

Pikwakanagan Tibadjimowin

Chìbayàtìgo-Kìjìgad, Miskomini-Kizis 24, 2026

Friday, July 24, 2026

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Level One Fire Ban in effect:

2 x 2 +
propane fire pits only!

Attention!! AOPFN uses voIP phone system, when the weather is bad so are our phones! If you are disconnected please call back or email us.

Please bear with us while we work through the technical issues.

Attention AOPFN residents

For emergencies requiring immediate assistance please call
911

For in Community Support Personnel assistance please call
613-401-7446

For general inquiries please contact Emergency Management
Lead, Steve Benoit

Tel: **613-625-2800** ext. **251** Cell: **613-401-0689** Email:

ems.lead@pikwakanagan.ca



Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation

NOTICE TO PIKWAKANAGAN TENANTS and RESIDENTS WITH URANIUM EXCEDENCES IN CURRENT WATER SUPPLY

Bottled water deliveries will continue their regular schedule to ensure residents have access to safe drinking water during this period.

This precaution will remain in effect **until Health Canada results confirm that the water is potable and safe for consumption.**

Important Information:

- All current water samples up to date tested by **BEI, ASCO, and OCWA have met the required standards and regulatory requirements.**
- Although the Project has produced these satisfactory results, the precautionary advisory remains in place pending confirmation from Health Canada testing following protocol.

We understand the inconvenience this may cause and appreciate your patience and cooperation as we continue to prioritize the health and safety of our tenants and residents as we move closer to clean and safe drinking water for the community.

Further updates will be provided as soon as additional information becomes available.

Thank you for your cooperation and support.

AOPFN Public Works Dept.

**1657A Mishòmis Inamo
Pikwakanagan, Ontario K0J 1X0**

Tel: (613) 625-2800

Fax: (613) 625-2332



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NIGIG NIBI KI-WIN GAMIK

Attention Pikwakanagan Community Members



ARTIST: JACKIE TRAVERSE
"FULL MOON CEREMONY"

URGENT NEED: Tibànòde Caregivers

There is an immediate need for a safe home in this community for a child (age 6–10) on a short-term or long-term basis.

All necessary supports provided by Nigig Gamik.

Please reach out to us today.

Call (613) 625-2173

Find out more and speak with our staff TODAY!



**PÌJÀSHIN
VICKY!**



**The Omàmiwininì Pimàdjwowin is happy to welcome
Vicky Two-Axe as the new Manager, Culture & Language!**

Having supported the community in various leadership roles over the years, Vicky brings great institutional knowledge, deep rooted relationships, and a keen eye for strategic visioning. We look forward to supporting Vicky and the team in their work toward the revitalization of cultural traditions, heritage, artistic practices and language of the Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation.



To connect with Vicky in her new role you can contact her via email at manager@thealgonquinway.ca or drop by the museum Monday to Friday 8:30am to 4:30pm.



Congratulations Award Winners!

ALGONQUIN LANGUAGE AWARDS

Eganville and District Public School

Primary Grade 1-3: Kevin Verch

Junior Grade 4-6: Kael Leroux

Intermediate Grade 7-8: Biddazhe Two-Axe Kohoko

Most Improved - All Grades: Lennox Caron Kohoko

ELEMENTARY & SECONDARY AWARDS

Eganville and District Public School

Academic Achievement Award - Graduate: Biddazhe Two-Axe Kohoko

Citizenship Award: Izobel Meness

Athletic Award: Biddazhe Two-Axe Kohoko

Athletic Award: Camira Peters

Leadership Award: Henry St. Louis-Guzman

Opeongo High School

Academic Achievement Award - Graduate: Nishaya Johnson

Leadership Award - Graduate: Nevaeh Sarazin

Academic Achievement Award - Grade 9: Sandi McGuire

Academic Achievement Award - Grade 10: Cheyo White-Kohoko

Academic Achievement Award - Grade 11: Alexa Robins

COLLEGE AWARDS

Highest Honours - Graduate: Kaden Currins

Honourable Mention - Graduate: Arianna Whitehead-Francois

Academic Achievement Award - First Year: Bradley Wille

Academic Achievement Award - Second Year: Logan Taylor

Academic Achievement Award - Third Year: Christian Bradley-Tennisco

UNIVERSITY AWARDS

Highest Honours - Graduate: Anna Harley

Honourable Mention - Graduate: Collin Fass

Academic Achievement Award - First Year: Julia Lorenti

Academic Achievement Award - Second Year: Braeden McCloskey

Academic Achievement Award - Third Year: Chloe Craftchick

Academic Achievement Award - Upper Year: Madison Teskey

Academic Achievement Award - Upper Year: Eve Schroeder

ANDREW LAVALLEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: Nevaeh Sarazin

GLORIA BERNARD SCHOLARSHIP AWARD: Leah Verch

AUGUST COMMANDA LEGACY AWARD: Dale Benoit-Zohr

July 2nd 2026



Congratulations Graduates!

EARLY LEARNING

Harper Bernard
Jansen Deschamps
Kinoje Diabo
Kolt Knox
Octavia Kohoko
Violet Kohoko
Wyatt Thom
Lilly-Rea Whiteduck
Ella Wright

ELEMENTARY

Senior Kindergarten

Elija Carle
Calle Commanda
Biwaaseyabini Ozawoninke
Scarlett Kohoko
Lilianna Peters-Woolley
Zepher Stitzaker
Ruby St. Pierre
Mya Two-Axe Kohoko
Coleson Yantha-Miller
Maverick Sarazin-Lasenby

Grade 8

Gracie Baptiste
Dominian Burger
Alivia Carle
Lennox Caron-Kohoko
Cieanna Commanda
Sage Commanda
Gavin Kohoko
Izobel Meness
Camira Peters
Henry St. Louis-Guzman
Biidaazhe Two-Axe Kohoko

SECONDARY

Grade 12

James Baptiste
Cierra Commanda
Carlie Dumoulin
Noah Hein
Nishaya Johnson
Brooke Kohoko
Nevah Sarazin

POST SECONDARY COLLEGE

Bowers, Jeremy
Paralegal Diploma
Loyalist College
Curtis, Kaden
Aviation Technician - Aviation
Maintenance Diploma
Mohawk College
Lavelley-Lewis, Joyden
Business Administration - Marketing
Diploma
George Brown College

Logan, Drew
Indigenous Studies Foundation -
Inuit, Metis and First Nations
Certificate
Algonquin College

Penberthy, Braden
Architectural Technician Diploma
Algonquin College

Switzer, Lakota
Pre Health Certificate
Canadore College

Taylor, Logan
Photography - Still and Motion
Diploma
Mohawk College

Whitehead-Francois, Arianna
Community and Justice Services
St Lawrence College

POST SECONDARY UNIVERSITY

Bailey, Isabelle
Bachelor of Arts Honours in Indigenous Studies
Carleton University

Carle-Sullivan, Ciara
Bachelor of Science
Agriculture and Environmental Science
McGill University

Fass, Collin
Bachelor of Fine Arts
Emily Carr University

Gordon, Alexander
Bachelor of Applied Science
Computer Engineering
Ottawa University

Grootenboer, Aaron
Doctor of Medicine
Ottawa University

Harley, Anna
Bachelor of Social Work
Trent University

Lavelley, Carolyn
Bachelor of Arts
University of British Columbia

Maher, Blake
Bachelor of Arts
Western University

Righton, Dylan
Bachelor of Music
University of Lethbridge

Vorch, Leah
Bachelor of Education
Ottawa University

KAGITA MIKAM GRADUATES

Borrowman, Modelynn
Pre-Health Science
Fleming College

Dumoulin, Stephen
Business Administration
Algonquin College

Gardiner, Jace
Business
Fanshawe College

Hamilton, Samarah
Honours, Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
University of Ottawa

Lalonde, Briana
Interior Design
Georgian College

McCormick, Allison
Community Social Service
University of Guelph

Purdie, Jessalynn
Professional Hairstylist
Ottawa Beauty Academy

July 2nd 2026

Events:

NIGIG NIBI KI-WIN GAMIK

COMMUNITY DRUM NIGHT

WEDNESDAYS
BI-WEEKLY STARTING JUNE 24, 2026
5:30PM TO 7:30PM

Join us Bi-weekly on Wednesdays for our new Community Drum Nights. All ages and genders are welcome. Come and learn to sing with the Big Drum, Hand Drums, or bring a craft of your own to enjoy some time with community.

Program Highlights

- Big Drum and Hand Drums available for use.
- Space for community members to craft.
- Dinner Provided

5:30PM to 7:30PM
@ THE MAKWA COMMUNITY CENTRE

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

Children under 11 must be accompanied by adult

FOR MORE INFORMATION EMAIL : RAIRD@NIGIGNIBI.COM

PARASAILING

FLY AT THE SANDS!

Sands ON GOLDEN LAKE

JULY 25 & 26, 2026

BEACH

- * BEACH BAR * BEACH PARTY TUNES *
- * BOUNCY CASTLE * FABULOUS FOOD *
- * PARASAILING & MORE

PARASAILING RESERVATIONS RECOMMENDED
CALL TO RESERVE TODAY! 705-457-8359

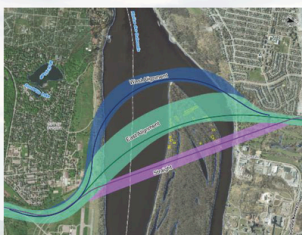


Community Engagement Session #2

Monday July 27, 2026
5:30-8:00pm at the Makwa Center

Topic:

Eastern Bridge Project
New bridge to connect Ottawa with Gatineau



Agenda:

- 5:30pm** - Opening prayer, feast and attendance sheet for prize draw
- 6:00-8:00pm** - Presentation by Public Services and Procurement Canada (PSPC), questions from the community and a prize draw at the end.

Scan the QR code above to access the meeting virtually and for more information please contact Michelle Galoni at coordinator.projects@pikwakanagan.ca or Andre Carle at projectco2@pikwakanagan.ca

YOUTH AND ADULTS ART SERIES

Ages 14-25

KILBY FARMS
12127 HIGHWAY 60

Join us for a 4 week summer art project where you will explore different art styles, build creative skills, and create your own final masterpiece.

Week 1 Monday July 6th: Pastel 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Week 2 Monday July 13th Acrylic Monday 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Week 3 Monday July 20th: Charcoal 11:00 AM – 3:00 PM

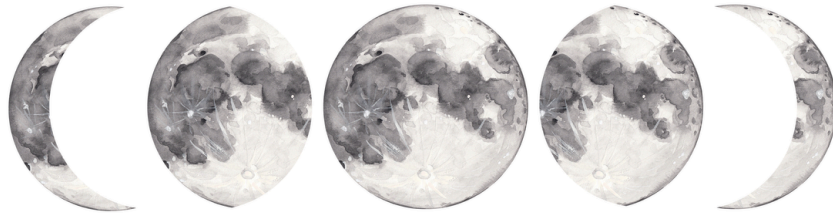
Week 4 Monday July 27th:
Masterpiece 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM

Facilitated by Connor Sarazin



Registration is required and can be done via email preventionprograms@nigignibi.com or calling 613-625-2173





MOON LODGE CEREMONY

5:00 - 7:00 PM Friday July 31st 2026 101 Kiwita Inamo

Join us for traditional teachings about
Grandmother Moon, women's connection to the
moon, and the sacred responsibility of caring for
the waters. *Women of all ages are welcome.*

Questions or ready to RSVP?

Jasmine Pessendawatch



intern.mhs@pikwakanagan.ca



(613) 401-4363

Please include any food allergies or dietary restrictions when you RSVP.



ANNUAL FISHING DERBY

AUGUST 1, 2, 2026

6:00 AM TO 3:00 PM

RANDY COMMANDA'S CAMPSITE

LAST WEIGH IN: 3:00 PM SHARP

REGISTRATION: FRIDAY, JULY 31, 2026

LOCATION: FIRE HALL @ BETWEEN 6:00 PM TO 9:00 PM

CAMPSITE @ BETWEEN 6:00 AM TO 11:00 AM

FUNDRAISER: PROCEEDS GO TO FIRE DEPARTMENT

\$20.00 PER PERSON

12 YEARS AND UP

FISHING IN GOLDEN LAKE (BRIDGE TO BRIDGE)

CONTACT: CHRIS SARAZIN (613) 286 1018

Garden Harvest Canning Class

FRIDAY AUGUST 14

11:00-12:30

ELDERS LODGE



What to expect:

Join Jenna Walsh, RD, CDE as we gather some of our community garden harvest to make a simple freezer tomato sauce, as well as easy dried mixed greens.



These methods of harvest remove the stress of canning, and can help ensure easy, nutritious staples all winter long!

* Bonus: Lunch provided AND Take home your own jar of sauce to freeze and jar of dried greens. Greens are great in a smoothie, soups or sauces to add nutrients and fibre



613-625-2259

Elders Lodge

Please email dietician@pikwakanagan.ca or call the family health team to register before August 7th, 2026

ALGONQUINS OF PIKWAKANAGAN FIRST NATION
NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT



ATTENTION GOLDEN LAKE ANGLERS

NORTHERN PIKE WITH BUMPS OR SORES

We have received reports and tips from community members that Northern Pike caught in Golden Lake have visible bumps or sores on them.



WHAT WE KNOW

At this time, we cannot identify the cause of these bumps or sores.



WHAT WE ARE DOING

We are working closely with the Ministry of Natural Resources (MNR) to investigate and determine the cause.



HOW YOU CAN HELP

Your observations and samples are important to help us get answers.



IF YOU CATCH A NORTHERN PIKE WITH BUMPS OR SORES:

- Take clear photos of the fish and the affected area
- Note the date and location (specific area on Golden Lake if possible)
- If possible, keep the fish/frozen or on ice for sampling

These photos and/or physical samples will assist MNR and our team in identifying the cause and assessing any potential impacts to the fish population.



PLEASE CONTACT US

If you have photos, samples, or information, please reach out to the Natural Resources Department.

613-625-2600 ext. 249

field.admin@pikwakanagan.ca

Migwetch

Thank you for helping us protect and steward our lands, waters, and resources for future generations.

THE AOPFN TRADITIONAL POW WOW COMMITTEE INVITES YOU TO

PIKWAKANAGAN'S 37TH ANNUAL

TRADITIONAL POW WOW

Aug. 15th & 16th, 2026

Pikwakanagan Cultural Grounds
109 Pakwanagemag Inamo, K0J 1X0

GRAND ENTRY (SAT.) 12:00 PM & 7:00 PM, / (SUN.) 12:00 PM

ALL ARE
WELCOME



(DONATIONS ACCEPTED)

THIS YEAR'S THEME: HONOUR OUR ELDERS

M.C - FRED MCGREGGOR
CO-M.C - KEVIN LAMARR
HOST DRUM - WHITETAIL CREE
CO-HOST DRUM - SPIRIT WOLF
TRADITIONAL COMMUNITY DRUM - KITCHISSIPIRINI
YOUTH DRUM - PAPASE

HEAD DANCERS



RANDY KAKEGAMICK



TAYLOR OZAWANIMKE

VENDOR
SPOTS ARE
FILLED

Limited camping
available for
participants and
vendors only

Absolutely no
alcohol, drugs, or pets
allowed on Cultural
Grounds

Pictured: Bruce & Ashley
Menas



July 26

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	Keep updated with the weekly newsletter to see any added programming throughout the month!	1 Office Closed	2 Happy Canada Day!	3 Foot Care Clinic	4	
5	6	7 (Odeyimin'in) Strawberry Picking at French Hill 9am-11am Strong and Steady at Makwa 1-2pm	8 Baking with (Odeyimin'in) Strawberries! 101 Kiwita 9am-12pm	9	10	11
12	13	14 Playgroup 101 Kiwita 10am-11:30am Strong and Steady at Makwa 1-2pm	15	16 Foot Care Clinic	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28 Playgroup 101 Kiwita 10am-11:30am Strong and Steady at Makwa 1-2pm	29 Diabetic Retinopathy Screening Day at Health Center	30	31 Algonquins of Pikwakanagan Health Services	



WHAT IS DIABETIC RETINOPATHY?

Diabetic retinopathy (DR) occurs when blood vessels in the retina are damaged.

Who is at risk? According to Diabetes Canada, DR affects **23%** of people with type 1 diabetes and **14%** of people with type 2 diabetes.



What are the risk factors for developing DR?



Symptoms

Diabetic retinopathy may cause no symptoms initially, but as the disease progresses, symptoms may include:

- Loss of central vision
- Blurry vision
- Flashes of light in field of vision
- Inability to see colours
- Black spots or holes in vision



How is DR treated?

In the early stages, DR can be managed by controlling blood sugar levels and blood pressure. However, as DR progresses, options to maintain vision include anti-VEGF injections, laser treatment or surgery. Early detection of diabetic retinopathy is crucial, as treatment is much more likely to be successful at an early stage.

How can DR be prevented?

- Monitor and maintain control of your diabetes.
- See your doctor regularly and follow instructions about diet, exercise and medication.
- See your optometrist for a **thorough eye examination** when you are first diagnosed with diabetes, and annually thereafter.

How is DR diagnosed? DR is diagnosed through a comprehensive eye exam by your optometrist. The exam may include:



DIABETIC RETINOPATHY Eye Screens

Fast and Free In-Person Event

All participants get a :
Free Eye Care Kit Bag
and a Snack Bag!

Hosted by Pikwakanagan First Nation

Location: Pikwakanagan Health Services

Address: 1643 Mishomis Inamo, Pikwakanagan Ontario, K0J 1X0

Date: Wednesday, July 29, 2026

Time: 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. EDT

Registration Contact:

Taylor Murphy, Chronic Disease Management Nurse at
613-625-2259 extension 232 or cdmn@pikwakanagan.ca.



GET YOUR REAR IN GEAR!



**COLON CANCER IS PREVENTABLE.
EARLY DETECTION SAVES LIVES.**

NEW SCREENING AGE IS

45-74!

EVEN EARLIER — UP TO 40
IF YOU ARE HIGH RISK.

ARE YOU IN THIS AGE RANGE
AND HAVE NEVER BEEN SCREENED?



**TALK TO YOUR
CARE TEAM
TO DISCUSS A
FIT TEST!**



**A FIT TEST IS A SUPER EASY
SCREENING TEST.**

NOT EVERYONE NEEDS A COLONOSCOPY!

- ✓ At-home test
- ✓ Quick & simple
- ✓ Could save your life

LEARN MORE:



CANCER CARE ONTARIO
Learn more about colon cancer
screening and guidelines.

cancercareontario.ca/en/cancer-care/screening/colon



THE OTTAWA HOSPITAL
Find information on screening,
FIT kits and more.

toh.ca/patients-visitors/screening-programs/colon-cancer



HAVE QUESTIONS?

Call our Chronic Disease Management Nurse

TAYLOR MURPHY at 613-625-2259

July Schedule



STRONG & STEADY EXERCISE PROGRAM

Location: The Makwa Center

Time: 1pm - 2pm ***

Walking outside if weather permits /
inside if rainy

- Tuesday July 7th
- Tuesday July 14th
- Tuesday July 21st
- Tuesday July 28th



**HEART WISE EXERCISE
CERTIFIED CLASS**

All are welcome, people using
walkers, baby strollers, or other
mobility aids. Come get some
movement in, this one hour
session is suitable for everyone.

MOVE AND HAVE FUN

What does the hour look like?

- Group warm up (5 mins)
- Walk or try Nordic Walking (20 mins)
- Group cool down (5 mins)
- Group exercise (standing or seated)
 - Strength (10 mins)
 - Balance (5 mins)
 - Stretch / Mobility (5 mins)
- Wrap up and discussion (5 mins)
- WATER & SNACKS PROVIDED**

This class follows the guidelines of Western
University's Seniors Exercise Program, making it safe
and beneficial for older adults, while remaining
suitable for everyone as each exercise can be
tailored to individual abilities.

Taylor is a Certified Seniors Fitness Instructor and is
Heart Wise Exercise Certified through the Ottawa
Heart Institute!

Call 613-625-2259 ext 232 if you have any questions or
you can drop in to class! You will be provided an
exercise swag bag with your own equipment and a
registration form



Eastern Ontario Medical Officer of Health Warns of Rising new Tick-Borne illness

Canadians exploring the outdoors this summer are being warned about threats other than Lyme disease from tick bites as cases rise. While Lyme disease is the most common concern about ticks, health officials are increasingly worried about another tick-borne disease called anaplasmosis.

Experts reported their concerns about the “rapidly rising” incidents of anaplasmosis, the second most common disease spread by ticks in Ontario. “We’re now sounding the alarm once again that ticks and tick-borne illnesses are an emerging concern in eastern Ontario,” Dr. Paul said. “Now it’s not only Lyme disease; it’s also anaplasmosis.

Researchers described the case of a 79-year-old man from a rural area in eastern Ontario 2 hours drive from Pikwakanagan who had shown up at a community hospital this month with “fatigue, chills and generalized weakness that led to a fall.”

He tested positive for anaplasmosis that resulted but eventually recovered after treatment. The province reported over 10,000 cases of Lyme disease have been recorded in Ontario since 2021. Since 2023, there have also been more than 300 cases of anaplasmosis

“The patient’s cognition normalized within 24 to 48 hours, and his blood counts, renal function, and liver (enzymes) gradually improved for the remainder of his hospitalization.”

What are the symptoms?

Experts say symptoms can include fever, weakness, headache and gastrointestinal distress.

Anaplasmosis can damage vital organs, causing hospitalization from health problems such as myocarditis, encephalitis, acute respiratory distress syndrome, and acute renal failure, though they are less common and death is rare, experts say.

Is there a treatment?

Recognizing the disease early and getting treatment can prevent “life-threatening complications,” according to the report.

The current treatment recommended is 100 mg of oral doxycycline, twice a day for 10 to 14 days, researchers wrote. Patients typically improve within 24 to 48 hours of treatment, but if there is no change, health-care providers should consider “alternative diagnoses.”

Melissa Pessendawatch, CHR, Community Health



JOIN THE

ADULT GRIEF

SUPPORT GROUP

JOURNEY WITH ONE ANOTHER.

JULY 27

MEMORY COLLAGE

Create a collage representing our grief and ways we are reminded of loved ones we have lost.

AUGUST 10

EMOTIONS & CLAY

Explore clay and how it can hold the shape of our grief.

AUGUST 24

SYMBOL ART

Create artwork using found natural materials to express loss.

AUGUST 31

HELP FROM TREES

Create a tree of support to help with grief and loss.

SEPTEMBER 21

DIY HOPE PROJECT

Decorate stones of hope or gratitude journal.

SEPTEMBER 28

MEMORY STONES

This final session we will complete our stones and add them to the Kiwita Community Garden.

EMAIL TO REGISTER

INTERN.MHS@PIKWAKANAGAN.CA

July is...

National Minority Mental Health Awareness Month



Established in 2008, the month is dedicated to honoring author and advocate Bebe Moore Campbell, highlighting the unique mental health struggles faced by underrepresented groups, and ending cultural stigmas around mental illness.

Key focuses of the month include:

Cultural Competency: Educating providers to ensure care is sensitive to a patient's specific background and beliefs.

Destigmatization: Promoting honest, open conversations within communities of color about mental health and well-being.

Resource Sharing: Providing targeted, accessible resources for self-care, community care, and professional help.



Mental Health Services: 613-625-2259

<https://www.algonquinsopikwakanagan.com/>

101 KIWITA
WELLNESS HUB
PRESENTS

ONE-ON-ONE WITH KAREN LABRECHE

9-12PM

MAY 1

MAY 29

JUNE 26

JULY 31

To sign up for your session contact
Chrystal at 613-401-0821

or
email
opioidcoord.mhs@pikwakanagan.ca

WELLNESS HUB 101 KIWITA

Email to register: intern.mhs@pikwakanagan.ca

SUNDAYS 1:30-4:30 PM

JULY 26

Nature Portraits

Connect with nature by creating a self-portrait using natural materials as colors and textures.

AUGUST 9

Forest Walk

Take a guided walk in a natural setting, focus on the sounds around you.

AUGUST 16

Plant Medicine Care

Take a brief and gentle walk to identify and gather medicinal plants and learn about protocols and safe use.

AUGUST 30

Gratitude Journal

Customize your own gratitude journal and find out about the different ways they can be used for wellness.

SEPTEMBER 20

Story Scrolls

Join us in using assorted materials and mediums, such as paper, cloth or video to illustrate and express key moments from your stories.

SEPTEMBER 27

Vision Boards

Create a vision board of personal wellness goals and intentions, incorporating teachings from throughout the program.

REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED. REGISTRATION REQUIRED

WELLNESS SUPPORT GROUP





AOPFN EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Culture and Health Equity Lead

Department: Health Services

Supervisor: Manager of Health Services

\$72,800.00 annually - 35 hour/week

Fixed Term - 3 yrs, Possibility of Permanency

Deadline to Apply: July 31, 2026, at 12:00 p.m.

The Culture and Health Equity Lead will advance health equity by fully integrating First Nation Healing Services throughout Pikwakanagan, creating bridges between First Nation and Western healthcare systems to promote holistic balance in health and wellness. Throughout healthcare facilities and organizations within Pikwakanagan and the Algonquin Traditional Territory, the Culture and Health Equity Lead will promote cultural safety initiatives to address systemic inequities, improve accessibility, and foster safer environments. By centering First Nation knowledge systems, this role promotes a holistic and equitable approach to health, honoring the balance between physical, mental, emotional, and spiritual well-being. This work is carried out through close collaboration with Elders, Knowledge Keepers, healthcare organizations, and community partners.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. **Promote Cultural Safety in Healthcare Settings, locally and throughout the Algonquin Traditional Territory:**
 - Develop First Nations Health Training in partnership with Indigenous service providers, educating healthcare partners on Indigenous social determinants of health, colonialism, intergenerational trauma, and systemic racism.
 - Working with the Indigenous Health Circle, identify and address service gaps through First Nation community engagement to develop strategies to transform care experiences throughout the region for Pikwakanagan Members and representing the interest of our members.
 - Partner with the Indigenous Health Circle to create comprehensive cultural safety protocols to guide healthcare practices throughout the OVOHT catchment area.

For full Job Description please email hr@pikwakanagan.ca

REQUIREMENTS:

- Post-secondary diploma/ degree in the field of health, policy, or Indigenous studies.

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

- Vulnerable sector check.
- Valid First Aid, CPR, AED, Health & Safety Worker certification, WHIMIS
- Cultural Awareness Training, or willingness to take part in.
- Mental Health First Aid, or willingness to take part in.

How to Apply

- Cover Letter
- Current Resume
- Three (3) professional/work-related references that include name, phone number and email address.

Submit to:

Human Resources Department
Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation
1657A Mishomis Inamo, Pikwakanagan, Ontario, KOJ 1X0

hr@pikwakanagan.ca

Subject Line: Culture and Health Equity Lead

Please allow for 24 hours to receive a 'Confirmed Receipt' of your application submission should you apply via email.

Application Procedure: Interested persons must submit a resume demonstrating that they meet the requirements outlined and the names and day contact telephone numbers of three (3) professional references.

Screening Procedure: Applicant must not be a member of the supervisor's immediate family. The best qualified candidate will be defined and determined so as to include the following: Provided the candidate meets the basic requirements of the position and is deemed qualified following the interview process, preference will be given to:

- a) the qualified indigenous person who is an Algonquin; then to,
- b) the qualified indigenous person; then to,
- c) the qualified non-indigenous candidate.

Interviews: Interviews will be conducted in-person or virtually by Teams Meeting. AOPFN has the right to shortlist for interview/assessment purposes of the five (5) most qualified persons and typically establishes an eligibility list.

What Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation Offers:

- | | |
|---|--|
| • Pension Plan <ul style="list-style-type: none">• (Permanent EE only) | • 14 Provincial and Federal Statutory Holidays |
| • Paid Sick Days | • Health Spending Account
(Dental, Vision, Prescriptions, etc.) |
| • 4% Vacation | • Milestone Recognitions & Rewards |
| • Holiday Shutdown <ul style="list-style-type: none">• (Conditions Apply) | • Half days on Fridays prior to holiday Mondays <ul style="list-style-type: none">• (Conditions Apply) |

We are committed to achieving employment equity and developing a highly capable workforce that is representative of Canadian Society. We therefore encourage women, Indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, and members of visible minority groups to apply and declare themselves as part of one or more of the above mentioned Employment Equity Designated Groups.

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Supervisor: Manager, Consultation

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\$51,122.00 - \$58,686.00 annually/ Based on Experience & Education

Deadline to Apply: Friday, July 31, 2026 at 12:00PM

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Project Delivery

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For full Job Description please email hr@pikwakanagan.ca

REQUIREMENTS:

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How to Apply

- Cover Letter
- Current Resume
- Three (3) professional/work-related references that include name, phone number and email address.

Submit to:

Human Resources Department
Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation
1657A Mishomis Inamo, Pikwakanagan, Ontario, K0J 1X0

hr@pikwakanagan.ca

Subject Line: Project Coordinator

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What Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation Offers:

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| • Pension Plan | • 14 Provincial and Federal Statutory Holidays |
| • (Permanent EE only) | • Health Spending Account |
| • Paid Sick Days | (Dental, Vision, Prescriptions, etc.) |
| • 4% Vacation | • Milestone Recognitions & Rewards |
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AOPFN EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Home & Community Care Coordinator

Department: Tennisco Manor

Supervisor: Tennisco Manor Supervisor

\$38.46 - \$42.45 per hr - Based on Education & Experience

35 hrs/ week - Full-time Permanent

Deadline to Apply: Friday, July 31st, 2026 at 12:00PM

The Home and Community Care Coordinator functions as a member of the health team to coordinate components of the home care services. Develop and maintain a good working relationship with all government agencies, native organizations, associates and business associates of the Algonquins of Pikwakanagan.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Service Delivery

- The Home and Community Care Coordinator will oversee program development;
- maintain ongoing planning and formalization of the Home and Community Care service plan;
- Implement the essential service elements as identified in the service plan (nursing assessment,
- Managed care, refeti-als, medical supplies and equipment)
- Review and update existing policies and procedures for all aspects of program delivery
- Functions as a member of the health team for case management
- Coordinate accessibility to the remaining service elements

For full Job Description please email hr@pikwakanagan.ca

REQUIREMENTS:

- Degree or diploma in Registered Nursing (RN)
- Current registration with the College of Nurses and in good standing
- Current membership with the Registered Nurses Association of Ontario
- Carry current malpractice insurance
- Certified in CPR and First Aid
- Minimum of 2 years nursing experience in an Aboriginal community

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT:

- Proof of Registration with the Ontario College of Nurses and/or applicable Association; annual compliance with the quality assurance continuing competence program; maintain membership and maintain liability insurance.
- Proof of a minimum of a class "G" driver's license and driver's abstract.
- A clear Vulnerable Sector Check; to be provided annually.
- Valid First Aid, CPR, AED,

How to Apply

- Cover Letter
- Current Resume
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Submit to:

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What Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation Offers:

- Pension Plan
 - (Permanent EE only)
- Paid Sick Days
- 4% Vacation
- Holiday Shutdown
 - (Conditions Apply)
- 14 Provincial and Federal Statutory Holidays
- Health Spending Account (Dental, Vision, Prescriptions, etc.)
- Milestone Recognitions & Rewards
- Half days on Fridays prior to holiday Mondays
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AOPFN EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Transportation Monitor (2 Positions)

Department: Education Services

Supervisor: Manager, Education Services

\$20.40 - \$22.52 hourly/ based on experience/ education

3-4 hours/ day - 15-20 hours/ week

August 28th, 2026 - June 25th, 2027 - Possibility of Permanency

Deadline to Apply: Friday, July 31st, 2026 at 12.00 PM

The Transportation Monitor is responsible for monitoring the transportation of students and providing support to students while riding, loading, and unloading any designated education transportation service vehicle, including buses, vans, and other approved vehicles to ensure the safety of all passengers. The Transportation Monitor supports a safe and distraction-free environment, allowing the driver to focus on the safe operation of the vehicle and may be assigned to any designated transportation service based on student and operational needs.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Service Delivery

- Performs transportation monitoring duties on any designated education transportation service or approved vehicle as operational requirements dictate and may be reassigned to different routes, vehicles, or transportation services to meet student needs.
- Complies with and implements the "Guide for School Bus Safety & Behaviour Expectations."
- Reviews and understands the assigned transportation route(s), times, pick up/drop off locations and riders at each stop as well as changes designed to accommodate community programming.
- Will assist with routing and practice runs, as approved.
- Reviews Student Transportation Registration Forms and becomes knowledgeable of the student rider's information.

For full Job Description please email hr@pikwakanagan.ca

REQUIREMENTS:

- Secondary School Diploma or equivalent, combined with a minimum of one (1) year of experience providing direct care and supervision to children and youth under 18 years of age.
- Training, education, or experience supporting children and youth with diverse needs, including developmental, physical, behavioural, medical, or accessibility needs, is considered an asset.

CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT

- Current acceptable Vulnerable Sector Check.
- Valid CPR/First Aid & AED Certification.
- Able to travel and have access to a dependable vehicle.
- Able to lift up to 40lbs.

How to Apply

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Supervisor: Consultation Manager

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Salary Range: \$51,122.00 - \$58,686.00 annually/

Based on Experience & Education

Deadline to Apply: Friday, August 07th, 2026 at 4:00PM

The Project Coordinator will assist in the management of the Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation's Project Coordinator lead in assigned projects, overseeing and monitoring project functions, reporting, and budgeting. The Project Coordinator will manage assigned projects and working groups and coordinate necessary administrative functions associated with working group activities; implement assigned projects that will include researching, planning, budgeting, and documenting all aspects of the work projects.

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- Obtaining bi-weekly status reports from contracted specialists or others involved in projects;
- Engaging with appropriate contractors or resources of the parties to provide technical assistance;

For full Job Description please email hr@pikwakanagan.ca

REQUIREMENTS:

- Post-secondary degree/diploma related to business administration or public administration with a minimum of one (1) year work experience in a related field, OR
- A combination of a secondary school diploma with a minimum of three (3) years' work experience in a related field

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**Algonquins of
Pikwakanagan
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Request for Proposals (RFP)

AOPFN Alternative Means Assessment for the Alto Project

Issued by: Algonquins of Pikwàkanagàn First Nation, Consultation Department

Issue Date: July 16, 2026

Proposal Deadline: July 31, 2026, before 4:00 p.m. ET

Submission Email: projectco8@pikwakanagan.ca

Questions Deadline: July 22, 2026, by 12:00 p.m. ET

Overview

The Algonquins of Pikwàkanagàn First Nation (AOPFN) invites proposals from qualified consultants to develop and conduct an AOPFN-led Alternative Means Assessment (AMA) in collaboration with the proposed Alto High-Speed Rail Project. The AMA will help AOPFN assess feasible route alternatives within AOPFN's unceded and unsurrendered traditional territory. The work will be guided by AOPFN values, criteria, the AOPFN Advisory Council, Knowledge Holders, and other participants identified by AOPFN.

The AMA will be completed in coordination with the AOPFN Algonquin Knowledge and Land Use Study (AKLUS) for the Alto Project. AOPFN prefers approaches that improve coordination, reduce duplication, and limit consultation fatigue for AOPFN staff, Knowledge Holders, and members. The work will be completed in two stages. The first stage will focus on the central portion of the Alto corridor within AOPFN territory, from Ottawa toward Montreal, with an interim memo due by the end of October 2026. The second stage will focus on the western portion of the corridor, from Ottawa toward Toronto, with a final report due by May 2027.

The successful consultant will demonstrate relevant experience conducting similar studies, working with First Nations, facilitating community-based processes, and supporting route or alternatives assessment work.

For the full RFP, [click here](#). For more information, please contact:

Sam Whalen

Project Coordinator, Consultation Department

Algonquins of Pikwàkanagàn First Nation

4-473 Kokomis Inamo

Pikwàkanagàn, ON K0J 1X0

P: 613-625-4010

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The study will support AOPFN's preliminary assessment of potential Project impacts and the identification of potential mitigation measures. The work will include engagement with AOPFN Knowledge Holders, mapping, data review, spatial analysis, and reporting. The work will be coordinated with the AOPFN Alternative Means Assessment (AMA), where possible, to improve efficiency and reduce consultation fatigue. The AKLUS will include an interim technical memo due in January 2027 and a full report due in May 2027.

For the full RFP, [click here](#).

For more information, please contact:

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- **Located in Ottawa, ON**
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- **Deadline to apply: August 10th, 2026**

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Restauraton-conservation@pc.gc.ca
or Cindy Lee Scott at 343-572-9447



Canada

Community Resources:



ADDICTION Resources

Addictions Counsellors:

Gillian McKay
&
Sabrina
Laframboise

613-625-2259

Renfrew County Community Withdrawal Management:

613-432-7620

After Hours: National Overdose Prevention Line:

1-888-688-6677

After Hours: Drug Alcohol, Gambling Hotline:

1-866-531-2600

Medical & Foodbank Resources

VTAC:

1-844-727-6404

TeleHealth:

1-866-727-0000

Poison Control:

1-800-268-9017

The Sharing Place Golden Lake (11185 Hwy 60)

613-625-2600

Pikwakanagan Drug Tip Line

OPP Community Street Crime Unit in Renfrew County have established a drug tip line for Pikwakanagan First Nation. The number is:
613-689-0805.

The tip line will be monitored by Detectives within the Community Street Crime Unit (CSCU). Messages will be checked regularly. If the caller wishes to be called back, an investigator will return the call.

This line is only intended for drug-related information.

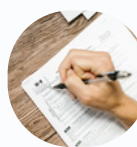
Any emergency requests for police assistance or other call for service should go through normal channels.

Renfrew County Crimestoppers is still available for drug and non-drug related tips.

- Pikwakanagan Drug Tip Line: 613-639-0805
- Renfrew County Crimestoppers: 1-800-222-8477
- Any Emergency call: 911
- OPP non-emergency line: 1-888-310-1122

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requests Support with following
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CONTACT US

Pamela Scheel- Jordan's Principle
Navigator

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Please fill out
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(613) 625 - 2173





Regular Council Meetings

Every second and last Tuesday of the month
Beginning at 9 AM

Available to view online in the
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Tuesday	9 am - 12 pm 1 pm - 4 pm
Wednesday	9 am - 1 pm
Thursday	9 am - 12 pm 1 pm - 4 pm
Friday	9 am - 12 pm 1 pm - 4 pm

We are closed weekends and Holidays

Delivery available Friday

Phone : 613-625-9974

Fax: 613-625-2068

Thank you

Natalie Commanda, Pharmacy
Technician

Joseph Conway, Pharmacist



EMMENA-MADINAMAGE MIDJIM
The Sharing Place
Food Bank

HOURS

OPEN the second Thursday of each month, unless indicated

10 AM TO 12 PM

JANUARY 9	FEBRUARY 13	MARCH 13 (EASTER)
APRIL 10	MAY 8	JUNE 12
JULY 11	AUGUST 14	SEPTEMBER 11
OCTOBER 9 (THANKSGIVING)	NOVEMBER 13	DECEMBER 18 (XMAS)

For information or emergency and after hour
needs phone and leave a message at:

613-625-2600

email for information or to e-transfer donations at
thesharingplacefb@gmail.com

Facebook: www.facebook.com/emmthesharingplace



ALGONQUINS OF PIKWAKANAGAN ELDERS LODGE

For Rentals contact Rose Yankoo at

elderslodgepik@gmail.com

**Reminder - for sanitary purposes
individuals hosting meals & catering
are required to supply their own dish
cloths and towels**

ADMIN OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday

open	8:30am
close	12:00pm

open	1:00pm
close	4:30pm

For Your Information

Canadian Police Record Checks are required for anyone who is applying for:

- Membership (Applicants who are 18 years or older)
- Residency (Applicants who are 18 years or older)

Applications, Laws, and Codes are available on our website.

www.algonquinsopikwakanagan.com

Laws and By-Laws hard copies can be requested from the Lands, Estates &

Membership department.

Call 613-625-2800, Email

mgr.lem@pikwakanagan.ca,

land.officer@pikwakanagan.ca,

assistant.lem@pikwakanagan.ca

Notice: Killaloe OPP Record Check applications are now online.



Waste Disposal Site

Wednesdays 12:00pm - 6:00pm

Sundays 9:00am - 3:00pm

Curbside Pick Up

Garbage: Wednesday

Cardboard: Thursday

Containers: Friday



ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICER

Available from 8:30-4:30 everyday

Laura Pelkey

613 401-9685

riverviewrescues@gmail.com

Available from 8:30-4:30 everyday





ALGONQUINS OF PIKWAKANAGAN FIRST NATION MEMBERSHIP ADDITIONS



Name	Family Line	Date Posted	Appeal Period Ends
Beard, Deborah	Meness	27 Jan 26	27 Jul 26
Sherbert, Norman	Sharbot	10 Feb 26	10 Aug 26
Kuehni-Kohoko, Layten	Kohoko	10 Feb 26	10 Aug 26
Babcock, Christine	Lavalley	10 Feb 26	10 Aug 26
Hutchcroft, Sophia	Commanda	09 Apr 26	09 Oct 26
Mascitti, Christina	Amikons	09 Apr 26	09 Oct 26
Miscitti, Elizabeth	Amikons	09 Apr 26	09 Oct 26
Helka, Leah	Partridge	09 Apr 26	09 Oct 26
Gagnon, Barry	Meness	10 Apr 26	10 Oct 26
Thompson, Teddy	Commanda/Benoit	10 Apr 26	10 Oct 26
Thompson, Nora	Commanda/Benoit	10 Apr 26	10 Oct 26
Moore, Karen	Benoit	10 Apr 26	10 Oct 26
Nieman, Jennifer	Lavalley	10 Apr 26	10 Oct 26
Paige, Stephanie	Baptiste	10 Apr 26	10 Oct 26
Cort Junior, James	Meness/Ignace	15 Apr 26	15 Oct 26
Cort, Kylee	Meness/Ignace	15 Apr 26	15 Oct 26
Cort, Jace	Meness/Ignace	15 Apr 26	15 Oct 26
Jocko, Bruce	Jocko	20 Apr 26	20 Oct 26
Jocko, Haddon	Jocko	20 Apr 26	20 Oct 26
Bennett, Robert	Tennescoe	20 Apr 26	20 Oct 26
Payer, Phys	Commanda	23 Apr 26	23 Oct 26
Sarazin, Anthony	Sarrazin	23 Apr 26	23 Oct 26
Snippe, Connor	Lavallee	05 May 26	05 Nov 26
McLean, Mandy	TenESCO	05 May 26	05 Nov 26
McMunn, Christina	Commanda/Lamure	14 May 26	14 Nov 26
Olmstead, Chadwick	Lavalley	04 Jun 26	04 Dec 26
Allair, Alexandra	Tenisco	04 Jun 26	04 Dec 26
Canavan, Kirsta	Whiteduck	05 Jun 26	05 Jun 26
Canavan, Michael	Whiteduck	05 Jun 26	05 Dec 26
Shelley, Jailynn	Amikons	05 Jun 26	05 Dec 26
Diver, Lorrie	Tennisco	06 Jun 26	06 Jan 27
Shelley, Melanie	Amikons	06 Jun 26	06 Jan 27
Jones, Diana	Benoit/Baptiste	06 Jul 26	06 Jan 27
Jones, Georgia	Benoit/Baptiste	06 Jul 26	06 Jan 27
Jones, Leah	Benoit/Baptiste	06 Jul 26	06 Jan 27
Matt, Micayla	Tennisco	13 Ju 26	13 Jan 27
Chenade, Sherbert	Sharbot	14 Jul 26	14 Jan 27
Fawcett, Kaitlyn	Lavalley	23 Jul 26	23 Jan 27
Glassford, David	Meness	23 Jul 26	23 Jan 27

To appeal the addition of one of the persons above becoming a Member of the Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation, please refer to your Membership Code, available on our website or in the Lands, Estates & Membership Department, or email at mgr.lem@pikwakanagan.ca.





Pikwakanagan Members: **How to Register & Re-Register!**

1

GO TO OUR WEBSITE

Visit algonquinsofpikwakanagan.com in your browser.

2

CLICK Register

Click the red "Register" button in the top right corner of the homepage.

3

ENTER YOUR INFORMATION

Fill out the Member Registration Form and submit it.

4

WAIT FOR APPROVAL

Once your request is approved, you'll receive an email with instructions to set your password and access the login page.

IMPORTANT:

These emails may land in your **Junk or Spam Folder**, so please check there if you don't see anything in your inbox. If you run into any issues at all, just reach out to comms.itsupport@pikwakanagan.ca - we're here to help every step of the way!