

NIIGAANIIN

Client and Community Newsletter

October 12, 2023



Niigaaniin Hours

Mon-Thurs 9:00-4:30 - Fridays 9:00-12:30

Income Statement's due Oct 16, 2023

OESP PROGRAM

CHECK YOUR HYDRO BILL FOR OESP EXPIRE
RENEWAL YEARLY

CALL Darrell Jacques
705 356 1621 Ext 2235

ODSP FN WORKER
STACEY ARMSTRONG

Sarmstrong@niigaaniin.com

(705) 356 1621 - EXT 2352

FAX 705-356 0728

INFORMATION

CHEQUE DAY

October 31, 2023

LMI COORDINATOR

KRISTEN JACKPINE

LABOUR MARKET INITIATIVE SURVEY

LMI COORDINATOR @MISSISSAUGI.COM

705 356 1621 EXT 2351

"QUOTE OF THE WEEK"

" Nothing is impossible, the word itself
says I'm possible"

~Audrey Hepburn~

~Riddle of the week~

The more you take, the more you leave behind

What am I?

Last week trivia answer

D- Ontario

Mississauga First Nations

LOCAL AREA - JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Position	Employer/Location	Closing date
Various positions available	Mississauga FN - check community flyer	until filled
Various Positions Available	Garden River FN	until filled
Various Positions Available	Serpant River FN	until filled
Various Positions Available	Sagamok FN	until filled
General Labourer	Carmeuse/Blind River	10/05/23
House Keeper	Old Mill Motel	10/31/23
Labourer	Carmeuse/Algoma	10/05/23
Income Tax Préparar	Liberty Tax/Blind River	10/05/23
Patroller/Labourer	Ledcor Group/Iron Bridge	11/22/23
Highway Maintenance	Ledcor Group/Iron Bridge	11/22/23
Early Learning Centre	Blind River Early Learning Centre	10/09/23
Grocery Clerk	Value Mart/Blind River	10/13/23
Produce Clerk	Value Mart/Blind River	10/13/23
Front End Cashier	Value Mart/Blind River	10/13/23
Salad Bar/Produce	Value Mart/Blind River	10/13/23
Flooring installer	Fern's/Blind River	10/31/23
Bus Drivers	AJ Bus Lines/Blind River	10/31/23
Front Counter	Tim Hortons/Blind River	10/31/23
Various Positions	Northshore Health Network/Blind River	10/31/23

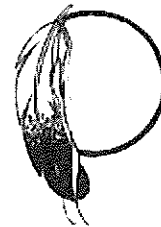
Other Websites for job postings: Indeed; Linkedin; Google jobs; Job-Bank.gc.ca; employment solutions

Also: Gas Attendants/Cashiers / Casual Parttime - Broken Canoe /ask for Jacquie

- If you are on OW or EI or not working or need training ISETP's can offer you the following: Apprenticeships; Employment Supports/Startup; wage subsidies; Mobility/relocation assistance; Skills enhancement/Direct Course Purchase; Youth Work Experience; Student Employment; Career and Educational development: Self Employment Assistance *

If you need help or assistance, you can call Rob our employment Counsellor at 705-356-1621 ext.2237 but please do not wait for the last minute. Call and make an appointment.

When applying for any position/job the process involved is: Where do you apply; in person; mail; fax; email or phone. Before applying, please read and follow all the instructions that is required from the employer, or you may be screened out and not get that interview.





Position: Cultural Support Worker

Wage: \$47,889 - \$54,412

Hours of Work: Flexible (*may involve evening and weekend work*) 32 hours per week

Circulation Level: Level I

Accountability: Social Services Director

Employment Status: Full-time (2 year)

Preferences: MFN Band Members

The Cultural Support Worker will:

- Coordinate and facilitate various gatherings to develop cultural practices for staff, at risk families and Band Representative Program clients both on reserve and off reserve.
- Develop and maintain a resource list of cultural people, resources, and Elders available to the First Nation.
- Review, develop and maintain policies and procedures for safe delivery of Traditional healing and counselling services.
- Develop and implement a training plan on cultural practices in collaboration with local Traditional Knowledge keepers and resource people.
- Educate and train high-risk individuals and families about cultural protocols and practices, teachings, ceremonies, and traditions that can be implemented in day-to-day practices and during special stages of life such as rites of passages and other significant events.
- Gather traditional historical resources and family lineage information to share with clients residing both on and off reserve.
- In keeping with the Anishinabek values, balance outside interests and influences to not jeopardize professional credibility, judgement, or competency; Attend first-time cultural teachings and ceremonies with clients if requested.
- Be available to work some evenings and/or weekends.
- Acting as a role model to other staff and community members in the day-to-day execution of responsibilities of the position
- Compliance with organizational values and statement of confidentiality
- Able to communicate with others in a warm and helpful manner while simultaneously building credibility and rapport.
- Set realistic, specific goals and objectives; and to prioritize objectives.

The Cultural Support Worker will possess the following education, experience, and skill qualifications:

- Diploma or Degree in a Social services field or Native Studies or willingness to obtain a college diploma in Social Services or Native Studies
- One years' experience or volunteer work in a social services organization developing and delivering cultural programs and services.
- Knowledge of child and family services at the First Nation and regional level.
- Respect for, sensitivity towards as well as knowledge and understanding of Anishinabek culture, traditions, and the Seven Grandfather Teachings
- Knowledge of First Nation health and social service programs for referral and follow up purposes.
- Strong cultural knowledge and skills; Ability to work with confidential and sensitive information.
- Must possess or be willing to obtain a current First Aid and CPR certificate.
- Driver's license, insurance and access to a vehicle required; Clear Vulnerable Sector Check (CPIC)
- Ability to work flexible hours.

TO APPLY: Customize your cover letter and resume to the duties, experience, expectations, and qualification listed on the job posting. If you are a member of MFN or of Indigenous descent, please include this information in your cover letter. We rely on the information you provide to us in your application during screening. **Successful candidates** who receive interviews **must** provide copies of their education qualifications and certifications at the time of interview. Please note that all interviews will be **in person**. If you would like a copy of the full job description and/or are interested in applying you may submit your covering letter, resume and three (3) work related references to:

Mississauga First Nation
P.O. Box 1299 Blind River, Ontario P0R1B0
Attention: Human Resources Department
Marked: **CONFIDENTIAL**
EMAIL: hrclerk@mississaugi.com **FAX:** 705-356-1740
Deadline: October 13, 2023

Thank you to all applicants; however, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

WALKING IN BALANCE

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Position: Band Representative Assistant

Salary: \$ 42, 947 – 48, 805

Hours of Work: 32hrs

Circulation Level: Level I

Accountability: Social Services Director

Employment Status: 2 years contract

Preferences: MFN Band Members

The Band Representative Assistant will perform the following duties:

- Provide support with case coverage responsibilities to the Band Representative team.
- Attend client visits, case conferences and school meetings when required.
- Aid in completing consents, case notes and record any other required data in CaseWorks.
- Assist with preparing court documents, goal plans, and grant proposals.
- Provide referrals and letters of support to external service agencies.
- Provide support with special projects and events by assisting with preparations prior to, during and after events.
- Transport children and youth to events, appointments, access, and school when required.
- Transport parents to and from access visits, medical appointments, and meetings.
- Be available to work flexible hours.
- Provide afterhours/on call coverage when required.
- Complete administrative tasks, reports and record statistical data.
- Ensure confidentiality and safe keeping of all client records.
- Aid in file maintenance when required.
- Record relevant information and provide update to the worker.
- Prepare and submit purchase orders, cheque requisitions, and travel expense claims.
- Follow the Agency's human resources, finance and other policies and procedures in the performance of duties.
- Participate in cultural activities within the agency.
- Actively seek guidance from the cultural team to ensure services and client interactions are culturally appropriate.
- Engage in learning and incorporating the Anishinaabemowin language in the workplace.
- Refer clients to cultural services for ceremonies, teachings, and activities.
- Other duties required or assigned.

The Band Representative Assistant will possess the following qualifications, skills, experiences, and attributes:

- Diploma or certificate in Social Services or related field
- Experience working with children.
- Knowledge of child development and Indigenous child protection services
- Two (2) years' experience working with First Nations children and families.
- Must possess or be willing to obtain a current First Aid and CPR certificate.
- Clear Vulnerable Sector Check (CPIC)
- Ability to lead and coach staff using a strengths-based and trauma-informed approach.
- Ability to meet tight deadlines and work flexible hours.
- Ability to adapt and make changes when needed.
- Ability to practice strict privacy and confidentiality.

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EMAIL: hradvisor@mississaugi.com **FAX:** 705-356-1740

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Position: Community Energy Champion

Salary: \$50,336 - \$57,208

Hours of Work: 32hrs per week

Circulation Level: Level I

Accountability: Lands and Resources Director

Employment Status: Maternity Coverage (1 year)

Preferences: MFN Band Members

The Community Energy Champion will perform the following duties:

- Consult with the Housing Coordinator/Infrastructure Manager to assist with the implementation of programs established through Union Gas (Reliance) now Enbridge, Hydro One etc.
- Implement programs through the rebate offers of energy efficient lightbulbs, appliances and utilizing methods of caulking and plastic film to cover windows during winter months to help with heat loss.
- Conduct preliminaries on energy saving measures by continued research on the use of biomass for self-reliance on power generation
- Collected pre and post data during community asset inspections
- Utilize IPAD devices preloaded with APPS such as ESRI's Survey1-2-3, Workforce, and collector. These apps will expedite work orders and will monitor progress and completion in the ARCMAP GIS system
- Responsible for following the CEC Plan in its entirety with potential modification to meet organizational needs.
- Constantly meet tight deadlines.

The Community Energy Champion will possess the following qualifications, skills, experiences, and attributes:

- Diploma in a technical field or related experience surrounding household and commercial energy consumption.
- Working knowledge of Microsoft Office Suite software programs, Outlook, social media, etc.
- Experience conducting household surveys, preparing technical reports, and assessing data.
- Experience working with Aboriginal people, organizations, and communities.
- Must have current First Aid/ CPR Certification
- Must provide a clear Criminal Reference Check (CPIC)
- Must provide a Class "G" Ontario Driver's License in good standing and must be able to travel.
- Must be able to work flexible hours, on-call, and shift work, including weekends and holidays.
- First Nation programs and services and operating regulations
- Knowledge and understanding of Mississauga First Nation and traditional territories.
- Knowledge of Mississauga First Nation Land Code and First Nations Lands Management Act
- Knowledge of the Occupational Health and Safety Act and the Canada Labour Code as it applies to the worker
- Knowledge of MFN environmental health issues
- Knowledge of MFN Lands & Resources Department and MFN

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Deadline: October 17, 2023

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Position: RHT Engagement Enaagadoot

Salary: \$29.52 - \$33.54

Hours of Work: 32 hours per week

Circulation Level: Level I

Accountability: Chi-Naakinagewin Director

Employment Status: Full-time Contract (8 mths)

Preferences: MFN Band Members

The RHT Engagement Enaagadoot will perform the following duties:

- **Stakeholder Collaboration:** Work closely with legal, financial, and community representatives to understand the terms of the annuities, address any questions or concerns, and ensure smooth communication between all parties involved.
- **Documentation and Record Keeping:** Maintain meticulous records of all annuity-related communications, transactions, and documentation. Ensure accuracy, completeness, and confidentiality of records.
- **Annuity Distribution:** Assist in developing a clear and organized process for the distribution of annuities to eligible recipients within the Mississauga First Nation community.
- **Compliance Monitoring:** Stay informed about relevant legal, financial, and regulatory requirements that pertain to the distribution of annuities. Ensure that all activities and processes comply with these regulations.
- **Community Outreach:** Collaborate with staff and Chief and Council to organize informational sessions or workshops to educate eligible recipients about the annuity distribution process, its benefits, and how it aligns with the Robinson Huron Treaty litigation.
- **Conflict Resolution:** Act as a point of contact to address any potential conflicts or concerns that may arise during the annuity distribution process. Direct community members to the appropriate MFN staff or contact for a response. Work towards finding equitable solutions that uphold the best interests of the Mississauga First Nation community.
- **Reporting:** Generate regular reports detailing the progress of the annuity coordination efforts. Present these reports to Chief and Council, relevant stakeholders, including community representatives, legal teams, and financial advisors.
- **Continuous Improvement:** Identify areas for process enhancement and implement improvements to streamline the annuity coordination process, ensuring efficiency and accuracy.

The RHT Engagement Enaagadoot will possess the following qualifications, skills, experiences, and attributes:

- A degree or diploma in a related field such as Indigenous Studies, Business Administration, Law, or Finance is preferred or two (2) years of related work experience.
- Experience with legal and financial compliance related to annuities is an asset.
- Experience working with aboriginal people, organizations and communities preferred.
- Must provide a clear Vulnerable Sector Check from the Canadian Police Information Center (CPIC).
- Familiarity with the Robinson Huron Treaty litigation and its implications for Indigenous communities.
- Sensitivity to cultural considerations and the unique needs of Indigenous communities.
- Knowledge of government departments/agencies dealing with finances.
- Knowledge of Mississauga First Nation programs and services.
- Knowledge of the Occupational Health and Safety Act and the Canada Labour Code as it applies to the worker.
- Strong organizational skills with keen attention to detail; Excellent communication skills, both written and verbal.
- Proficiency in record keeping and data management.
- Ability to work independently and collaboratively in a cross-functional team environment.
- Excellent time management skills; Excellent computer skills with MS Office including Excel, Word, Access.

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Position: After School Program Coordinator

Salary: \$47,889 – \$54,412

Hours of Work: 32 hrs

Circulation Level: Level I

Accountability: Social Services Manager

Employment Status: Maternity Coverage (6 months)

Preferences: MFN Band Members

The After School Program Coordinator will:

- Develop and coordinate the Programs according to funding guidelines and proposal submission
- Coordinate internal and external resources to assist in the delivery of programs and activities
- Purchase program supplies including healthy snacks
- Participate in team meetings and activities to develop working relationships and joint programming
- Develop programs to increase physical activity, to assist students with homework completion, deliver nutritional seminars and promote personal health and wellness with identification of personal goals
- Develop, coordinate, and manage the program registration process
- Prepare, plan, coordinate and lead workshops and training sessions
- Monitor the After School and Right to Play Program budgets to ensure fiscal responsibility
- Prepare cheque requisitions and purchase orders for approval in accordance with the finance policy
- Prepare and submit all financial reports to any agency providing funding support as required
- Responsible to ensure satisfactory completion of administrative tasks as required.
- Responsible for attending to correspondence, preparing briefing notes and reports as required.
- Prepare an annual work plan and monthly report based on the work plan.
- Establish work priorities, delegate work to staff and ensure deadlines are met and procedures are followed.
- Develop and maintain record keeping system for the program.
- Develop and implement evaluation tools to evaluate the program on a regular basis
- Ensure the Program site buildings are neat, organized, and safe for program delivery
- Secure the cooperation of program staff in the development & maintenance of a cooperative team approach
- Act as a liaison with staff, staff/parents, and students/staff
- Supervise, monitor, coach and direct all program staff
- Ensure time sheets and other appropriate forms are submitted as required
- Evaluate staff upon completion of program and/or on an annual basis

The After School Program Coordinator will possess the following education, experience, and skill qualifications:

- Completion of Post-Secondary Education in the Social Services Field (i.e., Social Work, Community or Social Service Worker, Child and Youth Worker etc.). 3-year relevant experience
- Minimum of three (3) years of experience in working with children and youth
- Previous experience supervising staff, experience writing reports and preparing work plans
- Must provide a clear Vulnerable Sector Check from the Canadian Police Information Center (CPIC)
- Must have First Aid and CPR Certification
- Must be able to work flexible hours including evening and weekend hours
- Must have Class 'G' Ontario Driver's License, access to a vehicle and be able to travel
- Knowledge of Canada's Food Guide
- Knowledge and understanding of Indigenous culture and traditions

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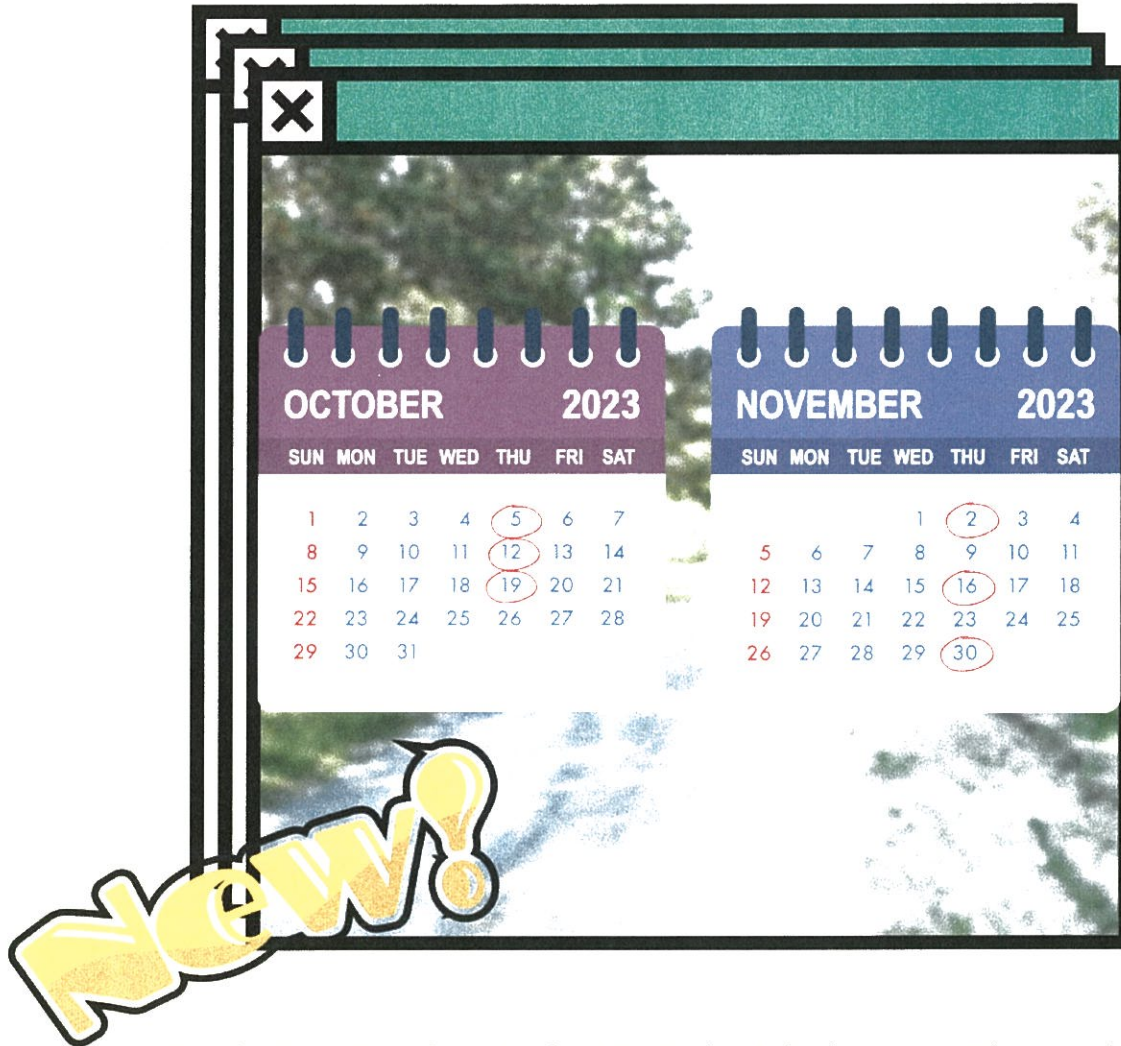
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MISSISSAUGA FIRST NATION COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER



Beginning **October 19th, 2023**, the Mississauga First Nation Community Newsletter will be delivered bi-weekly as opposed to the normal weekly newsletter.

All MFN news and programming will be available daily via:

www.facebook.com/MississaugaFirstNation

www.instagram.com/mississaugafn/

www.mississaugi.com

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this change, please feel free to contact Cheyenne Corbiere - Wiindamaagewin Enaagadoot

(Communications Coordinator)

wiindamaagewin@mississaugi.com or 705-261-1104



FOR SALE

\$12,000

- 2012 BLUEBIRD SCHOOL BUS
- APPROXIMATELY 130,000 KM'S
- UP TO DATE WITH MAINTENANCE
- CUMMINGS DIESAL ENGINE
- AS IS WHERE IS

PLEASE SEND INTEREST TO
PURCHASE BY SEPTEMBER 20,
2023 TO:
JAMES CADA,
DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS
BOX 1299,
BLIND RIVER, ON
P0R 1B0

Email: directorofoperations@mississaugi.com



AL-ANON

AL- ANON meeting

Have you or a family member been affected by another's drinking or drug addiction?

Please come out and join us at the Cultural Building - 96 Park Road - to find out what AL-ANON can do to help you.

Meeting Day/Time:

Monday - 6:00 - 7:00 PM

There you will find a fellowship of others who share your same challenges

Light Refreshments provided



NA MEETINGS



**"AT ANY GIVEN MOMENT YOU HAVE THE
POWER TO SAY THIS IS NOT HOW MY STORY
ENDS"**

**NA meetings happen Tuesday's at 7:00 PM
in the Culture Centre.**

Light refreshments will be provided.

**\$20.00 Tim Hortons gift card drawn
monthly.**



FOR MORE INFORMATION:

skycada@mississaugi.com



MEN'S DROP IN

Come out and join us

**Soup and Sandwich lunch
will be provided**

**At the Culture building -
96 park road - from 10:00
AM to 2:00 PM - Every
Thursday**

**For any questions, please contact:
Sky Cada @ 705-356-1621 ext. 2228
skycada@mississauga.com**



LIGHTING THE
**SACRED
FIRE**

WE WILL BE
LIGHTING THE
SACRED FIRE FOR
MFN COMMUNITY.

COME PRAY, STAY,
TALK OR JUST
ENJOY THE FIRE.

THURSDAYS
OUTSIDE THE
CULTURE BUILDING
- 96 PARK ROAD

9:00 AM TO 3:00
PM

MORE INFORMATION

SKY CADA - 705-261-1370
SKYCADA@MISSISSAUGI.COM



ATTENTION



**IF YOU HAVE A NALOXONE
KIT PLEASE CHECK THE
EXPIRY DATE**



See Krysta Sawyer or Sky Cada to get a new kit. If you have any questions feel free to contact 705-356-1621 ext. 2231 or 2228



MFN Housing
NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR A
2 Bedroom Unit (384 Village Road)

- Must be a MFN Band Member.
- **Tentative** move in date: December 1st, 2023.
- Applicant(s) must in good standing with MFN.
- Incomplete applications **will not** be accepted.
- 1st and last months rent (security deposit) required.

Applications are available at the Band Office or on the MFN website.

www.mississaugi.com

Deadline to apply: Friday November 3rd, 2023 @ 4:00 pm

Applicants can mail, email, fax or drop off in person at the Band Office.

Monica McGregor, Housing Manager
Mississauga First Nation
PO Box 1299
Blind River, ON
P0R 1B0

Fax: 1-705-356-1740

Email: monica@mississaugi.com

(See attached APPROVED HOUSING APPLICATION FORM)

MISSISSAUGA FIRST NATION



MISSISSAUGA FIRST NATION APPLICATION FOR HOUSING (APPENDIX 2)

DEADLINE DATE: NOVEMBER 3, 2023

LOCATION: 384 VILLAGE RD (2 bdrm)

Please print and fill out all sections of this form and submit to the Housing Department. **Incomplete applications will not be accepted.**

SECTION 1: APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name (First):		Name (Last):	
Band Number:		Birthdate (mm/dd/yy):	
Mailing Address:		Unit Number:	
City/Town:	Province:	Postal Code:	
Home #:	Cell #:	Work #:	
Marital Status: <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Common Law <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Single w/ children			
E-mail Address:			

SECTION 2: CO-APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name (First):		Name (Last):	
Band Number:		Birthdate (mm/dd/yy):	
City/Town:	Province:	Postal Code:	
Home #:	Cell #:	Work #:	

SECTION 3: OTHER HOUSEHOLD MEMBERS (that will also be living in unit)

First Name	Last Name	DOB	Gender	Relationship to Applicant

SECTION 4: ANNUAL INCOME INFORMATION

Household Member	Type of Income	Annual Amount
Applicant # 1 Employer: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Full-Time <input type="checkbox"/> Part-Time <input type="checkbox"/> Seasonal	<input type="checkbox"/> Employed: <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Bi-Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly	
	<input type="checkbox"/> OW (Niigaaniin)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> ODSP (Ontario Disability Support Program)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> EI (Employment Insurance)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> CPP (Canada Pension Plan)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> OAS (Old Age Security)	
	<input type="checkbox"/> OSAP	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Co-Applicant # 2 Employer: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Full-Time <input type="checkbox"/> Part-Time <input type="checkbox"/> Seasonal	<input type="checkbox"/> Employed: <input type="checkbox"/> Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Bi-Weekly <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly	
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	<input type="checkbox"/> OSAP	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Total Annual Household Income		\$ 0

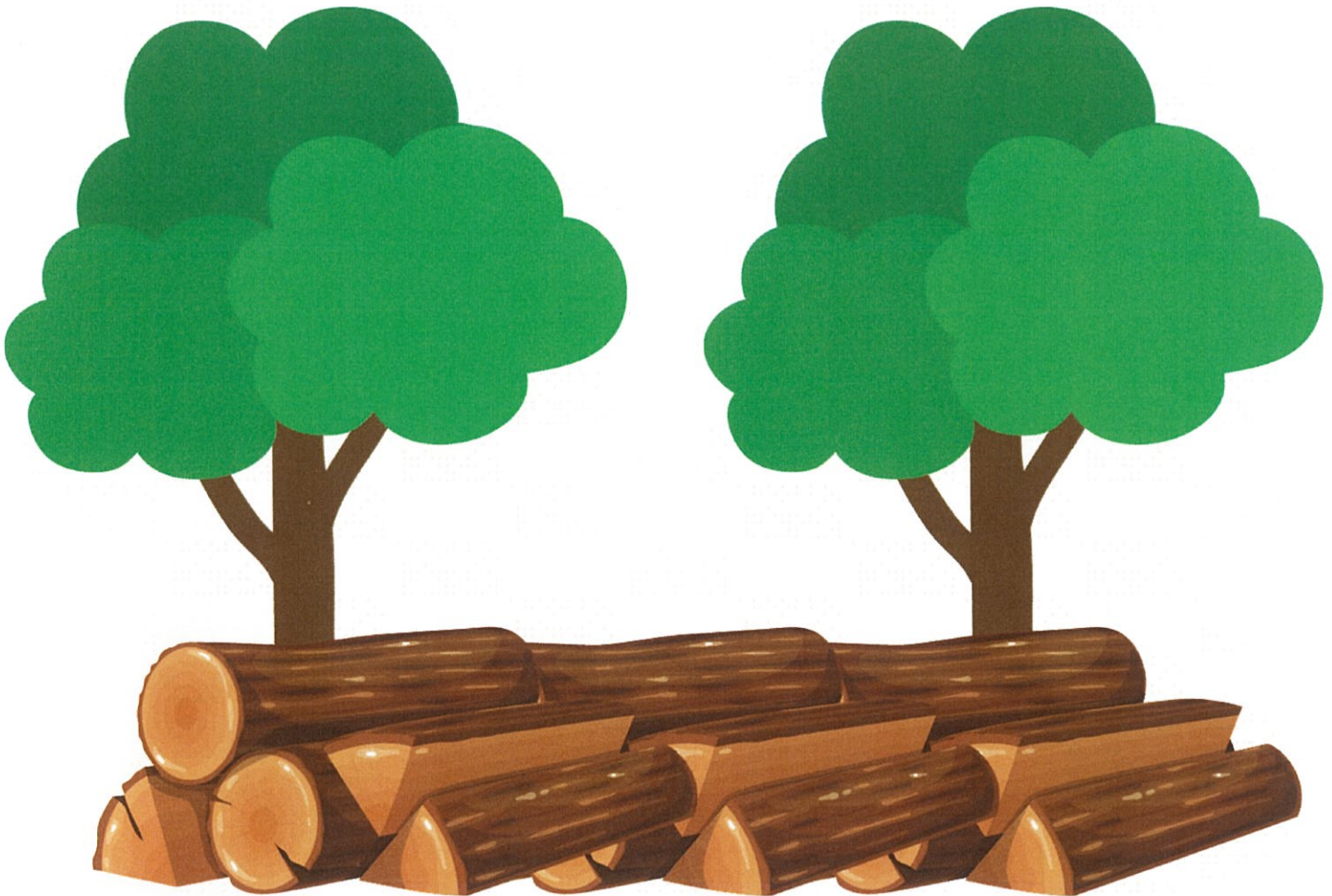
Available for Pickup Green Firewood & Brush

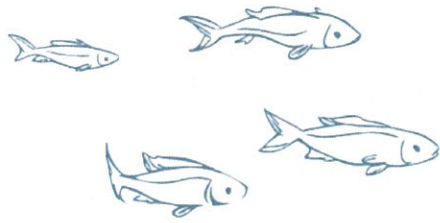
Location: Food Forest Lot

(cleared lot at intersection of Ella Drive and Village Road)

Must bring own equipment/transportation

Please DO NOT take down standing trees





ARTWORK CONTEST

**WE ARE LOOKING FOR A
MFN MEMBER TO DESIGN A
LOGO FOR OUR NEW NAME
(STURGEON) PROJECT!**

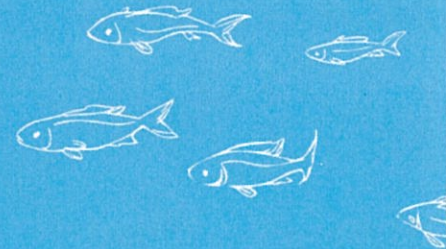
**ARTWORK WILL BE USED
FOR ALL PROJECT
RELATED PRESENTATIONS
AND REPORTS**

ENTER BY FRIDAY OCTOBER 13

TO ENTER

**SEND YOUR DESIGN TO:
amandacress@mississaugi.com**

CASH PRIZES



PRIZES

1st Place : \$300.00

2nd Place : \$100.00

3rd Place : \$50.00

25\$ Gift Card for All Entries!

**STICKERS AND T-SHIRTS WILL
ALSO BE MADE FROM THE
WINNING DESIGN AND MADE
AVAILABLE TO MFN MEMBERS**

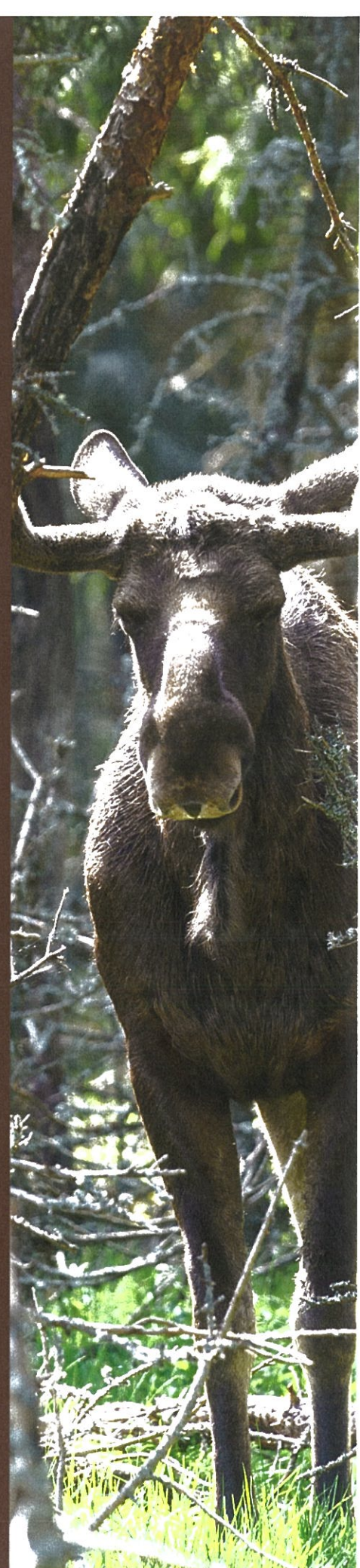


AS ANISHINAABE STEWARDS OF TRADITIONAL HARVESTING, IT IS IMPORTANT TO KEEP IN MIND OUR ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES IN FOLLOWING BEST PRACTICE.

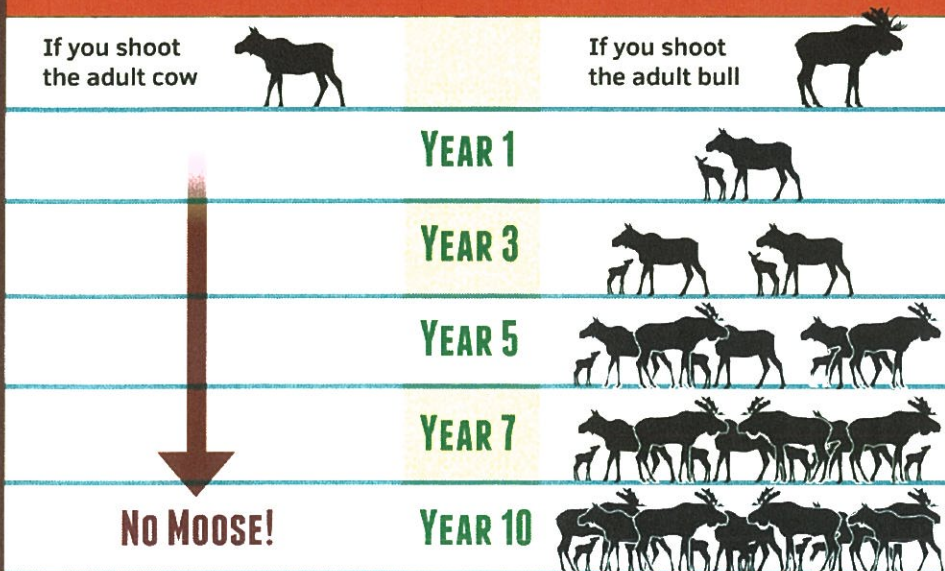
Mature Bulls and Dry Cows - In ideal situations these are the best options for harvest. These animals should be selected for harvest as they provide the largest portions of meat per family, and can be spread around our community without having to harvest the most vulnerable section of their population.

Cows and Calves - Cow and calf hunting can impact the ability to harvest these relatives in the years to come. We want to ensure that the reproductive cycles of the moose population continue to be sustainable for future generations of harvesters.

For further questions regarding harvesting, please contact:
Scott Richer - Bylaw Officer
scottricher@mississaugi.com or 705-356-1621 ext. 2259



Know this before you pull the trigger...





Mississauga First Nation Lands Access Policy

As Stated in MFN Land Code.

The Mississauga First Nation Land Code states that residency and access rights exist for the following persons as per Section 37 (Rights of Access).

Section 37.2

- a) a *Lessee* and his or her invitees. (*Lessee* = Status member who is renting property from MFN).
- b) Permittees and those granted a right of access under the permit. (Currently not available)
- c) Mississauga First Nation members and their spouses and children.
- d) A person who is authorized by a government body or any other public body, established by or under an enactment of MFN, Parliament, or the province to establish, operate or administer a public service. To construct or operate a public institution or to conduct a technical survey and;
- e) a person authorized in writing by the council or by MFN law.

Harvesting rights and natural resource access are solely for:

1. Status Indians of the Mississauga First Nation or their invitees of whom they are hosting.
2. Status Indians of the Robinson Huron Treaty, with permission.

No moose harvesting by non-band members and no harvesting of wood without a permit.

Access Rights **DO NOT** include, equate, or constitute **Harvesting rights**, or access to Natural Resources on Mississauga FN Territory.

Access Rights only pertain to the ability to access the land. This is in reference to MFN Trespassing Laws.

Effective: March 2021

Non-Status Spouses, or children without Status living on MFN Territory, wishing to harvest resources on MFN Territory are obligated to comply with the following requirements.

- have the Status Member with them, (immediately in their vicinity)
- be in possession of a valid provincial license to harvest Game or resources from the land code territory.
- Comply with all provincial and federal rules and regulations.

As a reminder, those who are non-band members and do not comply with Mississauga First Nations Land Access Policy, may be prosecuted with trespassing under the Community Protection Law.

Please forward any questions and concerns to the Mississauga FN Lands Department Manager, Keith Sayers @ 705-356-1621 x. 2236



APPLY NOW FOR POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION FUNDING



Applications Available Online

The '*New Student Application Form*' and Post-Secondary Policies & Procedures are available at:

[www.mississaugi.com
/post-secondary](http://www.mississaugi.com/post-secondary)



Applications Checklist

- 1) Completed application
- 2) Copy of most recent transcripts
- 3) Copy of Status Card
- 4) Confirmation of Program Acceptance (Jan 2023 start date)
- 5) Banking Information (Void Cheque)



Applications Due October 15th

The '*New Student Application Form*' and all required documentation are to be submitted via email to:

[postsecondarystudents
@mississaugi.com](mailto:postsecondarystudents@mississaugi.com)

Hydrosol Distillation Workshop

October 21st, 2023

Community Hall 10am-4pm

- Learn how a copper distiller works!
- And how to make your own hydrosols at home!

10 spots available

register by Oct. 18th with

danaboyer@mississauga.com

BACKYARD MEDICINE

Where: Education Building

When: Wednesday's 6-8pm on

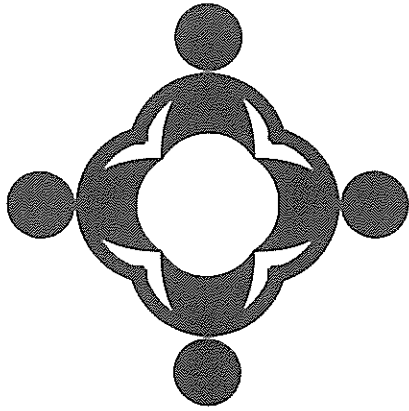
October 18th and 25th

November 2nd, 22nd and 29th

December 6th, and 13th

**Learn about the plants
growing all around us!**

danaboyer@mississauga.com



Ladies Hand Drumming

MEETING TIME: Monday's 6 pm to 8 pm

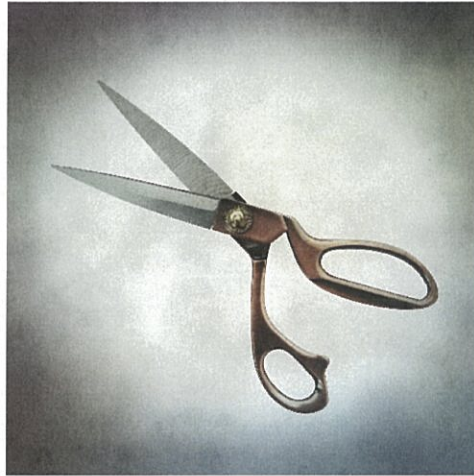
LOCATION: Education Building

DATES: October 19th and 26th

November 23rd and 30th

December 7th and 14th

Contact for more info at danaboyer@mississauga.com



CREATIVE NATIVE

Everything from painting, sewing, card making and a variety of other activities.

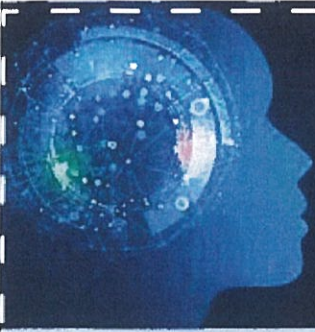
Education Building 6pm - 9pm

October 20th and 27th

November 3rd and 24th

December 1st, 8th, and 15th

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Financial Literacy Courses For Indigenous Communities

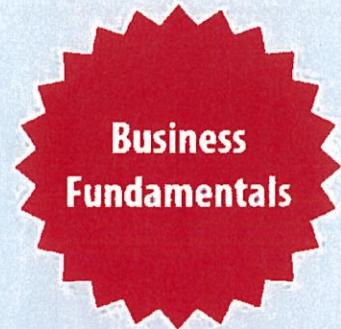
IndigenousTech.ai
Canadian Government (PSIB) Certified Indigenous Controlled Company



"Our future relies on our youth embracing technology and bringing together diverse ideas that drive transformation in every industry."

-- Chief Clarence Louie, Osoyoos Indian Band (BC)

Certificates Available For:



Included in Courses:

Learn Technology & Professional Skills

Budgeting | Bookkeeping | Credit Analysis | CyberSecurity | Financial Literacy

Videos from Inspirational Leaders

Chiefs | Indigenous Leaders | Indigenous Executives

Online & No Cost



For more information, please contact:

Brandon Guilmette

brandon@indigenoustech.ai

<https://lms.indigenoustech.ai/m/>

For More information Contact Melissa or Stacy @ 705-356-1621 Ext 2303

Aanii! Donnelley ndizhnikaaz.

*Learning
anishinaabemowin is a
journey, not a
destination. I'm excited
to work together to
make your
anishinaabemowin
journey a great
adventure!*

My Background

I've lived in Blind River and been part of the Mississauga First Nation community for most of my life. I have a bachelors degree in economics and am in my first year of the Indigenous Teachers Education Program at Queen's University.

My Role

I was hired back in February as the Anishnaabemowin Instructor for Mississauga First Nation Education Department. Since then I have been based out of Binojee Nagdawenjigamik Daycare Center where I spend most days speaking to the children. When I'm not in the classrooms, I've been developing a number of language resources.

Through my role here, I have also been a part of Nogdawindamins Language Revitalization Initiative. Please take a few minutes to complete the Community Survey and Language Needs assessment. This data will help with planning and engagement in the future.

I'd like to start some community based evening programming in the near future, and that's where you come in!

If you are interested in some Anishinaabemowin programming in the evenings, reach out to me at d.trudeau@mississaugi.com. Let me know what you'd be interested in, and what the best times are for you!

Miigwech!

Donnelley Trudeau

Nogdawindamin's Ganawedamin Inwewinan Anishinaabemowin Bimaadiziimagad Project

Language and cultural identity are vital in addressing overall family wellness, safety, and healing. Nogdawindamin is committed to ensuring appropriate and community-specific Anishinaabemowin and cultural resources are available and embedded in services wherever possible to support wholistic wellness.

The project is a grassroots initiative and Nogdawindamin has been successful in bringing together key community individuals to form a Regional Anishinaabemowin Steering Committee. The committee works alongside Nogdawindamin project's resource team to guide and assist each community in determining fluency and language loss levels through a language survey and needs assessment questionnaire.

Below are the links and/or QR Codes to the survey and questionnaire. Your participation in completing the survey and questionnaires will help the Committee and Nogdawindamin develop a language revitalization strategy and create an inventory of language resources within child welfare service delivery as well as community-based activities.

Your community Regional Anishinaabemowin Steering Committee member is Donnelley Trudeau and Nogdawindamin's Anishinaabemowin Project Development Lead is Marjorie Southwind. Please reach out to your committee representative for more information.



Community
Survey



Community Needs
Assessment

Fall clothing exchange

0-6 YEARS

Wednesday October 18 2023

10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Child & Youth Building



Check it out

email: christine@mississauga.ca or
phone 705-356-1621 ext. 2254





SOCIAL SERVICES DEPT...

MONTHLY GROCERY SHOPPING TRIP

TRANSPORTATION PROVIDED TO
ESPANOLA

OCTOBER 20
DEPARTURE: 9:00AM



To reserve your spot contact:
Jade Fox
Community Support Service
Worker
705 356 1621 ext 2357
cssworker@mississaugi.com



CHILDREN'S HALLOWEEN HUNT



OCTOBER 26TH 2023

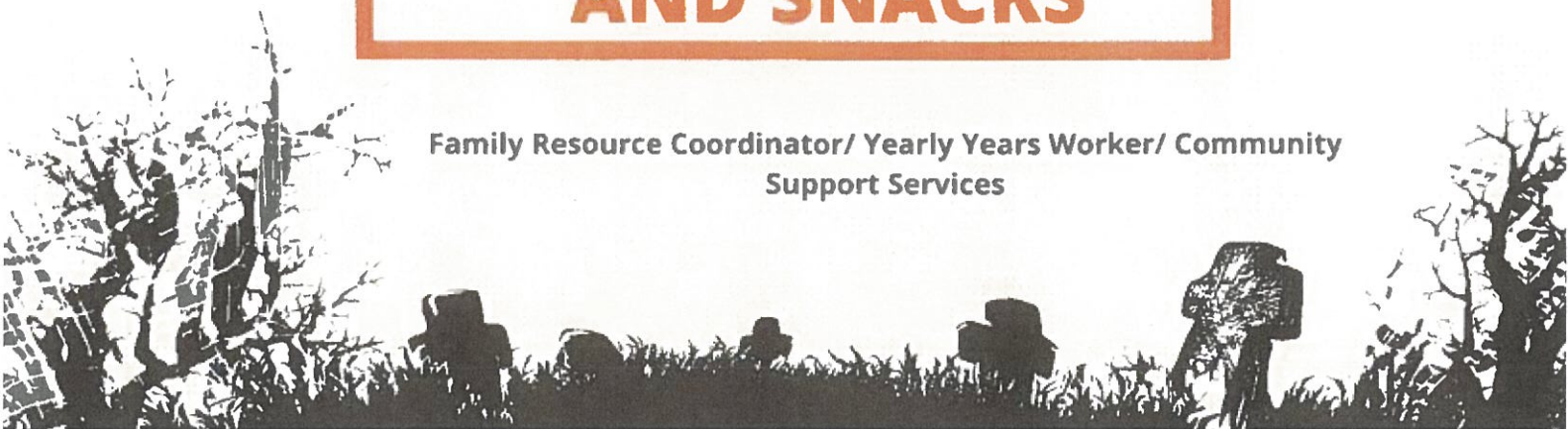
5 -7 PM

FOOD - GAMES - SURPRISES

TRICK OR TREAT

**SPOOKY PIZZA
AND SNACKS**

Family Resource Coordinator/ Yearly Years Worker/ Community
Support Services



INFANT/CHILD FIRST AID/CPR

CERTIFIED

Dawn Kenehan
Instructor/Trainer

Start date: First week of October you will have a
month to complete on line modules

In person November 8th 2023

10:00 am - 3:00 pm

lunch provided

modules done at your own pace at home

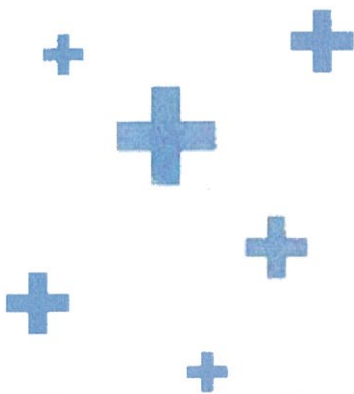
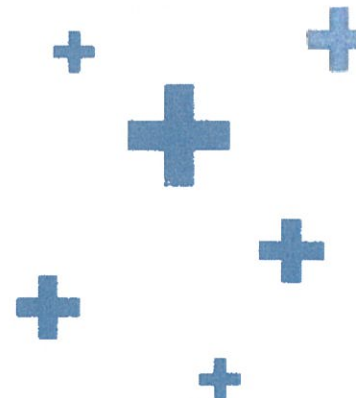
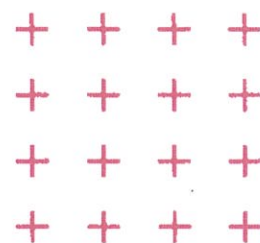
*1 day in person for the practical portion

*instructor available for support

To secure your spot please call or email

christine@mississaugi.com

705-356-1621 ext. 2254



ELDER'S
BAKE
Sale



12PM-2PM

THURSDAY OCT 26TH
RED PINE LODGE

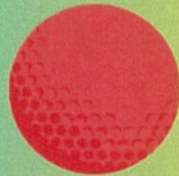
Home & Community Care

OCTOBER 2023

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
1	2	3	4 Thanksgiving Lunch 11-12:30 RPL BINGO 1:30pm	5 12 Thompson Farms 1130am Pick up	6 Beavers Vs Lumberjacks BR arena 7:00pm	7	
8	9 CLOSED THANKSGIVING	10 MASS RPL 7pm	11	12 Thompson Farms 1130am Pick up	13	14	
15	16	17 Pumpkin Pie Making 10am	18 RPL BINGO 1:30pm	19	20*tentative* SSM Movie "Killers of the Flower Moon"	21	
22	23	24	25	26 Bake Sale	27	28	
29	30 Garden River Bingo 10am Pick up	31 Halloween Daycare Trick Or Treating	Come & Go Wreath Making 1pm-4pm				

Thompson Farms, Killer's of the flower moon & Garden River Bingo- 5 passengers minimum (PLEASE register by calling RPL)

ITS PICKLE BALL
TIME!



REGISTRATION IS NEEDED!
WEDNESDAYS IN OCTOBER
FROM 6-8 PM

T:356.1621. EXT 2216
E:COMMUNITYHEALTHACTIVATOR@MISSISSAUGI.COM



REGISTRATION NEEDED!
STARTING SUNDAY OCT. 15TH
6:00- 8:00 PM
SPORTS COMPLEX

T:356.1621. EXT.2216
E: COMMUNITYHEALTHACTIVATOR@MISSISSAUGI.COM

YOUTH BASKETBALL

MFN sport complex
Monday nights 6 pm
Tentative date October 23

Grades
3 to 5
6 to 8



Highschool student!! It's a great way to
collect volunteer hours!

Please Register by October 6th

KIDS HIP-HOP DANCE CLASSES!

AT IN MOTION GYM



Dance with Miss Kate

EVERY THURSDAY

5:45PM - 6:30PM 7-10 yrs

6:30PM - 7:15PM 11 & up

MK STUDIO

Grow, Learn, Inspire

(705) 261-1545 | mkstudio_el@yahoo.com | @mkstudio2018

or

communityhealthactivator@mississauga.com

1.705.356.1621.ext2216

**REGISTRATION IS
NEEDED!**

Halloween
 Family Dance
 October 30th
 6-9
 Bingo hall



October
 2023



S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

- Sunday's - Corn hole! starting Oct 15th @ 6 pm
- Monday's - Chair fit. 11 am / HITT. noon / Sports night. 6 pm
- Tuesday's - Yoga. 10am
- Wednesday's - Pickle ball 1 pm
- Thursday's - Yoga 10 am / hip hop dance 5 pm / cycling & roller . 7:30 pm
- "Get the hike out" Fitness Challenge Starting October 1st
- Tiny Tots play! Sunday October 1st 12-2 pm
- Family Halloween Dance October 30th 6pm

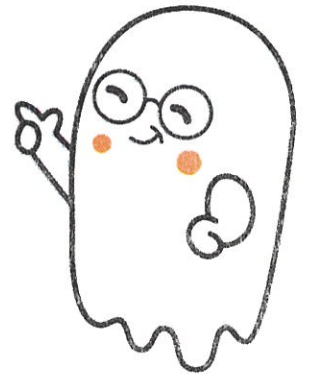
Photobooth



Door Prizes



Halloween
DANCE



Please join us for a Halloween Dance

30 OCTOBER

Dancing

Bingo Hall

6-9pm

Treat Bags



Games & Pizzat



Janey @ 356-1621 Ext 2216

FOOTCARE



Friday October 13, 2023
Band Office - Health Clinic
9:00- 4:00 p.m.

Please call Chelsea to book at 705-356-1621 ext. 2203 or email
chelseagrimard@mississuagi.com

All Welcome

ADVENTURES IN COOKING

Red Pine Lodge

Wednesday
October 25th
11:00- 1:00 p.n.

Fall theme meals

*Contact Chelsea for more
information at 356-1621 ext. 2203*



2023 MFN – Health Service Activities/Events – (October 11th – October 22nd)

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
<p>DAAW (5:45-7:45) Al-Anon Cult. Build.</p> <p>CHA (11-12) Elders Chair Fitness - SC (12-1) Hit Fitness (6-8) Sports Night Jr SC (9-4) Fitness Challenge MFN/BR</p>	<p>DAAW (6:45-8:15) NA Meeting Cult. Build.</p> <p>CHA (10-11) Yoga SC (9-4) Fitness Challenge MFN/BR</p> <p>CHN/CHR (11-1) Senior Walking Group SC</p>	<p>CHA (9-4) Fitness Challenge MFN/BR (5-7) Pickle Ball</p> <p>CHN/CHR (6:30-8) Ess. Oil yoga workshop – ASP Room</p> <p>CWC (6:30-7:30) Culture Nite Band Office Teepee</p>	<p>DAAW (8:30-3:00) Lighting Sacred Fire - Cultural Bldg. (10-2) Mens Wellness Cult. Bldg.</p> <p>CHA (10-11) Yoga SC (5-7) Dance with Kate SC</p>	<p>CWC (9:30-12) Staff Sacred Fire – Band Office Teepee</p> <p>CHA (9-4) Fitness Challenge MFN/BR (10:15) Boo up the Block contest community</p>	<p>CHA (9-4) Fitness Challenge MFN/BR</p>	<p>CHA (9-4) Fitness Challenge MFN/BR (7-9) Corn Hole SC</p>
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<p>COVID REMINDER WEAR FACE MASK AT YOUR DISCRETION WHEN YOU ARE SICK.</p>						
<p>Appointments with Physicians, NPs, Dietitian, and DNE can be made through MFN's Health Centre: 705-356-1621 ext. 2224</p>						
<p>CHN – Com. Health Nurse -Krysta Sawyer – Ext.2231 CHR – Com. Health Rep. - Chelsea Grimard – Ext.2203 DAAW - Drug & Alcohol Additions- Sky Cada - Ext.2228 CWC – Com. Wellness Coord. – Roger Daybutch – Ext.2226 CHA – Com. Health Activator - Janey Morningstar – Ext.2216 HE – Health Educator – Sheri MacLeod Ext 2231</p>						
<p>HSSD – Health Services Director – Yvonne Lafreniere Ext. 2227 HSM – Health Services Manager – Rhonda Peltier – Ext 2230 MHC - Mental Health Counsellor – Stephanie Collins - Ext. 2234 Medical Transportation Mary-Ellen Morningstar – Med. Trans. Coord. – Ext. 2201 TRPC – Treatment Resource Project Coord. Jennah Ferrigan – Ext 2262</p>						

Sleep Tips Workshop

Learn useful tips to help your baby sleep!
Reserve your spot today!

Lunch and Learn
Child and Youth Building

Tuesday October 17th, 2023
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM



To register - please email Sheri MacLeod, Health Educator
sherimacleod@mississauga.com
Or phone 705-356-1621 ext 2231



The Mama Coach
Carolyn Marshall
Registered Nurse



carolyn@themamacoach.com

INFLUENZA & COVID VACCINE CLINIC UPDATE

Mississauga First Nation is still waiting for confirmation on vaccine arrival. Once we have this information vaccine clinic dates will be posted in the flyer. Algoma Public Health and Hurons Shores Family Health Team are booking appointments.

To book an appointment with Algoma Public Health for October 11 call 705-541-7370.

To book an appointment with Huron Shore Family Health Team – Blind River location for October 16, 30, November 8 or 14 call 705-356-1666 x 200.



