

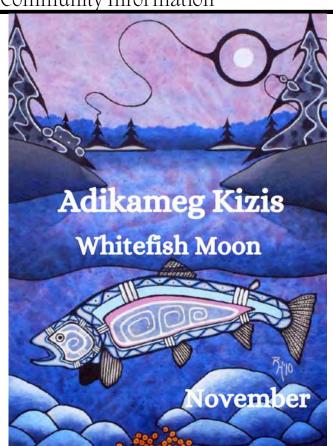
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CHÌBAYATIGO-KÌJIGAD ADIKMEG KÌZIS 22ND, 2024 FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22ND, 2024

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Angelina Commanda business.coordinator@pikwakanagan.ca

To Register Contact

There are only 12 seats



Amanda is a local "Brand

Strategist" coming to

Pikwakanagan to deliver a one

day condensed workshop

on business branding

NOVEMBER 26TH, 2024



10:30AM-1:00PM

November is lung cancer awareness month. Come discover the importance of lung health, the impact of smoking, and ways to maintain healthy lungs. Education available about smoking cessation. There will be education and resources available during lunch hour (12:00-1:00) for those who would like to drop in on their lunch break.

Lunch, snacks and beverages will be provided.

Liquid Smudge Making: *Registration required*

Learn the traditional art of making liquid smudge. This interactive session will provide handson experience and cultural insights. Workshop facilitated by Chochi Knott / Anishinabek Nation and Lisa Beedie / Ontario Health.

To Register: Please contact our Chronic Disease Management nurse Taylor Reckzin at Health Services 613-625-2259 ext 209 to sign up *Maximum participants for workshop is 12 people*





Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation

Chief & Council Update

Chief Greg Sarazin and the Council would like to highlight the important work being done in our Consultation and Engagement Department.

The Department was established in 2022 to lead consultations with government and private sector regarding proposed projects and physical work activities taking place throughout our Traditional Territory. Government has a legal obligation to consult with and where appropriate accommodate our interests on these projects. In other words, they should get our OK to proceed.

The department is not based on government core funding and is entirely dependent on funding that is identified to cover the costs of engagement with proponents, government departments, Crown agencies, or companies undertaking the proposed project and/or activities. Its purpose is to ensure that AOPFN's rights are respected, recognized, and protected and that our First Nation receives some benefit from projects occurring in our territory.

The Chief and Council regularly meet with the consultation department to provide directions and to hear updates on projects. Some projects include a Long-Term Relationship Agreement with Canadian Nuclear Laboratories (CNL), Atomic Energy of Canada Ltd (AECL), major infrastructure projects such as bridges and highways, and various economic opportunities for our First Nation.

This work is hands-on and can take many different forms depending on the size and location of a project, the permits/licensing required, and the length of time for "expected operations" amongst other variables.

Guiding the department is the protection of the environment and incorporation of Algonquin cultural values and practices.

1657A Mishòmis Inamo Pikwakanagan, Ontario KOJ 1XO

Tel: (613) 625-2800 Fax: (613) 625-2332



Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation

November 2024

TO: Members of the Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation

RE: Notice of By-Election of the Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation

Notice is hereby given to the voters of the Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation that a poll will be held to elect one (1) Councillor of the Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation on **Saturday November 30**, **2024**, and that such polling station will be open from 9:00 a.m. o'clock local time until 7:00 p.m. o'clock local time at the Makwa Centre, 83A Kagagimin Inamo, Pikwakanagan, ON KOJ 1XO. There is one (1) Councillor position.

And that I will open the returned ballots at the Makwa Centre on Saturday November 30, 2024, beginning at 1:00 o'clock p.m. and that at the close of the polling station, I will count the votes and declare the results of the By-Election.

Voter's packages have been mailed out. If you are an eligible voter and haven't received one, please contact the Electoral Officer. To vote Electronically, you must contact the Electoral Officer for your PIN and website. E-voting is not permitted on By-Election Vote Day.

If you have additional questions, please contact Electoral Officer, Kassandra Tiegs at 613-625-2800 / mgrJem@pikwakanagan.ca

Sincerely,

Kassandra Tiegs, Electoral Officer

Algonquins of Pikwakanagan By-Election November 30, 2024 - Running Candidates

Nominee Name	Nominated by:	Seconded by:	
Steve J. Benoit	Hilda Tanascon	Linda Tenniscoe	Running Candidate
Michael Joseph Sarazin	Nicole Bernard	Stephanie Stone	Running Candidate
Patrick John (PJ) Leroux	Laura Sarazin	Sarah Yankoo	Running Candidate

By-Election & Post Canada Strike

By-Election Vote Day: November 30th, 2024 Makwa Center -83 Kagagimin Inamo, Pikwakanagan, ON K0J 1X0 Opens at 9:00am and closes 7:00pm

As Canada Post is on strike, here are options to Vote:

Electronic Voting – open now and will end November 29th, 2024 11:59 pm

Eligible voting members can contact the Electoral Officer and Deputy with your full name and status # for PIN and voting website:

- Kassandra Tiegs, 613-625-2800 ext. 222 / mgr.lem@pikwakanagan
- > Brittany Scott land.officer@pikwakanagan.ca / Curtis Jahn coorindator.lem@pikwakanagan.ca

In Person at polling station on Vote Day at Makwa Center

> Please bring Status Card

In Person at the Administration Office, 1657A Mishomis Inamo, Pikwakanagan ON K0J 1X0

- Deliver the return ballot to following and returned ballot will be placed in the ballot box:
 - Electoral Officer Kassandra Tiegs (Manager -Lands, Estates & Membership)
 - Deputy Brittany Scott (Land Officer Lands, Estate & Membership
 - Deputy Curits Jahn (Program Coordinator Lands, Estates & Membership)

(Ensure the return ballot has a completed declaration and ballot in the appropriate envelopes provided)

OR

> Fill out your ballot and declaration. Electoral officer and/or deputy officer will place it in the ballot box.

FAQ

- 1. What if I already put my returned ballot in the mail and I am worried it will not be delivered?
- ➤ If you have put your returned ballot in the mail where Canada Post may affect the delivery, eligible electors can cast a vote electronically, in person at Admin Office or in person on vote day. Electronic voting will trump all other voting methods and cannot vote in person.
- 2. What happens if my returned ballot is delivered before the closing of voting day?
 - The Electoral Officer opens all returned ballots at 1:00 pm on vote day and will cross reference if the voter has already voted electronically or in person at the polling station. If the voter has not voted electronically and not in person at polling station, the ballot will be accepted if the declaration is completed properly. The same voter will not be permitted to vote electronically or at the polling station.
 - ➤ If the voter has voted electronically or in person at the polling station prior to the opening of the returned ballots, the returned ballot will not be accepted.

Community Debrief: LT1 Projects Update

November 2, 2024

Dear AOPFN Members,

Below is a comprehensive update on the community meeting held Saturday, November 2nd, 2024. AOPFN announced exciting developments regarding our new LT1 Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) projects. These initiatives promise to bring significant economic and environmental benefits to our community over the next few decades.

What Are the LT1 Projects? - The LT1 projects consist of five BESS initiatives that AOPFN will partner in, following our successful bids through the Independent Electricity System Operator (IESO). They are set to provide a stable source of revenue for our community for the next 20 years.

What is a BESS Project? - BESS projects are battery facilities that store electricity from the grid during off-peak hours (when demand and costs are low) and sell it back during peak hours (when demand and prices are high).

Why Are BESS Projects Important?

- Energy Reliability: They ensure stable power supply during peak demand and help reduce power outages.
- Economic Benefits: They lower energy costs for consumers and generate revenue for our community.
- Environmental Stewardship: They integrate renewable energy sources and reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

AOPFN's Success in the LT1 Bidding Process

We are proud to announce that AOPFN was awarded five out of the ten available contracts for BESS projects in the LT1 bidding process—a remarkable achievement! Only three First Nations in the province received contracts, and we secured the largest number of any bidder.

Details of the Five BESS Projects

- 1. Skyview2 BESS (Potentia Renewables) Capacity 412MW
 - o Location: South of Ottawa
 - AOPFN's Share: 10% equity ownership and royalty payments over the 22-year contract, plus a 10% share of the profits.
- 2. Fitzroy BESS (Brookfield Renewable Power/Evolugen) Capacity 250MW
 - Location: South of Fitzroy Harbour
 - AOPFN's Share: 50% ownership with a guaranteed minimum payment over the 22-year contract.
- 3. Trailroad BESS (Brookfield Renewable Power/Evolugen) Capacity 150MW

- o Location: West of Highway 416, southeast of Ottawa
- o **AOPFN's Share:** 50% ownership with a guaranteed minimum payment over the 22-year contract.

4. Almonte BESS (Compass Solar) - Capacity 9.9MW

- o Location: Near Almonte
- o **AOPFN's Share:** 51% ownership with a "service fee" ensuring financial benefit even if the project is not immediately profitable.

5. North Glengarry BESS (Compass Solar) – Capacity 16.3MW

- o Location: East of Ottawa, south of Montebello, Quebec
- o **AOPFN's Share:** 51% ownership with "service fee" ensuring financial benefit even if the project is not immediately profitable.

Financing Structure for LT1 Projects:

- Senior Loans: Will cover 80% of the project costs.
- **Aboriginal Loan Guarantee Program (ALGP):** Provides loan guarantees from the Province of Ontario for loans taken by First Nations for energy projects, lowering interest rates and eliminating financial risk for AOPFN.
- Partnership Loans: Available from our project partners if needed, though we aim to secure the most favorable interest rates elsewhere.

Key Takeaways

- Long-Term Prosperity: The LT1 BESS projects represent a significant opportunity to generate long-term revenue, creating a legacy of prosperity for future generations.
- **Risk Mitigation:** Projects are structured to minimize risk and ensure positive returns through guarantees, partnerships, and careful financial planning.
- Community Commitment: AOPFN is dedicated to addressing concerns and ensuring projects are developed safely, responsibly, and sustainably.

Next Steps

- Ongoing Engagement: We continue to update and involve the community, gathering feedback as the projects progress.
- **Securing Financing:** Efforts to secure financing through the ALGP and other sources are underway.
- **Revenue Management Discussions:** The Chief and Council, along with the LP Board of Directors, are working on a plan for revenue management and distribution.

We're excited about the future positive impact these projects will have on our community. Your input and involvement are valued as we move forward. If you have any questions or require further information, please feel free to reach out to Korey Kauffeldt at cec@pikwakanagan.ca.

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NOVEMBER COMMUNITY HEALTH



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FOR THE WEEKS OF NOVEMBER 25TH – DECEMBER 6TH, BEI WILL CONTINUE WORK AS FOLLOWS:

WATERMAIN:

- <u>CREW 1</u> WILL CONTINUE AND COMPLETE INSTALLATION OF WATERMAIN ON KOKOMIS INAMO.
- <u>CREW 2</u> WILL CONTINUE INSTALLATION AND COMPLETE INSTALLATION OF WATERMAIN ON KOKOMIS INAMO.
- CREW 3 FINISH SUBGRADE AT WTP; PLACE GRAN B ON PARKING LOT; DIG IN REMAINING ELECTRICAL TRENCHES AND LIGHT BASES; FINISH EXCAVATION FOR PROPANE LINE; BEGIN INSTALL OF CENTERLINE CULVERTS THROUGHOUT SITE
- -ROCK BREAKERS WILL BE ON SITE BEGINNING TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 26TH TO BLAST LONG SIDE SERVICES.
- -REMOVE TRENCH BOXES AND BACKFILL ON ININATIG INAMO IN DIRECTIONAL DRILL AREA.



Substance Use Recovery Meeting

Join us on Thursday's from 6:30 - 8:00 pm

Located at the Elder's Lodge

This meeting is open to individual's struggling with any substance use.



FOR MORE INFO PLEASE CONTACT: Familywellness@ nigignibi.com

OPEN TO Pikwakanagan Members & Their Families Nigig Nibi Ki-win Gamik Society

WEEKLY YOUTH DRIIM GROUP

Girls welcome to sing backup

5:30 pm to 7 pm @Elder's Lodge

Tuesday October 1st 2024
Tuesday October 8th 2024
Tuesday October 22nd 2024
Tuesday October 29th 2024
Tuesday November 5th 2024

Tuesday November 12th 2024

Tuesday November 19th 2024

Tuesday November 26th 2024

Tuesday December 3rd 2024

Tuesday December 10th 2024

Tuesday December 17th 2024



Sweat Ceremony

Date: November 30, 2024

Conductor: Leroy Bennett - Sagamok Anishnawbek

Time: 1:00 p.m. (fire will be lit at 10:00 a.m.)

Location: Back Parking Lot of Cultural Grounds

How it will run:

- The ceremony is intended for healing
- four sessions
- 28 grandfathers
- A feast will follow the ceremony and the location will be shared the day of.



What you will need:

- a towel for drying and a change of clothes for the sweat, this could be shorts, t-shirt, ribbon skirt (not required)
- arrive early for any additional questions or inquiries on the day of ceremony. Women are advised to speak with conductor on protocols around moontime.
- · bring a chair for sitting.

For more information contact 613-625-2259

or

IES.hs@pikwakanagan.ca

DECEMBER 2, 2024 11:00AM-8:00PM

TARTANEW

AOPFN CAREER & ENTREPRENEURSHIP FAIR



MAKWA COMMUNITY CENTER 83A Kagagimin Inamo, Pikwakanagan, ON, KOJ 1X0

Event is Open To Everyone

Vendor Registration

Registration Deadline: November 8, 2024 Vender Booth 16'x8'): \$140 Event Denation Register with Angelina Commanda

business.coordinator@nikwakanagan.ca

Stay Tuned:

Opening and Evening Keynote Speakers to be announced AOP,FM will be on site for the entire event five streaming it for those who can not attending person.
Watch for the Link to be Posted on AOPFR Social Media Outlets.



DIABETES AWARENESS

MONTH





IN RECOGNITION OF DIABETES AWARENESS MONTH, COMMUNITY HEALTH'S CHRONIC DISEASE MANAGEMENT NURSE IS DOING A DIABETIC WELLNESS BASKET GIVE AWAY! ENTER VIA HEALTH SERVICES FACEBOOK POST OR COME ENTER YOUR NAME AT THE FRONT DESK OF HEALTH SERVICES.

DRAW WILL BE FRIDAY NOVEMBER 29TH.



WORLD DIABETES DAY



Join the global campaign in raising awareness and supporting people who live with diabetes. Join for snacks, open education discussion about management of diabetes, a fun group low-impact exercise class and take home goody bag of resources!







Register Now to speak

Call Health Services at 613-625-2259 ext 209 to speak with Taylor our Chronic Disease Management Nurse to sign up!







JOHN HOWARD SOCIETY WILL BE HOSTING A VIRTUAL TEAMS MEETING ON THE TOPIC OF RECORD SUSPENSIONS

DECEMBER 9TH, 2024

5:00-6:00PM

CONTACT EMMA - THE RESTORATIVE JUSTICE WORKER FOR MORE INFO AND LINK TO JOIN

> EMMA - RESTORATIVE JUSTICE COORDINATOR AND COURT SUPPORT WORKER: 1643 MISHOMIS INAMO, PIKWAKANAGAN, ON (613) 625-2259 ETX 245 JUSTICE.MHS@PIKWAKANAGAN.CA

RENFREW COUNTY LEGAL CLINIC IS COMING HERE TO

THINGS TO KNOW:

- Renfrew County Legal Clinic will be attending the Health Serices Building to offer free legal advice and support .
- No appiontment needed.
- First come, first serve basis.
- They will be here every third Tuesday of the month unless notified otherwise.
- The hours will run from 4:30pm till 6:00pm.



THE RENFREW COUNTY LEGAL CLINIC WILL BE HERE:

October 15, 2024 4:30-6:00pm

November 12, 2024 4:30-6:00pm

December 17, 2024 4:30-6:00pm.

January 14, 2025 4:30-6:00pm

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL EMMA; THE RESTORATIVE JUSTICE WORKER AT AOPFN

(613) 625-2259 Ext 245

1643 Mishomis Inamo, Pikakanagan, ON



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DECEMBER FOOD **VOUCHER**

Pick Up 9:00 - 4:00 FRIDAY December 13 Register by Friday, December 6, 2024 Text 613-639-1633





ART VENDORS, FEAST, SANTA & GIFTS

ARTISAN MARKET 2PM FEAST AT 5:30 PM DECEMBER 19





CALLING ALL PIKWAKANAGANS ARTISTS & CRAFTERS!

WE INVITE YOU TO SHOWCASE & SELL YOUR HANDMADE GOODS & ART.
NO COST! EACH VENDOR WILL HAVE TABLE & CHAIRS.

CONTACT 6136251958 / PROGRAMCOORDINATOR@THEALGONQUINWAY.CA TO RESERVE A TABLE

GIFTS WILL BE PROVIDED FOR CHILDREN AGES 0-18 WHO RESIDE IN PIKWAKANAGAN.
MEMBERS WHO RESIDE OUTSIDE OF PIKWAKANAGAN ARE MORE THAN WELCOME TO
JOIN BUT PLEASE BRING A WRAPPED GIFT FOR YOUR CHILD(REN).



Community Notice:

The Upper Ottawa Valley Ontario Provincial Police (OPP) have launched there 28th annual Christmas Angels Program.

Christmas is a time for giving, and the community is encouraged to support those in need by participating in the Christmas Angels program. Each "Angel" represents a local resident who could use some holiday cheer. Everyone is invited to visit any of the following locations to select an "Angel" and purchase a gift:

- Pembroke and Petawawa OPP Detachments
- · Pembroke City Hall and Pembroke Library
- Petawawa Library and Petawawa Town Office
- Laurentian Valley Township Office
- Whitewater Region Township Office

You are being asked to place the unwrapped gift in a gift bag with the "Angel" tag attached to the outside. Gifts should be returned to the location where the "Angel" was selected by December 9th, 2024.

Last year, the community's generosity helped brighten the holiday season for a record 602 "Angels."

AOPFN COLLEGE & UNIVERSITY STUDENTS

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BEING CONTACTED
ABOUT BURSARIES, GRANTS, CO-OP & INTERNSHIP
OPPORTUNITIES, EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES OR
WORKSHOPS AND EVENTS, PLEASE REGISTER WITH THE
AOPFN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT ASAP.

Angelina Commanda Business Development Coordinator business.coordinator@pikwakanagan.ca 613-625-1551





November Awareness!

Type 1 Diabetes

- · Autoimmune disease
- People with type 1 diabetes aren't able to produce their own insulin
- Type 1 diabetes generally develops in childhood or adolescence but can also develop in adulthood
- People with type 1 need to inject insulin or use an insulin pump to ensure their bodies have the right amount of insulin.

Diabetes

Signs and Symptoms

The most common signs and symptoms of type 2 diabetes can include the following:

- · unusual thirst
- frequent urination
- weight change (gain or loss)
- · extreme fatigue or lack of energy
- blurred vision
- · frequent or recurring infections
- · cuts and bruises that are slow to heal
- · tingling or numbness in the hands or feet
- trouble getting or maintaining an erection
- diabetes ketoacidosis (DKA)

Type 2 Diabetes

- People with type 2 diabetes can't properly use the insulin made by their bodies, or their bodies aren't able to produce enough insulin
- Type 2 diabetes is most commonly developed in adulthood, although it can also occur in childhood.
- Type 2 diabetes can sometimes be managed with healthy eating and regular exercise alone, but may also require medications or insulin therapy.

Can I assess my risk factors?

The Canadian Diabetes Risk
Factor Assessment Tool
(CANRISK): you or your health
care provider can use this to
assess your risk of developing
Pre-Diabetes or Type 2
Diabetes. You can find this tool
online at:

https://healthycanadians.gc.ca/ en/canrisk or you can find paper copies of the assessment at The Health Center you can take home.

Alternatively, you can book an appointment to discuss risk factors with your health care provider or other qualified professionals.



Resources and Support

Online Resources:

Diabetes Canada: www.diabetes.ca Indigenous Diabetes Health Circle: https://idhc.life/

Community Based:

Chronic Disease Management Nurse, Taylor Reckzin Health Services 613-625-2259

Registered Dietician and Diabetes Educator, Jenna Walsh Health Services 613-625-2259

Outreach Program:

Offer community clinics for Pikwakanagan Residents. Based out of Pembroke Regional Hospital, Registered Dietician and Diabetes Educator Nurse. Speak with Chronic Disease Management Nurse Taylor to learn more about this service.

Diabetes Events

Through www.diabetes.ca

Virtual Diabetes Education Program

January 25, 2024 - December 05, 2024 | Virtual Event Are you newly diagnosed with Type 2 diabetes and looking for information to get you started, or need a refresher on diabetes management?

In The Kitchen With Diabetes Canada

November 06, 2024 - November 27, 2024

virtual event

Do you struggle with what to make for dinner? Not sure how to build a balanced plate? Lack time, knowledge or know-how in the kitchen? We've got an educational series for you.

Community Based

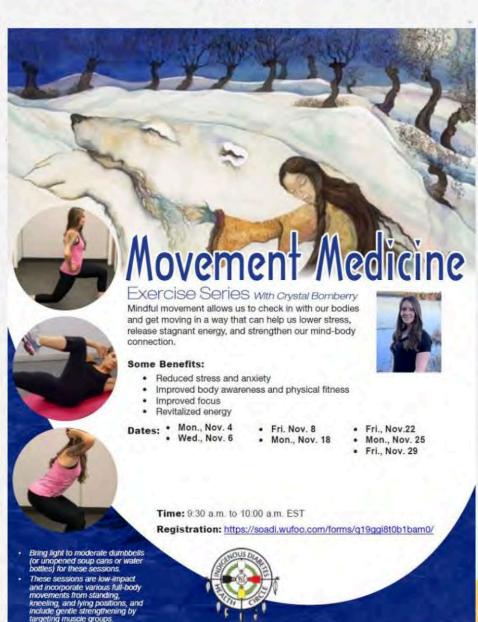
Community Health is putting on a **Diabetes Day Workshop**

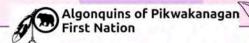
at the Elders Lodge Friday December 6th, 2024 12:00pm-3:00pm

Come join for a fun afternoon in getting together to learn and connect in honor of Diabetes Awareness Month! Please call Health Services 613-625-2259 ext 209 to sign up!

Through Indigenous Diabetes Health Circle

Go to
https://idhc.life/upcomingevents/ to check out
upcoming virtual education
workshops and virtual
movement medicine exercise
series





Domestic Violence Awareness Information and Assistance Session

November 2024 At AoPFN Health Services Building

Please feel free to reach out to Katrina or Emma at AoPFN for information on the date and time if interested in attending as we wish to disclose this information for safety reasons. Katrina - 613-401-0453



Emma - 613-625-2259 EXT 245



Bernadette McCann House, Women's Sexual Assault Centre and Victim Services will be hosting this information session and it will be available for teenagers, and women.



If you, or anyone you know is experiencing abuse or domestic violence, help is available.

Bernadette McCann House

1-800-267-4930

Women's Sexual Assault Centre of Renfrew County

• 1-800-633-3060

Victim Services

343-361-3269 or toll free at 1-877-568-5730

COMMUNITY COGNITIVE **ASSESSMENTS**

Concerned about your mind or memory? Dementia is a growing public health issue and early identification is crucial.

The Health Center will be offering assessments using the Canadian Indigenous Cognitive Assessment (CICA) Tool, for those 50+.



Have questions?

Call the Health Center to speak with one of our nurses. 613-625-2259 ext. 241 or 209





PROTECT YOUR LUNGS

Lung cancer remains the most commonly diagnosed cancer in Canada, and the most common cause of cancer deaths.

RISK FACTORS



Smoking tobacco, second-hand smoke, radon, asbestos, family history, radiation and air pollution.

SIGNS & SYMPTOMS



Pain in chest, shoulder, back or arms frequent lung infections, a new cough that doesn't subside or worsens over time fatigue, shortness of breath, hoarseness, loss of appetite or weight loss, whistling sound when breathing, swelling in the neck or face, blood clots, and dizziness or weakness.

SCREENING



If you are 55 to 74 years old and have smoked cigarettes every day for at least 20 years (not necessarily 20 years in a row) - you may be eligible for lung cancer

IF YOU ARE CONCERNED ABOUT YOUR RISK, TALK TO YOUR DOCTOR.

Prevention of lung cancer is key. Often times lung cancer is not diagnosed until the cancer has spread



RADO CAUSES LUNG CANC



Lung cancer is the most common cancer in Canada and has a low survival rate. Long-term exposure to radon is the #1 cause of lung cancer for non-smokers.

Too many non-smokers do not think they are at risk of developing lung cancer.

a year die from radon-induced lung cancer.

30% non-smokers.

19% of surviving lung cancer (5 years).

All homes have radon gas, the question is - how much?



You can reduce your risk of radon-induced lung cancer. The first step is to test your home.

www.takeactiononradon.ca

Find out more: www.canada.ca/radon











LOAN CUPBOARD

Short-term medical equipment lending system.

For More Information:

- (613) 625-2259 ext. 241
- 1643 Mishomis Inamo
- hcc@pikwakanagan.ca





Access to equipment such as:

- Wheelchairs
- Walkers
- Canes
- Crutches
- Splints/braces
- Bedroom equipment
- Bathroom aides
- Monitors
- Specialized devices

Available to First Nation members who:

- Live in Pikwakanagan
- Are a status member, spouse or caregiver
- Require equipment on a short term basis

For More Information:

- (613) 625-2259 ext. 241
- 1643 Mishomis Inamo
- hcc@pikwakanagan.ca

Resource Numbers:

Addictions Resources

Addiction Counsellors: Gillian McKay & Sabrina Laframboise 613-625-2259

Renfrew County Community Withdrawal Management: 613-432-7620

After Hours: Drug, Alcohol, Gambling Hotline: 1-866-531-2600

After Hours: National Overdose Prevention Line: 1-888-688-6677

Pikwakangan Drug Tip Line

OPP Community Street Crime Unit in Renfrew County have established a drug tip line for Pikwakanagan First Nation. The number: <u>613-639-0805</u>

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, request 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

Medical Resources

VTAC 1-844-727-6404

Telahealth 1-866-797-0000

Poison Control 1-800-268-9017

Foodbank Resources

Sharing Place Golden Lake (11185 Hwy 60) 613-635-1904

Food Vouchers (Pikwakanagan Social Services) 613-639-1633



WHO IS ISN MASKWA?



Owned by Missanable Cree First Nation, ISN Maskwa is a leader in training and deploying in Indigenous communities for a variety of specialties. ISN Maskwa has been working extensively to build the initiative across the province of "Indigenous-led Community Support" in regards to evacuation and emergency response.

WHAT IS ISN MASKWA DOING WHILE ONSITE?

- 24/7 Operations
- Wellness Checks
- Community Support to keep all community members safe and happy
- Assist with special events/recreation
- Assist where they are needed and directed by the community

HOW CAN YOU GET A HOLD OF THE ISN MASKWA TEAM?

ISN Maskwa is onsite 24/7 and can be reached on our phone at:

343-544-6810







AOPFN EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Technology Support Assistant

Department: General Government

Supervisor: Senior Executive Assistant \$20.00/hour 35 hours a week, 6 month term with possibility of permanency

Deadline to Apply: Friday, November 29th at 4:30pm

The Information Technology Support Assistant will provide effective IT assistance across all aspects of the business and will provide backup and support to the IT Support Officer. The IT Support Assistant is responsible for supporting and maintaining the Microsoft Server and Desktop operating systems, plus general maintenance of all IT-related hardware/software. The position provides exposure to a broad range of IT-related projects and activities.

- · Supports in the setup and configuration of IT-related items
- · Aids in the installation and upgrade of software, repairs of hardware, and peripherals.
- · Assist in administering user accounts.
- . Troubleshoots, and diagnoses basic problems with computer equipment.
- Performs minor maintenance and repair on equipment.
- . Transfers computer files between platforms as needed.
- . Setting up new users and disabling expired accounts in accordance with HR requirements.
- Ensures all software purchased licensing is recorded and maintained.
- Attends relevant meetings, conferences, and seminars.
- Creating purchase requisitions for IT hardware/software.
- Assists in the design and production of basic reports.
- Follow, and implement IT policies and procedures ensuring compliance and incorporating available measures in the legislation.
- Will work with Finance, Human Resources, Managers and Supervisors.

For full Job Description please email hrassistant@pikwakanagan.ca

Requirements:

- · Post Secondary certificate or diploma related to Computer Technology or a related field. OR
- Secondary School Diploma with 2 years of current work experience in IT support or direct experience working with technology and computer operations.

Conditions of Employment:

- An acceptable Criminal Records Check
- Willing to attend Cultural Awareness Training

How to Apply:

Cover Letter

Current Resume

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

Submit to:

Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation

Submit to:

1657A Mishomis Inamo, Pikwakanagan, Ontario, KOJ 1XO

HR@pikwakanagan.ca

Subject Line: Technology Support Assistant

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

Application Process:

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

Employee Benefits:

Pension Plan Paid Sick Days 4% Vacation

Holiday Shutdown

- 14 Provincial and Federal Statutory Holidays
- Half days on Fridays prior to holiday Mondays
- Health Spending Account (Dental, Vision, Perscriptions, etc.)
- Milestone Recognitions & Rewards

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.

AOPFN is also committed to developing inclusive, barrier–free selection processes and work environments. If contacted in relation to a job opportunity or testing, you should advise the recruitment representative in a timely fashion of the accommodation measures which must be taken to enable you to be assessed in a fair and equitable manner. Information received relating to accommodation measures will be addressed confidentially.



Community Support Personnel Training Program

Training Opportunity

We are seeking participants For this training opportunity available

Entry-Level Course for Community Support Personnel

The Algonquins of Pikwakanagan are seeking interest for those interested in attending training for Community Support Personnel (CSP).

CSP is planned to be a follow up program that was implemented in August of 2024 to respond to the State of Emergency.

This Training Opportunity will train participants in future Community Support Personnel roles.

What does a CSP do in their community?

Respond to Community Issues including:

- Patrols throughout the Community, engaging with community members and stakeholders.
- Wellness Checks
- Working with local Ambulance Services
- Working with local Police Services
- AOPFN Departments and working groups

How it works

- Training will be offered in community with preferences given to Pikwakanagan community members but training maybe offered externally.
- No registration fees.
- Future training dates to be determined depending upon availability and interest
- Course will last 10 days.
- An Honourarium will be provided to all participants upon completion of the course.

This course will result in future possible employment opportunities with Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation as Community Support Personnel, supervisors and/or with other organizations such as ISN Maskwa.

Application Process: Please submit Resume and Cover Letter To AOPFN's Employment Development Officer by email: employment.officer@pikwakanagan.ca or hr@pikwakanagan.ca by phone: 613 625 2800 Ext. 248 or by dropping off application at the Administration Office

1657A Mishomis Inamo, Pikwakanagan, Ontario.

Deadline to express interest: Friday December 6th, 2024 at 4:30 pm

Qualifications:

What you need to become a Community Support Person:

- Minimum 19 years of age.
- A valid Ontario Driver's License.

This course will help you meet the requirements of upcoming employment opportunities.

Rated Requirements:

- Drivers abstract (clean)
- · Able to work difficult people and situations
- Sensitive to aboriginal culture differences and values

Call to Tender

Cleaning Services

First Nations Housing Professionals Association (FNHPA) is looking for cleaning and disinfecting services for our office.

Location: 473 Kokomis Inamo, Unit #1, Pikwakanagan, ON KOJ 1X0

Schedule and Duration of Contract

Must be able to provide cleaning and disinfecting services to the whole unit including common area, individual offices, kitchenette and bathroom. Cleaning services are to be conducted after 4:30 p.m. and before 8:00 a.m. Monday to Friday.

The duration of the contract is from December 9th, 2024, to December 9, 2025.

For scope of work or to arrange a visit please contact Candace Bennett, CEO at candace@fnhpa.ca or 613-299-3810.

Supplies and Equipment

All equipment and supplies will be provided by First Nations Housing Professionals Association. However, it will be the successful contractor's responsibility to keep FNHPA informed when supplies are getting low (minimum of 7 days in advance).

Additional Requirements

The successful bidder must provide the following:

- Proof of personal liability and property damage insurance, applicable to all cleaning staff at your own expense.
- Proof of WHMIS certification for ALL cleaning staff at your own expense.

Tender Closing Date and Time

Friday November 29, 2024, at 12:00PM EST

Tender Submission

Submission to be sent by email to Candace Bennett at candace@fnhpa.ca with subject line as "FNHPA- Tender Submission for Cleaning Services 2024-2025" by 12:00PM EST on Friday November 29, 2024.

Call to Tender Cleaning Services First Nations Housing Professionals Association

473 Kokomis Inamo, Unit 1, Pikwakanagan ON, KOJ 1XO

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** First Nations Housing Professionals Associations is not obligated to accept the lowest or any tender submitted. **



Scope of Work: Provide traditional Christmas dinner with all the fixings, including drinks and dessert for approximately 200 community members.

Please submit tenders to Jayden at The Algonquin Way Cultural Centre or programcoordinator@thealgonquinway.ca by 12pm Tuesday, December 10th. For any additional information or questions, please call 613–625–1958.

Feast Date: Thurs. Dec 19. 2024 Makwa Centre Nigig Nibi Ki-win Gamik Society



View our job postings on www.nigignibi.com

Prevention Program Assistant

This position involves providing professional administrative support, assisting with program implementation, developing and promoting culturally relevant programming, facilitating group activities for all age groups, assisting in workplan development, keeping the community informed of events, and supporting the Program Coordinator with daily management tasks.

Family Wellness Program Assistant

The Family Wellness Program Assistant provides administrative and program support, including assisting with program delivery, organizing activities, booking resources, creating promotional materials, and gathering feedback.

They assess community needs, promote wellness programs, handle correspondence, greet the public, manage documents, and perform additional tasks as assigned by the Family Wellness Supervisor and Manager.



Send your resume to employment@nigignibi.com





ALGONQUINS OF PIKWAKANAGAN FIRST NATION MEMBERSHIP ADDITIONS



Name	Family Line	Date Posted	Appeal Period Ends	
Faulkner, Rose-Marie	Sarrazin	12 July 24	12 Dec 24	
Faulkner, Michael	Sarrazin	12 July 24	12 Dec 24	
Faulkner, Jaiden	Sarrazin	12 July 24	12 Dec 24	
Faulkner, Allton	Sarrazin	12 July 24	12 Dec 24	
Faulkner, Theodore	Sarrazin	12 July 24	12 Dec 24	
Faulkner, Jeremy	Sarrazin	15 July 24	15 Dec 24	
Faulkner, Elliot	Sarrazin	15 July 24	15 Dec 24	
Faulkner, Eloise	Sarrazin	15 July 24	15 Dec 24	
Faulkner, Olive	Sarrazin	15 July 24	15 Dec 24	
Faulkner, Felicity	Sarrazin	15 July 24	15 Dec 24	
Heisler, Jessie	Jocko	15 July 24	15 Dec 24	
Broadbent, Kayla	Lavalley	17 July 24	17 Dec 24	
Peter, Spina	Tenniscoe	17 July 24	17 Dec 24	
Eggert, Curtis	Tenniscoe	25 July 24	25 Dec 24	
Savard, Estelle	Amikons	30 July 24	30 Dec 24	
Sanden, Melissa	Sarrazin	07 Aug 24	07 Jan 25	
Sanden, Joshua	Sarrazin	07 Aug 24	07 Jan 25	
Sanden, Enoch	Sarrazin	07 Aug 24	07 Jan 25	
Mosier, Emma	Benoit/Baptiste	07 Aug 24	07 Jan 25	
Faulkner, Stephen	Sarrazin	07 Aug 24	07 Jan 25	
Burnett, Elizabeth	Sharbot	13 Aug 24	13 Jan 25	
Burnett, Adilene	Sharbot	13 Aug 24	13 Jan 25	
Burnett, Rachel	Sharbot	13 Aug 24	13 Jan 25	
Ferguson, Cooper	Lamabe	13 Aug 24	13 Jan 25	
Lamure, Elliot	Lamure	14 Aug 24	14 Jan 25	
Faulkner, Andrew	Sarrazin	19 Aug 24	19 Jan 25	
Paradis, Anabelle	Amikons	19 Aug 24	19 Jan 25	
Paradis, Rosalie	Amikons	19 Aug 24	19 Jan 25	
Pascoe, Dylan	Sharbot	19 Aug 24	19 Jan 25	
Swartzman, Cole Sharbot		19 Aug 24	19 Jan 25	

Purdie, Lillie	Commanda	19 Aug 24	19 Jan 25	
Purdie, William A.	Commanda	19 Aug 24	19 Jan 25	
Smith, Laura	Commanda/Lamure	04 Sept 24	04 Feb 25	
Hamilton, Lauren	Tennisco	04 Sept 24	04 Feb 25	
Galipeau, Molly	Amikons	04 Sept 24	04 Feb 25	
Paradis, Karine	Amikons	04 Sept 24	04 Feb 25	
Olson, Noah	Protected	06 Sept 24	06 Feb 25	
Paradis, Cedric	Amikons	11 Sept 24	11 Feb 25	
Finch, Michelle	Sharbot	11 Sept 24	11 Feb 25	
Zaichkowsi, Connor	Commanda	12 Sept 24	12 Feb 25	
Gagnon, Allycia	Meness	17 Sept 24	17 Feb 25	
Faulkner, Florence	Sarrazin	17 Sept 24	17 Feb 25	
Timmerman, Christian	Sharbot	20 Sept 24	20 Feb 25	
Godin, Lindsay	Lavallee	20 Sept 24	20 Feb 25	
Johnston, Melissa	Kikomse/Lamure	23 Sep 24	23 Feb 25	
Burnett, Katherine	Sharbot	24 Sept 24	24 Feb 25	
Sarrazin, Nathaniel	Pisindawate/Lamure	18 Oct 24	18 Mar 25	
Sarrazin, Marcella	Pisindawate/Lamure	18 Oct 24	18 Mar 25	
Sarrazin, August	Pisindawate/Lamure	18 Oct 24	18 Mar 25	
Sarrazin, Mia	Pisindawate/Lamure	18 Oct 24	18 Mar 25	
Sarrazin, Sierra	Pisindawate/Lamure	18 Oct 24	18 Mar 25	
Gravelle, Richard	Tennisco	23 Oct 24	23 Mar 25	
Williamson, Jessica	Pisindawate	03 Nov 24	03 Apr 25	
Swartzman, Cheyanne	Sharbot	06 Nov 24	06 Apr 25	
Ebel, Deborah Ignace		06 Nov 24	06 Apr 25	
Reynolds, Bruce Pisnidewatch		06 Nov 24	06 Apr 25	
anglois, Tamarah Lamure		06 Nov 24	06 Apr 25	
Pyper-Hall, Tara	Lavalley	14 Nov 24	14 Apr 25	
Pyper, Paige	Lavalley	14 Nov 24 14 Apr 25		
Smith, Scott	Lavalley	15 Nov 24	15 Nov 24	

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

Community Information

Regular council meetings on zoom

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



Available in the **members-only** section of www.algonquinsofpikwakanagan.ca:



Zoom details minutes Presentations/Attachments

Not Online?

Call Alanna Hein at 613-625-2800 EXT 229 and leave a message to request information and instructions on how to join zoom by phone



HOURS

OPEN the second Thursday of each month, unless indicated

10 AM TO 12 PM

JANUARY 11 FEBRUARY 8 MARCH 21 (EASTER)

APRIL 11 MAY 9 JUNE 13

JULY 11 AUGUST 8 SEPTEMBER 12

JOEI II AUGUST 6 SEPTEMBER 12

OCTOBER 10 (THANKSGIVING) NOVEMBER 14 DECEMBER 12 (XMAS: DEC 19)

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



Conways Pharmacy Remote Dispensing Location

BUSINESS HOURS

Monday 9 am - 12 pm

1 pm - 4 pm

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

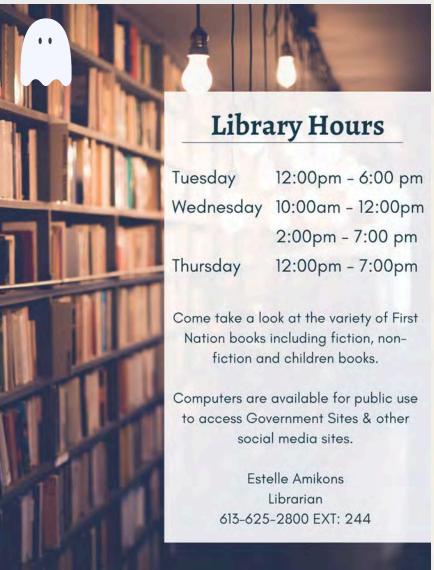
ALGONQUINS OF PIKWAKANAGAN ELDERS LODGE

For Rentals contact Sandy 613-717-2894

Reminder - for sanitary purposes individual hosting meals & catering will require to supply their own dish cloths

and towels

Community Information



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.

https://www.algonquinsofpikwakanagan.com/la ws-and-by-laws/

Hard copies can be requested from the Lands Estates, and Membership Department.

1-613-625-2800 mgr.lem@pikwakanagan.ca assistant.lem@pikwakanagan.ca

NOTICE:

Killaloe OPP record check applications are now online.

Waste Disposal Site

Wednesday: 12:00pm - 6:00pm Sundays: 9:00am - 3:00pm

Curbside Pick Up

Garbage: Wednesday
Cardboard: Thursday
Containers: Friday





Community Information

How To Access 'Members Only' Section of Website

Please Note that the link to Regular Council meetings, minutes and agenda packages are available in the Members only section of the website.

Steps:

- 1. Open a browser and enter: www.algonquinsofpikwakanagan.ca
- 2. Find the "Member Login" box (scroll down on home page or on side bar)
- 3. Click on "Log in as member of the Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation"
- 4. You will be brought to the "Member Login" section
- 5. Click on the words "Click Here for the registration form"
- 6. You will be brought to the "Membership Registration"
- 7. Click the "Register" button and wait for your email notification

*This website contains content that is private for Algonquins of Pikwakanagan members only.

To access the private content, please fill in the registration form. A Membership official will verify your membership in the community and you will receive access.*

Field	Example	Explanation
Family Name	Bird	must be as it appears on Certificate of Indian Status card
Given Names	Thunder Bolt	must be as it appears on Certificate of Indian Status card
Registry Number	1630301001	10 digits starting with 1630 on Certificate of Indian Status card
Date of Birth	2006/01/01	enter as per format
Email Address	thunderbird@gmail.com	Every member must have their own email address. This address with the password will be used to log in once membership has been verified.
Password	Tbirds	make up a password – note: it will be case sensitive
Confirm Password	Tbirds	re-enter password – note: it will be case sensitive
Address 1	10 Cloud Street	street address
Address 2	P.O. Box 100	apartment #, box # or rural route #
City	Blue Skies	community/town/city
Province	ON	province/state
Postal Code	K0J 1X0	postal code/zip code
Country	Canada	country
Phone	613 625 2800	code and number as per format

Administration Information

Algonquins of Pikwakanagan First Nation

1657A Mishomis Inamo Pikwakanagan, ON KOJ 1XO Office: 613-625-2800 | Fax 613-625-2332 Hours of operation: Monday - Friday 8:30AM - 4:30PM 12:00PM - 1:00PM Closed for lunch

Holiday Closures
New year's day, Family Day, Good Friday, Easter
Monday, Victoria Day, INDIGENOUS peoples day,
Canada Day, Civic Holiday, Labor Day, National Day For
Truth and Reconciliation, Thanksgiving,
REMEMBRANCE Day & Christmas Day

2 week - Christmas Closure Dates will be ANNOUNCED

