

TYENDINAGA NEWSLETTER



ISSUE 10/04



Have a Safe
and Happy Halloween!

PLEASE NOTE THAT T.M.C.
MEETINGS ARE SCHEDULED FOR:

MONDAY, OCT. 18 (Regular)

THURSDAY, OCT. 14 &
WEDNESDAY, OCT. 27 (Local Business)

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Newsletter Deadline
Monday, October 25
12:00 noon
396-3424

We're on the Internet
www.mbq-tmt.org

JOB POSTINGS

Positions that become available with the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte can now be viewed on the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory Web Site.

www.mbq-tmt.org

ADMINISTRATION



MOHAWKS OF THE BAY OF QUINTE

R.R. #1, Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory, Ontario, K0K 1X0
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October 1, 2004

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I regret to inform you that I am unable to provide you with a comprehensive report in this issue due to the multiple meetings that have occurred in the past month.

A comprehensive report is forthcoming in the next few weeks to inform you of the status of the ongoing issues that affect our community and Native people in general.

Your patience and understanding is appreciated.

Niawen;

R. Donald Maracle
 Chief

**SNOWPLOWING/SANDING
 2004**

The Snowplowing/Sanding tender deadline for Contract #1 & Contract #2 for band properties is Monday October 18, 2004 at 2:00 p.m.

They are to be submitted to the Housing Department in sealed envelopes and clearly marked no later than the deadline.

If you require more information or a package please contact the Housing Department.

Honorarium Report

June-04

Chief R. Donald Maracle	\$2,000.00
Councillor Velma Hill-Dracup	\$1,800.00
Councillor Willard Hill	\$2,000.00
Councillor Roy Maracle	\$1,700.00
Councillor Blaine Lofl	\$1,500.00

\$7,000.00 \$ 9,000.00

Honorarium Report
 July-04

Chief R. Donald Maracle	\$2,000.00
Councillor Velma Hill-Dracup	\$2,000.00
Councillor Willard Hill	\$1,900.00
Councillor Roy Maracle	\$1,700.00
Councillor Blaine Lofl	\$2,400.00

\$8,000.00 \$10,000.00

Chief R. Donald Maracle	\$2,000.00
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Councillor Velma Hill-Dracup	\$1,700.00
Councillor Willard Hill	\$1,800.00
Councillor Roy Maracle	\$1,800.00
Councillor Blaine Lofl	\$1,300.00

HOUSING POLICY CHANGE

The Tyendinaga Mohawk Council issues loans to build or purchase existing homes once a year. The new deadline for making application is **January 15**. Mortgage applications can be picked up from the Housing Department starting October.

The Bank of Montreal has a mortgage loan program that eligible community members can access throughout the year. Enquiries regarding the Bank of Montreal should be directed to Carol Reynolds at **967-4320**.

Please contact the Housing Department at **396-3424** if further information or clarification is required.

**NEW CONSTRUCTION 2005
 NOTICE**

We are now accepting housing applications for the **2005** building season. Completed applications must be returned to the Housing Department before **January 15, 2005**. Applications received after **January 15, 2005** will not be considered.

Scoring is based primarily on credit and employment history.

Please call the Housing Department at **396-3424** for further information or to set up an appointment.

ADMINISTRATION

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Kanhiote Library

CAP Youth Worker
Part-time Position (24 hours per week)
Term (17 weeks)

The CAP Site Youth Worker is responsible to Kanhiote Library for planning, organizing and implementing the development of the CAP site following the guidelines and priorities identified by Industry Canada; promotes the site through a variety of media; trains and teaches interested persons on a variety of computer applications in a professional manner; researches and develops Web sites; promotes e-commerce; maintains proper records and helps manage the operation of the site.

The CAP Youth Worker will work 24 hours per week at a pay rate of \$8.00 per hour for the seventeen week period.

Essential Qualifications:

- Excellent foundation in computer use, etc. and internet search

AND

- MUST BE between the ages of 15 and 30

AND

- Must possess excellent interpersonal, written and verbal communication skills
- High degree competency with internet tools, etc. and various software programs
- program development
- high level of research skills
- organizational skills
- ability to work with high level of initiative
- valid drivers license and transportation an asset
- satisfactory Criminal Reference Check may be required
- Preference will be given to applicants of Mohawk Ancestry

Duties & Responsibilities: Work Procedures

1. promote awareness of e-commerce
2. complete administrative duties such as: preparing reports for Library Board and OLA, maintaining records
3. assist community members to use internet, software packages, and develop their own web sites
4. organize promotional events
5. prepare newsletter and media releases for local radio station and Territory Newsletter
6. Develop a web page and advise businesses and craftspeople of the potential
7. assist in the maintenance of hardware and software

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: Friday October 15th, 2004 at 12:00 NOON

For a detailed position description or to apply, please contact:

Bev Hill, A/R Officer
Mohawk Administration Office
(613) 396-3424 fax (613) 396-3627
e-mail: bev.hill@mbq.tyendinaga.net

ALL MBO POSTINGS CAN ALSO BE VIEWED AT: www.mbq-intl.org

Note: Internal postings are meant for the membership of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte. We thank all applicants for their interest in this position but only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

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.



Mohawks of The Bay of Quinte

Request for Tenders

Compensation Review

Human Resources Department
Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory

For the purposes of this proposal call the provisions of the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Finance Policy Section 15, shall apply. All Tenders are subject to approval by Tyendinaga Mohawk Council and the lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Sealed tenders addressed to the Human Resources Officer, Mohawks of The Bay of Quinte, RR#1 Deseronto ON, K0K-1X0.

Tenders will be received until

15:00 hrs (3 pm) local time EST, Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory, October 22nd, 2004

For Tender inquiries or to obtain Terms of Reference:

Bev Hill
Human Resources Officer
Mohawks of The Bay of Quinte
513-396-3424 ext 132
bev.hill@mbq-intl.org

Steve Mercer
Mohawks of The Bay of Quinte
513-477-2919
smercer@reach.net

The Entrepreneurs' Club

Presented by Enterprise Quinte, The Entrepreneurs' Club is a seminar/networking series that is especially designed for the new entrepreneur who recently started their business and for the entrepreneur who has been in business for five or less years. However, all small business entrepreneurs are welcome! Learn tips from some of Quinte area's top entrepreneurs. This is a great opportunity to meet fellow entrepreneurs with similar business interests. It's also one of the best ways to build your personal business support network.

Upcoming Events...

Smart Marketing on a Small Budget Sponsored by: **Trendal Business Development Corporation**

Guest Speaker: Cassandra Barr, The Market Place Marketing Communications
Wednesday, October 13th - 5:30 to 6:30 pm Networking, 6:30 to 7:00 pm Guest Speaker
A question on every business owner's mind, from the small entrepreneur to the owner of a large company, is, "What is the most efficient and effective way of marketing?" Cassandra Barr, owner and marketing consultant of The Market Place, has answered this question for a variety of clients, including companies like General Mills, Hewlett-Packard, Maple Leaf Foods, Barovon Golf Club and Elemental Entrance. With over 10 years of marketing experience and in-depth industry knowledge, she will demonstrate how you can maximize your marketing efforts and budgets to make the biggest impact on your business.

Customer Service Equals Repeat Clients Sponsored by: **Scotiabank**

Guest Speaker: Sherri McCarton, Outlethe McCarton Travel
Wednesday, November 10th - 5:30 to 6:30 pm Networking, 6:30 to 7:00 pm Guest Speaker
Getting customers through your door is one thing. Getting them to come back again, and again, is another thing all together. Sherri McCarton, of Outlethe McCarton Travel, has a proven track record for keeping a solid base of repeat customers which she feels is based on quality customer service. Come hear for yourself how Sherri's business has been built on building and maintaining excellent relationships with her customers and how you can effectively utilize customer service to build yours.

How to Beat the Tax Man

Sponsored by: **Wilkinson & Company, LLP**

Guest Speaker: Steve Thompson, CA, CFP, TFP, Partner, Wilkinson & Company, LLP
Wednesday, January 17th - 5:30 to 6:30 pm Networking, 6:30 to 7:00 pm Guest Speaker
Steve Thompson, well known speaker and author of "Beat the Taxman - Easy Ways to Save Taxes in Your Small Business", now in its 8th edition. Be sure to attend this informative seminar and learn how you can save taxes in your business!

Details

Memberships are available for \$100 for 6 meetings (October & November and January to April). Buy your membership early. (Includes a light lunch) Individual Tickets are \$20 each. Seating is limited. For your convenience, individual tickets are now sold at the Ramada Inn (Front Desk) and Enterprise Quinte starting September 20th. (Memberships sold at Enterprise Quinte only immediately.)
NEW LOCATION! Ramada Inn on the Bay, 11 Bay Bridge Rd., Belleville.

Contact Information

For more information please contact: Dale LeHilla, Manager, Enterprise Quinte
Quinte Business Development Centre, 2045 Wallbridge-Loyalist Rd., Belleville, ON K8V 5B3
Phone: (613) 961-0500 Fax: (613) 961-7988 Email: enterprisequinte@royalbc.on.ca



ADMINISTRATION

“Attention All Land Owners/Purchasers”

The following procedure has been outlined for Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte members to follow when transferring ownership of land on the Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory due to a change in protocol by Indian & Northern Affairs:

1. You will be **required** to **contact** the Lands Department at the Administration Office if you wish to transfer **all** or **part** of your property. A **form** stating your wishes must be filled out and **signed** by all parties **concerned** so everyone involved clearly understands what your intentions are.
2. If you are transferring the whole of a lot, you **may not** have to have your property surveyed by a Canada Land Surveyor.
3. If **you are** transferring a portion of a lot, then a sketch of the **property** being transferred will be sent to Natural Resources Canada to determine if there is enough survey fabric (iron survey bars) in the ground to warrant acceptance of the sketch. If Natural Resources Canada says it **must** be surveyed by a Canada Land Surveyor, then it will be your responsibility to **hire** a Canada Land Surveyor. The Lands Department can **assist** with contacting a Canada Land Surveyor where you can **obtain** a quote to complete the work. Approximate time will vary due to the lack of Canada Land Surveyors in the area. When the Lands Department receives the surveyed sketch, a Land Transfer will be done.
4. The Land Transfer will be sent to the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council for **approval** and then to Indian and Northern **Affairs**. A Certificate of Possession should **arrive** in approximately 2-3 **months**.

“Please Note: A survey technician may be utilized if:

1. Natural Resources Canada determines if a survey technician’s survey report is sufficient. The Lands Department **can** assist with contacting a survey technician where you can obtain a quote to complete the work. This is a requirement if you intend to build on the lot to **ensure** you are following the proper setbacks from your property line.

For further information please call Ken **B n n t** at the Administration Office **396-3424**



To better serve the community and its members, the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council has asked that **the** following procedure for public presentations to the Council be recognized. This procedure will ensure that the Council receives all pertinent information in order to serve you and the community. This procedure has not been established to hinder your access to the Council, but to **enhance** service in a timely fashion.

PROCEDURE FOR LOCAL BUSINESS

Local Business Meetings are held the 2nd and 4th Wednesday’s of each month at 7:00 p.m. unless **otherwise** notified.

The deadline for inclusion on the Local Business Agenda is the previous Friday at 12:00 p.m. Requests made after the **deadline** will be placed on the following Local Business Agenda.

The Tyendinaga Mohawk Council **requires** that the Community member provide a **written statement** on the **issue** the member wishes to discuss by the **deadline**. Assistance will be provided upon request. This will allow the staff the opportunity to gather any additional information on the issue so the Council can be fully informed and that your time is well spent.

All **requests** are to be directed to Angela Maracle, Administrative Officer, or **Bonnie** Thompson, Administrative Support.

The order for the agenda is determined on a **first-come, first-serve basis** and each slot is scheduled for 20 minutes.

Please be advised that Community members that do not follow this procedure will not be **recognized** to be heard at the meeting. This is to **ensure** that all the proper information is available to the Council so that an informed decision can be made that is **fair** and equitable to every member.

EXPIRY DATE ON STATUS CARDS

Our First Nation members have **been** inquiring why there is an **“expiry date”** on our **status** cards. I e-mailed Indian Affairs to inquire about the expiry dates. Here is their answer:

Our INAC policy is that the cards **need** to be renewed every 3 **years** for children under 18 yrs of age (because their appearances change quite a bit while growing up). For the adults the cards **need** to be renewed every 5 years as they **also** change, but not as quickly. These **expiry** dates are also implemented as they will be keeping in line with other government issued type of documents/cards such as health cards, drivers licenses, passports, etc. Plus once the new card comes into effect (we do not know when yet) these dates will be automatically system generated on the cards. This will help to ensure for INAC and First Nations that there are less fraudulent cards in circulation. My only advice would be to **alert** the First Nation members to renew their cards before the expiry date, so that they will not experience difficulties when travelling/shopping.

Thank you for voicing your concerns and I will certainly let our headquarters people **know** the dilemma the expiry date puts on First Nation members.

PLEASE CHECK THE EXPIRY DATE ON YOUR STATUS CARD AND RENEW BEFORE IT EXPIRES.

Membership Department

MEETING MINUTES

TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL MINUTES
AUGUST 30, 2004

A special meeting of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council held on Monday August 30, 2004 at 2:30 p.m. in the Council Chambers continued in regular to address the following items:

Present: Chief R. Donald Maracle
Councillors: Willard A. Hill, Velma Hill-Dracup, Roy C. Maracle and Blaine Loft
Staff: Angela Maracle, A/CAO

MOTION #5: Moved by Willard A. Hill, seconded by Velma Hill-Dracup that this Council approve additional work in the amount of \$16,864.20 from the contingency allowance for the Mud Creek Bridge north parapet wall. The completion date of the contract is extended from October 15, 2004 to November 10, 2004. G.D. Jewe Engineering must assure the Council the contract extension date will not in any way compromise the project.

Carried

MOTION #6: Moved by Willard A. Hill, seconded by Blaine Loft that this Council approve to release the press release as amended on the Ontario Court of Appeal decision regarding the Richmond Landfill Judicial Review decision.

Carried

MOTION #7: Moved by Blaine Loft, seconded by Willard A. Hill that this meeting be adjourned (4:10 p.m.)

Carried

Summary of Private Minutes:

- Reviewed complaint by community member
- Handled two employment contract issues

As recorded by:

Donald Maracle
Chief R. Donald Maracle

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TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL MINUTES
AUGUST 31, 2004

A special meeting of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council was held on Monday August 31, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers to discuss rental arrears and future strategy to address the matter.

Present: Chief R. Donald Maracle
Councillors: Willard A. Hill, Roy C. Maracle, Blaine Loft and Velma Hill-Dracup (arrived at 11:28 a.m. from doctor's appointment in Belleville)
Staff: Kathy Brant, Chris Maracle, Angela Maracle and Sue Maracle

Discussed how to handle the Housing rental arrears issue - more research is to be done and another meeting established in September to review progress.

The Council handled the following issues after the Housing Rental Arrears Meeting:

MOTION #1: Moved by Willard A. Hill, seconded by Blaine Loft that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approve to construct an addition to the commercial building leased to Kagita Mikam at an estimated cost of \$50,000 utilizing the most feasible route to finance the project. Kagita Mikam provides employment and training assistance to Aboriginal people.

Carried

Velma Hill-Dracup declared conflict of interest and did not vote.

MOTION #2: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Blaine Loft that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Minutes of July 27, 2004 be accepted as corrected.

Carried

MOTION #3: Moved by Blaine Loft, seconded by Roy C. Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Minutes of August 5, 2004 be accepted as corrected.

Carried

MOTION #4: Moved by Roy C. Maracle, seconded by Willard A. Hill that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Local Business Minutes of August 2004 be accepted as corrected.

Carried

MOTION #5: Moved by Blaine Loft, seconded by Roy C. Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Minutes of August 18, 2004 be accepted as corrected.

Carried.

MOTION #6: Moved by Roy C. Maracle, seconded by Velma Hill-Dracup that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Special Minutes of August 19, 2004 be accepted as corrected.

Carried.

MOTION #7: Moved by Blaine Loft, seconded by Roy C. Maracle that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council Local Business Minutes of August 25, 2004 be accepted as corrected.

Carried.

The Council went in private at 1:50 p.m.

Summary of Private Minutes:

Approval of Private Minutes - July 27-28, 2004, August 5, 2004, August 11, 2004, August 18, 2004 and August 25, 2004.

Recorded by:

Donald Maracle
Chief R. Donald Maracle

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TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL MINUTES
SEPTEMBER 1, 2004

A meeting of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council was held on Wednesday, September 1, 2004 at 9:30 a.m. in the Council Chambers.

Present: Chief R. Donald Maracle
Councillors: Willard A. Hill, Roy C. Maracle, Blaine Loft, Velma Hill-Dracup
Staff: Angela Maracle, A/CAO

Chief R. Donald Maracle opened the meeting with prayer in Mohawk.

Chief Maracle read 2 press releases for the Newsletter on the Culbertson Tract Claim.

MOTION #1: Moved by Willard A. Hill, seconded by Blaine Loft to pay \$420.18 from the Roads Budget for Ken Maracle's culvert replacement re: Wyman's Road Rehabilitation project.

Carried.

MOTION #2: Moved by Blaine Loft, seconded by Willard A. Hill to go in private to address an urgent, personal issue. (9:41 a.m.)

Carried.

Council returned to the regular meeting at 10:07 a.m.

MOTION #3: Moved by Roy C. Maracle, seconded by Willard A. Hill that this Council acknowledge the Kanhiote Library Board Minutes of August 4, 2004.

Carried.

The following scheduled meetings were acknowledged:

- September 7, 2004 at 7:00 p.m. - TMC Local Business meeting
- September 15, 2004 at 9:00 a.m. - TMC Regular meeting
- September 22, 2004 at 7:00 p.m. - TMC Local Business meeting
- September 29, 2004 at 9:00 a.m. - TMC Regular meeting

MOTION #4: Moved by Willard A. Hill, seconded by Velma Hill-Dracup that this Council approve to meet on September 13, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. to review proposed changes to the MBQ Personnel, Policy and the MBQ Employment and Training Department Policy.

Carried.

MOTION #5: Moved by Willard A. Hill, seconded by Velma Hill-Dracup that this Council approve to have a Community meeting on September 13, 2004 at 7:00 p.m. at the Community Centre for a presentation of the MBQ Audited Financial Statements by Wilkinson and Company.

Carried.

MOTION #6: Moved by Blaine Loft, seconded by Velma Hill-Dracup that this Council approve to meet on September 23, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. on housing rental arrears.

Carried.

MEETING MINUTES

MOTION #7: Moved by Willard A. Hill, seconded by Blaine Loft that this Council approve the following business registrations:

1. National Reader Service, Ray D. Brant, owner
2. pH Productions, Helen May Clare, owner
3. Phil's Books & Videos, Phil Kring, owner
4. Phil's New and Used Treasures, Phil Kring, owner
5. Ward Auto & Sales, Philip S.W. Maracle, owner

Carried.

MOTION #8: Moved by Willard A. Hill, seconded by Velma Hill-Dracup that this Council approve the tobacco quota for Bearcub Crafts, Terry Amey, owner.

Carried.

LaShelle Brant attended Council regarding the Hides Depot. Council and LaShelle reviewed her report. LaShelle is to make an application to Canada Ontario Resource Development Agreement (CORDA) for funding for sales and marketing. Council requested a monthly report that has projected targets and actual sales. Also in the report, track sales due to the Marketing and Sales Co-ordinator's contacts.

MOTION #9: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Willard A. Hill that this Council approve to increase the Hides Budget by \$5,000 utilizing the Casino Rama funds under the Economic Development component to purchase 5,000 hides for the Hides Depot Program. The Economic Development Officer is to make an application to CORDA for funding. M.C.R. #2004/05-102

Carried.

Council recessed at 12:12 p.m. for lunch and reconvened at 2:00 p.m.

Council reviewed the legal opinion from Nahwegahbow, Nadjwan, Corbiere.

MOTION #10: Moved by Blaine Loft, seconded by Willard A. Hill that this Council approve payment of invoice #67188 in the amount of \$487.46 from Nahwegahbow, Nadjwan, Corbiere for General Consultation.

Carried.

MOTION #11: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Willard A. Hill that this Council approve payment of the following invoices from Alan Pratt:

- Invoice #2594 - \$1,238.00 General Matters
- Invoice #2598 - \$10,075.71 Johnson Brant Family Claim
- Invoice #2599 - \$4,661.52 Culbertson Tract Claim
- Invoice #2600 - \$15,917.88 Turton Penn Lease

Carried.

MOTION #12: Moved by Willard A. Hill, seconded by Velma Hill-Dracup that this Council approve payment of invoice #12413 from Wilkinson & Company in the amount of \$8,500.00 for preparation of the Audited Financial Statements as at March 31, 2004.

Carried.

MOTION #13: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Willard A. Hill Whereas the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council has deemed our language to be a vital component of our Mohawk Culture; Therefore Be it Resolved that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approve to utilize the Casino Rama funds under the Cultural Development component in the amount of \$78,900.00 for the Mohawk Language Circle to support the Mohawk Language Immersion Program. M.C.R. #2004/05-103

Carried.

MOTION #14: Moved by Willard A. Hill, seconded by Blaine Loft that this Council approve the 2004/05 community support funding increase in the amount \$2,648.00 from the Ministry of Health and Long-Term Care for the Home Support Program.

Carried.

MOTION #15: Moved by Roy C. Maracle, seconded by Blaine Loft that this Council approve the Repair/Renovations and Replacement Contribution Agreement #ON0500652 in the amount of \$2,230.00 for repairs to the water system at the Thayendanege Health Centre.

Carried.

MOTION #16: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Willard A. Hill that this Council approve to meet with Rick Lindgran, Environmental Lawyer, to see what legal steps the Band has to take to protect its interests in relation to the gas spill in Shannonville.

Carried.

MOTION #17: Moved by Blaine Loft, seconded by Roy C. Maracle to defer the legal opinion from Nahwegahbow, Nadjwan, Corbiere to the next regular agenda.

Carried.

MOTION #18: Moved by Blaine Loft, seconded by Velma Hill-Dracup that this Council defer:

1. signing the Memorandum of Agreement with the Association of Iroquois and Allied Indians (AIAI) for the Community Wellness Worker until the correct amount is issued or an explanation is given by AIAI for the decrease
2. signing the Memorandum of Agreement with AIAI for the shelter until Clause 6, which states: "Deficits: Any deficits incurred are individual Member Nations responsibility," is removed and send a letter to Grand Chief Chris McCormack, AIAI, to begin lobby efforts for the shelter and state our concern regarding the incorrect amount for the Community Wellness Worker.

Carried.

MOTION #19: Moved by Roy C. Maracle, seconded by Velma Hill-Dracup that this Council approve the land transfer from Orville Sherman Green to Scott Franklin Green and Orville Sherman Green as joint tenants, that portion of Lot 31E-2-1, Concession 2, shown hatched on the sketch and based on Plan No. RSO 1269.

Carried.

MOTION #20: Moved by Willard A. Hill, seconded by Velma Hill-Dracup that this Council defer the two lands transfer from Deborah Ann Maracle to John Malvin Dale Maracle and Deborah Ann Maracle as joint tenants for further clarification.

Carried.

MOTION #21: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Willard A. Hill that this Council defer the two lands transfer from John Malvin Dale Maracle to Deborah Ann Maracle and John Malvin Dale Maracle as joint tenants for further clarification.

Carried.

MOTION #22: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Willard A. Hill that this Council defer the amended Holy Trinity Church permit for further review of costs associated with the church.

Carried.

MOTION #23: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Willard A. Hill that this Council approve to establish an Environmental Advisory Committee to Council as identified in the MBQ Operational Plan 2004/05.

Carried.

MOTION #24: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Willard A. Hill that this Council approve to establish an Advisory Committee on Land Use Planning as identified in the MBQ Operational Plan 2004/05.

Carried.

MOTION #25: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Willard A. Hill that this Council approve the call for expressions of interest for the following committees: Environmental Advisory Committee to Council and the Advisory Committee on Land Use Planning.

Carried.

Summary of Private Minutes.

- Heard a Policing matter
- Handled an employment issue
- Approved Sanitation Incentive for invoices over one year old as outlined in policy - \$2,801.52

Council continued in private.

Recorded by:
Molly Kohoko

Angela Maracle
A/Chief Administrative Officer


Chief R. Donald Maracle

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TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL MINUTES SEPTEMBER 7, 2004

A meeting of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council held on Tuesday, September 7, 2004 at 7:00 p.m. in the Chief's Office for Local Business continued with regular business.

Present: Chief R. Donald Maracle
Councillors: Blaine Loft, Willard A. Hill, Roy C. Maracle, Velma Hill-Dracup
Staff: Kathy R. Brant, AIAO

MEETING MINUTES

MOTION#6: Moved by Willard A. Hill, seconded by Velma Hill-Dracup that this Council approve a donation of 550.00 towards a presenter gift for the Association of Iroquois and Allied Indians (AIAI) Annual Elder's Gathering on September 20-24, 2004 at Onawa Of Thames.
Carrie

MOTION#7: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Willard A. Hill that this Council approve the following community members to attend the AIAI Elder's Conference, as MBQ representatives: Bernice Maracle Beatrice Brant, Betty J. Maracle, Irma Gray and Donna Crouse.
Carrie

Council had a discussion regarding First Peoples Consultants

MOTION#8: Moved by Blaine Loft, seconded by Roy C. Maracle that this Council defer to meet with First Peoples Consultants on September 13, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. and approve to meet with Wayne Gay on September 17, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. to discuss our legal responsibility with FPC and Kente Bay to wind it down.
Carrie

MOTION#9: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Willard A. Hill that this Council approve for Chief R. Donald Maracle and John E. Maracle to attend the Grand Opening of the new National Museum of the American Indian at the Smithsonian Institute on September 20, 2004 in Washington, O.C.
Carrie

MOTION#10: Moved by Velma Hill-Drawp, seconded by Willard A. Hill to approve the letters to Daphne Rae, Clerk Treasurer, Township of Tyendinaga, opposing the proposed road closing for the Municipal road allowance between Lot 35 and 36 known as Mowbrays Road which lies on CN Rail right of way; and between Lot 6 Concession 1, Front street
Carrie

MOTION#11: Moved by Blaine Loft, seconded by Roy C. Maracle that this meeting be adjourned. (9:22 p.m.)
Carrie

Recorded by:
Molly Kohoko

Kathy Brant
A/ Administrative Officer


Chief R. Donald Maracle

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TYENDINAGA MOHAWK COUNCIL MINUTES SEPTEMBER 13, 2004

A special meeting of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council was held on Monday, September 13, 2004 at 10:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers to review proposed changes to the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Employment and Training Department Policy.

Present: Chief R. Donald Maracle
Councillors: Velma Hill-Dracup, Roy C. Maracle, Blaine Loft, Willard A. Hill (arrived 11:57 a.m. - had a meeting with First Peoples Consultants)
Staff: Angela Maracle, AICAO, Bev Hill, Human Resources Office
Guest: Steve Mercer

MOTION#1: Moved by Velma Hill-Drawp, seconded by Elaine LoR to approve the proposed changes to the Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte Employment and Training Department Policy.
Carrie

MOTION#2: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Willard A. Hill that the Tyendinaga Mohawk Council approve to post the pay equity review contract for open tender.
Carrie

MOTION#3: Moved by Velma Hill-Dracup, seconded by Roy C. Maracle that the meeting be adjourned. (12:10 p.m.)
Carrie

Recorded by:


Chief R. Donald Maracle

NOTICE TO MEMBERS

Do you have family members living off the territory?


Does the Administration Office have their current address?

We are currently updating the addresses of our membership. This update is needed so that we may consult with the full membership on upcoming land issues.

Community Members please have your family living off the territory contact the Administration Office and provide their current address.

Please contact Twila Brant at 613-396-3424 or email at twilab@mba.tvendinaga.net to provide updated addresses.

**PLEASE NOTE THAT
The Mohawks of the Bay of Quinte
now have new e-mail addresses
our e-mail is now
@mbq-tmt.org**

Remember if you have an EMERGENCY
CALL 



MOHAWK FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Mohawk Firefighters in September responded to 3 calls:

- 1 - Motor Vehicle Accident
- 1 - Auto Alarm
- 1 - Medical Assist

This brings our total to 42 calls for 2004.

EDUCATION

Trustee Monthly Report

The HPEDSB budget was finally completed and submitted to the Ministry of Education in late August for the upcoming school year of September 2004 to August 2005.

I have been asked to sit on the planning committee for the upcoming Public Education Symposium which will take place in Toronto on January 27 - 29, 2005. This will offer me an opportunity to have input around First Nations issues and possible speakers that can help to address these issues with a First Nations perspective. Along with our own Territory I am asking other First Nations Trustees for suggestions on topics that may be of interest to them as well.

If you have any questions or concerns please call Mike Brant at 962-3595.

NOTICE TO COMMUNITY MEMBERS

The Tyendinaga Education Committee currently has 3 vacancies for community members interested in sharing their time and experience for the educational advancement of the Tyendinaga Mohawk Community.

Anyone interested please forward a resume to:

LaShelle Brant, Chairperson,
Tyendinaga Education Committee
Mohawk Administration Office
R.R.#1, York Rd.
Deseronto, Ontario K0K 1X0

Deadline Date for applications is October 15, 2004.

TSI KIONHNHEHT NE ONKWAWENNA LANGUAGE CIRCLE

She:kon sewakwakon:

I would like to take this opportunity to introduce myself as the new Mohawk Language Program Coordinator for the Tsi Kionhnheht Ne Onkwawenna Language Circle. In this capacity, I will be responsible to assist the Board of Directors of the Language Circle to carry out their strategic plans for language revitalization initiatives in the community of Tyendinaga.

The Language Circle is currently looking for interested community members to sit on the volunteer Board of Directors. If you are interested in this opportunity, or if you would like to attend a meeting, please contact me at Ohahase at 396-6742.

I welcome your ideas, comments and suggestions and look forward to working together with community members on ensuring the continuance of the Mohawk language in Tyendinaga.

Callie Maracle

F.N.T.I EXPLORES APPRENTICESHIPS WE NEED TO HEAR FROM YOU

First Nations Technical Institute is exploring the possibility of developing an Apprenticeship component to its Education and Training programs.

Recent labour studies have shown that there are some serious skill shortages in several trades and occupations in the Apprenticeship field.

At this point we have identified 3 areas in which there may be some interest locally, and they are:

- 1) Aboriginal Early Childhood Education
- 2) Cook
- 3) Hairstylist

If you are interested in any of these 3 areas, or any other occupations or skilled trades, we would like to hear from you.

Please contact Jake Brant at First Nations Technical Institute either by phone or email as soon as possible.

Thanks

Jake Brant
Community Programs
First Nations Technical Institute
613-396-2122
jakeb@fnti.net



First Nations Technical Institute, Ohahase Education Centre and HOPE would like to congratulate our 2004 Graduates.

- Jenna Barnhardt
- Brandy Brant
- Jacob Brant
- Jamie Brant
- Jessica Brant
- Kevin Brant
- Randi Brant
- Beverley Hill
- Patsy Kring
- Tommy Kring
- April Loft
- Caley Loft
- Cody Maracle
- Jamie Maracle
- Katie Maracle
- Kelly Maracle
- Mathew Scero
- Michael Valcamp
- Ashley Weldon

We wish you well in all of your future endeavors.

RED CEDARS

BREAK THE SILENCE.....

Information for Abusers

ARE YOU ABUSING YOUR WIFE OR GIRLFRIEND?

Have you ever hit, pushed, grabbed or threatened your wife or girlfriend? Do you sometimes humiliate her or force her to do things she doesn't want to do? Is she afraid of you? Are the children afraid of you?

If the answer is yes, you have an abuse problem. This information is directed towards men because research show that most abusers are male. However, this information could also help women who are abusive.

ABUSE in a relationship can take many forms:

- calling your partner names
- undermining her/his confidence
- scaring or threatening her/him
- breaking or destroying things
- forcing sexual acts
- slapping, punching, kicking, burning, breaking bones
- being overly jealous

Abuse is always used to gain power and control over someone.

ASSAULT is any use of physical force against another person without that person's consent. SEXUAL ASSAULT is any sexual activity and/or touch without the other person's consent.

ASSAULT is a crime, even if it doesn't cause any obvious injury. Even a threat to use force is against the law. If you assault your partner, the police can charge you. You will have to appear in court. If you are convicted, you will be fined, put on probation or sent to jail. You will have a criminal record.

Emotional and mental abuse are also acts of violence against another person.

Once abuse starts, it is hard to stop. Abuse often gets more violent and more frequent as time passes.

SOME THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW

- YOUR VIOLENCE ISN'T CAUSED BY WHAT YOUR PARTNER SAYS OR DOES, and she cannot stop your abuse. Your violence is YOUR problem, a problem you can change with help.
- YOUR VIOLENCE ISN'T CAUSED BY ALCOHOL OR DRUGS, although using them may reduce your ability to control your behaviour.
- YOUR VIOLENCE IS LEARNED, often by having been a victim or witness of violence as a child. It is learned by finding out that violence works to get your own way.
- VIOLENCE KILLS LOVE. You are driving your partner away.
- VIOLENCE GET WORSE WITH TIME. It may even end in death.
- VIOLENCE GET PASSED ON from generation to generation. Many children grow up in violent families become abusers or victims as adults.

WHAT YOU CAN DO

The first step is to ADMIT you have a problem and TAKE RESPONSIBILITY for change. You are the one committing the assaults, making the threats, frightening or verbally abusing your partner. You are the one who has to stop. You can CHOOSE not to be violent, no matter how you are feeling.

Here are some things that have helped other abusers:

NO EXCUSES

The first thing you have to do to stop violence and other abuse is to stop making excuses and stop blaming your partner. No matter what you may feel your partner has done, you are the one who chooses to punch or kick her, humiliate or frighten her. Until you start taking responsibility for your actions, the violence will continue.

You may tell yourself that it's a man's traditional right to discipline or control his wife or girlfriend, or that you only hit her because you were drunk. These are just excuses. Remember - it is NEVER okay to abuse or assault another person.

TIME OUT

Learn to take "time out" when you feel yourself starting to get angry. This means giving yourself some time alone so **ME** you can cool down.

- Tell your partner you are taking time out **BEFORE** you leave so she knows why you are leaving and how long you will be gone.
- Recognize your signs of anger; a knot in the stomach, tight chest, raising your voice, clenching jaws or fists, etc.
- When you feel these signs. **LEAVE THE SITUATION IMMEDIATELY**, no matter when or where it happens.
- **STAY AWAY** long enough to cool down (usually about an hour) but don't stay away to get even or to punish your partner.
- **DON'T** drink or do drugs and don't drive any kind of vehicle while you are still angry.
- **CALM DOWN** - don't rehash the situation or other resentments while you're on time out.
- When you return, talk about the situation if possible, but be prepared to leave if you start feeling angry again.

Many men feel they have to control the situation and always have the last word, without considering the rights of their partner. This leads to abuse and assault. If you take time out every time you need to, you can reduce the abuse and avoid assaulting your partner.

TALK YOURSELF DOWN

You may not admit it but, only you make yourself angry.

Most anger is okay if it's what you say (or think) to yourself about the situation, NOT when it's about blaming what happens or what other people do. Try listening to what you say when you are upset - blaming your partner, calling her names, and so on. You can make yourself so angry that it seems impossible not to be violent or abusive.

Instead, try "talking yourself down" when you get upset by saying things like "this is NOT worth getting angry about."

When you take it out on others, you need to talk yourself down and consider the rights of your partner.

LISTEN

Often we are so busy defending our own point of view that we don't really listen to the other person. Listening to what the other person has to say helps you gain a new way of looking at things and helps you feel less angry.

Your relationship will get better if you listen to the thoughts and feelings of your partner and if you can repeat back what she/he has said without arguing or abusing, they will know you have heard and understood them.

SOBRIETY

Some men who are abusive also have a problem with alcohol or other drugs. Alcoholism is a disease, but violence is a learned behaviour. Both problems need to be addressed.

A man with both problems has to stop drinking **BEFORE** he can stop his violence and abuse, after he is sober, he may still have violent tendencies, but at least he will be able to work on the problem. If you try to stop the violence without getting rid of the alcohol or other drugs, it won't work.

Drinking or using drugs makes you less able to recognize and control your feelings. It makes you less able to use skills like time outs, talking yourself down and listening.

TALK TO OTHER MEN

Men, especially men who are violent, often don't talk to other men about their feelings. If you have trouble recognizing and expressing feelings other than anger, you are more likely to be violent or abusive.

You may know of men in your community who have been violent or abusive to their partner and have found a way out of their abusive pattern. Talk to them, and if possible join a men's support group.

GET HELP

There are a few programs specifically for men who want to stop abusing their partner or other family members. If there is no such program in your community, here are some people who may be able to help, or refer you to a source of help:

- Community Social Worker
- Community Drug and Alcohol Counselor
- Regional Mental Health Specialist
- local priest or minister of the church
- elders, friends or relatives

By reading this, you may have taken a first step on the road to change. The real process of change begins with admitting you have a problem and taking responsibility for your abusive or violent behaviour and its effects on your partner.

Change will not be easy, but it **is** possible.



Moon Ceremony

All Women Welcome!

WHERE: RED CEDARS
WHEN: OCT. 28 at Dusk

Please wear a dress/skirt and bring tobacco & water if possible.

Call for more information:
969-2215 or 967-2003
POTLUCK MEAL SHARING



Facilitated by Red Cedars Traditional Practitioner Program

RED CEDARS

Hate Crimes

What are Hate Crimes?

Hate Crimes are **Crimes** committed against individuals where all or part of the motivation to commit the crime was based on the victim's race, gender, religion, nationality, disability, or sexual orientation. A hate crime may involve nearly any form of criminal activity, such as murder, sexual assault, assault, robbery, vandalism, etc., but **takes** the crime one step further by having the perpetrator of the crime specifically single out the victim based on some pre-existing animosity **towards** the victim's gender, race, etc.

Hate Crimes are therefore especially painful for victims, who may feel an increased sense of vulnerability or a re-victimization because of the fact that they were specifically singled out for harm based on something they have little or no control over, like the colour of their skin or their religious beliefs. When the victim of a hate crime is already the member of a specific and distinct minority group, like an Aboriginal or someone in a wheelchair, the crime can add feelings of shame, anger, and isolation to the pain and suffering caused by the crime itself.

There is an added problem when you realize that certain minorities may be less like to report hate crimes at all, based on their previous relationship with police and medical authorities. In this way, hate crimes share a kinship with domestic violence, both of which are often considered "silent crimes." The victim of a hate crime may feel that there should have been something that he or she could have done to prevent the crime from occurring, or may feel that **she** has been made a "target" for future criminal acts. He or she may also choose to report the crime itself but not mention the hatred to police because of fear, shame, or fear of retaliation. Most branches of the justice system in Canada believe that hate crimes are thus underreported.

Why Is It Important to Stop Hate Crimes?

Hate crimes take an already ugly aspect of society, racism and prejudice, and elevate it to an actual criminal activity. By specifically singling out a particular victim based on gender or race or disability, the crime effectively strikes out at all other members of that group as well. Someone in a wheelchair, for example, upon hearing that a disabled person was assaulted in a particular part of town, may choose to avoid that part of town for fear of becoming a victim himself. Likewise, just hearing about a hate crime may inspire a member of the hated group to strike out in retaliation, thus continuing the cycle of hatred and violence and spreading it out further to more innocent victims.

Nearly everyone admits that hatred and prejudice exists in society, however, very few people are willing to admit their own prejudices. It is almost always "someone else's problem" until it hits home. As Aboriginals, most of us understand and may have personally witnessed or been the victim of a hate crime. We may not understand what it is that we can do to stop this cycle of violence, however.

The first step in combating prejudice is always to refuse to allow it in our presence, and that means starting with ourselves. We need to change our language and teach our children to respect themselves and others equally. We need to let those around us know that we don't find inappropriate use of racial or sexual "humour" to be funny, but instead that we find it to be offensive. We need to admit to ourselves that prejudice is not based on hatred but on fear-fear of that which is different from ourselves, fear of the unknown. We need to refuse to allow ourselves and our actions to be dictated by our fears. We need to feel a part of our community because of strength and pride, not because of fear or discrimination.

It is important to speak out, to report hate crimes, and to refuse to let them be swept under the rug. Prejudice breeds itself in the darkness, and by bringing it out into the light of day, we help to stop the cycle and give ourselves the freedom to live our lives without the fear of violence. We can create change: it all starts with ourselves.



RED CEDARS SHELTER

P.O. Box 290
 Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory
 KOK 3A0
 Fax # (613) 967-5998
 Phone # (613) 967-2003

CRISIS LINE # (613) 967-8212 or 1-800-672-9515

A Shelter for Abused women and their children offering:

- Safe Shelter
- Confidentiality
- Onwn-One Counselling
- Advocacy
- Referrals
- 9 Court Support
- Education Sessions
- Circles
- Traditional Teachings
- Speaking Engagements

Program Manager.....	Holly Brant
Assistant Manager	Alanna Maracle
Counsellor	Leslie Spencer
Counsellor.....	Sherry Loft
Counsellor.....	Shirli Stacey
Counsellor.....	Danielle Brant
Counsellor	Julie Maracle

TRADITIONAL COMMUNITY WELLNESS PROGRAM - (613) 967-6544

FAX -- (613) 967-5998

- One-on-One Counselling in a safe and convenient setting for community members
- P Support during court appearances
- 9 Advocate on behalf of clients
- Confidentiality
- Cultural Awareness
- Speaking Engagements
- P Follow-up of Clients who have left shelter, if requested

Traditional Community Wellness Worker Betty Cunn-Benint

Red Cedars Shelter

Accepts the following donations at the shelter

- Clothing (all seasons and sizes)
- Shoes (all sizes)
- House wares
- Towels and linens
- Hygiene products, hair products and accessories
- Baby items (car seats, strollers, etc.)

Due to generous donations we are unable to accept toys or books at this time. As well as household furnishings, due to limited space.

Donations can be dropped off anytime between 8:30am - 4:30pm - Mon-Fri. and 9:00am-1:00pm - Sat & Sun.

We would like to thank everyone for their generosity and thoughtfulness of giving to those who are in need. Everyone needs help at some time.

If you or someone you know is in need of any of the above noted donations we may be able to help. Please call us at 967-2003, all calls are confidential.

Nia:wen Kowa

HEALTH CENTRE

The Dreamcatcher Fund

There may be possible funding available to homeowners who are in need of upgrading their wells.

Please see attached information regarding The Dreamcatcher Fund. In this funding it states Water Quality as one of the funding sectors.

At the present time, I am compiling a list of homeowners who are interested in upgrading their wells.

This funding is very wide scope at the moment, but with the interest of individual homeowners, I would like to submit a proposal for possible funding.

Please contact me at the Mohawk Administration office at 396-3424 ext. 136 if you are interested.

Please submit your name and the present state of your well.

Crystal Maracle
Environmental Community Health Representative

PROJECT GUIDELINES

THE DREAMCATCHER FUND

ABOUT THE DREAMCATCHER FUND

The Dreamcatcher Fund will lead the way to enhance First Nations communities and its people through contributions that will be of benefit socially, culturally, healthfully, and economically in a holistic manner. The Dreamcatcher Fund is independent and is governed by a Board of Directors.

The Dreamcatcher Fund will contribute to eligible applicants in the areas of:

- * Sports and Recreation
- * Educational Support
- * Health Support
- * Water Quality
- * Arts and Culture

A detailed description of each Funding Sector is provided at the end of these guidelines.

Applications for Sports and Recreation only are being accepted effective August 7, 2004. Project expenses incurred from June 11, 2004 to March 31, 2005 are eligible. Applications that span more than one year are eligible, however, applicants must reapply each year. Future announcements will be made as to what applications in the other sectors will be accepted.

The Dreamcatcher Fund is created by Grand River Enterprises in partnership with First Nation retailers. Grand River Enterprises is a private sector business located at the Six Nations of the Grand River.

Who We Will Fund

- * Resident On-Reserve
- * Students who are Ordinarily Resident On-Reserve
- * Must be Non-Profit
- * Individual Band Members
- * Community Groups and Organizations
- * Minor Sports Teams
- * Special Events
- * Elite Adult Teams

Who We Will Not Fund

- For-Profit Organizations
- Political/Territorial Organizations
- Tribal Council
- Band Councils
- Businesses
- Adult Recreational Teams
- Government Agencies
- First Nation Communities Where There are no Affiliated Retailers

APPLICATION GUIDELINES

The operating year of The Dreamcatcher Fund is April 1 to March 31 of each year. Approved funds will be provided directly to the supplier. Applicants may reapply from year to year in any sector. Applicants may submit one application per sector per year. Applications may be accepted for special events of a regional, national or international nature. Applications will be assessed on a bi-monthly basis. Application form must be signed by at least two individuals who are over the age of majority (19 years of age).

APPLICATION DEADLINES

- September 30th, 2004
- December 30th, 2004
- January 31st, 2005
- March 31st, 2005

Funding for approved projects will be available between two to four weeks following the Application deadline.

Well Maintenance Booklets

Water Maintenance booklets are available at the Mohawk Administration Office. Please call Liz or Crystal at 3963424 if you are interested in receiving one.

Well Inspections


Have you received an unsafe report of your drinking water lately? If you are an Environmental Health Officer, Health Canada is available to inspect your well. If you would like a well inspection done, please call Crystal at the Administration Office.

Water Sampling Program

The Water Sampling program is available to take water samples at your convenience. Please keep in mind 3 consecutive samples should be collected for more accurate results.

Please call the Mohawk Administration Office to make an appointment.

Nia:wen
Liz Whani

Remember if you have an EMERGENCY
CALL 

TOPS

Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory

TOPS (take off pounds sensibly)
Meets every Thursday at the Health Center
Weigh in is at 6:30 p.m. (private and confidential)
Meeting starts at 7:00 p.m.
All new members are invited
We share tips on weight loss, recipes, and a lot of fun

Please contact Donna Crouse at 396-2229.

HEALTH CENTRE



Make **Your Own**
Baby Food
Workshop

Presented by
Sarah Backus
Registered Dietitian
@

Thayendanega Health Centre

Tuesday October 26th 2004
7:00 - 9:00pm

Register early by calling the
Health Centre in advance
Tel: (613) 967-3603

This program is open to **all** new parents
and their families.
Free take home gift.

October 2004
Moms - in - waiting
The Canadian Prenatal Nutrition
Program

The Thayendanega Health Centre is offering
MONTHLY FOOD VOUCHERS for women
during their pregnancy. Please drop by or call
the Health Centre @ 967-3603 and speak with
the Community Health Nurses and they will
outline the program. We want everyone to have
a healthy pregnancy and healthy baby!

Mary McCauley R.N.
Brenda Asselstine R. N.
Community Health Nurses



NURSING MOTHEKS' GROUP OF TYENDINAGA

INVITES

BREASTFEEDING MOTHERS
AND BABIES

To their ongoing series of meetings:

2nd & 4th Friday mornings each month Thayendanega Health Centre

9:30am BREASTFEEDING CLINIC
10:30 - Noon DISCUSSION & LIBRARY TIME

OCTOBER : AGES & STAGES

OCT. 8 : GETTING TO KNOW YOUR NEW BABY.. .
"Babymoon" time, nursing styles, smiles & **tan**

OCT. 22 : AS BABY GROWS.. .coping with distractions, teething,
quiet feedings, nursing strikes, first colds,
& anything else

Small Children, Interested Women, Young Girls.. Welcome.
Friendly Mother-to-Mother Support. Lending Library. Information.
Help With Breastfeeding Problems. Baby Weight Check Discussions.
Nutritional Support for Breastfeeding Moms.

Lactation Consultant for October : **Gale Hayward 396-2942 or 539-0144**
Or Call Health Centre 967-3603 to leave a message for Gale.

BREASTFEEDING CIRCLE

**What is that cute breastfeeding song that KWE radio has been
playing lately?**

It's called "Give Your Baby The Breast" by Moxy Fmvous. It
contains messages that fit with this year's World Breastfeeding
Week theme.. .Exclusive Breastfeeding (mother's milk only)
for the first 6 months. Here are the words:

Give Your Baby The Breast

Breastmilk means strong bones for baby it's true,
Less chance of osteoporosis for Mama too,
Helps keep diabetes, obesity, & cancer at bay,
So let your baby grow healthy the natural way.
Give your baby the breast.. .
Breast is Best! Breast is Best!

Baby Einstein was a breast man, Newton too,
'Cuz breastfeeding pumps up a baby's IQ.
Your baby will be smarter with the breastmilk feast,
So breastfeed your baby for 6 months at least.
Give your baby the breast.. .
Breast is Best! Breast is Best!

Breastmilk for babies " we know it's **good**,
So don't stop feeding them before **you** should..
6 months or longer - a year or **two**.. .
It's good for baby & it's **good** for you !
Give your baby the breast.. .
Breast is Best! Breast is Best!

Less chance of asthma & colds - that's what I said,
And fewer ear infections when baby is breastfed.
Yes, baby breathes easier & you will too -
Just knowing what you're doing's good for baby & you.
Give your baby the breast.. .
Breast is Best! Breast is Best!

Note :
**Traditionally Mohawk children were breastfed &
never purposely weaned before the age of 2 years.**
**It isn't it interesting that the rest of the world is finally
catching on?!**

Gale Hayward and Jytte Cooper for the Breastfeeding Support Group
Mary McCauley and Brenda Asselstine - Community Health Nurses

HEALTH CENTRE



**FALL COOKING
CLASSES**

Learn about healthy food preparation
Presented by
SARAH BACKUS REG. DIETITIAN

Mon. October 25/04
Fiber

Mon. November 8/04
Quick healthy meals

Queen Ann Parish Centre
TIME: 6:00 - 9:00 PM

Please call the Health Centre @ 967-3603 in
advance to register

Flu Vaccine Clinics

THAYENDANEGA HEALTH CENTRE

The Health Centre is offering a Flu Vaccine Clinic on
Thursday October 28th, 2004 and Thursday,
November 4th 2004,
From 1:00- 3:W P.M.

The influenza virus is a serious illness that can lead to death. Influenza leaves the body's immune system weak and open to infections. Today's influenza vaccine is very safe and most people have little or no reaction to the vaccine.

REMEMBER- You cannot get the influenza virus from the vaccine

For further information, or if you have any questions, please contact Brenda Asselstine or Mary McCauley Community Health Nurses @ 967-3603

Beat the Flu Bug... Get the Shot!

Thanksgiving 2004

TYENDINAGA COMMUNITY DIABETES PRESENTATION

Dr. Robin Conway
M.D.

Diabetes Specialist

Thursday October 14TH, 2004
9:30- 11:00 AM

Topic: What do the new 2003
guidelines mean to me, as a
person living with type 2
diabetes?

Place: Orange Lodge
York Road TMT

Kindly sponsored by GlaxoSmithKline

Thanksgiving is fast approaching and this year the Nutrition & Fetal Alcohol Awareness Programs are once again offering a \$25.00 food voucher to assist families with a healthy meal for Thanksgiving Dinner.

If you have children between the ages 0-6 and reside on the Tyendinaga Territory then you meet the criteria.

All you have to do is stop in at the Health Centre and see either Bev or Brenda between 8:30 am & 4:30 pm, Friday October 8th to pick one up

If you have any questions regarding this please call us at 967-3603.



HEALTH CENTRE



Angel Tree Program



The time is coming ~~once~~ again to ~~start~~ planning for the Christmas Season! We would like to get an ~~early~~ jump on the Angel Tree Program. Therefore, if you ~~plan~~ on accessing the Angel Tree Program this year, please contact Sam ~~Maracle~~ or Lesley ~~Maracle~~ at the Tyendinaga Health Centre.

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

Referral will be taken as of October 1, 2004

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

This year's deadline for applications is December 3, 2004, but please apply early

Thank You



Angel Tree Program 2004



With cold ~~weather~~ fast approaching, and Christmas coming ~~sooner~~ than we think, the Angel Tree Committee is preparing for the kick off of this year's Angel Tree Program.

The Angel Tree will ~~again~~ be located in the reception ~~area~~ of the main level of the ~~Thayendanega~~ Health Centre. Angels will be available beginning November 5, 2004.

We ask that ~~all~~ unwrapped gifts with the angel's identifying code be ~~attached~~ and returned to the Health Centre ~~no later~~ than December 6, 2004.

The Angel Tree Program ~~exists~~ on fundraising and donations alone, and 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 note that there have been a few changes to the Angel Tree Program Policy. Please contact ~~Samantha Maracle~~ or ~~Lesley Maracle~~ if you have ~~any~~ questions concerning eligibility.

Last year the Angel Tree Program serviced 31 families, which included 59 children. Please open your hearts again to make this winter a warm one for the angels.

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



INFANT & CHILDRENS CLOTHING EXCHANGE

Thursday, October 21, 2004
9:00 am - 7:00 pm (closed from 12-1)
@ Tahatikonsotontie Head Start

THIS IS A FREE EVENT, OPEN TO EVERYONE

(Donations not necessary in order to participate however cannot be successful without them)

ITEMS THAT WILL BE ACCEPTED INCLUDE GENUINE USED CLOTHING FROM NEWBORN TO SIZE SIX, IE. WINTER HATS, BOOTS, MITTENS, PANTS, SWEATERS, SNOWSUITS AND SKATES.

PICK-UP AVAILABLE BEFORE OCT 19 AS REQUESTED

HOSTED BY THE HEALTHY BABIES HEALTHY CHILDREN PROGRAM & TAHATIKONSOTONTIE HEAD START

TO DONATE ITEMS OR VOLUNTEER, PLEASE CONTACT:

SARAH @ 967-3603
TRACEY/CINDY @ 396-6716

Are you 59 years of age or older?

And you have

worked and paid into CPP?

Are you a widow or widower

between the age of 60-64?

Are you turning 65 within the next year?

If you answered yes to any of the questions.

You may want to meet with

Leona Somerville from HRDC Office.

If you are already receiving benefits

this does not affect you

unless you may have questions for Leona.

Leona will be visiting our community

November 29 & 30, 2004

Please contact Lesley at

Thayendanega Health Centre to set up

an appointment at 967-3603

COMMUNITY INTEREST

Demolition derby opens Mohawk Fair

by Jennifer Ashawasegai

It's the fire hall, registration central for the demolition derby at the Mohawk Fair in Tyendinaga.

Sitting at the table, an older woman, larger than life, is wearing a large fuzzy purple cowboy hat with number 33 painted in white on the front.

Ekic Dowdle has been a part of the Mohawk Fair for 30 years now, and announcing derbies for 20 of those years. She says a lady doesn't tell her age, and adds, she's too old to stay up all night hut too young for the rocking chair.

The derby was to begin at 7 p.m. and by just after 5, guys were lined up inside the hall, almost to the door, registering last minute cars for the heats.

Elsie, handling everything with old hat — will not allow any of the guys to throw her off. "You have to be firm with them," she says after one young man tries to charm the number of his heat from her.

The guys are not to know what heat they are going into, so they won't gang up with friends or family to pick on one guy. She knows most of the men on a first name basis and says people take their derbies seriously.

Over at the pits, really the back of the field, a contemplative looking young woman stands by a painted pink 1990 Ford Tempo, with a large tiara on the top, watching her boyfriend and friends complete a few touch ups. For her first time, 21-year-old Ashley Maracle is getting ready for the demolition derby.

Just five feet tall, Ashley is nerv-

ous, but excited. About entering a male dominated sport, Ashley said she wanted to try something different plus the event just looked fun. Friends and family encouraged her to drive and work on her car.

A little further down the line of demolition cars, a black and white car catches the eye. There's a skull on the front of the roof section, with



Crowd favourite "Pedro" Crowder poses with 10-year-old Chris Sweet at the Mohawk Fair demolition derby on Sept. 17.

white skeleton painted coveralls hanging on the side. Cool. Looking closer at the car, there's a TTC sticker on the front end. Funny.

A man runs over, "Hey wait," he says, "You want me to put on the coveralls for a picture?" His name is Pedro Crowder, #33, quite the char- &, a bundle of happy —

Pedro likes to put on a show for the crowd, which includes handing out candy to kids and dressing up and giving away large fuzzy w-boys hats, with his number painted on. He's been at this game for about 15 years now because he says he

loves to destroy things. The evening's derby is probably the last for his 1991 Crown Victoria with a Chevy engine, which he's already been in five other derbies this season.

Closer to 7 p.m. guys are still rolling in to tell Elsie more guys are on the way for the derby. Elsie is rounding out her list of heats, and figuring out where to put everyone.

Ekic calls the cars for the first heat. They line up on opposite sides of the field. The demolition officially gets underway. Ekic prepares the crowd, and everyone counts down from 10 with her to signal the drivers. The fun begins.

The rear end is generally used first to crash into other cars. Wrecks last longer that way than using the front end. The commentator, pulled into the excitement of the demolition, is telling the crowd which cars are still in the game, who's out. An especially bad hang elicits an "Ain you okay?"

In the second minicar heat, Ashley, third in line, comes rolling onto the field. A fierce look of concentration is on her face while she is in the line-up waiting for the countdown. Ashley goes down about sixth in a 10 car heat. Not bad for her first time.

Pedro, in the second heat for big cars, places second. But before the race, his show-face on, complete with a hockey mask, he jumps on the roof of the car, throwing his arms up for applause. After the race, Pedro gives his trophy to 10-year-old Chris Sweet, who loves coming to the derby to watch Pedro, because he's fun and gives away candy to kids. Pedro says his car is out commission now, but he will return next year in another "Crown Vic and Chevy engine."

Meanwhile, Ashley is still basking in the after-glow of her first demolition. She says it was totally awesome and she will definitely enter again next year. Ashley says although it was a bit of shock and somewhat scary being hit while she

couldn't see the other car coming, it was awesome when she smashed into someone else. Her advice to other young women: "Don't be scared, just do it."

And the winners were:

Best Decorated	1st Tom Dun, Kyle Maracle, TMT
Heat 1 Big Cars	1st Lance Simlow, Napanee
2nd Mike Sweeting, Plainfield	
Heat 2 Mini Cars	1st Keith Baker, Enterprise
2nd Ron Meeks, Belleville	
3rd Tim Hunt, Napanee	
Heat 3 Big Cars	1st Johnathon Reed, Newwood
2nd Pedro Crowder, TMT	
Heat 4 Mini Cars	1st Matt McConnell, Deseronto
2nd Eric Farrell, Shannonville	
3rd Mike Morrison, Stirling	
Heat 5 Big Cars	1st Tim Smith, Plainfield
2nd Jeff Davis, Lakefield	
Heat 6 Mini Cars	1st Mike Fraser, Yorkton
2nd James Oliver, Melrose	
3rd Joe Thompson, Deseronto	
Hard Luck Mini	1st Mike Lindsey, Belleville
2nd James Oliver, Melrose	
3rd Joe Thompson, Deseronto	
Hard Luck Big	1st Ben Broad, Belleville
2nd Kelly Barnhart, TMT	
Feature Big	1st Mike Sweeting
2nd Tim Smith	
3rd Johnathon Reed	
Feature Mini	1st Keith Baker
2nd Mike Fraser	
3rd Ron Meeks	

Contestants 'pimp their ride' for annual fair car show

by Joy Rose Flatt

What's under your hood would be the main question asked by all participants in the eighth annual Show & Shine Classic Car show held during the Tyendinaga Mohawk Fair.

Eight years ago Billy Brant and his brothers came up with the idea to hold the very first classic car show here in Tyendinaga during the annual Mohawk Fair. The main contact person is Billy, although his three brothers are actively involved in the planning and preparation for the show.

The show was held on Saturday of the fair and had 77 entries, the most ever. This year organizers did things a little differently. Instead of only acknowledging the top car, they awarded the top 10. In addition, each participant received a dash plaque in recognition of his or her entry.

No entry fee was required and door prize tickets were given to each registered participant so they all get a chance to win a prize. Door prizes were donated from local and surrounding businesses and were noted during the show on a board near the entrance. This year there were 58 plus sponsors.

The general public does the voting on the best classic cars. As they enter the designated area, each receives a ballot. On this they indicate the car number and owner's name and drop it into the box. At the end of the show the fair board counts the ballots.

A 50-50 draw also took place and this year and I was able to pick the winning ticket, making the lucky winner Dave Casey. The rest of the money was donated back to the fair board.

The following is the list of the top 10 entries and the type of car:

1. Larry Hay	'71 Mercedes Benz
2. Terry Young	'68 Charger
3. Phil Goodell	'52 Mercury
4. Cal Sparks	'31 Harley Davidson Ford
5. Joe & Debbie Wilkinson	'37 Ford
6. Jim R Diane Maracle	'52 Ford
7. Cory Lloyd	'78 Camaro
8. Norm Crawford	'67 Chevalier
9. Bob Burrell	'54 Chevy

And the overall people's choice was Bob Willis with his '57 Corvette.

A 'squealin' good time had at this year's fair

by Marlene Girouard

Wilbur is the one that got away at the greasy pig contest at the Mohawk Fair Sept. 18.

The pig was kept in a trailer beside a fenced-in area. Three times Wilbur was let out and contestants tried to catch him.

The successful candidate, who could catch the pig and carry it back to the trailer, was the lucky winner of \$50.

There were three categories, youth, adult men, and ladies. During the ladies event, Wilbur broke through the fence and went running

through the fair grounds. Wilbur's antics caused quite a commotion. He had the crowd running everywhere trying to catch him.

Meanwhile, with people laughing so hard the challenge was still on. The two winners of the ladies division, Stephanie Jolly and Sylvia Brett, eventually captured Wilbur.

Wilbur's unsuccessful getaway added humor to the Mohawk Fair on Saturday afternoon and the crowd enjoyed a good chuckle. Other winners were Jordan Brant, youth, and Brian Hanoski, men's.

AND ANOTHER THING..

The above stories were written by students enrolled in their first year of the Aboriginal Media Program. Earlier this week, the first issue of the Tyendinaga Tattler, an occasional newspaper produced by first-year learners in FNTH's media program, was distributed to the local community. The publication contained certain errors. The story First Nations leadership questioned was written by Brent Wasley. Marlene Girouard's name was misspelled in the byline on the Aboriginals remain nameless in media story. That story also said incorrectly that Chief Billy Two-Rivers of Kahnawake Mohawk Territory took part in Prime Minister Paul Martin's swearing-in ceremony last November. Actually Chief Two-Rivers was one of the unnamed men in the Globe and Mail's Sept. 14 photo that prompted the Tattler's story. We apologize for these errors.

COMMUNITY INTEREST

POSTCARDS FROM THE VISION QUEST by Joseph Brant

Your Memory Has Been ~~Here~~ All The Time

The fourth year of the past few decades have been important ones for me. I didn't realize that until this year, but I guess clarity **takes** time.

My parents were married in **1974**. That **story** isn't mine to tell, of course (I was born in **1976**) so I'll fill you in on my "take" of that era.

A couple years ago, Mom gave me and my brother each a HUGE binder filled with information on our family history. It was one of those gifts you know you'll treasure **years** into the future, for whenever the future gets here.

Along with it was another binder for each of **us**, this one filled with old crafts we made during our time at Quinte Mohawk, a couple of which – I'm proud to brag – had a ribbon attached from a display at the Mohawk Fair. It also contained old pictures of me as a baby, my brother, Clint, as a bay, my grandparents as young people (in their '50s!), not too many of my mom, Jackie – I notice now – and one or two of Dad.

There is one photo of Dad that strikes me after all of these years. If you knew my dad, Neil, at all – he'd have turned **52** next month – you'd recall his "look" never really changed. He always had straight, **course**, (thinning) dark brown hair, combed on the same side from the beginning of time, a full moustache (except for that year in the 80s), broad shoulders, the necessary Mohawk beer belly, a pair of thick glasses and, standing at about 5'7", a height-gene that neither me nor Clint received. Thank God.

In this picture, from about **1974/75**, Dad is just sitting on the lawn in front of one of the first homes where my parents lived as a couple. Alone on the grass in a pair of jeans and cotton short-sleeved shirt, he's posing for the camera which, for me, reveals such a fascinating yet unremarkable thing: he was young, innocent enough to just sit and wait as his picture is taken.

My dad was never a "busy" person. He was not terribly stressed by much though an unmonitored sugar level could produce a short temper. Still I'm fascinated to see, in the picture of a man whose look hadn't changed in over twenty years of adulthood, a youthfulness and an innocence that I – his son – almost thirty years later, have outgrown.

When I was twenty-one I marveled at the fact my parents bore me at that age. It still strikes me as impossible. As I approach thirty, I've come to truly appreciate how experimental one's twenties are.

I am a far different person now than I was at 21. Definitely. Though I like to think of my personal life experience as unique, it cannot possibly be that different from anyone else's. A few years ago, when I was in the thick of emotional "stuff," I understood that the first few years out of college (or high school) are necessarily messy. They're filled with unacknowledged anxiety and distrust of one's own instincts. Yes, the world may be our oyster but we're just too damned afraid to shuck it.

And I know our experiences as young people farm the base of our adult decisions, especially when we're in our early twenties. Loners stay alone; needy people marry. There are more polite ways to phrase that, I know, but in their essence we all understand the concept. I've learned over the past seven years just how ignorant it was for me to impose the decisions of my life at 21 on the lives of others.

Local history, family stories, an individual's secrets: they all play a role in our lives. To whatever extent we can control it, we'll never know. Some people get married as a means to find "normal": some people move far away.

What's interesting is to look back – once the air has cleared – and see what you missed while you were otherwise occupied. Of course, there were opportunities for greatness but there were also fortuitous chances of fate that made life now a more full and pleasant one. They remind us that our lives were meant to be lived at exactly the time, and with exactly the people, we lived them.

This December it will be a full ten years since my dad died. For the uninitiated: it was a few days before Christmas, a car accident, alcohol was involved. I put it bluntly because those facts are truths. And, again, I only have my own story to tell.

At first, I wanted to deny that alcohol had a hand in his death. If my dad had to leave, I figured, I'd prefer it to be on the most moral of terms. You know how people are so prone to re-inventing history once a catastrophic event has occurred? I looked seriously (as an 18-year-old, shockingly) and realized how wrong it would be to create a fantastic picture of my past. If only because I knew I'd be kidding myself more than anyone else.

There was an overarching truth attached to it as well. The year 1994 started my last at Moira Secondary and, with so many non-Native friends, I found myself (essentially) pretending life on Tyendinaga was similar to life off the rez, when it couldn't possibly have been that way. In retrospect, it became clear I was attempting to convince myself of these points.

Psychologically, I'm sure it was easier facing the truths of my early life only because I was about to leave it. I was already on schedule to move to Nashville at that time – I was gone by mid-August to start school here – but, in April, I took on a full-time job at the Akwesasne radio station, CKON. Living during the weekdays only a three-hour drive from home was the perfect stepping stone to packing up and moving to Nashville.

Truly, the most fascinating part about facing these truths was they are now nothing more than past hurdles I've already jumped. Denying the truths of life is like walking into a wall, backing up, walking into it again, backing up, walking back into it...

It has created a greater amount of clarity. Gawd knows, our lives will always be filled with – pardon me – sh*t that we're just gonna have to deal with. Better to get the past out of the way, you know?

I'm still shocked to wake up some mornings to realize I dreamt about Dad. In my conscious mind, it would only make sense that – in a dream – I should only be able to recount the past. It's not that way, in these dreams. The irony, the funny irony, is that (in my dream) I'm not just sitting around, amazed that I'm here with Dad. Nape. He's just there, standing out no more significantly than anyone else.

Unspectacular scenes like that make me wake up and realize just how real Dad is for me, how much a part of my life he will always be.

I'm reminded of that, as well, by the ways I'm becoming more like him. As a teenager, I grew tired very quickly at his penchant to say something so off-the-wall, so nonsensical, so absurd just to see what our response was. Just a month ago, I realized that is exactly what I'm prone to doing.

It pleases me – and, I guess, it relieves me, too – to know that even when we pass on, we're all still here really. Here's a cheesy song lyric I can't get out of my head

Gone but not forgotten
Gone, but still on my mind
Gone but not forgotten
Your memory has been here all the time

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Important Notice!!! New Location

The Food Bank has moved to
the 59'ners Club (back entrance)

Food Bank hours have not changed

Open on the
2nd 3rd & 4th Friday
10:00 – 1pm

KIDS PAGE

Halloween Safety Rules



- Always carry a flashlight.
- Young children should **always** go trick-or-treating with an **adult**.
- Never trick-or-treat alone. Have **at least 2** buddies go with you.
- Make sure that you are **wearing** a flame retardant costume.
- Wait until you get home and your parents check your candy before you eat it.
- Be** very **cautious** of strangers.
- Accept treats **only** in the doorway. Never go **inside** a house.
- Be** sure and say thank you for your treats.
- Don't play near lit jack-o-lanterns.
- Visit only houses where the lights are on.
- Walk, do not run.
- Walk on sidewalks and driveways.
- Cross the street at the corner or in a crosswalk.
- Wear a watch.
- Always** use common sense.



Halloween Fun Word Search

















- bat
- black
- broom
- cat
- costumes
- ghosts
- halloween
- hoot
- monster
- moon
- mummy
- night
- owl

- pumpkin
- scare
- skeleton
- spider
- spirits
- spooky
- vampire
- witch














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BIRTHDAYS

<p>Happy Belated 8th Birthday!</p>  <p>Daylon Sept. 29</p> <p>Love Jules</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Auntie Oct. 5</p> <p>Love the Martin Clan</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Nicole Oct. 11</p> <p>Love your Kids</p>	<p>Happy 13th Birthday!</p>  <p>Ashley Oct. 7</p> <p>Love Gram & Lennie</p>
<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Faye Oct. 26</p> <p>from your pals, Julie & Mary</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Gram Martin Oct. 16</p> <p>Love the family</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>John Boy Oct. 15</p> <p>Love your family</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Justin Oct. 4</p> <p>from Jules</p>
<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Julie Oct. 28</p> <p>from your pals, Mary & Faye</p>	<p>Happy 2nd Birthday!</p>  <p>Owen Oct. 8</p> <p>Love Mommy & Daddy</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Mommy/ Amy Oct. 20</p> <p>Love Owen and Andrew</p>	<p>Happy 17th Anniversary!</p>  <p>Mom & Eric Oct. 2</p> <p>Love the Kids, and Grandkids</p>
<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Tota (Dorothy) Oct. 5</p> <p>Love Owen & Tehanavakhas</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Mom (Dorothy) Oct. 5th</p> <p>Love Jack, Jeremy, Leanna Ben, Amy & Andrew</p>	<p>Happy 25th Birthday!</p>  <p>Daddy (Kelly Bernhardt) Oct. 23</p> <p>Love Katie & Kayla</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Hunny Kelly Bernhardt Oct. 23</p> <p>Love Melissa</p>
<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Jay</p> <p>Love from your family</p>	<p>Happy 4th Birthday!</p>  <p>Kennedy</p> <p>Love Nana Katie</p>	<p>Happy Birthday! Sweet 16</p>  <p>Shirley Maracle Oct. 14</p> <p>Lots of love, Dad (Phillip) & Maxton</p>	<p>Happy Anniversary!</p>  <p>Robin (P.O.) & Tammy Oct. 3</p> <p>Love always, the family</p>
<p>Happy Belated Birthday!</p>  <p>Aunt Grama</p> <p>Love your Stars xoxo</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Dad Oct. 22</p> <p>Love always, Kelsey and Derek xoxoxo</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Eric Sept. 23</p> <p>Lots of love, Grandpa (Phillip) & Maxton</p>	<p>Happy 6th Birthday!</p>  <p>Connor Oct. 2</p> <p>Love Daddy, Mommy & Susy</p>
<p>Happy 11th Birthday!</p>  <p>Kelsey Oct. 19</p> <p>Love always, Mom, Dad & Derek xoxoxo</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Todd (Hon) Oct. 22</p> <p>Love always and forever Your Hon xoxoxo</p>	<p>Happy 1st Birthday!</p>  <p>Kaylea "Beans" Oct. 11th</p> <p>Lots of love, Mom, Dad, Jiggy and Maxley Mutt</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Kennedy</p> <p>Love Mommy, Daddy and Keelan</p>
<p>Happy 50th Birthday!</p>  <p>Kathy</p> <p>Love your Mom (Joan)</p>	<p>Happy 50 Birthday!</p>  <p>Mom/Nana Katie</p> <p>Love Kelly, Mike Shannon, Andrew Keelan & Kennedy</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Uncle Jay</p> <p>from Keelan & Kennedy</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Aunt Bonnie</p> <p>Love, Keelan & Kennedy</p>

BIRTHDAYS & COMMUNITY INTEREST

<p>Happy 27th Birthday!</p>  <p>Jess Oct. 4th</p> <p>Love you, Aunt Marilyn Uncle Rick, Sam, Brad Marta & Connor</p>	<p>Happy 27th Birthday!</p>  <p>Jodie Oct. 5th</p> <p>Love you, Aunt Marilyn Uncle Rick, Sam, Brad Marta & Connor</p>	<p>Happy Birthday</p>  <p>Rick Oct. 8</p> <p>Love Marilyn</p>	<p>Happy Anniversary</p>  <p>Bill & Nancy Oct. 7</p> <p>Love Marilyn, Rick Sam, Brad, Marta & Connor</p>
<p>Happy 22nd Birthday!</p>  <p>Brad Oct. 8</p> <p>Love Mom, Dad & Sam</p>	<p>Happy 18th Birthday!</p>  <p>Adam Oct. 31</p> <p>Love Aunt Marilyn, Uncle Rick, Sam, Brad, Marta & Connor</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Papa Henry Oct. 8</p> <p>Love Connor</p>	<p>Happy Birthday!</p>  <p>Dad Oct. 8</p> <p>Love Sam, Brad & Marta</p>
<p>Happy 22nd Birthday!</p>  <p>Sweetie Oct. 8</p> <p>Love you, Marta</p>	<p>Happy 22nd Birthday!</p>  <p>Dad Oct. 8</p> <p>Love Connor</p>	<p>Happy 8th Birthday!</p>  <p>Cooper Oct. 18</p> <p>Love Aunt Marilyn, Uncle Rick, Sam, Brad, Marta & Connor</p>	<p>Happy 15th Birthday!</p>  <p>Jayla Oct. 24</p> <p>Love Aunt Marilyn, Uncle Rick Sam, Brad, Marta & Connor</p>
<p>Do you have a Birthday wish to put in the Newsletter? Birthday Ads are free! Call 396-3424 Deadline for the next newsletter is Monday Oct. 25</p>			<p>Happy 1st Birthday</p>  <p>Skyler Oct. 21st</p> <p>Love Marilyn, Rick, Sam, Brad, Marta & Connor</p>

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RECREATION NEWS

darlene@mbq-tmt.org October 2004

Tyendinaga Hockey Subsidy

A Dreamcatcher application for hockey subsidy was done September 7, 2004 by the Recreation Department and the proposal was approved for the parents who applied for their children. Parents will be notified when the cheques will be ready. The registration forms that were sent in late will be reviewed and another process will be considered. The Recreation Department is welcoming any other ideas for the Dreamcatcher fund application. Parents are also welcome to apply for

themselves and if you need any assistance with the form you are welcome to call. Currently Recreation and Green's Dream Stable are partnering in preparing an application for an After School program for all ages with the Stable.

Also networking with the Canskate program to develop an application for the skating season. If you are interested in these programs please call Recreation.

TMT Soccer

Niarwen to all the coaches, parents and sponsors that took the time to volunteer and support the new initiative. This year around 85 youth register for Tyendinaga soccer. The Rec. Department has been a contact number for TMT Soccer and now it has blanché out on its own. My time with coaching soccer has all been volunteer and it will continue for the season 2005. It is such a terrific experience, words do not express it enough. My team mates were "COOL" and super players. Refer to upcoming events section.

The Karon hiak ta'kie Sports Complex

The area is starting to receive a face lift. The holding tanks are in the ground now, so next summer we will have no water issues. We now have an inside bathroom for the canteen workers and any one attending meetings at the canteen during the winter months. G.D Jewell Inc. will be starting the work on the drainage and soccer fields during October. Policies for the area are also being reviewed and updated.

We are expecting everything to be almost completed for the 2005 season. We welcome any volunteers or students that want to experience the repair process.

Scouts Canada & Tyendinaga. We welcome parents and friends to support scouts in Tyendinaga. 1-888-SCOUTS-NOW

SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:

- FUNDRAISER FOR SPORTS / BREAK OPEN TICKETS AVAILABLE IN THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT
- NIARWEN FOR THE SUPPORT AT THE CANTEN. FOR DETAILS ABOUT RECEIVING FUNDING FOR SPORTS CALL RECREATION.
- PLAYING FOR KEEPS FUNDING 962-9291 EXT. 3111

COMMUNITY INTEREST

Thank You!

On behalf of the Tyendinaga Lions Club, I would like to extend an enormous thank you to the following volunteers, who graciously devoted their time, to help make our food booth at the Hastings County Plowing Match a huge success. Terry Bernhardt and Orville Green, for the use of their vehicles. Allen Idzenga, for providing us with the sinks and the wafer system, Lester Brant for helping set up and tear down our booth, and FNTI for the use of their generator which they have graciously supplied for this and past events.

I would also like to extend a special thank you to the following people for all their hard work and great sense of humor inside the booth; Dennis and Debbie Brant, Heather Green, Mary Ann Spencer, Alanna Maracle, Lonnie Brant, Amy Bernhardt, Chelsey Green, Kelly and Melissa Bernhardt, Jessie Maracle, Cody Maracle, Gary Brooks, Richard Hicks JR., and his friends Lisa and Mike.

Sincerely Yours,
Sheryl Anderson
Resident



Tyendinaga lions Club



We would like to take this opportunity to thank all the people who helped to make this years car show a success.

Wendy Maracle
Sherry Maracle
Rita Brant
Verna Hill
Bob Burrell
Norm Crawford &
Ralph Boomhower

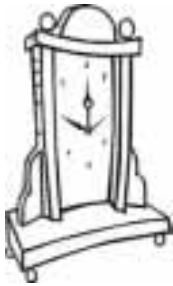
Also we want to thank all those sponsors, who without your support this could not be possible. Thank you for your kind donations.

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P & G Electric
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Thank you, Jean

for your donation to the Food Bank



Clock
Prize winner Walley Maracle (TMT)

Ticket draw Sunday September 19, 2004
Food Bank Committee & Volunteers

CONGRATULATIONS!!!!!!

I'd like to take this opportunity to congratulate Kim Maracle (bus driver) on successfully making it to her 6-month milestone on September 2nd 2004 for not smoking. This is a new path that you've chosen to take and are taking well. I'm very proud of you. Keep up the good work.

Bev Maracle, NNADAP

Congratulations!!

Congratulations to Brian Manoski for winning the family basket that was raffled off at the Health Centre booth at the Mohawk Fair. Thanks to all who visited our booth and made inquiries. Hope to see you there next year.

Thayendanega Health Centre Staff.



Thank You
McMurter Home Centre
for the BBQ donation
Prize winner John Muir (TMT)
Ticket draw Sunday September 19, 2004
Food Bank Committee & Volunteers

COMMUNITY INTEREST

Thank You!

The family of the late Robert (Bob) Maracle would like to extend a heartfelt thank you our family, friends and to the community for being there in our time of sorrow. There have been so many kind words that have been said about our Dad, and how much he will be missed. There are no words that can take the pain away..... But they do help you get through the day. Although it has been 7 months since his passing it seems like it was only yesterday.

We would like to thank the Paul Bears for carrying Dad to his final resting place:

Guy Maracle	Randy Brant	Marnen Brant
Brian Maracle	Josh Maracle	Clara Leitch

Dad had the love of old cars, even when we were growing up I can always remember Dad having a toy to tinker with. Dad's last car was a 1939 Dodge. His hope was to finish the car, he never had the chance. Don't worry dad, your car will be finished.

We would like to thank Fred Knight for arranging the classic cars for the procession. I know Dad would have liked that. We would like to thank the Native Women's for preparing the luncheon, and the Orange Lodge for hosting it.

To all our family and friends that was there with us from the beginning to the sudden end of our Dad's life we can't thank you enough for the support.

The family of late Bob Maracle

We love you Mom, we will always be there for you.
Love always and forever,
Robert, Robin, Lesley, Shuzon, Dacla & families

IN MEMORY OF
POP (BOB MARACLE)
JUNE 21 1943- JULY 14, 2004

DEAR POP

I DIDN'T WISH FOR DEATH
TO EASE YOUR PAIN
YOU MEANT A LOT TO ME POP
NOW YOU'RE GONE....
I'M GOING TO MISS MANY THINGS
ABOUT YOU...
THE WAY YOU WOULD SING AND
DANCE TO YOUR FIDDLE TAPE
THE WAY YOUR BIG BROWN NE WOULD
LOOK FURIOUSLY AT YOUR GRANDCHILDREN
WHEN THEY WOULD GET INTO TROUBLE
THE WAY YOUR HAIR WOULD FLY
IN THE WIND AS YOU DROVE
YOUR OLD CAR DOWN THE ROAD SO FAST...
RACING TO GET TO YOUR CAR SHOWS
I'LL ALWAYS REMEMBER.. THE WAY YOU WOULD
TALK TO ME ABOUT THE OLD CARS
WHEN WE WENT TO ME CAR SHOWS
EVEN THOUGH, I DIDN'T UNDERSTAND
HALF THE THINGS YOU WOULD SAY....
YOU TAUGHT ME A LOT IN MY PAST 13 YEARS
WHAT WAS TAUGHT TO ME
WILL BE TAUGHT TO MY CHILDREN
YOU WILL LIVE ON IN ME ..
NOW THAT YOU'RE GONE
ALTHOUGH YOU'VE LEFT
AND NOW YOU WALK ABOVE
I'M NEVER ALONE I'M WRAPPED IN YOUR LOVE
IN THE SPIRIT WORLD
I KNOW ME AND YOU WILL BE TOGETHER
HOLD ON AND REMEMBER THAT
I LOVED YOU THEN, I LOVE YOU NOW
AND FOREVER.

LOVE ALWAYS
YOUR GRANDDAUGHTER
CHELSEY

In Loving Memory of "Margaret Laura Brant"

May 9, 1959 - October 18, 1995

As the days go by so quickly,
We wonder how we cope.
Our love for you has never stopped,
As your love for us we hope.

Why you left we'll never know.
As sometimes life feels blue.
Without you now for many years,
Feels like we all have not lived too!

But when we sit and reminisce,
Of all the good times had.
We all can think of many thoughts.
That you did to make us glad.

We are proud to say you were our mother,
No one will ever be prouder than we.
Today we remember just how it felt,
Before god came to set you free.

Loved, missed and never forgotten by your children
Danielle, Joshua, Angus, and Elizabeth Brant
Also remembered by Emily, Lucas, Syllas and Patrick

Thank You!

I would like to extend my sincere appreciation
to all the homemakers and Personal Support Workers who provided
excellent care for Linda throughout the years.
I couldn't have managed without your constant
support and understanding.

Nia:wen Kowa

Shirley Leween

Nia:wen Gowa

Thank you to everyone who came out to help us celebrate our
25th Wedding Anniversary on August 14th. We appreciate
all the gifts and well wishes that we received. Also a special
thank you to our friends and family for all their hard work
in planning this celebration and making it truly special.
(And yes it was a big surprise!)

Thank you from the bottom of our hearts - we love you all.

DAVID & RITA

COMMUNITY INTEREST



The Love in Action Outreach Group from the Anglican Parish of Tyendinaga wish to pray for and honour the Seniors of our Community during the month of October.

We ask your prayers for the good health of these people from whom we have gained so much knowledge through their experiences in life. The Elders in the community are people to whom we should be looking up to and appreciating.

The Home Support Workers are to be highly respected for the programs they do with the Seniors. Our prayers are with the "59'ers Club" for the work and enjoyment the members bring to the community.

Please visit and bring some comfort to a lonely Senior this month. Your prayers will be greatly appreciated.

Consider joining us for Sunday Services:

- **All Saints Church on Ridge Rd. at 9:30 a.m.**
- **Holy Trinity in Shannonville at 9:30 a.m.**
- **or at Christ Church at 11:00 a.m.**



Tyendinaga's Community Radio Station is in the process of upgrading all equipment to drastically improve service to the territory and neighbouring communities. This includes moving our station to a new frequency on the FM dial. All details regarding changes will be published in upcoming issues of this newsletter.

Over the next few months, we are asking you to please show your support for your community radio station by attending our fundraising events which will include a Fall Barbeque, A Jamboree/Dance and a Bowling Tournament.

Below is the official list of our volunteers, anyone not appearing on this list is not to be considered an official volunteer member or representative of Tyendinaga's Community Radio Station.

If you have any questions please call 967-0463 or email mohawkradio@yahoo.ca

Chairperson - Mike Hill
 Cc-Vice Chairperson - Kevin Brant
 Co-Vice Chairperson - Ky Maracle
 Treasurer - Joy Brant
 Volunteer Co-Ordinator - Bill Parry

Brad Boomhour	Judy Brown
Jamie Boomhour	George, Sylvia Robbins
Dustin Brant	Roy Howard
Dave Jenkins	Bill Maracle
Ron Parkin	

Thank You For Your On-going Support of Your Community Radio

Feeling out of sorts, down & depressed?

Cognitive therapy can assist you to:

- learn ways to elevate and modify your mood
- recover from the symptoms of depression and anxiety and experience personal growth
- switch your thoughts from negative to positive and learn how to minimize future upsets and develop a feeling of being in charge of your life, thus improving personal power, freedom and overall quality of your life
- pinpoint and eliminate the mental distortions which cause you to feel upset, sad and anxious and depressed

Cissy Pulikunnel has over 20 years of experience in the treatment of depression and other mental health and relationship problems. To make an appointment with her for anyone young or old who has been struggling with mild or severe depression and other difficulties, call the Home and Community Care at 613 962 9376 to make an appointment. You can also be reached at 613 957 9944.



SPECIAL THANK YOU!

The Healthy Babies Healthy children Program would like to thank all those who have contributed to our Bicycle Safety Event that was held on Friday at the Fair. With their proceeds, we have been able to give away two free bicycles and four helmets.

The winners of our bicycles are:

- Cullen Brinklow of Grade 4**
- Halley Chase of Senior Kindergarten**

Thank you:

- Magnum Hydraulics**
- McMurters Home Centre**
- K&C Auto**
- Lakeview Plaza**
- Napanee Canadian Tire**
- Bearflat Station**
- Mohawk family Services**
- National Native Alcohol & Drug Program**

ALSO THANK YOU TO THOSE WHO DONATED BACK TO SCHOOL BACKPACKS:

- First Nations Technical Institute**
- Bearflat Station**
- Brantco Tech**
- Red Barn**
- Workgear**
- Village Variety**

COMMUNITY INTEREST



Mohawks Of The Bay Of Quinte Tyendinaga Native Women's Association

BOX 280, SHANNONVILLE, ONTARIO K0K 3A0

October, 2004

AN OPEN INVITATION TO ALL OF TYENDINAGA'S NATIVE
WOMEN

SAGO,

THE TYENDINAGA NATIVE WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION INVITES ALL NATIVE WOMEN TO JOIN US AT OUR MONTHLY MEETINGS. THEY ARE HELD ON THE FIRST MONDAY OF EVERY MONTH AT 7:00 P.M. @ THE 59TH HALL ON HIGHWAY #2. UPCOMING MEETINGS ARE MONDAY, OCTOBER 4TH, NOVEMBER 1ST & DECEMBER 6TH.

WE INVITE YOU TO COME OUT TO A MEETING AND GET TO KNOW US. WE ARE A GROUP OF WOMEN WHO BELIEVE IN SERVICE TO WOMEN OF OUR COMMUNITY. WE DISCUSS ISSUES THAT ARE RELEVANT TO THE NATIVE WOMEN AND THEIR FAMILIES OF OUR COMMUNITY. A FEW OF THE ISSUES THAT WE HAVE DEALT WITH ARE:

- GENDER INEQUALITY IN THE INDIAN ACT
- THE CONNIE PERRON BILL C-31 LEGAL CASE ON BEHALF OF ALL NATIVE CHILDREN & GRANDCHILDREN WHO DO NOT QUALIFY AS "STATUS" BECAUSE OF THE INEQUITY IN THE INDIAN ACT
- POLITICAL ISSUES RELEVANT TO WOMEN
- FIGHTING THE FIRST NATIONS GOVERNANCE ACT THAT MINISTER NAULT UNSUCCESSFULLY TRIED TO PUSH THROUGH PARLIAMENT
- DIABETES PRESENTATION BY CAROL LOFT OF S.O.A.D.I.

WE ALSO HAVE CRAFT CLASSES AND AN INFORMAL TIME OF FELLOWSHIP AT EACH MEETING. CRAFT CLASSES, LEAD BY EVELYN (MARACCE) WHEELER, BEGIN AT 6:00 P.M. PRIOR TO EACH MONTHLY MEETING. WE ARE CURRENTLY MAKING ARRANGEMENTS FOR A TRADITIONAL "HEALING CIRCLE" FOR AN UPCOMING MEETING AND WILL BE JOINING A "WATER DRUM" WORKSHOP SOON.

THE NWA IS ABLE TO MAKE MONETARY DONATIONS TO COMMUNITY MEMBER AND ORGANIZATIONS. WE RELY ON FUNDRAISING INITIATIVES SUCH AS OUR BOOTH AT THE POW-HOW AND MOHAWK FAIR. WE ARE ABLE TO PREPARE AND SERVE FUNERAL LUNCHEONS FOR COMMUNITY MEMBERS. FAMILIES USUALLY MAKE A DONATION FOR THIS SERVICE. WE ALSO DO CATERING JOBS LOCALLY IN AN EFFORT TO RAISE FUNDS FOR DONATION PURPOSES. OVER THE YEARS WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO MAKE SIGNIFICANT DONATIONS TO MANY COMMUNITY PROJECTS. WE ALSO PROVIDE ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIPS TO NATIVE STUDENTS FROM QUINTE MOHAWK SCHOOL, MOIRA SECONDARY SCHOOL AND LOYALIST COLLEGE.

HOWEVER, DEMAND FOR OUR TIME, SERVICE AND DONATIONS CONTINUES TO RISE. WE HAVE RECENTLY EXPERIENCING UNPRECEDENTED REQUESTS FOR DONATIONS AND SERVICES. THEREFOR, WE WOULD LIKE TO EXPAND OUR BASE OF MEMBERSHIP IN ORDER TO INVOLVE MORE OF THE NATIVE WOMEN (MATURE HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY STUDENTS ALSO INVITED) OF OUR COMMUNITY.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO GET TO KNOW US AND WHAT WE DO, PLEASE COME OUT TO OUR NEXT MEETING. WE WOULD ENJOY THE OPPORTUNITY OF GETTING TO KNOW YOU! EVERYONE HAS SOMETHING TO CONTRIBUTE, EITHER ADVICE, EXPERIENCE OR TALENT!

OUR EXECUTIVE TEAM ARE: DEBBIE SINCLAIR, CHAIRPERSON (396-3312), CHRISTINE CLAUS, VICE-CHAIR (396-3991), CAROL POTIS, SECRETARY (613-476-4339), EVELYN WHEELER, TREASURER (613-389-8846), DONNA CROUSE, HOSPITALITY CO-ORDINATOR—PLEASE CONTACT HER @ 396-2229 FOR FUNERAL LUNCHEONS & CATERING REQUESTS AND ELDER MEMBERS-AT-LARGE—ADA DOREEN 396-6362, ERMA GRAY 396-3728, VELMA HILL-DRACUP 967-4704. YOU ARE WELCOME TO CONTACT ANY OF US FOR MORE INFORMATION.

NIA: MEN—WE LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING YOU AT AN
UPCOMING MEETING OF THE TYENDINAGA NATIVE
WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION!!



Tyendinaga Women's Association (NWA) (submitted by Debbie Sinclair)

The Tyendinaga Women's Association invites
you to attend a future meeting.

Meeting Upcoming Dates:

Nov. 1/04
Dec. 6/04

Time: 7 p.m. Sharp
Place: 59'er's Hall

HWERADIO

is still urgently seeking new volunteers for
various positions and duties at the station.

If interested call 967-0463 or 396-5364
Please leave a message or reach us at our

e-mail address
kweradio@yahoo.ca

COMMUNITY INTEREST

It's a Boy!



Rato:rahts, Iorahkote and Raienthos Maracle would like to announce the birth of their new baby brother,

Sewatis Franklin Maracle

Born: Sunday September 19 at 1:55 a.m.

Weight: 10 lbs. 1 oz

Length: 21 cm long

Proud Parents: Con Maracle and Gabrielle Doreen

Proud Grandparents: Amy & Birdy Doreen

James & Marjorie Maracle

Proud Great Grandparents: Ada Doreen and Anne & Bill Lewis

It's a Boy!



Angus Brant & Kelly Green would like to announce the early but safe arrival of their son:

Sylas Joel Brant

Born: Friday, July 30, 2004

Weight: 1 lbs. 14 oz

Length: 35 cm

Proud Grandparents: Sonny & Betty Green

Orval Brant

Proud Aunts & Uncles: Steven Green, Danielle Brant,

Lee Brant & Josh Brant

We would like to say thank you to family and friends for all the support, phone calls and gifts. They were all very much appreciated. Special thank you to the doctors and nurses at KGH NICU for taking such good care of Sylas during his stay with them. Also a big thank you to the staff at the Tyenditaga Health Centre for their support and providing us with travel funds to travel to Kingston to see Sylas, it is very much appreciated and we are very grateful for your help.

Thanks again,
Kelly, Angus and Sylas

ATTENTION

Volunteer Drivers Needed

The Medical Transportation Program is seeking volunteer drivers.

We depend on these volunteers to get our Community members to their medical appointments.

If this is something you would like to help with or if you have any questions on how the program works, please contact Norma at the Thayendanega Health Centre at 967-3603.



KA:NHIOTE

Tyendinaga Territory Public Library
1644 York Road, Tyendinaga Mohawk Territory
KOK 1X0
(613) 967-6264

Thanks to all who purchased tickets for our raffle at Mohawk Fair. Pat Brant won the necklace and earrings - Dawn Mead won the wall hanging - Janice Maracle won the baby quilt. Janet Brant-Parkin won the candy. We raised \$438.00 from our soup and ticket sales.

Ontario Public Library Week

October 18-24

Community Heartbeat @ your library™

The Public Library offers access to information, supports personal growth, economic renewal and quality of life and provides a vital service to our community

Visit the library during Public Library Week and enter your name in our free draw

Family History Circle meets 3rd Thursday every month
Bring your pictures and family history stories and help us discover who we are

We want to develop a display of pictures of community people, places and things - please consider sharing a copy of your old photos for our display

A Cultural & Educational Resource Centre

Library Hours

Tuesday	8:30-4:30pm
Wednesday	8:30-4:30pm
Thursday	12-4, 6-8pm

Board Members

Sandra Brant
Molly Kohoko
Sandra Green
Sandra Sero
Edith GrosLouis

Librarian

Karen Lewis

Email Address: karenl@library.tyendinaga.net

Check out our web site: www.tyendinaga.net/volunteer/kahnhiote

Genealogy Research
Public Internet Access
Mohawk Language Resources
History Resources
Scanner, Digital Camera, Colour Printer, Fax
Videos, Magazines & Native Newspapers



UPCOMING EVENTS

Deseronto Upcoming Events

TREE LIGHTING CEREMONY: Deseronto will hold it's Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony on Friday, Nov. 26 in Rathhunn Park (beside Town Hall). The Deseronto Lioness will provide free hot cider, hot chocolate, and cookies. We are hoping to have some carol singing - and it would be wonderful to have Mohawk carols as well as the traditional ones we are used to. Kickoff is planned for 7:00PM to sing carols, then the mayor will light the tree and we'll have refreshments. At this time I don't know if there will be other things happening.

SANTA CLAUS PARADE: On Saturday, Nov. 27, at 11:00AM. We are looking for floats, bands, singing groups (perhaps on a float?), and anything else that will make the parade a lot of fun for the young and the young at heart. We are also planning to hold a Christmas Bazaar that day in the Lions Hall on Main Street. We plan to have Santa there for pictures with the youngsters for a small fee. And we want people to sell crafts, baked goods, flowers, or anything else they'd like. Perfect time for shoppers to buy special gifts for Christmas. Tables are \$20.

DONATIONS: We would also be most appreciative of donations to help defray costs. We give out candy canes to everyone during the parade and many things, such as having the Shriners, require large donations to them.

Anyone interested in being in the parade, having a table in the Bazaar, or who can help with a donation (no matter the size - receipts provided) may contact me, Diane Myers at 396-3139.



Attention Families!!

Family Festival Day



Saturday, December 4th, 2004
from 10am - 3pm
at the Mohawk Community Centre

This is guaranteed to be a fun-filled family event full of activities for the whole family!!

Tentative Activities that may be available

Professional Magician
Face Painting
Tattoo — Tatos
Music Centre
Clown

Indian River Reptile Farm
Groovy Hairstyles
Nail Painting Centre
Crafts and Games
Information Booths

There will be door prizes, giveaways and much much more!!!!

This free family event is brought to you by the Tyendinaga Healthy Babies/Healthy Children Program and Tahatikohsotontie Head Start!



Lunch and snacks will be provided!!



So mark your calendars and watch for more details coming soon!

The Ontario Women's History Network, Partnered With Trent University Department of Native Studies and Trent University Faculty of Education Present

Repositioning Native Women in Canadian History: Enhancing the Curriculum

Friday (Evening), October 22 Saturday October 23, 2004
Conference Sponsors

- Elementary Teachers' Federation of Ontario
- Kawartha Pine Ridge District School Board
- Ontario Secondary School Teachers Federation
- Toronto District School Board



Teacher Resources Available

Friday Evening Keynote Speaker:

Paula Sherman

Trent University
Department of Native Studies

Saturday Morning Keynote Speaker:

Nicola Bell

Trent University
Department of Native Studies

Anishinaabe Birnaadiziwin Cultural Healing Program

Saturday Workshops

Conference held at Enweyng: Trent University, Peterborough, Ontario

\$95 General Admission

Early Bird Registration Price

\$50 Full-Time Students

Phone: 1-705-748-1260 or E-Mail: lorjocham@trentu.ca

Octoberfest

Holy Trinity Church Shannonville
Welcomes you to Octoberfest!

October 17, 2004
12 - 2pm

Sausages & Hotdogs
(with all the Trimmings)
Homemade Pumpkin & Apple Pie
Beverages

104 Young St. (at the church)

\$5.00 for Adults,
\$3.00 for Children 12
and Under

Come and Enjoy the Food,
Fellowship and Fun !!



UPCOMING EVENTS

Halloween Dance

Featuring the Band "Line Drive"

SATURDAY, Oct. 30
\$4.00 per Person (in Costume) *Light Lunch! Costume Prizes! 10:30 Judging!*
 or \$6.00 per Person

9:00 P.M. - 1:00 A.M.
Mohawk Community Centre



I See the Firefighters Auxiliary are putting on another Great Dance at the Community Centre

Bring on the ADVENTURE




Outdoor adventure:
It's the Scouting way!

"It's been through Scouting, through Jamborees, through countless camps, hikes and canoe trips that I have gained lifelong friendships and leadership abilities."
Scott, Nova Scotia



Share Some Good Times!

"I like Beavers a lot I like to make new friends and do crafts and stuff."
David, Ontario



To learn more about Scouts Canada, please visit our web site at www.scouts.ca or call **1-888-SCOUTS-NOW**.

boo!! Halloween Party boo!!

Join us on Sunday October 31st at the Council House from 2 - 4 pm for the children's halloween party! There will be lots of games and prizes!

Parents, Please bring goodies to share!

Sponsored by the Mohawk Recreation



Come join the fun!



Scouts Canada & Tyendinaga Recreation is pleased to invite you to our upcoming "An Adventurous taste" where you will learn more about Scouting and experience all the fun you can have in our exciting programs. This event is free, and a parent or guardian must be in attendance.

Ages: 5 to 18 years
 Location: Quinte Mohawk School
 Address: 1624 York Road
Tyendinaga Reserve
 Date: Thursday Oct. 7/04
 Time: 6:30 pm to 8 pm /drop



For additional information please contact:

Name: Recreation Department
 Phone: (613) 396-3424 ext.107
 E-mail: darlene1@mbq-tmt.org
 Web Site: www.mbq-tmt.org

1-888-SCOUTS-NOW

www.scouts.ca

UPCOMING EVENTS



* ATTENTION *

Kente Horseshoe League players

Deadline for purchasing
banquet tickets
is **Oct. 15th**
Call Judy at **968-2580**



Learn how to make Native Crafts!

CLASSES STARTING SOON!

Make: Dreamcatchers, Medicine Wheels,
Jewelry, Smudge Feathers etc.

Something different every week.

Supplies included.

Everyone welcome to join in on the fun.

For more information on dates and cost contact:

Teresa Brant at cell # 613-391-1617



Craft & Yard Sale

Fundraiser for the Tyendinaga Parish

Saturday, Nov. 6

9:00 a.m - 2:00 p.m.

Queen Ann Parish

Anyone wanting a table, \$10.00 per table

For more information call Bev 962-5183



TMT Soccer

Tel: 613 962 1546

tmtsoccer@yahoo.ca

Team Photos Still Available

If you have not received your team photo
from last season, please contact LaShelle
Brant at 962-1546.

Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting for TMT Soccer
will be held on Sunday October 24th at 1:00 pm
in the Council Chambers. We will be
confirming the Constitution, By-Laws and
Officers and reporting on last years finances.
An information package will be available from
LaShelle Brant on or before October 18th.
Please contact for further details.

WATERDRUM WORKSHOP

OCTOBER 17, 24, 31

9:00 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day

Cost \$50.00

(includes all materials, light snacks & refreshments)

Bring own bag lunch

Wear comfortable clothing.

Tools (provided) to be used by participants:
drill, hammer & chisel, carving knife,
varathane & brush

Space is limited to a maximum of 15 participants
(if less than 6 workshop will be cancelled)

TO REGISTER BY OCTOBER 13, 2004 - CONTACT

ALAN OR KELLY @ 613-396-6954

RENTAL OF THE 59'ers HALL

For rental information please call:

Gloria Idzenga - 962-8757

Janet Jung - 3%-1432

Millie Maracle - 3%-5316

RECYCLING



A Recycling Reminder

Hang this on your wall!

Bring these items to your depot



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.



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

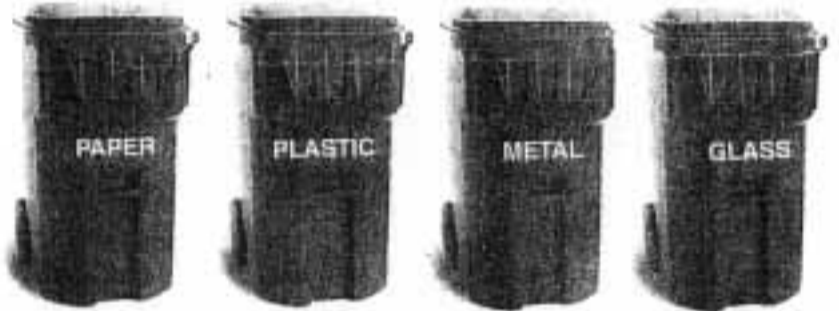
Discard tops and rinse containers for soft drinks, detergents, juice, bleach, shampoo, dairy products as well as clear and foam plastic cups, trays and packaging. Flatten soft drink containers and replace lids. All plastics with the numbers 1 to 6 on the bottom are OK. **No** blister or bubblepacks,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

FOR SALE

- 1997 GRAND AM SE
- 107,000 orig km
 - excellent condition in and out
 - V/6 engine. 155 horsepower
 - four door, white with grey interior. am/fm stereo cassette
 - power steering. mirrors. door locks, windows
 - auto floor shift with console
 - utility trailer hitch. air conditioner, cruise. tilt, tachometer and remote auto starter, new abs brakes and limited slip differential
 - fully certified and e-tested.
 - brand new low profile tires BF Goodrich on special aluminum alloy mag wheels.
 - back seat fold down 40160 for extra long items, tinted windows, rear window defroster and other options.
 - asking \$5975.00

Call: 613-396-3957 for more



LAND FOR SALE

- WATERFRONT LOT
- on the Bay of Quinte
 - located along Cedar Glen Road across from #60
 - 75 ft. frontage
 - survey complete
 - get it now before it's gone

Call Sam: 962-2439

LAND FOR SALE

- WATERFRONT LOTS
- Hickory nut grove
 - 100' frontage X approx. 460'
 - serviced road and hydro
 - will hold mortgage

Call: Glenn Hill 962-5470

LAND FOR SALE

- 500 frontage, 375' deep
- located on Norways Rd., Tyndinaga Reserve

- Please call Bruce at Mary Lott at 962-7420 at B. & M. Variety Norways Road Tyndinaga Mohawk Territory

BABY SITTER WANTED

If you are interested in babysitting a one year old please call Sandy at 967-0091 to discuss further details.

FOR SALE

- one 4.18 acre parcel of land
- located on the Upper Slash Rd. west of Larry Norman's home
- mainly lot 10E-2 Concession 2 on plan number 60489
- 247 Ft road frontage X 719.30 ft depth

CONTACT Freda Baptiste 966 4846 for more information

CHILD CARE PROVIDER

- Mother of one
- C.P.R. & First Aid trained
- No pets, lots of T.L.C. in a clean environment
- Healthy meals & snacks
- Located in the subdivision on Huron Brant Dr.

Call Angela at 396-6564

FOR SALE

2 BEDROOM MODULAR HOME

- 100 X 200 wooded lot
- close to town
- city water and sewer
- lots of Shade
- stove, washer & dryer if needed
- built in dishwasher
- all doors wheelchair accessible
- cathedral ceilings from front to kitchen
- 3 yrs old
- good starter home
- \$85,000.00 or Best offer
- serious inquiries only
- located 174 South Church Lane

Call: 396-2758



MILL TOWN MEATS

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

Make your own Soup!
Lard Corn, Beans, Special Pork!

Call: Glenn Hill 962-5470

LAND FOR SALE

MILLTOWN ROAD Tyendinaga

Call after 5 p.m. or leave a message 3965216

FOR SALE

- 1993 25' PROWLER TRAILER
- excellent condition
 - bedroom at front
 - bunks at rear
 - oak cupboards with etched mirrors. a/c, fridge. stove. shower, microwave

Call: 967-0152

FOR SALE

- WARDS GAS BAR & AUTOMOTIVE
- full equipped garage
 - auto lot
 - storage bay
 - restaurant
 - 1 bedroom apartment
 - gas bar
 - large garage on the side
 - 12.91 acres of land
 - asking \$550,000.00
 - Only the very interested call
 - Owner: 962-6429

FOR SALE

- 1 ACRE LOTS
- located on Wymans Rd. S.
 - culvert included
 - for more information call: 962-5470

FOR RENT

- ONE BEDROOM BACHELOR APARTMENT
- located in Shannonville
 - suitable for student or a single person
 - off street parking
 - living room, kitchen, bath
 - nearly new refrigerator
 - cable t.v. available
 - available Oct. 1, 2004
 - 16450.00 includes heat & hydro
 - first and last months rent
 - references, no pets
 - call: Ken Brant 613-396-3957 for more information

BABYSITTING

AVAILABLE

- In my home located in the rub Division
- Mondays to Fridays
- (weekends on request)
- nutritious lunch
- outside activities
- any age

Please call Teddy: 396-1610

LAND FOR SALE

WATERFRONT PROPERTY

- Sucker Creek
- 1.37 acres
- Phone: 396-3239

FOR SALE

- BUILDING LOTS
- located on Marks Rd & Ridge Rd
 - 150' Frontage

Call: 968-3917

FOR SALE

- SWIMMING POOL
- 15 ft. above ground
 - solar & winterized blankets
 - vacuum & pole, pump, chemicals ladder
 - in good condition
 - asking \$550. or best offer

Call Christine: 967-0410

CHILDCARE AVAILABLE

- Mother of three
- C.P.R. & First Aid trained
- Healthy meals & snacks provided
- Lots of room to play
- Central air conditioned

Please call Nancy: 396-3963



FOR SALE

- GIRLS SPEED BIKE
- fair shape
 - \$20.00

Call: 396-2758

LOTS FOR SALE

- large lots with frontage on Sucker Creek
- approx. 100' frontage X 600'

Please call: 476-9900

CAREGIVER

- will babysit in my home
- children of all ages
- nutritious snack/lunch and activities in the Huron Brant area

Please call Gwen: 396-6331