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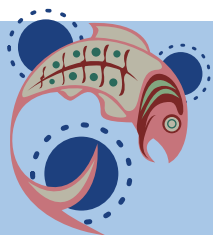
Splash Pad Grand Opening



Vision Statement in Ojibwe:

Ezhi niigaan waabjigaayewaad Mississaugas New Credit endaawaad (the vision of these people). Ezhip mino maadzijig (living a joyful life), ezhi waamji-gaazwaad (their identity, how people have identified them), ezhi debwedmowaad (their beliefs), ezhi mimiingaazwaad (what was given to them by Creation, what they always had, their heritage), niigaabminunkiiwaad Anishinaabek (is how they always lived as Anishinaabek).

Translated by: Nimkew Niinis, N'biising First Nation.

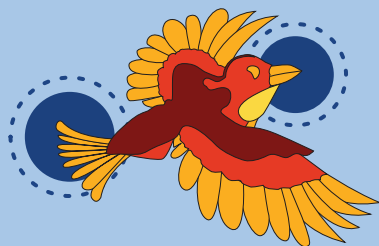


Eaglepress Newsletter

The Eaglepress newsletter is available for download at www.mncfn.ca. We encourage members to view the online version rather than subscribing to print to help us care for Mother Earth and save print and postage costs.

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GIMAA R. STACEY LAFORME



The michii saugii visit to the UK was something I pushed for, for over a year, maybe two.

Found funding with a wonderful lady named Veronica from the Steven Low Foundation, which was a result of our relationship with the Oakville foundation.

Found a wonderful coordinator in Nathen Tidridge, who made all the many activities possible.

It was also a result of the relationships we built with Massey college, and with the chapel Royal at Massey, and the relationship between the chapel here and in England.

I believed this would raise the profile of the michii saugii and perhaps move our communities a little bit toward some type of governance structure for the nation.

The visit with the crown was nice and a bit historic as the Mississaugas had not officially visited since 1860 and was reflective on the treaty of Niagara. However the valuable relationships we made will lead to many opportunities.

I also believe we need to have an ambassador in the UK and discussions on trade agreements. Challenging things, but not insurmountable if you build the correct relationship.

Also wanted to express my gratitude to the First Nation for placing their trust and faith in me for the past eight years as Gimaa (chief) and let membership know I will not be seeking re-election in December.

Miigwetch

Gimaa Stacey laforme

LSK COMMUNITY GARDEN VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



LSK has worked very hard to set up the garden and are now asking for volunteers to help take care of and grow the garden over the summer

- ✓ All community members welcome
- ✓ High school students in need of volunteer hours

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MESSAGE FROM GIMAA

National IRS Crisis Line: 1-866-925-4419

IRSS Telephone Support Line: 1-800-721-0066

Inuit Hope for Wellness Help Line: 1-855-242-3310

Native Youth Crisis Hotline: 1-877-209-1266

Kids Help Phone: 1-800-668-6868, or text 686868



National Indian Residential School Crisis Line

1-866-925-4419



Indigenous Services
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Autochtones Canada

Canada

Toronto Mayor Olivia Chow trying to start her journey in a good way

Toronto's new mayor Olivia Chow was sworn in on July 12 and started her journey with MCFN community Members Garry and Tina Sault.

Chow was elected in June to replace John Tory and she made history as the city's first mayor of colour.

Garry and Tina Sault held a fire at city hall and Chow said she was honoured.

"Honoured to be welcomed this morning with a ceremony led by Elder Garry Sault and Grandmother Tina Sault. Thank you for sharing a fire to symbolize the partnership between Toronto and Indigenous nations and your generous welcome to begin this journey in a good way."



Olivia Chow and Tina Sault from MCFN sharing a moment during a ceremony at Toronto City hall on the day Chow was sworn in as mayor.

MCFN Breastfeeding Support Group

The support group offers peer support, access to a lactation consultant, a chance to meet and socialize with new moms and resources.

We meet the first Wednesday of each month at Social and Health Services from noon to 2 p.m. Light lunch included.

For more information contact Beth King by email beth.king@mncfn.ca or 905-768-1181

Save the date
Aug. 2, Sept. 6, Oct. 4,
Nov. 1, Dec. 6

The Merman Challenge Results!

- 1ST – CHRIS MYKE (\$500)**
2ND – GREG PAMPLIN (\$350)
3RD – TIM MARACLE (\$150)



**Miigwetch to all participants and
congratulations to our winners!**

Community fun at the Annual Picnic



Mississauagas of the Credit First Nation held it's annual Community Picnic on June 8 with more than 200 community members coming to enjoy a summer meal together and spend time reconnecting as a community.

Children participated in games, crafts, water fun, a bouncy castle and rode manual go carts on the baseball diamond. In the outfield they played traditional picnic games, like tug-of-war, catch and more, while the

adults enjoyed bingo and bonding. Hope to see you all again next year. Miigwech to Social and Health for organizing and to the community for coming out.



INDIGENOUS ART CONTEST

Massey College is looking for MCFN artists of all ages to create an Anishinabek design for two graduation gowns for the college.



SUBMIT YOUR DESIGN BY:

31 August, 2023



gov.comm@mncfn.ca

**\$200
HONORARIUM**

**For more information contact:
ErmaF@mncfn.ca**



Second Annual MCFN Birch Bark Canoe Build

The MCFN Special Events Department held its second Annual Birch Bark Canoe Build led by Darren Lentz from Thunder Bay, Regan Bolduc and Mark Sault, at the Harvest Grounds from July 2 to 10. Many community members were able to take part in every aspect of the creation of two birch bark canoes including preparing the bark for the frame, securing it to the frame, cutting pieces for the inner framing, making lashing from birch bark, soaking and wrapping it on to the canoe. Community members were also part of etching designs into the canoes to give them unique community flare. MCFN youth day camps, daycare students, land camp participants and more were able to visit and learn more about their culture and heritage. The canoes were launched onto Mackenzie Creek on July 10 and many community members were given the opportunity to take them for a spin. Lentz will return next year in the hopes of teaching more community members the art of birch bark canoe building. Miigwech to those who participated.



Top right: Mark Sault in the beginning stages of lashing. Middle left: from left: Councillor Ashley Sault, Regan Bolduc, Darren Lentz, Jai King-Green and Mark Sault. Left: Regan Bolduc and Mark Sault launch one canoe for the first time. Bottom left: both canoes in use with community members enjoying the benefits of their work with build leaders.

Mississauaga Nation Videography camp



Youth Videography Camp organizers said “we are so proud of youth who came together to show their creativity during the Film Festival and Photo Exhibit. Stay tuned for their sharing of the premieres viewing! Chi Miiigwech to everyone for their time and dedication.”

The Mississauaga Nations and Mississauagas of the Credit First Nation held its first week-long Videography Camp where youth were assisted to create films and photography.

Participants were provided with a rugged laptop, DSLR camera, mobile scanner and hot spot. They received training at the University of Toronto. On Saturday, June 8 participants and organizers

held an official screening of their films and photography exhibition at the Grove at MCFN and were given the full red carpet experience.

Participant videos will be posted on Facebook soon, so keep an eye out.

The camp will run next summer as well, don't forget to register early.

Delegation from the Michi Saagiig Nishnaabeg Nation meets King Charles III

First meeting between the Mississauga Nation and the Sovereign since 1860

The first delegation in over 160 years from the Michi Saagiig Nishnaabeg Nation (Mississauga Nation) had a meeting with His Majesty King Charles III during a Garden Party held at Holyroodhouse Place in Edinburgh, Scotland.

At the King's direction, the delegation was the first to be presented to His Majesty during the annual garden party held at the Scottish palace. The meeting lasted for approximately 15 minutes as the King discussed Treaty, the wildfires in Canada, as well as other topics of importance to the delegation. During the meeting the King was shown a replica of The Covenant Chain Wampum (Treaty of Niagara Belt) by Gimaa R. Stacey Laforme, which was the official gift to His Majesty by the delegation. This historic meeting was arranged through His Majesty's Chapels Royal, a family of chapels that includes The King's Anishinabek Sacred Place (Chapel Royal) located at Massey College in Toronto, Ontario. Created by Queen Elizabeth II in 2017, the Chapel Royal at Massey College is rooted in the Treaty of Niagara and Silver Covenant Chain (a relationship between Indigenous Peoples and the Sovereign that dates back to the reign of King Charles II). The



MCFN Gimaa Stacey Laforme was part of the delegation to the United Kingdom to meet King Charles III.

Covenant Chain Wampum (Treaty of Niagara Belt) gifted by the delegation to the King was one of the key belts used to bring the Mississauga Nation into a Treaty relationship with the Sovereign (then King George III) in 1764.

The Covenant Chain remains the foundational Treaty of what would become Canada. This was the first

meeting of a delegation from the Michi Saagiig Nishnaabeg Nation (Mississauga Nation) and the Sovereign since Nahnnebahwequa (Catherine Sutton) met with Queen Victoria at Buckingham Palace on June 19th, 1860.

This was the first meeting between Giimag (Chiefs) from the... Continued on page 10...

King Charles III Continued

Michi Saagiig Nishnaabeg Nation (Mississauga Nation) and the Sovereign since Kahkewaquonaby's (Rev. Peter Jones) meetings with Queen Victoria and King William IV throughout the 19th century.

This historic meeting was part of a larger diplomatic mission by the Michi Saagiig Nishnaabeg Nation (Mississauga Nation) that included visits to St. James's Palace, Government of the Isle of Man (including as guests at their national day celebrations – Tynwald Day), Corpo-

ration of the City of London, House of Lords, Goodenough College, and the National Liberal Club.

Members of the delegation:

Gimaa Stacey Laforme (Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation)

Gimaa Robert Chiblow (Mississauga First Nation)

Councillor Steven Toms (Curve Lake First Nation)

Professor Chadwick Cowie (Hiawatha First Nation)

Veronica Low (Patron, non-Indigenous)

Nathan Tidridge (non-Indigenous, Chapel Royal)

Rev. Canon Paul Wright LVO, Sub Dean HM Chapel Royal, St. James's Palace.

The Michi Saagiig Nishnaabeg Nation (Mississauga Nation) consists of six communities: Mississaugas of the New Credit, Mississaugas of Alderville, Mississaugas of Scugog Island, Mississauga First Nation, Curve Lake First Nation, and Hiawatha First Nation. For more information visit www.mncfn.ca.



Mark LaForme

A Celebration of Life for Mark LaForme will be held August 6th at the Gathering Place from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Open to all family, friends, and fans as his band mates over the years will perform some of his and his favourite songs.

MCFN Splash Pad celebrates Grand Opening



MCFN Pillar 4 and the Public Works Department invited community members and children to the Grand Opening of the MCFN Splash Pad on July 12. Councillor Ashley Sault said the long-awaited splash pad would be well loved by the community. "I just want to thank everyone for coming out and helping us celebrate," she said.

Community member Mark Sault helped cut the ribbon to start the fun. MCFN day camp participants, EarlyON students and ECC students were among the first to enjoy the addition to the community. EarlyON also provided beach towels and bags, while Public Works Brandy Vinnai and Councillor Fawn Sault manned the barbecue providing lunch with all the fixings.

The splash pad at 659 New Credit Road will be open daily during the summer months.

For more information contact Public Works at 905-768-1133.



The splash pad opening was a success as children rushed the play area and it did not disappoint. Miigwech to all who came and all who will enjoy the splash pad in the future.

From the Post-Secondary desk...

Here it is, July, edging toward August. You can still apply for a September start, although many programs are filled up at colleges and universities by now. Many of those same schools have January start dates. We are still accepting applications at this time, so you can still try.

Just head to the MCFN website, and under the Lifelong Learning tab you can find the online application. You will also need to fill out the paper application forms sign and upload it as well to the system, along with your status card and banking information. We are happy to start people at dates other than September, some programs even start in the spring.

An excellent resource for people thinking of going to school is the WISDOM program being offered in partnership with George Brown College. This program can help you decide where to go with your educational path, and start looking for what you need to get there. Another good resource is OCAS, the Ontario College Application System.

Did you know, colleges and universities have started working together to create pathways where you can attend one, then take most, if not all, of your credits with you to another school and continue there. This can make a lot of difference in several ways. Don't want to go far, far away to that huge university? Check with a local college to find a complementary program. You can become used to the post-secondary atmosphere, learn your way around, and acquire some learning toward your eventual degree.

Interested in a program, but not sure you have the qualifications to succeed, or even to get in? Look into it; see if there is a foundation program you could be eligible for. Have you been out of school for a while? That is ok! You do not have to be a newly graduated high school student to apply for post-secondary.

Perhaps you have been working in the trades for a while, and you have seen how much an apprentice can make. Again, check out your options. Many colleges have excellent skilled trade programs, some which help you become an apprentice.

Maybe you can find your new path through a post-secondary program! We are here to support you on your Lifelong Learning journey, please reach out should you need any support or assistance with this.

Your post-secondary advisor,

Bernadette O'Grady Bomberry

Free Tuition at the University of Waterloo, and what it means to You

This is something of an ongoing process for the University and us, so bear with me, please. Any of this information could change as things work out-or don't.

For a new student, applying to University, applications are made to the Ontario University Application Centre, or OUAC. You pay roughly \$150 to apply to up to 3 universities, more money to apply to more. Some university programs require an extra fee. We are still gathering information for a returning student, so just skip the application stuff.

New students can get a voucher to use when applying, so that they are exempt from the fees. You would apply for the voucher either through the MCFN post-secondary office or through your high school guidance office. We are not sure yet how long this process would take, so best to start it sooner than you think you need to. Remember, OUAC opens for applications in October, and closes in February.

You can apply for any undergraduate program or graduate program where you meet the entry requirements. This is important, you still must meet requirements for the program, there is no specific Indigenous entry, just a break on costs once you get there.

Next up, you will need to check out their Quest webpage to verify that you qualify for free tuition. (By the way, did I mention that the giant bill you get for a semester is made up of tuition and Ancillary fees? Ancillary fees run about 35-40% of the tuition itself, so you probably want to apply to Lifelong Learning for funding support anyway).

Returning students, this next part is for you too. Update your personal info by going to the following link.

[How do I view or update my personal information? | Quest - Student Information System | University of Waterloo \(uwaterloo.ca\)](#)

Don't have proof of status? The next link tells you about the evidence needed to support your claim.

[Indigenous Verification | Office of Indigenous Relations \(uwaterloo.ca\)](#)

Members who have exhausted their education funding under the policy can go to Waterloo should you be looking for additional education or for a career change. We can assist you with other funding supports and **dependent on our funding**, we may be able to help with book money, etc. on a case-by-case basis.

MCFN Post-secondary Student Spotlight

Aanii, my name is Sheyrl Racette. I attend Wilfred Laurier University Brantford campus in the Law and Society full time honours program. I preferred this campus due to the location being so close to home and family. Also, the familiarity helps to ease stress. I am entering my last year and will be applying for a masters program moving forward.

What was the biggest surprise to you?

The biggest surprise with post-secondary vs secondary school is both the quality and quantity of course topics that one has to choose

from. This, in my opinion, enables each student to engage and learn in accordance with their personal goals and interests moving forward. This also enables each student to learn as individuals and supports them in their exploration in finding out who they are and what they want moving forward.

What has your journey been like?

My educational journey has been challenging yet rewarding at the same time. The feeling of having made it through another year is rewarding in itself as this enforces and builds feelings of confidence and re-assurance that a prosperous future is obtainable. A major "key" is to never give up on yourself and keep trudging through until you succeed. Nothing is impossible if you believe in yourself and always remain faithful to who you are in both heart and spirit.

Have some advice for others?

My advice to others is that nothing is impossible no matter where you find yourself at any point in your life. The first steps to positive change begin with you.

Where might your course take you in your future?

My education will open doors to opportunities that could never have been possible otherwise. In addition, the journey makes you stronger and provides the opportunity for you to get to know yourself on more levels than just the conscious i.e., the outer shell that one presents to the world. As Aristotle stated, "Despite these fears, knowing thyself is the essence of reality and the start of the journey to wisdom." (<https://medium.com/illumination/know-thyself-bd649dfd144>) Accessed July 11, 2023. Be the change that you want to see and strive for. The choices that you make today is your tomorrow.

August 2023 Updates from the Lifelong Learning Department

Just a few reminders:

The Maxwell King High School Incentive Program is available for students to receive incentive dollars for each credit they receive. This incentive program is available to all MCFN Members who reside either on or off the First Nation.

The 2023 Graduation Award Program is a program funded by the MNCFN Community Trust for graduates from Elementary to University here or around the world.

Forms can be obtained here: <https://mncfn.ca/departments/lifelonglearning/>

The **High School Student Information Form** is needed immediately so we can complete the 2023-2024 School Year bussing schedules for Hagersville and Brantford. We will be delivering the schedules to the homes of those who have completed the forms. **Failure to submit this form will result in your child not being added to the bus route for pick up.**

The Dept of Lifelong Learning is here to assist with your educational needs and/or concerns. Please contact us if you have any questions with education, awards, bussing etc. our phone number is 905-768-7138 or we can be reached at the email addresses below:

Patti Barber / LL Director patti.barber@mncfn.ca

Bernadette O'Grady-Bomberry/ LL Post-secondary Advisor LLpsa@mncfn.ca

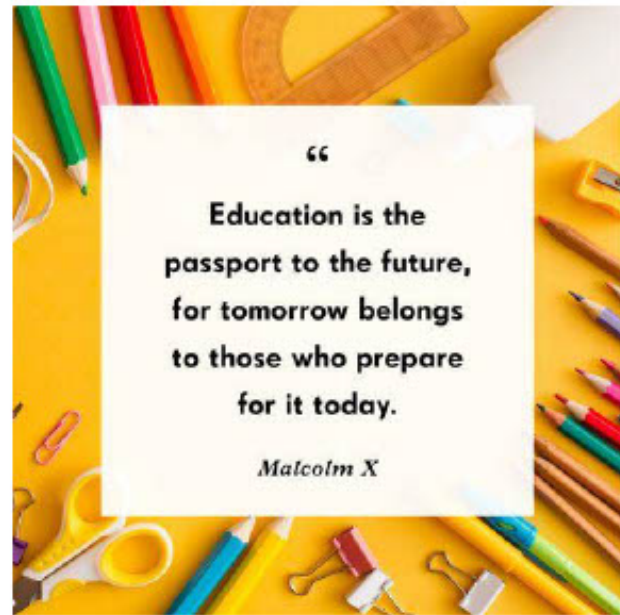
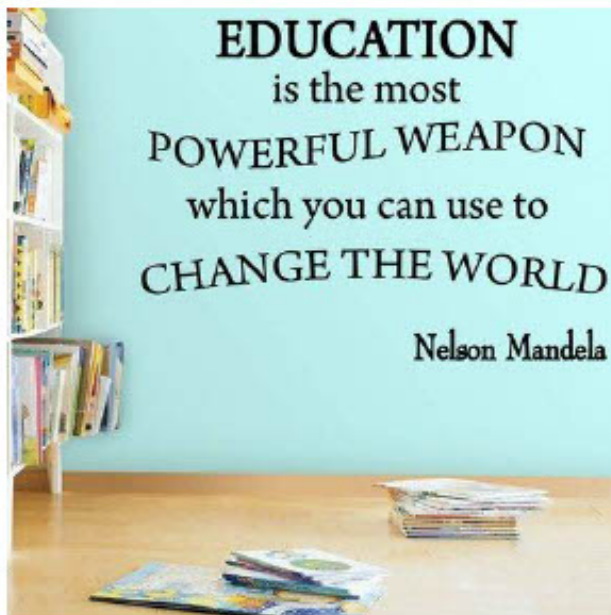
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Enjoy the Summer!!

From the Lifelong Learning Department Team!

MCFN GRADUATION AWARD PROGRAM POLICY AND PROCEDURES



Department of Lifelong Learning

GOAL

The Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) graduation award began in 2005 and provides MCFN students with awards for their academic achievements.

POLICY

The MNCFN Community Trust was established in April of 1997, as a result of an agreement between the MCFN and the Government of Canada. The agreement settled an outstanding Land Claim and the settlement money was set aside in trust for use and benefit of the community as a whole, for now and in the future. The trust funds are managed under the direction of a formal Trust Agreement and administered by eight Trustees and a General Manager.

The MCFN Lifelong Learning Department, in partnership with the MNCFN Community Trust, has created the Graduation Awards Program for the student members of the First Nation. The program provides monetary awards based on the level of education the student completes. From the elementary student to the post-graduate, all are rewarded for their graduation from their programs. The awards program is open to all MCFN members regardless of residency. All members who attend and graduate from an educational institution are eligible for a one time per educational level award. Awards will only be given for current graduation from an Educational Institution. No monetary awards will be given for previous years which were not applied for.

The Department of Lifelong Learning will submit an annual application to the MNCFN Community Trust for ongoing continuation of the Graduation Award Program.

PROCEDURES

1. Awards are based on the calendar year (January-December). Awards will be processed once the funding application has been approved by the MNCFN Community Trust.
2. The recipient will receive a graduation certificate signed by a member of the Community Trust along with a cheque, honouring their achievement.
3. Applications for the January to December calendar year will be accepted until March 31st of the following year.
4. I have submitted a photocopy of my graduation transcript or diploma.
5. I have submitted a photocopy of my status card.



Department of Lifelong Learning

Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation
2789 Mississauga Road, Building #3, Hagersville, ON



Phone: 905-768-7138



2023 GRADUATION AWARD PROGRAM APPLICATION FORM



Department of Lifelong Learning

PERSONAL & CONTACT INFORMATION

Full Name	
Phone Number	
Email	
Home Address	
City	
Province/Country/State	
Postal Code/Zip Code	

- I am applying for the graduation award and consent to have my name published in the Eagle Press Newsletter, Turtle Island and Two Row Times Newspapers.
- I have submitted a photocopy of my graduation document which can be a transcript or diploma.
- I have submitted a photocopy of my status card.

Please check the level you have graduated from in 2023:

Level	Award Amount	Level	Award Amount
<input type="checkbox"/> Elementary School	\$500.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate Diploma	\$2000.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Secondary School	\$1000.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Undergraduate Degree	\$2500.00
<input type="checkbox"/> College Certificate	\$1500.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Post-Graduate Diploma	\$2000.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Graduate Certificate	\$1500.00	<input type="checkbox"/> Master's Degree	\$3500.00
<input type="checkbox"/> College Diploma	\$2000.00	<input type="checkbox"/> PhD or Doctorate	\$3500.00

Please check one of the following:

- I would like my graduation award mailed
- I would like to pick up my graduation award

Miigwech,

Applicant Signature & Date



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Phone: 905-768-7138



**Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN)
Ekwaamjigenang Children's Centre (ECC)**



Department of Lifelong Learning
Early Years Program

Wait List Eligibility Criteria and Procedure

The Waiting List application form is available through the MCFN website or at the ECC office, or by emailing your request to shannon.king@mncfn.ca or Katharine.brown@mncfn.ca for an electronic copy.

There is no charge for the waiting list application.

Children are placed on the waiting list in accordance with the Priority Requirements Chart below and then by the date and/or time of the completed forms received at ECC. When a space becomes available, the ECC Supervisor or Assistant Supervisor will contact the family.

Families will be given one week to state their intent in regard to that space. If the space is confirmed and accepted, the Supervisor or Assistant Supervisor will move forward with completing the application process, orientation and payment arrangements.

If the family chooses not to accept the available space, the application will be placed at the bottom of the relevant priority list. A space declined 3 times within 12 months from the first offer will be removed from the waitlist.

ECC respects the privacy and confidentiality of the children on the waitlist. Information will only be shared with the parent/guardian on the application form. The applicant is responsible for keeping up-to-date on the status of their application's position on the waitlist. The applicant must ensure that their contact information is accurate. To check the status of an application, please reach out to the ECC Supervisor via email at shannon.king@mncfn.ca or by phone call at 905 768 5036

*** Priority may be given to MCFN Guardians or Children if ordered by a Court, Child and Family Services Agency, or supporting documentation from another outside agency requesting that a child be placed in a Child Care setting.**

Priority	Requirements
A	Members and children of members of Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation
B	Children of Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation Full-Time Permanent Employees*
C	Children who reside on Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation who do not have Indigenous affiliation*
D	Children who are members of other First Nation, Metis and Inuit communities who reside in Brant, Haldimand and Norfolk Counties.*



Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN)
Ekwaamjigenang Children's Centre (ECC)



Wait List Eligibility Criteria and Procedure

Department of Lifelong Learning
Early Years Program

**To a maximum age group capacity of 30%; available spaces beyond the 30% capacity would be offered on a contractual basis and would be given not less than 3 months' notice of termination should a Priority 1 application require that space.*

ECC has 3 emergency child care spaces for MCFN families. These spaces are available as needed for emergency child care only and based on centre capacity and required enrollment documents per the CCEYA, 2014. For more information, please contact the Centre Supervisor or the Early Years Administrator.

Child Care and EarlyON Child and Family Programs

2789 Mississauga Road, Bldg#1, Hagersville, ON N0A1H0



ECC: 905-768-5036

MMCC: 289-758-5799

EarlyON: 289-758-5599 Fax: 289-758-5699



RESTORATIVE JUSTICE

The Restorative Justice Program provides dispute resolution reflective of the historical, and cultural values of the Anishinaabeg. MCFN (Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation) believes that members need an alternative to the mainstream Justice system that is designed to focus on a community response to repair the harm done.



What we can help with:

- ✔ Restorative Justice Circles for Criminal, MNRF and Non-Criminal matters
- ✔ Healing circles
- ✔ Conflict resolution

Why Choose Us:

The process and outcome will be geared towards reconciliation, facilitating closure, and healing. The outcome will be unique to the individuals and designed to help build a stronger, safer community

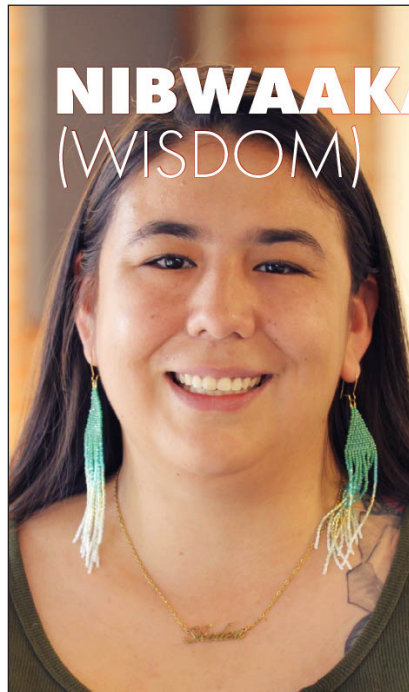
Angie Hill, Restorative Justice Worker:

Aanii, and She:Kon, my passion lies in assisting others achieve healing and closure to facilitate the creation of safer spaces, and communities within First Nations Territories.

Contact Us:

- ☎ 1-365-378-3672
- ✉ restorative.justice@mncfn.ca
- 📍 78 First Line Rd. Unit 103, Hagersville N0A1H0

NIBWAAKAAWIN (WISDOM)



DISCOVER YOUR POSTSECONDARY and CAREER PATH WITH OUR TUITION-FREE ACCESS PROGRAM

Nibwaakaawin is a tuition-free career and education exploration course that involves five days of classes (partly online, partly in-person) coupled with a week of one-on-one career coaching.

Life has ups and downs for lots of different reasons. Nibwaakaawin helps you take a step back to ask questions, like "Who am I?", "What is important to me?" and "What will make me happy?"

This program will help you figure out what career and/or educational pathway will be the best fit for you. An honorarium of \$250.00 will be provided per learner upon completion.

Nibwaakaawin stems from the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) signed between the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation and George Brown College in 2022. The MOU outlines several initiatives, such as the creation of this program, to increase support and collaboration with our Treaty Partners in the spirit of reciprocity.



September 18th to 22nd

In-person classes (Sept. 18th and 22nd) will take place at Six Nations Polytechnic 2160 Fourth Line, Ohsweken, ON

To apply, email Sherry Lickers: Sherry.Lickers@georgebrown.ca



**Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Ekwaamjigenang Children’s Centre
Enrollment and Waiting List Eligibility Criteria, Procedure and Application Form**

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If the family chooses not to accept the available space, the application will be placed at the bottom of the relevant priority list. A space declined 3 times within 12 months from the first offer will be removed from the waitlist.

ECC has 3 emergency child care spaces for MCFN families. These spaces are available as needed for emergency child care only and based on centre capacity and required enrollment documents per the CCEYA, 2014. For more information, please contact the Centre Supervisor or the Early Years Administrator.

ECC respects the privacy and confidentiality of the children on the waitlist. Information will only be shared with the parent/guardian on the application form. The applicant is responsible for keeping up to-date on the status of their application’s position on the waitlist. The applicant must ensure that their contact information is accurate. To check the status of an application, please reach out to the ECC Supervisor via email at shannon.king@mncfn.ca or by phone call at 905 768 5036

*** Priority may be given to MCFN Guardians or Children if ordered by a Court, Child and Family Services Agency, or supporting documentation from another outside agency requesting that a child be placed in a Child Care setting.**

Priority	Requirements
A	Members and children of members of Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation
B	Children of Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation Full-Time Permanent Employees**
C	Children who reside on Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation who do not have Indigenous affiliation*
D	Children who are members of other First Nation, Metis and Inuit communities who reside in Brant, Haldimand and Norfolk Counties. *

**Children enrolled under priority B-D are enrolled on a contractual basis. Should there be a priority A who submits a *Waiting List Application Form* for a space taken by a priority B-D they would be given not less than 3 months’ notice of termination.

*To a maximum age group capacity of 30%; available spaces beyond the 30% capacity would be offered on a contractual basic.



**Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Ekwaamjigenang Children's Centre
Enrollment and Waiting List Eligibility Criteria, Procedure and Application Form**

When a child is next on the list, the family will be contacted. When asked, families will be notified where their child is on the current priority wait list, which may change at any time based on the priority criteria above.

If parental contact is not possible, the child's name will be removed from the MCFN child care waiting list.

Child's Name (on Birth Certificate)		Please underline common name		
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy)		Date of Care required		
Name of First Nation		Status Number		
Mother / Guardian Name				
Name of First Nation		Status number		
Phone number (keep this office informed of any changes).				
Father / Guardian Name				
Name of First Nation		Status Number		
Phone number (if different from above)				
For Lands Membership Use Only		Sent to LRM on: _____		
I have verified that the: <input type="checkbox"/> child and/or <input type="checkbox"/> parent named above is a status member of the MCFN		<input type="checkbox"/> I have verified that the parent named above has submitted all required documents to begin the process of Registering their child as a MCFN Band Member or <input type="checkbox"/> the child is eligible under adoption law		
Signature Lands Membership Office	Date	Signature Lands Membership Office	Date	
For Child Care Office Use Only				
Date received:		Time received:		Priority:
Parent initial	Office initial	Parent initial	Office initial	

CC Parent _____ Entered on wait list _____ entered on wait list summary _____
 Updated March 2023



NRLP – Niagara Reinforcement Limited Partnership Bursary

The Niagara Reinforcement Limited Partnership (NRLP) is a unique partnership that utilizes a balanced, commercial agreement between Hydro One Networks, Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation, and Six Nations of the Grand River. This partnership supports economic development in Ontario and provides benefit to the communities for generations to come.

NRLP wants to recognize the efforts of young people in the MCFN community with a bursary program to support individuals' continuing learning. Three post-secondary students will be chosen to receive the award by the staff of Lifelong Learning, new or returning.

Students will apply with a minimum one-page introductory letter stating: Name, Post-Secondary School /Program, and what they plan to do with their education. Mississaugas members, both on and off Territory, are welcome to apply.

Amount

Total of \$2,250 (\$750 for each of three Mississaugas of the Credit students)

Criteria

- Demonstrated academic perseverance and resiliency.
- Must be attending a Post-Secondary institution in the coming Fall semester.
- Submit an application letter describing your educational journey and goals, and state how one of the 7 Grandfather teachings resonates with your Educational journey
- Mississaugas recipients will be chosen by Lifelong Learning staff at MCFN, subject to the criteria above, and referring to active students registered with the LL Department.
- Students are welcome to submit supporting letters or documents (i.e. good citizenship award, confirmation of volunteer work etc.)

Permission is requested for the names and picture of the winners to be posted on the company website.

Timing

These bursaries will be awarded during Caring Together Week, and personally presented on Lifelong Learning Activity night, by representatives of both NRLP, and Mississaugas of the Credit FN.

Deadline

Applications are due via email to the Lifelong Learning Post-Secondary Education Advisor LLPSA@mncfn.ca or hardcopies received in office by **4:30 pm on Tuesday, August 1st 2023**.



June 7, 2023

Dear Secondary Students and Families,

Department of Lifelong Learning

As we prepare for the 2023-2024 academic school year we are requesting your assistance to provide information for our Secondary School Database. We are compiling all your data so we can easily communicate with yourself and/or parent should we need to, for example, if there are closures, bus cancellations, emergencies or just for general information. We ask that you please provide the following information and also request that you keep the Department of Lifelong Learning informed of any changes in telephone numbers or contact information.

Please provide the following information:

Student Name: _____

Student Email: _____

Parent/Guardian Names: _____

Parent/ Guardian Email: _____

Road & Blue Number: _____

Grade in September: _____

School attending: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Please submit this information back to Department of Lifelong Learning via:

Email: LLClerk@mncfn.ca

Phone: (905) 768-7138

In Person: 2789 Mississauga Road. Building #3

Miigwech,

Patti Barber, Director of Lifelong Learning





Maxwell King High School Incentive Program

Department of Lifelong Learning

GOAL

To provide monetary incentive to students for each academic credit earned, leading to attainment of a high school graduation diploma. This program may also cover course fees and student activity fees (Subject to approval)

HIGH SCHOOL INCENTIVE

The high school incentive is based on total credits earned in each semester or academic year.

ACHIEVEMENT	VALUE
Each Credit	\$50.00
Life Skills Program	\$100.00/pillar

COURSE FEES & STUDENTS FEES

- Subject to approval (not all courses/student fees are covered).
- Please provide school invoice & receipts for reimbursement.

Eligibility

- A. You are **eligible**, if:
- i. You are a registered Member of the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation.
 - ii. You are enrolled at a secondary school on September 30th of each academic year.
 - iii. Formal IEP
- B. You are **ineligible** if:
- i. You are over the age of 21 and enrolled in high school
 - ii. You are receiving any type of assistance through Employment & Training for your high school education.

Procedure

- Students wishing to apply for the incentive program must complete the application form and either drop off, email or mail the application form, a copy of your status card, report card and optional banking information for electronic funds transfer payment (EFT form available from your banking Institution).
- Mail to address below or email to LLClerk@mncfn.ca attention Pet King.

Note

Applications can be submitted either at the end of each semester or end of the school year. All required documentation must be completed prior to the issuing of the incentive payment.



Department of Lifelong Learning

Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation
2789 Mississauga Road, Building #3, Hagersville, ON



Phone: 905-768-7138





Department of Lifelong Learning

Maxwell King High School Incentive Program Application Form

PERSONAL & CONTACT INFORMATION

First Name:	Middle Initial(s):	Last Name:
MCFN 10 Digit Registration Number:	Expiry Date:	
Date of Birth:	Cell Phone:	Home Phone:
Physical Address (Where do you live?):	Mailing Address (If different from physical address):	
Email Address:	Best Way to Reach You (Please Circle):	
	Cell Phone	Home Phone Email

SECONDARY SCHOOL INFORMATION

I am registered as a student at:

- Hagersville Secondary School (HSS)
- Other: _____

I am applying for high school incentive for credits obtained during:

- Fall (September to January) 20____
- Winter (January to June) 20____
- Summer 20____

I, _____, am applying for the high school incentive for my child who is under the age of 16 and certify that the information above is true and correct.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

I, _____, am applying for the high school incentive and certify that the information above is true and correct. (if you are 16 and over)

Signature: _____ Date: _____



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2789 Mississauga Road, Building #3, Hagersville, ON



Phone: 905-768-7138





THREE FIRES HOMECOMING POW WOW AND TRADITIONAL GATHERING TALENT NIGHT!

Showcasing the Mississaugas:
Our Heritage Our Talent Our Land

FRIDAY AUGUST 25TH, 2023

5:00 - 10:00 PM

2789 Mississauga Rd, Hagersville, ON

5:00 - 5:30 pm - Mark LaForme (Tribute)

5:45 - 6:15 pm - Red LaForme

6:30 - 7:00 pm - MR. SAUGA

7:15 - 8:45 pm - Sam LaForme

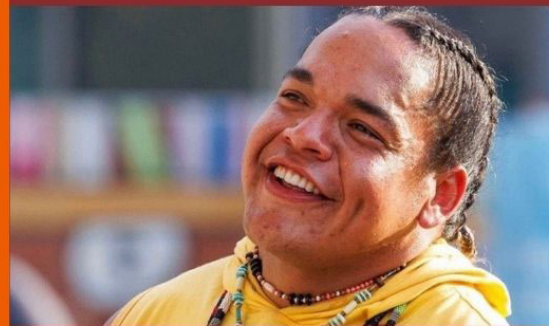
9:00 - 10:00 pm - Burl LaForme
(Soulshine)



MARK LAFORME



RED LAFORME



MR. SAUGA



SAM LAFORME & BAND



BURL LAFORME BAND

EVERYONE WELCOME!

THIS IS AN ALCOHOL AND DRUG FREE EVENT.

For more information: powwow@mncfn.ca, or 905-768-1921

MISSISSAUGAS OF THE CREDIT
FIRST NATION 35TH ANNUAL

THREE FIRES



HOMECOMING

POW WOW & TRADITIONAL GATHERING



OUR STORY

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Let's Stand Together

AUGUST 26 & 27, 2023

www.newcreditcc.com

Rain or shine event

**Join us as we celebrate our culture with: DRUMMING
DANCING • ARTS & CRAFTS (First Nation Traders Only)
NATIVE PLANT GARDEN • EXHIBITS**

PROGRAMS

Friday, August 25, 2023

Entertainment Night under the

Big Tent 5pm-10pm

ADMISSION

One Admission Price: \$5.00

Ages 6 & Under: Free

DIRECTIONS:

• 2km North of Hagersville,
40km South of Hamilton

• Take HWY #6 South, Turn
West @Haldimand 1st Line
Road to 2789 Mississauga
Road, Hagersville, ON NOA
1H0

Saturday, August 26, 2023

Grand Entry at 1pm & 7pm

Sunday, August 27, 2023

Grand Entry at 1pm

Closing Ceremonies at 4pm

Donations & Non-Perishable Food

Items will be gladly accepted for
the food bank.

WATCH FOR SIGNS

**LET'S TAKE CARE OF MOTHER EARTH – PLEASE BRING
YOUR OWN PLATES, UTENSIL & CUPS FOR THE WEEKEND.**

Rough Camping – Bring your own lawn chairs.

“Bring your hand drums” – Absolutely no alcohol or drugs.

No pets allowed, unless they have service documents, which
must be presented upon entry to the grounds.

For further information email New Credit Cultural Committee:

powwow@mncfn.ca

MISSISSAUGAS OF THE NEW CREDIT FIRST NATION

VENDOR REGISTRATION FORM

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS - JULY 1st, 2023



Vendor Information

Applicant Name:		Business Name:	
Email:		Vendor Type:	
Phone:		SFHC:	
First Nation:		Vehicle Model:	
Status Number:		License Plate:	

*SFHC - Safe Food Handlers Certification Copy of front & back of status card with application

Vendor Fee is due upon submission of the completed Vendor Registration Form to powwow@mncfn.ca

If a money order or cheque has **BEEN ISSUED**, please send tracking information with registration form.

FEES

Please indicate which days you will be present.

Vendor Type	Weekend	Saturday	Sunday
Craft \$100 for the weekend or \$60 for one day			
Information - \$100.00 for weekend or \$60.00 for 1 day			
Food \$200 for the weekend or \$120 for one day			





Food Vendor requires hydro hook up: YES NO

Money Order/Cheque Tracking information #: _____

Vendor Policies

- Only TWO bracelets per vendor will be provided - all others must pay admission at the gate every day.
- Vendors must always wear bracelets, no exceptions.
- Vendor parking will be located at 468 New Credit Road, only 1 vehicle per booth is permitted, on a first come first served basis.
- Overflow parking for vendors will be in the regular event parking lot located at 2789 Mississauga Road.
- Food Vendors will provide a copy of the SFHC.
 - All helpers must be certified with their safe food handler's certification.
 - Bring materials that can be recycled or composted, i.e., **food containers, cups, utensils.**
- Friday set-up – Food vendors only 11am to 5pm
- Friday set up- Craft & Information 1:00 PM – 5pm.
- Saturday set-up – 8:00 am- 10am. All vehicles out of pow wow grounds by 10 am,
- Vendors are responsible for the proper disposal of trash to designated sites.
- If you choose to store any goods on site, the Pow wow committee will not be responsible for damage or theft.
- All vendors are responsible for bringing their own tables, chairs, canopy, and protective rain gear.
- MNCFN will not be responsible for any personal injury or damages nor theft or loss of equipment, goods, or products of the vendor.
- Report to the vendor coordinator, under the registration tent, upon arrival at the powwow grounds. to receive booth number, vendor package, and instructions.
- **ABSOLUTLEY NO FUNDRAISING/ 50/50 TICKETS SALES OR ANY TYPE OF RAFFLES!!!**

If the vendor does not follow any of the policies and procedures outlined in the Vendor Booth Policies and Procedures document, the Cultural Committee reserves the right to dismiss a vendor from future powwow participation as a vendor, with no refund provided.

FEE PAYMENT

Money Order/Cheques:

New Credit Cultural Committee ATTN: Carolyn King
3312 Mississauga Rd, R.R.#6
Hagersville, Ontario
NOA 1H0

NOTE: Cash payments only to Pow wow Coordinator or Vendor Coordinator

If you have any questions, please contact 905-768-1921, Monday – Friday, 10:00 am – 4:30 pm.

Thank you,

Pow wow, Coordinator.



MISSISSAUGAS OF THE CREDIT FIRST NATION

COMMUNITY WELLNESS EXPENSE CLAIM FORM-ADULT 2023-2024

Mailing Address: LMR/Community Wellness 2789 Mississauga Rd., R.R. #6 Hagersville, ON N0A 1H0

Email: cw@mncfn.ca

FULL NAME (as it appears on your Status Card):	REGISTRY NUMBER (10 DIGIT):
FULL MAILING ADDRESS (including Postal/Zip Code):	BIRTHDATE (YYYY-MM-DD):
EMAIL ADDRESS (required if getting Direct Deposit):	TELEPHONE NUMBER (including area code):
<p>PLEASE INDICATE THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Cheque Mail Out</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Direct Deposit (Canada only)*</p> <p>*Include a void cheque or direct deposit form*</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> On File <input type="checkbox"/> New Account</p>	<p>All applications must include front and back photocopies of 2 pieces of ID, 1 being photo ID. Please ensure that all information on each ID is clearly visible.</p>

I hereby authorize the use of my address/email for various MCFN initiatives (such as. Voter's List, MCFN Community Trust, Eagle Press Newsletter, Governance Community Engagement, Internal Department's use). Under no circumstances will MCFN share your personal information with outside agencies.

_____ (BAND MEMBERS PLEASE INITIAL HERE)

X	Total Receipts:
Signature Date:	Amount: \$ 2,000.00

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Documents provided for identity: _____ Department's Initials _____
 Status Card Confirmation of Status D.L. H.C. B.C. Other ID (_____)

Amount Claimed:	Remaining Balance:

Account Number:	64300
Dept. Number:	100030
Cheque Number:	
Cheque Date:	

MISSISSAUGAS OF THE CREDIT FIRST NATION

COMMUNITY WELLNESS EXPENSE CLAIM FORM-CHILDREN (Newborn-17 Years) 2023-2024

Mailing Address: LMR/Community Wellness 2789 Mississauga Rd., R.R. #6 Hagersville, ON N0A 1H0

Email: cw@mncfn.ca

CHILD'S FULL NAME (as it appears on Status Card):	CHILD'S REGISTRY NUMBER (10 Digit):
NAME OF LEGAL PARENT/GUARDIAN: (proof of legal custody)	LEGAL PARENT/GUARDIAN'S REGISTRY NUMBER:
COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS:	CHILD'S BIRTHDATE (YYYY-MM-DD):
PARENT/GUARDIAN EMAIL ADDRESS (Required for Direct Deposit):	TELEPHONE NUMBER (including area code):
PLEASE INDICATE THE FOLLOWING: <input type="checkbox"/> Cheque Mail Out <input type="checkbox"/> Direct Deposit (Canada Only)* *Include a void cheque or direct deposit form* <input type="checkbox"/> On File <input type="checkbox"/> New Account	All applications must include front and back photocopies of 1 piece of minor ID and 1 piece of parent/guardian photo ID.

X	Total Receipts:
<i>Parent/Guardian Signature Date:</i>	Amount: \$ 2,000.00

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Documents provided for identity of child and parent/guardian: Department's Initials _____

Status Card Confirmation of Status Proof of Legal Custody D.L. H.C. B.C. Other I.D. ()

Amount Claimed:	Remaining Balance:

Account Number:	64300
Dept. Number:	100030
Cheque Number:	
Cheque Date:	

Department Signature: _____

Date Received _____



LANDS AND MEMBERSHIP DEPARTMENT

CERTIFICATE OF INDIAN STATUS CARDS (CIS)

- Status cards are issued by walk in, every Thursday and Friday ONLY, from 9:00 am – 11:45 pm and 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm. Appointments are no longer required.
- Adults (18 years and older) and minor children (16 - 17 years old) must provide 2 pieces of valid ID with one being photo ID.
- Minor children (15 years and younger) must have 1 piece of their own valid ID and 1 piece of valid parent/guardian photo ID.
- **NOTE:** Expired ID WILL NOT be accepted, with the exception of an expired CIS or SCIS (white card) on the condition that the expiry date is no more than 6 months. Photocopied ID will not be accepted.
- **Acceptable ID:**
 - Driver's Licence, Health Card, Birth Certificate, Provincial Photo ID Card, Employee ID (with digitized photo), Student ID Card (with digitized photo), Firearms Licence, Passport, Nexus Card
- Lands & Membership will issue CIS cards to members of other First Nations. Please call the office for more information.

CERTIFICATE OF INDIAN STATUS CARD (CIS) vs SECURE CERTIFICATE OF INDIAN STATUS CARD (SCIS)

- CIS cards are only issued by the First Nation (beige with red strip). Card is received same day.
- SCIS cards are issued by Indigenous Services Canada (hard plastic, white card). Mail in process.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Lands & Membership office at 905 – 768 – 0100.



Lands and Membership Department
Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation
6 First Line Road, Hagersville, Ontario N0A 1H0

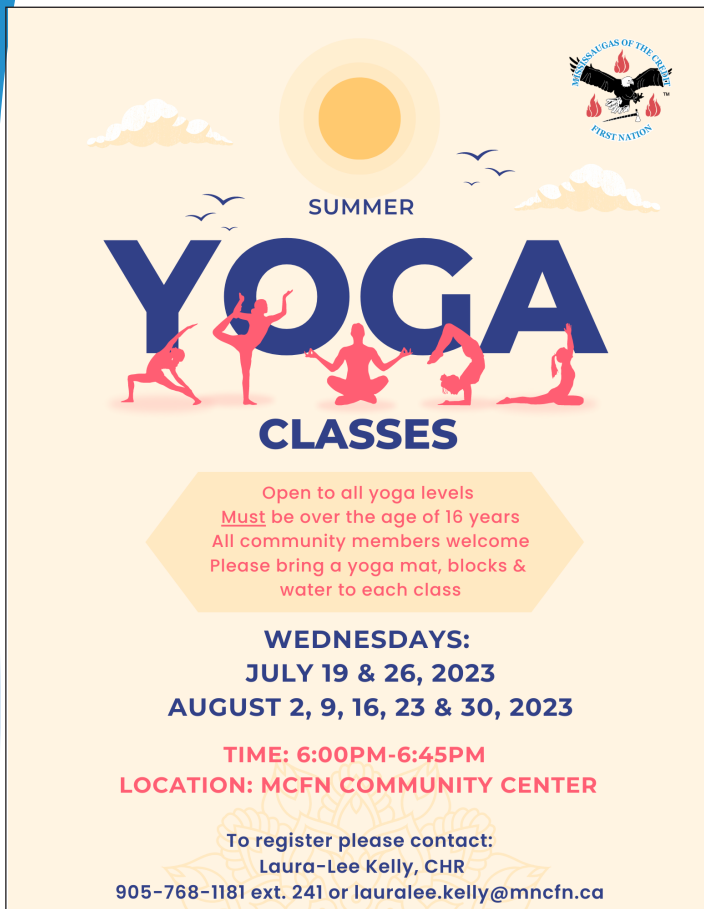


Phone: (905) 768-0100



August 2023 @ Social & Health Services

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Community Health Home & Community Care	Ontario Works Community Support Family Support	1 Infant Massage Water Testing WNVSP Pick Up Men's Group 6-9 Foot Care Women's Shop Day Camp Day Camp Sign up 6-7:30 pm	2 BFSG 12-1:30pm YOGA 6-7PM @ CC Foot Care Day Camp	3 Men's Shop Day Camp Jays Practice C.L.A.S.S. 6-8PM	4 Euchre – LL Day Camp	5
6 CC= Community Centre LL = lower level	7 CIVIC HOLIDAY	8 Infant Massage Water Testing WNVSP Set Up Men's Group 6-9 Sr. Craft Day	9 WNVSP Pick Up YOGA 6-7PM @ CC Reflexology	10 Book Club 5-7 S/HS Foot Care Jays Practice	11 Euchre – LL Foot Care Immunization by Appointment Only	12 FASD FAMILY GOLF @ Fescue's Golf Club
13 West Nile Virus Surveillance Program = WNVSP	14 WNVSP Set Up	15 Infant Massage Water Testing WNVSP Pick Up Reflexology Summer Youth 10 -3 Men's Group 6-9	16 Summer Youth Program 10-3 YOGA 6-7PM @CC Reflexology OW Income Statements Due OW Workshop	17 Summer Youth Program 10-3 Sr. Outing Jays Practice C.L.A.S.S. 6-8PM OW Income Statements Due	18 Euchre - LL Immunization by Appointment Only OW Income Statements Due	19 Jays Tournament
20 Breast Feeding Support Group = BFSG	21 WNVSP Set Up OW Income Statements Due	22 Infant Massage Water Testing WNVSP Pick Up Reflexology Summer Youth Program 10-3 Men's Group 6-9 OW Income Statements Due	23 YOGA 6-7PM @CC Reflexology Summer Youth Program 10-3 OW Income Statements Due	24 Book Club 5-7 S/HS Summer Youth Program 10-3 Youth Game Night 4-8 OW Income Statements Due	25 Shelter Hep C Outreach Clinic- Friday August 25 th , 1-3pm Euchre – LL OW Income Statements Due	26
27	28 WNVSP Set Up	29 Infant Massage Water Testing WNVSP Pick Up Men's Group 6-9 Sr. Social	30 YOGA 6-7PM @CC Mobil Cancer Screening NC Plaza 9am – 3pm	31 C.L.A.S.S. 6-8PM		



MUSKOGES OF THE CREEK
FIRST NATION

SUMMER

YOGA

CLASSES

Open to all yoga levels
Must be over the age of 16 years
All community members welcome
Please bring a yoga mat, blocks & water to each class

WEDNESDAYS:
JULY 19 & 26, 2023
AUGUST 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30, 2023

TIME: 6:00PM-6:45PM
LOCATION: MCFN COMMUNITY CENTER

To register please contact:
Laura-Lee Kelly, CHR
905-768-1181 ext. 241 or lauralee.kelly@mncfn.ca



MUSKOGES OF THE CREEK
FIRST NATION

FASD AWARENESS & FAMILY FUN GOLF DAY

9-HOLE

12 AUGUST, 2023
11 A.M. SHOTGUN START

FESCUES EDGE GOLF CLUB
18 HAGAN RD, SCOTLAND ON NOE IKO

TEAMS MUST HAVE ONE GOLFER UNDER 16 YRS

PRIZE HOLES AND PUTTING CONTEST

WEAR RED SHOES TO ENTER A DRAW

LUNCH PROVIDED FOR GOLFERS

FREE EVENT FOR ALL MCFN FAMILIES
LIMITED SPOTS

REGISTER BY AUGUST 2 AT 4 P.M.

FASD INFO PROVIDED
THIS IS AN ALCOHOL-FREE EVENT

Call Beth: 905-768-1181 or text: 226-387-0679



MUSKOGES OF THE CREEK
FIRST NATION

ARE YOU COMING TO
C.L.A.S.S.?

*Community, Love, Acceptance,
Sobriety, Support.*

JOIN US EVERY OTHER THURSDAY!
6PM-8PM AT
MCFN SOCIAL & HEALTH SERVICES

New Summer Schedule!!

JUNE	JULY	AUGUST
1st 12pm-2pm	6th 6pm-8pm	3rd 6pm-8pm
8th 6pm-8pm	20th 6pm-8pm	17th 6pm-8pm
22nd 6pm-8pm		31st 6pm-8pm

SPACE IS LIMITED. PLEASE CONTACT
LESLIE MARACLE OR ERIN CLARKE
TO REGISTER AT 905-768-1181 OR
TEXT LESLIE @ 548-328-1591
OR ERIN @ 289-442-4540



MUSKOGES OF THE CREEK
FIRST NATION

Falls Prevention

Falls put you at risk of serious injury. Prevent falls with these simple fall prevention measures, from reviewing your medications to hazard-proofing your home.

Falls Prevention: Simple Tips to Prevent Falls

- ✓ Schedule an appointment with your family physician to discuss medications, previous falls and health conditions. Your pharmacist is also a great resource to discuss questions about medications
- ✓ Keep moving – physical activity is important to keep your muscles strong
- ✓ Wear sensible shoes
- ✓ Remove clutter from your living space
- ✓ Add light to your living space
- ✓ Use assistive devices such as Handrails, Nonslip treads steps, raised toilet seat, bathroom grab bars, shower seat, walker or cane

Contact MCFN Home and Community Care Program Coordinator Amanda Snow at 905-768-1181 if you have questions or would like to discuss services available through Home and Community Care.



The Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation (MCFN) Communications Sub-Committee

CALL FOR COMMITTEE MEMBERS

The Communications Committee, a sub-committee under the Governance Committee, is seeking applications from Members of the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation for a one-year term.

Committee Purpose

The Communications Committee was approved to be created in June, 2023 after input from the Community requesting improved communication between Chief and Council, staff, and the community.

There will be up to five (5) meetings, with potential additional meetings for upcoming initiatives that require significant Community engagement. A report will be shared with Membership.

We are looking for at least two youth, and two adult Members for different perspectives on the best way to reach the Membership.

Please submit a letter of interest including proof of MCFN Membership.

To apply please send your application by Thursday August 10, 2023 at 4:30pm to:

Email: Communications@mncfn.ca

OR

**Mail-in/Delivery: 2789 Mississauga Road,
Hagersville ON,
N0A 1H0**

Attention: Georgia LaForme



Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation
2789 Mississauga Road, Hagersville, ON, N0A1H0



Phone: 905-768-1133
Fax: 905-768-1225





MCFN Library is

OPEN

Summer Hours

Monday - Tuesday 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Wednesday 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Thursday 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

FOR MORE INFORMATION
CALL THE LIBRARY/
CULTURAL OFFICE AT
905-768-1921

*Children 13 years and younger must have adult supervision while accessing the library & computers



MCFN HEALTHY BABIES HEALTHY CHILDREN PROGRAM

SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES

MCFN HBHC supports expecting families and families with children ages 0-6 years in a safe and confidential space

OUR SERVICES

Information on:

- Growth and development
- Breastfeeding support
- Weight checks
- Nutrition, feeding, introducing solids
- Fetal Alcohol spectrum disorder
- Safe sleep
- Infant massage
- Immunization Schedules
- Much more

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT:

905-768-1181 or 226-387-0679

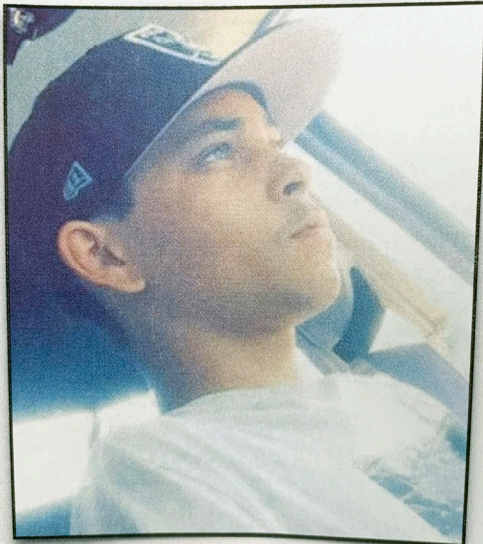
Beth.king@mncfn.ca

SUPPORTED BY THE COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSE

OPEN TO ALL MCFN MEMBERS LIVING ON OR OFF TERRITORY



Hunter Timothy Tobicoe



September 23, 2002 - August 23, 2020

Hunter Timothy Tobicoe September 23, 2002 - August 23, 2020

It's been 3 long years since you left us so suddenly. But it still feels like it was only yesterday.

I still can't believe you are gone. I have memories constantly coming up on facebook. The Roman Candle wars with your brothers. You always laughing and doing more crazy stuff with your brothers.

I catch myself going to your room to say something to you, or wanting to send you something on facebook. I watch your besties growing up like you should be doing. Getting jobs, having babies.

It breaks my heart.

We miss and love you so much Son, Brother, Uncle Always in our hearts, Mom, Dad, Graham, Rob, Kaitlyn, Briana, Jordan, Nieces and Nephews

The MARKETPLACE AND CAFE

78 1st Line Rd, Unit 106B
at the corner of Hwy 6 South and 1st Line
226-388-3736

Wednesday to Saturday 11am to 5pm

Serving up Home-Style cooking and baking
Regular items include Corn Soup and Chili and
ready to go sandwiches
Weekly Special Taco Friday made with Frybread
Find us on Facebook Groups



The Business Section is free advertising for MCFN Members who own businesses. Take advantage of this free advertising!
CONTACT: victoria.gray@mncfn.ca

TASTY DELIGHTS by Char Wilson

905.869.5178
FRESH FOOD FRIENDLY SERVICE
www.facebook.com/tastydelightsbycharwilson



Offering lunch time delivery to local area. Everything homemade....burgers, corn soup, chili, sconedogs, salads, fruit, veggie and kabossa trays and more.
Call to place order....732 New Credit Rd.
Hours 11am to 3pm for lunch, 4pm to 7pm for dinner

HERK'S VARIETY

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