 7 p.m.  
at Kanhote Library  
extra help is available from a  
retired math teacher  
**"No Charge!!"**  
**But Please call by 2:00 p.m.**  
**On Wednesdays**  
**if you need help.**  
For more information  
please call: 967-6264





COMMUNITY INTEREST & UPCOMING EVENTS

The Winners of the  
Annual M.B.Q & F.N.T.I  
Bowling Tournament  
on Sept. 24/99  
was  
F.N.T.I

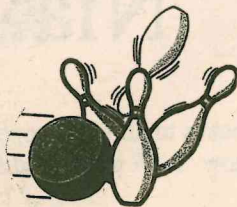


2 th. place medals for the Highest team Score which was 659  
Jake Brant,Sue Maracle,Kevin Maracle  
& little Debbie Maracle

Highest Single Score of 212  
Molly Kohoko

Nia: wen

F. N.T.I & M.B.Q for the Great Day!  
also to the Sponsors for the Donations  
Chief & Council  
Bayview Variety  
The Gallery Restaurant  
Roxannes Restaurant  
Kitchen Designs  
Star Trophies



3-DAY  
CRAFT SALE,  
BAKE SALE,  
INDOOR YARD SALE



November 19, 20, 21  
59ers Senior's Centre, (Hwy #2)  
from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day

The kitchen will be open for lunch and snacks

*\* You can set up a table for a \$5.00 fee \**  
If interested call Millie 396-5316  
or Mary 967-4708

If you have donations for the Museum yard sale table  
Please drop them off  
at the 59ers Senior's Centre on Nov 18th. Thank you.

<p>Happy Birthday</p> <p>Brett</p> <p>You are Five!</p>  <p>Love Mommy, Daddy &amp; Brodie</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>Mom &amp; Nana</p> <p>Nov. 12</p>  <p>Love, Tom, Lee, Thomas, Breanne, Annette, Bo Shyann &amp; Brianne</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>"Uncle Adam"</p> <p>Nov. 13</p> <p>Love Cole &amp; Riley &amp; Kyle</p>	<p>Happy Birthday to a Very Dear Mom!</p> <p>"Ada"</p> <p>Nov. 6</p>  <p>Love all your raisins!</p>
<p>Happy Belated Anniversary!</p> <p>Honey</p> <p>Oct. 14</p>  <p>Love Dawn</p>	<p>Happy 57th Birthday!</p> <p>* Jooknee *</p> <p>Nov 6</p>  <p>Best Wishes from your Sisters!</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>Daddy</p> <p>Nov 13</p>  <p>Much love, Kyle</p>	<p>Seiko Tota</p> <p>Happy Birthday</p> <p>Tekenronkwa</p>  <p>Love Kanenna:ke</p>
<p>Happy 5th Birthday!</p> <p>Brett!</p>  <p>From Mike, Kelly &amp; Keelan</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Uncle Scottie</p> <p>Love Shoes!</p>	<p>Happy 1st Birthday!</p> <p>Parker</p> <p>Nov. 28</p>  <p>Love always Nanny &amp; Aunt Jig</p>	<p>Happy 1st Birthday!</p> <p>Parker</p> <p>Nov. 28</p>  <p>Love always Mommy</p>
 <p>Happy Birthday Unc'a Scotty</p> <p>Nov. 15th</p> <p>Bev, Ray, Dylan, Miki, Raven</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Piggy</p> <p>Love Binda &amp; Glenn</p>	<p>Happy Birthday Scotty</p>  <p>Love: Nita, Gail, Mary, Nikki &amp; Matty</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>To All those Celebrating This Month!!</p>



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### UPCOMING EVENTS AT THE ORANGE LODGE

#### CHRISTMAS DINNER & DANCE

Saturday, Dec. 11

Dinner at 6:30

Music by Corduroy Rd.

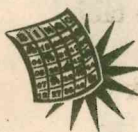
\$12.00 Per Person (*Advanced Tickets Only*)

Call: 396-1059



#### 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

# OPEN

Come and Visit  
us at Red Cedars Shelter  
on Wed, Dec. 1st  
between 2 - 4 p.m.  
*Refreshments will  
be available.*  
Hope to see you here!

# HOUSE

## Gallery Restaurant

Lic. L.L.B.O.

Located above Native Renaissance II  
(Highway # 2 and # 49)

### New Year's Eve 2000

\$15.00 per person & \$30.00 a couple

Dance & Buffet, D. J

10:00 p.m. Buffet & 12:00 Champaign

For Tickets call 396-3729.



Daily Specials & Buffet Friday & Sunday  
Open 11 to 8

Seniors 10% Discount (Always)

Board & Banquet Room Available

*Operated by the Hill Family*

### New Year Millenium Ball

Orange Lodge

York Road

Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory

December 31 1999

8:00 p.m.

\$15 per person

Music by Corduroy Road

Late Night Dinner

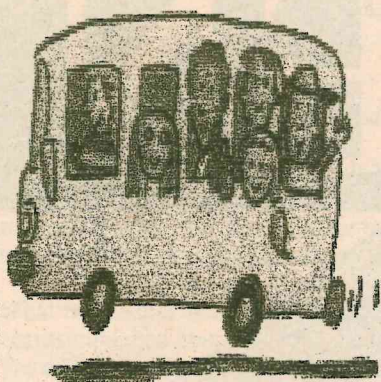
Lots of Prizes

Advanced Tickets Only!

Call: 396-5748 or 396-1059



## UPCOMING EVENTS



**NATIONAL CHILD  
DAY IS COMING  
SOON!!**

**Friday November 19th**

WE ARE LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS TO HELP MAKE THIS DAY SPECIAL FOR OUR CHILDREN!! We need assistance with a fun fair which we will be running on the morning of November 19

If you would like to volunteer for National Child Day, please call Tracey Gazley at 967-4401 or Carol Green at 967-0122. Please let us know by November 8, if you are available to assist us in any way!!



Family  Walk

On National Child's Day

**Saturday November 20 , 1999**

time - 10 a.m to noon

Place - starts at Qunite Mohawk School walking to Karon hiak ta'kie Sports Complex

Free lunch & Prizes

A small step towards a Healthier Heart



for more information  
please contact Darlene J. Loft 396 - 3424  
Partnership with Heart Health

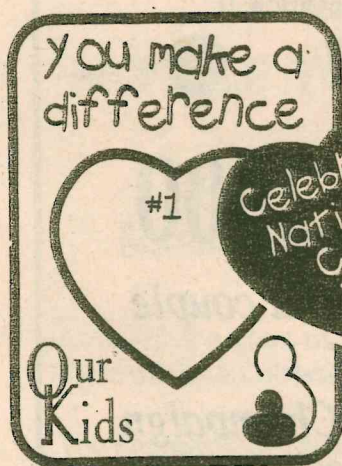




# NATIONAL CHILD DAY

A Fundraiser to make it a successful Day for our Children !

November 20 , 1999



**MAGNET  
FOR A TOONIE!**  
National Child Day  
Magnet Project

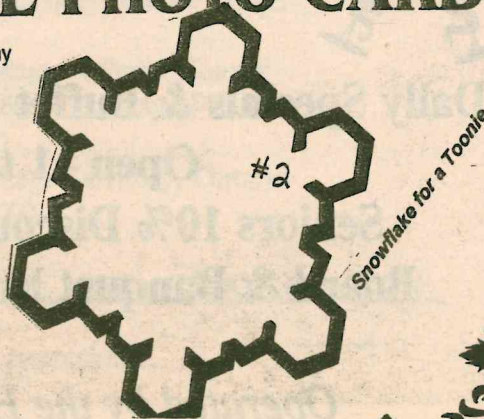
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Parents Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Choices of #1 AND #2  
Amount \_\_\_\_\_ total cost \_\_\_\_\_

Please send order form back by Nov.12  
with cash - TO Carol Green at Family Services

## SNOWFLAKE PHOTO CARD

OUR KIDS believes that children have many of the attributes of the snowflake:

- \* No two are the same
- \* Each is unique in shape and size
- \* Alone they are fragile
- \* Together a force to be recognized
- \* They are fun to play with
- \* They melt in your arms
- \* They mark the passage of the seasons
- \* Are found on each country on earth
- \* A symbol of new life
- \* Both are a force for good
- \* Source of joy and wonder



For more information contact : Carol Green 967-0122

## NATIONAL CHILD DAY SCHEDULE

**FRIDAY NOVEMBER 19, 1999**

Show your "spirit" for the day by wearing red and black!

Daycare, SPN & K to 4  
Community Children 5 and under with adult supervision are welcome!

9:30 to 11:30

**FUN FAIR**

Activities include:

fish pond  
bean bag toss  
prize walk  
face painting  
wet sponge toss  
small prizes  
popcorn  
hotdogs & juice for lunch

Grades 5-8

1:00-3:00

hotdogs & juice for lunch  
Social





## UPCOMING EVENTS



## Youth Dance!

**Celebrating Our First Year of Dances  
& National Child Day!**

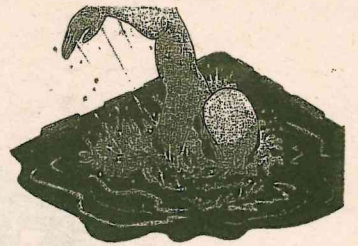
**Friday, Nov. 19**

**Mohawk Community  
Centre**

7:00 p.m. - 9 p.m. (Ages 7 - 9)

9:00 p.m. - 11 p.m. (Ages 10 - 14)

Volunteer Chaperones would be greatly appreciated as there is 95-100 students that come to the dances. If you would like to have fun and help us out please call Caroline at Mohawk Family Services 967-0122



## 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 TAKIE  
SPORTS COMPLEX

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

## Christmas Shopping

*A Trip to Samko Toy  
Warehouse*

Date: Saturday Nov. 27/99

Time: Bus leaving at 8:30 a.m.

10% of Sales goes towards  
our Community Recreation.

Please Contact Darlene J. Loft  
396-3424

## Christmas Bazaar

**Fund Raising Opportunity**

**Quinte Mohawk School**  
**December 11/99**  
**9am to 4pm**

**All Welcome to setup a  
table. \$5/table**

**Proceeds for Millenium  
Hawaiian School  
Exchange Grade 11 & OAC**

**Contact Dorothy Lazore**  
**613-396-1161**



## UPCOMING EVENTS

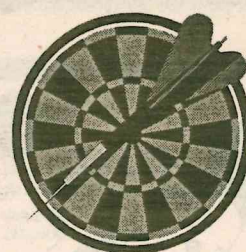


Neighbourhood Ice Rink  
Volunteers & ideas Needed

Recreation ... working together  
for a better community

CALL

Dar.Loft to be part of the Neighbourhood  
team - 396-3424



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## Darts its time to sign-up

Deadline Nov.12/99

A Community based program for the winter

TO SIGN-UP CALL  
DAR. LOFT



Call for more INFORMATION.  
396-3424

### Logo contest

The Chippewas of Nawash  
Language Nest is looking for a logo

*Aboriginal Design preferred*

**Prize: \$ 450.00**

Entry Deadline: 4:00 p.m., November 25, 1999.

Hand delivered must be date and time stamped at the reception desk Band office  
Mailed entries must be postmarked November 25, 1999.

Logo contest is open to all First Nations Residents of Canada,  
With exemptions of Ken Dass Win Literacy Staff

mail to:

**Ken Dass Win Literacy Logo Contest**  
Chippewas of Nawash  
RR 5 Wiarton, Ontario  
N0H 2T0

All non-winning entries will be returned.  
To insure that your artwork is returned, please clearly print your name and a  
returned address on a separate paper enclosed with your entry.  
Please include your Band's name and number.

For more information Please contact Language Nest  
Community Language Worker, Polly Keeshig-Tobias  
phone: 519 534-5092 or fax: 519-534-5142



### Dance and Buffet

First 50 people receive a  
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**Great Door Prizes**

\$16/single \$30/couple

Mohawk Community Centre

December 31, 1999

8 pm - 2 am

Entertainment by "Line Drive"

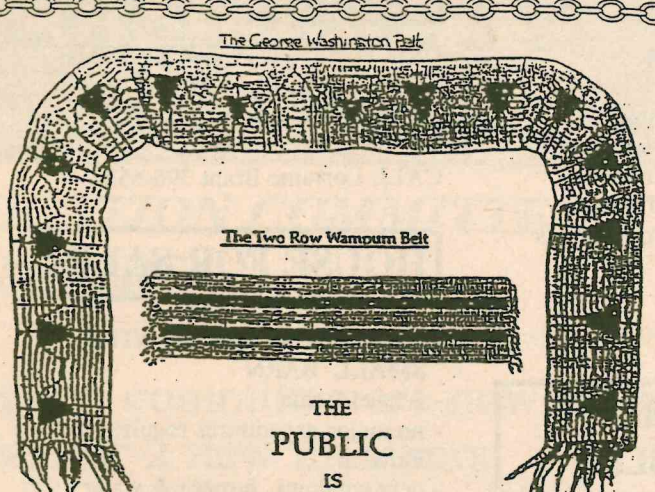
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**Tickets now available !**  
For more information please call  
Darlene Loft 396 - 3424

**Deadline date for the Newsletter**  
Wednesday, Nov. 24 1999, at noon  
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## UPCOMING EVENTS



THE  
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CORDIALLY INVITED TO ATTEND  
THE COMMEMORATION CEREMONY  
OF THE 1794 CANANDAIGUA TREATY  
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NOVEMBER 11, 1999

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- Chant Contest
- Anishinaabe Arts and Crafts
- Youth Games and Activities
- Millennium Truck Raffle

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- Special Recognition Awards
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- Traditional Foods
- Video Dance Party
- 100 Teams

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George Francis, President, Little NHL Executive Committee  
Gerard Peltier, Former Member of Memorial Cup Champions, Cornwall Royals  
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Deadline for registration: To ensure finalization of program and games schedules prior to the event,  
registration will close February 13, 2000 at 11:59 pm.

Early registration: If team registration and fee are received prior to December 31, 1999 at 11:59 pm,  
your team will be eligible for full reimbursement of registration.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE LITTLE NHL COORDINATOR  
AT (705) 859-3122 OR FAX US AT (705) 859-3851

For Registration forms & Tournament rules  
please call Dar. Loft 396 - 3424

## ONEIDA

OF THE THAMES  
PARKS & RECREATION

Will host it's  
3rd ANNUAL CO-ED  
VOLLEYBALL TOURNAMENT  
Sat. & Sun Nov. 27, 28, 1999

\*\*\* Oneida Community Centre Gymnasium \*\*\*

Entry Fee: \$125.00

## Prize Board

Prizes based on number of teams entered and will be announced after all entries  
are submitted

Concession booth will be open for the sale of refreshments during tournament

## Trophies

- 1) Annual Trophy presented to Championship team
- 2) Female M.V.P. & Gift
- 3) Male M.V.P. & Gift

## Registration

Send Roster- cheque or money order payable to:  
Oneida Recreation Committee  
RR#2 Southwold Ont. N0L 2G0  
c/o Belanger Brown Sr.

For more information call Bel Sr. @ 519-652-0855

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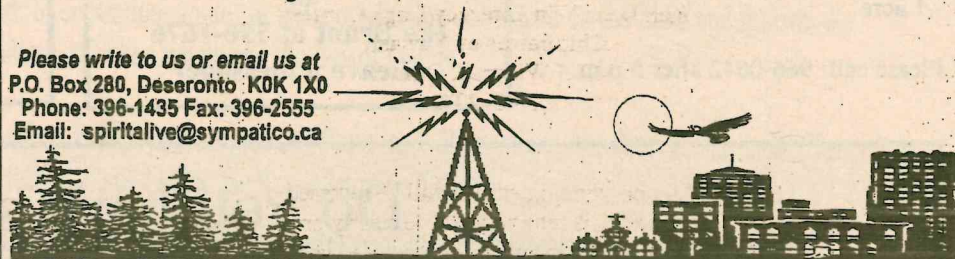
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December 16 & 17, 1999

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The Spirit Alive program can be seen  
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Please write to us or email us at  
P.O. Box 280, Deseronto K0K 1X0  
Phone: 396-1435 Fax: 396-2555  
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### \* RENTAL \*

As of Oct. 1/99  
any person or group  
wanting to use the  
Common Room  
located in the Elders  
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the following people:

Bob Lambert at 396-5862  
or  
Ike Brant at 396-1676  
(Leave a message)

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- For more information

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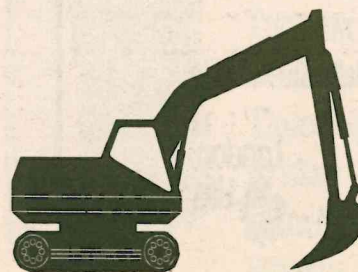
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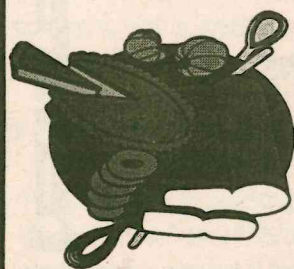
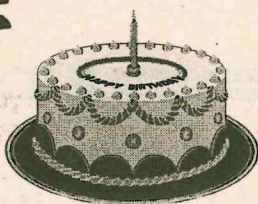
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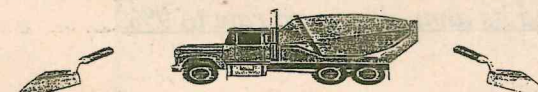




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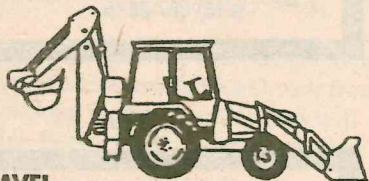
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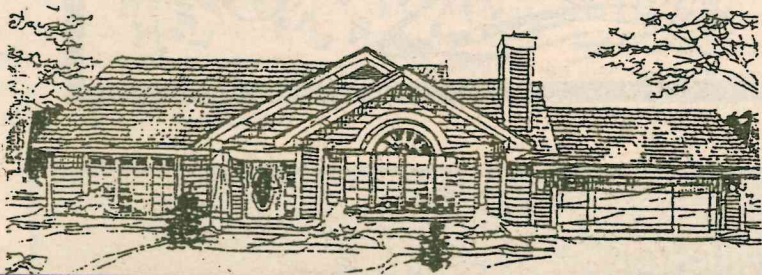
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