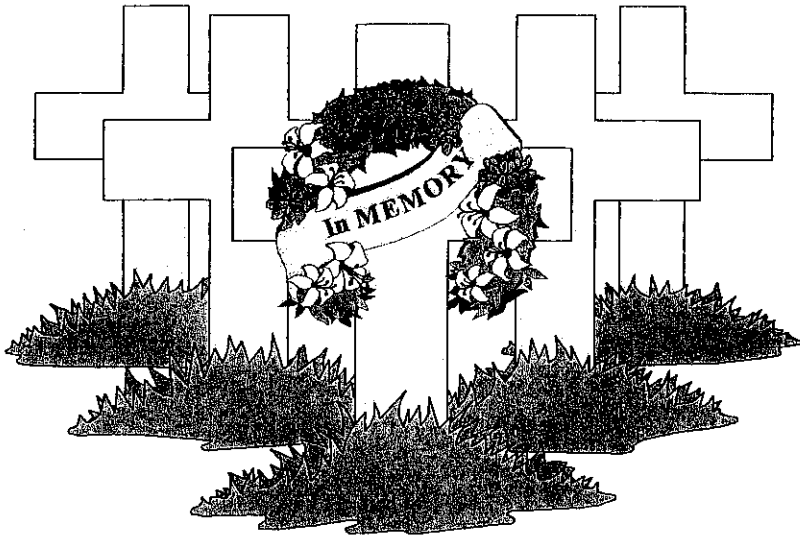


TYENDINAGA NEWSLETTER



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November 11

Let us not forget those who
fought for our freedom.

The Administration Office will be closed on
Monday Nov. 12 for Remembrance Day!

ELECTION DATE

Saturday December 1, 2001

9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Quinte Mohawk School

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Newsletter Deadline

Monday, Nov. 26

12:00 noon

396-3424

We're on the Internet

www.tyendinaga.net

(What's happening)



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DATE**

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MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE

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October 2001

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

Se:ken Sewakwekenh

I hope you are enjoying the quiet time of the fall season.

Chief's Committee on Health – Report

In July 2001, I was appointed the AIAI Representative to the Ontario Chief's Committee on Health. The Chief's Committee met on October 22, 2001 in Ottawa, to discuss a National Template for the Pro Forma Agreement. Mike Sherry, lawyer, provided legal comments on the September 14, 2001 draft Pro Forma Agreement. There is a need to finalize clauses in the agreement relating to unforeseen circumstances, accountability, confidentiality, Crown liability, disasters, delegation, conflict of interest, and treaty rights and obligations.

Health Minister, Alan Rock extended the current Pro Forma Agreements to March 31, 2002 to allow time to formulate one national model agreement.

The AFN will coordinate a national working group, which will meet on November 7, & 8, 2001 and two weeks thereafter. The working group will consider comments in the Auditor General's Report. The goal is have a National Template Agreement for discussion with Chiefs in January 2002.

Since September 11, 2001, there have been changes in attitude and policy as the government deals with expensive measures to fight terrorism in the world.

Last week the Branch Executive Committee of Health Canada informed the AFN that there is a projected year-end deficit of 61 million dollars for Aboriginal Health Services. The cost of Non-Insured Health Benefits for the fiscal year ended March 31, 2001 is 576 million dollars. The previous years cost was 524 million dollars. The budget has been increasing at 3% per year while the aboriginal population is increasing between 5 to 8% annually. Compounding the problem is the universal increasing cost of drugs and the health care systems. The federally funded social services envelope could take the hardest hit if funding cuts occur.

The Branch Executive will review variance reports on deficits at the December 2001 meeting. Managers have been told to bring their budgets in line.

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Health Canada's Branch Executive Committee advised the AFN that there could be a freezing of funds and a recall of commitments. Reports indicate that the government may have to come up with 3 billion dollars within the year to finance the war and anti-terrorism measures. Other reports indicate that the government is not about to renege on implementing tax cuts, nor is the government prepared to deficit finance programs.

The AFN Committee on health was informed that there has been no Cabinet Submission for Mental Health Services, which has been outstanding for the past three years.

The AFN will have input to the Romanoff Commission on Health. The Romanoff Committee will not have a special section dealing with health issues of First Nations. The Chief's Committee on Health will examine the strength of our strategy and what practical solutions can be implemented in face of the new reality.

AFN Layoffs

The AFN has had to lay off approximately 70 personnel leaving a compliment of 53 staff members. This is a direct result of funding cuts from the Department of Indian Affairs. The AFN suffered a 10 million-dollar funding cut from 21.5 to 10.5 million dollars per year.

AIAI Police Working Group

On October 23, 2001, I attended the AIAI Police Working Group meeting at Wahta. There are 84 officers who are covered by the Ontario First Nations Policing Agreement, which includes Tyendinaga.

Canada owes Ontario 3.1 million dollars for policing services for the current fiscal year. Canada pays 52% of the policing costs and the remaining 48% is Ontario's responsibility.

The AIAI Police Working Group reviewed and amended a template for a Policing Needs Assessment. The Needs Assessment will look at community demographics, geographic characteristics, roadways, housing, police governance, community businesses and buildings, police service, civilian staff, education and training needs, equipment, infrastructure, enforcement, back-up assistance, protocols, accountability, finances, officer turnover, civilian complaints and concerns of the community and officers.

Firearms

Council will be meeting with the Mohawk Roundtable to continue discussions concerning the registration of firearms.

Council has requested a report from Larry Hay and Greg Brant, which the Council will review before the Mohawk Roundtable Meeting.

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Fishing

At the September 12, 2001 meeting, Council passed a motion stating that the Mohawks and the Iroquois Confederacy have exercised hunting and fishing rights since time immemorial and will continue to do so.

In a letter dated September 14, 2001, the Ministry of Natural Resources (MNR) informed the Council that the MNR would like to discuss the possibility of temporarily close the walleye fishery to all resource users including the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte. A copy of the letter is included for your information.

The MNR states that recent information confirms the decline in walleye and that the population is lower than originally predicted, and that an over harvest is occurring.

The meeting tentatively scheduled for October 11, 2001 was cancelled because the MNR delayed forwarding their report on the status of the walleye fishery to the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte. The report was received on October 17, 2001.

On October 25, 2001, the MNR had a meeting with some of the stakeholders at the Ramada Inn in Belleville. On October 26, 2001, Council approved to contract an independent biologist to conduct a peer review of the report.

Woodland Cultural Centre

At the meeting of October 3, 2001, Council appointed Kathleen R. Brant as the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Representative on the Woodland Cultural Centre Board of Directors.

Water Purification Policy Amendment

At the meeting of October 3, 2001, Council amended the Water Purification Policy. The amendment is "Any applicant found in arrears of mortgages, loans or other accounts to the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte is ineligible for funding under this policy."

CESO Funding Surplus

On October 3, 2001, Council approved to use a surplus of \$9,588.00 for staff training. The funding was provided by Kagita Mikam to pay CESO Consultants for work on band owned corporations.

Aboriginal Diabetes Initiative

On October 3, 2001, Council approved to sign a contribution agreement with AIAI in the amount \$3,961.00 for the Aboriginal Diabetes Initiative for the current fiscal year.

Education Administrator Position

At the meeting of October 3, 2001, Council approved to investigate the creation of an Education Administrator Position.

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QMS Air Quality

At the meeting of October 3, 2001, Council approved the QMS Mechanical Design contract with First Peoples Consultant in the amount of \$27,400.00 to address air quality problems at the school.

When all information is assembled, the Council will request funding from Indian Affairs to take corrective measures. Some of the earlier estimates indicate that corrective measures could cost approximately one million dollars.

QMS Washroom Alterations

At the October 3, 2001 meeting, Council approved a contract with Ernest A. Cromarty Architect Inc. in the amount of \$62,312.00 for washroom alterations at the school.

Rent Geared to Income Housing

On October 3, 2001, Council deferred the CMHC Rent-Geared to Income Housing Construction Project for further research. The CMHC proposal is for a loan of 1.2 million dollars over 25 years to build 12 rental units, 4 of which would be Rent-Geared to Income.

Currently there are approximately 50 applicants on the waiting list for rental housing.

Credit Counseling Services

On October 3, 2001, Council approved to provide Credit Counseling Services to community members who need the service. For further information, contact Janice Maracle at Mohawk Family Services.

Seniors Renovation and Repair Loan Program

Council approved in principle a policy to provide interest free loans to seniors for renovations and repairs. After October 3, 2001 no further grants will be provided to seniors, only interest free loans.

At the October 3, 2001 meeting, Council approved three grants totaling \$5,650.00 previously requested.

FNTI Board of Directors

On October 11, 2001, Councillor William J. Brant reported to Council that Blaine Loft is the Chairperson and Jim Brant is the Vice-Chairperson of the FNTI Board of Directors.

Deputy Electoral Officer

On October 11, 2001, Council approved to appoint Sharon Brown as a Deputy Electoral Officer.

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Other Health Related Policy

On October 3, 2001, Council approved the following increments for the "Other Health Related Services" policy. The increments for reimbursement are as follows:

\$0	- \$20,100.00	100%
20,101.00	- 24,567.00	75%
24,568.00	- 29,034.00	50%
29,035.00	- 33,500.00	25%
33,501.00 plus		0%

This program is financed from General Government of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte with a budget of \$15,000.00. No new federal or provincial funds have been provided to implement this policy.

MBQ Audit Report March 31, 2001

At the meeting of September 6, 2001, Council met with BDO Dunwoody Auditors to discuss and approve the Audit Report of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte, for the year ended March 31, 2001.

The audit was conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing Canadian standards. The auditor's opinion was that "these financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte as at March 31, 2001."

During the fiscal year 2000-2001, the Band Operations Fund received revenues totaling \$11,318,187.00 and expended \$11,529,520.00 resulting in a deficit of \$211,333.00. The deficit for the preceding year was \$593,681.00. A copy of Band Operations Fund is included for your information as schedule 13. The Band Operations Report is a consolidated statement of all federally and provincially funded programs and services. The surplus of \$ 759,826.00 has been used to reduce the overall deficit to \$ 45,188.00. The deficit has been caused by the following factors:

1. Doubtful accounts: Written off March 31, 2000

Telemagnetic Signaling System (TSS)	\$ 314,000.00
CAT Technologies	10,000.00
Peace Tree Technologies	93,671.00
2. Settlements of Law Suits Paid in 2001 \$ 214,505.00
3. Aboriginal Global Investments (1998) \$ 60,000.00

The assets of First Nations Air Service are pledged as security to the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte for the TSS loan of \$314,000.00. Council expects to recover the \$ 314,000.00 loss in the sale of FNAS to FNTI.

The Band Operations Fund does not include the Housing Fund, the Turton Penn Trust Fund, Capital and Revenue Accounts

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held in trust in Ottawa of \$378,032.00 or the Casino Rama Funds of \$7,404,211.00.

At the same meeting, Council approved an allowance for doubtful accounts for \$200,000.00.

There were minor corrections to the Audit schedules. On October 3, 2001, Council approved payment of the BDO Dunwoody Invoice, for \$21,250.00.

Council Honorarium & Travel Expenses

On October 3, 2001, Council approved to provide the Department of Indian Affairs with actual figures of the Council's honorarium and travel expenses. A copy is enclosed for your information.

Casino Rama Funds

At the meeting on October 3, 2001, Council approved to utilize \$197,500.00 from the Casino Rama Funds to cover the cost of some of the lands purchased for the Capital Plan.

Road Shed Salt / Sand Dome

At the meeting of September 10, 2001, Council approved the construction a new Road Shed and Sand/Salt Dome, for \$905,000.00, which is in progress on the Slash Road.

At the meeting of September 19, 2001 Council approved to finance the project though a Bank loan using the interest from the Casino Rama investment to repay the loan.

On October 3, 2001, Council authorized securing a 10-year term loan with the Bank of Montreal for this project. The Casino Funds are pledged as collateral security for the loan. The repayments will be approximately \$127,000.00 per year for a 10-year period.

Housing Renovation Loans

On the October 3, 2001, during the In-Camera session, Council approved four renovation loans totaling \$83,985.00.

At the meeting of October 17, 2001, Council approved two renovation loans totaling \$13,500.00.

At the same meeting, Council approved two new mortgage loans totaling \$137,834.05.

Elder's Lodge

At the October 11, 2001 meeting, Council approved a contract with First Peoples Consulting in the amount of \$3,500.00 to prepare a work plan and budget to address drainage and landscaping deficiencies at the Elder's Lodge.

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Senior's 59ner's Club Addition

On October 17, 2001, Council approved to investigate funds for the construction of an addition to the 59ner's club and to investigate other options. The quote for the addition was approximately \$147,000.00.

Elder's Conference

At the October 17, 2001 meeting, Council approved Betty Maracle and Alan Brant to attend the AIAI Elder's Conference on November 26-27, 2001 at Hiawatha First Nation.

Child Welfare Program

On October 17, 2001, Council approved the Ministry of Community and Social Services 2001/2002 Service Contract for the Child Welfare Program in the amount of \$356,428.00.

Personal Support Worker Training

On October 17, 2001, Council approved the Ministry of Health (Hastings and Prince Edward Counties) Personal Support Worker Training 2001/2002 in the amount of \$7,500.00.

Hastings County Tuition Agreement

At the meeting of October 17, 2001, the recommendations were deferred and Council will meet with the Tyendinaga Education Committee and Resource People.

Turton Penn Housing Committee Dissolved

At the October 17, 2001 meeting, Council dissolved the Turton Penn Housing Committee since the committee has fulfilled its mandate. A new Housing Committee is in the process of being established.

AIAI Health Social Advisory Board

On October 17, 2001, Council appointed Mary Rowbotham as a representative on the AIAI Health Social Advisory Board.

Police Boat

The Ontario Provincial Police will provide a contribution of \$10,000.00 to purchase a Police Boat from Akwesasne. This will assist the Police in dealing with emergencies that occur on our waterways.

Policing

I have been requested to file an affidavit with the Federal Court concerning the Employer Status of the Tyendinaga Police Services. The Canadian Industrial Standards Board rendered a decision stating that the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte are not the employers of the Tyendinaga Police Service. The Solicitor General of Ontario is appealing this decision.

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Casino Rama Investment Strategy

At the meeting of September 12, 2001 Council approved investing more of the Casino Rama money in a long-term investment plan, which would realize more interest than the short-term investments. On September 17, 2001 Council transferred an additional \$ 1.5 million dollars into long term investments at Nesbitt Burns.

Interest rates have fallen approximately 1.55% since the original investment was made in July 2000. It is estimated that the loss in interest was \$ 27,000.00 as result of not investing more funds in long-term investments.

Casino Rama Funds

On Monday September 17, 2001, Council had a General Meeting to discuss potential projects under the Casino Rama Funds.

Approved Projects include the following:

1. Roads Shed and Salt Dome	\$905,000.00
2. Land Purchases for Capital Plan	105,000.00
3. Land Purchases for Capital Plan	92,500.00
4. Roads Program 2001-02 (dustlayer / tar & chip, Tom's, Belle's and lower Slash)	179,500.00

Projects under Consideration:

1. Fire Hall	\$1,500,000.00
2. Day Care (INAC shares \$963,000.00)	237,000.00
3. Water Delivery Truck	125,000.00
4. Land Purchases Capital Plan	71,750.00
5. Land Purchases Capital Plan	60,937.50
6. Senior Citizen's 59ner's Addition	60,000.00
7. Landfill Closure	380,000.00
8. Museum / Cultural Centre	2,500,000.00

Total \$6,216,687.50

In addition, Council has agreed to pledge \$1 million dollars as security for the on reserve Business Loan Guarantee Program. There have been three loans guaranteed under this program totaling \$318,500.00.

I hope that you find this report informative.

Donald Maracle

R. Donald Maracle
Chief
Atoroserio,
Wolf Clan

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September 14, 2001

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

Dear Chief Maracle:

Thank you for responding to my request for a meeting with you and your council to share our information about the declining Bay of Quinte walleye population and to discuss our fisheries management recommendation to significantly reduce harvest.

While I understand your desire to share the information about the status of the walleye fishery in the Bay of Quinte with your community as quickly as possible, we would prefer to discuss the matter with you and your council as a first step.

As you probably now know from your discussion with Tyendinaga Office staff, we want to discuss the possibility of temporarily closing the walleye fishery to all resource users including the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte. Recent information confirms the decline in walleye, indicates that the population is at a lower level than originally predicted, and tells us that over-harvest is occurring. We are convinced of the urgency of the situation and that serious fisheries management action is required. Given the possible implications, we thought it would be in your interest and that of your council to preview the findings with us directly. We wanted an opportunity to discuss this with you, and also to get your input about how best to proceed with consultation.

I sincerely hope you will reconsider my request for an initial meeting with you and council. I think it would be mutually beneficial by helping to ensure a more effective dialogue with the community.

Enclosed, please find the information that you requested pertaining to commercial fishing licenses in the Bay of Quinte.

I am very anxious to hear from you regarding the meeting. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to discuss this further (705) 755-1975. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Original Signed by Sandra Orsatti
Sandra Orsatti
Manager
Lake Ontario Management Unit

**Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte
Schedule of Salaries, Honoraria, Travel Expenses and
Other Remuneration Paid to Chief and Council**

For the year ended March 31, 2001.

Name of Individual	No. of Months*	Salary & Honoraria (\$)	Travel Expenses (\$)**	Other Remuneration (\$)	Total (\$)
Chief Maracle	12	14,250	23,504	--	37,754
W. J. Brant	12	21,200	4,055	--	25,255
R. Maracle	12	24,000	8,923	--	32,923
J. Maracle	12	19,000	4,259	--	23,259
W. Brant	12	20,100	5,509	--	25,609



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October 4, 2001

Mr. Peter Waring
Acting Manager
Lake Ontario Management Unit
300 Water Street
Peterborough, Ontario
K9J 8M5

RE: DECLINING BAY OF QUINTE WALLEYE POPULATION

Dear Mr. Waring:

Thank you for your letter of September 14, 2001 regarding a meeting with the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council to share information about the declining Bay of Quinte walleye population.

I understand that Scott Lee has spoken with staff of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte. I did not receive the impression from speaking with our staff that the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte would be included in this reduction. We were under the impression that the MNR would be reducing or closing the walleye fishery to all non-Native fishermen.

As you are aware, the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte do not fall under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Natural Resources. Our people will continue to fish the Bay of Quinte for walleye and we will monitor our own fishing activity as we have for time immemorial.

A meeting at this time is premature without allowing Council an opportunity to review the data used to determine the closure of the fishery. We request copies of reports, data and any information that was used by MNR to come to this conclusion. We also request copies of reports, data and information dealing with the status of the walleye in Lake Ontario as well and the environmental conditions within Lake Ontario.

We would also be interested in seeing MNR's proposal to close the fishery and also the plan to reopen the fishery to non-Native fishermen in the future. This issue is very important to our community. Once we have had an opportunity to review the data and reports we will then decide if a meeting with MNR is needed.

Please understand that if a meeting does take place it will be at a community meeting and is not to be construed as consultation with the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte. Also, our participation at any such meeting is without prejudice and will not abrogate our treaty and aboriginal rights to fish the waters of the Bay of Quinte.

Yours truly,

R. Donald Maracle

R. Donald Maracle
Chief

Remember if you have an EMERGENCY

CALL



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Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Mortgage & Rental Arrears Report As of September 30, 2001

<u>Mortgage Arrears</u>		
	No.	Value of Arrears
353 mortgages		
Arrears		
1-3 months	23	
3-6 months	8	
6-9 months	6	
9-12 months	3	
1-2 years	5	
2-3 years	2	
3-4 years	1	
4+ years	1	
Mortgage Arrears	49	\$104,288.11
<u>Rental Arrears</u>		
118 rental units		
1-3 months	20	
3-6 months	8	
6-9 months	1	
9-12 months	1	
Rental Arrears	30	\$36,020.51

9-1-1 CIVIC ADDRESS SIGN NOTICE

The Civic address signs have been posted for your safety. These signs have been erected in specific locations to Aid Emergency Response personnel in locating your residence in a timely fashion.

PLEASE DO NOT MOVE OR REMOVE your designated sign from its location. Moving or defacing this sign is a Criminal Offence.

**IN AN EMERGENCY SITUATION SECONDS
CAN MEAN THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN
LIFE & DEATH**

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

Report to the Community From the Desk of the Acting Office Manager

She:kon,

The following highlights some of the main administration issues during the last month:

1. New Policies:

- i. Renovation and Repair Loan Program for Senior's
- ii. Water Reimbursement Initiative

2. New Positions:

- i. Peter Brant, Technical Services Officer
- ii. Jodi John, Recreation/Fundraising Coordinator
- iii. Bev Hill, 6 month trial period duties enhanced to Human Resources Manager
- iv. Sue Maracle, 6 month trial period duties enhanced to Financial Comptroller

3. Staff Training:

The "Flight of the Buffalo" seminar for staff is arranged for November 1 and 2. This seminar outlines a process of decentralizing authority from upper management, empowering the front line managers to do their jobs and promotes team building. Tyendinaga Mohawk Council received support from Kagita Mikam to offer this seminar to the program managers of the Administration Office.

4. Casino Rama Projects:

- i. **Update on the Public Works Garage and Salt Dome Project:** Tyendinaga Mohawk Council has hired four (4) community members in addition to the existing carpentry staff to construct the Public Works Garage. The trainees will be trained to construct buildings utilizing IntegraSpec building system. The foundation has been poured and a portion of the driveway is paved. We are anticipating an eighteen week construction period.

5. New Funding Available:

Please be advised that you may be eligible for a subsidy for off reserve daycare. Please contact Patti General or Karen Brant Jones to see if you qualify for assistance.

All policies are available in central registry at the Administration Office if you would like a copy please contact Sandra Green. Please contact me if you have any concerns regarding the above or on any other issue. I may be reached at 613-396-3424 extension 134.

Nia:wen,

Todd K.

LOOKING FOR WORK, A CAREER OR TRAINING

One-to-one assistance is available for resume, cover letter and all your job search and training needs! Also come in to access the Internet, Word-processing and explore some Community College Online Distance Education courses.

Call Karen Brant-Jones, Employment Department for information or to book an appointment.
at
(613) 396-3424

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*** PLEASE NOTE ***

The next scheduled Council meeting will be Monday November 19 at 9 a.m.

For community members wishing to be on the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council agenda, please notify Angela Maracle before Wednesday November 14 at noon.

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*** Please Note ***

Now open Sundays till 5 p.m.

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. - **5:00 P.M.**



MOHAWK FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Mohawk Firefighters in October responded to 3 calls:

- 1 - Smoke Investigation
- 2 - Medical Assists

This brings our total to 57 calls for 2001.

INTRODUCTION OF NEW EMPLOYEES

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Jodi Yonkiats. Tekayentane:ken nikiteron. Recreation/Fundraising Coordinator wakio'te. Aonwaktshenonni tokat aonkonyenawase.

My name is Jodi John. I am the new recreation/fundraising coordinator. If you have any questions, comments or suggestions please give me a call at the administration office. I would be happy if I could help you. I look forward to seeing you.

Jodi

A MESSAGE FROM A MEMBER OF THE MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE BAND COUNCIL (MBQBC) FOR OCTOBER 2001

Submitted by William J. Brant

MBQBC has directed our Acting Chief Administrative Officer (A/CAO), Todd Kring, to produce a monthly report in our Territory Newsletter. The goal of the report would be as follows:

- (1) To report on any significant changes within the MBQBC administration system
- (2) To communicate to the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte (MBQ) Band community, MBQBC policies and policy changes
- (3) To give updates on the direction that the MBQBC has given in respect to ongoing and pending projects, the results of negotiations with other Band Councils, federal /and or provincial governments, or other native or non native organizations
- (4) To report annual, budget information, and to give quarterly budget updates
- (5) To keep MBQ band members informed on a regular basis of all facets of MBQ band government

As always I will meet with you on matters of concern to you at 1298 Upper Slash Road on Tuesdays or at other arranged times. My telephone number at the office is 969-9861 and there is an answering service. Please leave a message if I am unavailable at the time of your call and I will return the call. Thank you.

*** Please Note ***

BAYSHORE PARK BATHROOMS & SHOWERS ARE CLOSED FOR THE WINTER SEASON THEY WILL REOPEN IN MARCH.

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NOTICE TO COMMUNITY

Please see copies of the following new policies enacted by the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council:

- 1) **Water Reimbursement Initiative Policy** – please contact the Community Health Representatives at the Health Centre for an application.
- 2) **Health Related Contribution Policy** – please contact Cindy Thompson at the Health Centre for an application.
- 3) **Renovations and Repairs Loan Program for Seniors** – please contact Chris Maracle at the Administration Office for an application.

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WATER REIMBURSEMENT INITIATIVE

PURPOSE

- a. Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Water Reimbursement Initiative provides assistance to families with children, community members in immune deficient states of health as a result of illness or other, and seniors (65+) of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory, who have no other financial means or support to purchase drinking water or water for general purposes.
- b. Program funding is at a fixed amount and will offer assistance until the funds are exhausted. The program will be reviewed annually to determine sustainability. Therefore, clients should understand that this program may only be considered until March 31, 2002.

APPLICATION PROCESS

- a. The application process is to determine eligibility of a community member and/or families to receive full or partial financial assistance and will consist of an intake by a designated worker of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte. All intakes will be placed in written format with all pertinent information attached. (Drinking Water Initiative Application – Appendix “A” and Water Necessity Supplement Application – Appendix “B”).
- b. All intakes will receive written notice of their eligibility or ineligibility upon review by the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Council or their designate.

CRITERIA

- a. Must be a registered Band member of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte First Nation.
- b. Must reside on the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory.
- c. Preference will be given to community members that are considered a risk due to the following:
 - i. The presence of unsafe water conditions (Lab results which state >5 total coliform and/or any e-coli present)
 - ii. Children in the family under the age of 5
 - iii. Elderly (+65)
 - iv. Immune deficient
 - v. Low income – Social assistance, fixed income (applies to applications for section e)

Water Reimbursement Initiative Policy/Guidelines

- d. Drinking water:
Reimbursement will be based upon the following:
 - i. One large 18.9 litre bottle of water per household per week from September 1, 2000.
 - ii. Applicant requesting assistance under this section must conform to sections (3,c,i-iv)
- e. Water for general purposes:
Reimbursement will be based upon:
 - i. One truck load per month from April 1, 2001.
 - iii. Applicant must meet the income requirements as outlined in section four (4) and five (5) to receive assistance under this section.

ELIGIBILITY

- a. You may be eligible for assistance if:
 - i. Your household income is below the established income funding formula.
 - ii. You have exhausted all other possible financial resources, i.e. family members, Non-Insured-Health-Benefits (NIHB) and their appeal process, the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Residential Rehabilitation Assistance Program or RRAP, and no other Health coverage through your employment or other Health/Social Assistance program

ESTABLISHING INCOME FUNDING FORMULA

- a. Establishing income funding formula applies to household income

Income Formula	Contribution
\$0 - \$20,100	100%
\$20,101 - \$24,567	75%
\$24,568 - \$29,034	50%
\$29,035 - \$33,500	25%
\$33,501 plus	0%

LOAN ARREARS WITH THE MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE

- a. In the event the applicant and/or household is in arrears with the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte, the applicant and/or household must agree to consult a “Debt Counsellor” for assessment and evaluation to assist the applicant and/or household in meeting their financial commitments. OR
- b. Must make appropriate arrangements with the Accounts Receivable Department to address the arrears.

ACCEPTANCE

- b. Duly accepted by a quorum of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council this 28th day of August, 2001.

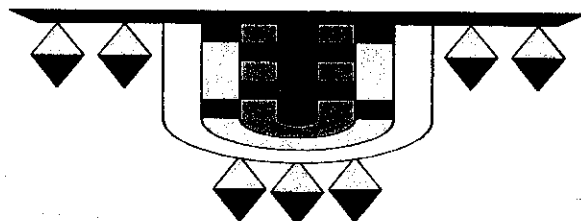
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ADMINISTRATION

HEALTH RELATED CONTRIBUTION POLICY

1. **PURPOSE**

a. Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Health Related Contribution Service is a path of last resort that may provide assistance to qualified low-income community members and/or families of Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory who have no other financial means to support essential health related matters. Program funding is at a fixed amount and will offer assistance until the funds are exhausted for the current fiscal year.

2. **APPLICATION PROCESS**

a. The application process is to determine eligibility of a community member and/or families to receive full or partial financial assistance for essential health related matters, and will consist of an intake by a designated worker of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte. All intakes will be placed in written format with all pertinent information attached. (Application Form, Appendix "A")

b. All intakes will receive written notice of their eligibility or ineligibility upon review by the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Council or their designate.

3. **CRITERIA**

a. Must be a registered Band member of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte First Nation.

b. Must reside on the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory.

c. The Health related matter must be deemed essential to:

- one's life sustainability
- one's maintaining activities of daily living abilities
- and in no manner for cosmetic reasons

4. **ELIGIBILITY**

a. You may be eligible for the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Health Related Contribution Service if:

- Your household income is below the established income funding formula.
- You have exhausted all other possible financial resources, i.e. family members, Non-Insured-Health-Benefits (NIHB) and their appeal process, the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Residential Rehabilitation Assistance Program or RRAP, and no other Health coverage through your employment or other Health/Social Assistance program
- Your claim includes, however, not limited to: essential dental cutbacks, essential prescription drugs, essential medical testing, life sustaining treatments, portable ramps, and other as deemed eligible by the designated worker and the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Council.

5. **ESTABLISHING INCOME FUNDING FORMULA**

a. Establishing income funding formula applies to household income

Income Formula	Contribution
\$0 - \$20,100	100%
\$20,101 - \$24,567	75%
\$24,568 - \$29,034	50%
\$29,035 - \$33,500	25%
\$33,501 plus	0%

6. **LOAN ARREARS WITH THE MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE**

a. In the event the applicant and/or household is in arrears with the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte, the applicant and/or household must agree to consult a "Debt Counsellor" for assessment and evaluation to assist the applicant and/or household in meeting their financial commitments.

b. If the Debt Counsellor's recommendation is not followed, the whole amount of the grant will become a loan payable to the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte.

7. **ACCEPTANCE**

a. Duly accepted by a quorum of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council this 25th day of July, 2001.

Donald Maracle
Chief R. Donald Maracle

William J. Brant
Councillor William J. Brant

John E. Maracle
Councillor John E. Maracle

Winston R. Brant
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Roy C. Maracle
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RENOVATIONS AND REPAIRS LOAN PROGRAM FOR SENIORS

1. **PURPOSE**

a. The primary purpose of the Renovations and Repairs Loan Program for Seniors is to offer our Seniors interest free loans to repair and renovate their primary residence to adequate health and safety standards.

2. **APPLICATION**

a. Only registered status members aged 55 and older who live on the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory can apply.

b. Must have a certificate of possession or approved land transfer for the property home.

c. Must complete a Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Renovation Loan Application.

d. Two estimates should be submitted with the application.

e. Household income must not exceed \$20,100 to be eligible.

3. **FINANCIAL**

a. Loans will be interest free for as long as the applicant is the primary occupant.

b. A claim will be filed against the borrower's estate at the time of death for any unpaid balances and interest will accrue at 6% per annum.

c. A repayment schedule suitable to the applicant's financial situation will be negotiated with the Accounts Receivable Clerk for approved loans. Must remain as a separate loan (secured by a mortgage) and will not qualify for the Mortgage Incentive Program.

d. Applicants should have a favourable credit check prior to submission to the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council for approval or consideration.

e. The interest free component will not be applicable to any loans previously approved by the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council.

4. **ACCEPTANCE**

a. Duly accepted by a quorum of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council this 17th day of October, 2001.


Donald Maracle
Chief R. Donald Maracle

William J. Brant
Councillor William J. Brant

Winston R. Brant
Councillor Winston R. Brant

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*** Please Note ***

The finance department located at the Administration office is now able to accept interac for all payments.

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PRESS RELEASES



MEDIA RELEASE

179 North Park Street
Belleville, Ontario K8P 4P1

Medical officer of health addresses bioterrorism fears

Hastings & Prince Edward Counties/Oct. 19, 2001 - The local medical officer of health has welcome news for those who fear a terrorist attack close to home.

"The threat to us in the Hastings & Prince Edward Counties Health Unit catchment area is low," says Dr. Lynn Noseworthy.

"Given the current situation," said Noseworthy, "it's not surprising that the public is quick to report suspicious substances. It's the same across the country and in other parts of the world." Noseworthy said the public health lab in Toronto was backlogged testing substances submitted from all over the province. "No one in Canada has been infected with anthrax. It is a disease which occurs naturally, usually in wild and domestic animals. It has been forty years since a case in a human was diagnosed in Ontario. Anthrax is not contagious and it is successfully treated with antibiotics."

But, Noseworthy adds, despite the low chances of an attack here, plans are in place for dealing with terrorism. "At the Health Unit, we have an emergency response plan," she says. "It is designed to meet any abnormal threat to the health and safety of our community, including terrorist activity. Our plan is designed to work in concert with the emergency plans of other health care agencies and municipalities."

Noseworthy said the plan has been in place for a long time and is updated annually. However, in response to the events of Sept. 11, the plan was immediately reviewed to enhance its capacity to respond to biologic and chemical terrorist incidents. "We are continuously compiling and disseminating information from provincial, federal, and international sources," said Noseworthy. She explained that the lead agency for a provincial response on matters of public safety is Emergency Measures Ontario. It works together with Health Canada's Centre for Emergency Preparedness and Response.

Police, fire and ambulance services, whose job it is to provide the first response to emergencies, receive assistance from the Health Unit which provides public health information and advice. "We are continuing to work very closely with our first responders, health care agencies and health professionals to review emergency issues," said Noseworthy.

Noseworthy said emergency response personnel hope the situation will stabilize and unfounded reports of bioterrorism will decrease. Along with unintentional scares, Ontario has seen a spate of hoaxes.

"Right now, a great strain is being put on the resources of our emergency response system," Noseworthy said. "It is our understanding that police will investigate terrorism hoaxes and any individuals found responsible will be prosecuted."

Anthrax scares and hoaxes have also been reported in at least a dozen other countries. "It's a delicate balance," said Noseworthy. "As a community, we are being called upon to stay on the alert without disrupting our lives. My best advice is—don't panic. Our risk here is low."

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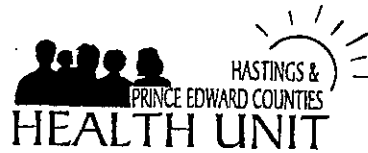
For information please call: Carol Snell, Media Relations Consultant 966-5513 ext 304

For general information on anthrax see attached information from Health Canada or visit Ontario Ministry of Health's Web site at:

<www.gov.on.ca/health/english/pub/pubhealth/anthrax.html>



**DON'T FORGET
TO VOTE ON DECEMBER 1
QUINTE MOHAWK SCHOOL**



MEDIA RELEASE

179 North Park Street
Belleville, Ontario K8P 4P1

Survey says: majority support laws to restrict smoking

Hastings & Prince Edward Counties/Oct. 12, 2001 - Those involved locally in the fight against second-hand smoke are encouraged by findings of a recent survey conducted here. The majority of respondents supported laws to restrict smoking in public places.

In January 2001, the Ontario Tobacco Strategy funded a special project aimed at reducing exposure to second-hand smoke (also known as environmental tobacco or ETS). The project was undertaken by Heart Health Hastings & Prince Edward in collaboration with the Hastings & Prince Edward Counties Health Unit.

The project comprised three phases. The first phase involved conducting a public opinion survey of 400 randomly selected residents, aged 18 and over, residing in north, central, and south Hastings County or Prince Edward County. Interviewers asked questions about respondents' smoking habits, their knowledge of ETS and their attitudes towards smoking in public places.

The second phase was a mass media campaign to raise awareness of the dangers of ETS for children. Parents and caregivers of children zero to six years were the focus. A follow-up survey (using different respondents) was conducted as phase three of the project. The results showed a significant increase in the number of people who were aware of the problems ETS causes in children's ears. Respondents were most familiar with ETS as a cause of lung cancer in non-smokers. They were least familiar with ETS as a cause of heart attacks in non-smokers. Following the media campaign, 75 per cent of respondents strongly agreed ETS is more harmful to children than adults. (In the first phase only 64 per cent agreed.)

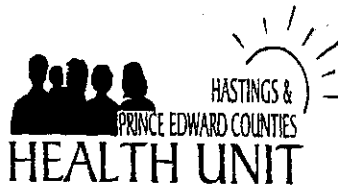
The third phase of the survey also measured support for legislation aimed at restricting smoking. Responses showed overall that 64 per cent of those surveyed favoured a municipal bylaw which would restrict smoking in public places. The specific public places most frequently supported by respondents to become 100 per cent smoke-free were sports and recreation centres, workplaces, bowling centres and restaurants. Less support was shown for legislation to make billiard halls and bars 100 per cent smoke-free.

"We are encouraged by these results," said Nicole McKinnon, Director of Healthy Lifestyles for the Hastings & Prince Edward Counties Health Unit. "No safe level of exposure to ETS exists. This is a health matter for our community, especially our children."

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For more information call:

Nicole McKinnon, 966-5513 ext 277 or Carol Snell, 966-5513 ext 304
Director, Healthy Lifestyles Media Relations Consultant



179 NORTH PARK ST., BELLEVILLE,
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MEDIA RELEASE

Vaccination Clinics a Success

Belleville/Oct 4 2001-Throughout Hastings and Prince Edward counties 6,044 cats and dogs were successfully vaccinated on Saturday, September 22. Seventeen local veterinarian clinics and animal hospitals participated in the low-cost clinics organized by Hastings & Prince Edward Counties Health Unit, in cooperation with the Haliburton Kawartha Pine Ridge District Health Unit and the Quinte District Veterinary Association.

"The public awareness campaign and the vaccination clinics were once again a great success," says Glen Hudgin, director of public health inspection at the Hastings & Prince Edward Counties Health Unit. "The clinics have met the goal of encouraging pet owners to be responsible to their pets, families and neighbours." Hudgin reminds everyone that "rabies vaccination for cats and dogs is mandatory in Hastings and Prince Edward counties and is the best defense for protecting people and pets against the fatal disease."

Rabies is a serious disease caused by a virus that attacks the nervous system. It is spread by contact with the saliva of infected animals to people or other animals. Animals that contract rabies will die. If left untreated rabies is also fatal to humans. A way to help prevent the spread of rabies to both animals and humans is by immunizing pets regularly.

For more information contact Lesley Young, Health Promoter at 966-5513 ext 317 or Carol Snell, Media Relation Consultant at 966-5513 ext 304

ELECTIONS

Hi, my name is Kelly Maracle, I am the electoral officer for the December 2001 election for Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte. I will be working with Theresa Neil and Wonita McDonell. They will be acting as Deputy Electoral Officers for the election.

There have been a number of changes regarding Indian Act elections due to the recent Corbiere decision. I have summarized those for you to read.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free you contact anyone of us.

Kelly Maracle 396-5994
 Theresa Neil 396-3949
 Wonita McDonell 962-6399

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Overview of Corbiere Decision

On May 20, 1999 the Supreme Court of Canada decided that seven words within the Indian Act [Section 77 (1)], was against the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedom. Those words were "and is ordinarily resident on the reserve".

The Supreme Court of Canada suspended the implementation of the ruling for 18 months so to give everyone a chance to consult among the First Nations and Government agencies. The Corbiere Decision came into effect November 20, 2000.

Section 75 (1) of the Indian Act still applies. This requires candidates for the position of Councillor to be a resident of the Reserve. In order to nominate for Council you must also be a resident of the Reserve.

In order to run for Chief or nominate for Chief you can reside on or off Reserve (Goodswimmer Case)

There are mail-in Nominations, which will be mailed to the last known address of off-Reserve members. However off-Reserve members are also welcome to the nomination meeting if they so desire. On-Reserve members may also nominate by attending the meeting or by using in the mail-in system. If you live On-Reserve and would like a mail-in nomination form, please contact the electoral officer (Kelly Maracle).

Changes to the nomination meeting are that it must be held at least 42 days prior to the election day, and must be a minimum of three hours. Only nominations received by nomination day at the close of the meeting will be accepted.

Mail-in ballots will also be available for off and on-Reserve members. On-Reserve members will again have to request this package in advance. All members are also welcome to come to the polling station to cast their vote.

The polling hours are now a mandatory 9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Candidates can withdraw their names right up until the close of the polls.

Voters whom require assistance may now do so with the electoral officer of deputies in the presence of another voter chosen by the elector requiring the assistance.

It is an option given that we will be exercising that the counting of the ballots will be held on the day following the election.

*If you require any further clarification of information please feel free to contact us.
 Kelly Maracle 396-5994 Theresa Neil 396-3949 Wonita McDonell 962-6399*

Tyendinaga First Nation Members Living Off-Reserve Have you registered to vote in the December 1st 2001 Election?

TAKE NOTICE THAT:

If you are a Tyendinaga First Nation member living off-Reserve and you wish to participate in your community's election - register to vote by providing your name and address to your band office.

- In order to participate in the Nomination Meeting you need to be entitled to vote at this election. To vote at the election, you need to appear on the Voters List. If you are not registered, you may wish to register prior to December 1, 2001 by providing your name and address to:

Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte
 Attn: Molly Kohoko - membership
 R.R.#1
 Deseronto, Ontario K0K 1X0
 613-396-3424

or

Kelly Maracle
 Electoral Officer
 831 Lower Slash Road
 Deseronto, Ontario K0K 1X0
 613-396-5994

The Voters List will be posted in at least one conspicuous place on the reserve. However, specific questions as to its content may be referred to the Electoral Officer.

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE:

- The nomination meeting will be held on October 13, 2001 at Quinte Mohawk School, Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm.

Off-Reserve electors may nominate ONLY for the position of Chief or second ONLY for the position of Chief. They may do so by providing by mailing or delivering written nomination to the electoral officer or by orally nominating at the nomination meeting.

- The Electoral Officer will send mail-in ballots and voting information to registered off-Reserve voters 35 days prior to election day. However, if you are an on-Reserve band member and you wish to vote by mail-in ballot, you may request one by contacting the Electoral Officer.
- If you, as an elector, wish to receive information from candidates, you may inform the electoral officer to have your address released to the candidates. A release form will also be included in your mail-in nomination package.

FOR NOMINATION MEETING OR ELECTION INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE FOLLOWING:

Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Administration Office 613-396-3424
 Kelly Maracle, Electoral Officer 613-396-5994

For information on or a copy of the Indian Band Election Regulations please contact the above numbers.

ELECTION DATE

Saturday, Dec. 1/01
 9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
 Quinte Mohawk School

LIST OF CANDIDATES

FOR CHIEF: Blaine Loft,
 R. Donald Maracle

FOR COUNCIL: D. Wayne Maracle	Douglas Maracle
William J. Brant	Velma Hill-Dracup
Roy Maracle	Christine Montgomery
Greg P. Brant	Donald Smart
Winston R. Brant	Nancy Hill
Brad Boomhour	

EDUCATION



TRUSTEE'S REPORT OCTOBER, 2001

Greetings All:

The open meeting with Diane Fair, Principal, and Joan Bennett Vice-Principal of Moira Secondary School took place as scheduled October 17. We appreciate the effort they made to come to Tyendinaga to meet members of the community, but they were not the stars of the evening. That honour goes to the nine students who presented skits to illustrate what goes on in the classroom, the school yard and vice-principal's office when individual behaviours and teen-age culture collide with the rules.

Joan Bennett did an excellent job of explaining how school personnel try to anticipate and head off these collisions. Diane Fair elaborated on the thinking that underlies the formation and enforcement of school discipline. The main principles are maintaining an orderly school environment that supports teaching and learning, and ensuring that the school is a safe place for everyone.

One item of discussion was the "zero tolerance" policy regarding violence. Thus, if a fight occurred at school, even if one of the students argued that he was "only defending himself", both combatants would receive a suspension. The severity of the penalty would not necessarily be the same for everyone involved. The vice-principal would try to gather information to hear all sides of the story, including the observations of bystanders. The vice-principal, and youth counsellors who sometimes are drawn in, try to engage students in thinking about alternative strategies for resolving conflicts, or at least avoiding confrontations.

An exchange between the school administrators and community members highlighted how young people have to navigate between expectations of the school, expectations of their parents, and pressure from their peers. One of several strategies for avoiding trouble, suggested by Joan Bennett, was that a student who was afraid of being assaulted could let her or a teacher know about it. A parent pointed out that the student would not be able to hold up his head among his peers if he told the teacher he was afraid, that she herself would tell her son to stand up for himself. Students agreed reluctantly that they would probably be cheering the two sides on if there was a conflict brewing.

Where do all these different expectations leave a vulnerable 15-year-old? I remember a similar situation with one of my sons who was not especially aggressive. He became a target of taunts and provocation from a group of kids at school, so that making his way home was like walking through fire. Striking back at a bunch of guys did not make sense. We agreed that unless he was physically assaulted there was nothing he could do but walk on through it. What really bothered him was his own fear. His solution was to pick up on studying Tae-Kwondo, a form of martial arts that emphasizes self-defense. He never actually was forced to use it in the school yard but the skills he gained gave him the confidence to deal with his fear of bullies. Talking about problems, whether physical, social, or academic, allows young people to try out different ways of dealing with situations that confront them. Standing up for yourself does not necessarily mean throwing a punch. Dropping a course is not the only thing to do if you fail an exam. Parents don't have to provide the solutions for their teen-age sons and daughters. They only have to provide a safe place for bringing feelings and conflicts out in the open and exploring the options. It may come as a surprise that surveys of First Nations young people show that teen-age girls are much more likely than their brothers and male cousins to experience sadness and hopelessness (depression).

In Mohawk communities in the past there were plenty of opportunities for mothers and fathers, aunts and uncles and grandparents to teach coping skills. Teaching was done by example more than words. Caring for farm

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animals, bringing in crops, child care, cooking, cleaning and washing clothes involved a lot of work, which young people shared in from an early age. We learned by observing how adults or older brothers and sisters dealt with success or disappointment, good health or sickness and dying, how they responded to conflict in the family or community.

Nowadays, parents go off to work and young people spend their days in school long after they have the appearance of being fully grown. We have to clear the time and the place to pass on teachings or it is likely not to happen. Teen-agers may say "this is MY life", but they still need (and I believe they want) a bag of strategies endorsed by their families for dealing with life.

The students who participated in the meeting October 17 put their talents to work to encourage dialogue between the community and Moira high school. The adults who showed up were mostly members of the Tyendinaga Education Committee, counselling and teaching staff. We need to take a cue from the young people and broaden the base of community participation. For now, hats off to the young actors and actresses who contributed to a fun-filled meeting: Justin Martin, Tyler Green, Lindsey Green, Lindsay Maracle, Katie Maracle, Jamie Lyn Maracle, Stephanie Jolly, Kayla Brant, and Clarissa Maracle.

Skennen kowa. Great Peace to you.

Marlene Brant Castellano
HPEDSB Trustee for Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte



Fksa O' kon:'a Childcare Centre

We require call in casual supply staff!

Prior experience working with children, a clear criminal reference check and patience are required. If you would like further information or to be included in our next supply staff training session please call

967-4401

Prizes are awarded for the first five that take the Training session.

Or if you would like to volunteer some of your time at the Centre please call the above number.

Remember if you have an EMERGENCY

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911

POLICE



**POLICE PAGE
UNSOLVED CRIMES!**



Tyendinaga Police Unsolved Crimes

Tyendinaga Police are still asking for assistance from anyone with information on the following occurrences.

On August 18, 2001, Tyendinaga Police received a report that a yellow Polaris 4 wheel ATV had been stolen sometime overnight from a residence on Gussy's lane, which is just west of the Skyway bridge.

The ATV had been stored in a locked shed at the north side of the house with another ATV. The owner advises that someone was heard banging on something about 3:30 am, but it was thought to be a neighbour.

The shed door was secured with a latch and padlock. The latch was simply pried off and the ATV removed. There was a second ATV that was parked beside the first that didn't appear to be moved.

The ATV is valued at approximately ten thousand dollars and is described as; 2000 Polaris 4 wheel ATV, yellow, model A00, serial #4ACH33A8YA339534. At the time it was taken, it had an Ontario off road vehicle plate #84AE1 attached.

On September 3, 2001, Tyendinaga Police received a report of a wood splitter and an outboard motor being taken from a residence located at 65 Dundas Street. This residence is actually on Tyendinaga Territory, at the west edge of Deseronto.

The complainant reports that the items were taken from behind the residence sometime overnight.

The wood splitter was a Saucoya; yellow and orange valued at \$900.00

The boat motor was a 1989, 15 horsepower Evinrude, white with grey on the bottom valued at \$1,900.00.

ANYONE WITH INFORMATION ABOUT THESE OCCURRENCES, OR ANY OTHER CRIME, IS ASKED TO CONTACT THE TYENDINAGA POLICE AT 967-3888, OR TO ANONYMOUSLY CALL CRIME STOPPERS AT 969-8477. IF YOUR CALL TO CRIME STOPPERS RESULTS IN AN ARREST, YOU MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR A CASH REWARD.



**CRIME
STOPPERS
QUINTE INC.**

If you have any information about an unsolved crime call Crime Stoppers. You may be entitled to a cash reward if your tip leads to an arrest.

Remember, we don't want your name, but we do want your information.

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**WINTER DRIVING
Quiz**



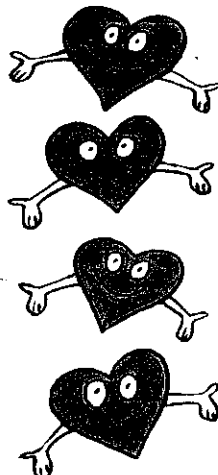
- If your car is covered with snow, the minimum you should do before driving is:
 - a. Brush off the windows, clear a good peep hole on the driver's side, and let the defrosters do the rest as you drive.
 - b. Brush off the windows and thoroughly clear a space 30 cm (one foot) square to enable you to see out the front and back windows.
 - c. Clear all snow off windows, roof and hood, and scrape the ice off all windows.
- Below -20 C the following condition does NOT occur:
 - a. Tire chains cease to be effective for traction.
 - b. Sand ceases to increase traction.
 - c. Snow tires loose their ability to bite into snow.
- When you get stuck on ice or hard packed snow do NOT:
 - a. Spread sand under the tires.
 - b. Gently rock the car back and forth by shifting from forward gear to reverse using the brakes to hold the vehicle between shifts.
 - c. Apply pressure on the gas, keeping your wheels straight, and move out of the situation as quickly as possible.
- If you don't have ABS and must stop quickly in icy or snowy conditions:
 - a. Apply strong, steady pressure to the brake pedal and don't let up.
 - b. Pump your brakes.
 - c. Slam your foot on the brake pedal at once.
- If you go into a skid on ice:
 - a. Apply the brakes to slow yourself down.
 - b. Oversteer to compensate for the direction of the skid.
 - c. Take your foot off the accelerator and declutch or shift to neutral.
 - d. All of the above.

Miss a few? Here are the correct answers.

Answers to Winter Driving Quiz

- If your car is covered with snow, the minimum you should do before driving is:
 - c. Clean all snow and ice off all windows. Also remove loose snow from the hood and roof to prevent it from blowing up on the windshield or drifting over the back window as you drive. Don't be a peep hole driver, and ensure all windows are defrosted before starting out.
- Below -20 C the following condition does NOT occur:
 - c. Snow tires do not loose their effectiveness at low temperatures. But remember they are designed to help you on unpacked snow and are little help on ice or hard packed snow. Tire chains and sand give you traction at temperatures closer to the freezing mark, but not at very low temperatures. Always approach ice or hard packed snow with care.
- When you get stuck on ice or hard packed snow do NOT:
 - c. If you apply too much power you will just spin your wheels. Rather, use the "easy does it" approach when starting on icy surfaces. Clear away snow from around the tires and create traction. Rocking the car allows you to increase the distance travelled with each rock.
- When you have to stop quickly in icy or snowy conditions:
 - a. But stop short of locking your wheels. The best defence is to leave a greater distance between your vehicle and the one ahead of you, and to reduce your speed to decrease your stopping distance. Slamming your brakes could lock the wheels and produce an uncontrolled skid. However, with anti-lock brakes (ABS), c is a valid answer.
- If you go into a skid:
 - c. Do not put on your brakes. Follow your natural impulse and steer to keep the car going in its original direction, but don't oversteer. When you feel the car regaining traction, start to straighten your wheels. Be prepared to handle a skid in the opposite direction.

HEALTH CENTRE



CPR Course

November 19, 2001

6:30pm - 9:30pm

Thayendanega Health Centre

Cost: \$10.00

Info: CHR's, 967-3603

The Tyendinaga Home Support program provides services that support and encourage independent living to seniors living in the community age 55 plus. We are located at:

Thayendanega Health Centre
R.R. 1, 1658 York Road
Deseronto, Ontario
K0K 1X0
Phone: 613-967-3603

Home Support programs include:

Meals on Wheels Program - A hot nutritious meal is delivered every Tuesday and Friday between 11:30am and 12:30pm. Meals also available for anyone who is a diabetic.

Diner's Club Program - Every second and fourth Wednesday of each month a nutritious meal is prepared and served at the Elders Lodge at 12:00pm.

Transportation Program - The Home Support Mohawk Handi-van is used to transport seniors living in the community to all Home Support and community activities. Every Monday and Friday between the hours of 9:30am and 12:30pm, the handi-van transports seniors living in the community to Deseronto to do banking, shopping, etc.

Home Maintenance Program - Assistance is provided for household tasks beyond the individuals capability. Examples of this service would include; grass cutting, painting, window washing.

Social and Recreational Programs - Provides supervised activities for seniors in a group setting. Examples of this service include ceramic classes, bowling, monthly grocery shopping trip and special pre-arranged outings.

Friendly Visits - Provides "friendly visits" to seniors in their homes. Visits are made by staff and volunteers, under agency supervision.

The Home Support Team consists of:

Tracey Burnett, Coordinator
Jessica Brant, Resource Person
Gloria Brant, Cook
Georgena Hill, Handi-van Driver
Orla Maracle, Meals on Wheels Volunteer
Donald Loft, Home Maintenance Volunteer

For more information regarding the Home Support program, please contact Tracey or Jessica at 967-3603.

NURSING MOTHERS' GROUP
of
Tyendinaga
invites



BREASTFEEDING MOTHERS & BABIES

to their ongoing series of meetings
on the 2nd & 4th Friday mornings of each month.

From 10:00 am to 12:00 noon

Thayendanega Health Centre

Small Children Welcome

Interested Women or young girls welcome

Friendly mother - to - mother support . Lending library

Nutritional Assistance for Moms.

Baby's weight check & Help with breastfeeding problems available
Information & discussions on breastfeeding related topics such as:
avoiding problems, nursing discreetly, nighttime needs, expressing
or pumping milk, introducing solid foods, understanding your baby,
fertility awareness . . .

November 9: Getting Started... New Challenges

November 23: As Baby Grows... Recipes for Fussy Days

For more info, or if you would like to attend but have an obstacle
we could help with (i.e. transportation, child care etc.)

please call 967-3603

THE BREASTFEEDING CIRCLE

Can a breastfeeding mother have the flu shot?

Yes. The following vaccines are considered compatible (safe) with breastfeeding. If needed by a nursing mother, they do not require her to stop or interrupt breastfeeding:

.cholera	.rabies
.chicken pox	.rubella (German measles)
.diphtheria	.RhoGam
.influenza (flu)	.tetanus
.measles	.typhoid
.oral and injected polio	.typhus
.pertussis (whooping cough)	.yellow fever

Are there other treatments that can help boost my immune system without affecting either my milk supply or my baby adversely?

Yes. Some traditional, natural, time-tested remedies that are safe to use while breastfeeding are: Vitamin C, Echinacea, Garlic, Red Raspberry leaf, Pycnogenol (pine bark extract) or Bilberry extract, and Colloidal Silver. Homeopathic remedies, such as mucococcinum (taken preventatively) and oscillococcinum (for flu symptoms), are safe, gentle and compatible with breastfeeding. Check with a licensed natural health practitioner for specific advice.

There is strong and growing evidence that chiropractic care can profoundly enhance immune system function.

Diets rich in whole, unprocessed foods including plenty of vegetables and fruits daily, (especially raw) strengthen the immune system and resistance to infections, sometimes dramatically. However, processed foods, junk foods, and foods containing sugar compete with, and undo, this benefit.

If you do get sick, very few maternal illnesses require a mother to stop breastfeeding. This is particularly true of infections. Most infections are caused by viruses. Most infections caused by viruses are most infectious before the mother realizes she is sick. By the time the mother has a fever (or cold, runny nose, diarrhea, vomiting, rash, etc.), she has already passed on the infection to her baby. However, breastfeeding protects the baby against infection, and the mother should thus continue breastfeeding. Within 24 hours your milk has antibodies in it to help fight your specific illness. Weaning increases your baby's chances of getting sick, and your physical problems by causing engorged, painful breasts or even mastitis. Tuck your baby into bed with you, nurse lying down, rest, drink lots, and get help if possible. Generally, over-the-counter cold and flu medications and analgesics are compatible with breastfeeding, however many antihistamines will dramatically decrease milk supply. Fenugreek is an excellent alternative to antihistamines, since it actually boosts milk supply! Homemade chicken soup is a natural decongestant, and Ginger (real) safely helps settle nausea.

If your baby does get sick with diarrhea, vomiting, or respiratory symptoms, he is usually less sick than if breastfeeding had stopped and will get better more quickly on breastmilk. But often mothers are pleasantly surprised that their babies do not get sick at all.

Jytte Cooper and Gale Hayward for the Breastfeeding Support Group

Brenda Asselstine Community Health Nurse

References:

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HEALTH CENTRE



Angel Tree Program

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

The Angel tree will again be located in the reception area on the main level of the Thayendanega Health Centre. Angels will be available beginning November 5, 2001.

It has only been with the support of our caring community that the Angel Tree Program has been such a success, year after year.

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

We ask that all unwrapped gifts (with the angel identifying code be attached) and returned to the Health Centre no later than December 7th, 2001

For more information, please contact the CHR's at Thayendanga Health Centre at 967-3603



Angel Tree Program

Purpose: To assist families who are less fortunate, during the Christmas season. Services will be provided to community members residing on the Tyendinaga Territory.

The CHR's will be taking referrals as of November 1, 2001

Previous month income statement and/or current proof of income must be submitted with application form.

Deadline for application is December 6, 2001

If you plan on using the Angel Tree Program, please contact the CHR's as soon as possible at Thayendanega Health Centre at 967-3603

THE TYENDINAGA COALITION FOR HEALTHY LIFESTYLES
 is hosting a
SILENT AUCTION & CRAFT/BAKE SALE
 "and a table especially for children"

on **SATURDAY DECEMBER 1/01**
 11:00AM - 3:00PM
 at the
Mohawk Community Centre
 York Road
 Tyendinaga Territory

Also Serving: **Chili, Dinner Roll & Beverage**

Come in after visiting the Election Booth and bid on some items and warm up with a light luncheon.

For information or INTERESTED CRAFT VENDORS, call
 The Health Centre, 967-3603

Proceeds to go toward The Diabetes Conference in May 2002



Winter Safety

Do you know why it is important to dress according to the weather?

In the cold, hats, scarves, and mitts help to keep important body heat that you can lose without even feeling the cold. This is called hypothermia.

You can get very sick and even die from hypothermia. When it is really hot, a hat will keep you from getting too much sun and getting sick.

This is called sunstroke. In the rainy weather, boots and rainwear will keep you dry and free from catching a cold.

Keeping healthy is just one other way of being safe!

CHR Program

HEAD START PROGRAM



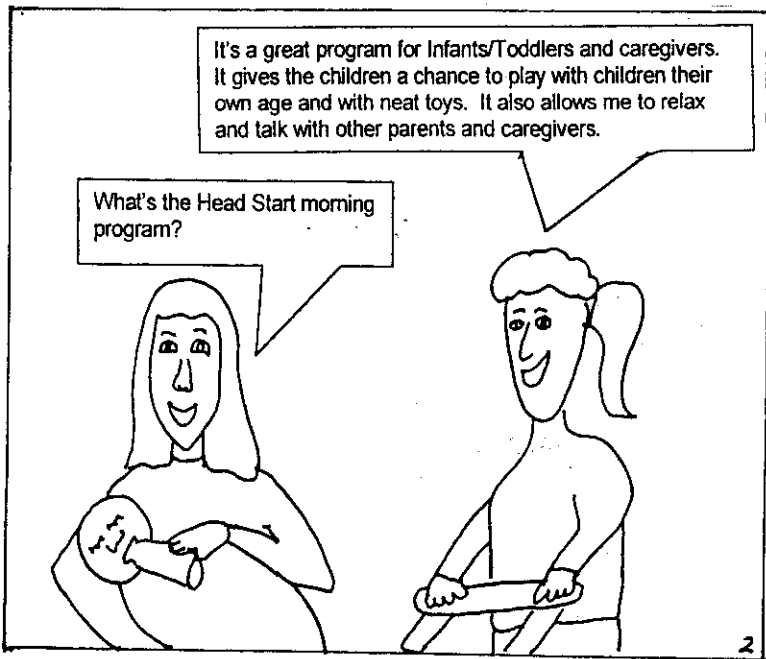
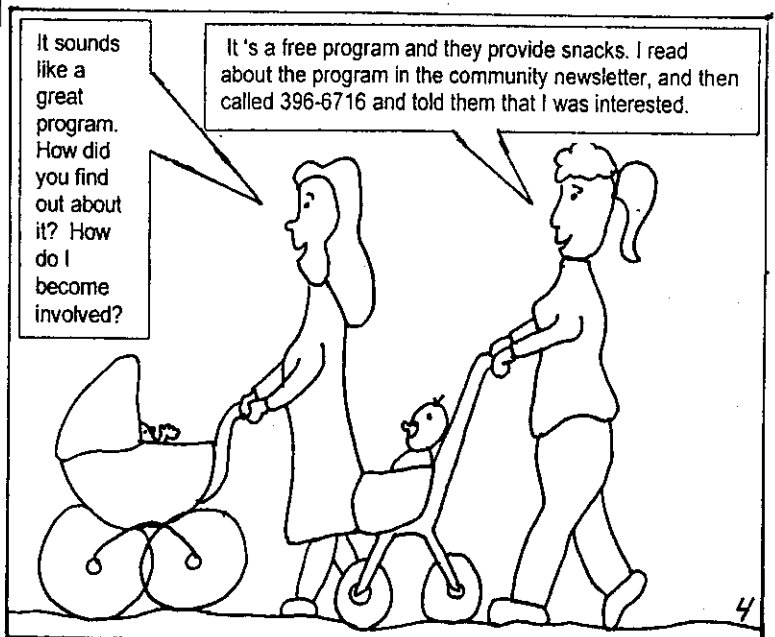
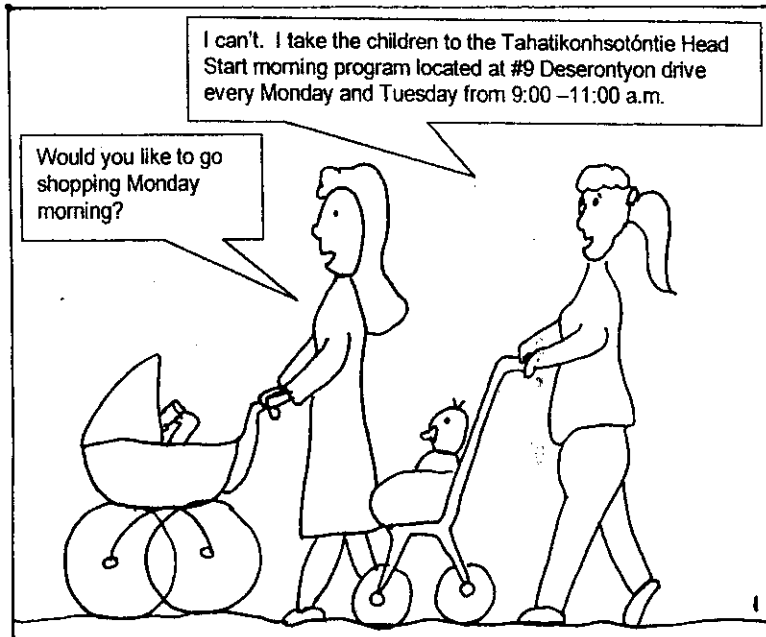
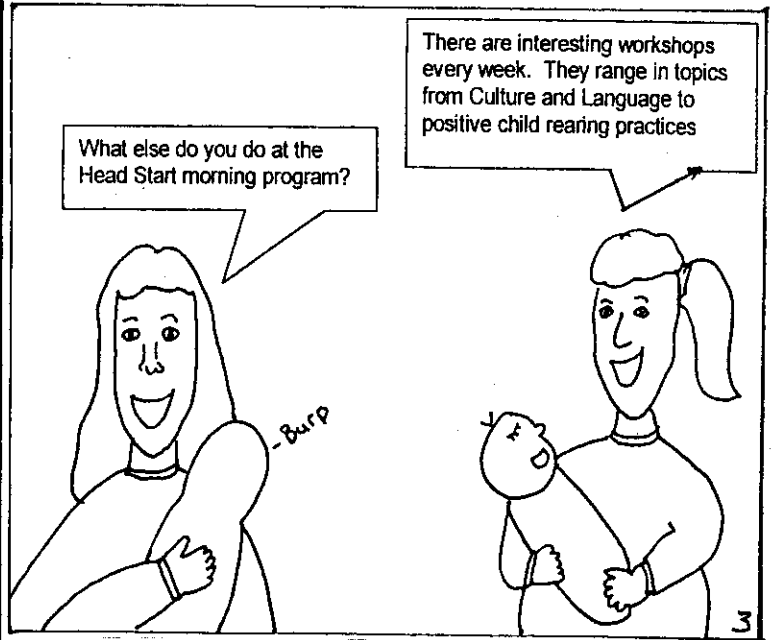
TAHATIKONHSOTONTIE FIRST NATION HEAD START

The teachers and children of Tahatikohsotontie Head Start would like to thank our Elders Ada Doreen, Ann Maracle and Anna-Mae Maracle for coming to visit with us. The stories about your childhood were very interesting and insightful. We are grateful for the teachings and life lessons you have shared with us. We hope you had enjoyed yourself, and please know that you are always welcome. The team at Tahatikohsotontie would like to encourage any community member who would like to share any stories, life experiences or talents to call us at 396-6716 to arrange a date. Nya:wen Kowa

Yotsiokwa Sewakwekon

Tahatikohsotontie will be offering basic Mohawk Language Classes every Monday evening for the month of November from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Child care may be provided, inquire upon registering with Cindy Maracle at Tahatikohsotontie Head Start 396-6716.

TAHATIKONHSOTONTIE HEAD START



BILL AND MELINDA GATES

THE SUPPORT OF THE GATES LIBRARY INITIATIVE THROUGH THE MINISTRY OF TOURISM, CULTURE AND RECREATION IS ACKNOWLEDGED.

Internet access

Highlights

- Free Internet Access
- Office programs
- Children's Programs

Phone: 613-967-6264
Email:karen@library.tyendinaga.net

Kanhiote Tyendinaga Territory Public Library

RED CEDARS

RED CEDARS SHELTER'S OUTREACH PROGRAM

What's happening?

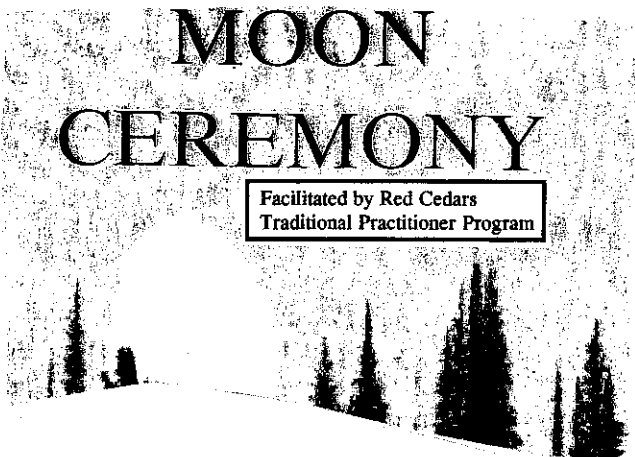
Look forward to the Seniors Calendar coming out before the New Year.

Spend a day with us on November 19 for "A Day of family". Learn new ways to play and communicate with your children. Important information on managing stress and getting energized. Learn to have fun and enjoy being a family. Nutrition update and interactive workshops for all ages. Open to community members.

The 3rd Annual Women's Day will take place on March 9TH and will be all about how to pamper and take care of yourself. Open to the women of Tyendinaga 19 years and older.

Look forward to the Dedication Lights to help revive those good thoughts and let that special someone know you care about them, coming mid November.

Nia:wen
Mary Ann Spencer
Outreach Worker, Red Cedars Shelter
967-6544 or 967-2003



All Women Welcome!

WHERE: RED CEDARS SHELTER
WHEN: NOVEMBER 28
TIME: 7:00 P.M.
Please wear a skirt and bring water and tobacco if you can.
Call for more information: 967-2003
POTLUCK after the Ceremony

COMMUNITY OUTREACH WORKER

PURPOSE

The purpose of the Outreach Worker Program is to offer the community Out-patient crisis counselling, court support, advocacy, awareness and knowledge of Family Violence and follow-up of clients. The Outreach Worker connects with other agencies maintaining resources and updating information. The Outreach Worker also provides a stimulating and interactive program for children.

GOAL

To build a foundation of trust within the community based on Traditional beliefs and values while respecting all cultures and races. To offer choices and alternatives to living with abuse.

SERVICES OFFERED

- Counselling in settings that are safe and convenient for those wishing to access the services. This could include home visits, visits at the shelter, or any other safe meeting place designated by the community member.
- Support during court appearances and guidance of the Judicial System and victim rights
- Advocate on behalf of any person needing assistance dealing with Family Violence issues. This could also include addressing housing issues, talking with police, helping with Legal Aid or Social Services.
- Provide an environment based on compassion and confidentiality.
- Interact with non-native agencies providing cultural awareness and sensitivity when working with Native people.
- leadership and knowledge regarding abuse issues and works as a team player with other staff members at Red Cedars Shelter.
- Follow-up on any person who has left the Shelter to ensure their needs are being met and provided support. Also providing programs

WHO CAN ACCESS THESE SERVICES

- Any community member on or off Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory
- Any native or non-native person.

WHAT CAN YOU EXPECT FROM THESE SERVICES

- A Professional and confidential quality of care.
- Compassion and understanding.
- A non-judgmental and non biased environment.
- Safety, trust and honesty.

RED CEDARS TRADITIONAL PRACTITIONER PROGRAM

Services:

One on one and/or group counselling & healing session(s) with a Traditional Practitioner
Referrals
Guidance, counselling & healing to community members & MBQ staff
Organize & offer ceremonies, cultural events, & workshops to the community.

FOR APPOINTMENT PLEASE CALL:

Traditional Practitioner Program @
(613) 969-2215 or
Red Cedars @ (613) 967-2003

RED CEDARS

RED CEDAR'S; TRADITIONAL PRACTITIONER PROGRAM

Our Purpose is address the legacy of abuse left by Indian Residential & Day Schools.

Our Goal is to motivate the community to begin a healing path, where the whole human being is taken into consideration.

We are located at Red Cedars Shelter, upstairs in the west wing.

On staff, we have two Traditional Practitioners, they are Diane Hill and Banakonda Bell, and also, one Helper who is Betty Carr-Braint.

The Traditional Practitioners are in the Shelter two days a month and the Helper is available 8:30 to 4:30, Monday to Friday.

PHONE: (613) 969-2215
FAX : (613) 967-5998

TEAMWORK SELF-ASSESSMENT

Practising **RESPECT** means that we or I can:

1. Treat everything and everyone as beings who are unique individuals with a special gift and purpose, yet are connected to a common goal.
2. Help coworkers and residents to strengthen their belief in self, in their abilities to help others and in the use of their intuitive (spiritual) senses.
3. Know my limits, recognize my own boundaries and those of other people.
4. Disagree with people and work to resolve problems without shutting down.
5. Be open-minded about the traditions and practices of other people.
6. Share my own beliefs, but not to impose them on others.
7. Listen to what other people believe and choose to practise those things which will help to achieve a balance within myself and with all of Creation.
8. Take the time to practise giving thanks each day. (Whether as a group or as an individual).
9. We can benefit from other people's knowledge when working and communicating as a group.
10. Admit without shame that, "I don't know, but want to learn about many things including learning about native cultures."
11. Ask questions and seek information from other people, places, books and resources to further my understanding of self, others and my own culture.
12. Practise communicating clearly by paying attention to my choice of words, my body language, facial expression, voice tone and especially my feelings.
13. Develop a tolerance and understanding of feelings that allows me to feel compassion and empathy for others.
14. Incorporate spirituality into everyday life by simply paying attention to the energy and life forces of everything and everyone.

POSITIVELY NEGATIVE (Excerpt from Ann Landers column)

We drank for joy and became miserable.
 We drank for sociability and became argumentative.
 We drank for friendship and became enemies.
 We drank to help us sleep and awakened exhausted.
 We drank to gain strength and it made us weaker.
 We drank for exhilaration and ended up depressed.
 We drank for "medical reasons" and acquired health problems.
 We drank to help calm us down and ended up with the shakes.
 We drank to get more confidence and became afraid.
 We drank to make conversation flow more easily and the words came out slurred and incoherent.
 We drank to diminish our problems and saw them multiply.
 We drank to feel heavenly and ended up feeling like hell.

(Author unknown)

RED CEDARS & LIBRARY



Do you have clothes that you don't wear and that you would like to get rid of? If you would like to donate them please call Red Cedars Shelter at 967-2003 for drop off or pick up.

Donations are greatly appreciated.
Needed: Children's Winter Clothing of All Ages

VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN STATISTICS:

- Over 1/2 of all women murdered in Canada are killed by a current or former husband or boyfriend.
- Each month, an average of 3-4 women are murdered by their partners in ONTARIO.
- A survey by Statistics Canada shows that 51% of women over the age of 18 have experienced at least 1 incident of physical or sexual violence since the age of 16.
- 1/3 of married women have experienced violence from their current or previous partner.
- In Ontario, the number of school-aged children exposed to woman abuse in their homes is estimated to be 150,000 to 250,000 -- That means that 3-5 children in each classroom may be exposed to woman abuse in their homes.
- In Canada, 4/10 women report that their children witnessed violence. This means that 1 million kids in Canada witness violence by their father, or mother's partner.
- 80-90% of children in homes where there is woman abuse are aware of and affected by the violence that is occurring.
- A total of 90,792 women and children were admitted to 413 shelters for abused women across Canada in 1997-1998.

We All Have A Responsibility To End The Violence

WHAT YOU CAN DO TO SUPPORT A FRIEND OR RELATIVE WHO MAY BE IN AN ABUSIVE RELATIONSHIP

- > Believe her story.
- > Respect her right to confidentiality.
- > Let her know you care and want to help. Listen, and let her talk about her feelings. She needs emotional support.
- > Do not judge or give advice. Talk to her about her options, and respect her right to make her own choices. She doesn't need to leave home, or end her abusive relationship in order to access free and confidential services from Red Cedars Shelter.
- > Tell her that she is not alone. Relationship violence happens to many women, at all income and education levels, in all social classes, in all religious and ethnic groups.
- > Explain that ABUSE IS ABOUT ONE PERSON ATTEMPTING TO GAIN POWER & CONTROL OVER ANOTHER. Remember that for her, information is power and it may help her find the emotional strength to take action.
- > Reassure her that she does not cause the abuse. The abuser learned to use violence and controlling behaviour long before their relationship began.
- > Physical safety is the first priority for the woman and her children. Tell her that abuse, without intervention usually increases over time. Help her evaluate her safety and ongoing protection issues.
- > Encourage her to develop an emergency "safety plan" in advance. In Hastings & Lennox & Addington Counties she can call:
 - Red Cedars Shelter 24 hour Crisis Line (Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory) at 967-8212 or 1-800-672-9515
 - Lennox & Addington Interval House 24 Hour Crisis Line (Napanee) at 354-1010 or 1-800-667-1010
 - Three Oaks Foundation 24 Hour Crisis Line (Belleville) at 966-3074 or 1-800-267-0533
- > Discuss with her how exposure to woman abuse in the home affects her children.
- > Give clear messages, including:
 - Violence is never okay or justifiable. Wife assault is a criminal offence.
 - She is NOT TO BLAME, and cannot change her partner's behaviour.
 - Apologies and promises will not end the abuse.
 - She is not crazy.
 - She is not alone.
 - Abuse is not a loss of control, it is a means of control.



KANHIOTE

KANHIOTE - TYENDINAGA TERRITORY PUBLIC LIBRARY
967-6264
karenl@library.tyendinaga.net

.....more than books

If you would like to learn more about computer uses or to e-mail a friend or relative Wendy Rogalsky is working for the Community Access Project at the library. Her hours are Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 8:30 a.m.- 4:30p.m. You can also make an appointment for another day or time.

If you have struggled with weight loss join our Wednesday night group for inspiration and helpful tips with meal plans, workouts, recipes and more. We meet at 7:00 p.m.

If you have an interest in Kanien'keha we have many resources to help you learn. There is also language classes...call Ohahase for information on the next session.

If you want to research your family tree there is a lot of information on file...thanks to Trish Rae and Lisa Maracle of the Research Department.

Several classes from Quinte Mohawk School make regular visits to Kanhiote Library.

.....newspapers, magazines, videos, vertical file, Internet access...

Kanhiote Library will be selling tickets on a Harvest Basket draw. Please be generous with your support to continue to provide quality resources to Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory.



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Community Access Program (CAP)

Tuesday 8:30am - 12 noon, 1:00 - 4:30pm
Wednesday 8:30am - 12 noon, 1:00 - 4:30pm
Thursday 12:00 - 4:00, 6:00-8:00pm

KANHIOTE Library is now offering...

FREE Internet access & instruction

FREE E-Mail

Create a Web page for you, your business or your Family









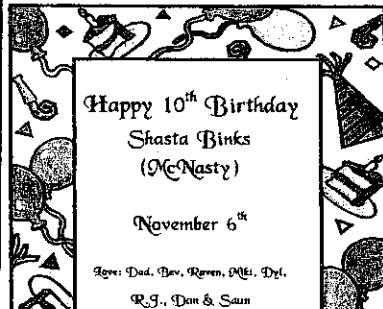
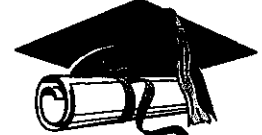

FREE Instruction for programs such as Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook, Access and Publisher

Kids play computers games while your parents learn or learn along with them!

For more information contact Wendy at 967-6264.



BIRTHDAYS

<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>Mom! Nov. 25</p>  <p>Thinking of you today, & everyday. I love you more than you know! Lots of Love, Your one & only Ang!</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>Mom (Nora) Nov. 29</p>  <p>Love Em Baby Doll XOXO</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>Hannah Nov. 9</p>  <p>Love ya!</p> <p>Aunt Bonnie, Uncle Bill Cassie, Gregg, Bart, & Haley XOXOXO</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>Sonia</p>  <p>Have a good one!</p> <p>Love Bonnie, Bill Cassie, Gregg, Bart & Haley XOXO</p>
<p>Happy 11th Birthday!</p> <p>Shalafae</p>  <p>Nov. 6</p> <p>Love Mom & Dad</p>	<p>Happy 5th Birthday!</p> <p>Saide</p>  <p>Nov. 9</p> <p>Love Mom, Dad & Sheldon</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>Marilyn</p>  <p>"You are not getting older! You are getting better!"</p> <p>Love M.J. and Bill</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p> <p>Uncle J.R.</p>  <p>Nov. 12</p> <p>Love Em. Baby Doll XOXO</p>
 <p>Happy 10th Birthday</p> <p>Shasta Binks (McNasty)</p> <p>November 6th</p> <p>Love: Dad, Bev, Karen, MEl, Dyl, R.J., Dan & Sam</p>	<p>Congratulations to Sylvie Brant on Graduating from Queen's University and receiving her degree in Education. Way to go!!</p>  <p>Love the whole Family</p>		<p>Sweet 16</p> <p>Miki (Mooser)</p> <p>November 8th</p>  <p>Love: Mom, Roy, Dyl, Shasta, Rene, R.J., Sam & Dan</p>

THE QUESTION OF "WHO IS AN ELDER" HAS ARISEN?

"Elders" as defined in the Oxford and Roget's dictionaries: *the older or more senior of two indicated persons, earlier born, persons of greater or seniority, a person advanced in life, member of a senate or governing body, an official in the early Christian, Presbyterian of Mormon Churches, one stands above another in rank and an elderly person.*
Finally from the Webster's dictionary: *a person who is respected and whose authority is recognized because of his/her age or worthiness, - i.e. a village elder.*
 Also a small black or red berry.

As indicated above, all christian denominations also have elders. As do, I'm sure, South and Central American, African, Chinese, etc...and relating to their ethnicity.

WE SHOULD BE LOOKING AT, "HOW DO NATIVE PEOPLE DEFINE ELDER?" AND "WHAT ARE THE REQUIREMENTS DEFINING AN ELDER?"

The following is correspondence that I have had with people from other Onkwehonwe communities. In this conversation all of the qualification below have been put into a masculine sense but equally apply to female Elders.

"An Elder should first of all be a family person: He should be able to look after his family in a good way and provide for them. If he cannot then how can he look after people who come to him for guidance.

He should be have knowledge of his language and be able to speak and understand it. He should have knowledge of the ceremonies and even if he, himself doesn't lead in them, he should have knowledge of those who are gifted to carry those ceremonies so that he can refer to them.

He should have knowledge of the history of his people, knowing where they have been, where they are now and where they are going.

He should be a person that does not give himself over to substances (alcohol and drugs.) In other words there should be no foreign substances that control him.

He should be a man of prayer and respect for the Creator and all of the Created order.

He should be an honest person, not given over to untruths.

He should be kindhearted, not showing traits of jealousy, anger, deceit, etc.

He should be a person not given over to brawling or fighting, but one who tries to use calm deliberation to deal with critical matters.

He must always be able to put others before himself.

He must have experienced many things and speak from that experience.

He must understand the balances people face between the positive and negative.

He should have knowledge of the healing methods used by his people or know who are the ones to be referred to.

More than anything he should have the ability to forgive and seek the best in people. It should always be remembered that Elders are real human beings, not Gods.

These are most of the things that were mentioned. I am sure there are many more.

The age was really insignificant. Some people have been through many things at a young

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age and can teach us many things. Others are older but have not experienced as much, that is why we have young Elders and old ones."

THIS IS ANOTHER ONKWEHONWE OPINION:

"In my opinion it's a title of respect and reverence. It's a community acknowledgement that this person's experiences and lessons learned are valuable and needed. To me an elder is someone who is a role model for the community.

It doesn't mean someone who has lived a life that is perfect, but someone who has learned from that life and now has the knowledge to provide guidance, based on their life experience-be it good or bad.

It's someone who is respected by the community for their leadership and character.

It's someone who's judgement is respected enough to be called upon by the community.

It's a person who connects us to our past, our culture and tradition. They are the holders of our language, our stories and ceremonies and they keep these alive within our community.

It's a person who is compassionate and non-judgmental when their counsel is needed, but who admonishes, as well, when needed.

It's a person who understands how life and human beings work. Someone who understands nature and our connectedness to it and sees that all we are is an extension of what is around us.

It's a person with a good understanding of the spirituality and to see the potential for good in all of us.

I heard someone say that our Mohawks Elders have a beautifully simplistic and humble understanding of life and that is reflected in the manner of which they speak."

So, to para-phrase: knowledge of our language, culture and traditions. Honesty, kindheartedness, life experience and community respect. Compassion, non-judgmental, having spirituality and being substance free.

Not every Elder can boast having all of these qualities, after all they are only human.

I hope that some of your questions have been answered. We should keep in mind that there is a definite distinction between Elder and Elderly.

"Elderly" person as defined by these dictionaries: *far along in life or time, somewhat old, rather old and past middle age.*

QUESTIONS, COMMENTS OR IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ADD TO THIS LIST PLEASE

CONTACT ME:

CURTIS MARACLE, COORDINATOR MUSEUM/CULTURAL CENTRE
396-3424, EXT. 107

COMMUNITY INTEREST

A NOTE OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT.

Niawen kowa and heartfelt appreciation for the many kind and thoughtful acts, wishes, condolences and sympathies extended to our family when Lloyd moved on from this Mother Earth, October 1, 2001.

Special Thanks to John Jeffries, Jonathan Maracle for the sound system, Jess Powell from ParaMed for time spent with Lloyd, to the many people who brought food, and to those special people who organized from the kitchen on Wednesday and Thursday. Flowers, donations, cards and regrets were received from Florida to Arizona to New York State and all in between; in Canada from Six Nations, Akwesasne, Kahnawake and from many friends and relatives located all over our Mother Earth. Lloyd's years here with us, touched, and was touched by many beautiful people, and for this we offer our thanks. It is wonderful to feel so many variations of support in our time of loss.

*The Brants
Audrey, Harold, Richard, Audie, Jim, Lynn, Lonnie and our families.*



*Lloyd... You'll
Never be Forgotten...*

Many thanks from the family of the late Ron Hill. We would like to express our love and gratitude to all family, friends and neighbours for their many acts of kindness at such a difficult time.

Special thanks to Bonnie, Gail, Ina, Lou, and Carlene for preparing and serving meals for the family. Also the cleanup was greatly appreciated.

Thanks to the community for the many donations of food and the hands that prepared the lovely luncheons.

Thanks to all for the floral tributes, the monetary donations to All Saint's Church, the Liver Foundation and the Diabetic Association and to Chief and Council for the use of the Community Centre for the reception after the funeral.

The family would like also to express gratitude to Ron's friends and neighbours at the Elder's Lodge for their care and concern during his illness. Sincere appreciation to Gail Brant for the many prayers, meals, trips to the doctor, and all the other kindnesses shown throughout Ron's illness.

The family thank Father John Jeffries, Rev. Shirley Shouldice, Lynn Brant, Narda Iulg, Jessie Hill, Oke Maracle and Bud Maracle for your participation in the service.

The support and service of the McGlade Funeral Home staff was truly appreciated.

Apologies to anyone that we may have overlooked.

In love and friendship - Ron's Family.

Thank You!

*Thanks to the Ladies of All Saints Church
for the food & prayers on behalf
of Russell Chapman.*

*Special Thanks to:
Ken & Gail Brant, Audrey Brant
Mary Wales, Hilda Maracle
Eddie Barnhardt & Family.
Ben O'Coin, Steve Nicolas &
Jim & Judy Maracle.*

*From his sister Ivy
& his very good friend Hilda Maracle*

Thank you all again.

**In Loving Memory
Violet "Katsi:tsiwaks" Clench**

*Time is passing year by year,
But your families remembers,
All the love you showed us while you were here.*

*Your love continued,
As we grew and had families of our own.
If your times were bad it was hardly shown.
Through your strength and teachings,
We thank you for it all,
For you taught us to be strong, respectful,
and stand tall.*

*Grateful for you being our Mother, Grandmother, and Great Grandmother
Gail & Family*

Thank You

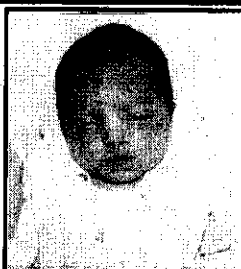
*Thanks goes to all members and friends
who made our Corn Soup Supper
such a huge success.*

*Thanks again,
Mary, Secretary of the 59'ers Club*

COMMUNITY INTEREST & UPCOMING EVENTS

She's Finally Here!

Bub and Laura would like to welcome their new baby girl!



"Jurnee Elizabeth Yvonne Maracle "
Born: August 11, 2001
Weight: 7 lbs. 1 ¼ oz.
Belleville General Hospital

Proud Grandparents are Carol Anne & Patrick Maracle and Connie & Phil Maracle.

Proud Great Grandparents are Mildred & Reg Maracle.

Jurnee has lots of Aunties, Uncles, Cousins and special friends who she sends thanks to for all their support and gifts.

We would like to extend a special mention to the nurses and doctors at BGH. We would have gone insane without your PATIENCE and encouragement.

Heartfelt thanks, hugs & kisses are sent to Melanie Bonner, Mom (Connie Maracle) and Aunt Yvonne. We were honoured to have these women by our side the whole time as our support team. This special team made it a wonderful and joyful experience.

It's a Boy!



Brandy & Finn are pleased to announce the safe arrival of their son.

"Logan Paul Roland Maracle "
Born: October 20, 2001
Weight: 8 lbs. 3 ½ oz.
Belleville General Hospital

Proud Siblings: Chayla, Dakota & Noah

Proud Grandparents: Keith & Monica of Tyendinaga
 Don & Stacey of Tyendinaga
 Candy & Paul of Barrie Ontario

It's a Boy!



Welcome Lucas!

Born on October 5/2001

Congratulations Manson, Stacie and Jackson.

Love Aunt Jessi and Uncle Mike.

Deadline Date for the next newsletter is
 Monday Nov. 26. at noon. Call 396-3424

Kimmy & Tim Hill-Childers

The families of Willard and the late Tina (Eleanor) Hill of Tyendinaga and Dottie Clouse (Childers) of Lexington, Kentucky are proud to announce the marriage of Kimberly and Timothy Hill-Childers which was held at Christ Church Tyendinaga on October 5, 2001.



Thank You!

The Tyendinaga Pow Wow would like to thank the community and friends for all their efforts toward a successful 2001 Pow Wow and Raffle as well as the donors of the raffle prizes.

Under license # MBQ-01-R5 the donors, prizes and winners were:

Donor	Prize	Winner
Vernon Benn	Set of 2 lamps	Sandra John
Wilma Maracle	Large Ceramic	Kyle Walsh
Harold Whalen	Small Ceramic	Mike Matthews

See you next year.

Nia:wen Ko:wa

The Tyendinaga Mohawk PowWow Committee.

AUTUMN SPAGHETTI DINNER

COME CELEBRATE WITH US AND ENJOY

AN AUTUMN SPAGHETTI DINNER

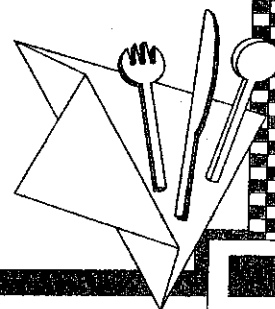
NOVEMBER 22ND, 2001

QUEEN ANNE CENTRE

5 P.M. TO 7 P.M.

COST:
FREEWILL DONATION
PROCEEDS TO CHURCH
AND
OUTREACH PROJECTS
E.G. YOUTH MINISTRY

ALSO:
SALE OF PRESERVES



UPCOMING EVENTS

**CANADIAN
ABORIGINAL FESTIVAL**

Featuring the
**Toronto
International Pow
Wow**



**November
24th and 25th
2001
(American Thanksgiving
Weekend)**

**Open Drum
Competition**

**MICHIPICOTEN FIRST NATION AND
NON-MEMBERS**

TRAINING: FLY ON YOUR OWN - 5 DAY

PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

WHERE: M.F.N. BAND HALL

WHEN: NOVEMBER 19-23/2001

There is a registration fee for non-members of \$50.00 dollars.
Deadline to register is November 16th, 2001.

For more information please call Lena or Phil at
(705) 856-1993 or 1-888-303-7723

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M.F.N. Health Staff



R.F.R. #6, Box 178 Rama, Ontario L0K 1T0 ◊
telephone (705) 329-3325

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

STARTING THE NEW YEAR OFF ROCK'IN
Casino Rama announces January 2002 concert line-up

MNJIKANING (RAMA), ON (Wednesday, October 24, 2001) – Casino Rama is pleased to announce the January 2002 concert line-up at the Entertainment Centre. The line-up will be highlighted by scheduled performances from one of America's best-known country acts, The Oakridge Boys and legendary singer, songwriter Neil Sedaka.

The January 2002 concert line-up includes performances by:

- Neil Sedaka January 5th
- The Monkees January 11th & 12th
- Blood Sweat & Tears January 18th & 19th
- The Oakridge Boys January 25th & 26th

Tickets are available at the Casino Rama Box Office, all Ticketmaster locations by calling (416) 870-8000 and online at www.ticketmaster.ca. Ticket prices for each performance will vary, please see the Casino Rama web site for more details at www.casinorama.com.

Casino Rama's Entertainment Centre has earned a reputation for presenting world-class concerts including Faith Hill, Ringo Starr & His All-Star Band, Michael Bolton, Martina McBride, Tony Bennett, and Olivia Newton-John.

Operating 24-hours a day, seven days a week since July 31, 1996, Casino Rama is Ontario's only First Nations commercial casino. The Casino offers a complete entertainment experience with over 2,100 slot machines, more than 120 gaming tables, seven unique restaurants and a world-class 5,000 seat Entertainment Centre. Currently under construction, a 300-room all-suite, full-service hotel, which will include two additional restaurants, a spa and health club facilities. The hotel is scheduled to open in May 2002.

"PLEASE
DISTRIBUTE"

LOST GENERATIONS

"PLEASE
POST"



Victims of Residential Schools – Restoring Balance
Project Coordinator: Geronimo Henry

Funded By:
Aboriginal Healing Foundation.

Delivered By:
Six Nations Health Services



PRESENTS

Traditional & Western/Conventional Healing Circles

Place: Odrohehta – "The Gathering Place" Six Nations Tourism located on Hwy #54 & Chiefswood Road
When: Every Wednesday evening starting September 26 to February 27, 2002
Time: 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

1st half – Topic Presentation Sessions – All Ages Welcome
2nd half – Sharing Circles – Separate, Confidential discussion groups for Survivors who must be 18 years of age & over
Support Counsellors will be in attendance at each session
Iida Maria, Con Bomberry, Melba Thomas

Date	Topic	Presenter(s)
Week 7 – November 7	"Clan Mothers"	Carol Bomberry
Week 8 – November 14	"Reclaiming the Spirit, After Sexual Abuse"	Sandy Montour & Peggy Logan
Week 9 – November 21	"Traditional Parenting"	Christine Sky
Week 10 – November 28	"Various Fasting"	Jan Longboat, I da wa da di Project
Week 11 – December 5	"Healthy Eating & Healthy Living"	Sandra Juutilainen, Health Promotion Advisor/Director
Week 12 – December 12	"Children of Alcoholics"	Glenn Forrest, New Directions
Week 13 – January 9, 2002	"Intergenerational Survivor"	Lyle Henry
Week 14 – January 16	Six Nations Mental Health Services	Dr. Cornelia Wieman, M.D., FRCPC
Week 15 – January 23	"Adoption"	Elaine Vancvery, Children's Aid Society-Native Services Branch
Week 16 – January 30	"Effects of Child Abuse"	Leslie Thomas, Children's Aid Society-Native Services Branch
Week 17 – February 6	"Working Through Sexual Abuse"	Sandy Montour & Peggy Logan
Week 18 – February 13	"Replacing The Inner Child"	Wanda Smith, Native Horizons
Week 19 – February 20		T.B.A.
Week 20 – February 27	Performance by The New Oratory Youth Project	Darren Thomas, Project Manager

For more information call: 519-445-1313

UPCOMING EVENTS

TYENDINAGA POST-SECONDARY CAREER FAIR

WHEN: Wednesday November 28, 2001

WHERE: Council House

TIME: 10:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m.

Aboriginal representatives will be there from the following institutions:

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|-----------------------|----------------------|
| Algonquin College | Brock University |
| Canadore College | Fanshawe College |
| Georgian College | Larentian University |
| Loyalist College | McMaster University |
| Mohawk College | Nippising College |
| Queens University | St. Lawrence College |
| Trent University | Ottawa University |
| University of Toronto | |

For more information please contact Paul Latchford (613) 969-1913 ex. 2-250
Mike Brant (613) 962-8668 or Patti General (613) 396-3424



An Ontario Aboriginal Sport Circle Event hosted by Wikwemikong Recreation Program

ALL ONTARIO

ABORIGINAL CO-ED

VOLLEYBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS

November 17-18, 2001 @ Wikwemikong, Ontario

The first 12 teams
in each division
will be accepted.

First: \$1000.00

Second: \$500.00

Third: \$200.00



Prize money subject to change based on number of teams entered.

Entry Fee \$200.00

(Plus \$50.00 performance bond)

Junior Division: 18 years and younger
Open Division: 19 and older (may have younger players)

MVP Game Awards & Tournament Award



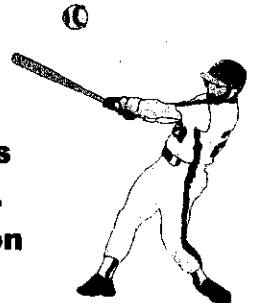
TO REGISTER, CONTACT
MARCIA AT (705) 859-1536

Deadline for entries November 12, 2001



CONGRATULATIONS TO TYENDINAGA !!

Tyendinaga's proposal to the Ontario Aboriginal Sports Circle was successful. Our community has been selected to host next year's ALL ONTARIO ABORIGINAL FASTBALL TOURNAMENT on August 23, 24, 25, 2002.



We would like to thank those organizations that expressed their support of this endeavour via letters in our proposal.

This tournament is an annual event that is hosted by a different First Nation community each year. The tournament will bring many visitors to our community and hopefully we can leave a lasting impression on them for how well organized we are.

There will be lot of work involved in putting on this tournament so a number of volunteers will be needed for various areas. We know that with the help and support of our community, this can be a successful event for Tyendinaga that can be enjoyed by all.

If you are interested in helping out in any way (either volunteering during the planning stages or during the actual tournament itself) please call **Ike Brant - Chair, Mohawk Recreation Committee at 396-1676.**

More information will follow in future newsletters.

*** FREE ***

CREDIT COUNSELING
BY QUINTE REGION CREDIT COUNSELING SERVICE

This service will be available for consultation at the Family & Children's Services (Board Room) in Shannonville from **10:00 a.m. - 12 noon** on the following dates:

Nov. 6, Nov. 13

Nov. 20, Nov. 27

Dec. 4 & Dec 11

No appointment necessary
Drop In's are Welcome!!

UPCOMING EVENTS



TYENDINAGA YOUTH TABLE HOCKEY TOURNAMENT

Yes, the weather is nice now, but, it will soon be time again for the Norm Maracle / Tyendinaga Police Youth Table Hockey Tournament.

During the last year's school Christmas break a table hockey tournament was held for local grade school age youths. The Tyendinaga Police put on this tournament, with personal sponsorship from local hockey celebrity Norm Maracle and a number of local businesses. There were approximately 30 participants in two groups. One group was for youths in grades 3, 4 & 5. The other group was for youths in grades 6, 7, & 8. The winner in the grade three to five category was Kyle Baptiste. The winner in the grade six to eight category was Logan Wagar.

The "A" Champions, and the "B" Champions, in both categories received trophies and prizes. The "A" Champs received portable CD players with their trophies, and the "B" Champs received "Poochi" electronic toy pets with their trophies.

There were a number of door prize draws throughout the day, with most of the prizes being electronic games and toys. All participants received a "goody bag" upon registration. A lunch, consisting of hamburgers, hot dogs, chips and a drink, was provided to all that registered. Even with all of this, the cost of registration was simply two dollars.

The meat was from M&M Meats of Napanee, and BunsMaster in Belleville donated the buns.

The Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte donated the of the community centre for the day.

Planning for this year's edition of the tournament is now underway, and it is anticipated that it will again be a success.

If you can assist in our fundraising effort, your donation will gladly be accepted and acknowledged. If you have any questions you can contact Mike Hill at the Tyendinaga Police station, or call him at 967-3888, ext #105



There will be one Hymn Sing each month rotating around the three churches on the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory. Come enjoy an hour of fellowship and singing your favourite hymn or gospel song.

Everyone is very welcome!

2. **November 18, 2001**
Christ Church - Church Lane South
6:30 p.m. (off #2 highway, west of Deseronto)
3. **December 16, 2001**
Holy Trinity Church - Shannonville, Ont.,
6:30 p.m.
4. **January 20, 2002**
All Saints Church - Ridge Road
6:30 p.m.
5. **February 17, 2002**
Christ Church - Church Lane South
6:30p.m.
6. **March 18, 2002**
Holy Trinity Church - Shannonville, Ont.,
6:30 p.m.



Leanne & Robert

Barberstock

Saturday, Nov. 10

9 p.m. - 1 a.m.

Mohawk Community Centre

Everyone Welcome!

Wishing Well



BENEFIT DANCE
For Bob & Lisa Bowden

Location: community center (upstairs)

Date: November 9th

Time: 8pm - 1am

Cost: \$5 at the door

Live Band: Line Drive

Light Lunch Served



UPCOMING EVENTS



CHRISTMAS IN THE VILLAGE"

*BELLEVILLE'S SANTA CLAUS PARADE
&
LIGHTING OF THE CITY'S CHRISTMAS TREE*

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2001 - 7:30 P.M.

The annual Belleville Santa Claus Parade, "Christmas in the Village," will be held on the night of Friday, November 23, beginning at the hour of 7:30 p.m.

Parade organizers are looking for bands, majorettes and floats to participate in this year's event. This is a "lighted event" by all participants and will create a festive night downtown. We also hope that every float will have live or recorded music to complement the marching bands.

Entry/registration forms and any information may be obtained from the City Clerk, Jary Plamondon, at 967-3271 or Fax 967-3206. All entrants should be confirmed by November 9, 2001.

Parade organizers also invite the public to gather immediately after the parade in the Market Square for the "Official Lighting of the City's Christmas Tree."

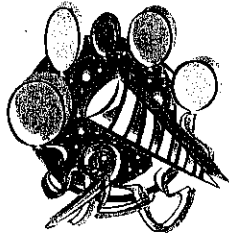
**ORANGE LODGE
CHRISTMAS DINNER
& DANCE**



SATURDAY, DEC. 8/01
ROAST BEEF DINNER AT 6 P.M.
\$15.00 EACH

TICKETS ONLY PLEASE
CALL: JUNE AT 396-1059

**NEW YEAR'S EVE
PARTY**

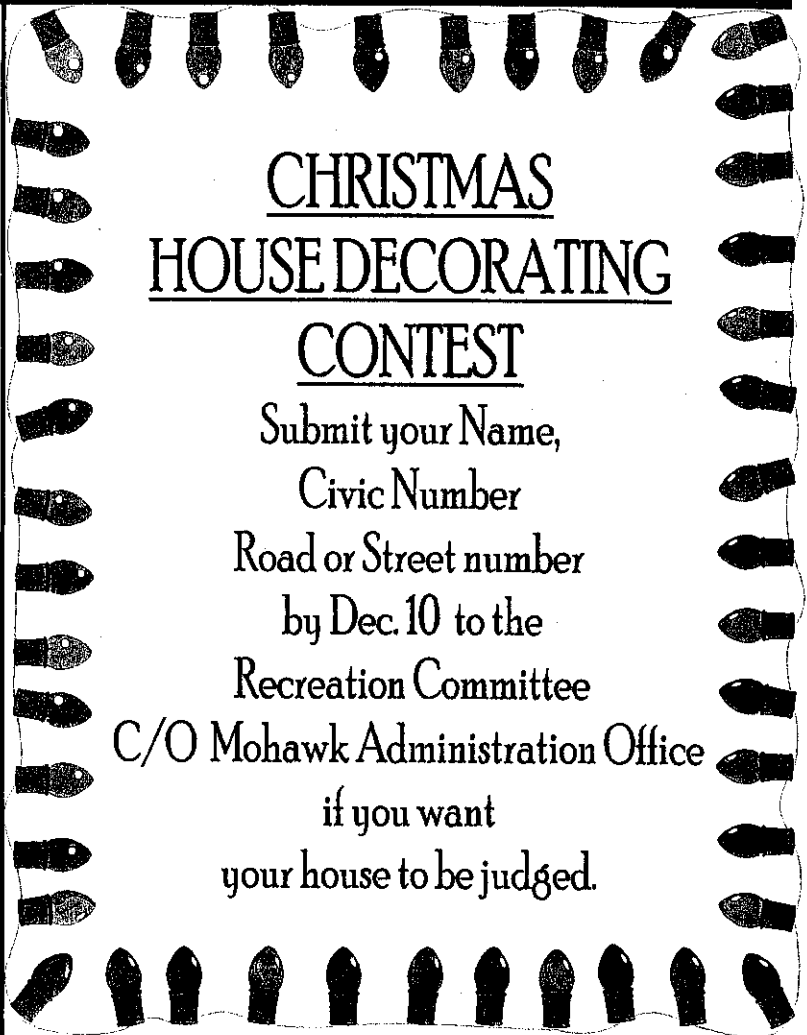


SATURDAY DEC. 31/01
DINNER AT 6 P.M.
LUNCH AT 11 P.M.
\$20.00 EACH (INCLUDES FAVORS)

TICKETS ONLY PLEASE
CALL: MARGUARITE MARACLE AT 396-5748
HELEN BRANT AT 396-2087

Rental of 59'ers Hall

The 59'ers Hall is under renovations but still available for small functions and is located at Hwy's 2 & # 49.
For more rental information please call:
Gloria Idzenga at 962-8757



**CHRISTMAS
HOUSE DECORATING
CONTEST**

Submit your Name,
Civic Number
Road or Street number
by Dec. 10 to the
Recreation Committee
C/O Mohawk Administration Office
if you want
your house to be judged.

**WHITE ELEPHANT
CRAFT &
BAKE SALE**



NOVEMBER 16, 17 & 18
8:30 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
59'ers BUILDING
(Located on Hwy # 2)

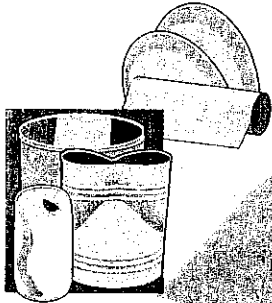
Lunch will be available
All Welcome!

RECYCLING



A Recycling Reminder

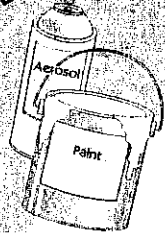
Hang this on your wall!



Metal Cans & Foil

Rinse cans. Place lids in a can, pinch closed and put loose in blue bin. **Do not put aluminum cans inside tin ones.** Include clean aluminum foil and pie plates. *Flattened cans save space!* **No** pots, cigarette or butter wrappers or scrap metal. Avoid putting pop cans inside other cans.

Bring these items to your depot



Empty Aerosol and Paint Cans

Make sure metal containers are empty. Take lids off the paint cans to let them dry, and place in the blue bin — *don't bag them.* **No** containers with product, paint cans larger than 4 litres (1 gallon), plastic paint cans, propane cylinders or other hazardous waste.



Plastic Containers

Discard tops and rinse containers for soft drinks, detergents, juice, bleach, shampoo, dairy products as well as clear and foam plastic cups, trays and packaging. Flatten soft drink containers and replace lids. All plastics with the numbers 1 to 6 on the bottom are OK. **No** blister or bubblepacks, prescription bottles or toys.



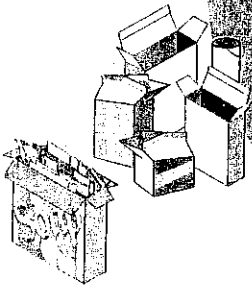
Bottles & Jars

Remove and rinse caps and lids. Metal lids can be recycled with cans. Leave loose in the blue bin. *Don't bag them.* **No** other types of glass such as kitchenware, ceramics, dishes, drinking glasses, window glass, light bulbs or mirrors.

Place in appropriately labelled bins.

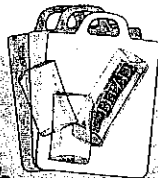
Boxboard and Mixed Paper

Bundle junk mail and office paper separately from Boxboard. Flatten and stuff boxboard into a large box. **Boxboard** includes cereal, shoe and detergent boxes as well as rinsed milk and juice cartons, paper bags, sugar & flour bags, cardboard tubes, books (hard cover & paperback), egg cartons and other clean paper packaging. **No** drink boxes, tissue, paper towel or laminated paper. Do not put paper loose in blue bin.



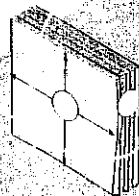
Plastic Bags

Stuff clean, dry plastic bags into a plastic bag and tie handles. Include rinsed milk pouches, grocery, bread, dry cleaning, frozen vegetable and blue newspaper bags as well as outer wrapper from toilet and hand tissues. Remove food residue, stickers and receipts. **No** meat, cheese or stretch wrap, cereal box liners or chip bags.



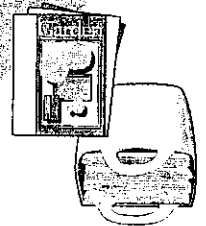
Corrugated Cardboard

Flatten and bundle corrugated cardboard boxes into a maximum size of 30" x 30" x 8" bundles. Only broken down and bundled boxes will be collected. **No** waxed boxes, soiled pizza boxes.



Newspapers & Magazines

Place newspapers, inserts, phone books, magazines and catalogues in a plastic bag next to your blue bin. **No** soiled newspapers. Keep boxboard and mixed paper separate, not mixed with newspaper and magazines.



Bring these items to your depot



QUINTE WASTE SOLUTIONS

CLASSIFIED

LOTS FOR SALE

- approx. 7 1/2 acres per lot
 - located just east of the Police Station on the York Rd.
 - \$15,000.00 per lot
- Call for more information: 968-8397

FOR RENT

- 4 PLEX APARTMENT
- lower apartment
- located on the Airport Rd
- 1st & last months rent & damage deposit required
- \$575.00 all inclusive

Call: 969-1315

CHILDCARE AVAILABLE

- Located on the York Rd.
- Meals provided
- Large yard for playing with lots of toys and activities

Call Sue Brant: 967-1513

FOR SALE

- 1992 SHADOW CRUISER TRAILER
- 26 FT.
 - air conditioning, stereo
 - 3 piece bath
 - asking \$11,500
 - can be seen at 163 York Rd.

Phone: 968-2580

FOR SALE

- PEAVEY FOUNDATION BASS
- hard shell case
- tuner
- new peavy TKO 1155 bass amp
- \$800.00

Please call: 396-2603

MILL TOWN MEATS

- Corn Fed Beef
- Quarters & Half Cuts of Beef
- Wrapped & Frozen
- Individual pieces sold at home
- AAA Beef

*Make your own Soup!
Lyeed Corn, Beans, Special Pork!*

Call: Glenn Hill 962-5470

FOR SALE

- BUILDING LOTS
- 100' X 150' lots
 - located on the south side of Hwy #2 west of Deseronto and just east of church lane
 - lots are fully serviced with water and sewer and natural gas

For more information call: 613-396-2097

CARE GIVER AVAILABLE

- Summer or all year round care
- big yard for playing
- lots of arts and crafts
- healthy snacks & meals provided
- excellent references

For more information call Tara at 396-2220

FOR RENT

- UPPER 3 BEDROOM APARTMENT
- Located in Shannonville
 - Completely renovated, new flooring all hardwood & linoleum. New paint throughout and some new windows.
 - Large eat in Kitchen, large living room and dining room.
 - Off street parking, back yard,
 - Cable hook up available
 - \$700.00 includes heat & hydro
 - 1st and last months rent required with 3 good reliable references
 - No pets
 - Non Smokers preferred
 - Available Dec. 1

Call: 613-396-3957 for more information or to view

FOR SALE

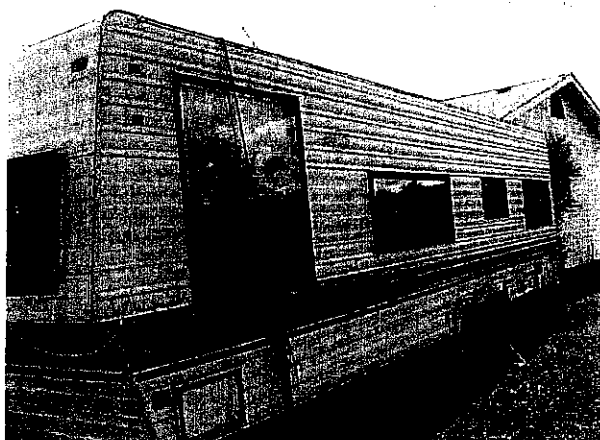
- COMPUTER
- 486 -DX2 -50 -8 mg ram
 - 14" monitor
 - 3 1/4 floppy, CD Rom
 - 540 mg. hard drive
 - keyboard
 - mouse & mouse pad
 - sound card with speakers
 - dos, windows 95
 - lots of games
 - Corel suite with graphics C.D.
 - Canon 250 inkjet printer
 - asking \$450.00

Call Lori at 968-7400 after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE

1985 TURUS

- 28 Foot House Trailer
- Asking \$7000.00
- Can be seen at 2199 York Rd. or call 396-1442 after 5 p.m. and ask for Steve



Do you
have
something you
would
like to sell?
The classifieds are
"Free"
Call: 396-3424

CHILD CARE AVAILABLE

- in my child safe daycare area
- fenced in outdoor play area (swings, slides, etc.)
- C.P.R./ First Aid Certified
- excellent references
- healthy meals and snacks provided
- lots of crafts, activities, themes, toys and friends!

Call: Shari Maracle: 396-3077

LAND FOR SALE

- 47.5 acres
- located on the Upper Slash rd. across from B. & J. Pole Line

Call Everette Maracle at 396-3121

TALENT WANTED

People with talent and skills are needed for the production of the upcoming T.V. special: *"Dr. Oronhyatekha: Mohawk Visionary"*

Initial personnel required:
 Researchers, Caterers, Makeup Artists
 Costume Designers, Seamstresses,
 Hairdressers, Still photographers, Set decorators, Set construction workers,
 Electricians, Security guards, Set designers,
 Dancers, Musicians, Secretarial, On screen acting
 talent: Male/ Female/ Adult/ Child, Walk on talent, Production assistants, Graphic designers, Web master.

Submit Resume to: *"Talent Wanted"*
 Box 40134,
 1905 Dundas St. E.,
 London On.
 N5W 5Z5

or in person to James B. Maracle
 16 Church Lane South, R.R. # 1 Deseronto

LAND FOR SALE

- TWO LOTS
- located on Norways side road, east side
- each lot has a road frontage of 20 ft. and a depth of 200 ft. approx. 1 acre
- located on a newly hard top road
- each lot will have a good dug well with plenty of water
- lots have plenty of soil to support a basement
- the price for each lot is \$7,500.00 which includes a well
- NOTE: if both lots are bought price may be negotiable

For more information call:
 Lorne Loft at 968-2180 or leave a message if there is no answer.

"FOR THE LOVE OF ROCK N' ROLL" - enjoy live music of the 50's and 60's with **Freddie Vette and the Cadillacs and Friends.**

Three Concerts held at Centennial Secondary School - 8 pm Saturday, Nov. 3rd, Friday, Nov. 9th and Sat. Nov. 10th

Tickets just \$15, available at Sam the Record Man, Quinte Mall, and the Quinte Arts Council, 36 Bridge St. E.

Concerts are in support of Hospice Quinte, who provide **"CARING WHEN THERE IS NO CURING"**