



## Snowstorm Evelyn blasts Oneida



Kali photo/Christopher Johnson

Oneida's Department of Public Works (DPW) had their hands full with snow removal efforts after winter storm Evelyn dumped record amounts of snow throughout much of Wisconsin. Here in Oneida the storm is responsible for more than 2 feet of new snow which resulted in the nation closing most tribal operations on Monday, April 16. By Tuesday, April 17, most Oneida Nation programs had resumed normal operations thanks to the hard work of DPW and Emergency Management.

Left: Parts of the Oneida Nation Elementary School are nearly buried in snow drifts in the immediate aftermath of winter storm Evelyn.

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An April snowstorm crippled Northeast Wisconsin the weekend of Friday, April 13 to Monday, April 16 dumping

21 inches of snow on Appleton and 24 inches in Green Bay. Oneida Department of Public Works (DPW) and Oneida Police Department (OPD) employees rose to the challenge.

OPD Chief of Police Rich Van Boxtel stated his department was busi-

er than usual from Friday night to Monday morning.

"Normally we get one, maybe two cars in the ditch a weekend, or some sort of motorist assist where we need to go help, between that time we had 50," he said.

Oneida DPW Grounds

Keeping Manager Redmon Danforth said it was all hands on deck for snow removal around Oneida.

"We had all employees within grounds keeping which is 18 employees from facilities, plumbing, wells and septic, electrical department,

plus maintenance at various buildings that are on site," said Danforth. "Considering the circumstances, I think it went well. It's still going well, we're still cleaning up.

• See 35,  
**Snowstorm**

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## *Youth Leadership Institute provides first disbursement of funds*



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On Friday, April 13, Board President of the Oneida Youth Leadership Institute Richard Elm-Hill presented Oneida Community Lacrosse Program Director Curt Summers with a check for more than \$5,000 as Board Secretary Margaret King and Board Treasurer Margaret Rose Ellis look on. This is the first monetary disbursement for the institute who presented the lacrosse program with the funds for their volunteer time during last summer's Ladies Professional Golf Association (LPGA) event at Thornberry Creek at Oneida. The purpose of the Youth Leadership Institute is to help develop leadership qualities within our community's young people such as skills training, mentorship, and volunteering.

### **CORRECTION**

The 'Claim All' deadline date that was published on page 35 of the April 5<sup>th</sup> issue of the Kalihwisaks notice, '2018 Minor Trust Payment Information', was incorrect! The correct deadline date to 'Defer' or to 'Claim All' is:

**Monday, JULY 2, 2018, 4:30PM (CST)**  
**(No Exceptions)**

The incorrect information was inadvertently submitted. Please make note of the change on your calendar. Thank you!

# UWGB offering doctorate in First Nations Education



UNIVERSITY of WISCONSIN  
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The University of Wisconsin-Green Bay (UWGB) is now offering a doctoral degree in First Nations Education. It is the first doctorate degree offered in the history of UWGB and the first doctorate of its kind offered throughout the UW-System.

**By Christopher Johnson**

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For the first time in the history of the University of Wisconsin (UW) academic system, one of its schools is now accepting applications for a new doctoral program in First Nations Education. This is also the first doctorate degree to be offered in the history of the University of Wisconsin-Green Bay (UWGB).

“The program will begin with the new group of students coming in the fall of 2018,” Lisa Poupart, Ph.D., Associate Professor at UWGB, said. “This is going to be an applied educational doctorate. Folks coming into the program will be interested in working on projects or

research that has applications in communities and real-world issues.”

The new program took more than four years of work to build and implement. “We held listening sessions in tribal communities as we were building the program,” Poupart said. “We travelled all over Wisconsin and asked community members what kind of content they wanted graduates of this program to know. Over and over we heard they wanted graduates to be able to address water quality and environmental issues. They want graduates with needed skills that are usable and desirable in tribal communities.”

The First Nations Education doctorate program will emphasize native oral traditions in its cur-

riculum. “The program is grounded in oral traditional knowledge,” Poupart said. “We worked really hard to get the program accredited with knowledge bearers and tribal elders as teachers in the program. Of course we’ll have faculty doctorates teaching in the program but the real knowledge bearers and wisdom keepers in our communities are our tribal elders.”

The accreditation process for the program was a tedious one. “It was difficult to get the accrediting body to understand that these folks don’t have Ph.D.’s in the way that they recognized,” Poupart said. “We worked hard to get them to understand that they have the equivalent of a doctorate in tribal knowledge. So these elders will be work-

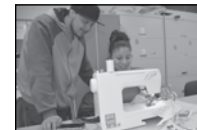
ing with us in teaching the classes and offering wisdom in a way that reflects indigenous ways of knowing and education. So not only are we offering content but we’ll also be teaching in a way that reflects our time honored oral tradition in the ways that our elders have always taught.”

Graduates of the program will bring a myriad of skill sets to the workplace. “Another thing we heard in the communities is that they wanted the program to be rigorous,” Poupart said. “They don’t want us just passing students through with doctorates who aren’t prepared to write grants and things of that nature and be able to apply these things to problems in the community. So of course students will be involved in rigorous research but their emphasis will be a project of their design determined by their own professional interests or work in their respective tribal communities.”

For prerequisite information on the First Nations Education doctorate program please go to [www.uwgb.edu/fined/](http://www.uwgb.edu/fined/) or call (920) 465-2111 to speak with an academic advisor.

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# Oneida Personnel Commission dissolved

## OBC creates Personnel Selection Committee

The Oneida Business Committee (OBC) took official action on Wednesday, April 11, 2018, at their regular meeting to dissolve the Oneida Personnel Commission (OPC) and create the Personnel Selection Committee (PSC).

The OBC has reported to the General Tribal Council (GTC) that the consolidation of administrative hearing and judicial hearing responsibilities in the Judiciary will increase consistency

in hearing processes, efficiency, and reduce the overall expenses associated with the providing like services. This action is consistent with how the OBC has amended the laws to remove this function from other entities such as the Environmental Resource Board and the Oneida Land Commission.

Chairman Tehassi Hill said, "There has been continued effort to transfer the hearing authority of various bodies to the Judiciary; we've already done this with the Environmental Resources Board and the Land Commission. The decision to dissolve the OPC and separate the responsibilities is the next

step. With that change the hearing process will now be in a venue with the appropriate responsibilities and qualifications."

The actions taken by the OBC on April 11, 2018, are seen to be more efficient, effective and in alignment with the proposed employment law revisions being recommended to the GTC later this year. The resolution was designed to take into consideration an orderly transition and no loss of jobs as well as minimal impact on the budget. Through reassignment current staff may be placed in BC Support Office and the Judiciary.

Through the transition, the individuals with cases

that are currently active in the OPC will be afforded options to maintain the current hearing body and stay the course or file with the Judiciary to be assigned in the Trial Court. Those cases that are pending and have not been assigned a hearing will be transferred to the Judiciary Trial Court. Further information will be conveyed to those individuals.

In subsequent action, the OBC adopted a resolution to establish a Personnel Commission which is focused on the initial intent of the original Personnel Selection Committee (PSC) to assure the hiring process of the Oneida Nation is fair and orderly in compliant with Oneida Law. Former members of the OPC are eligible to apply for the PSC.

The origination of the OPC goes back to the 1970's when it was first called the Personnel Selection Committee and was established to oversee the hiring process of the Oneida Nation. Per the web page for the OPC, "The purpose of the Oneida Personnel Commission (OPC) is to develop an employment system that is orderly and fair and one that will benefit the individual worker and strengthen Tribal Programs and Government. The OPC's vision is to ensure and enforce fairness, equality, and utmost due process to all employees and all potential employees."

# North Dakota tribal ID options expanded

By James MacPherson  
Associated Press

BISMARCK, N.D. (AP) — A federal judge has agreed to expand the proof of identity Native Americans can use for North Dakota elections, a decision reversing his temporary order that allowed voters without a state-approved ID to cast ballots by signing a legal document.

U.S. District Judge Daniel Hovland's ruling issued Tuesday adds other tribal documents to the state's list of valid forms of ID.

"No eligible voter, regardless of their station in life, should be denied the opportunity to vote," Hovland wrote in his 17-page ruling.

Several members of the Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa in North Dakota challenged the state's voter identification laws, saying they were a form of voter suppression.

Tom Dickson, a lawyer for tribal members, called the judge's ruling a victory. He said it should clear a big hurdle for Native Americans at the polls.

"Our main concern was not accepting any identification from Native Americans, and now that's gone," he said.

North Dakota filed a notice Wednesday that it would appeal the judge's ruling, but the state's chief

election's officer, Republican Al Jaeger, called the appeal "procedural."

In a joint statement, Jaeger and Republican Attorney General Wayne Stenehjem said they were "pleased" Hovland removed the affidavit requirement that the state argued in court documents could lead to "thousands of unverifiable votes."

Republican Gov. Doug Burgum last year signed legislation that reworked the ID laws after tribal members sued the state in 2016. The lawsuit alleged the ID requirements violated the U.S. Voting Rights Act and discriminated against Native Americans.

The state accepts a driver's license as identification or ID cards issued by the state, long-term care facilities or North Dakota's American Indian tribes. The law required that all must have a valid address, and that those who didn't have proper ID to cast a ballot had to be set aside until the voter's eligibility is confirmed.

Hovland struck that part of the law.

"... protecting the most cherished right to vote for thousands of Native Americans who currently lack a qualifying ID and cannot obtain one, outweighs the purported interest and arguments of the state," he wrote.

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## Wisconsin to start family treatment court to address drugs

KENOSHA, Wis. (AP) — A new family treatment court in Wisconsin aims to help children by more intensely addressing their parents' drug addiction.

Kenosha County is launching a Family Drug Treatment Court, the Kenosha News reported. The court will have new substance abuse treatment programs for parents who've had their children taken into foster care. Parents will be required to routinely go before a judge to discuss their progress.

"When these parents are in front of a judge frequently the judge meets with them, encourages,

rewards and stays on top of the progress they are making, or holds them accountable or shows some displeasure when they are not making progress that motivates parents to put in more effort," said Ron Rogers, the director of Kenosha County Children and Family Services.

The goal is to find better ways to handle parents with addiction issues, Rogers said. Treatment will be funded through Medicaid so the county won't be devoting additional county funds to the program, he said.

Annual data reviews of the Child in Need of

Protection or Services system have indicated that substance abuse is a key factor in many cases, said Judge Jason Rossell, who handles CHIPS cases.

The program will first be launched as a pilot so officials can monitor data and see if families that go through the program have better outcomes, Rossell said.

"We want to track what we are doing right, or find out whether we are wasting our time here," he said.

More funding may eventually be sought to expand the program's capacity if it proves to be effective, he said.

We began our journey with the Oneida Nation on January 30, 1928 when we assisted an Oneida family with the funeral of Mrs. L. Powless. Since that time, we have been proud to weave the Oneida customs and traditions into the services we provide. We have been honored to celebrate with you in the good days and stand by you in the difficult times. We have been proud supporters of many of your

  
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organizations, including the VFW, Elder Services, Veterans Affairs, The Oneida Indian Historical Society and area churches as well as many community fundraisers and benefits. We pledge to continue to support the Oneida Nation as we continue our journey forward together.



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**Early Head Start ribbon shirt making**

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On Friday, April 13, parents and grandparents of students who will be graduating from the Oneida Early Head Start Program gathered at the facility to sew ribbon shirts for their little one's graduation ceremony. Children also have the option of wearing caps and gowns during the May 23rd ceremony. This is the very first experience sewing for many of the parents involved.

Above: Randall and Janene Danforth sew a ribbon shirt for their daughter Lorayna.

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# Skenandore: *WWF Kids Folkstyle State Champ*

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The list of accomplishments in Tae Kwon Do and wrestling are adding up faster than this pint-sized powerhouse can grow.

Harlow Skenandore, a student at Hillcrest Elementary, has not even reached the double digits in age but yet she has achieved goals in both sports that some may envy and admire at the same time.

A strong support system makes a huge difference. "She puts the time in, works hard, and always has a winning attitude", said her mother Alexandria Powless. Adding that, "Her dad Clyde and I have instilled in her that when you start something you finish it and she has."

She began wrestling in March 2017 with a debut of 1 win and 16 losses. She won her final match of the season and was determined to turn it around in 2018.

She bounced back with an impressive wrestling record of 22 wins 5 losses in 2018.



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Harlow (center) at the Wisconsin Regionals with fellow medalists.

She won two wrestling belts this season (Kenosha, Wautoma) and belongs to four area wrestling clubs; WI Girls National Wrestling Team, N.E.W Girls Team, Askren Wrestling Academy, and X-Factor Elite.

Her mom pointed out that when attending practices at Askren Wrestling Academy & X-Factor most times she is the only girl on the mat. "She holds her own with those boys who don't cut her any slack," she added.

In addition to her parents' support, you can also include her uncle Shawn. She also has the support of a team of coaches, that include: Tim McFadden, Steve Hruska, Matt Verbeten, Quincy Koltz, Josh Wagner, and Scott Peiot.

"Harlow is the most humble little girl I have ever seen and her support from her family is the biggest I have ever seen." "Thank You, Harlow, for being you, the world could use more like you and I hope as you get older the young will use you as a role model," said Coach Tim McFadden.

Harlow competed in the State Tournament held at Alliant Energy Center in



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Harlow proudly displays her latest wrestling title as the 2018 WWF Folkstyle State Champ.

Madison WI on March 24, 2018 taking the top spot. She wrestled for a total of 1:16 pinning all three of her girls.

There were 284 girls who qualified to participate in the 2018 State Tourney and the numbers are rising in the United States. Some states have sanctioned girls wrestling in High School.

It's clear with what Harlow has achieved thus far, there are no limits to what this young aspiring athlete can accomplish once she puts her skills to work.

Her other passion, Tae Kwon Do, began at the age of four. She is currently a red belt in Tae Kwon Do and will soon be testing for her red belt with black stripe. "Once she has this belt, her next will be her black belt," said Powless. "She's right on target to reach her goal of being a black belt by the time she's 10," she added.

Her training ethic is outstanding. She practices 3-4 times a week. There are some nights she has

both wrestling and Tae Kwon Do practice.

According to her mother, she also trains with a Tae Kwon Do team out of Albuquerque New Mexico called Bates Premier Tae Kwon Do via Skype. "We have made a trip to Albuquerque so she could have a week long training session during her spring break last year, she added.

Harlow won Tae Kwon Do National Qualifier in Des Moines, Iowa in February 2018 which qualified her for Nationals in Salt Lake City Utah in July 2018.

She previously earned the following titles:

- 2017 National bronze medalist in Tae Kwon Do
- 2016 National Champion in Tae Kwon Do
- 2017 Silver Medalist at the State of America Games boys division (held in Grand Rapids, MI, August 2017)

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gram will run June 18th – August 10th and has space for up to 40 youth.

Requirements for the TANF-funded positions are:

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# Announcing the Gen-I Movement Builders Fellowship

As part of the Generation Indigenous (Gen-I) initiative, the Center for Native American Youth is launching a new fellowship for Native youth ages 18-24. The Gen-I Movement Builders Fellowship (Gen-I MBF) is a six-month intensive leadership development program that aims to strengthen the voice and role of Native American youth in broader social justice movements.

Over the course of six months, five Fellows will gather for two in-person convenings, two virtual convenings, and one Fresh Tracks training expedition. At the end of six months, Fellows will have a small "Innovation Fund" which they will jointly use on a project aimed at strengthening the voice of Native youth in social justice movements. The Fellowship will begin in June and end in December. Click here for more informa-

tion.

**All application materials are due at 11:59 PM Pacific Time on Monday, April 30, 2018.** CNAY will notify all applicants of their final application status by the second week of May 2018.

## WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY?

Applicants for the Gen-I Movement Builders Fellowship are required to meet all the following criteria. Applicants must:

- Self-identify as Indigenous;
- Be between 18 and 24 years old by May 1, 2018;
- Currently reside within the United States;
- Have demonstrated civic engagement and advocacy for their community and/or Indian Country;
- Be strong, talented leaders, but not necessarily well connected outside their community;

- Be interested in advancing their advocacy and activism to broader social justice movements; and
- Be able to participate in the full programming over six (6) months. The Fellowship is not a full-time commitment, but active and engaged participation during in-person and virtual convenings is required. Click here to see a general program timeline.

## HOW TO APPLY:

A complete application includes all of the following materials, which must be submitted online to CNAY by **11:59 PM Pacific Time on Monday, April 30, 2018.**

- Gen-I Movement Builders Fellowship Application. Requires brief written responses to multiple prompts, a resume or CV, and optional supplemental photos and videos.
- Adult Recommendation

Form (submitted online by an adult recommender). This form should be submitted by a mentor, teacher, or employer over the age of 25 who can comment on the applicant's leadership qualities, commitment to community, and motivation for participating in the Fellowship. Please check with the

applicant you are recommending to ensure that you are completing the correct form.

- Peer Recommendation Form (submitted online by a peer recommender). This form should be submitted by a person 24 years old or younger who can comment on the applicant's leadership qualities, commit-

ment to community, and motivation for participating in the Fellowship. Please check with the applicant you are recommending to ensure that you are completing the correct form.

For questions, contact Bettina Gonzalez at (202) 736-3554 or [bettina.gonzalez@aspeninst.org](mailto:bettina.gonzalez@aspeninst.org).

## Artstreet 2018 Young Artisans' Event

Green Bay ~ Mosaic invites youth between the ages of eight and eighteen to participate in the Young Artisans' Event at Artstreet. The highly celebrated fine arts festival will be held Friday, August 24th through Sunday, August 26th in downtown Green Bay. The Young Artisans' Event provides aspiring

artists an opportunity to experience a fine arts festival alongside the seasoned arts professionals who exhibit at Artstreet.

Mosaic welcomes entries from artists working in a wide range of media from painting, photography and sculpture, to jewelry, glass and drawing. All artwork should be original. **Entries must**


**be received by Monday, June 4, 2018.**

Acceptance notifications will be sent by Monday, June 18, 2018.


To obtain rules of entry and an application or for additional information or questions, contact Staci Mincks at 920.435.5220 or [staci@mosaicartsinc.org](mailto:staci@mosaicartsinc.org)



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## Engage Every Age the theme for May

Older American's (or too young) to participate in activities that will improve your physical, mental, and emotional well-being. Oneida Elder Services, Oneida Nation Commission on Aging (ONCOA) and Oneida Family Fitness Center have planned various events and activities that will promote the theme, "Engage at Every Age". There will be a dance, story-telling, and even a learning course with high school students on how to use Snapchat along with other activities and events. For more information on these activities and events, take a look at May's activities calendar or contact Michelle Cottrell, the Activity Specialist at (920)869-6733.

Engaging in physical activity is not just for the month of May, the Oneida Family Fitness center, which is free to Tribal members and their spouses, hold group exercise classes year round. Some classes they offer are chair yoga, strength and lively low impact, and cardio blast. Chair yoga and Tai Chi are also held at the Congregate Meal Site. These classes are for anyone who would prefer more of a low impact cardio and strength workout. For specific times of the classes held at the Fitness Center, call (920)490-3730. And for classes held at the Congregate Meal site, contact Michelle Cottrell at (920)869-6733.

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ENGAGE AT EVERY AGE: MAY 2018

Lets show the world that we are never too old or young to enrich their lives. Take a "selfie" or have someone take a picture of you or a group participating in activities that improve your physical and mental well being. Post to any social media and use the hashtag **#OAM18**.

In addition to uploading your photo to a social media site, please send a copy of the picture to [slawrenc@oneidanation.org](mailto:slawrenc@oneidanation.org) or send it as a message through the Oneida Elder Services Facebook page.: <https://www.facebook.com/OneidaElderServices/>  
We would like to share the pictures and possibly publish them in our next issue of DRUMS with your permission.



Take the Selfie Challenge!

## Menu May 2018



Congregate Meal Site • 2901 S. Overland Rd.

### 1 Tuesday

Spaghetti, Meat Sauce, Italian Vegetables, Cheesy Mascot Bread, Fruit

### 2 Wednesday

Swiss Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Brussels Sprouts, Dinner Roll, Fruit

### 3 Thursday

Beef Stew, Mashed Potatoes, Dinner Roll, Fruit

### 4 Friday

Baked Cod, Oven Roasted Sweet Potatoes, Cole Slaw, Rye Bread, Fruit

### 7 Monday

Side Pork, Boiled Potatoes, Navy Beans, Fry Bread, Ice Cream

### 8 Tuesday

#### ALL STAFF MEETING

Beef Vegetable Soup, Egg Salad Sandwich, Lettuce Salad, Jell-O

### 9 Wednesday

Turkey W/Gravy, Roasted Sweet Potatoes, Wax Beans, Cranberry Sauce, Orange Slices

### 10 Thursday

Beef Stroganoff, Noodles, Brussels Sprouts, Fruit, Ice Cream

### 11 Friday

Salmon Loaf, Boiled Potatoes, Cole Slaw, Molded Fruit Jell-O

### 14 Monday

Chicken A' La King, Biscuits, Carrots, Fruit

### 15 Tuesday

Meat Loaf, Cheesy Potatoes, Green Beans, W/Almonds, Cookies

**MENU  
SUBJECT  
TO  
CHANGE**

All meals are served with coffee, juice, milk, tea, or water. LUNCH is served: Mon. - Fri. from 12:00PM - 1:00PM, BREAKFAST is served: 9:00AM - 10:00AM on posted days

- 16 Wednesday**  
Sloppy Joes, Corn, Chips, Fruit
- 17 Thursday**  
Wild Rice Casserole, Green Beans, Fresh Vegetables, Fruit, Chocolate Cake
- 18 Friday**  
Potato Crusted Cod, California Blend, Rye Bread, Fruit
- 21 Monday**  
Barbecued Chicken, Mashed Potatoes, Cole Slaw, Dinner Roll
- 22 Tuesday**  
Bologna, Boiled Potatoes, Buttered Carrots, Home Made Bread, Fruit
- 23 Wednesday**  
Ribs, Sauer Kraut, Oven Brown Potatoes, Fruit, Pudding
- 24 Thursday**  
Chili, Turkey & Cheese Sandwich, Lettuce Salad, Fruit, Date Bar
- 25 Friday**  
**CLOSED IN OBSERVANCE OF ONEIDA CODE TALKERS DAY**
- 28 Monday**  
**MEMORIAL DAY**
- 29 Tuesday**  
Corn Soup, Sandwich, Fruit, Jell-O
- 30 Wednesday**  
Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes, Carrots, Bread, Fruit
- 31 Thursday**  
**BIRTHDAY DAY LUNCH**  
Swedish Meatballs, Noodles, Squash Cucumber Salad, Fruit, Birthday Cake

## Major Home Repair Program Update

The Major Home Repair Program is taking qualified applicants and please bear with us as we are diligently working on accommodating elders who are on our current list.



## May is OLDER AMERICANS MONTH



Every May, the Administration on Aging, part of the Administration for Community Living, leads our nation's observance of *Older American's Month*. The 2018 theme, Engage at Every Age, emphasizes that you are never too old (or too young) to take part in activities that can enrich your physical, mental and emotional well-being and celebrates the many ways older adults make a difference in our communities.

**To celebrate, Oneida Elder Services, Oneida Nation Commission On Aging (ONCOA) and Oneida Family Fitness Center have planned additional activities:**

**MAY 1**

Oneida Hymn Singers  
E.S. Meal-site – 1:15PM



**MAY 3**



Hand Reflexology &  
Essential Oils

E.S. Meal-site – 10AM – 11AM

**MAY 11**

Snapchat – Cell Phones  
Learn with H.S. Students  
E.S. Meal-site – 12PM – 2PM



**MAY 18**

Elder Dance  
E.S. Meal-site – 1PM – 3PM  
Snacks

**MAY 22**



"Old Photos" with  
Loretta Metoxen  
E.S. Meal-site – 10AM

**MAY 29**

Take an Elder to Lunch  
Elders will be picked at the Dance  
11am – 2pm



**MAY 31**



Story Telling with Brian Doxtator  
E.S. Meal-site – 10AM

**Door Prizes At All Events**

**Activities for Elders 55 & over**



### CONTACT

Please call Michelle Cottrell, Elder Activities Specialist,  
at 869-6733 with any questions.

*Drums can also be viewed at:*  
**Oneida-sn.gov/elderservices/**

## Services provided at Oneida Elder Services

**Congregate Meals**  
Lunches served Monday-Friday at Noon  
Home Delivered Meals to homebound elders in the community

**Elder Abuse Prevention Coordination**  
Investigations of al-

legations of physical, financial, emotional, neglect, or self-neglect of elders

**Minor Home Repairs**  
Repair to homes that would be a safety hazard to elders

**Home Chore**

**Program**  
Assistance with outside household needs such as grass cutting, and gutter cleaning

**Benefits Specialist**  
Assists with paperwork for Social Security, Medicare, Medicaid, and Private Insurance.

Provides informational materials for access to resources such as Judicare

**Native American Family Caregiver Program**

Provides respite relief to caregivers  
Provides trainings such as stress relief or emotional issues

to caregivers  
**Loan Closet**  
Loan of assistive devices to disabled and frail elders that includes wheelchairs, shower rails, commodes, and shower benches, etc.

**Outreach**  
Travels to elders

homes for annual assessments and provides information on resources available based on the needs of the elder  
Assists with shopping needs for homebound elders

**Tribal Aging & Disability Resource Specialist (ADRS)**

Information and referral to resources available to elders  
**Activity Specialist**  
Provides activities such as Tai Chi, Chair Yoga, Book Club, etc. Monday-Friday at the elder meal site  
Takes elders shopping every Friday

**Transportation**  
Available to elders for transportation to meal site for lunch, daily activities & Friday shopping with the Activity Specialist  
For eligibility of any services listed, please call Elder Services at 920-869-2448 or toll free 1-800-867-7551.

### MAY ELDER ACTIVITIES



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>* Please <b>sign up</b> for trips and activities at the E.S. Meal-site. *Activities subject to change. *Activities for Elders 55 and Older</p>	<p><b>1 Crafts</b> 9:30 – 11:15 E.S. Meal-site</p> <p><b>12:00 – 1:00 Birding</b> <b>Oneida Singers</b> E.S. Meal-site 1:15</p>	<p><b>2 Book Club</b> E.S. Meal-site 9:30</p> <p><b>Exercise</b> E.S. Meal-site 11:00</p> <p><b>Bingo</b> C. W. Building 1:30</p>	<p><b>3 Hand Reflexology &amp; Essential Oils</b> 10:00 – 11:00 E.S. Meal-site</p> <p><b>Chair Yoga</b> 1:30 E.S. Meal-site</p>	<p><b>4 Banks, Shopping &amp; Lunch Out</b> (On your own) 10:00 – 3:00 No Transportation for lunch this day.</p>
<p><b>7 Trail Walk</b> E.S. Meal-site 9:30</p> <p><b>Exercise</b> E.S. Meal-site 11:00</p> <p><b>Bingo</b> E.S. Meal-site 1:00</p>	<p><b>8 Tai Chi</b> E.S. Meal-site 1:30</p>	<p><b>9 Book Club</b> E.S. Meal-site 9:30</p> <p><b>Exercise</b> E.S. Meal-site 11:00</p> <p><b>Bingo</b> C. W. Building 1:30</p>	<p><b>10 Mother's Day Bingo</b> 3 Sister Center 10:00</p> <p><b>Bowling</b> Ashw. Lanes 1:30</p>	<p><b>11 Banks, Shopping &amp; Lunch Out</b> (On your own) 10:00 – 3:00 No Transportation for lunch</p> <p><b>Snap Chat – Cell Phones</b> Learn with H.S. Students E.S. Meal-site 12:00 – 2:00</p>
<p><b>14 Story Writing</b> E.S. Meal-site 9:30</p> <p><b>Exercise</b> E.S. Meal-site 11:00</p> <p><b>Movie</b> E.S. Meal-site 1:00</p>	<p><b>15 Crafts</b> 9:30 – 11:15 E.S. Meal-site</p>	<p><b>16 Book Club</b> E.S. Meal-site 9:30</p> <p><b>Exercise</b> E.S. Meal-site 11:00</p> <p><b>Bingo</b> C. W. Building 1:30</p>	<p><b>17 St Vincent de Paul</b> Green Bay 9:30</p> <p><b>Chair Yoga</b> 1:30 E.S. Meal-site</p>	<p><b>18 Banks, Shopping &amp; Lunch Out</b> (On your own) 10:00 – 3:00 No Transportation for lunch</p> <p><b>Elder Dance</b> E.S. Meal-site 1:00 – 3:00 Snacks</p>
<p><b>21 Trail Walk</b> E.S. Meal-site 9:30</p> <p><b>Exercise</b> E.S. Meal-site 11:00</p> <p><b>Bingo</b> E.S. Meal-site 1:00</p>	<p><b>22 "Old Photos" with Loretta Metoxen</b> E.S. Meal-site 10:00</p> <p><b>12:00 – 1:00 Birding</b> <b>Tai Chi</b> E.S. Meal-site 1:30</p>	<p><b>23 Book Club</b> E.S. Meal-site 9:30</p> <p><b>Exercise</b> E.S. Meal-site 11:00</p> <p><b>Bingo</b> C. W. Building 1:30</p>	<p><b>24 Banks, Shopping Lunch Out</b> <b>9:30</b> No Transportation for lunch</p> <p><b>Bowling</b> Ashw. Lanes 1:30</p>	<p><b>25 OFF</b> In observance of <b>Oneida Code Talkers Day</b></p>
<p><b>28 OFF</b> In observance of <b>MEMORIAL DAY</b></p>	<p><b>29 Take an Elder to Lunch</b> 11:00 - 2:00 Elders will be picked at the Dance</p>	<p><b>30 Book Club</b> E.S. Meal-site 9:30</p> <p><b>Exercise</b> E.S. Meal-site 11:00</p> <p><b>Bingo</b> C. W. Building 1:30</p>	<p><b>31 Story Telling with Brian Doxtator</b> E.S. Meal-site 10:00</p> <p><b>Birthday Lunch</b> 12:00</p> <p><b>Swimming</b> OFFC 1:30</p>	<p>Is this the Month of your Birthday? You must sign up in the Birthday Book at the E.S. Meal-site. *Must be present at B-day Lunch to receive your gift card</p> <p><b>HAPPY BIRTHDAY!</b></p>

**\*\*If you have any questions Please call Michelle Cottrell at 869 -6733\*\***

## May Meetings

### Benefit Information Specialist Meeting

May 21st, 2018, 12:00pm -1:00pm, Elder Meal Site

### Caregiver Support Group

May 17th, 2018, 1:30pm-3:30pm, Elder Services Pod B

### GLNAEA

June 6th & 7th, 2018, 8:00am-4:00pm, Keshena

### ONCOA

May 8th, 2018, 12:00pm-4:00pm, Elder Services Conference Room

### Memory Café

May 1st, 2018, 1:30pm-3:30pm, Oneida Library

### Nutrition Advisory Council

May 18th, 2018, 1:00pm-2:00pm, Elder Meal Site

## 2018 Tentative Schedule for Meal Site Presentations

Presentations will be held during lunch 12:15-1:00 pm

May 10 - USDA Rural Development: Home Repair & Loan Programs

June 21 - Oneida Police Dept.: Home safety

July 12 - WI Medigap Helpline Services: Long Term Care Insurance

August 9 - Oneida Elder Service Aging & Disability Resource Service

September 13 - Oneida Veterans & WI Dept. of Veteran Affairs: Benefits

October 11 - Alzheimer Association

Nov. 8 - Social Security Administration: Social Security Benefits

HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

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### Stepping On

#### FALLS PREVENTION PROGRAM

Stepping On is a program that empowers older adults to carry out health behaviors that reduce the risks of falls. It is a community-based workshop offered once a week for seven weeks using adult education and self-efficacy principles.

In a small-group setting, older adults learn balance exercises and develop specific knowledge and skills to prevent falls. Older adults who should attend are those who: a) are at risk of falling, b) have a fear of falling, or c) who have fallen one or more times. Workshops are facilitated by two trained leaders, one who is a professional who works with older adults, and one an older adult who meets the criteria for the class.

#### Subjects covered include:

Improving balance and strength, home modifications, sleep, community safety, vision, medication review, safe footwear.

For more information contact (920) 869-2448

Workshop Leaders: **Lisa Huff** Outreach worker

**Carol Bogda** NAFCG Coordinator

Oneida Elder Service Conference Room

April 12—May 24 2018 (Thursdays)

1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

#### Why preventing falls is so important

Falls are the leading cause of injury and death among those age 65 and older.

In 2008, 2.1 million non-fatal fall injuries among older adults were treated in emergency departments resulting in more than 559,000 patients being hospitalized.

Twenty to thirty percent of people who fall suffer moderate to severe injuries such as

lacerations, hip fractures or head traumas.

Even if no injuries occur after a fall, many people develop a fear of falling, which in turn often causes them to limit their activities.

This can result in reduced mobility and loss of physical conditioning, increasing their risk of falling.

## Medical Laboratory Professionals Week, April 22–28, 2018

Medical Laboratory Professionals Week (April 22-28, 2018) is an annual celebration of the professionals who play a vital role in health care to ensure that patients receive the right tests, the right diagnosis, and the right treatment. Here at Oneida Community Health Center Laboratory, we have a staff comprised of six Medical Technologists (Bachelor degree), one Clinical Lab Scientist (Bachelor degree), and one Medical Lab Technician (Associate degree).

### What We Do & Who We Are

OCHC Laboratory Staff performs 900 blood draws (phlebotomy) and 2,800

tests per month in house. Additionally, monthly we send out 1,900 tests to our Reference Lab.

### Daily We are Staffed

6:45AM – 5:30PM

### Hours Open to Out Patients

7:30AM – 4:30PM

### Educational Background

Medical Bachelor or Associate degree  
Required Internship

Non-paid working position at a hospital, 40 hours weekly, length of time:



10 – 12 months, M – F daily morning phlebotomy rounds, attending classes, and taking exams.

The internship includes a rotation through the different departments in the lab such as Chemistry, Hematology, Microbiology, Blood Bank, Serology, Urinalysis, and Coagulation

### Individual Certifications

ASCP – Certified by American Society of Clinical Pathologists

Requires taking a board exam to become certified and yearly continuing education

### Laboratory Certification

CLIA – Moderately Complex Laboratory

CLIA stands for Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments, a Federal certification requirement to perform testing on human specimens.

### American Proficiency Institute

Participate in testing unknown samples

and sending results to API throughout the year to prove accuracy of test results performed by OCHC Laboratory.

### Wisconsin State Lab of Hygiene

Submit weekly Influenza, RSV, & Strep data to the Laboratory Surveillance Report. Participate in Proficiency Testing of unknown lead samples throughout the year to show accuracy in the tests performed by the OCHC Laboratory.

### Combined years of service

– Total Years Working in the Medical Technology / Clinical Lab Science Field \*\*\* 216 years \*\*\*  
– Total years Working at OCHC Laboratory \*\*\* 96 years \*\*\*

**We wanted to take this opportunity to share with you our commitment and competency to the care of our patients and colleagues.**

– Oneida Community Health Center  
Laboratory Staff

## TRIAD Classes

**\*\*REVISED**

April, May, June  
2018

(Taking Responsibility in Addressing Diabetes)

Offered to OCHC Patients/Families using Physical Activity/Nutrition to Control Diabetes/Prevent Diabetes

Date	Class	Time
April 25 <sup>th</sup>	Label Reading	4:30pm
May 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Carbohydrate Counting	11:00am
June 20 <sup>th</sup>	Understanding Dietary Fat	4:30pm

- Classes held at OFF Education Room
- Please sign up for class with your trainer
- **Must attend 1 class in the 14 week program to receive final incentive.**
- Give-away @ each class



Classes Given By: **Betty RDCDE**  
(OCHC-DM-Clinic)



Kali photo/Dawn Walschinski

Oneida Community Health Center Lab Staff from left to right: Carrie Habbeck, Carrie Blohowiak (supervisor), Mary Webster, Joanne Steeno, Pepin Steckler, and DJ Schroeder. Not pictured: Amy Petrie and Carrie Quatsoe.

Oneida Community  
Health Center

920-869-2711 or 1-866-869-2711

Oneida Healthy Start Program and Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council

## Take on Breastfeeding



Contributed photo

A 'Pictures and Pizza' event was recently held at the Parish Hall in Oneida to celebrate women in the community who breastfeed their babies. Local breastfeeding advocates were also on hand for encouragement and support.

Oneida, WI – In order to call attention to Breastfeeding, Oneida Nation hosted two breastfeeding events in April: Baby, Baby! Class (4/3) and Pictures and Pizza Event (4/4). The two events were co-supported and sponsored by the Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council's Breastfeeding the Traditional Way, funded through the W. K. Kellogg Foundation, and Oneida Nation's Healthy Start Program.

The Baby, Baby! Class was held at the Oneida Community Health Center (OCHC) and included community members as well as OCHC providers from WIC, Community Health Services, and Early Head Start. The class was facilitated by Terri Kolb, the SNAP-Ed Program Director and Certified Lactation Specialist for Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council. She led the class through a presentation highlighting the benefits of breastfeeding the traditional way and the risks associated with not breast-

feeding. A discussion was formed around breastfeeding topics and participants shared personal stories related to their breastfeeding journeys. More of this type of dialogue is needed and will be continued in our community through increased breastfeeding awareness, promotion, and establishment of a support group.

The Pictures and Pizza event was held at Parish Hall with 59 total participants from the community. A photographer was on hand to create lasting memories for moms, their babies, and families to take home with them. The pictures will be used in effort to support the normalization of breastfeeding in Oneida. The event was a celebration to support women in our community with their personal breastfeeding goals and encouragement to join and keep babies healthy by breastfeeding. Local breastfeeding advocates were in attendance and included Healthy Start Program staff, OCHC Prenatal

Care Coordinator, and Early Head Start and Head Start staff.

"The Oneida Nation is on the frontline of making sure every baby in our community reaches their second birthday," says Chenoa Webster, Community Health Worker. "Oneida Healthy Start, with our partners and mothers from the community, are raising awareness around breastfeeding because one of the most highly effective preventive measures a mother can take to protect the health of her infant is to breastfeed."

La Leche League says, "Breastfed babies are healthier babies." Babies, toddlers, mothers, and the community as a whole receive health benefits from breastfeeding not only for this generation, but for those generations yet to come.

For more information on local breastfeeding initiatives or breastfeeding education and support resources, call Chenoa Webster at (920) 869-4843



*Are you in need of an eye appointment, and can't wait for weeks?  
Are your glasses broke or you need contacts, and want to get in soon to see the eye doctor?*

**We have walk in appointments available on Monday and Thursday mornings!**

**Registration begins at 7:45 A.M.**

***Patients will be seen on a first come, first serve basis.***

## Oneida Tribe Behavioral Health

K@NiĒKuhlí·Yo

(Ga-nee-goo hlee yo)

*"The openness of the good spirit and mind"*



### ➤ 2018 Awareness Educational Series ◀

Starting in 2018: 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of Month from 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm

DATE	TOPIC	PRESENTER
May 21 <sup>st</sup>	Understanding and Healing from <i>Unresolved Grief and Intergenerational Trauma</i>	Emma White & Vange Danforth
June 18 <sup>th</sup>	Living Compass: <i>Mind, Heart, Soul, and Strength</i>	Rebecca Green
July 16 <sup>th</sup>	Tapping into people's STRENGTHS: <i>Understanding Fetal Alcohol Exposure</i>	Valorie Helander & Heidi Blanks
August 20 <sup>th</sup>	TBD	
September 17 <sup>th</sup>	Dysthymia/ Seasonal Affect disorder ... "SAD to see summer go"	Jessica DeGroot

Located Parish Hall Building – 2936 Freedom Road, Oneida

Please Call Dr. Sharyl Trail at 920-490-3865 with Questions or Suggestions

# Oneida Nation High School

# THUNDERHAWK TIMES



## Snow days and June dismissal



THT photo Christopher Johnson

Snowstorm Evelyn dumped at least two feet of snow in the area over the weekend closing the Oneida Nation School System on Monday, April 16. Spring sports have been especially impacted.

**By Yehla Elm**  
Thunderhawk Times

With the fifth snow day of the school year on Monday, April 16, ONHS students and staff may be wondering if extra days will be added as “make ups” at the end of the school year.

Well, not yet.

According to Oneida School System Administrator, Sharon Mousseau,

following an earlier snow day, the schools had 5 days to use up before having to make up days.

Some may wonder just how snow days, early releases, and two hour delays are determined. Following an early release on February 19, Mousseau said in the school newsletter,

“Please understand we do work with Lamer’s

and OPD when making decisions regarding cancellations and early dismissals.”

Half-days do count as school days, so an early release is not a problem.

With this being said if the weather improves as said it would, the last day of school will still be Thursday, June 7, with a 12:30 pm dismissal.

## ONHS Prom Night is still coming

**By Alyssa Noriega**  
Thunderhawk Times

The theme of this year’s ONHS prom, “Hawaiian Paradise,” might seem more ironic than ever, given the recent snowstorm “Evelyn,” but work continues on decorations such as surf boards, flowered leis, tiki torches, hanging lights, Hawaiian sayings and, even, a volcano.

According to Lystra Clausen, ONHS math instructor, decorating is pretty much caught up, but they will need volunteers to set up for prom. Students can get community service hours by showing up at the Radisson at 4 pm on April 27.

Prom will still be on Saturday, April 28, in the Grand Ballroom at the Radisson. Tickets can be

purchased April 23 for \$10.

By the way, the weather forecast for the rest of April is supposed to be looking for rising temperatures.

So, it may not be Waikiki weather like in Hawaii, but prom will surely give students the illusion of palm trees and nice warm temperatures on the dance floor.

## Bucks struggling

**By Hattie Summers**  
Thunderhawk Times

“At least they made it to the playoffs,” is the comments you hear from a lot of Milwaukee Bucks fans these days.

The Bucks made it to the playoffs for the second year in a row.

Their first-round opponent, the Boston Celtics, don’t seem to be too worried, however.

The seven-game series returns to Milwaukee on Friday, April 20 after a two-game loss in Boston.

If the Bucks want to start winning, they need to step up their defensive game. Will they finally show up in game three and come out with a win?

## Touring NWTC

**By Jesse Montoya**  
Thunderhawk Times

ONHS Guidance counselor, Tom Kenote, took five students to a tour of NWTC. The students that went were, Seneca Mohawk, Devlyn Reiter, Chris Danforth, Devin Johnson, and this writer.

We got to go to the places that we wanted to tour. We went to, the welding area, construction, business, audio room, police area, and (not planned) the photo room.

One of the most-impressive places we toured was the construction area. We went there for Seneca Mohawk but, I also enjoyed the area as well. They were building small houses and some were for

dogs.

There were about 10 people in every class. But, it was a Tuesday and it was a “slow” day.

After our tour we got lunch there and it was the start of a job fair. There were a lot of people there.

I really enjoyed the tour and cannot wait to go there.



Watch for our next series of THT articles in the May 3rd issue of the Kalihwisaks

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# My Scoop

## The Longshot

By Syrina Skenandore  
Thunderhawk Times

Billie Joe Armstrong of Green Day has announced a new side project called "The Longshot."

Armstrong has revealed the project with teasers on Instagram posts of over 50 photos and videos. He made an account just for the project.

Many fans are awaiting a new album named "Love is for Losers" with a release date yet to be announced.

Fans are even being encouraged to get a tattoo of a broken heart to show unity if they are in

## Spring Band Concert first

By Thunderhawk  
Times Staff

ONHS junior Alyssa Noriega is breaking new ground.

Alyssa joined the ONHS family on January 26th, 2018. While she "enjoys the environment at ONHS," one thing she said she "definitely misses" is having music class, something ONHS does not offer at present.

Alyssa is a dedicated clarinetist. In fact, she's so dedicated that she often has her clarinet here

fact a "loser," and VIP access may be granted to those who show the tattoo alone.

Armstrong says the album is "coming eventually sooner or later. Probably sooner."

As we sit and wait, "The Longshot" EP has been released with the songs "Taxi Driver," "Love is for Losers," and "Chasing a Ghost."

Though "The Longshot" seems like a personal side project, many people think that it's a hint at a new band. We can only wait and see.

at school and plays when her work is done in some classes.

With help of the computer instructor, Patti Moran, Alyssa was highly encouraged to connect with the music instructor over at ONES to take lessons a couple times a week.

Because of that, Alyssa has a spring concert coming up on April 25th.

Watch for details in a future issue of the "Thunderhawk Times."

## ONHS spring sports way behind schedule

By Thunderhawk  
Times Staff

A look at the 2018 ONHS Spring Sports Schedule is shocking. As of this writing on Tuesday, April 17, the lacrosse, softball and track teams have each had 4 games scheduled while the golf team was supposed to have had its first meet yesterday.

### Golf team meets

By Kalisa Lyons  
Thunderhawk Times

This year's ONHS golf team will be coached by Tahkwatekwa "Tek" Skenandore and assistant Tony Romadine, former ONHS math teacher.

According to Romadine, getting the season started has been a struggle.

"We were able to get in a couple of practices in between our 2nd and 3rd winter," joked Romadine.

Also, the team was able to go to Thornberry and use its practice range once.

The team met on Monday, April 9 for the first time in ONHS library.

According to the head coach, they had "some good interest into the team."

### Track team on hold

By John Summers  
Thunderhawk Times

Santa's sleigh would have an easier time getting around the track so far this season than have ONHS runners.

The track team has been

Guess what!

Other than one lacrosse game, not one of those games, meets or matches has taken place.

With more than two feet of snow dumped on the Green Bay area over the past weekend and spring looking like it's just about to get started, every sport is way behind. School was also canceled on Monday, April 16 be-

cause of the weather.

"We will get some games in before May, I promise," kidded ONHS Principal and Athletic Director Art Skenandore at opening on Tuesday morning. "It seems every time we reschedule a game, we get more snow."

Practices were also canceled after school on Tuesday so that work

crews could finish cleaning up the snow around the school buildings and facilities.

And it's not just ONHS. Several area conferences have held meetings to decide what to do about sports seasons that should be well underway.

Watch for updates over the next few issues.

### Softball in the snow

By Tiara Barber  
Thunderhawk Times

It isn't just high school sports that have been impacted by this long winter weather. Even professional baseball has had its share of postponements and rescheduled games with six games cancelled on Sunday, April 15, bringing the total to that point to 21.

For the Lady T-hawks team it's been almost as tough getting in practice, let alone getting on the ball diamonds which are obviously buried in snow.

### Lacrosse players anxious

By Richard  
Summers III  
Thunderhawk Times

Like every other sports this spring, lacrosse has had a tough time getting going for real.

The team has been practicing for about a couple months now with only playing one game. Everyone on the team has been anguishing to get out on the field and play against other people. Meanwhile they have

So far the team has been practicing in the gym and working on fundamentals as well as situational plays.

Team members say they are getting sick of indoor practices and are ready to get onto the field. At the end of March the team was able to get outside a couple of times.

To date, the team has not played a game and missed four games. Unable to get outside for the next week or more, the team will continue to practice indoors.



**Jahn, Ben**

February 9, 1934 – April 15, 2018

Ben Jahn, age 84, of Oneida, passed away on Sunday, April 15, 2018 at Anna John Nursing Home.



recently became a Gold Legacy Life Member of the VFW and his name will be listed in Washington,

He was born February 9, 1934, oldest son of the late Lomas and Nellie (Skenandore) John.

On December 25, 1960, he was united in marriage to Selma (Eib), who preceded him in death on March 19, 2017.

They had two daughters, Laura Jahn and Heather Evans of Albany, Oregon.

Ben served in the US Army and Air Force, retiring from active duty as MSgt after over 25 years in the Air Force. He served in various US bases and overseas—Iceland, Korea, Japan, Germany and the Philippines to name a few. After moving to Wisconsin, he became an active member of the VFW, Oneida Post 7784, along with his brother, Andrew "Andy" John. After moving into the Anna John Resident Centered Care nursing home, Andy made sure Ben was able to attend meetings and other events as often as he could. Ben

DC.

In addition to his dedication to the military and his family, Ben was an avid musician and was active in various bands during and after the military, including the US Air Force Band. He played many instruments, but excelled on the tuba, baritone horn, trombone and bass guitar. He shared these talents with any city band he could, most recently the Allouez City Band. He was proud to know that his granddaughter, Kathryn (Kat) (Evans) Wylie, followed him in these pursuits, excelling on the same instruments.

Ben was never content to sit on his laurels. While in the Air Force, Ben submitted an essay with his answer to "What is an American?" his submission earned him the "Defender of Freedom Award". His ending paragraph included these words: *"I am a*

**Jahn, Ben (continued)**

*representative of the people who had a part in shaping our country. We voluntarily served in all major wars. We met the Pilgrims. We aided George Washington. We helped raise the colors on Iwo Jima. I am an American Indian—one proud American!"* After retiring from the Air Force, he went on to complete his education, and was awarded a Master of Science in Education through Southern Illinois University at Carbondale. He was always reading and never stopped learning.

People who knew Ben appreciated his surprising sense of humor. Once, when introduced to some people as a "full-blooded Indian", he corrected them by saying "not quite full-blooded—I donated a pint to the Red Cross yesterday".

He is survived by his daughters, Laura Jahn of Albany, Oregon; Heather and husband Darren Evans, also of

Albany, Oregon; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. "Sonny" leaves behind his sisters, Clara Kerwin, and Cora John; his brothers: Andrew John and his wife, Lorrie; Tom John and his wife Adela, Earnest John, and Myron John and his wife Judy, all of Oneida; as well as several nieces, nephews and many cousins.

Friends gathered at Riverside Baptist Church, 216 N. Main Street, Seymour, on Thursday, April 19, 2018, from 1:00PM until the memorial service at 2:00PM. Pastor Scotty Backhaus officiated. The Oneida VFW Post followed with Military Honors. Light refreshments were provided prior to the service.

Online condolence may be expressed for Ben's family at [www.muehlboettcher.com](http://www.muehlboettcher.com)

Muehl-Boettcher Funeral Home, Seymour is assisting the family with arrangements.

**Johnson, Bernard R. 'Bunny'**

November 29, 1931 – April 14, 2018

Bernard R. Johnson, "Bunny" 86, Oneida, passed away peacefully Saturday morning, April 14, 2018.

He was born in Oneida on November 29, 1931 to the late Bernard E. and Millie Johnson. Bunny was a proud veteran of the U.S. Marine Corps.

On August 4, 1956 he was united in marriage to Rose Adams at Oneida United Methodist Church. Bunny was a member of the Oneida VFW as well as Oneida Methodist Church. In 1993 he retired from the Neenah Foundry after many years of service to the company. He enjoyed gardening "mini farming", as well as get-togethers, visiting with others, but it was the time he spent with his family that meant the most to him.

He is survived by his wife Rose, their children; Bernard W. (Vicki) Johnson, Dennis (Debbie) Johnson, Bonnie (Steve) Kornaus, Lois Domencich, Debra Johnson, 8 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren, his sister in law Theresa Johnson,



as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by; his grandson Andy Johnson, son in law Lee Domencich, his sister Bernice Metoxen, and his brother Frankie Johnson.

Friends gathered after 4:00PM Wednesday April 18, 2018 at Oneida United Methodist Church. The Oneida Hymn Singers sang at 6:30PM followed by a prayer service at 7:00PM. Visitation continued at the church on Thursday after 9:00AM, until time of service at 11:00AM. Pastor Ann Bullis officiated with the Oneida Hymn Singers performing at 10:30AM prior to the service. Full military honors will follow the service, with burial in the church cemetery when conditions improve. Ryan Funeral Home, De Pere assisted the family with arrangements. Please go to [www.ryanfh.com](http://www.ryanfh.com) to send online condolences to the family.

*Special thanks to our family and friends; as well as Unity Hospice for all the care and concern shown to us.*

**In Loving Memory**

In Loving Memory of...

Happy 66<sup>th</sup> Birthday  
Baby (April 18<sup>th</sup>)

Love...  
Dottie Krull

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## Van Deraa, Lorraine J. 'Raynie'

October 13, 1940 – April 12, 2018

Lorraine J. "Raynie" (Doxtator) Van Deraa, age 77, of Stockbridge, passed away peacefully on Thursday, April 12, 2018 at Anna John Resident Centered Care Community in Oneida. "The place they look after them" surrounded by her extended family. She was born October 13, 1940 in Stockbridge in her parents' home. She was the daughter of the late John and Frieda (Welch) Doxtator. Raynie married Jerome J. Van Deraa on June 24, 1959 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Stockbridge.

Raynie graduated from Stockbridge High School, class of 1958 and met the love of her life shortly thereafter. Jerome and Raynie had celebrated 58 years of marriage. During her life, Raynie worked at Zwickers Knitting Mill in Appleton, Tecumseh Products in New Holstein, and after 41 years she retired in December of 2000. She was a member of the The International Associate of Machinist and Aero Space Workers District No. 10.

Raynie was well known as "Ma" to many people. She was like a mama bear protecting all! As for Jerome, she called him, "the old Boy" and they could communicate without saying a word. Raynie had a little laugh and always had a kind word and smile for everyone she met and never expecting anything in return. Raynie could melt your heart with her kind-



ness and sincerity. She loved her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren and extended family at Anna John Resident Centered Care Community. Raynie appreciated music, especially George Jones and Elvis. She loved nature, camping, fishing at mud creek with cane polls, sturgeon spearing, bird watching, "The Ledge" - Niagara Escarpment and the little artesian creek alongside the house.

Shortly after marriage, they bought the little White House next to her parents. A few years later they purchased a house in the Village of Stockbridge and lived there for many years. In 1983 Lorraine was looking for a retirement home while still keeping the old house that was pretty much paid for. They bought an A frame house out in the country. For unexpected reasons in 1989 they had to sell and move back to the old house, recouped a few years and with many discussions with her sisters, they bought the rest of her parents' property, with the hard work and assistance from her husband, two sons, and many others. A new foundation was poured and her new personality designed Cape Cod retirement home was built in 1998. The property was in the family long before Wisconsin was a state.

Raynie lived life one day at a time. She was in Al-Anon, then AA going on 35 years in May. Raynie



## Doxtator, Victor E.

July 19, 1942 – April 8, 2018

Victor E. Doxtator, 75, of Seymour, began his journey to the Spirit World on Sunday evening, April 8, 2018, at St. Vincent Hospital with family by his side. He was born July 19, 1942, son of the late Clifford Sr. and Melinda (Doxtator) Doxtator.

Victor's passions were hunting, fishing, and gambling.

He is survived by his siblings: Clarissa (Stanley) Alexander, Marilyn Danforth, Ruth Ann Miller, and Gloria Doxtator; special niece, Elaine Reed; sisters-in-law, Christine "Babe" Doxtator, Donna Doxtator, and Mary Jane Doxtator; many other nieces and nephews.

Victor is preceded in death by four brothers:



Clifford Doxtator, Jr., Donald, Roman, and Allen Doxtator; two sisters: Rachael Reed and Pat Doxtator.

Friends gathered at Oneida Longhouse, W370 Reformatory Road, Oneida, on Wednesday, April 11, 2018 from 4:00PM, continuing throughout the night. Traditional Longhouse Funeral Services were conducted at 10:00AM on Thursday, April 12, 2018 at the Longhouse with Bob Brown officiating.

Burial took place in the Oneida Sacred Burial Grounds. Online condolences to Victor's family may be expressed at [www.muehlboettcher.com](http://www.muehlboettcher.com)

Muehl-Boettcher Funeral Home, Seymour is assisting the family with arrangements.

## Van Deraa, Lorraine J. 'Raynie' (cont.)

was quiet but could be fierce. She was a member of the Stockbridge Munsee Community Band of Mohican Indians, descendant of the Oneida Nation of Wisconsin, Brothertown Indian Nation, Delaware and a little Sweden Heritage. She was a member of HONOR, Inc, AIM American Indian Movement, and Protect the Sacred. Raynie spearheaded the movement to preserve and revisit an 1856 Treaty written by Abraham Lincoln trusting the Indian Cemetery to the care of the Town of Stockbridge, Wisconsin. The Township and the Stockbridge - Munsee

negotiated a compromise and transferred the land back to the Stockbridge - Munsee Community Band of Mohican Indians in July of 1993. Raynie received a Pendleton Blanket in honor of her efforts at the cemetery in 1997 with a ceremony of rebirth and rededication.

Survivors include: her husband of 58 years: Jerome; her son: Jonathon M. (Shirley) Van Deraa; a daughter: Kathryn Van Deraa Kuhn; her daughter-in-law: Wanda Van Deraa;




The family of Kelly Braaten, sincerely appreciates the Love and Support expressed during our recent loss. Our gratitude goes out to our extended family, members of the Menominee and Oneida communities and the Fire Keepers, who endured the weather in her honor.

Kelly had many roles throughout her life: Daughter, Godmother, Auntie, Sister, Cousin, Friend and Great Auntie. She will be remembered for her kindness and caring way, her feisty demeanor as well as her love for all animals and nature.

Thank you to Deacon Debbie, St. Vincent's staff, Oneida Police department, first responders and to those who brought food, flowers, and monetary donations. Thank you to the kitchen crew for your hard work, also to those who helped in any way. Big or small we are so very grateful and it did not go unnoticed.



With great appreciation,  
 Frieda Grignon,  
 Terry & Lisa Metoxen,  
 Blair & Michelle Braaten  
 Susan Braaten

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her grandchildren: Christie (Bill) Gast, Jesse (Amanda) Kuhn, Joseph (Christie) Kuhn, Amy Kuhn, Nicholas (Melissa) Kuhn, Noel Kuhn and his special friends, Kayla & Willow, and Jonathon J. Van Deraa; her great-grandchildren: Carter, Calvin, and Maverick Gast, Imagine & Arlo Kuhn, Charlie & Dawson Kuhn, Abigail Lorraine Kuhn; Her sisters: Elizabeth Groh, Lulu Bell Mattson; a brother-in-law: Gerald (Jean) Van Deraa; sisters-in-law: Bar-

bara (Randy) Moehr, Judy (Marvin) Vande Voort, Theresa Van Deraa, Leona Van Deraa, Phyllis Van Deraa, Joyce Van Deraa; her Godchildren: Debbie Kusserow, Ron Van Deraa, Carol Wilinski, Debbie Franz & Steve Mueller; and her special friends: Steve Kitzinger & Dean Jones. She is further survived by nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

• See 20, Van Deraa

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## Board Vacancies

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<https://oneida-nsn.gov/government/boards-committees-and-commissions/vacancies/>

Obtained or Submitted in person at:

Norbert Hill Center, 2nd Fl, N7210 Seminary Rd, Oneida WI 54155

Submitted by email:

[TribalSecretary@oneidation.org](mailto:TribalSecretary@oneidation.org)

Submitted by mail:

PO Box 365, Oneida WI 54155

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## Oneida Police Commission

(1) Vacancy to finish a term ending on July 31, 2021

### Qualifications:

- Must be an enrolled member of the Oneida Nation.
  - Must be twenty-five (25) years of age or older.
  - Must submit to a complete background investigation.
- The following would prohibit any person from serving on the Oneida Police Commission:

- o A felony conviction in the state of Wisconsin or any conviction of a crime in another state that would be considered a felony conviction if the offense and adjudication occurred in the state of Wisconsin.
- o A felony arrest which results in a misdemeanor conviction due to a plea agreement.
- o A conviction of any ordinance violation that could bring discredit to the Commission.
- o Any Pardon issued by the Oneida Nation or the governor of any State, for an offense specified in section 1-4 (c) (3) (A)-(C) shall not deem a person as "exonerated" for the purpose of membership on the Oneida Police Commission.

- Must submit to drug testing prior to appointment and on an annual basis.
- Must not be an employee of the Oneida Police Department.
- Shall attend applicable training.
- Must be a person of known good standing in the community.

**Deadline: 4:30 PM on Friday, May 11, 2018**

## Oneida Nation Arts Board

(1) Vacancy

(1) Vacancy for a term ending on February 28, 2020

(1) Vacancy for a term ending on February 28, 2021

### Qualifications:

- A majority of the members shall be enrolled members of the Oneida Nation.
- Any vacancies which cause non-Tribal members to make up the majority of the Board shall be filled within three (3) months. If such vacancies are not filled within three (3) months, a sufficient number of non-Tribal board members shall be re-designated as alternates until Tribal members again make up a majority of the Board.
- When non-Tribal board members are to be re-designated as alternates, all such non-Tribal members shall first be invited to volunteer to serve as an alternate. If there are not sufficient volunteers, then the members that have served the shortest time on the Board shall be selected first.

**Deadline: 4:30 PM on Friday, May 11, 2018**

## Oneida Youth Leadership Institute Board

(3) Vacancies

(3) Vacancies for terms ending on June 30, 2021

### Qualifications:

- Be at least twenty-one (21) years old;
- Have a high school diploma, high school equivalency degree, or general education development certificate;
- Have fundraising experience and either a) experience in management, business administration, youth services or law, or b) a bachelor's degree;
- Have the ability to obtain a fiduciary bond; and
- Have the ability to exercise sound judgment in matters relating to OYLI's purpose.

**Deadline: 4:30 PM on Friday, May 11, 2018**

## Anna John Resident Centered Care Community Board (AJRCCC)

(2) Vacancies

(1) Vacancy for a term, for a term ending on July 31, 2021

### Qualifications:

- Be an enrolled member of the Oneida Nation.
- Reside in Brown or Outagamie County.
- Not be employed by the AJRCCC

**Deadline: 4:30 PM on Friday, May 11, 2018**

## Van Deraa, Lorraine J. 'Raynie' (cont. from pg. 19)

Raynie was preceded in death by her parents; her parents-in-law: Martin & Minnie (Sanderfoot) Van Deraa; her son: Darryl Van Deraa; her brother: Jerome Doxtator; her twin sister: Elaine Doxtator Radatz; her brothers-in-law: Robert Groh, Wayne O. Mattson, Donald, Marvin, James & Martin Van Deraa; and her sisters-in-law: Rose Ann (Don) Huben, Elizabeth (John) Schmitz.

Funeral service will be at 11:00AM on Friday, April 20, 2018 at the Church of the Holy Apostles Episcopal Parish (2937 Freedom Road) in Oneida with Vicar Rodger L. Patience officiating. Burial will be taking place at the Stockbridge Indian Cemetery in Summer. Friends may call at the Wieting Family Funeral Home (411 W. Main St.) in Chilton from 3:30PM

until 7:30PM on Thursday, April 19, 2018 and on Friday at the church from 9:00AM until 10:45AM. A prayer service will take place Thursday evening at the funeral home at the close of the visitation.

*A special thank you to the Calumet County Home Health, Anna John Resident Centered Care Community for the passionate care beyond words can say. Ultimately Michael Flood, M.D. and Oneida Community Health Care, who was with mom the whole journey of COPD and more. Norma K. Turk M.D., M.S. from Appleton Medial Center. Thank you all! The family of Lorraine J. "Raynie" Doxtator Van Deraa. It took a team.*

Online Condolences to Raynie can be expressed at [wietingfuneralhome.com](http://wietingfuneralhome.com)

## Oneida Gaming Commission

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### OGC Meeting Schedule

*Scheduled OGC Meetings are open to the public and begin at 9:00AM in the OGC Conference room*

### OGC Officers:

Matt Denny, Chairperson  
Mark Powless Sr., Vice-Chair  
Tom Danforth, Secretary  
Michelle Braaten, Commissioner

### Meeting Dates:

**April 23, 2018** (Rescheduled Mtg. 2:00PM)  
May 7, 2018  
May 21, 2018  
June 4, 2018  
June 18, 2018  
July 2, 2018  
July 16, 2018

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# Chairman's Forum



## Chairman's Forum

**Tehassi Tasi Hill**  
Chairman



**Shekoli,**

Although Mother Nature has been undecided on what she would like to do, rest assured, spring is here and summer will be here before we know it!

The global recognition of Earth Day is celebrated

this month and what better time to recognize how Oneida cares for mother earth every day. I'd like to take this opportunity to share how the Oneida Nation, through the efforts of countless employees and community members,

protect, preserve and enhance our natural resources and environment.

We maintain 28 natural areas made up of over 4000 acres, restore and enhance over 850 acres of wetland habitat, 230 acres of native prairie grassland and pollinator habitat with over 1000 acres of tree and shrub planting. We know water is life and Oneida uses agricultural best practices to protect water quality. Stream restoration efforts include Trout Creek where over 16,000 Brook Trout have been reintroduced since 2009 and barriers to fish passage have been removed resulting in over 215 miles of stream being accessible to fish. These

efforts, and many other accomplishments, were recognized by Pheasants Forever with an award earlier this year.

In a few short months, our beautiful community will be on full display as thousands of visitors and relatives from Turtle Island and beyond attend the 46th Annual Powwow scheduled for June 29th through July 1st and the Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic kicking off its second year on July 3rd.

Last year's LPGA event left a very good impression with not only those who are new to Oneida, but also with our neighbors from surrounding communities. The Greater Green Bay Convention &

Visitors Bureau and the LPGA Tournament owners both awarded Oneida Golf Enterprise Corporation with "Best Event/ Best Special Event" for 2017. In addition to sharing our community with the public eye, this event also brings an opportunity for economic growth for Oneida as our entities including the Oneida Casino, Radisson, Wingate and Oneida One Stops all experienced an increase in revenue during the LPGA event last year.

This is a very exciting time for Oneida Nation. We all love and recognize the beauty in our community and we have the opportunity to showcase all we have. From today un-

til the beginning of July, I personally invite each and every one of you to do your part in helping to clean and beautify our community. With that in mind, you may want to mark your calendars for an Earth Day event next month. Oneida will celebrate on Saturday, May 19 at Onlayote'a.ká Lake beginning at 9:00 am with a tree giveaway at 11:00 am.

Yawáko-

Be well and treat one another well.

Sa?nikuhlatsa-niht

(You have a strong mind)

**Chairman Tehassi Tasi Hill**

# Council Forum



**Kirby Metoxen**  
Councilman

**Shekoli,**

I wanted to say thank you to the new and improved clean sweep which is now called the

Tetwa'tohtalhos (Cleaning and Tidying Things Up) program. I am happy to see the community took advantage of this program and got their oversized garbage collections out to the curb.

**NCAI**

A lot has been happening and I am happy to report some good news. I recently attended the National Congress of American Indians (NCAI) Conference in Washington DC. We met with representatives from Senator Baldwin's office, Representative Gallagher's office, Representative Sensenbrenner's

office, Representative LaMalfa's office, and the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) about the Helping Expedite and Advance Responsible Tribal Home Ownership (HEARTH) Act. In 2012, with bipartisan support, Congress passed the HEARTH Act, which created a voluntary, alternative land leasing process available to Indian tribes by amending the Indian Long-Term Leasing Act of 1955. Under the HEARTH Act, once Tribal leasing regulations have been submitted and approved by the Secretary of Interior, Tribes are authorized to negoti-

ate and enter into leases without further approvals by the Secretary. The Oneida Nation submitted the initial Leasing Law to the BIA in 2015. After a lengthy review process, the Business Committee recently received notice that the Oneida Nation's Leasing Law has been approved. The Oneida Nation is awaiting publication in the Federal Register which would signify final approval. Oneida's Leasing Law will expedite the approval process for business, agricultural and residential leases.

**Carlisle**

The Carlisle Indian In-

dustrial School in Pennsylvania was established and operated by the BIA between 1879 and 1918. Many young Native American students, including those from the Oneida Nation, died of illness or disease while attending the school. The United States Army (Army) is working with the families and tribes to provide the option of disinterring and returning the family member at Army expense. Other options for families include correcting information on the headstone, repairing the headstone, and choosing perpetual care of the gravesite at its current lo-

cation by the Army. I am working with the Army to set up an information session in October 2018 for the families of the seven children that were buried at the Carlisle Barracks Post Cemetery.

**Oneida Airport Hotel Corporation**

On April 11, 2018, the Oneida Business Committee approved BC Resolution #04-11-18-C addressing a capital contribution to the Oneida Airport Hotel Corporation. The Oneida Airport Hotel Corporation has

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**Metoxen**

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determined that remodeling the exterior of the hotel to incorporate the design of the casino facilities will promote the partnership between the Oneida Airport Hotel Corporation and the Oneida Casino. I am excited that \$1.7 million from the Hotel Tax Funds will be used to further our tourism and hotel industries and that the building exterior will be remodeled in time for the 25-year anniversary celebration for the casino.

*Yaw^ko,*  
*Councilman Kirby*



Since 2013 the Sustain Oneida Initiative has published articles in the Kalihwisaks, hosted summits, community brown bag meetings, and met with community members to make the community aware of Oneida's declining blood quantum and to have dialogue about Oneida enrollment criteria.

There has been great conversation happening over the years, and the Trust Enrollment

**Your VOICE and OPINION matter!**

Committee believes the Oneida Nation is aware of the situation. However, dialogue has consistently ended with the question, "Where do we go from here?" There have been many ideas put on the table but nothing to show the opinions of the Nation overall. That is why a community survey is being sent to every eligible GTC voter to collect comprehensive community opinions about where we stand as a Nation on the topics of:

- Oneida Enrollment Criteria
- Benefits and Services
- Member/Citizen Responsibilities
- Moving forward for future planning

The collected data will be grouped together for further analysis and shared with the Oneida community. The survey will be mailed at the end of April, so keep your eyes open!

**Survey Participation**

This survey is being sent to all enrolled Oneida Nation members 18 years and older. Survey participation is voluntary; however, community input is crucial! Please share your voice! Survey responses will be collected and considered as a group, not individually. You will NOT be identified in the survey results. Your answers will remain anonymous and confidential.

**Prize Eligibility**

If you complete the survey and mail it by May 15, 2018, you will be entered into a random drawing to win an:

- Oneida Retail Gift Card valued at \$50 (20 gift cards available)

or

• Oneida Museum Gift Basket valued at \$50 (10 gift baskets available)

*Please note that Oneida Retail Gift Cards are considered taxable income.*

**Packers' Tiletown District saw 60K visitors this winter**

GREEN BAY, Wis. (AP) ~ The Green Bay Packers estimate more than 60,000 people used the Tiletown District park in its first few months of operation.

The 45-acre Tiletown District launched in late November, the Green Bay Press Gazette reported.

The 10-acre park and plaza includes a full-sized football field, an ice-skating pond, a snow-tubing hill, a 40-yard dash course, playgrounds and an activity strip with horseshoes, shuffleboard, table tennis and a bean-bag toss.

"It was a huge learning experience. We were happy with the people that came out and we got a lot of good feedback," said Jackie Krutz, Tiletown programs and events manager.

Officials may change the prices and ticketing options for some attractions based on feedback from visitors. The park has received requests for season passes, which were not available this year.

There were some

days where some of the attractions had to be closed because of the weather. The weather still took its toll when the park was open, said Charlie Millerwise, director of development and hospitality.

"Even on a cold day, if the sun's out, that ice is taking a beating," he said.

The Packers didn't program events during the inaugural winter season as officials observed the ebb and flow of the park. There will be events scheduled this summer and next winter, officials said.

"I think there will be some (programming) next winter, whether it be curling lessons or skating lessons or whatever it might be," Krutz said.

Monday community days were especially popular because of discounts that were offered throughout the area, she said.

Information from: Press-Gazette Media, <http://www.greenbay-pressgazette.com>

**Ernie Stevens III**

Presents

**"Crooked Arrows"**

Mr. Stevens is a member of the Oneida Nation of Wisconsin, and is an elected member of the Oneida Business Committee. He has over a decade of Marketing, communications, and multi-media production experience. As a self-proclaimed storyteller, Stevens focuses on developing creative and innovative content to build or improve brands, expand customer and market awareness, and deliver long term economic value. A recent recipient of the National Center for American Indian Enterprise Development's 40 Under 40 Award,

Stevens has been recognized on a national level for his efforts in Film, TV, Tourism and Media. In 2013, Stevens Co-produced the theatrically released film Crooked Arrows, and is developing other film and TV properties. Stevens is also a leader in the I-gaming industry having served as a VP of the Tribal Gaming Network. Before his election he served as Chief Marketing Officer for Magnum Integrated Marketing, a marketing agency serving gaming and hospitality properties worldwide. He is also a TV personality as the Host/Producer for the PBS show, Native Report.

Refreshments Provided

Wednesday, April 18, 2018  
5:30 - 7:30 p.m.  
W892 County HWY EE,  
De Pere, WI 54115  
(920) 869-6539



## ATTENTION

### 2018 Graduating Oneida High School Seniors

The Kalihwisaks is once again preparing to Honor

ALL 2018 graduating HIGH SCHOOL Seniors!

*A Special graduation section will be published in  
the June 21<sup>st</sup> 2018 issue in full color!*

*If you would like to be showcased in the  
Special High School graduate section of the  
Kalihwisaks, please submit by:*

**Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup> 2018**

The following information is needed

- One color photo (vertical preferred)
- Black & white is acceptable
- Name of graduating student
- Name of high school student will be graduating from.

*Please include a SASE (Self-Addressed Stamped  
Envelope) so photo can be mailed back to you.*

**Digital Photos Preferred**

*Attach photos to an email message and send to:*

**ykaquato@oneidanation.org**

Any special congratulatory messages will not be included in this section. You're welcome to purchase a **Good News** message to be included in this particular issue.

Class of  
**2018**

**Submission  
DEADLINE:  
Friday,  
May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

There is **no** guarantee that photos received **after the deadline** will be included in the Special Graduation Section. So, please adhere to the posted deadline and submit the requested information at your earliest convenience.

*Mail photos to:*

**c/o Kalihwisaks—Graduate Special  
P.O. Box 365 • Oneida, WI 54155**

***Walk-in Submissions will be accepted at:  
2701 W. Mason St. (Oneida Printing Building)  
until the posted deadline of  
4:30PM, Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018***

## Child Abuse Prevention Month

April is National Child Abuse Prevention Month



### Did you know?

"There are currently over 2.1 million American Indians and Alaska Natives (AI/AN) under the age of 24 living in the United States" (Center for Native American Youth 2014). We must continue to keep the culture and resiliency in our children alive and sacred. Each of us has the ability and responsibility to advocate for our families. So, please encourage the whole community – parents, children and elder's, to become involved in keeping our children and families safe and strong!

**Oneida Family Services . . . would like the community to come together to make sure our children are strong and resilient. We hope that by promoting healthy relationships between parents and children through activities, we can create awareness.**

### Here's What's Planned...

*Thursday, April 26<sup>th</sup> Prevention Glow Walk, 5-7pm*

- **At night**, walk together with the Oneida Singers as a community to promote resiliency and protective factors for our children and families. Social Dance and Food to follow.

*Glow Sticks for the walk are sponsored by Oneida TANF*

*Wear Blue Day (Kicked off on April 6<sup>th</sup>)*

- Wear blue to show your support for and awareness for Child Abuse Prevention Month and to keep our community Strong, Resilient and Indigenous.

*#Pinwheels4Prevention Campaign*

- Our plans are to 'illuminate' Oneida with pinwheels and have tags on them. On these pinwheels, children from the Oneida Nation Schools will express their thoughts on what it means to be strong and safe... We hope to create gardens of these around Oneida.

*Social Media Movement*

- Oneida Family Services will use **#Greatchildhoods** and **#strongresilientindigenous** to promote and provide information on parental resilience and the knowledge and importance of parent-child relationships. **Stay Tuned!**



**ONEIDA**

*Let's be a Nation  
focused on being  
Protective &  
Resilient for Our  
Children,  
Our People and  
Our Future...*



*Prevention Glow Walk*

*will be held at... Norbert Hill Center (Cafeteria), 5-7pm*

*N7210 Seminary Rd. | Oneida, WI 54155*

*Please call Larissa, (920) 490-3787 or Alebra, (920) 490-3700 for more information.*



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## Bill to Recognize Tribal ID Cards Signed into Law



Submitted photo

Wisconsin Governor Scott Walker, seated center, signed Senate Bill 488 which allows tribal id's to be used for more everyday activities such as buying alcohol and tobacco and picking up prescriptions. Oneida Business Committee members Ernie Stevens III, standing by the American flag, Daniel Guzman, white ribbon shirt, Chairman Tehassi Hill, second to right, and Vice Chairman Brandon Stevens, far right, were in attendance with other Wisconsin tribal leaders.

Madison ~ On Tuesday, April 3 Senate Bill 488, which allows the use of tribal identification cards for a variety of purposes, was signed into law by Governor Scott Walker. This bill came in response to discussions during the Special Committee on State-Tribal Relations and is authored by Senator Jerry Petrowski (R-Marathon) and Representative Jeffrey Mursau (R-Crivitz).

"Tribal ID's look and feel just like a Wisconsin driver's license and often require higher security to obtain," said Senator Petrowski. "This bill removes arbitrary barriers to tribal members by fi-

nally recognizing their identification cards for basic everyday activities."

Senate Bill 488 allows the use of tribal identification cards for picking up prescription medications, purchasing alcohol, purchasing cigarettes or tobacco products, selling scrap, selling antiques, and selling secondhand articles to a pawnbroker. The Federal Government already accepts a tribal identification card as an acceptable form of ID for passports and proof of identification for voting.

"As Chair of the State-Tribal relations committee, I've been working on this issue for a couple

of sessions," expressed Mursau. "Allowing the use of a Tribal ID is especially important for our elder tribal members who carry it as their only means of identification. I'm thankful to all the tribes who provided feedback and traveled to Madison over the years and advocated for these necessary changes to our state laws."

Also signed into law that was 2017 Wisconsin Act 222 which protects Indian mounds in Wisconsin as well as Native American burial sites.



# State report: Minority groups still face college barriers

By Tom James  
Associated Press

SALEM, Ore. (AP) ~ Minority groups still face barriers in paying for and completing degrees at Oregon's public colleges and universities, amid overall mixed results for college students and graduating high school seniors, according to a new state report.

Despite a slowly rising completion rate for college students statewide, the report released Monday by the Oregon Higher Educa-

tion Coordinating Commission identified what it called significant gaps especially along lines of race and ethnicity. Some groups in the report were as much as 40 percent less likely to graduate, and others were more likely to report financial difficulties.

"We must do better as a state at eliminating disparities and improving affordability and success for all students," said Ben Cannon, head of the commission, in a news release accompany-

ing the report Monday.

The report, which examined college completion rates and affordability, as well as other data, found completion rates differing significantly between racial and ethnic groups, with 66 percent of Asian American college students and 51 percent of white students graduating within six years, but only 45 percent of black students and 37 percent of Native American students managing the same.

Native American students

fared worst in graduation rates, and were 44 percent less likely than their Asian American peers to graduate on time, according to the report.

Statewide, affordability issues were more evenly spread, although still disparate, with Asian American and black students facing the largest gaps.

Black students were 10 percent more likely than white students to report financial hardship. Asian

Americans were 20 percent more likely than white students to report financial hardship.

The report followed other findings of racial disparities. A 2017 annual progress report by the commission found that graduation rates have generally fallen among Native American and black students, and have held steady for Hispanic students after a small rise. White students were the only group that saw a steady increase.

The same 2017 report painted a mixed picture of state schools overall. Completion rates for students who start bachelor's degrees have been slowly increasing statewide, up 3 percent from 2014. But the state remains below the national average for college attendance: fewer Oregon high school graduates entered college last year than at any point in the last five years, down nearly five percentage points from 2013.

## Melchert, Annette Marie (Cornelius)

May 18, 1959 – April 15, 2018

Annette Marie (Cornelius) Melchert began her journey to the spirit world on Sunday,



April 15, 2018 surrounded by her friends at Manor Care Nursing Home. Annette was born on May 18, 1959 to the late Kenneth G. and Elaine Sylvia (Webster) Cornelius. She attended West De Pere High School and on November 4, 1978 she was united in marriage to Herman J. Melchert.

Annette lived life the way she wanted, full of fun and mayhem. She was a loving daughter, sister, aunt, and great aunt. She loved gambling, playing cards and board games, putting puzzles together and when she was younger camping with her mom and dad. Annette dedicated 11 years of her career to serving the Oneida Nation in a variety of jobs including Accounting Supervisor, Retail Management, Slot Technician, retiring in 2004. She also had a great sense of humor, she en-

joyed telling jokes and making people laugh.

Annette is survived by her siblings, Pat (Stanley) Moore, Kenneth Jr. (Darlene) Cornelius, Barbara J. Cornelius, Alan B. (Elaine) Cornelius and Cheryl A. Cornelius. She is further survived by her great-nieces, Santierra, Secquoia, and Tamiya. Annette leaves behind nieces and nephews, her step children, Laurie, John, Milton, Charlotte and Loretta; and several brothers- and sisters-in-law.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 23 years, Herman J. Melchert; her parents, Kenneth & Elaine Cornelius; siblings, Harvey, Sylvia, Karen, Geraldine, Darlene, Pamela and two infant brothers and several brothers- and sisters-in-law.

Visitation will be held at The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (N6135 Seminary Road, Oneida, WI), Monday, April 23, 2018 from 9AM to 11AM. The Oneida Singers will begin at 10:30

AM. A funeral service will follow at 11 AM. Burial will be in the Oneida Sacred Burial Grounds.

Annette's family would like to extend a special thank you to the DaVita Dialysis Center for their excellent care, and also their thanks and gratitude for the kind and caring services of the Staff at Manor Care Nursing Home, Prevea Heart and Vascular Clinic, Oneida Health Center, and Dr. Michael Flood. A very special thank you to her friends Edwina Jorgenson and Jackie Danforth, who were with her when she passed. Thank you Jackie for holding our dear sister tightly in your arms while she departed this world and started her spiritual journey.

Any food donation can be brought to the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints-Oneida Ward, Monday, April 23, 2018 after 9:0 AM. The family greatly appreciates your consideration and thoughtfulness.



**5<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL ERWIN F. COTTRELL**

## Memorial Golf Classic

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recognition at Meal</li> <li>Appreciation Gift</li> <li>Tee Signage</li> <li>2-Foursomes</li> <li>Banner on Course</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tee Signage on all par 3's (4 total)</li> <li>1-Foursome</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1-Foursome</li> <li>Tee Signage</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Company name &amp; Logo on tee signage</li> </ul>

For information email: Louis Cottrell at [lcottrel@oneidation.org](mailto:lcottrel@oneidation.org) or call Shawn Skenandore at (920) 371-6540

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Make checks payable to: Oneida Youth Leadership Institute/Erwin Cottrell Memorial Golf Classic  
Mail to: C/O Bay Bank, PO Box 10855, Green Bay, WI 54307

## Latí?shanalo·loks *They Gather the Names*

### Mailing Address

PO Box 365  
Oneida WI  
54155  
(920) 869-6200  
• 1-800-571-9902



### Greetings Tribal Members:

The Oneida Life Insurance Plan Plus (OLIPP) was originally approved in 2009 for all enrolled tribal members over the age of 18. The \$15,000 Term Life Insurance Policy can assist with your funeral/final expense. It's each enrolled member's responsibility to complete and submit the "Oneida Beneficiary Designation Form." Currently 5,177 members DO NOT have their beneficiary form turned in.



**Julie Denny  
Burial Program  
Coordinator**

IF YOU PASS AWAY WITH NO "ONEIDA BENEFICIARY DESIGNATION FORM" ON FILE-EPIC Life Insurance determines who gets your benefit proceeds based off a "naming sequence. I highly recommend you complete this form. The form can be found at [www.oneida-nsn.gov/resources/enrollments](http://www.oneida-nsn.gov/resources/enrollments) or call me at 920-869-6212 and I can mail the form. If you're not sure if you ever completed this form, call me.

SPECIAL ATTENTION—IF YOU HAVE NO BENEFICIARY FORM ON FILE AND PASS AWAY, AND YOUR MARITAL STATUS IS "SINGLE," AND YOU HAVE SURVIVING MINOR CHILD(REN), THERE WILL BE "NO" MONIES AVAILABLE TO PAY YOUR FUNERAL/FINAL EXPENSES. In these cases, the entire \$15,000 will go to the minor child(ren)

surviving parent/guardian. According to the Uniform Transfer to Minor's Act, the surviving parent/guardian is to spend the benefit proceeds on the child(ren) and NOT use it to pay for your funeral expenses. Now you undoubtedly will place a financial hardship on your family to pay your funeral costs. If you fall into this category, it's very important to have a beneficiary form on file.

# Only you can determine you end of life wishes

calls us directly.

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**NOW IS THE TIME TO START PRE-PLANNING YOUR FINAL WISHES -** We created our own funeral planner entitled "Aklihwá·ke" which translates to "A person writing what their wishes are to be". This document is on our website or I can send you a copy.

**WHAT DO I DO WHEN A LOVED ONE PASSES AWAY?** It's recommended a family member contact Oneida Trust Enrollment Department so our department can assist/guide you through the OLIPP process.

**FILING THE OLIPP CLAIM TAKES TIME -** If the deceased member designated a primary beneficiary, the process goes smoother. The process goes even faster if you "check that box" in Section B: designating Oneida Trust Enrollment to request payment of your funeral expenses. This ensures funeral expenses get paid out first by EPIC Life Insurance and any unspent monies will go your primary beneficiary (ies). If no beneficiary form is on file at the time of your passing, then filing the claim takes longer.

**NEXT IMPORTANT STEP IS SELECT A FUNERAL HOME -** You want to inform funeral home director your loved one has a life insurance policy to assist with funeral/final expenses AND you need to inquire if funeral home requires full burial payment up front. Some out of state funeral homes won't perform a burial until payment is received.

**WHAT IS THE BENEFICIARY'S ROLE -** The Primary beneficiary's role is to ensure the funeral/final expenses get paid and are the only person(s) who should be signing the final funeral home invoice/Assignments. I recommend you communicate with your primary beneficiary(ies) so they know it's their responsibility to ensure burial/final expenses are paid.

**WHAT IF THE FAMILY DOESN'T KNOW WHO BENEFICIARY IS?** Our office will release the beneficiary (ies) name(s) to the Funeral Home Director or we can confirm if the beneficiary



### **My Contact Information**

If you have questions over the Oneida Cemetery, Oneida Life Insurance Plan Plus (OLIPP) or the Children's Burial Fund, please contact me at:  
•920-869-6212  
or cell #920-606-3944  
for funeral related business after normal business hours  
•email me at [jdenny@oneidanation.org](mailto:jdenny@oneidanation.org) or you can call me TOLL-FREE at 800-571-9902

We want to include your **Owi-láse?** (pronounced oh-we-las which means "new baby" in Oneida)



If you have a birth announcement please send it to the Kalihwisaks:  
PO Box 365  
Oneida, WI 54155  
or call Yvonne Kaquatosh at (920) 496-5631 for more information

There is **NO CHARGE** for birth announcements. If you would like to include a photo, please send a SASE with your submission. Make sure to include a phone number where you can be reached if any questions arise, please.

Please include:

- \* Baby's full name (F/M/L)
- \* D.O.B.
- \* Weight (lbs/oz) & Length (inches)
- \* Parents names
- \* Grandparents (both sides)
- \* Siblings (first names only)
- \* Indian Name of baby (if given and correct spelling)
- \* Indian Name meaning
- \* Person who gave Name



**Owi-láse?**

## Community Meeting- Pot Luck

The Legislative Operating Committee is holding a community meeting to collect thoughts and discuss options for the proposed Sanctions and Penalties Law.

The proposed Sanctions and Penalties law will establish a consistent set of sanctions and penalties for misconduct by elected and appointed officials, including members of the Oneida Business Committee.

To obtain a copy of the draft of the proposed Sanction and Penalties law please visit [www.oneida-nsn.gov/Register/PublicMeetings](http://www.oneida-nsn.gov/Register/PublicMeetings) or contact the Legislative Reference Office.

\*Please bring a dish to pass and utensils for yourself\*

**Topic:** Proposed Sanctions and Penalties Law

**Date:** May 3, 2018

**Time:** 5:00pm—7:30 pm

**Location:** Norbert Hill Center Cafeteria



Happy **18<sup>th</sup>** Birthday  
to our Angel on April 8  
**Honorí'a Mae**



Love, Mom, Dad, Sisters,  
Brothers, & Kingzlee



Happy **10<sup>th</sup>** Birthday  
We're wishing our precious angel a Very Happy 10th Birthday. We love you very much and are proud of you. Congratulations on your good grades at Leonardo da Vinci School.



Love you lots, Mom, Dad, Gavin, Elise, Old Gramma, Gramma Emmie, Gramma Sandi, Grandpa Jerry, and all your Lakota and Oneida family



Happy **1<sup>st</sup>** Birthday  
to our true blessing on April 7  
**Kingzlee Tyson**



Love, Grandma Crystal, Dad, Uncles, and Aunties

Happy Birthday **18<sup>th</sup>** **Deja**  
Wishing **Deja** a very Happy **18<sup>th</sup>** Birthday!



We're all proud of you and wish you the best as you graduate from high school and continue your life's journey. Congratulations for being on the honor roll and being accepted to UW Madison. You are forever in our hearts.

Lots of Love, Mom, Louis, Cade, Chloe, Cameron, Gramma Sandi, Laksot Jerry, and family



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Oneida Engineering Solutions (OES) has positions available for a Survey Crew Chief or Surveyor in both our Milwaukee and Madison offices.

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Oneida Engineering Solutions (OES) delivers full-service transportation design, construction management, survey, and natural resource services. Our primary clients are WisDOT, counties, municipalities and private developers in Wisconsin as well as the Illinois Tollway.

Please apply online on our Career Opportunities page at [www.oesllc.com](http://www.oesllc.com) or send your cover letter and resume to:

Oneida Engineering Solutions – Human Resources  
1033 N. Mayfair Road, Suite 200  
Milwaukee, WI 53226  
[hrdept@oesllc.com](mailto:hrdept@oesllc.com)  
Fax 414-777-5899

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Veterans*

**Job Responsibilities:**

- Performing field surveys on a one or two-person survey crew. Field surveys include construction staking, topographic and boundary surveys using a robotic total station and GPS equipment
- Field and office computations
- Researching public records
- Completion of right of way plats

**Minimum Qualifications:**

- Proficient in the use of robotic total station and GPS
- Good organizational skills
- Ability to read and prepare documents relating to construction layout
- Ability to work independently and with others
- A valid driver's license
- Associates Degree preferred, but not required
- Minimum 2 years experience working as a survey crew chief preferred, but not required

The ideal candidate will have a desire to work primarily in the field and is highly motivated to achieve registration as a professional land surveyor. Current registration as a professional land surveyor preferred, but not required. Experience with Civil 3D, WisDOT surveys, and right of way plats also a plus but not a requirement. More experienced survey professionals that would be interested in a Group Manager role are also encouraged to apply.

**Transportation Engineer – Madison and Milwaukee, WI Offices**

OES has immediate openings for transportation engineers in both our Madison and Milwaukee offices.

OES currently has a solid backlog of transportation projects and is looking to expand its design and construction engineering staff. This engineering position offers an excellent opportunity for rapid promotions and upward mobility within a growing firm.

Entry level engineers and more experienced transportation designers and construction engineers are encouraged to apply.

**Job Responsibilities:**

- Design of transportation facilities including urban roadways, rural highways, and interchanges
- Development of all aspects of roadway plans including plan/profile sheets, cross sections, typical sections, construction details, storm sewer, construction staging, quantities, and special provisions
- Preparation of miscellaneous documents such as pavement design reports, environmental documents, agency coordination, cost estimates and hazardous materials reports
- Attend and participate in meetings with clients and the general public
- Work cooperatively with other engineers, project managers and technicians
- Assist with construction inspection of transportation projects including record keeping and documentation

**Minimum Qualifications:**

- Bachelor's Degree in Civil Engineering
- Desire to work on transportation related

design and construction projects  
• Familiarity with Civil 3D roadway design software is desirable but not required

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Fax 414-777-5899

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**PUBLIC NOTICE:*****Changes to Payment Location for Tribal Citations & Judgements***

The Environmental Resource Board (ERB) hereby gives notice that our hearing authority shall transfer to the Oneida Judiciary Trial Court on **Monday, January 01, 2018**. Due to the transfer of hearing authority payment for citations and judgements will change.

**If you receive a judgement or citation:** Citations titled ***“Oneida Conservation Citation”*** that are heard before the Environmental Resource Board shall continue to be paid at the Oneida Conservation Department located at: N8047 County Road U, Oneida WI, 54144. Questions, please call Conservation at (920) 869-6500.

Citations titled ***“Oneida Nation Citation”*** that are heard before the Oneida Judiciary Trial Court shall be paid at: 2630 West Mason Street, Green Bay, WI 54303. Questions, please call (920) 496-7200.

Question related to changes with these laws please call Chad Wilson, Project Manager/Environmental Resource Board at (920) 496-5361, e-mail: [cwilson1@oneidanation.org](mailto:cwilson1@oneidanation.org) or come to our office located at Ridgeview Plaza 3759 W. Mason St. Suite 6, Oneida, WI 54155.

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## WOMEN

**Are you a woman?  
Starting or have a job and  
you need work  
appropriate clothing?  
Can't afford brand new  
work clothes?**

Come to the YWCA of Green Bay's Women's Closet. This program provides work-appropriate clothing for low-income women who are seeking employment, in a new job or going to school.

Women may visit the Closet four (4) times per year or when they are newly hired for a job.

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**Tuesdays: 1:00–4:00P.M.**  
**Wednesdays: 3:00–6:00P.M.**  
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Donations accepted.  
FMI contact Dana Letizia,  
Coordinator, at  
**(920) 432-5581, #127**

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Any old non-working appliance that you cannot remove yourself, I'll remove for free. Will pick up old washers, dryers, freezers, stoves, fridges, woodstoves, water heaters, furnace, air conditioners, humidifiers, lawn mowers, riders, old bikes, snow blowers, car batteries, anything metal that you want gone from your home. Call Bobby to make an appt. at **920-370-8835**. 8A.M.–5 P.M., M-F.

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## FOR SALE

2 white glass end tables matching sofa table; kitchen table w/4 chairs; and electric dryer. FMI: **920-615-9006**.

New (in the box) Women's Nike Revolution Shoe. Sz. 10 M. Were \$55, selling for \$20. FMI: **(920) 337-0873**.

White Vinyl Fence, \$300, 30" wide x 4' high. 12 sections includes post and gate Work Bench w/drawers, 73 x 24, \$75

Call: **920-470-7248**.

## FREE

FREE Guinea Pig. Comes with cage and food.  
Call: **(920) 265-6841**.

## FOR SALE

Swing arm lamp set. (Floor and table) Bronze finish, light tan lamp shades. \$45  
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## FOR SALE

Desk, 55w x 23, \$25; Dresser, 5 drawers, \$35; Cabinet, 4 drawers & shelf, \$45  
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## Student Success Outreach Coordinator

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For more information visit:

<http://jobs.hr.wisc.edu/cw/en-us/job/497819/student-success-outreach-coordinator>

## Oneida Tribe

### Employment Opportunities



The following positions are open to **ALL Applicants:**

Position Title	Department	Closing Date
Accounting Manager	Central Accounting	Until Filled
Attorney	Law Office	Until Filled
Dental Assistant	Dental	Until Filled
Intake Supervisor	Behavioral Health	Until Filled
Seamstress	Gaming Employee Services	Until Filled

**\*Open to ENROLLED Tribal Members ONLY:**

Position Title	Department	Closing Date
Clerk of Family Court	Oneida Judiciary	Until Filled
Mail Clerk	Mail Center	Until Filled
Media Specialist Post Graduate Trainee	Intergovernmental Affairs	Until Filled
Project Manager	Elderly Services	Until Filled

For a complete listing of positions and job description please visit our website at:

<http://www.oneidanation.org/humanresources/employment.aspx>

Or call: **920-496-7000** or the Job Line at: **1-800-236-7050**

## Joining Our Team just got easier!



You can now apply from the comfort of your computer. Thornberry Creek at Oneida has upgraded the employment application process to only accept applications online from our website.

**We are now accepting applications online for the following positions:**

- Bartender – Part-time
- Banquet Captain – Part-time
- Banquet Server & Setup – Part-time
- Busser – Part-time
- Groundskeeper – Seasonal
- Golf Guest Services – Seasonal

• Golf Refreshment Cart Hostess – Part-time

• Hostess – Part-time

• Line Cook – Part-time

• Server – Part-time

• Steward (Dishwasher) – Part-time

To apply for a position, go to:  
[www.GolfThornberry.com](http://www.GolfThornberry.com)

Click on "Employment" at bottom of page,

- Select from positions available
- Complete the requested fields
- Submit Application!

Any questions, please call:  
**920-434-7501 ext. 111**

## OBC Meeting Results

The full version of the Oneida Business Committee (OBC) minutes can be accessed at [oneida-nsn.gov](http://oneida-nsn.gov) or by contacting the OBC Secretary's office at 920-869-4451.

### Executive Session

8:30 a.m. Tuesday, March 27, 2018

Executive Conference Room, 2nd floor,  
Norbert Hill Center

### Regular Meeting

8:30 a.m. Wednesday, March 28, 2018,

BC Conference Room, 2nd floor,  
Norbert Hill Center

### EXECUTIVE SESSION:

**Present:** Chairman Tehassi Hill, Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens, Council members: David P. Jordan, Kirby Metoxen, Jennifer Webster;

**Not Present:** Secretary Lisa Summers, Treasurer Trish King, Councilmembers: Daniel Guzman King and Ernie Stevens III

### REGULAR MEETING

**Present:** Chairman Tehassi Hill, Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens, Council members: David P. Jordan, Kirby Metoxen, Ernie Stevens III, Jennifer Webster;

**Not Present:** Secretary Lisa Summers, Treasurer Trish King, Councilman Daniel Guzman King

**I. Call to Order and Roll Call** by Chairman Tehassi Hill at 8:30 a.m.

**For the record:** Secretary Lisa Summers and Treasurer Trish King are out on approved travel. Councilman Daniel Guzman King is out on funeral leave.

**II. OPENING** by Chairman Tehassi Hill

### III. Adopt the Agenda

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt the agenda with the six (6) noted additions [1] VI.E. Adopt resolution regarding Third Amendment and the Amended and Re-stated Revolving Credit Note of the Oneida Nation, 2) VI. F. Adopt resolution entitled FY 2018 ANA Social and Economic Development Strategies (SEDS), 3) VIII. I. Appoint one (1) applicant to Bay Bancorporation Inc – Board of Directors, 4) XV.F.12. Review application(s) for one (1) vacancy – Bay Bancorporation Inc., 5) XV.F.13. Review concern # 2018-CC-01 and determine next steps, 6) XV.F.14. Accept materials regarding Bank of America N.A. credit agreement - file # 2012-0027 for the record], seconded by Brandon Stevens. Motion carried unanimously.

**IV. OATHS OF OFFICE** – administered by Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens

**A. Southeastern Oneida Tribal Services Advisory Board** – Kathryn LaRoque

### V. Minutes

*A. Approve March 1, 2018, quarterly reports meeting minutes*

**Sponsor:** Lisa Summers, Secretary  
Motion by Jennifer Webster to approve the March 1, 2018, quarterly reports meeting minutes, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

*B. Approve March 14, 2018, regular meeting minutes*

**Sponsor:** Lisa Summers, Secretary  
Motion by David P. Jordan to approve the March 14, 2018, regular meeting minutes, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried unanimously.

### VI. RESOLUTIONS

*A. Adopt resolution entitled Rescinding Resolution # BC-7-5-06-C*

**Sponsor:** Pat Pelky, Division Director/  
Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-A Rescinding Resolution # BC-7-5-06-C, seconded by Brandon Stevens. Motion carried unanimously.

*B. Adopt eighteen (18) fee-to-trust application resolutions*

**Sponsor:** Pat Pelky, Division Director/Environmental, Health, Safety, & Land

*1. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at 2706 Hazelwood Lane*

Motion by Brandon Stevens to adopt resolution 03-28-18-B Fee To Trust application for property located at 2706 Hazelwood Lane, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

*2. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at 2795 Hazelwood Lane*

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-C Fee To Trust application for property located at 2795 Hazelwood Lane, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried unanimously.

*3. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at 1350 Mirage Drive*

Motion by Ernie Stevens III to adopt resolution 03-28-18-D Fee To Trust application for property located at 1350 Mirage Drive,

seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously.

*4. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at N5894 Lambie Road*

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to adopt resolution 03-28-18-E Fee To Trust application for property located at N5894 Lambie Road, seconded by Brandon Stevens. Motion carried unanimously.

*5. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at N6544 Seminary Road*

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-F Fee To Trust application for property located at N6544 Seminary Road, seconded by Ernie Stevens III. Motion carried unanimously.

*6. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at 2201 Shamrock Lane*

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-G Fee To Trust application for property located at 2201 Shamrock Lane, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

*7. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at 602 Florist Drive*

Motion by Ernie Stevens III to adopt resolution 03-28-18-H Fee To Trust application for property located at 602 Florist Drive, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

*8. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at N6433 County Road E*

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-I Fee To Trust application for property located at N6433 County Road E, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

*9. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at 2680 Oakwood Drive*

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-J Fee To Trust application for property located at 2680 Oakwood Drive, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried unanimously.

*10. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at N5899 Moore Road*

Motion by Brandon Stevens to adopt resolution 03-28-18-K Fee To Trust application for property located at N5899 Moore Road,

seconded by Ernie Stevens III. Motion carried unanimously.

*11. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at 2105 Ninth Street*

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-L Fee To Trust application for property located at 2105 Ninth Street, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried unanimously.

*12. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at 3053 Ferndale Drive*

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to adopt resolution 03-28-18-M Fee To Trust application for property located at 3053 Ferndale Drive, seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously.

*13. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at N5875 Moore Road*

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-N Fee To Trust application for property located at N5875 Moore Road, seconded by Ernie Stevens III. Motion carried unanimously.

*14. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at N6159 Lambie Road*

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to adopt resolution 03-28-18-O Fee To Trust application for property located at N6159 Lambie Road, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

*15. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at 2713 Klee Street*

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-P Fee To Trust application for property located at 2713 Klee Street, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

*16. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at 2070 Oakwood Drive*

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-Q Fee To Trust application for property located at 2070 Oakwood Drive, seconded by Brandon Stevens. Motion carried unanimously.

*17. Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at W327 Fish Creek Road*

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18. *Adopt resolution entitled Fee To Trust application for property located at 3045 Ferndale Drive*

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-S Fee To Trust application for property located at 3045 Ferndale Drive, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

C. *Adopt resolution entitled Supporting Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council's Application for Tribal Public Health Capacity Building and Quality Improvement Umbrella Cooperative Agreement CDC-RFA-OT18-1803 and approve the related correspondence*

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

Motion by Brandon Stevens to adopt resolution 03-28-18-T Supporting Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council's Application for Tribal Public Health Capacity Building and Quality Improvement Umbrella Cooperative Agreement CDC-RFA-OT18-1803, seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously.

D. *Adopt resolution entitled Reprogramming Duck Creek Litigation Self-Governance Carryover Funds to Litigation in the Oneida Nation v. Village of Hobart, Wisconsin (Big Apple Fest) Case*

**Sponsor:** Nathan King, Director/ Intergovernmental Affairs and Communications

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-U Reprogramming Duck Creek Litigation Self-Governance Carryover Funds to Litigation in the Oneida Nation v. Village of Hobart, Wisconsin (Big Apple Fest) Case, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

E. *Adopt resolution regarding Third Amendment and the Amended and Restated Revolving Credit Note of the Oneida Nation*

**Sponsor:** Larry Barton, Chief Financial Officer

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-V Adoption of Third Amendment and the Amended and Restated Revolving Credit Note of the Oneida Nation, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried unanimously.

F. *Adopt resolution entitled FY 2018 ANA Social and Economic Development Strategies (SEDS)*

**Sponsor:** George Skenandore, Division Director/Governmental Services

Motion by Jennifer Webster to adopt resolution 03-28-18-W FY 2018 ANA Social and Economic Development Strategies (SEDS), seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried unanimously.

### VII. STANDING COMMITTEES

#### A. Community Development Planning Committee

**Chair:** Ernie Stevens III, Councilman

1. Approve February 8, 2018, Community Development Planning Committee meeting minutes

Motion by Brandon Stevens to approve the February 8, 2018, Community Development Planning Committee meeting minutes, seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously.

*Councilman Ernie Stevens III departs at 9:28 a.m.*

*Councilman Ernie Stevens III returns at 9:30 a.m.*

#### B. Finance Committee

**Chair:** Trish King, Treasurer

1. Approve March 19, 2018, Finance Committee meeting minutes

Motion by David P. Jordan to approve the March 19, 2018, Finance Committee meeting minutes, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried unanimously.

#### C. Legislative Operating Committee

**Chair:** David P. Jordan, Councilman

*Chairman Tehassi Hill departs at 9:43 a.m.*

*Chairman Tehassi Hill returns at 9:49 a.m.*

1. Accept Children's Code Implementation quarterly update

Motion by Jennifer Webster to accept the Children's Code Implementation quarterly update, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

#### D. Quality of Life Committee

**Chair:** Brandon Stevens, Vice-Chairman

1. Approve February 15, 2018, Quality of Life Committee meeting minutes

Motion by Brandon Stevens to approve the February 15, 2018, Quality of Life Committee meeting minutes, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

*Councilwoman Jennifer Webster departs at 9:57 a.m.*

*Councilwoman Jennifer returns at 10:00 a.m.*

### VIII. APPOINTMENTS

A. *Appoint one (1) applicant to Oneida Police Commission for remainder of term ending July 31, 2021*

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

Motion by Brandon Stevens to re-notice one (1) vacancy on the Oneida Police Commission for remainder of term ending July 31, 2021, seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously.

B. *Appoint one (1) applicant to Oneida Pow-wow Committee*

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

Motion by Jennifer Webster to accept the Chairman's selection and appoint Jeremy King to the Oneida Pow-wow Committee, seconded by Ernie Stevens III. Motion carried unanimously.

C. *Appoint one (1) applicant to Anna John Resident Centered Care Community Board and approve request to re-post one (1) vacancy*

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

Motion by David P. Jordan to appoint Candace House to the Anna John Resident Centered Care Community Board; and to re-post one (1) vacancy, seconded by Brandon Stevens. Motion carried unanimously.

D. *Appoint one (1) applicant to Oneida Environmental Resource Board*

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

Motion by Jennifer Webster to accept the Chairman's selection and appoint Megan White to the Oneida Environmental Resource Board, seconded by Brandon Stevens. Motion carried unanimously.

E. *Appoint one (1) applicant to Oneida Land Commission for remainder of term ending August 31, 2018*

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

Motion by Brandon Stevens to accept the Chairman's selection and appoint Michael Mousseau to the Oneida Land Commission for the remainder of the term ending August 31, 2018, seconded by Ernie Stevens III. Motion carried unanimously.

F. *Appoint one (1) applicant to Oneida Personnel Commission*

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

Motion by Jennifer Webster to accept the Chairman's selection and appoint Donna Richmond to the Oneida Personnel Commission, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried unanimously.

G. *Appoint one (1) applicant to Oneida Nation Arts Board*

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to accept the Chairman's selection and appoint Susan Danforth to the Oneida Nation Arts Board, seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously.

H. *Appoint one (1) applicant to Oneida Airport Hotel Corporation – Board of*

#### Directors

**Sponsor:** Lisa Summers, Secretary  
Motion by Jennifer Webster to defer to the next Business Committee Meeting. Motion fails for lack of support.

Motion by David P. Jordan to go into executive session at 10:10 a.m., seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by David P. Jordan to come out of Executive Session at 10:24 a.m., seconded by Kirby Metoxen.

Motion by Ernie Stevens III to appoint Kateri Baker to the Oneida Airport Hotel Corporation – Board of Directors for a term ending a remainder of a term ending January 31, 2020, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried unanimously.

I. *Appoint one (1) applicant to Bay Bancorporation Inc. – Board of Directors*

**Sponsor:** David P. Jordan, Councilman  
No action taken on this item; motion to appoint made under item XV.F.12.

### IX. TABLED BUSINESS

(No Requested Action)

### X. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

(No Requested Action)

### XI. NEW BUSINESS

A. *Approve Economic Diversification and Community Development fund use – Retail Enterprise market study – \$22,500*

**Sponsor:** Troy Parr, Division Director/Community and Economic Development  
Motion by Jennifer Webster to approve Economic Diversification and Community Development fund use – Retail Enterprise market study – \$22,500, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

B. *Approve limited waiver of sovereign immunity – Wisconsin Online Record Check System term and conditions – file # 2018-0253*

**Sponsor:** George Skenandore, Division Director/Governmental Services

Motion by Jennifer Webster to approve limited waiver of sovereign immunity – Wisconsin Online Record Check System term and conditions – file # 2018-0253, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

C. *Accept notice regarding requested amendments to Internal Audit law regarding recognition of Judiciary independence and support request for Leg-*

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Legislative Operating Committee to make appropriate amendments to Internal Audit law

**Sponsor:** Brandon Stevens, Vice-Chairman  
Motion by Brandon Stevens to accept notice regarding requested amendments to Internal Audit law regarding recognition of Judiciary independence and support request for Legislative Operating Committee to make appropriate amendments to Internal Audit law, seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously.

### XII. TRAVEL

#### A. TRAVEL REPORTS

1. Approve travel report – Secretary Lisa Summers and Councilman Kirby Metoxen – 2018 NCAI-Executive Council Winter Session – Washington DC – February 11-15, 2018

Motion by Jennifer Webster to approve the travel report from Secretary Lisa Summers and Councilman Kirby Metoxen regarding travel to the 2018 NCAI-Executive Council Winter Session – Washington DC – February 11-15, 2018, seconded by Ernie Stevens III. Motion carried with one abstention:  
Ayes: David P. Jordan, Brandon Stevens, Ernie Stevens III, Jennifer Webster  
Abstained: Kirby Metoxen

#### B. TRAVEL REQUESTS

1. Approve travel request – Councilman Kirby Metoxen – US SIF 8th Annual Conference – Washington DC – May 20-June 2, 2018

Motion by Jennifer Webster to approve the travel request for Councilman Kirby Metoxen to attend the US SIF 8th Annual Conference – Washington DC – May 30-June 2, 2018, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried with one abstention:  
Ayes: David P. Jordan, Brandon Stevens, Ernie Stevens III, Jennifer Webster  
Abstained: Kirby Metoxen

2. Approve travel request – Councilman Ernie Stevens III – Heating the Midwest 2018 Conference & Expo – Carlton, MN – April 20-May 3, 2018

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to approve the travel request for Councilman Ernie Stevens III to attend the Heating the Midwest 2018 Conference & Expo – Carlton, MN – April 30-May 3, 2018, seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously:

3. Approve travel request – Councilman Daniel Guzman King – U.S.E.P.A. Region 5 Tribal Operations Committee Meeting – New Buffalo, MI – April 24-26, 2018

Motion by Ernie Stevens III to approve the travel request for Councilman Daniel Guzman King to attend the U.S.E.P.A. Region 5 Tribal Operations Committee Meeting – New Buffalo, MI – April 24-26, 2018, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

4. Approve travel request in accordance with Oneida Travel and Expense Policy – Six (6) Oneida Nation Child Support Agency staff members – National Tribal Child Support Association Conference – Prior Lake, MN – June 10-14, 2018

**Sponsor:** George Skenandore, Division Director/Governmental Services  
Motion by Jennifer Webster to approve the travel request in accordance with Oneida Travel and Expense Policy for six (6) Oneida Nation Child Support Agency staff members to attend the National Tribal Child Support Association Conference – Prior Lake, MN – June 10-14, 2018, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

5. Retro-approve travel request – Councilmen Daniel Guzman King and Ernie Stevens III – Tribal Caucus and Inter-tribal Criminal Justice Council meetings – Baraboo, WI – March 21-22, 2018

Motion by David P. Jordan to retro-approve the travel request for Councilmen Daniel Guzman King and Ernie Stevens III to attend the Tribal Caucus and Inter-tribal Criminal Justice Council meetings – Baraboo, WI – March 21-22, 2018, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried unanimously:

6. Enter e-poll results into the record in accordance with OBC SOP entitled Conducting Electronic Voting:

**Sponsor:** Lisa Summers, Secretary  
a) Failed travel request – Councilmen Daniel Guzman King and Ernie Stevens III – Tribal Caucus and Inter-tribal Criminal Justice Council meetings – Baraboo, WI – March 21-22, 2018

Motion by Jennifer Webster to enter the e-poll results into the record regarding the failed travel request for Councilmen Daniel Guzman King and Ernie Stevens III to attend the Tribal Caucus and Inter-tribal Criminal Justice Council meetings – Baraboo, WI – March 21-22, 2018, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried unanimously.

### XIII. OPERATIONAL REPORTS

(No Requested Action)

### XIV. GENERAL TRIBAL COUNCIL

A. Schedule reconvened March 19, 2018, special GTC meeting for May 12, 2018 at 10:00 a.m.

**Sponsor:** Lisa Summers, Secretary  
Motion by Jennifer Webster to schedule the reconvened March 19, 2018, special GTC meeting for May 12, 2018 at 10:00 a.m., seconded by Brandon Stevens. Motion carried unanimously.

Councilman David P. Jordan departs at 10:53 a.m.

Councilman David P. Jordan returns at 10:55 a.m.

Councilman Kirby Metoxen departs at 10:56 a.m.

Councilman Kirby Metoxen returns at 10:58 p.m.

### XV. EXECUTIVE SESSION

#### A. REPORTS

1. Accept Chief Counsel report – Jo Anne House, Chief Counsel

Motion by Brandon Stevens to accept the Chief Counsel report dated March 27, 2018, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Brandon Stevens to approve focus on Option 1 and authorize Option 2 as an alternative as identified in the March 26, 2018, memo from Attorney Collins, seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Brandon Stevens to direct the Comprehensive Health Division to bring back monthly reports on negotiations, seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Brandon Stevens to direct the Comprehensive Health and Governmental Services Divisions to work together to provide appropriate notices and updates to the affected membership, seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously.

2. Accept Intergovernmental Affairs and Communications report – Nathan King, Director/ Intergovernmental Affairs and Communications

Motion by Jennifer Webster to accept the Intergovernmental Affairs and Communications report, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Jennifer Webster to approve the Memorandum of Understanding between the Oneida Nation and State of Wisconsin, Department of Public Instruction, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously:

Motion by Jennifer Webster to approve the travel request for either Chairman Hill or Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens to provide testimony in Washington DC during the second week of May 2018, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried with one abstention:

Ayes: David P. Jordan, Kirby Metoxen, Ernie Stevens III, Jennifer Webster

Abstained: Brandon Stevens

3. Accept Gaming General Manager report – Louise Cornelius, General Manager/ Gaming

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to accept the Gaming General Manager report, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

### B. STANDING ITEMS

#### 1. LAND CLAIMS STRATEGY

(No Requested Action)

#### 2. ONEIDA GOLF ENTERPRISE CORPORATION – LADIES PROFESSIONAL GOLF ASSOCIATION

a) Accept Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic March 2018 report

Motion by Brandon Stevens to accept the Thornberry Creek LPGA Classic March 2018 report, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried unanimously.

#### C. AUDIT COMMITTEE

(No Requested Action)

#### D. TABLED BUSINESS

(No Requested Action)

#### E. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Review complaint # 2018-DR09-01

**Sponsor:** Lisa Summers, Secretary  
Motion by David P. Jordan to assign to Chairman Tehassi Hill, Treasurer Trish King, and Councilman Kirby Metoxen to investigate complaint # 2018-DR09-01, seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried with one abstention:

Ayes: David P. Jordan, Brandon Stevens, Ernie Stevens III, Jennifer Webster  
Abstained: Kirby Metoxen

a) Accept Chief Financial Officer report regarding "Land Mortgage" funds  
**EXCERPT FROM MARCH 14, 2018: (1) Motion by David P. Jordan to defer complaint # 2018-DR09-01 to the March 14, 2018, Oneida Business Committee meeting,**

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seconded by Ernie Stevens III. Motion carried unanimously. (2) Motion by Jennifer Webster to direct Finance to come back to the March 28, 2018, Oneida Business Committee meeting with a report on the "Land Mortgage" funds to include the current authorities and a recommended remedy, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried unanimously.

( Motion, as stated, included the date of "March 14, 2018"; this date was amended to "March 28, 2018" by subsequent motion.)

Motion by Ernie Stevens III to accept the Chief Financial Officer report regarding "Land Mortgage" funds, seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously. Amendment to the main motion by Brandon Stevens that an update on the Chief Financial Officers recommendation be provided at the April 11, 2018 regular Business Committee Meeting, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously. Motion by Brandon Stevens to make "Land Mortgage funds authorities" a Standing Item in executive session until final decision is made, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

### F. NEW BUSINESS

1. Accept Opioid Litigation presentation as information

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill

Motion by Brandon Stevens to accept the Opioid Litigation presentation as information and direct the law office to review the materials and bring back a recommendation on the next steps, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

2. Review application(s) for vacant term ending July 31, 2021 – Oneida Police Commission

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

No action taken on this item.

3. Review application(s) for one (1) vacancy – Oneida Pow Wow Committee

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

No action taken on this item.

4. Review application(s) for two (2) vacancies – Anna John Resident Centered Care Community Board

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

No action taken on this item.

5. Review application(s) for one (1) vacancy – Oneida Environmental Resource Board

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

No action taken on this item.

6. Review application(s) for vacant term ending August 31, 2018 – Oneida

Land Commission

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

No action taken on this item.

7. Review application(s) for one (1) vacancy – Oneida Personnel Commission

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

No action taken on this item.

8. Review application(s) for one (1) vacancy – Oneida Nation Arts Board

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

No action taken on this item.

9. Review application(s) for one (1) vacancy – Oneida Airport Hotel Corporation – remainder of term ending January 31, 2020

**Sponsor:** Lisa Summers, Secretary

No action taken on this item.

10. Approve four (4) actions regarding 2020 North American Indigenous Games

**Sponsor:** Brandon Stevens, Vice-Chairman  
Motion by Jennifer Webster to support the four (4) requests listed in the memorandum dated February 12, 2018, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously. Motion by Jennifer Webster to appoint Vice-Chairman Brandon Stevens as the Oneida Tribal Representative, seconded by Kirby Metoxen. Motion carried with one abstention:

Ayes: David P. Jordan, Kirby Metoxen, Ernie Stevens III, Jennifer Webster

Abstained: Brandon Stevens

11. Assign Councilman Kirby Metoxen to the OBC Sub-committee to investigate complaint # 2018-DR04-01 remove Councilman David P. Jordan from the Sub-committee

**Sponsor:** David P. Jordan, Councilman

Motion by Jennifer Webster to assign Councilman Kirby Metoxen to the OBC Sub-committee to investigate complaint # 2018-DR04-01 and to remove Councilman David P. Jordan from the Sub-committee, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried with one abstention:

Ayes: David P. Jordan, Brandon Stevens, Ernie Stevens III, Jennifer Webster

Abstained: Kirby Metoxen

12. Review application(s) for one (1) vacancy – Bay Bancorporation Inc.

**Sponsor:** David P. Jordan, Councilman

Motion by Kirby Metoxen to appoint Todd Van Den Heuvel to the Bay Bancorporation Board of Directors, seconded by Jennifer Webster. Motion carried unanimously:

13. Review concern # 2018-CC-01 and determine next steps

**Sponsor:** Tehassi Hill, Chairman

Motion by Brandon Stevens to accept con-

cern # 2018-CC-01 in accordance with 105-6.5 of the Comprehensive Policy Governing Boards, Committees, and Commissions, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Brandon Stevens to defer concern # 2018-CC-01 to the Chairman's Office and for the Chairman to bring back a recommendation to the April 11, 2018, regular Business Committee meeting, seconded by David P. Jordan. Motion carried unanimously.

14. Accept materials regarding Bank of America N.A. credit agreement - file # 2012-0027 for the record

**Sponsor:** Larry Barton, Chief Financial Officer

Motion by David P. Jordan to accept mate-

rials regarding Bank of America N.A. credit agreement - file # 2012-0027 for the record, seconded by Brandon Stevens. Motion carried unanimously.

### XVI. ADJOURN

Motion by David P. Jordan to adjourn at 11:15 a.m., seconded by Ernie Stevens III. Motion carried unanimously.

Minutes prepared by Lisa Liggins, Information Management Specialist  
Minutes approved as presented on April 11, 2018.

Lisa Summers, Secretary

ONEIDA BUSINESS COMMITTEE



New Comers Q&A

GSR Presentation

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AA Speaker - Sara P (Newly elected Delegate)

Saturday: AA/Al-Anon Panels, Al-Anon speaker, Banquet &

AA speaker - Jeff C - Sturgeon Bay, Assembly & Entertainment

Sunday Morning: Area committee meeting and

AA speaker - Jeff G - Milwaukee

ONE FORM PER PERSON

Please check:  AA  Al-Anon

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Registration ONLY... \$ 20.00

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Banquet, ADD \$24.00... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ **Bill W. Fund donation** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Dinner Choice: Pasta Primavera(vegetarian) \_\_\_\_\_ Stuffed Pork \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL ENCLOSED** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Online registration: [greenbayaa.org](http://greenbayaa.org) - events**

Name to appear on your badge: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Makes checks payable to "2018 Area 74 Spring Conference" PO Box 22243, Green Bay, WI 54305.

**Deadline for banquet submission: May 4, 2018 Questions? Call Tamra D 920-321-4910 or Jill V 920-461-8486**

## LEGAL NOTICE

Setting Time and Notice to Creditors: request for information. The following estates are being prepared for probate by the United States Department of the Interior and/or the Oneida Nation, Land Commission and/or Oneida Judiciary.

All creditor claims must be filed on or before June 7, 2018 for:

Marie Mike DOB 01/19/1910 – DOD 03/15/1984

Arlene Danforth DOB 08/12/1943 – DOD 03/21/2018

Priscilla Leverance DOB 10/28/1952 – DOD 01/19/2018

Bernard VandenBloomer DOD 07/16/1937 – DOD 10/27/2017

William VandenBloomer DOB 07/10/1956 – DOD 11/19/2017

Lester Harms II DOB 01/22/1952 – DOD 02/02/2018

Send all creditor claims and information relating to the decedent to the following address:

Tina L Figueroa, Land Title and Trust Specialist  
Oneida Nation of Wisconsin  
Division of Land Management,  
PO Box 365,  
Oneida WI 54155

Dated Thursday, March 29, 2018

## Summer Youth Employment

The Oneida Job Training Program is taking applications for the **2018 Summer Youth Work Experience Program**. The program provides career exploration and work experience opportunities for youth ages 14 – 21 As Per GTC Resolution 05-23-11-A, **enrolled Oneida tribal members are given first preference in hiring**. The youth will be paid \$8.00 hr, and are eligible to work a maximum of 20 hours a week. The program will run **June 17 – August 11, 2018**.

**Requirements for the WIOA Federally-funded positions are:**

- Enrolled with a federally recognized Tribe, member of an Alaskan village or Hawaiian Native, **and**
- 30 -day resident of our service area, and
- Between the ages of 14 – 21.

**One of the following is also required:**

- Verification that the youth applicant has a medically diagnosed disability (cognitive, emotional **or** physical which includes ADD, ADHD, LD, and ED). A School IEP can be used for verification.
- Proof that the youth is living out-of-home through a court-ordered placement, **or**
- Homeless youth, **or**
- Youth who is pregnant or parenting **and** is low income. A youth who receives free or reduced meals at school is considered low income.
- Youth who is basic skills deficient **and** is low income. A youth who has English, writing, or computing skills at or below the 8th grade level is basic skills deficient.

Security card.  
• If you do not have these documents, apply for them right away. It takes up to 3 weeks to get a new or replacement Social Security Card and may take longer for an out-of-state birth certificate

To obtain an application contact: Sandi Skenadore at 920/490-3789, [sskenado@oneidanation.org](mailto:sskenado@oneidanation.org), **or**

Gary Jankowski at 490-3900, [gjankows@oneidanation.org](mailto:gjankows@oneidanation.org) or pick one up at the Oneida Economic Support reception desk (formerly known as the Center for Self-Sufficiency) located at 2640 West Point Road, Green Bay.

**The priority deadline to apply is Wednesday, April 25, 2018.** All names will be entered into a lottery drawing to be held on April 25th. Youth will be contacted in the order that the names were drawn to set up intakes for summer jobs. Once the work slots are filled, the remaining youth will be placed on a waiting list in the order his/her name was drawn. Youth on the waiting list will be contacted if a position becomes available. Any application received after the **priority deadline of April 25th** will be placed at the end of the waiting list.

**Documents required at the time of intake appointment:**

- An original birth certificate or WI ID Card or WI Driver's License or verified Baptismal Certificate.
- An original Social

**Priority Deadline to Apply is  
April 25, 2018**

**ONEIDA FARM**  
N6010 County Road C  
Seymour, WI 54165  
**920-833-7952**  
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Round Steak	4-5 steaks	¾" cuts on steak
Sirloin	3-4 steaks	¾" cuts on steak
T-Bone	4-5 steaks	¾" cuts on steak
Porterhouse	2-3 steaks	¾" cuts on steak
Rib Steak ( <i>bone-in or boneless</i> ) or Roast	4-5 steaks or roasts	¾" cuts on steak
Rolled Rump Roast	1 roast	
Chuck Roast or Steak	4-5 steaks or roasts	¾" cuts on steak
Arm Roast or Iron Skillet Steak	3-4 roasts or steaks	¾" cuts on steak

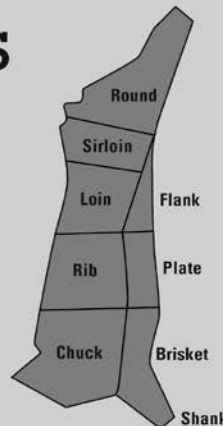
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## From page 1/Snowstorm

There was some substantial drifting at a lot of buildings that's taking quite a while to clear."

The near-continuous snow over the weekend caused Oneida to close tribal buildings on Monday so crews could clear parking lots and sidewalks. The heavy, wet snows created problems for the pick-up trucks normally used for plowing parking lots.

"The trucks couldn't move the big drifts that the county plows were putting at the end of the driveways," said Danforth. "So we've got three

end loaders going around opening up so that they can get the trucks in there to plow the lots."

Both Van Boxtel and Danforth had high praise for their employees who fought through the snowy onslaught.

"Our staff, our dispatchers, our officers out on patrol, handled it exceptionally well, and being able to navigate the enormous amount of snow along with the increase in response, I think they did extremely well," said Van Boxtel.

"Excellent, awesome job, they've put in a lot

of hours, and they're still putting in hours. I can't say enough, I appreciate all the hard work that they're doing. Willing to come in and do it and stay till they get it done" said Danforth.

More spring like weather is expected to return next week, hopefully making Snowstorm Evelyn a distant memory.

"After we get through this week, we should be golfing right now and not shoveling. So we're looking forward to that weather," said Van Boxtel.

## Digging out from Evelyn



Photo courtesy of Leah Cornelius

Cousins Lijah Doxtator and Prez Wade explored their entrepreneurial options by shoveling snow for their neighbors. The two teens also helped to dig out someone's driveway to clear the way for an ambulance. "There was more than us, like kids from across the street," said Wade. "Just being helpful for people who can't do it, the elderly."

## No injuries when snow causes Wisconsin hotel roof collapse

ASHWAUBENON, Wis. (AP) ~ Officials say no one was hurt when heavy snow caused part of a hotel roof to collapse in northeastern Wisconsin.

WLUK-TV reports the

roof collapsed Sunday over the pool at an Econo Lodge Inn & Suites in Ashwaubenon.

No one was in the pool area at the time.

The Green Bay Press Gazette reports the hotel

has been evacuated and guests are being moved to other area hotels.

More than a foot of heavy snow has fallen in the Green Bay area since Saturday.

# Oneida Youth & Elder Fishing Day & Take 25

Saturday, June 2, 2018



9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

- Rain or shine
- Picnic lunch
- First 10 Youth & Elders to catch a fish win a prize
- Bring your poles
- Limited amount of bait provided
- Size/bag limits apply as posted
- Dunk Tank



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Join Oneida Police Dept. to talk about the importance of taking time to talk safety with your children

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# “Independent Dreams”: An album review by Richie Plass

Growing up on the Menominee Indian Reservation, the two major styles of music that was played in our house were country and western and rock-n-roll. When I began playing music in the 1960's, those were the songs we played. Here in the 21st century, there are many genres of music. Rap and Hip-Hop are widely popular, with one of the most talented Natives in the business residing in our neck of the woods.

Rapper and Hip-Hopster Gary D. is the stage name for Gary Dodge, Jr. who lives on the Menominee Reservation where he was raised. The lyrics of his songs reflect his life, his culture, his heritage, and at times issues concerning Native Americans nationwide. His new recording is titled, Independent Dreams. This young man is immersed in his art, having not only wrote the songs, he did most of the engineering, production, recording and packaging.

Independent Dreams is a fine mix of tradition, activism, various rhythms and humor. “Grew Up In 2 Worlds” is a great example of his experiences of growing up. He combines stories from the rez and also challenges in the non-Native world. The music is not in the flavor of an old Hank Williams love song or the fast paced style of Chuck Berry. Rather his rhythm fits his own groove and his lyrics come from his life.

“Warrior With Heart” is about his feelings about the pipeline protest in South Dakota. It also addresses many political and social issues Native Americans face each day all across the United States. His voice and style in this song are very motivational.

One neat aspect of this whole project for me is how he seems to use his voice. He seems to be able to change inflection, tone, tempo, volume and even style add to each particular song and message. Plus, with the addition of

some special guests with their particular styles are an added pleasure.

“From The Rez” hits close to home for me. He's able to say things in his style about life on the reservation in the 21st century. His rhythm and voice sound nothing like us old timers—it's aggressive. He shares his inner thoughts, emotions and gratitude.

The title song, “Independent Dreams” is my favorite. His delivery and tone set this song apart from many other songs I have come to know as, “Rap”. It's melodic, provocative, and proves he continues to grow, take chances and yet keep a close tie to his homeland, culture, and heritage. That in itself is hard to do in any genre.

In full-disclosure, I'm on this album too. For over 11 years, I was a co-host or a radio show that played traditional and contemporary Native American music. Gary D was a guest with me several times. Last year he

told me, “I'm going to do a new recording and I'd like you to be on it. Would you?” I looked at him in total amazement and said, “What? I don't know how to rap!” He flashed that great smile of his and said, “No. I want you to do some of the stuff you did on the radio.” Well, I

agreed, so there are three cuts on the CD that are titled, “Skit”. Those are me, and I was and am honored to have been invited and be part of this project.

So if you want some old time stories along with 21st century music from the rez, make Independent Dreams a part of your mu-

sic collection. Gary D's end result is, as us old timers still say, “Right On!”

*Richie Plass is a Menominee and Stockbridge-Munsee writer from Wisconsin. He has been writing and playing music since the 1960s.*

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2018**

Ages 5&6 - Session I or II Cliff Webster Building

Session I June 11-June 29

Ages 7&8 - Session I Civic Center

Session II July 9 - July 27

Ages 9-11 - Session II Civic Center

Session III July 30 - August 17

Ages 12-14 - Session III Civic Center

Drop off: Noon Pick up: 4:00-4:45 pm

**\*Registration Begins May 2 at 9:00 am at the Civic Center until filled\***

\* Must be a Recreation Member to sign up. Cost of membership is \$5 and Cost of Program is \$10\*

## Walker signs tax credit bill

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — Gov. Scott Walker has signed into law a measure boosting tax credits available for historic rehabilitation projects in Wisconsin from \$500,000 to \$3.5 million.

The Legislature gave bipartisan, nearly unanimous approval to the measure that Walker

signed Monday.

Raising the cap comes just months after the Legislature voted to set it at \$500,000.

Proponents for the higher cap Walker signed into law say the lower limit could have crippled the program and resulted in fewer historic properties, especially in small

towns, being saved and used as tools to spur economic development.

A broad coalition supported the new law, including the Wisconsin League of Municipalities, historic preservation groups, real estate agents, and builders.

# Already large Democratic field for governor getting bigger

By Scott Bauer

Associated Press

MADISON, Wis. (AP) ~ The already large field of Democratic candidates for governor grew by one on Tuesday, while Milwaukee mayor and three-time former nominee Tom Barrett was also reportedly considering giving it a fourth try.

Liberal talk radio host Mike Crute announced on his Devil's Advocates radio show that he intended to run, saying anyone who doesn't take him seriously does so "at their own peril." Crute has used the show to promote liberal causes and give a platform to Democratic candidates and office holders since its debut in 2012.

"You've never seen bold like I'm about to bring down on the state of

Wisconsin," Crute said. His campaign slogan is "We're all Badgers."

He joins 15 other announced Democratic candidates, including nine who are actively raising money and have hired campaign staff. The winner of the Aug. 14 primary will advance to face Republican Gov. Scott Walker in November.

Barrett, who lost the Democratic primary in 2002 and then lost to Walker in the 2010 general election and the 2012 recall, was talking with advisers about another run, the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel reported citing unnamed sources.

Barrett did not immediately return messages left with his office seeking comment. Alec Zimmerman, a spokesman for the state GOP, said Barrett's

reported mulling of the race was evidence of a struggling Democratic field.

There is no clear front-runner on the Democratic side, fueling interest among others to get in and concern among some liberals that the fractured field will be a liability. Some donors are also sitting out the primary.

Crute cited the fractured Democratic field as a reason to get in. The Journal Sentinel said Barrett was sounding out his advisers because he was concerned about the quality of the Democratic field.

Candidates have until June 1 to file the required signatures to get on the ballot.

Crute said he would use the radio station he purchased in 2017,

WRRD-AM in Waukesha, to communicate directly with voters as he's done since the Devil's Advocates show started. In addition to owning the station and co-hosting the show, Crute also owns a property management firm based in Middleton.

Crute said he hired Shane Falk, a former attorney at the now-disbanded Government Accountability Board, to advise his campaign.

Falk has drawn the ire

of Republicans because of his work on the secret John Doe investigation into Walker and Republicans that the state Supreme Court shut down in 2015. Republican Attorney General Brad Schimel has recommended that Falk be found in contempt for allegedly violating secrecy orders in place during the investigation.

Falk joined Crute on his radio show to discuss the campaign Tuesday.

Other Democrats running include state Superintendent Tony Evers; Madison Mayor Paul Soglin; state Sen. Kathleen Vinehout of Alma; state Rep. Dana Wachs of Eau Claire; former state Rep. Kelda Roys of Madison; Milwaukee businessman Andy Gronik; statewide firefighter union leader Mahlon Mitchell; former state party Chairman Matt Flynn and political activist Mike McCabe.

## Walker signs bill creating \$6.8 million ad campaign

MADISON, Wis. (AP) ~ Gov. Scott Walker has signed a bill creating a \$6.8 million ad campaign designed to lure young workers to Wisconsin.

Walker signed the bill Monday that's targeting millennials who live in the Twin Cities and Detroit media markets. It will also attempt to target military veterans, highlighting programs Wisconsin has to entice them to locate in the state.

Democrats have criticized the measure as not addressing the real issues

that are leading younger people to leave the state.

The ad campaign is designed to emphasize the type of lifestyle younger workers could have in Wisconsin.

Wisconsin's unemploy-

ment rate is at an all-time low, fueling the need to find workers for available openings.

The measure was among 93 bills Walker signed at the Capitol.



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Starting the week of March 19th the Oneida Food Card will be issued at the Oneida Emergency Food Pantry (N7372 Water Circle place) on Tuesday and Thursday from 9am-11am. Economic Support staff will also process Emergency Food Pantry Applications. Applications and recertification's will also be taken on Tuesday and Thursdays at Oneida Emergency Food Pantry 11am-1pm. We hope these changes better serve our clients and offer a greater level of convenience.

	Program	Location	Time
Monday	Food Card	Economic Support 2640 West Point Rd.	9am - 11am
Tuesday	Food Card Emergency Food Pantry	Emergency Food Pantry N7372 Water Circle Place	9am - 11am 11am - 1pm
Wednesday	Food Card	Economic Support 2640 West Point Rd.	9am - 11am
Thursday	Food Card Emergency Food Pantry	Emergency Food Pantry N7372 Water Circle Place	9am - 11am 11am - 1pm
Friday	Food Card	Economic Support 2640 West Point Rd.	9am - 11am

Food Card at 2 Locations • Economic Support • Emergency Food Pantry



Economic Support: (920) 490-3939  
Food Pantry: (920) 869-6165

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# 2018 SPECIAL ELECTION CAUCUS

Dear General Tribal Council,

The 2018 Special Election Caucus is set for Saturday, May 5, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. in the Business Committee Conference Room at the Norbert Hill Center.

Nominations will be conducted for the vacancies listed. Any person nominated at the Caucus must be present to ac-

cept/decline the nomination. All other individuals may petition to have their name placed on the 2018 Special Election Ballot.

All individuals, whether they have been nominated and accepted at the caucus or petitions for their name to be placed on the 2018 Special Election Ballot, will need to complete a separate application for each posi-

tion vying for. Applications will be available at the Caucus or may be picked up at the Business Committee Support Office. The deadline for all application forms to be submitted to the Business Committee Support Office: **FRIDAY - MAY 11, 2018 BY 4:30 P.M.**

If you have any questions or concerns, contact the Oneida Election

Board by email at Election\_Board@oneidana-tion.org.

*Sincerely,*  
**Racquel Hill, Chairperson**

**Oneida Election Board  
Oneida Nation  
Oneida Election Board  
PO Box 365 • Oneida,  
WI 54155-0365  
oneida-nsn.gov**

**2018 SPECIAL  
ELECTION VACANCY  
INFORMATION**

## ELECTION BOARD

Three (3) vacancies;  
3-year term

- Must be an enrolled member of the Oneida Nation.
- Must be twenty-one (21) years of age or older on the day of the election.

## G A M I N G COMMISSION

One (1) vacancy; 5-year term

- Must be twenty-one (21) years of age or older on the day of the election.
- Must be an enrolled member of the Oneida Nation.
- Must have a minimum of three (3) years of education experience, employment experience and/or regulatory experience in Gaming Operations related to Gaming Activity, Gaming law, Gaming control or regulation, or Gaming accounting or of any combination of the foregoing; and
- Must disclose all conflicts of interest as de-

finied by the Nation's Conflict of Interest Policy.

- Must have a background investigation completed.
- Unless pardoned by the applicable government, must not have been convicted of, or entered a plea of guilty or no contest to, any of the following:
  - Any gambling-related offense;
  - Any offense involving Fraud or misrepresentation;
  - Any offense involving a violation of any provision of chs. 562 or 565, Wis. Stats., any rule promulgated by the State of Wisconsin Department of Administration, Division of Gaming or any rule promulgated by the Wisconsin Racing Board;
  - A felony not addressed in paragraphs 1, 2, or 3, during the immediately preceding ten (10) years; or
  - Any offense involving the violation of any provision of Tribal law regulating the conduct of Gaming Activities, or any rule or regulation promulgated pursuant thereto.
  - Must not be determined by the Nation to be a person whose prior activities, criminal record if any, or reputation, habits, and associations pose a threat to the public interest or to the effective regulation and control of Gaming, or create or

enhance the dangers of unsuitable, unfair, or illegal practices, methods, or activities in the operation of Gaming or the carrying on of the business and financial arrangements incidental thereto

- Must not possess a financial interest in or management responsibility for any Gaming Activity or Gaming Services vendor.
- Unless pardoned by the applicable government, must not have been convicted of a crime involving theft, Fraud, or conversion against the Nation.

## LEGAL RESOURCE CENTER ATTORNEY

One (1) vacancy for Attorney; 4-year term

- Enrolled Tribal member and is at least twenty-one (21) years of age on the date of the election;
- Possess juris doctor (J.D.) degree from an accredited law school;
- Have at least two (2) years of previous experience practicing law and/or equivalent combination of education and experience;
- Be licensed to practice law in the State of Wisconsin and in good standing
- Be admitted to practice before the Judiciary.

## LAND CLAIMS COMMISSION

• See 39  
Caucus



# NOTICE

## 2018 SPECIAL ELECTION CAUCUS

SCHEDULED FOR:

**SATURDAY,  
MAY 5, 2018**

**1:00 p.m.**

**BUSINESS COMMITTEE  
CONFERENCE ROOM**

@

**NORBERT HILL CENTER**

**\*\*NOTE: INDIVIDUALS NOMINATED AT THE CAUCUS MUST BE PRESENT TO ACCEPT NOMINATION AND SUBMIT COMPLETED UNIFORM APPLICATION**

## From page 38/Caucus

Two (2) vacancies; 4-year term

- Must be an enrolled member of the Oneida Nation.
- Must be twenty-on (21) years of age or older on the day of the election.
- If elected, cannot serve in the capacity as a consultant, contractor, or staff person of the Oneida Land Claims Commission or attorney assigned to the Oneida Land Claims Commission.

**LAND COMMISSION**  
Three (3) vacancies; 3-year term

- Must be an enrolled member of the Oneida Nation.
- Must be eighteen (18)

years of age or older on the day of the election.

- Must be a resident of Brown or Outagamie County.
- If elected, cannot be employed by the Division of Land Management.

### ONEIDA NATION COMMISSION ON AGING (ONCOA)

Three (3) vacancies; 3-year term

- Must be an enrolled member of the Oneida Nation.
- Must be fifty-five (55) years of age or older on the day of the election.
- Cannot serve more than two (2) consecutive three (3) year terms. A

period of not less than one (1) year shall lapse before a Commissioner, who has completed two consecutive terms, may be eligible for another term as Commissioner.

- Must reside in Brown or Outagamie County.

### SCHOOL BOARD

Four (4) vacancies (2 Parent & 2 At Large positions); 3-year term

- Must be an enrolled member of the Oneida Nation.
- Must be eighteen (18) years of age or older on the day of the election.
- Must be parent/guardian of a student attending the Oneida Nation School System.

### TRUST/ ENROLLMENT COMMITTEE

Three (3) vacancies; 3-year term

- Must be an enrolled member of the Oneida Nation.
- Must be eighteen (18) years of age or older on the day of the election.
- Must live on or near the reservation (within

the external boundaries of the Oneida Reservation or in a surrounding community).

- Must have the ability to honorably protect and uphold the purpose of the Oneida Trust/ Enrollment Committee with integrity, diligence and foresight.
- Must be able to obtain a fiduciary bond.

**\*\*NOTE:** Applicants

must provide the appropriate documentation, including but not limited to, copies of degree, official transcripts, and certifications as proof of qualification for the position in which they seek where applicable. Those applications that do not have the proper back-up

## Oneida ESC Group (OESC)

OESC's Education Outreach Program will sponsor two Oneida High School students to attend:

## Milwaukee School of Engineering 2018 Summer Camp Engineering Program

The camp sponsorship will cover the cost of a one-week academic program, student housing, meals and evening activities at the Milwaukee School of Engineering (MSOE) campus in downtown Milwaukee. Students and their families will be responsible for any transportation costs.

Registration  
Deadline is  
May 1, 2018

The MSOE camps are during the month of July in the following engineering fields: electrical, mechanical, computer, software, architectural, and biomedical/biomolecular. High school students must be an incoming sophomore, junior or senior. The registration deadline is May 1, 2018.

If you or someone you know is a high school student with a strong math background and interested in attending an MSOE engineering camp this summer, please contact:



Jackie Zalim  
jzalim@oescgroup.com  
or (920) 400-0791

www.oescgroup.com

**The 2018 Special Election Caucus is set for  
Saturday, May 5, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. in the  
Business Committee Conference Room at the  
Norbert Hill Center.**



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# Wisconsin struggling to find enough attorneys

MADISON, Wis. (AP) — Wisconsin's low compensation rate for private attorneys has contributed to the shortage of lawyers willing to represent people who can't afford a private attorney, according to state officials.

The state Public Defender's Office has assigned about 40 percent of its approximately 138,000 cases each year to private attorneys, Wis-

consin Public Radio reported.

The office pays attorneys \$40 an hour to represent poorer clients, the lowest compensation rate in the U.S. for such cases. Wisconsin private attorneys must earn about \$42 an hour to make overhead, according to a 2015 report from Sixth Amendment Center, a nonpartisan group focusing on criminal justice is-

sues.

The state is struggling to find private attorneys willing to take public defender cases, said Randy Kraft, a spokesman for the public defender's office.

"Many cannot afford to devote much of their practice to taking a case that will require a great investment of hours at the \$40 per hour rate when they could be working for

a private-paying client for two, three ... upward as five times as much in terms of income," Kraft said.

The lack of lawyers is delaying victims' justice, said Kim Lawton, Bayfield County district attorney.

"They're waiting and they don't know why

they're waiting," Lawton said. "We tell them because the defendant needs to have their attorney. Well, the victim wants to be able to heal and move on and that's part of their victim rights."

Democratic Rep. Evan Goyke of Milwaukee and Republican Rep. Ron Tusler of Harrison pro-

posed a bill earlier this year to raise the private bar compensation rate. The state would have needed \$19 million to create a tiered system that where attorneys would be paid between \$55 and \$70 per hour depending on the amount of time spent on a case. The bill failed to gain support.

## Building a Healthy Community through Healthy Foods

### Tsyunhéhkwa Tilling Service

To reserve your spot for spring tilling please contact

Kyle Wisneski at 869-2718 or [kwisnesk@oneidanation.org](mailto:kwisnesk@oneidanation.org)

*All tilling requests and advanced payments are required by May 15 2018.*

No requests will be honored after this date.

### TILLING REQUIREMENTS

- > Tilling is for vegetable gardens (food) only.
  - > Mark all four corners of garden
  - > Marked area must be clean of debris (large rocks, wire, string etc)
- Final discretion to till will be made by Tsyunhehkwa Tilling Service
- > Tilling will start as soon as weather permits.
  - > No more gardens will be tilled after June 15th.
  - > \$30 for community members, \$20 for Elders (55 years and older) will receive 30 minutes of tilling, advanced payment required.

Please make check or money order out to Tsyunhehkwa and bring to the farm or mail it to Tsyunhehkwa, P.O. Box 365, Oneida, WI 54155.



## LEGAL NOTICE

ONEIDA NATION FAMILY COURT ORIGINAL HEARING BODY

NOTICE OF HEARING RE: DOCKET Case Number 17PA080, Oneida Nation Child Support Agency and Petitioner JOSIE-JADE M. GUTIERREZ vs. Respondent MARCO A.MARTINEZ

A diligent attempt is made to notify the above individuals of an action filed by the Oneida Nation Child Support

Agency for a Petition for Paternity. A hearing shall take place on Wednesday, May 30, 2018 at 9:45 a.m. in the above captioned case at the Oneida Nation Family Court; located at **2630 W. Mason St.** Green Bay, WI 54303. Failure to appear may result in a default judgment. If you fail to appear at any stage of the proceedings, including a scheduled genetic test, the Judge may enter a default judg-

ment finding you to be the father of the child. **Please call (920) 496-7200 with any questions.**

Inquiries for pleadings and/or additional information may be directed to:

Clerk of Court  
Oneida Nation Family Court  
P.O. Box 19  
Oneida, WI 54155  
(920) 497-5800

## COMBINED NOTICE OF PROBATE REHEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, pursuant to Oneida Real Property Law and the Probate of Non-Trust Estates Standard Operation Procedure, SOP NO. 67.1.2-9, testimony will be taken and evidence received for the purpose of administering the following estate:

**Place:** The Conference Room at: Little Bear Development Center, N7332 Water Circle Place, Oneida, WI 54155.

**Date:** May 14, 2018

**Case Number:**

2018-LCP-0001

**Decedent's Name:**

**Frank E. Skenandore**

**Date of Death:**

October 22, 2017

**Time of Hearing:**

4:00 P.M.

ALL PERSONS HAVING AN INTEREST IN AN ESTATE, including creditors, are notified to be present in person or by attorney and furnish such evidence as they may desire. If necessary, the Hearing may be continued to another time and place. FAILURE

TO APPEAR may result in loss of any rights claimed. The names and addresses of all known presumptive heirs, beneficiaries, will witnesses, claimants and other interested parties may be found on the Individual Notice of Hearings or from the Environment Health, Safety and Land Division.

**Tina L Figueroa**  
**Tribal Probate Specialist**  
**Land Title and Trust Department**



# Canada's Trudeau pledges money, new law pipeline happen

OTTAWA, Ontario (AP) ~ Prime Minister Justin Trudeau said Sunday he has instructed his finance minister to begin talks with Kinder Morgan to "remove the uncertainty" hanging over the controversial Trans Mountain pipeline expansion project that would nearly triple the flow of oil from Canada's oil sands to the Pacific Coast

Trudeau also said legislation is coming that will "reassert and reinforce" the fact that the federal government is well within its power to approve the project and ensure it

goes ahead.

Kinder Morgan has suspended all non-essential spending on the project pending reassurance from Ottawa that it will be able to go forward

Trudeau met Sunday with British Columbia's premier, who is blocking the project, and the premier of oil-rich Alberta, who desperately wants to see it go ahead.

"I don't think it's any surprise to anyone that I don't think we would be in this situation if the British Columbia government hadn't continued to

emphasize its opposition to the project," Trudeau said

The pipeline was approved in 2016 with the support of the former Liberal Party government in British Columbia but is now opposed by the province's leftist New Democrat government.

Trudeau has insisted the project should be completed but the British Columbia government has fought it in the courts.

The Trans Mountain pipeline expansion by the Canadian division of Texas-based Kinder Morgan would dramatically

increase the number of oil tankers traveling the shared waters between Canada and Washington state. Trudeau approved the project in late 2016, saying it was in Canada's best interest.

The project has drawn legal challenges and opposition from environmental groups and Native American tribes as well as from municipalities such as Vancouver and

Burnaby. It's also sparked a dispute between the provinces of Alberta, which has the world's third largest oil reserves, and British Columbia. About 200 people have been arrested near Kinder Morgan's marine terminal in Burnaby during recent protests.

Canada needs infrastructure to export its growing oil sands production. Alberta is the

United States' largest supplier of foreign oil.

Trudeau's government has been trying to balance the oil industry's desire to tap new markets with environmentalists' concerns. Though he approved Trans Mountain, he rejected Enbridge's Northern Gateway pipeline to Kitimat, British Columbia

## NB3 Foundation opens mobile APP competition

The Notah Begay III (NB3) Foundation, with a generous grant from the Comcast Foundation and in partnership with Cultivating Coders, is now accepting applications for a national competition for Native youth to design a mobile APP focusing on improving the health and nutrition of Native youth.

This competition is open to individuals or teams of Native youth, ages 13-18, experienced in coding, design, and digital media and/or mobile technology.

Participants must submit a completed application with supporting documents that includes a four-page outline and video of the APP. Contest applications will be accepted from April 1, 2018 to July 1, 2018. Learn about the contest crite-

ria, eligibility and application process at: <http://www.nb3foundation.org/healthy-kids-healthy-futures-app-contest/>.

"The NB3 Foundation recognizes that more and more Native youth are using their mobile devices and APPs to track their physical activity, nutrition and even water intake. This competition is an integral step for the Foundation in the direction of connecting youth with technology to build healthier lifestyles," said NB3 Foundation President and CEO Justin Kii Huenemann.

The intent of the contest is to engage and challenge creative and tech-savvy Native youth from across Indian Country to think creatively, culturally and digitally about their diet, nutrition, exer-

cise and fitness; and turn that knowledge into a solution or problem-solving mobile APP.

A panel of NB3 Foundation staff and experts will choose a first, second and third place winners. The first-place winner will proceed to work with Cultivating Coders, a software company and social enterprise focused on priming the next generation of coders to develop, design and implement their own solutions to address their local challenges, to further develop the APP into a Minimum Viable Product (MVP).

For more information or questions about the application process, please contact Simone Duran, NB3 Foundation Program Assistant, at [simone@nb3f.org](mailto:simone@nb3f.org) or 505-867-0775 ext. 104.

## ONEIDA ESC GROUP COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Completed applications are due by July 1st

**Oneida ESC Group (OESC) will award up to two scholarships of \$5,000 annually to a high school senior or college senior pursuing a college education in engineering or earth/natural sciences. The scholarships are merit-based; submission of financial information is not required for eligibility.**

The Oneida ESC Group is a family of companies owned by the Oneida Nation that delivers customer-focused engineering, science, and construction services worldwide. Our family of companies include: Oneida Total Integrated Enterprises (OTIE), Mission Support Services (MS2), Sustainment & Restoration Services (SRS), and Oneida Engineering Solutions (OES).

**Completed applications are due by July 1, 2018 and should be sent to:**

Oneida ESC Group  
Attn: Jackie Zalim  
1033 N. Mayfair Road, Suite 200  
Milwaukee, WI 53226  
Phone: 920-400-0791  
Fax: 414-777-5899  
E-mail: [jonalim@oescgroup.com](mailto:jonalim@oescgroup.com)

Applications will be reviewed by a Scholarship Selection Committee and awards will be made by September 1st.

[www.oescgroup.com](http://www.oescgroup.com)

### Eligibility

To be eligible for a scholarship, the applicant must:

- Be an enrolled member of the Oneida Nation.
- Be accepted or enrolled in a full-time undergraduate degree (12 or more credits) at an accredited university or college within the United States.
- Pursuing, or intending to pursue, a degree in any engineering or earth/natural science field.
- For high school senior applicants, have a GPA of 3.4 (on a 4.0 scale) or higher. For college senior applicants, have a GPA of 3.0 (on a 4.0 scale) or higher.
- Extracurricular and Community involvement.

### Application Process

**Scholarship applicants must:**

1. Complete the OESC College Scholarship Application Form.
2. For high school senior applicants, prepare a one (1) page essay describing why you are interested in engineering or science. For college senior applicants, prepare a one (1) page essay describing your career plan.
3. Provide a current official transcript of your grades.
4. Provide a copy of your Oneida Tribal Enrollment Card.
5. For high school senior applicants, provide a copy of your college acceptance letter.
6. For high school senior applicants, provide a copy of ACT and/or SAT test scores.

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## *Wisconsin civil rights pioneer Vel Phillips dies at age 94*

MILWAUKEE (AP) ~ Vel Phillips, a civil rights pioneer who helped lead open housing marches in Milwaukee in the 1960s and was the first black person elected to a Wisconsin statewide office, has died. She was 94.

Phillips died Tuesday while in hospice care at a Mequon hospital, said her son, Michael Phillips.

Vel Phillips blazed a trail for minorities and women as the first black woman to graduate from the University of Wisconsin law school. She was also the first woman and first African-American elected to the Milwaukee Common Council, where she kept introducing an ordinance to outlaw housing discrimination every 90 days for seven years until it was finally adopted in 1968.

After leaving the Common Council in 1971, she was appointed as the first female judge in Milwaukee County and first black judge in Wisconsin.

In 1978, Phillips made

history as the first woman and first minority elected Wisconsin Secretary of State, a job she held until 1983.

Phillips' social justice work is well known, but she left a less public legacy in the lessons she taught her children.

Michael Phillips said his mother was a strong believer that character is something one displays when no one else is looking.

"I learned that from her. You have to do your best to be your best when the cameras aren't rolling," he said. "You have to digest your personal truths and from that standpoint reach out to the world."

In a 2014 interview with the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel, Phillips said she may have taken for granted her pioneering accomplishments and her brushes with greatness.

"If I had it to do over again, I think I would have appreciated having a close relationship with three presidents: LBJ,

JFK and Jimmy Carter," she said. "Obama, I'm not close to him, but he knows who I am. I have corresponded with him."

Phillips was on a first-name basis with Dr. Martin Luther King and Thurgood Marshall, the first black U.S. Supreme Court justice.

"They would call me and we would talk. I had all their private numbers," Phillips said.

Gov. Scott Walker issued a statement after learning of Phillips' death.

"She was a legend in Milwaukee and in Wisconsin, not only for her many firsts but for her passion. It was an honor to get to know her when I was the (Milwaukee) County Executive," he said.

A flag lowering order in honor of Phillips' life and legacy is forthcoming, according to Walker.

Phillips' husband, W. Dale Phillips, and another son preceded her in death.

## **Walker expands National Guard benefits**

MADISON, Wis. (AP) ~ Gov. Scott Walker has signed a bill that expands Wisconsin National Guard members' benefits.

The Republican bill requires the state Department of Military Affairs to pay a guard member injured on state active

duty until he or she is able to return to active duty or the active duty assignment ends.

The agency will be required to pay \$100,000 to guard member's beneficiary if the member dies of an accidental injury while on active duty. The

bill eliminates the current \$50,000 payout in such situations.

The proposal also extends re-employment rights to non-residents working in the state and serving in the Wisconsin National Guard.

# Family Fitness Highlights

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## Tae Kwon Do tourney



Submitted photo

Saturday, April 7th Appleton, Wisconsin ~ Students from Oneida Family Fitness Center Tae Kwon Do program competed in the Appleton tournament. This tournament had over 230 competitors and competition was tight. The students competed in Forms, Board Breaking, and Sparring competition. Trophies were handed out for 1st thru 3rd place and medals for 4th thru 6th place. The tournament had 11 Tae Kwon Do schools from all over the state. All the students from Oneida placed in each event. Congratulations to those who competed!

## 2018 BELLIN RUN

Register Online @ [bellinrun.com](http://bellinrun.com)

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\*\*\* Registration fees are \$25 through May 1st; \$30 starting May 2nd \*\*\*

For more information contact Hanna Leisgang:

(920) 490-3730 or [hleisgan@oneidanation.org](mailto:hleisgan@oneidanation.org)

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Furry friends WELCOME.



## Loretta Says: Water, Water Everywhere

**Loretta Metoxen**  
Oneida Historian

This is the time of year when the weather is nearly unpredictable. Now, we have about a foot of snow on the ground. Tomorrow, we may have little or none. And then there is the distinct possibility of a major flood.

When I was growing up on the farm on Second Ridge, the spring thaw took over the countryside. Rivulets of water ran down all the hills, inclines and crevices to the lowest possible valleys. All this water surged together that resulted in grand torrents. These strong currents could unearth trees and send them down stream where they could tear up fence posts and fencing and sometimes destroy wooden bridges. If that happened, crews of men would have to reconstruct a new bridge when the water allowed.

Huge chunks of ice would end up on the banks. This phenomena was very attractive and dangerous to the children. They would imagine themselves commanding a block of ice to float themselves on down the creek.

Our house was about a



**Submitted photo**

Here is a photo of Helen Skenandore, taken when she was about thirteen years old near her home. The valley, where she is standing is on the south end of the Oneida Reservation. It is all under water and the area appears to be a rather large lake. But it is the result of the spring thaw on Duck Creek.

city block from the creek. During the thaw, the little creek would swell to cover the entire valley from bank to bank. We children would open the door over the garage and be lulled to sleep by the soothing sound of the rushing water. This event would last a week or two.

Often, when the cows were first let out of their stanchions after a long winter of being confined, they would find their way across the high water to the opposite bank. No one of our family could make their way across, so Laddie, our ever present collie dog, was sum-

moned to round up the cows and bring them up to the barn for milking. He was adept at this and did a good job. He would also help drive the herd later on when the water subsided.

The roads during the spring thaw were impassible. If a funeral were to be conducted then, a casket had to be floated up the Duck Creek and then the tributary. It was then taken from a raft at the lowest point on Van Bostel Road. The reverse transportation process was used to bring the body to the cemetery.



## ONEIDA HISTORY DEPARTMENT

1240 Packerland Drive  
Cottage II  
Green Bay, WI 54304

### MAY 2018 PRESENTATION SERIES

Gerrymandering  
Given By: Loretta Metoxen  
May 16, 2018  
2:30 PM - 4 PM (Cottage II)  
May 23 2018  
5 PM - 6 PM (Cottage II)  
May 30, 2018  
10 AM - 2:30 PM (SEOTS)

### GENEALOGY

Every 2nd Wednesday of each month from 1 PM to 6 PM. Held at Cottage II with History Department staff.

### JULY 2018 PRESENTATION SERIES

Medicine Walk  
Given By:  
Annette Cornelius  
May 16, 2018  
2:30 PM - 4 PM  
1240 Packerland Drive  
Cottage II  
Green Bay, WI 54304

## MAY & JUNE 2018 EVENTS

OFFICE HOURS:

Monday: 8AM - 4:30PM  
Tues. - Thurs.: 8AM - 6PM  
Fridays: 8AM - 4PM

### JUNE 2018 PRESENTATION SERIES

History of Gaming  
Given By: Reggie Doxtater  
June 13, 2018  
2:30 PM - 4 PM (Cottage II)  
June 20, 2018  
5 PM - 6 PM (Cottage II)



**JULY 11, 2018**  
**12:10 PM - 12:50 PM**  
**Arrival in Wisconsin**  
**Given by:**  
**Reggie Doxtater**

Bring your own lunch!



## ONEIDA HISTORY DEPARTMENT

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## AUG & SEPT 2018 EVENTS

OFFICE HOURS:  
Monday: 8AM - 4:30PM  
Tues. - Thurs.: 8AM - 6PM  
Fridays: 8AM - 4PM

### AUGUST 2018 PRESENTATION SERIES

Clans  
Given By:  
Lou Williams Jr.  
Aug 15, 2018  
4:45 PM - 6 PM  
Oneida  
Community Education  
Center

### SEPTEMBER 2018 PRESENTATION SERIES

Creation Story  
Given By:  
Randy Cornelius  
Sept. 19, 2018  
4:45 PM - 6 PM  
Oneida  
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## ONEIDA HISTORY DEPARTMENT

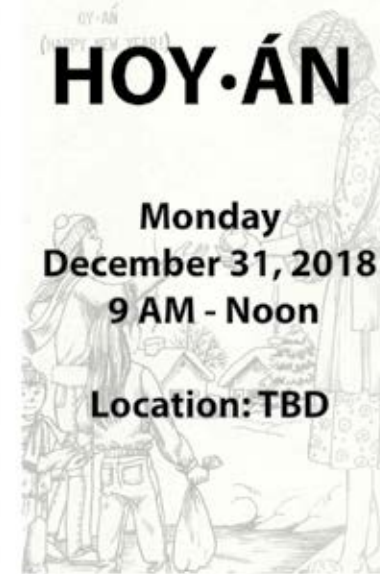
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## NOV & DEC 2018 EVENTS

### HOY-ÁN

Monday  
December 31, 2018  
9 AM - Noon

Location: TBD



OFFICE HOURS:  
Monday: 8AM - 4:30PM  
Tues. - Thurs.: 8AM - 6PM  
Fridays: 8AM - 4PM

### NOVEMBER 2018 PRESENTATION SERIES

PHOTOS: Pictures & History of the Oneida Scene: Music and Bands  
Given By: Eliza Skenandore  
Oneida Community  
Library  
Nov. 17, 2018  
11AM - 1 PM



MINI LUNCH SERIES  
OCTOBER 03, 2018  
12:10 PM - 12:50 PM  
Treaties: 1821 & 1822  
Given by:  
Dr. Carol Cornelius  
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### OCTOBER 2018 PRESENTATION SERIES

General Lafayette  
Given By:  
Loretta Metoxen  
Cottage II  
Oct 17, 2018  
2:30 PM - 4 PM  
Oct 25, 2018  
5 PM - 6 PM

### GENEALOGY

Every 2nd Wednesday of each month from 1 PM to 6 PM. Held at Cottage II with History Department staff.

# Ohelaku White Corn Growers Travel to Ecuador

By Ruby Kuchma,  
Brace Webster and  
Mia Webster  
Edited by Laura  
Manthe

We are a group called Ohelaku, which means "Among the Cornstalks", and we went on a trip to meet the indigenous people of Ecuador who grow corn. Two years ago, we were invited to Ecuador by some women who are called Mama's.

They would be considered clan mothers in our community. We started planning all the details of the trip in October 2017, and we had to work out a lot of stuff, like meals, busses, hostels, and what we were going to do. Our goal was to learn how to restore the old way to grow indigenous white corn.

We landed in Quito and went to a hostel about

forty minutes away. At the hostel, we met up with friends from Oaxaca, Mexico. Pedro, his wife Araceli, and his son Little Pedro. Pedro grows heirloom corn, too. Araceli made huge crispy corn tortillas to share. They were excited to meet the Oneida corn growers after hearing so much about them from Robin John and Don Charnon. Pedro had a very important job.



Submitted photos

From left to right: Steve Webster, Johnson Jimerson, Kwnwahta Smith, Lea Zeise and Robin John hold corn grown in Ecuador.

He was our translator. The next morning, we got on the bus and started our trip through Ecuador.

Ecuador is in South America, and has many different biomes, with different climates, so we had to prepare for mountains, cities, and jungles. The Andes mountains run through Ecuador, so there are many mountains and volcanoes that help make up the topography. It is also called Ecuador, because the equator runs through it. We stopped at the land mark to learn about it. The equator is what divides the world in half. We weren't just in the mountains though, we were in urban areas too. There were many markets and shops. In Ecuador they use the US dollar, so it was pretty easy to understand what they meant when they were talking about money.

Most people speak Spanish, and many indigenous people speak Quichuan. In the first village, they only spoke Quichuan, and one guy spoke Spanish, so we had him translate to Spanish, and Pedro translate to English.

We were able to teach other tribes about our ways of growing and eating our traditional foods, as they also taught us their way of growing and eating their foods. We tried a lot of food, and all of the food we ate in the indigenous villages were corn based. We ate lots of soup, eggs, potatoes, chicken, rice, fish, food wrapped up in banana leaves, corn drinks, guinea pigs, plantain, tamales, empanadas, and a variety of different types of Ecuadorian traditional corns. We toured a chicha bottling plant. Chicha is a fermented corn drink

that is derived from indigenous culture.

We learned a lot about their cultures, like food, dancing, singing, crafts, and their way of life. We taught them some of our social dances, how to make corn husk dolls, and what we use our corn for.

We've visited many places while we were here and I believe that it is amazing that we were able to experience and learn about a different country and the different ways they take care of their crops. We went on a lot of cool adventures such as superman zip lining, hikes, we also visited a lot of awesome waterfalls.

Our group learned that our tribes our really similar because they were fighting over land, have

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## From page 46/Ohelaku



Jarrett Wheeler, kneeling, Seneca board member of the Braiding the Sacred and translator Pedro Cardenas Alvarado from Oaxaca, Mexico take part in a corn exchange.

traditional foods, dances, and songs. But we realized that they talk in their original languages all time while we usually talk in English outside of longhouse. Some of the tribes only eat traditional foods. We learned a lot about their ways and they learned a lot about our ways. Our group might want to go again some time because we learned a lot and had an amazing time learning about the Ecuadorian people and their ways of life. As part of our trip, we interviewed the adults on the bus and asked them what they thought and learned throughout Ecuador.

Jen Falck said “We met a lot of different tribes while we have been here in Ecuador. I was struck by the similarities and

ceremonies and how they host people because it’s a big, big deal and how it’s a celebration to have guests. Also, how they grow their corn, and how they honor their corn.”

I asked Tony Kuchma “How is the land different for growing crops in Ecuador vs Oneida?” He responded with “The climate is very different in that we’re in the Andes mountains but we’re also near the equator which moderates temperatures and extends the growing season all year round. The land is similar in some areas in that it was shaped from glaciers, but it is also in the mountains and is very steep. Other areas formed with volcanic soils and are very rich compared to the soils we have in Oneida. Farm-

ers here do everything by hand on very steep slopes. And in Oneida we have very flat land and the luxury of farming equipment. One thing I would like to highlight is everyone has their own garden and separate corn plot. The majority of these farm fields throughout the country are less than five acres in size. Small scale farming is working in Ecuador and is feeding the nation.”

The trip was a great learning experience. Laura Manthe’s favorite part of the trip was meeting the woman from the Amazon because it was her first time that she met someone who didn’t conform to society and instead they stuck to their traditions. We went to a museum in Cuenca that

had exhibits that displayed traditional clothing and artifacts. We got to experience those things live and in person while everyone else at the museum only got to see them as something from the past. When our group went to see those things in person it meant way more than going into a museum. Everything was worth it but if she could change one thing about the trip we would choose to not ride the bus for that

long.

Jasmine Jimmerson’s favorite part of the trip was getting to see all the plants and herbs they used and how much alike they were to the medicine that we used to have a long time ago, she thinks it’s amazing that they still use those things even with today’s society. She also thought it was really cool that everyone there was always working even the children and everyone had a responsibility.

They referred to us as the people of the eagle and there referred themselves to the people of the condor. Another cool thing was seeing them plant our three sisters together (corn, beans, and squash). Jasmine enjoyed tasting all the different foods they made with the corn. When we were there, we performed some ceremonial events and Jasmine noticed that we had a lot in common.

## Oneida Community Education Center May Calendar of Events

### Plein Air Painting on the Rez

May 2, 9, 16, 23rd

5:30 - 8:30PM

Oneida Nation Arts Program

### Basket Making: Tray/Organizer Basket

May 7, 8, 14, 15th

5:30 - 7:30PM

Oneida Nation Arts Program

### Two Needle Beading Technique

May 9, 10, 16, 17th

5:30 - 8:30PM

Oneida Nation Arts Program

### Play Submissions Due

May 11th

Wisconsin Native American Playwright Festival

Submit to:

shemken@oneidanation.org

For more information and registration:  
oneidacommunityeducationcenter.org



# Skenandore debuts new novel *Between Earth and Sky*

By Dawn Walschinski  
Kalihwisaks Managing Editor  
dwalschi@oneidanation.org  
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Historical fiction writer Amanda Skenandore was inspired to write her debut novel *Between Earth and Sky* by a visit to a casino in Lac Du Flambeau with her mother-in-law

Alice Skenandore who is Anishinabeg enrolled with the Lac Courte Oreilles Band.

“Way in the back they had pictures of these little Native American children in like military garb, and I said ‘what is this, what’s going on here’ and (Alice) told me about the boarding schools that the government had set up at

the end of the 1900’s, beginning of the 20th century, and it was something I had never heard about in my education. It was never talked about. The more I looked into this the more kind of important, and I think tragic, this whole thing was and I felt like I wanted to share that with people who like me had not heard about that.”

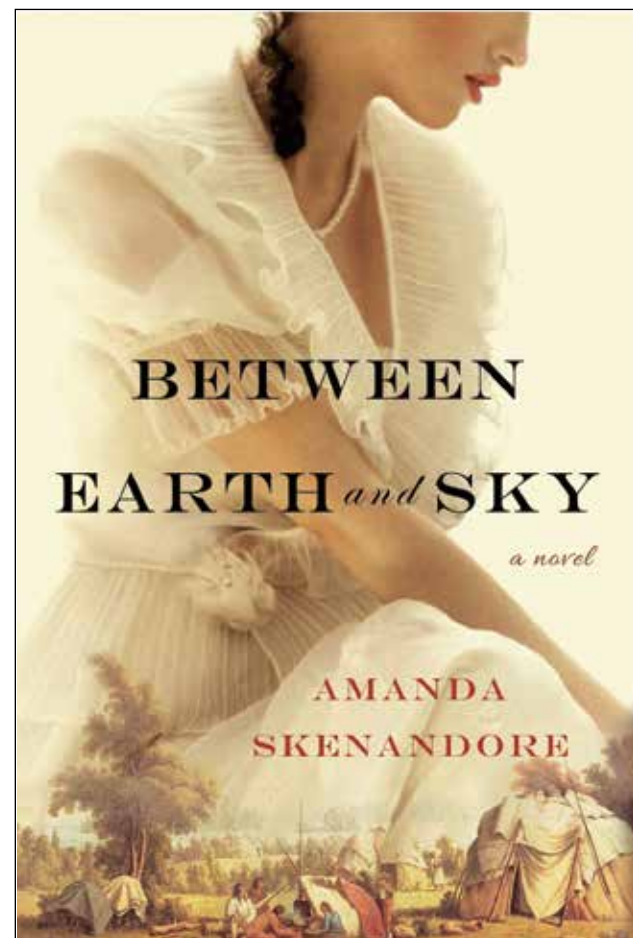
Amanda, who is non-Native, wrote a coming-of-age story about a young woman, Alma Mitchell, whose father runs a boarding school in the Upper Midwest. The only white student at the school, Alma becomes friends with her fellow students and learns their Native language that they are forbidden to use.

“I hope readers will hopefully learn something about a period of history that maybe they didn’t learn a lot about in school. And I hope that they will see that ... this idea of trying to impose our will upon other people and upon other cultures is damaging to everyone, and even when we’re acting in what we think to be the best of intentions, we can be doing a lot of harm, and we need to step back and let people have their own agency, and operate by their own cultural beliefs and customs,” she said.

Amanda will appear at the Untitled Town Book and Author Festival taking place April 19-22 in downtown Green Bay. She will be part of a panel “The Muse of History” on Saturday, April 21 at 10:00am - 11:15am at the Neville Public Museum, Classroom 1, 210 Museum Place, Green Bay. She will also have a book signing Sunday, April 22, 2018, 1:00pm - 1:30pm, Broadway Center (Old Fort Square) 211 N Broadway, Green Bay, WI 54303



**Amanda Skenandore**  
Historic Fiction Writer



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### Oneida Nation General Renting Program

#### Location Details

1329 La Count Road,

Green Bay, 54313

- 3 bedroom
- \$600 per month rent
- \$600 security deposit
- 1 and half bathrooms
- 2 stall attached garage

#### Open House Dates

- Tuesday, April 24th from 11am-1pm
- Wednesday, April 25th from 4pm-6pm

#### Interested

- Applications available at:
  - ◊ The open house
  - ◊ Comprehensive Housing Division—2913 Commissioner Street, Oneida WI 54155
  - ◊ Comprehensive Housing Division website: <https://oneida--nsn.gov/resources/housing>
  - ◊ [Application Release of information form](#) [Employment verification](#)
- In order to be considered, rental applications must be submitted in person at the Bay Bank drop box located at 2555 Packerland Drive, Green Bay, WI 54313.
- Applications will be accepted April 26th and 27th from 8:30am to 5:00pm. Eligible applicants will be selected on a first come first served basis.
- To be eligible, at least one (1) of the tenants named as a party to the rental agreement must be a Tribal member.

The remaining eligibility requirements can be found in the Landlord-Tenant law at [Landlord Tenant Law](#) and the General Rental Program rules at [Landlord Tenant Rule - General Renting](#)



FOR QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT TINA SKENANDORE AT 920-869-6176



## Walker signs bill limiting employer agreements

MADISON, Wis. (AP) ~ Gov. Scott Walker has signed into law a bill that would prohibit local governments from enacting a wide variety of employment regulations.

The new law Walker signed Monday would block local officials from setting requirements for overtime or benefits, minimum wages for local government employees, employment discrimi-

nation ordinances and requirements for labor peace agreements. Those are deals in which employers agree to allow a union to attempt to organize.

The bill passed the Senate and Assembly with Republicans united in support and Democrats against.

The measure was among 93 Walker signed in the Capitol on Monday.

## Native fiber exhibit call for art

The Wisconsin Museum of Quilts and Fiber Arts is working with Oneida artist, Karen Ann Hoffman, to curate a Native Fiber exhibit opening January of 2019.

The exhibit "Native Fiber" takes a very inclusive definition of fiber. Cloth yes, but also plant fiber, quilts, beadwork, cordage, basketry, fur, leather and more...

"Native Fiber" will showcase the astonishing ways Native Americans work with these extraordinary materials to produce objects of great beauty and cultural content.

The exhibit is seeking original, Native made fiber fine art ranging from traditional to contemporary.

For more information

email  
karenannhoffman01@gmail.com

Please put Native Fiber in the subject line.



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# Help Stamp Out Hunger in Oneida on May 12

Saturday, May 12th marks the 26th anniversary of one of America's great days of giving — the National Association of Letter Carriers Stamp-Out Hunger Food drive. Letter carriers walk and drive through the Oneida community every day, often coming face to face with a sad reality for too many....hunger.

So, each year on the second Saturday in May, letter carriers across the country collect non-perishable food donations from our customers. These donations will go directly to your local

Oneida Emergency Food Pantry.

Last year, we collected over 75 million pounds of food nationally, feeding an estimated 64 million people. Over the course of its 25-year history, the drive has collected approximately 1.6 billion pounds of food, thanks to a postal service universal delivery network.

The need for food donations is great. Currently, 49 million Americans—1 in 6—are unsure where their next meal is coming from. Thirteen million are children who feel hunger's impact on

their overall health and ability to perform in school. More than 5 million seniors over age 60 are food deprived.

By springtime, many pantries are depleted, entering the summer low on supplies at a time when many school breakfast and lunch programs are not available to children in need.

Participating in this year's Letter Carrier Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive is simple. Just leave a non-perishable food donation in a bag by your mailbox on Saturday, May 12th and your

letter carrier will do the rest.

The Oneida Post Office is proud to partner up with Marlon Skenandore and the dedicated volunteers at the Oneida Emergency Food Pantry. For more information on the food drive and how you can help, please contact Bruce Cole at the Oneida Post Office or Marlon Skenandore at the Oneida Emergency Food Pantry.

*Sincerely,*  
**Bruce Cole**  
Postmaster-Oneida Post Office  
N7310 Red Willow Parkway

Oneida WI 54155  
920-869-3710

Marlon Skenandore  
Manager-Oneida

Emergency Food Pantry  
N7372 Water Cir Place  
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- Amanda Bruegl, MD  
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Asst. Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology,  
Oregon Health Sciences University
- Adrienne Laverdure, MD  
(Turtle Mountain), Medical Director,  
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- Mark Powless, PhD, (Oneida Nation)
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- Keetah Smith, (Oneida)

Registration Deadline

Friday, April 20, 2018

NO FEE

Contact Information

Connie Danforth  
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2901 S. Overland Rd.  
Oneida, WI 54155

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ph: (920) 869-6740  
fax: (920) 869-6790

## Governor signs bill relaxing rental regulations

MADISON, Wis. (AP) ~ Gov. Scott Walker has signed a bill that protects landlords by limiting local governments' inspection authority.

Under the bill, local governments can inspect rental properties only in blighted areas or in areas with decreasing property values or increases in single-family home conversions to rental units. If inspectors don't find

a violation or the violation is corrected within a month inspectors can't return to the property for five years.

Local government also can't inspect rental properties less than eight years old or enact ordinances based on building aesthetics.

Walker signed the bill on Monday.

## Community

### Announcement

The Community Fund that is administered by the Finance Committee is now taking applications for FY18. The purpose of the Community Fund is to serve the Oneida community members by offering funds and/or Coca-Cola products. The Community Fund is available to all enrolled Oneida member and is designated specifically for:

1. Self-Development initiatives for youth and adults,
2. Oneida Community Events and
3. Fundraisers that benefit Oneida members or the Community

All funding requests obligate the requestor to provide a 10% match. Individual requests are limited to a maximum of \$500 once per year and group requests to \$750 once per year.

Excluded requests include any travel/travel related requests, personal requests or funds that can be obtained from another tribal program. Tribal programs are also excluded from funding requests, but may be eligible for product requests; provided the event is open to and benefits the community/public.

The Finance Committee reviews all requests once each month. There is one application for funding requests and one application for Coca-Cola product requests. The FY 2018 forms are available on the Intranet under Frequently Used forms/Finance, and on the Oneida Tribal website page.

You can also call the Finance Administration Office at 920-869-4325 to obtain forms or to find out more information. All requestors are asked to submit requests at least six weeks before actual need or event date. Completed forms and back up information are to be sent in a PDF format to: CF@oneidation.org

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**June 29 - July 1, 2018 • Norbert Hill Center  
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Arena Director: Nigel Schuyler, Oneida/Odawa, Detroit, MI  
Head Drum Judge: Kevin Kingbird, Chippewa, Redlake, MN  
Head Female Dance Judge: Dionne Jacobs, Oneida, Oneida, WI  
Head Male Dance Judge: Calvin Campbell, Dakota, Prairie Island, MN  
Smoke Dance Coordinator: John Brown, Oneida, Ontario, Canada

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2nd Annual Singers Best Leads Special  
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Welcoming Floyd King to Adults: Teens vs. Mens Traditional

**The Public  
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Admission	Grand Entries	Registration
Weekend Pass \$12	Friday, June 29 7pm	Friday, June 29 4pm-6:30pm
Daily Pass \$7	Saturday, June 30 1pm & 7pm	Saturday, June 30 11am-12:30pm
60 & older FREE	Sunday, July 1 12 Noon	
5 & under FREE		

**ATTENTION DANCERS AND SINGERS** | Point System competition will begin Friday, June 29. Singers please bring your own chairs. No registration fee required, but must purchase weekend pass to compete.

**NO CANOPIES ALLOWED.** For more information, call the Oneida Pow-Wow Committee at 920-362-5425 (Tonya), or 920-327-9237 (Wayne Jr.). Reserve your room now at the Radisson Hotel & Conference Center (920-494-7300), or at the Wingate Wyndham Green Bay/Airport (920-617-2000). Please ask for the pow-wow room block at both hotels. Rates based on availability

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# ONHS thanks NWTC students for construction of new sugar shack

By Dawn Walschinski  
Kalihwisaks Managing Editor  
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(920) 496-5636

The Oneida Nation High School held a handshake ceremony to thank NWTC students, staff, and Oneida leadership for the new sugar shack built behind the Norbert

Hill Center on Thursday, April 5.

The students performed a Friendship Dance, and the school held a pancake feast featuring maple syrup made in the new structure.

NTWC carpentry student Matt Sherman thanked Oneida for the hands on opportunity.

“It’s more fun to come

out here and do this than watch a powerpoint,” he said.

Students from both schools were able to enjoy hands-on experience in planning and constructing the new structure that replaces and old one that was burned down several years ago.

## COMPREHENSIVE HOUSING DIVISION

### OPEN HOUSE

TUESDAY APRIL 24, 2017  
11:30 A.M. TO 1:30 P.M.

&

WEDNESDAY APRIL 25, 2018  
4:00 P.M. TO 6:00 P.M.



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Est. Monthly Real Estate Taxes:	\$ 146.83
Total	\$ 573.42

Applicants who have a minimum monthly gross income of \$ 2,047.93 are encouraged to apply.

\*(95,000 @ 3.5% for 30 years)

**Prequalification Deadline:**  
12:00 p.m. – Friday, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018

**Offer Period:**  
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018

at Bay Bank, 2555 Packerland Drive  
Green Bay, WI 54313

For more information contact

#### Comprehensive Housing Division

Local: (920) 869-2227

Address: 2913 Commissioner Street, Oneida, WI  
Website: <http://www.oneidation.org/land/>

- This is a spec sheet only and is not a binding document
- On-site viewing is recommended for potential home buyers\*
- Home is vacant and unfurnished
- Eligible home buyers must be enrolled members of the Oneida Nation

\*This is not a Dream Home as the Nation is no longer operating the Dream Home Program. This home is sold as is, which means there may be items the buyer chooses to and/or needs to repair upon purchase. The buyer will be responsible for all future maintenance and upkeep of the home. For more information related to the Nation's mortgage program, please see the Mortgage and Foreclosure law at <https://oneida-nsn.gov/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/Chapter-612-Mortgage-and-Foreclosure-BC-08-10-16-K.pdf> and the corresponding rules at <https://oneida-nsn.gov/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/Mortgage-law-Rule-1-Mortgage-Programs.pdf>.



Kali photos/Dawn Walschinski

Top: Oneida Nation High School staff and students, Oneida Business Committee members thanked NWTC faculty and students as well as Oneida staff who constructed the new sugar shack behind the Norbert Hill Center with a Handshake Ceremony.

Bottom: ONHS Students led out a Friendship Dance before sitting down to a pancake dinner featuring maple syrup made at the new sugar shack.

# Tribes' request for more say in Dakota Access study denied

By Blake Nicholson  
Associated Press

BISMARCK, N.D. (AP) ~ A judge has rejected the request by two American Indian tribes to be more involved in a court-ordered environmental review of the Dakota Access oil pipeline.

U.S. District Judge James Boasberg last June ordered the Army Corps of Engineers to further review the pipeline's impact on tribal interests, though he allowed oil to begin flowing.

In December, he ordered Texas-based de-

veloper Energy Transfer Partners to produce an oil spill response plan for Lake Oahe, the Missouri River reservoir in the Dakotas from which the Standing Rock and Cheyenne River Sioux draw water. Boasberg also ordered a review by an independent engineering company on whether the pipeline complies with federal regulations.

The two tribes have said they were being left out of the process and they asked Boasberg to order that they be given more involvement. Corps

and company attorneys accused the tribes of being difficult to work with.

Boasberg wrote in an order dated Monday that "the parties engage in a lengthy dispute over who is refusing to talk to whom."

"The court does not believe that further inserting itself into the minutiae of this disagreement is either permissible or wise," he wrote.

Boasberg also noted that ETP submitted the spill response plan and the independent review on April 2, making any

request for additional tribal involvement in that work moot. The Standing Rock tribe has started raising money for its own spill response program.

As for the Corps' additional review of the pipeline's impact on tribal interests, Boasberg said the tribes can continue to press their argument that the study is flawed when that work is completed and presented to him.

The Corps had anticipated an April 2 comple-

tion date, but that has been delayed by what the agency maintains is difficulties obtaining needed information from the tribes.

Standing Rock attorney Jan Hasselman in a statement to The Associated Press said the Corps "is missing the opportunity to engage with the Standing Rock tribe meaningfully on its legitimate concerns about the safety of this pipeline, and continuing to accept without

question Energy Transfer's shoddy technical work."

The Standing Rock and Cheyenne River tribes are leading the four-tribe lawsuit against the \$3.8 billion pipeline that is moving oil from North Dakota through South Dakota and Iowa to a shipping point in Illinois. They fear environmental and cultural harm. ETP says the pipeline is safe.

## LEGAL NOTICE

### REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Oneida Nation hereby gives notice that Proposals will be received by the Community & Economic Development Division for the following described project.

**PROJECT – Foreign Trade Zone #167 – Business Development Feasibility Study.** This Study was made possible by a Native American Business Development Institute (NABDI) Grant awarded by the United States of America - Bureau of Indian Affairs. This study will evaluate potential business development opportunities using advantages of the Foreign Trade Zone #167 located within the Oneida Nation Reservation. A complete description of the project and required services is noted in the Request for Proposal document.

**PROCUREMENT OF REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)** - The complete RFP documents (in the form of a PDF document) is available via email, by emailing either of the following individuals:

tparr@oneidation.org  
and/or  
gkoehler@oneidation.org

**INDIAN PREFERENCE** – To the greatest extent feasible, the Oneida Nation shall give preference in the award of contracts to certified Indian Organizations and certified Indian Owned companies. Any contract awarded under this advertisement shall conform to the Oneida Nation's Indian Preference in Contracting law.

**SUBMITTAL DEADLINE** – The deadline for submitting a completed Proposal via email submission to the Community & Economic Development Division is noted in the RFP and is: **before 3:30 PM on Tuesday May 8, 2018.**

*Published by the authority of the Oneida Nation.*

# Oneida Food Safety Class

According to the Oneida Food Service Code and in order to provide the safest food products to the community, people who wish to sell food at any Tribal sponsored event (PowWow, Carnival, etc.) or in Tribal buildings are required to complete and maintain food safety certification.

## 2018 Schedule

### CERTIFICATION

May 2	5 - 9 P.M.
May 30	5 - 9 P.M.
June 29	9 - 12 P.M.-NHC
July 11	5 - 9 P.M.
August 22	5 - 9 P.M.
September 19	5 - 9 P.M.
October 17	5 - 9 P.M.
November 14	5 - 9 P.M.

### RECERTIFICATION

April 18	12-1 P.M.
May 16	5-6 P.M.
June 13	12-1 P.M.
June 29	12-1 P.M.-NHC
July 25	5 - 6 P.M.
August 8	5-6 P.M.
September 5	12-1 P.M.
October 3	5-6 P.M.
November 7	12-1 P.M.

**LOCATION:** Little Bear Development Center,  
N7332 Water Circle Place, Oneida, WI 54155

**SIGN UP:** Call the Environmental, Health & Safety Division at  
(920) 869-4553 or email vmiller@oneidation.org

If there are not at least 3 people signed up and present within  
15 minutes of the class start time, the class will be canceled.

## Upcoming Events in April – May

### April 22

#### **Puppet Idol**

**When:** Sunday, April 22

**Time:** 3:00 PM

**Where:** Oneida Apostolic Church  
118 West Meadow Drive  
Oneida, WI

Oneida Apostolic Church & Heavenly Hands Puppet Team presents, Puppet Idol. A puppet lip-sync contest open to any and all takers. No experience needed. You can be the next rising star! Sign up the day of contest or just come and watch the fun! Contact: Pastor Juan Alicea at (920) 713-0540 for more information.

### April 28

#### **45<sup>th</sup> Annual AIRO Powwow**

**When:** Saturday, April 28

**Time:** 6:00 pm

**Where:** UW Stevens Point  
Quandt Gymnasium  
2050 Fourth Avenue

Grand Entries: 1PM & 7PM. Meal provided at 5PM. \$3 w/Student ID, \$5 w/o. Elders 55 and over are free; Children 5 and under are free. First 7 drums receive honorarium. MC: Sonny Smart, Arena Director: Ronnie Preston, Head Dancers: Thomas Redbird IV & Michelle Reed, Host Drum: Chief Hill, Invited Drums: Lake Dalton & Fire Nation. Specials: AIRO Princess outgoing, AIRO Brave outgoing, Mens Grass, All Mens Special, Applique, Mens Woodland.

*Sponsored by: (AIRO) American Indians Reaching for Opportunities, (AISES) the American Indian Science and Engineering Society, UWSP Student Body.*

Open to the Public | Contact: (715) 346-3576 for more information.

### April 25

#### **Strategies for Change**

**When:** Wednesday, April 25

**Time:** 5:00PM Potluck Meal

**Where:** Norbert Hill Center Cafeteria  
N7210 Seminary Rd.,  
Oneida, Wisconsin

You're Invited. Come to learn how

members of our community can have a real voice in creating the future we want. Learn techniques of community organizing, and share your hopes and thoughts with other community-minded people. Together, we can make a difference. For more information, contact Margaret King (920) 264-3700, Community Organizer. *Sponsored by Wisdom, Inc.*

### May 19-20

#### **Tunica-Biloxie Powwow**

**When:** Sat. May 19 – Sun. May 20

**Where:** Chief Joseph Alcide Pierite  
Powwow Grounds, Tunica-Biloxi Reservation, LA Hwy. 1, Marksville, LA

Dance and Drum Contest – up to \$38,000 in Prizes. \$5 entry fee for dance competition. For lodging or general information call 1-800-946-1946 or visit tunicapowwow.org. Vendors must apply in advance. Contact John at jdbarbry@tunica.org or call 1-800-272-9767, ext. 6412.

### Ongoing

#### **Native American Artists Fellowship and Networking Gathering**

**When:** First Tuesday of the month

**Time:** 5:00PM – 7:00PM

**Where:** Oneida Arts Cottage, 1270  
Packerland Dr., Green Bay

We would like to invite any Native American artist to our fellowship meeting. This is a time for artists to show their work, socialize and seek reference for supplies and/or get technical assistance. Artists who bead or create or paint or have other crafts to show are welcome. This will be a potluck gathering. For more information please contact; the Arts Program (920)-490-3832 or CEC (920) 496- 5252.

#### **Second Tuesday of every month Prayer Warriors**

**When:** Second Tuesday, every month

**Time:** 12:10PM – 12:50AM

**Where:** Oneida Assembly of God  
Church on the corner of Hwy  
54 and Olson Rd.

Changed to over the lunch hour!  
**Tuesday, May 8th is the next gathering date.** Sponsored by the Oneida Ecumenical Team, Oneida Christian Prayer Warriors. Welcome men, women and teens. Join us at the monthly gathering to pray for individuals, families and our community. Location will vary depending on the host for the month. For more information please contact: Edi at 715-524-3194 Edijafra@yahoo.com

#### **Wise Women Group**

**When:** Every Tuesday

**Time:** 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM

**Where:** Wise Women Gathering  
Place, 2483 Babcock Rd.

Come and join us as we share topics about a healthy lifestyle. We explore a holistic way of looking at women's issues in regard to our roles, overall wellness, relationships and children. Enjoy activities, talking circles, speakers, crafts, pot-lucks and community outings. Come and share a cup of hot herbal tea, bring a friend, meet new people and have a healthy night out with women of all ages. 1st week: Talking Circle, 2nd Week: Speaker or Group Activity, 3rd Week: Creative arts, 4th Week: Pot Luck & games. Please call ahead for childcare. Call (920) 490-0627—ASK for Julia or Sam or email Jmclester@wisewomengp.org. Visit www.wisewomengp.org or www.facebook.com/WiseWomenGPs.

#### **Red Road AA Group**

**When:** Tuesdays

**Time:** 7:00PM

**Where:** "DarJune Cafe" Recovery  
Community, 1201 S.  
Broadway & Ninth St.

Open Meeting – Members, Friends & Family. All are welcome!  
Contact: Michael, (608)-308-3088.

#### **Shotgun Shooting**

**When:** Wed. 9:00AM to 1:00PM,

Fri. 9:00AM to 1:00PM, Sat.

Noon to 4:00PM, Sun. 9:00AM  
to 1:00PM

**Where:** 1711 Deerfield Ave. Green  
Bay, WI 54313.

Improve your shooting abilities with Skeet and Trap shooting at Brown County Sportsmen's Club. Website: skeetandtrap.com Call (920) 434-9930 for more information.

#### **Alcoholics Anonymous**

**When:** Wednesdays

**Time:** 6:00PM

**Where:** Three Sisters Comm. Center  
The meeting will be open unless topic calls for a closed meeting. For more information call 920-869-9014.

#### **Women's Support Group**

**When:** Every Friday

**Time:** Noon–2:30PM

**Where:** Three Sisters Community  
Center

For more information Isabel Parker at (920) 412-0396 or Georgia Burr at (920) 362-2490.

#### **Wise Men's Support Group**

**When:** Thursdays

**Time:** 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM

**Where:** Wise Women Gathering  
Place, 2483 Babcock Rd.

Wise Men is a support group for men of all ages, Native and non-Native. The Wise Men group is comprised of mostly elders who want to share their life-long learning experiences. Our experiences are a tool for guidance for other men. Wise Men is dedicated to helping men manage or change addictive habits or thoughts. Destructive behavior comes in many forms and does no one good. Life is too short to deceive oneself and face struggling through it. The past is gone, the future yet written.

Experience has proven that a Talking Circle is one of the best ways to help achieve a healthier outlook on life. FMI, contact: Rick Laes at (920) 217-0851 or Gary Keshena at (920) 362-0206 Open to all men. Come join us.

*Note: Any requests to include local events in this section will require individuals to list a phone # and contact person for the event.*

# Oneida community contributes to event success

Between February 26- March 18, 2018 the Oneida One Stops, Oneida Casino Travel Center, Oneida Smoke Shops and the New Oneida Four Paths sold Diamonds to raise funds for REZurrected Ridez Car Club. Customers purchased Diamonds in the amount of \$1 and \$5 that were then prominently displayed in the store locations.

The Oneida Retail em-

ployee's really did a great job promoting the Diamonds Sales making this event a success for REZurrected Ridez. A total of \$1,146 was contributed and an additional \$500 in-kind contribution from Oneida Retail brought the grand total provided to the Car Club to \$1,646. The funds will assist the club in purchasing school supplies for the yearly giveaway as well

as assisting in the ability to fund other upcoming events in Oneida.

This year's events include, but are not limited to:

- Community spring picnic and candy cruise. May 12th
- Community Powwow weekend parade June 30th.
- Community car show July 21.
- School supplies give-

away at 3 Sisters – August 7th.

- 2nd Substance Abuse, Education and Prevention event - TBA
- Movie night - TBA
- Horseshoe Tournament – TBA
- Kickball Tournament – TBA

• Farmers Market car show – TBA

• Community Halloween picnic and candy cruise - TBA

The REZurrected Ridez Car Club would like to give a big thank you to Oneida Retail for the opportunity to participate in

the Diamond for Dollars and to the Oneida Nation members and surrounding communities for their outstanding generosity. They will be looking for you at upcoming events.

## 2018 SPRING SPORTS SCHEDULE



### LAX

Friday, May 11: Oneida vs. SPASH-- NEW LOCATION: 1100 MINNESOTA AVE. STEVENS POINT, WI

Saturday, May 12: Bullrush Jamboree—CANCELLED

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### SOFTBALL

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### TRACK & FIELD

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### GOLF

Monday, April 23: Wausaukee Invitational—CANCELLED & RESCHEDULED TO THURSDAY, APRIL 26 @ WHISTLING STRAITS

Friday, April 27: Niagara Invitational—CANCELLED

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# DIAMONDS for Dollars

Buy a diamond in support...  
**REZurrected Ridez Car Club**

*Every dollar makes a difference!*

**THANK YOU  
for your  
SUPPORT!**

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\$1146!**

*"Oneida customer  
& community are  
awesome!"*

**\$5**      **\$1**

**Funds raised support**      **REZurrected  
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