



Garden River First Nation Community Newsletter

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Women's Big Drum Teachings



On January 16, 2016 I coordinated a Women's Big Drum Teachings at the Garden River Recreation Centre featuring special guests Isaac Murdock and Nokomis Josephine Mandamin.

The gathering was a huge success with participants sharing their knowledge on teachings. Everyone brought their own feast bags to minimize waste, any leftover food was composted, and no plastic water bottles were used. It was stated that we need more gatherings like this one so we are planning another. Stay tuned for more information.

The drum was feasted and some participants shared songs they were gifted; was beautiful to hear the women singing. Chi Mii gwetch to Christie Belcourt for designing the poster, Darrell Boissoneau for bringing the Eagle Staff, Deb Nolan & Mona

Jones for assisting in the clean-up, Sault Tree Experts for donating coffee and food, and all the participants who shared their knowledge and brought food to share: the wild rice dish was absolutely amazing.

I was so humbled to be among so many great teachers and seeing our Anishinabe qwe stand strong. Nokomis Josephine spoke of qwe responsibilities to the lands, the waters, each other and all life.

Isaac shared that we are writing our own history and it's our decisions that will determine how that history is written. Will our children, grandchildren and those we are borrowing from read our history and be proud of our decisions?

~ Sue Chiblow

CHIEF & COUNCIL CORNER

Message from Chief Paul Syrette. . .

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*Aaniin, Boozhoo,
Greetings,*

*Chief and Council send
condolences to the
family and friends who
have lost loved ones
and we acknowledge them on their
journey in the spirit world.*

*On January 19, 2016 a community
feast and presentation to the
community took place on the
Western Boundary Law Suit. GRFN
legal counsel, Kim Fullerton and Dr.
Carl Beal Economist provided the
power point presentation. Our legal
counsel is diligently working with the
Federal and Provincial government to
finalize settlement. Garden River is
looking at land appraisals and a
proxy model for compensation on the
settlement. No dollar figure has
been identified yet, however, once all
the information is gathered the
experts will continue negotiations.
We expect to receive information
from the economist and the land
appraiser within a couple of months.*

*Our GRFN citizens will be provided
updates on the status of the claim.*

*Stay tuned for further community
consultation sessions with a goal to
obtain as much as community input as
we can. At some point, we will be voting
on the settlement through a referendum
process.*

*To all our students from elementary to
university, good luck in your exams
continue to chase your dreams.*

*Even though we haven't had a hard
winter, guaranteed we will have the odd
snow days with bad driving conditions,
please be respectful and mindful to our
snow removal drivers and bus drivers
who provide service to our community
and children. Please keep your safe
distance!*

*Respectfully,
Chief Paul Syrette*



CHIEF & COUNCIL CORNER

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

- Tuesday, February 2, 2016– Chief and Council Monthly Meeting—GR Community Centre
- Tuesday, February 9, 2016– Chief and Council Working Meeting
- Tuesday, February 23, 2016– Chief and Council Working Meeting

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February Community

Mkwa Giizis - Bear Moon

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Garbage Day -GRE • Landfill Site Open • Food Bank Open • Tutoring • Youth Program • Winter Walking Prog • Grief Recovery Prog • Physiotherapist <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nurse Practitioner • Physio Assistant • EDS Shopping Van • Library Open Late 	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GROUND HOG DAY • Garbage Day—GRW • Landfill Site Open • Tutoring • Youth Program • Sew-What—Sweater Mitts • COHI • Cancer Peer Support Grp <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Psychologist • EDS client GRWC appt • Nurse Practitioner 	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Garbage Day—GRW • Landfill Site Open • Food Bank Open • Tutoring • Youth Program • Healthy Sexuality Info Session • Stand Up Exercises • Myofascia Exercises 1/4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • COHI • Nurse Practitioner • Physician Clinic • EDS client GRWC appt • Speech Language
<p>8</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Garbage Day -GRE • Landfill Site Open • Food Bank Open • Tutoring • Youth Program • Winter Walking Prog • Grief Recovery Prog • Physiotherapist • EDS Shopping Van <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Facts of Mood Disorders • Nurse Practitioner • Physio Assistant • Library Open Late 	<p>9</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Garbage Day—GRW • Landfill Site Open • Tutoring • Youth Program • Menopause Support Grp • Sew-What—Aprons • EDS client GRWC appt • Nurse Practitioner • Psychologist 	<p>10</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Garbage Day—GRW • Landfill Site Open • Food Bank Open • Tutoring • Youth Program • Prenatal Class • Drop In Clinic • Stand Up Exercises • Myofascial Exercises 2/4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Healthy Living • EDS client GRWC appt • Speech Language • Nurse Practitioner • Physician Clinic
<p>15</p> <p>Family Day—OFFICES CLOSED</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Women’s Wellness Seminar 	<p>16</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Garbage Day—GRE • Landfill Site Open • Tutoring • Youth Program • Sew-What—Patches for Pants • Healthy Living • Cancer Peer Support Grp <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nurse Practitioner • Psychologist • EDS client GRWC appt • Dietitian 	<p>17</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Garbage Day—GRW • Landfill Site Open • Food Bank Open • Tutoring • Youth Program • Elders Luncheon • CWS—Circle of learning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Myofascial Exercises 3/4 • Basic Facts –drugs • Physician Clinic • EDS client GRWC appt • Nurse Practitioner • Speech Language
<p>22</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Garbage Day -GRE • Landfill Site Open • Food Bank Open • Tutoring • Youth Program • Winter Walking Prog • Grief Recovery Program • Nurse Practitioner <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Physiotherapist • EDS Shopping Van • Physio Assistant • Library Open Late 	<p>23</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Garbage Day—GRW • Landfill Site Open • Tutoring • Youth Program • Coffee House • Sew-What—Finishing projects • Make & Take Program • Psychologist <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EDS Shopping Van • Nurse Practitioner 	<p>24</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Landfill Site Open • Food Bank Open • Tutoring • Youth Program • Drop In Clinic • Myofascial Exercises 4/4 • Parent N Tot Prog • Stand Up— Exercises <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Speech Language • Physician Clinic • EDS Shopping Van • Nurse Practitioner
<p>29</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Garbage Day -GRE • Landfill Site Open • Food Bank Open • Tutoring • Youth Program • Winter Walking Prg <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grief Recovery Prg • Nurse Practitioner • Physiotherapist • EDS Shopping Van • Physio Assistant • Library Open Late 	<p>Anger Solutions Program available (Mental Health & Addictions) call Sarah Jackson, RSW, BSW for a screening appt and more information! Ext. 204</p>	<p>Daily/7days/week:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elderly & Disabled Service (PSW) • Chronic Disease & Diabetes Management • Medical Transportation • Non-Insured Health Benefits

Events Calendar

Colour Coding
 Community Event
 Education Unit Program
 Youth Program
 Newsletter Program
 Food Bank Program
 G.R. Community Trust
 Wellness Centre Program

Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
4 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tutoring • Youth Program • Drop In Social • Traditional Regalia Teachings 5/10 • Physiotherapist • Dietitian • EDS Client GRWC appt • Library Open Late 	5 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food Bank Open • Youth Program • EDS Shopping Van • Walking Prog • Spa Day 	6 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Landfill Site Open • Community Swim 	7 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Men's Wellness Seminar • Food Bank Valentine Bingo
11 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tutoring • Youth Program • You & Your Baby • Traditional Regalia Teachings • Craft Day • Physiotherapist • EDS Client GRWC appt • Library Open Late 	12 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food Bank Open • Youth Program • EDS Shopping Van • Healthy Heart Walk Presentation • Healthy Habits 	13 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Landfill Site Open • Community Swim 	14 Valentine's Day 
18 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tutoring • Youth Program • Traditional Regalia Teachings • You & Your Baby • Physiotherapist • EDS Client GRWC appt • Library Open Late 	19 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food Bank Open • Youth Program • EDS Shopping Van • Walking Program • Spa Day • Newsletter Submissions Due 	20 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Landfill Site Open • Community Swim 	21
25 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tutoring • Youth Program • Traditional Regalia Making • You & Your Baby • Sharing Circle • Physiotherapist • EDS Client GRWC Appt • Dietitian 	26 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Food Bank Open • Youth Program • Walking Program • EDS Shopping Van 	27 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Landfill Site Open • Community Swim • GRFN Historical Society Meeting 	28
Medical Transportation Van <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MEDICAL Appts. Only • Weekdays going up at 8:00, 10:00, 12:45 & 2:30 • Monday—Sunday After hours 705-971-5774 • If an emergency please call 911. 	NOTE: EDS refers to "Elderly & Disabled" **Children's Oral Health Services Available (ages 0-7) Call for more information.	 <p>My Dear Valentine If the sun refused to shine If romance ran out of rhyme You would still have my heart <i>Till the end of time...</i></p>	

An Anishinabek Education System will bring knowledge, identity and pride to our kids

Posted on January 22, 2016 In Education, News
By Marci Becking

SAULT STE. MARIE — “The current option for our children’s education isn’t working and we need to remind all of our citizens that this is why we need the Anishinabek Education System,” says Marnie Yourchuk, Education Manager for Mamaweswen, North Shore Tribal Council.

Yourchuk says that a low graduation rate for First Nations is a big reason why we need an education system that works for our children.

Grand Council Chief Patrick Madahbee points out that racism, lack of self-esteem, lack of culture, not knowing our language are all factors as to why the current system just does not work for our kids.

“We can turn that all around by implementing our Anishinabek Education System,” says Madahbee. “We have to do this for our children’s future — to maintain their Anishinaabe identity.”

The first round of regional information sessions on the proposed Anishinabek Nation Education Agreement with Canada started today preparing Anishinabek Nation citizens for the upcoming ratification vote to

be held Nov. 28 – Dec. 2, 2016.

Andrew Arnott, Fiscal Negotiator for the Union of Ontario Indians says that the intent is to have votes in all of the communities.

“Anishinabek Nation citizens will be able to vote by mail-in ballot as well,” says Arnott. “So far we have 30 communities who have agreed to be part of this process.”

Madahbee says that he’s confident that up to 35 communities might be part of the voting process since there is a lot of interest.

One of the challenges will be is to make sure that the First Nations have updated addresses for our citizens so that they will be able to vote.

“The most important component of the Anishinabek Education System are the Regional Education Councils that feed into the Kinoomaadziwin Education Body,” says Madahbee. “Once this system is ours, it will be a community-driven system.” In this round of community and regional meetings, the Regional Communications Coordinators will be setting up meetings to introduce the proposed Anishinabek Nation Education Agreement with Canada and finding out more about the Anishinabek Education



System.

The Regional Communications teams will be going into the communities and having more regional sessions in urban centres to reach out to citizens to learn more about the agreement learn about the vote and give them the opportunity to vote in the fall.

To find out more, visit www.sayyestoaes.ca - See more at: <http://anishinabeknews.ca/2016/01/22/an-anishinabek-education-system-will-bring-knowledge-identity-and-pride-to-our-kids/#sthash.OOlfxftO.dpuf>

Miigwetch!!

The Garden River Novice B and Tyke C teams would like to thank all those who came out to support their Chili and Scone Take Out Fundraiser on Friday, January 22.

Watch for our next Soup and Scone and Sconedog fundraisers on Friday, February 5 and Friday, February 19 at the GR Education/ Recreation Centre.

We especially thank Darlene Nolan for donating her time to make the best ever scone and scone dogs. If you haven't tried them yet, make sure to! You can catch her every Tuesday at 778A Hwy 17B as part of another fundraiser and at our upcoming

fundraisers! Mmmmm!

Jo-anne Thiessen, Manager Tyke C team
Morgan Roach-Pine, Manager Novice B team

The A/OFRC presents the Fisheries E -Newsletter 2014-2015 Edition!

This edition includes Project Summaries for the 2014-2015 Field Season, games, recipes, and more!

Click on the following link to view the E-Newsletter online!

http://issuu.com/aofrc/docs/aofrc_newsletter_2014-2015

The link is also available on the A/OFRC website at www.aofrc.org.

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AIM Transportation Route

A.M. Route: Begins at 8:30 am

- ☞ Corner of Hwy 17B & Sweetgrass St.
- ☞ Corner of Eagle St. & Blue Jay St
- ☞ Corner of Sweetgrass St. & Sage St.
- ☞ Corner of Hwy 17 East and Gemah
- ☞ Band Office
- ☞ Big Arrow Variety
- ☞ Corner of Whiskey Jack Drive and Moccasin St.
- ☞ Corner of White Birch & Wolf St.
- ☞ Perrault's Gas Bar

AIM Departure: 12:00 Noon
PM Pick-up: Begins @ 12:30 pm
AIM Departure: 3:00 pm

The Latest from Adults In Motion

Dear Student(s):

If you are currently a student, wish to become one or know someone who does, please contact us! We can help to come up with a plan to get your grade 12 diploma! Adults In Motion believes that regular attendance is key for student success and we hope to see you soon! Please don't hesitate to call or come into the school if you need more information.

There are 5 ways you can earn credits:

1. **Independent Learning courses** (over 16 courses, including Grade 10, 11, and 12 English, the Literacy Course, 4 math courses, social science course, and more)
2. **Co-op or working Co-op** (you can earn credits while working at your current job)
3. **In-class courses:** Spring 2016 (Visual Art or Green Industries)
4. **Maturity Credits**—you can earn up to 12 credits (come in to see if you are eligible)
5. **MPLAR**—you can earn up to 16 grade 9 and 10 credits (come in to see if you are eligible)

Reminder: Any students that attend a

regular high school, can come and register for a course, to either catch up or get ahead in their diploma requirements.



Co-operative Education is a valuable part of AIM where students can earn high school credits toward their diploma while gaining valuable work experience at a work placement. Students can even use their current job as their placement. Call or come in to speak with Joanne to discuss your options.



Student Incentive: Students receive a Student Incentive for each course completed. For students completing a **grade 9 or 10 course, an incentive of \$100.00** per completed credit and \$50.00 per completed half credit will be issued. For students completing a **grade 11 or 12 course, an incentive of \$100.00 along with a 3-month gym membership** from the Garden River Fitness Centre per credit will be issued. (Motion #2006-2007-0104)

Hope to hear from you soon!
Natalie, Joanne, Bonnie and Michelle
Adults in Motion
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Take a look at some of the great work done by the Adults In Motion, Visual Arts Class in December 2015. Congratulations to the seven students who obtained their credit! Excellent work to all ☺

Moccasin Making with Elder Blanch Pine



Woodland Style Drawing with Phil Jones



Peyote Stitch Beadwork - Candleholders



Keep an eye out for upcoming Spring Courses at AIM!

-Bonnie Pregent, Secondary Teacher, Adults in Motion

Elementary Liaison Worker Updates



East Views New Culture Room.

Students at East View gather around Mr. Nolan to proudly show off the school's new Culture Room.



Holy Cross JK Registration

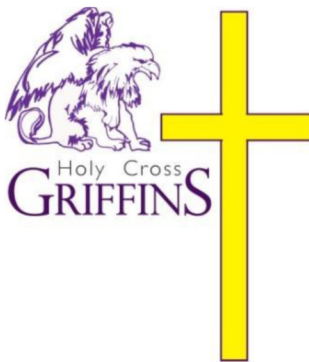
At the Child Care Centre



Carlee just finished registering her daughter and Mrs. Coulter was there for any questions.



Daanis is excited to have Mrs. Coulter as her principal in the fall.



The whole family came to register Rodney for Junior Kindergarten.



Annalise and mom stop to take a quick picture.



Noah and mom holding his new shirt from Holy Cross.



Carson is happy to start JK at Holy Cross



Phoenix is eager to learn new things at his new school in the fall.



Braylin, mom and sister pose for a picture after he receives his new shirt from Holy Cross.

East View JK Registration

At the Child Care Center



Virginia checking out her new principal while in the arms of her mom, Joey.



Jasmine and Mrs. Traves at JK registration.



Josef and mom are excited for East View in the fall.



Stevie and Jayce are excited to sign up for Junior Kindergarten.



Lillianna snuggling up to her mom for a photo.



Big sister Amelia is excited to have her little brother Jacob join her at East View in the fall.



22nd Annual Conference Theme:
"Anishinaabe Manidoowaadiziwin:
The Anishinaabe Spiritual Way."

March 31—April 3, 2016

Quattro Hotel, Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario

aged 65 years and older.

Please call Irene at 705-946-3933 to register.

The following information will be required when you call:

- Phone Number,
- Age.

Registration Deadline will be Friday, February 26, 2016 by 4:30 p.m.

This deadline will ensure that all registrations are sent in to ensure your space.

Please note, the Banquet ticket is not included in the registration fee.

Miigwetch,
Irene M. Gray

The Garden River First Nation and the Education Unit will once again cover the registration fee for our **Band Member Elders**,

- Name,
- Address,

Resource Centre News

The Garden River Historical Society met on Saturday, January 23, 2016 in the Library. Attendees included, Roseanne Wabegijik, Alanna Jones, Frank Belleau and Irene M. Gray.

Discussions were about the creation of Veterans Memorial Hallway, G.R. Trust application to help with various projects, Highway of Heroes idea, E-Readers that have historical books listed, including historical dates and the 2016 GR Historical Society Meetings which will meet on the last Saturday of the month at 12 noon to approximately 2 p.m. in the library:

- February 27
- March 26
- April 30
- May 28
- June 25
- July 30
- August 27
- September 24
- October 29
- November 26
- December - TBA

within the monthly newsletter—You're Invited!

Veterans Memorial Hallway may contain pictures of past and present GR Vets and memorabilia such as medals, insignia, coins, ribbons, flags to name a few.

Highway of Heroes, based on the 401 "Highway of Heroes" - having families plant trees along highway 17 B in memory of their veterans and those who were warriors and such—more of a community beautification and recognition of our past warriors by including plaques recognizing names, years and deeds.

It was suggested adding E-Reader apps to the tablets that would show Historical books that are not in print anymore. Information that is pertinent to our First Nation.

It was discussed the significance of past events and it was mentioned that particular dates be included in the newsletter as a way to inform, teach and

educate our community members as well develop pride and self worth because there is quite a bit of historical significance that isn't included in the historical books of school.

Benefits to your involvement: your ideas; contribute to Garden River's history; family memories are preserved; who's house was in particular area, who grew up where, what kind of wild plants are edible and where they were located; great networking; truly awesome ideas are discussed! GR people dedicated to get things off the ground and in motion!

The next meeting will be recorded if participants want to be recorded so that the stories won't be lost and elders are highly encouraged to attend. If rides are required, I am willing to pick up and drop off for the meeting, just contact Irene at 705-946-3933.

The Garden River Food Network was discussed as well, as the historical significance of food preservation and food gathering is important to our continued education and growth towards self sufficiency.

Borrowing Books

The Resource Centre has over 600+ Native content books and over 500 children's picture/story books that have now been listed for easier look up—not electronic though. I can email you the .pdf list and you can make your requests to borrow specific titles.

Coop Student Kaylin is currently working on the Young Adult/Youth books now and that list will be made available when it is completed.

The VHS Movie list has been posted in a previous newsletter and those remain available for borrowing as well.

If you have specific requests, please email myself at Irene.gray@gardenriver.ca for more information.

Mini Workshops & Events:

6 p.m.—7:30 p.m.

- Monday, February 8—Open
- Thursday, February 11—WII Games
- Thursday, February 18— Open
- Monday, February 22—Book Club
- Thursday, February 25—Positive Affirmations
- Monday, February 29—WII Games
- Thursday, March 3—Open
- Monday, March 7— Book Club
- Thursday, March 10—WII Games
- Monday, March 21— Book Club
- Thursday, March 24—Open
- Monday, March 28— Book Club—final day
- Thursday, March 31—Open

Available Magazine for borrowing:

- People
- Cosmopolitan
- Parent
- Star
- Woman's World
- Native
- Lou Lou
- Chatelaine
- Canadian Living
- First
- Plus more!

Magazine Donations are welcome!



Garden River Community Trust

It's that time of year again for the GRFN Community Trust to accept proposals from Garden River First Nation. The deadline to apply is MARCH 31, 2016 for Fall 2016 vote. Garden River departments wanting to submit a proposal(s) can submit their written proposal with a detailed budget using the attached form by the deadline date.

Please email Alanna at grfntrust@gmail.com to have the applications sent to you. It was requested to post them in the newsletter, but due to size issues, it is not feasible to do so. Please email Alanna to get the correctly sized applications sent to you. ~ Irene

Lil NHL Team Rosters

Lil NHL 2016 Tyke C All Stars—Official List

Team Players: Averi Thiessen, Cedar Jones, Jasyn Bondy, Teah Roach, Leah Lesage, Dreyden Muckuck (Jones), Peyton-Ann Neveau, Ella Barry, Aliyah Barry, Noah Barry, Tyler Binkley, Landon Belleau, Brooklynn Toulouse, Kienen Robertson, Joseph Thiessen, Nevaeh Barry
Manager: Jo-Anne Thiessen
Coach: Mona Jones
Trainer: Carlee Lewis

Novice A

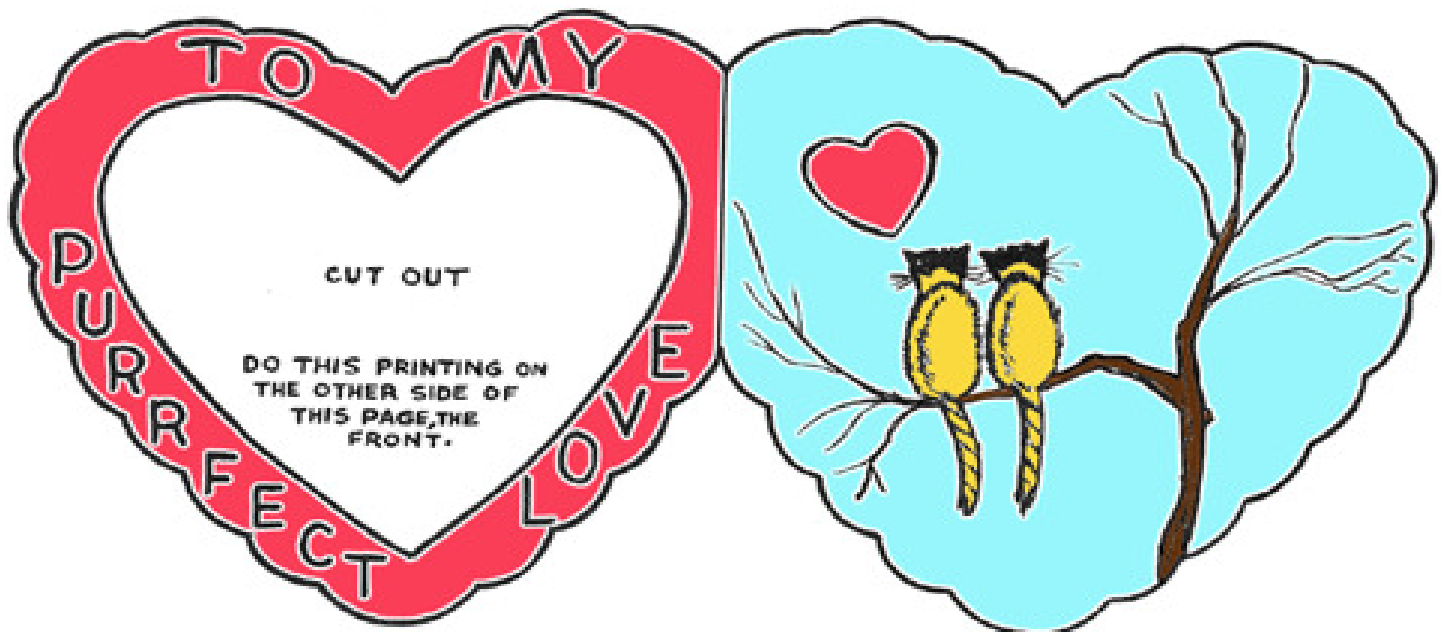
Manager: Vicki Boissoneau
Team Players: Trey Topash, Avery Zack, Arthur Vincent, Wayne Reid-Jones, William Sayers, Diondre Nolan, Garrin Pine, Deven McDonald Jones, Cameron Seguin, Nick Storr, Lily Bressette.

Bantam

Manager: Vicki Boissoneau
Team Players: Brandon Southwind, Chase Southwind, Zak Nolan, William Lesage, Robert Boissoneau, Jared Barry, Colin Simpson, Cole Rogers, Earl George, Kieran Kewais

There are 3 more team rosters that haven't been sent in at time of printing, these will be posted in the next issues—keep an eye out for them!

Way to go Garden River Lil NHL Teams—Play hard and have fun!



Sun	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat
Live by the Seven Grandfather Teachings:	<p>Colleen is away for Right To Play Community Mentor Training No Programs This Week.</p>					
7	<p>8</p> <p>RIGHT TO PLAY Monday & Wednesday 4 p.m. - 5 p.m. Ages 10 - 12 yrs</p> <p>Monday & Wednesday - 5 p.m. - 6 p.m. Ages 10 - 12</p>	<p>9</p> <p>RIGHT TO PLAY Tuesday & Thursday 4 p.m. - 5 p.m. Ages 13 - 18 yrs</p> <p>Tuesday & Thursday - 5 p.m. - 6 p.m. Ages 13 - 18 years</p>	<p>10</p> <p>RIGHT TO PLAY Monday & Wednesday 4 p.m. - 5 p.m. Ages 10 - 12 yrs</p> <p>Monday & Wednesday - 5 p.m. - 6 p.m. Ages 10 - 12</p>	<p>11</p> <p>RIGHT TO PLAY Tuesday & Thursday 4 p.m. - 5 p.m. Ages 13 - 18 yrs</p> <p>Tuesday & Thursday - 5 p.m. - 6 p.m. Ages 13 - 18 years</p>	12	13
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Gwekwaadziwin Honesty						

Right to Play Hockey for Development News:



- The Rankin Arena for donating their upstairs space for our use over three days.
- The Batchewana Learning Centre for donating their space for the coaching clinic.
- Willard Pine for delivering an opening prayer at our dinner.
- Justin Perrault and other members of Bear Creek and Ron Rickard for their drumming and singing at our dinner.

- Chief Paul Syrette from Garden River and Chief Dean Sayers from Batchewana for each saying a few words of support to open our dinner.

- Silver Creek Golf Course for letting us use their rink for the family skates and the coaching clinic.

- The G R Wellness Centre for donating funds for the lunches for the youth over three days and for providing bussing to and from the family skates.

- The Batchewana Chief and Council for donating

The Batchewana First Nation and Garden River First Nation partnership to host Hockey for Development from January 18th to January 21st was a huge success! Over 200 youth ages 8 to 18 years participated in our four on ice hockey clinics and team building activities at the Rankin Arena and 10 individuals, ages 16 and over, completed the Hockey Canada Coaching Clinic. We also had 55 people take advantage of our two Family Skates at Silver Creek Golf Course and 66 people attend our Hockey for Development Community Dinner and Glow Dance.

Thank you to all the children, youth, their parents, and other community members who got involved in one or more of these wonderful events! Also big thank you to all of the following individuals and businesses who contributed to the success of this special project for our youth:

- The 3 members of the Toronto Furies, Jenelle, Olivia and Emily for all their hard work and dedication working with over 200 youth over 4 days.
- Meisha, Andrew, and Terri-Lynn from Right to Play for all their hard work and support in the planning and facilitation of this four day event.
- The Ministry of Children and Youth for generously donating funds to cover the cost of our Hockey for Development dinner.

funds for the Rankin arena rental over three days.

- Jamie and Muk, our Recreation Coop students for all their hard work.
- Preston Boissoneau for being the DJ for our Glow Dance.
- Harley Jones for her help with decorating the gym for the dinner and dance.
- Irene M. Gray and Olivia Gray for being our volunteer photographers at our dinner.
- Kim Duguay for her help with registration at the family skates and the dinner.
- Trevor Solomon for his help with set up and clean up for our dinner.
- The Rankin Arena for providing the rink and lunch for the youth over three days.
- Silver Creek Golf Course for catering our delicious pasta dinner.

Colleen Crowley

Right to Play Community Mentor/Youth Wellness Coordinator

Garden River First Nation

48 Syrette Lake Road

705-946-4006 Ext. 3

Wellness News

Children's Oral Health Initiative Program (COHI)

WHAT IS COHI?

COHI is designed to help prevent and control tooth decay in young children and set the stage for a lifetime of healthy teeth.

WHO BENEFITS FROM COHI?

- Children aged 0 to 7 years old
- Parents & caregivers of children aged 0 to 7 years
- Pregnant women

WHAT ARE COHI SERVICES?

⇒ **COHI Screening** - During a screening a Dental Professional will check your child's teeth for signs of tooth decay.

⇒ **Fluoride Varnish Applications** - may be painted on all visible surfaces of the teeth to protect and strengthen the teeth, making it more difficult for tooth decay to begin.

⇒ **Sealants** - are thin, clear or white, plastic coatings placed on the surfaces of teeth to help prevent tooth decay. Sealants prevent acids which cause tooth decay from getting into the grooves and pits of the tooth.

⇒ **Oral Health Information Sessions** - are provided to parents, caregivers and expectant parents to learn how to care for their own teeth as well as their children's teeth.

Healthy Teeth, Happy Child

TIPS:

- ⇒ Clean your children's teeth.
- ⇒ Brush teeth twice a day.
- ⇒ Floss teeth once a day.
- ⇒ Give children healthy drinks & snacks.
- ⇒ Use only milk & water in baby's bottle.
- ⇒ Have the whole family visit the dentist regularly including mom & dad.

For more INFORMATION or to book an APPOINTMENT Call Rose Sayers – Children's Oral Health Aide (705) 946-5710



Flu vaccines have arrived at the Wellness Centre!

Call the Health Records Department at 705 946 -5710 ext 226 or 242 to make an appointment.

There is a new Flu Vaccine called 'FLUMIST' which is a non injectable vaccine (no needle) and is administered through the nasal passage. It is publicly funded ONLY FOR AGES 2 – 17 years of age. Available last week of November—call now to be on the waiting list.

For more information, please call Health Records Department of the Wellness Centre at 705-946-5710 ext. 226 or 242.

Submitted by Maxine Lesage, Health Supervisor

COMMUNITY SWIM NIGHTS ARE HERE AGAIN!!!

COME OUT AND LET'S GET PHYSICAL

Where: John Rhodes Pool
When: Saturdays 8 –9 p.m.

February 6, 13, 20, 27, 2016
March 5, 12, 19, 26, 2016

Ratios have to be met:

Children under 7, have to have adult with them, directly supervised, and within arms reach. **Ratio: 1 adult—2 children**

Children 7 –9 years must pass swim test, if they do not pass—must be supervised by adult (within arms reach). **Ratio: 1 adult—4 children**

Any questions, please call Arnelda at Health Centre 705-946-5710 ext. 224

Parent Child Drop In Clinics

Wednesdays: 1:30 p.m—4:00 p.m.
Wellness Centre

Feb. 10 & 24	July 6 & 20
Mar. 9 & 23	Aug. 10 & 24
April 6 & 20	Sept. 7 & 21
May 4 & 18	Oct. 5 & 19
June 8 & 22	Nov. 2, 16 & 30
	Dec. 14

A public health nurse can answer questions about breastfeeding, baby care, growth and development and much more. For more information, call Rose Sayers at 705-946-5710

You & Your Baby Groups

Thursdays: 1:30—3:00 p.m.
Wellness Centre

Feb. 11, 18, 25	Mar. 3
May 26	June 2, 9, 16
Sept. 8, 15, 22, 29	

Parents and babies under 6 months of age come together once a week to talk, share and gather information about nutrition, safety, sleep, growth and development and much more. For more information call Rose Sayers at 705-946-5710

Prenatal Classes

Wednesdays: 2 p.m.—3:30 p.m.
Wellness Centre

Breastfeeding	Labour & Delivery	After the Birth
	Feb. 10	Mar. 9
April 6	May 18	June 9
July 6	Aug. 10	Sept. 7
Oct. 5	Nov. 9	Dec. 14

Classes are facilitated by Algoma Public Health Nurses. Register by calling Rose Sayers at 705-946-5710.

Garden River Wellness Centre Staff Directory

705-946-5710

Clinic Appointments/Medical Records: Press 1
 Transportation Van: Press 2
 Reception Area: Press 0

Staff Name	Title	Ext.
Belleau, Janice	Reception	201
Belleau, Karen	Community Support Worker	215
Belleau, Natalie	RPN, Clinical & Clerical Care	226
Boissoneau, Vicki	NIHB Clerk	202
Duguay, Kim	Early Learning & Literacy	273
Hermiston, Carol	EDS Coordinator/Nurse	225
Jones, Marissa	EDS Clerk/Office Administration	209
Lesage, Maxine	Health Supervisor	207
Lesage, Robin	Transportation Coordinator	221
Mitchell, Lisa	RPN/OTN (Tele Medicine)	242
Nolan, Pam	Health & Social Services Manager	216
Pelletier, Nicole	Visiting Homecare Nurse/RPN	250
Pine, Arnela	EDS Activities Worker	224
Pine, Marie	Community Health Rep	203
Pine, Marie T.	Addictions Mental Health	214
Pine, Marlene	Community & Family Cultural Worker	213
Povey, Luanne	Social Services Supervisor	210
Roach, Tina	Personnel/ Finance	212
Sayers, Rose	HBHC Early Childhood Development	223
Solomon, Kelly	Community Outreach Supervisor	208

Additional Health Staff	
Cynthia Morriseau	Health Educator/ Promoter
Drivers	Tyler Pine, Morley Pine, Gail Souliere
Replacement Drivers	Loretta Wagner, Nadine Belleau
Personal Support Workers	

Visiting Health Care Providers	
Rhonda Angecoseb	Nurse Practitioner
Malcolm McCormick	Nurse Practitioner
Debby Roach	Nurse Practitioner
Nisha Thomas	Physiotherapist
Ramona Weldishofer	Physiotherapist Assistant
Dr. Alan Gelmych	Psychologist
Bill Mansfield	Speech Pathologist
Dr. David Quon	Physician
Beverly Humphrys	Registered Dietitian
Karolee Gair RPN	Foot Care
Wendy Steele	Occupational Therapist
Algoma Public Health	Maternal Child Health & Dental

DON'T STRUGGLE ALONE
 Drug & Alcohol Helpline 1.800.565.8603
 www.drugalcoholhelpline.ca
 Live answer 24/7
 Confidential, Anonymous and Free

Gambling Problems?
 Ontario Problem Gambling Helpline
 There is help. There is hope.
 Live answer 24/7, confidential and free

feeling overwhelmed?
 Mental Health Helpline 1.866.531.2600
 www.mentalhealthhelpline.ca
 Live answer 24/7
 Confidential, Anonymous and Free

Don't Wait & See!

By 18 months, your child should be able to:

- Say 20 words or more?
- Pretend to play with toys?
- Point to show you something they are interested in?
- Look at books and show you something?
- Use gestures e.g. wave, reach up?
- Walk on their own?
- Look at you when you are talking?
- Stack three or more blocks?

If you answer NO to any of these skills, call the Parent Child information line to talk about your child's development
 705-541-7101 or 1-888-892-0172

**For more information:
 call Kim Duguay @ 705-946-5710**

Suicide Help Card

If someone you know:
 threatens suicide, talks about wanting to die, shows changes in behaviour, appearance, mood, abuses drugs, alcohol, deliberately injures themselves, appears depressed, sad, withdrawn...

You can help:
 stay calm and listen, let them talk about their feelings, be accepting; do not judge; ask if they have suicidal thoughts, take threats seriously, don't swear secrecy - tell someone.

Get help: You can't do it alone.

Contact: Family, friends, relatives, clergy, teachers, counselors, doctors, crisis lines, mental health services or hospital emergency departments.

Submitted by: Marie T. Pine

**Call Sault Area Hospital:
 Crisis Services
 705-942-1872 or
 1-800-273-TALK (8255)**

Additional Information to the October Events Calendar

Call Health Records to book an appointment 705-946-5710

Daily—7 days a week:	Medical Transportation Van
* Elderly & Disabled Service (PSW)	* MEDICAL appts only
* Chronic Disease & Diabetes Management	* Weekdays going up at 8:00, 10:00, 12:45 & 2:30
* Medical Transportation	* Monday—Sunday After hours 705-971-5774
* Non-Insured Health Benefits	* If an emergency please call 911

Hours when Health Care Providers are in house	
Nurse Practitioner	Monday & Thursday 9 a.m.—3 p.m. Tuesdays 9 a.m.—7:30 p.m. Wednesdays 9 a.m.—3:30 p.m.
Physiotherapist	8:30 a.m.—3:30 p.m.
EDS Shopping Van	9 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.
Psychologist	8:30 a.m.—10:00 a.m.
EDS clients GRWC appt	8:30 a.m.—12:00 p.m.
Speech Language	8:30 a.m.—4:30 p.m.
Physician Clinic	6:00—7:30 p.m.
Dietitian	9 a.m.—3 p.m.
Pre-Natal Class	2:00—3:30 p.m.
Drop In Clinic	1:30—4:00 p.m.

Have you struggled through life and wondered why?
 Did your birth mother consume alcohol during pregnancy? If so,
 You may have undiagnosed FASD.
 Want to learn more about this life long disability?
 If so, please feel free to contact your FASD Worker in your community or Priscilla Southwind at 705-844-2021, Ext 307.

"Together we can start the journey"

Dental Benefit Information

Preventive Dental Care

Preventive dental care includes taking good care of your teeth in order to prevent cavities, gum disease and other oral health problems. Regular brushing and flossing, eating a healthy diet, and visiting the dentist regularly are the most important things you can do to keep your mouth healthy.

The NIHB Program covers preventive dental services for adults and children. Children under 17 years of age are eligible for dental checkups, fluoride treatment and cleaning every six months. Clients 17 years of age and over are eligible for dental checkups and cleaning once a year.

It is recommended that children visit the dentist within six months of their first tooth coming in. Please check the [NIHB Dental Benefits Guide \(www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fniah-spnia/pubs/nihb-ssna/_dent/2014-guide/index-eng.php\)](http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fniah-spnia/pubs/nihb-ssna/_dent/2014-guide/index-eng.php) for a complete list of eligible dental services and treatments.

General Program Information

Reminder for Parents and Guardians of NIHB-Eligible Infant Children

Parents and guardians of infant children are encouraged to apply for registered Indian status or seek recognition from their Inuit land claims organization as soon as possible to ensure their child's access to NIHB benefits. In order to allow parents time to register their children, infants up to one year of age may access most types of NIHB benefits under their parent or guardian who is NIHB eligible. After their first birthday, a child should have his or her own status or Number to ensure continued eligibility for NIHB benefits. For additional information visit the following section of the NIHB web site: [To register an infant \(www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fniah-spnia/nihb-ssna/provide-fournir/client-beneficiaire-](http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fniah-spnia/nihb-ssna/provide-fournir/client-beneficiaire-)

[eng.php#spec_prov_inf](http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fniah-spnia/nihb-ssna/provide-fournir/client-beneficiaire-eng.php#spec_prov_inf)). For dental services only, contact the [NIHB Dental Predetermination Centre \(www.hc-sc.gc.ca/contact/fniah-spnia/fnih-spni/nihbpa-ssnaap-eng.php#a1\)](http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/contact/fniah-spnia/fnih-spni/nihbpa-ssnaap-eng.php#a1) if dental services are required for an unregistered infant under one year of age.

NIHB Registered Providers

Did you know that the NIHB Program works with over 30,000 private practice health service providers – such as dentists, pharmacists, optometrists and mental health counsellors - to help NIHB clients get the health benefits they need?

NIHB invites health service providers to register with the Program so that NIHB can pay them directly for eligible products and services provided to NIHB clients. These health service providers are not employees of Health Canada or the NIHB Program (with a few exceptions). NIHB has agreements with providers that encourage them to bill the Program directly, however in some cases providers will request that clients pay up front for their health benefits and services. To avoid an unexpected bill, it's best to confirm with your provider that they are registered with NIHB and will bill the Program directly, and that the product or service is fully covered by NIHB.

Client Inquiries—General

Ontario—Toll-free—1-800-640-0642

Client Inquiries—Dental and Orthodontic Services

NIHB Dental Predetermination Centre
Toll-free: 1-855-618-6291 (Dental Services)
Toll-free: 1-866-227-0943 (Orthodontic Services)

On January 22, 2016 the Canadian Food Inspection Agency issued a food recall warning for various Dole Fresh Vegetables Inc. pre-packaged chopped salads, salad blends and kits, and leafy green products in response to a possible *Listeria monocytogenes* contamination. This also includes some PC Organics products. This contamination is suspected to be linked to a current outbreak of Listeriosis affecting several U.S states and several Canadian provinces.

Background:

January 22, 2016 a food recall warning was issued on various Dole Fresh Vegetables Inc. pre-packaged chopped salads, salad blends, kits and leafy green products. This recall is a result of a suspected contamination at a Dole facility located in Springfield, Ohio. Various PC Organics salads, blends and leafy products processed at the same facility have also been recalled. The affected products can be identified using the product code. The product code is located on the upper right hand side of the packaging. Any product codes beginning with "A" are considered affected. An exact list of products can be found at the web address below.

<http://inspection.gc.ca/about-the-cfia/newsroom/food-recall-warnings/complete-listing/2016-01-22c/eng/1453522915084/1453522920123>

What is Listeria?

Listeria is bacteria found in food, soil, plants, sewage and other places in nature. When ingested Listeria can lead to a serious illness called Listeriosis. Few people who are exposed to Listeria will actually develop Listeriosis. Symptoms of Listeriosis include but are not limited to: vomiting, nausea, cramps, diarrhea, severe headache, constipation, persistent fever, poor coordination, neck stiffness and seizures.

Anyone who suspects they have consumed an affected product and experiences these symptoms should contact their health care provider immediately. Early diagnosis is a key component in the treatment of Listeriosis.

What is the risk for Canadians?

The Dole facility in Springfield Ohio distributes to New Brunswick, Newfoundland and Labrador, Nova Scotia, Ontario, Prince Edward Island and Quebec.

As of now, there have been seven (7) cases of *Listeria monocytogenes* in five provinces related to this outbreak reported to the Public Health Agency of Canada. The cases are as follows: Ontario (3), Quebec (1), New Brunswick (1), Prince Edward Island (1), and Newfoundland and Labrador (1).

Those affected became ill between September 2015 and January 2016 and are suspected to have consumed packaged salad products from the Dole Facility in Ohio. Thus far, all cases have been hospitalized with one fatality. It has not yet been determined if *Listeria* contributed to the death. Of the Canadian cases, 71% are female, averaging 81 years of age.

Who is most at risk?

Pregnant women and their unborn/newborn children, adults 65 and over, and people with weakened immune systems are considered to be at the greatest risk of illness.

How to prevent Listeriosis?

Foods that are contaminated with *Listeria* may look, smell and taste normal. It is important not to eat any affected packaged salad products from Dole or PC Organics at this time. If you have purchased these products you are advised to discard them. Some of these prod-

ucts may have been used at your local grocery store to prepare premade salads. If you have purchased a premade salad from your local grocery store please contact them to inquire if Dole or PC Organic leafy greens were used.

As per the Public Health Agency of Canada, the following routine precautions should be taken:

- Thoroughly clean fruits and vegetables before you eat them. Wash your leafy greens under fresh, cool running water.
- Don't soak leafy greens in a sink full of water. They can become contaminated by bacteria in the sink.
- Thoroughly clean and sanitize all surfaces used for food preparation after handling foods in the kitchen, especially raw foods such as meat and fish.
- Read and follow all package labels and instructions on food preparation and storage.
- Cook foods thoroughly, using a clean thermometer to measure the temperature.
- To avoid cross-contamination, clean all knives, cutting boards and utensils used with for raw food before using them again.
- Refrigerate or freeze prepared food and leftovers within two hours.
- Defrost food in the refrigerator, in cold water or in the microwave, but never at room temperature.
- Keep leftovers for a maximum of four days, but preferably for only two to three days. Reheat leftovers to an internal temperature of 74°C (165°

F) before eating them.

- Check the temperature in your refrigerator using a thermometer to make sure it is at 4°C (40°F) or below. The higher the temperature in your refrigerator, the greater the risk that *Listeria* may grow in foods. The risk of getting sick increases as the number of bacteria in food rises.
- Wash and disinfect your refrigerator frequently. The more often it is cleaned, the less chance there will be for *Listeria* to be transferred from contaminated food and surfaces to non-contaminated foods.

What is the role of CHNs?

CHN's are to make this information available to their community. Educate your community on the recall and what steps they need to take. Inform the community on what signs and symptoms to look for. Those working in treatment centers should keep *Listeria* in mind when assessing patients who present with associated symptoms and make inquiries as to whether clients have consumed Dole or PC Organic packaged salads.

<http://inspection.gc.ca/about-the-cfia/newsroom/food-recall-warnings/complete-listing/2016-01-22c/eng/1453522915084/1453522920123>

Garden River Recycling Drop-Off

Attention: Garden River Community Members

In effort to create a more environmentally friendly space and to expand the life expectancy of our landfill, Public Works is making valuable efforts to create a healthier community.

Garden River Recycling Drop-Off will be located at garden river Public Works (brown building). There will be two large walk-in containers to dispose of your recycling materials. We ask that all members to separate FIBRES from CONTAINERS. FIBRES can be disposed of loosely and CONTAINERS to be in clear bags.

CONTAINERS: Metal food cans (that have been emptied and rinsed) Aluminum cans/tin cans (that have been rinsed), #1



PETE plastic bottles (that

have been rinsed and lids discarded as waste) Example, plastic pop bottles, #2 plastic bottles (that have been rinsed and lids discarded as waste) Examples are detergent bottles, shampoo bottles. Glass bottles/jars tinfoil, plastic cups (lids and straws discarded). **All containers must be in clear bags**

FIBRES: Example: Newspaper, shredded paper, flyers, magazines, catalogues, phone books, hard and soft covered books, paper rolls, paper egg cartons, wrapping/tissue paper, box board (Example, tissue boxes,

cereal boxes, etc.) pizza boxes (no crust), cardboard, (broken down).

FIBRES can be placed in bin loosely.

Some examples of non recyclable items (GARBAGE): Any type of Styrofoam, bags, film plastic like vapour barrier, plastic fruit trays, any #3-7 plastics, flower pots, planter flats, kitty litter pails. Please feel free to phone Garden River Public Works for any questions.

New recycling drop off location will be at Garden River Public Works (brown building) Start date January 26. GO GREEN !!!!
Tel: (705) 946-6300 ext 222



GARDEN RIVER FIRST NATION MATRIMONIAL REAL PROPERTY LAW



IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR GARDEN RIVER FIRST NATION CITIZENS

GARDEN RIVER FIRST NATION HAS BEEN IN DEVELOPMENT OF ITS OWN
MATRIMONIAL REAL PROPERTY LAW.

THE LAW WILL PROVIDE INDIVIDUALS WITH RIGHTS AND PROTECTIONS
REGARDING MATRIMONIAL REAL PROPERTY WHICH ARE REFERRED TO (IN
THE ACT) AS THE FAMILY HOME AND MATRIMONIAL INTERESTS OR RIGHTS
ON RESERVE.

THE ACT APPLIES TO SPOUSES OR COMMON-LAW PARTNERS LIVING ON
RESERVE LANDS (IF AT LEAST ONE OF THEM IS A FIRST NATION MEMBER OR
AN INDIAN)

GARDEN RIVER FIRST NATION REQUIRES CITIZEN INPUT

1. SHOULD THE LAW TREAT MARRIED AND COMMON LAW
COUPLES THE SAME?
2. HOW LONG SHOULD TWO PEOPLE LIVE TOGETHER TO BE
CONSIDERED A COMMON LAW COUPLE?
3. SHOULD THE LAW PROVIDE CERTAIN RIGHTS TO
SPOUSES IF THEIR SPOUSE DIES?

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:

ANNE HEADRICK – (705) 946-6300 – aheadrick@gardenriver.org

COURTNEY SOLOMON – (705) 946-6300 – csolomon@gardenriver.org

Mijim Gaamig Food Bank



Regular Hours

Monday, Wednesday & Friday
9—12 & 1—4
Closed during Lunch

Please note:

Food Bank access is limited to one visit per month. Thank you

Important Food Bank Dates:

Prize Bingos—Sundays @ Community Centre

Feb. 7, Valentines Bingo

Mar. 20, Easter Bingo

May 1, Mother's Day Bingo

June 12, Father's Day Bingo

Aug. 28, Back to School Bingo

Oct. 23, Halloween Bingo

Dec. 11, Christmas Bingo

2016 Christmas Cheer

Wednesday, Dec. 21, sorting & bagging

Thursday, Dec. 22, delivery

Attention High school Students

The Mijim Gaamig Food Bank is always willing to help students achieve their community hours required for graduation through numerous volunteer opportunities through out the year. Please contact Brenda at 705-946-6300 to enquire when and where the next opportunity will be!

Mijim Gaamig Food Bank Presents:

Valentine Prize Bingo



5	20	9	24	19
22	11	1	6	16
12	2	♥	21	13
18	14	17	7	10
4	8	23	15	3

makoodie.com

Sunday, February 7, 2016

G.R. Community Centre

Doors Open at 11 a.m.
Bingo Starts at 1 p.m.

Canteen

Door Prize

Prize Table

Canned good donations would be appreciated

Christmas Cheer Gratitude

- Had 60+ volunteers for the two days
- A special thanks to Tanya and Chief Paul for spearheading the van program
- Many thanks to Boissoneau bus line s and his family for the stuff a van program—not bad for just 2 weeks—we received some 500 extra toys for the kids in our community. Awesome work guys!!
- Special thanks to our turkey man (Norm)
- We had 13 sponsor a family people!!
- SPECIAL THANKS TO Greg Solomon, Darwin Belleau, Hali Solomon, and everyone else that supported us by monetary means or their own private time.
- Thanks to my two coworkers Chris Solomon JR and Darlene Howard
- Hope to see you all there next year
- THANKS to Everyone who participated ~ Brenda



GARDEN RIVER CHILD CARE CENTRE APPLICATION FOR ENROLMENT



Child's Information:

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Program Applying: Infant Toddler Preschool Before and After School Program

Status: Yes No Band Name: _____

Band Number: _____

Parent Information:

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Home Address: _____
(Please Put FULL Address)

Home Phone No.: _____ Cell No.: _____

Work/School Address: _____ Work/School No.: _____

Other Information:

Date Care Is Required: _____ Days and Hours: _____

Previous Child Care: _____
(Name of Agency of Informal Caregiver)

Full Time Working Parent Part Time Working Parent Full Time Student

Part Time Student Referral (child) Referral (parent)

Note: Please attach letters from referring agency and contact person(s) and read the agreement below.

I understand that when a vacancy becomes available and my child's name is next (for appropriate age program), every possible effort will be made to contact me. Once contact has been made, I will have two (2) working days to accept or decline the child's space. If I choose to decline, I understand that it is my responsibility to reapply to the waiting list and wait my turn again. It is also my responsibility to contact Loah Souliere, Program Supervisor at the Garden River Child Care Centre, every six (6) months to express my continued interest in keeping my child's name on the waiting list. If there is no continued contact, my child's name will be removed from the list.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY

Date Received: _____ Date Accepted: _____ Program: _____

Recommendations: _____

Referral Statements: _____

No. of Children: _____ Accepted by: _____



Garden River First Nation

HOUSING DEPARTMENT

The Garden River First Nation Housing Department is committed to creating vibrant and effective Housing Department. One of our main goals is to provide quality service and exceptional tenant and homeowner satisfaction.

HOUSE FOR RENT

THE GRFN HOUSING DEPARTMENT IS CURRENTLY ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS AND LETTERS OF INTEREST FOR THE RENTAL OF A TWO (2) BEDROOM VACANT UNIT THAT HAS BECOME AVAILABLE. APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE GRFN HOUSING DEPARTMENT. SECURITY DEPOSIT WILL BE REQUIRED UPON APPROVAL/ SELECTION.

If interested, please submit the following information with your completed Application:

- ⇒ Letter of Interest
- ⇒ Proof of employment with identified employer
- ⇒ Proof of income
- ⇒ Dependant verification
- ⇒ Identification (Status Card)

ONLY complete Applications and required documentation will be considered for the unit. If you already have an Application on file, it is your responsibility to update your Application to reflect current information as they will NOT be accepted.

[Handwritten signatures and dates]
 ERCD MANAGER DATE: 2/29/16 HOUSING SUPERVISOR DATE: 2/29/16

For more detailed information, please contact the Housing Team at:

Anne Headrick Housing Supervisor 705.946.6300 ext. 248	Carrie Zeppa Tenant Relations Officer 705.946.6300 ext. 240	Charlotte Boissoneau Housing Assistant 705.946.6300 ext. 249
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GRFN Housing EMERGENCY CONTACTS

Garden River Housing Cell # (705)254-9492
 Steel City Gas Cell # (705)941-5908
 D & R Plumbing (705)542-1881
 SSM Platinum (705)450-0803

Homemade Valentine's Day Cards for Kids



Super Sweets

Never before have we thought about candy coming to the rescue, but these superhero lollipop valentines are sure to do just that!

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TENTATIVE MOVE IN DATE:

Tuesday, March 1st, 2016

DEADLINE TO APPLY:

Friday, February 12th at 12:00 p.m. Noon

FORWARD ALL INFORMATION TO:

**Garden River First Nation Housing Department
 7 Shingwauk Street
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PLEASE INDICATE ON YOUR SEALED ENVELOPE:

Housing Application



LAKE STURGEON "NME" SYMPOSIUM

Clearing the Path in Community-Based Research



The Anishinabek/Ontario Fisheries Resource Centre invites Chiefs, Council, Natural Resources Staff, Economic Development Officers and community members within the Anishinabek Nation to the Lake Sturgeon "Nme" Symposium! If your community has had Lake Sturgeon projects completed by the A/OFRFC, and you're interested in the results of our research, then this symposium is for you!

DATE: March 2 & 3, 2016 TIME: Opening Ceremonies at 9am	LOCATION: Delta Waterfront Hotel 208 St. Mary's River Drive Sault Ste. Marie, ON	Lunch, snacks, and beverages will be provided. Limited Seating Available. First 25 registrants will be accepted.
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- LEARN ABOUT:**
- Results of Lake Sturgeon projects completed in communities
 - How to apply for Lake Sturgeon projects with the A/OFRFC
 - Types of Lake Sturgeon projects
 - Sampling techniques
 - Biology of Lake Sturgeon
 - Cultural importance of Lake Sturgeon
 - Conservation & Treaty Rights

REGISTRATION
There is no cost to attend this symposium, however please contact Heidi Manitowabi at hmanitowabi@aofrc.org to complete a registration form
Deadline for Registration: Friday, February 19, 2016.

CANCELLATION
Deadline for Cancellation: Friday, February 26, 2016.

ACCOMMODATIONS
Book your room at the Delta Sault Ste. Marie Waterfront Hotel by February 5 to receive a special rate of \$109/standard room. Call 1-844-706-1187 and quote "Anishinabek/Ontario Fisheries"

Heidi Manitowabi, Community Liaison Specialist
Anishinabek/Ontario Fisheries Resource Centre 755 Wallace Road, Unit 5 North Bay, ON P1A 0E7
tel: 705-472-7888 x 5 fax: 705-472-6333 email: hmanitowabi@aofrc.org

The poster and registration form has been emailed out to those on my mass email list, if you are not on that list and would like to receive further information, please email myself (Irene at irene.gray@gardenriver.ca and I will forward the information to you. Thank you

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- . Birthday Cake



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Ceding Land to the Church in 1852: A Document in Anishinaabemowin

Transcription, Annotation, & Commentary
Karl S. Hele

During the course of my research I occasionally come across documents written in Anishinaabemowin. These documents are key to understanding the past and how it informs the present, but unfortunately I cannot read our language. Hence, I am forced to rely on people to translate or interpret the documents for me. The following document is a 'cession' of land by Shingwuakonse and his headmen to the Roman Catholic (RC) Church. Based on other documents I know that the RC Church had a presence in the community prior to 1852 and was seeking a piece of land to construct a church for its followers. The land chosen and 'ceded' to the RC Church was located on the same parcel as previously 'ceded' to the Anglican Church. Apparently, Shingwaukonse found this double 'cession' appealing and humorous, because it meant a Christian presence on the reserve without surrendering extra lands (i.e. separate sites to each Church). He also knew that the two faiths would then vie for converts among the people at Garden River thereby limiting the power that either could wield in the community.

Unfortunately the presence of two conflicting versions of Christianity contributed to internal tensions within the community as the Anglican priest and Catholic priest sought to exert influence and control over the community. Between 1854 and 1870 the conflict grew ever more intense as the Anglican Reverend James Chance was charged with assault and regularly threatened to drive off the Catholics. For their part the Catholic priests sought to force a road through the Anglican Church's farm to connect to the community wharf. Both priest regularly appealed to the Indian Department to intervene. In the end, the divisions that were created in this period settled when Reverend Edward F. Wilson replaced Chance in 1870-1871. Nonetheless, the divisions created and reinforced during Chance's tenure at Garden River continue to affect the community into the 21st Century. One can blame Shingwaukonse for a bad decision, but the nature of Christianity and its proponents in the 19th Century would have caused conflict regardless of where the churches were located or not located in the community. The conflict between Catholicism

and Anglicanism was born in Europe, which was imported alongside colonialism, and taught in all its glory to First Nations throughout the Americas. Such is the unfortunate nature of belief, if only Western Christianity had learned to practise non-interference and sought balance within its faiths.

I should also note that 'cessions' such as this were extra-legal within British-Canadian law. The Royal Proclamation of 1763 forbade anyone but the Crown from seeking or accepting the surrender of lands. Hence, both the Anglican 'lease' (printed in the *GRFN Community Newsletter* November 2015) and the Catholic 'cession' were contrary to law and technically invalid. However, the documents did give both Churches the ability to 'claim' and 'use' lands on Garden River. Despite being illegal under British-Canadian laws, both the Catholic 'cession' and Anglican 'lease' represent an expression of Anishinaabeg sovereignty in the face of colonialism. I would argue that the document below in our language is a very important expression of Garden River First Nation's express desire to permit the establishment of a church on reserve lands, regardless of the Crown's domain. At the same time, because the 'cession' and 'lease' both rest within our sovereignty, we can revoke or seek alterations without Crown permission or assent.

The Document [if anyone wants to translate this, I would be very grateful]

(Unfortunately when the photocopy was given to me it contained no source information. As such, I do not know where the original resides.)

Cession of land to the Catholic Mission by old Jingwak 12 [blank] 1852
copy duplicated by J [S?] Drolet, esq.

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gaie win nind ogimaminan
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Jawainbinesi +
Badweweiashi +
Bemasig +
Nawakwegijig +
Neskwananoke +
Eniwabi +
Ogimans +
Ojawanikwanebid +
Nanakwegijig + Na-
wakwegabaw
Jean Baptiste +
Joseph +

14 Signatures

¹ The superscripted 'n' indicates an insertion in the text of the document above the original word.

² This word appears to be crossed-out in the text or contains an extra pen stroke. Making it look like 'buan' or 'kan'

³ The + are being used to indicate assent on the copy.

Happy Birthday Wishes

Happy 2nd Birthday
Heydon Causley-Hodgson

Love You!
From Auntie Burr, Kierra
& Terry



Nifty, Nifty,
Look who's Fifty!
Gramma Barb

Love all your Grandchildren
Sarah & Jacob

Happy 5th Birthday
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(February 1st)
We love you so much!



xoxo
Mommy & Kierra



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO
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DAUGHTER
TEDI-LYNN
WHO TURNS 13 ON
FEBRUARY 26TH

LOVE YOU POOKUS!!
MOM XOXOXO

Feb 2016 birthdays:

Feb. 5-- sis-in-law
Veronica in T Bay
Feb. 18--Mona
Feb. 19--Brooke
Feb. 21--Greg in LA
Feb. 22--sis-in-law
Tracey in Stittsville

Alanna, Cam n Sarah

Happy Birthday to the
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ever!

Love Tina, Janey, Terry,
Ethan, Kadin, Wade,
Camdin and Indya

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To my brother Terry—January 28th
and my Auntie Georgina—January 28th

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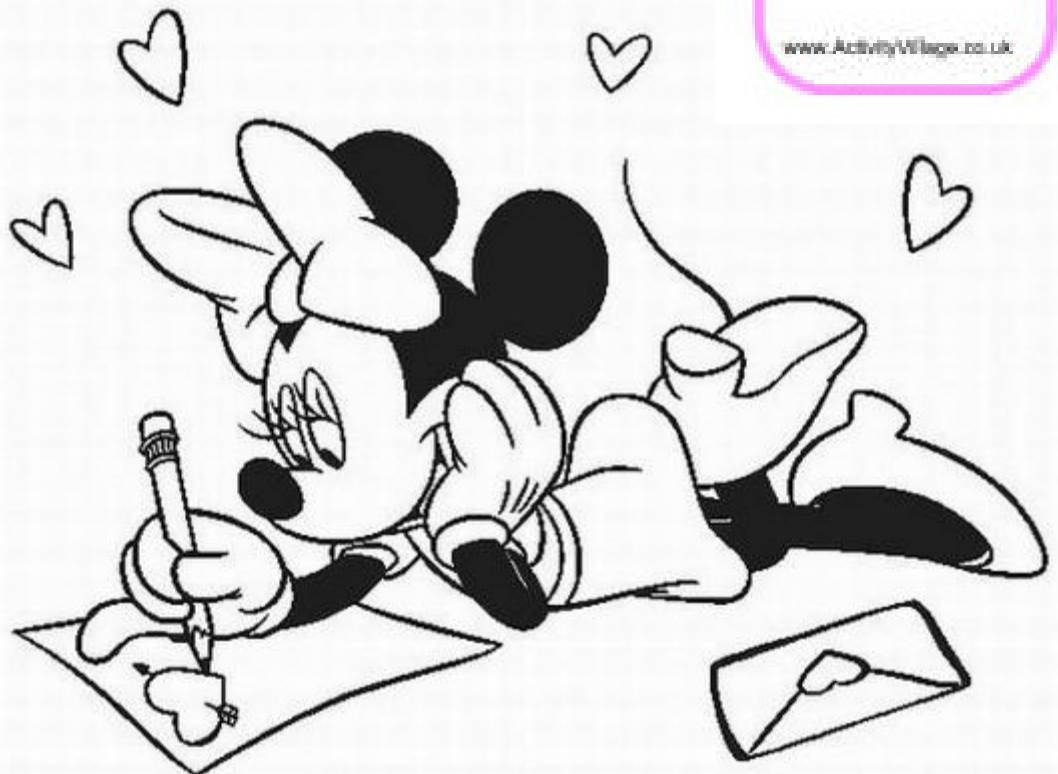
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N'bwaakaawin—Wisdom **Zaagidwin—Love**
Mnaadendmowin—Respect **Aakdehewin— Bravery**
Gwekwadziwin—Honesty **Dbaadendizin—Humility**
Debwewin—Truth

March 2016 Issue
Submission Deadline is:
Friday, February 19, 2016



Garden River First Nation Business Directory

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APS (Garden Detachment)	705-946-4196
ASSETS / AITC	705-256-5413
Band Office	705-946-6300
Big Arrow Variety & Gas Bar	705-942-2071
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Community Centre	705-946-2614
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Chester Langille	

GRFN Departments

REGULAR HOURS: Monday - Friday

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Garden River First Nation Community Newsletter Contact Information

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