# LTBB TRIBAL CITIZEN JANNAN CORNSTALK HONORED FOR ORGANIZING PIPE OUT PADDLE PROTESTS



By Annette VanDeCar, Communications Coordinaor

For her efforts in organizing the Pipe Out Paddle Protests the last three years, LTBB Tribal Citizen Jannan Cornstalk received the 2018 Environmentalist of the Year award in the Volunteer category from the Northern Michigan Environmental Action Council (NMEAC).

Since 1988, NMEAC has annually recognized individuals and groups doing environmental work in the Northern Michigan region. She was unable to attend the award ceremony in Traverse City, MI, on April 13, 2018 because a snowstorm delayed her flight from Duluth, MN, where she was asked to speak on a grassroots organizing panel at the Rising Voices 6 Climate Change workshop.

"I was surprised when JoAnne (Bier Beemon, a past award recipient and environmentalist) called me and said she wanted to nominate me for the award," Cornstalk said. "The award is really nice because it recognizes me for my hard work, but it was truly a collaborative effort. I'm the main organizer, but lots of people help. (LTBB Tribal Citizen) Andrea Pierce is the main person who helps me organize the events. I can't do it by myself. I feel the Creator used me to bring people together."

The Pipe Out Paddle Protests have brought together people of all ages and all walks of life to Mackinaw City, MI, to rally against and raise awareness of Enbridge Line 5. The flotillas have included kayaks and canoes.

"Vicki (Kelley) and I were invited to an event in Mackinaw City in regards to Enbridge Line 5, and I was asked to speak there," Cornstalk said. "After I finished speaking there, I thought, 'I'm tired of talking, I have to do something.' When they were protesting a pipeline in

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Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians 7500 Odawa Circle Harbor Springs, Michigan 49740 Return Service Requested Local Music: Cookin' Up the Jams with The Real Ingredients

By Kristi Kates

Editor's note: The following article and accompanying photograph appeared in the *Northern Express Weekly* on April 21, 2018 and are reprinted here with permission. Sean Miller is an LTBB Tribal Citizen, and Traven Michaels is the Environmental Response Specialist in the LTBB Environmental Services Program.



Petoskey pair mixes up funk, folk and fun, resulting in a rockin' recipe of sound that they're taking across all of Northern Michigan this summer.

## Meet the Band

There may be only two "ingredients" to this band, but boy, do they know how to put together one heck of a musical stew. Sean Miller handles the guitar duties while Traven Michaels mans the saxophone. Both men sing and play percussion, and they go way back. "We became friends at Petoskey Middle School, and started hanging out more often," Michaels explained. "We were also in jazz and marching band together through high school; we were both passionate about playing music." Miller took part in the Petoskey Steel Drum Band as well while Michaels was determined to take his own music outside of the band room.

"We used our shared enthusiasm and joined a band with a number of our friends," Michaels said. "That band evolved into a four-piece that was the original The Real Ingredients." The band dissolved briefly when both friends went to college; but they reunited and pared their lineup down to just the two of them. They've now been a band officially for two years.

## You Might Have Heard Them

And, they might be one of the hardest working bands,

"Over the last two years, I think we have played in almost every venue across Northern Michigan," said Miller. "That includes Beard's Brewery, City Park Grill, Stiggs Brewery, Mackinaw Trails Brewery, 7 Monks Taproom, all our local farmers markets, Pierson's, Boyne Country Club, Grand Traverse Yacht Club, Snowbelt Brewery and more."

For, the upcoming summer season, they're not slowing "The Real Ingredients" continued on page 25.

# MISS NORTH CAROLINA USA CAELYNN MILLER-KEYES USES CROWN TO ADDRESS AN UGLY, PERSONAL TRUTH: SEXUAL ASSAULT

By Laura Brache, WFMY News 2 Digital

Editor's note: The following appeared on WFMY News 2 on April 26, 2018 and is reprinted here with permission. Miss North Carolina USA Caelynn Miller-Keyes is an LTBB Descendant. Her family includes her grandmother, Marie "Tootsie" (Keshick) Miller, an LTBB Tribal Citizen, her mother, Jai-leah Miller-Kamenicky, an LTBB Tribal Citizen, her stepfather, John Kamenicky, and siblings, Arianna Miller-Keyes, Josh Kamenicky, Haydn Kamenicky and Isabella Kamenicky.

In midst of the #MeToo and #TimesUp movements, Caelynn Miller-Keyes, Miss North Carolina USA 2018, is using her title to speak up against sexual assault, and the ugly truth that has impacted her personally.

Miller-Keyes attended Virginia Commonwealth University where she studied Broadcast Journalism. It is also where she became a sexual assault survivor.

Her sophomore year, Miller-Keyes says she was sexually assaulted by one of her own friends at his fraternity house.

"My whole world was flipped upside down," the 2018 Miss NC USA shared during a press conference at the High Point Chamber of Commerce on Thursday (April 26, 2018).

The 22-year-old explained that, just like many of the

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celebrities in the #MeToo and #TimesUp movements, she was terrified to accept what had happened to her and tell her loved ones from fear of being judged.

When Miller-Keyes called two friends that were at the same fraternity house that night to tell them what had happened, they said they believed they had also been assaulted and had no recollection of the events.

They realized they had all been drugged and sexually assaulted.

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## LTBB Tribal Citizens Enrolled as of 5-21-18 = 4,564

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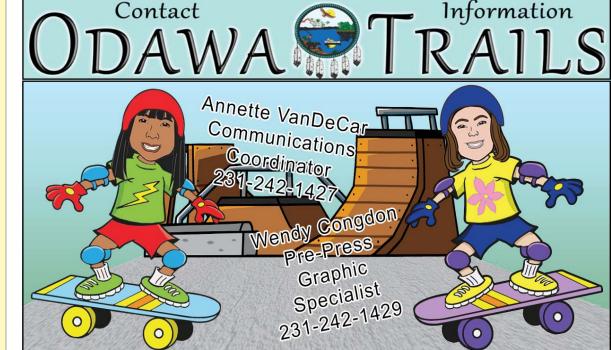
## Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians

Anishinaabemowin Interpretation of LTBB Mission Statement

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## LTBB Mission Statement

Being Odawa is all about freedom. The Freedom to be a part of a people who, with integrity and pride, still have and speak our own language. The freedom to share in common with all other Odawak the customs, culture, and spirituality of our ancestors. The freedom we have today we will bring to the future through unity, education, justice, communication, and planning. We will reach out to the next seven generations by holding to cultural values of Wisdom, Love, Respect, Bravery, Honesty, Humility and Truth. We will utilize our Tribal assets to provide the necessary tools to become successful, hard-working community members who proudly represent our culture. With these values we will move the Tribe forward.



The Communications Department welcomes submissions for our "Lines From Our Membership" section of the newsletter, but we cannot run anything political in nature or expressing an opinion due to a long-standing department policy. Because we have a newsletter and not a newspaper, we do not have an editorial page. We reserve the right to edit any material submitted for space

The deadline for the July 2018 issue of *Odawa Trails* is June 4, 2018.

call in your submissions if they are short. We also welcome comments, suggestions and story ideas.

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# EPARTMENTS & PROGRAMS





## LTBB CULTURAL LIBRARY UPDATES

The LTBB Cultural Library has been keeping

The Wiidikendming Eyaawwying Project Assistant Jeremy Steele concluded the ebook club in May. Because of so much interest, we had to purchase additional Kindles for a total of 30 readers for most of the six ebooks that were read. Miigwech to all who contributed to the success of the ebook club!

Six LTBB staff were trained to facilitate Digital Storytelling Workshops in our community. A second workshop was held April 25th-27th at the LTBB Community Building. A second digital storytelling workshop has been planned during this month with plans to hold an additional one with enough interest. Refreshments are provided for workshop participants as well as a working lunch on the last day. Please contact Jeremy Steele if interested or if you would like more information at jsteele@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov or by phone at 231-242-1485.

Genealogy information sessions are also in the works for community members. The goal is to provide basic materials and resource and organizational information on what is needed for those beginning to delve into their personal family histories using resources like Ancestry.com. There are three sessions planned with two for beginners and one for inter-

Our Free Little Libraries missed installation before winter due to their unique design and wanting to consider weather conditions and the need to maintain undamaged books for Free Library visitors. Library installation is planned for the LTBB Housing properties and at the Health Clinic in Petoskey, MI. Our Free Little Libraries were designed by Tom Teuthorn and painted by Roberta Shalifoe, who did a fantastic job. Chi miigwech!

Free books are still available for the public on a free book cart in the Commons Area of the LTBB Government Building in Harbor Springs, MI. The cart works the same as the Free Little Libraries. You are welcome to take a book and/or leave a book.

The LTBB Cultural Library continues to provide library card numbers to the community. If you're a part of our local community, in the schools,

the counties we serve or have LTBB members as family, then the library serves you as well. There is no requirement to be a tribal member. Signup is free and easy and also gives you access to the Great Lakes Digital Library consortium where there are thousands more ebooks, audiobooks and videos available to be checked out to you on your smartphones, tablets, Kindles and computers.

The LTBB Cultural Library recently ended its first Spring Reading Challenge, and we want to continue supporting summer reading with the beginning of the tribal-wide summer reading program. The LTBB Cultural Library Summer Reading Challenge is open to ALL of our LTBB community youth, both citizens and descendants, both local and non-local. We only ask that you show your support of the LTBB Cultural Library and its programming by signing up as a library patron. The Summer Reading Challenge runs from June 1st through July 20th, 2018. Registration forms and reading logs are available in the Odawa Trails newsletter, the LTBB Cultural Library and from the LTBB website. There has also been a CORRECTION to the May issue's registration and reading log with a revised turnin date of July 23rd, 2018. In this summer's youth challenge, there are four age groups: 4-6 years old, 7-9 years old, 10-12 years old and 13-17 years old. We have incentive prizes for top readers in each age group, including gift certificates for pizza, subs, movies and more.

New this summer from the LTBB Cultural Library is also an Adult BINGO Reading Challenge, beginning June 1st through July 20th! BINGO forms are available in the Odawa Trails, in the LTBB Cultural Library and from the LTBB website. Let's challenge ourselves and encourage one another to make reading a part of each day!

Please contact the LTBB Cultural Library at 231-242-1487 or ltbbculturallibrary@gmail.com if you have suggestions for more reading challenges, ideas for incentive prizes for reading challenges or new titles to add to the collection. All suggestions are welcome. Happy reading!

Courtesy photos.





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The Shirley Naganashe Oldman Secondary Education Completion Award recognizes your academic achievements as an LTBB tribal member. This program has been developed to promote the completion of secondary education programs. The Shirley Naganashe Oldman Completion Award, in the amount of \$100, will be awarded to LTBB tribal members who complete a secondary education program. In order to receive this award, a copy of your official transcript, copy of high school diploma, GED certificate or certificate of completion MUST be submitted.

Award applications can be found online, in person at the Education office or mailed per request (contact Education at 231-242-1480).





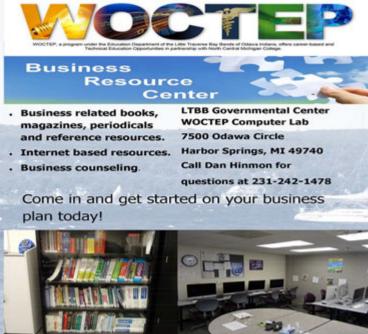
scholarship opportunities for the 2018-2019 academic year, please visit Higher Education Programs on the LTBB website www.ltbbodawa-nsn.gov. All descendants must be documented at the time of application. For more information, contact Higher Education Specialist Kerstine Bennington at 231-242-1492

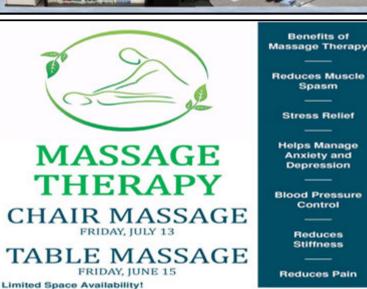
## SUBMIT SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS ONLINE



Submit applications for the Michelle Chingwa, Higher Education Merit, Higher Education Completion, Pre K-12 Grade Scholarship & Shirley Oldman Secondary Completion Scholarships online through the LTBB website!

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u are interested in booking an appointment, please contact Angelin erts, Community Health Administrative Assistant, at 231-242-1601.

FOR CURRENT SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AND FINANCIAL AID UPDATES

## June Elders Birthdays

Tamora Skelly Robert Thompson

<u>June 1</u>

## June 2

Samuel Lasley Angela Patterson Stewart Walker Rodney Worthington

## June 3

Moses Bernard, Jr. Dennis Degraff Carrie Denemy Gerald Garrow Charles Massey, Sr. Warren Petoskey

## June 4

Jacob Boyd Debra Harper Lucille Lafreniere Craig Romes

## June 5

Jean Schlappi Sandra Shepard

## June 6

Catherine Portman

## June 7

Marilyn Austin **Emerald Lacroix** Karen McGraw **David Norton** Alvin Vandegriff Cynthia Wunderlich

## June 8

Susan Day Kathleen Kilgore Archie McMi<mark>llan, Jr.</mark> Deborah Medina

## June 9

Donald Root, Jr. George Santigo **Eugene Sineway** Ervin Voisard, Jr.

## June 10

Anthony Genia, Sr. Timothy Hemenway Carol McFall Charles Mulholland Thomas Strate

## <u>June 11</u>

Jeffery Bernard Scott Charvez Arlene Foreman Michael Minor Marcia Radlicki Jeanette Root Susan Slick

## June 12

Thomas Colby Mary Thornburg **Dorothy Watkins** 

## June 13 Catherine Rotan

## June 14

**Douglas Emery Dorothy Faustmann** Mary Foltz Henry Lasley Joseph Massey

## June 15

Donald Boda Mary Gaus

## June 16

Pearl Poole Gloria Ryan Marcia Sutton

## June 17

Joann Carey Mitchell Kewaygeshick Doylene Fockler-Smith

## June 18

**Bonnie Harris** Johnny McFall Sandra Parm Diana Peltier Michael Vertz Regina Ward

## June 19

Terry Erno Thomas Kline Albert Zehe

## June 20

Ronald Allison Debbra Baker Lorraine Bonneau Francis Holdorph Brian Laughlin

## June 21

Jacklynn Cole David Dominic Susan Lantz

## June 23

Francene McCorkle Wanda Vincent

## June 24

Lawrence Crossett John Gasco, Jr. Linda Hogge Robert LeClear Curtis McFall, Sr. Kathryn McGraw John Walker, Jr.

## June 25

Louis Kiogima Alice Marshall Vera Oom Thomas Sharkey, Sr.

## June 26

Thomas Bellone Elmer Bruette Betty Iliff-Debusk **Evon Pirsein** Carla Sharp

## June 27

Kathy Floyd Michael Fox Victoria Stemkoski

## June 28

Rosanna Campbell Diana Halstead Barbara Jacobs Eugene Nadeau Patrick Schmidt

## <u>June 29</u>

Sandra Cripps William Gasco Richard Gaus Twyla Hyde Victoria Vogel

## June 30

William Shawa, Jr. Shirley Tipkey **Forrest Worthington** 

# Beginner Genealogy Session! another installment of our digital alld relationships with the community of your voice heard ostive and healing workshop" arn more about yourself and others! 9-5 each day Lunch provided on the last day





## OAN GUARANTEE PROGRAM

Office of Native American Programs

- Monthly Mortgage Insurance Now at a Lower Rate
- THE SECTION 184 LOAN CAN BE USED FOR:
- Acquisition of existing housing Rehabilitation of existing housing Construction of new housing, including manufactured housing affixed to a
- REFINANCING IS BACK!!! Includes rate and term, streamline, cash out

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CALL THE LTBB HOUSING DEPT at 231-242-1540

## Housing Department Program

Services are available to citizens residing within the 27 county service are An application packet must be completed and returned to the Housing Dept, for processing to determine qualification, To obtain an application, please contact the Housing Dept, at 231-242-1540.

STR - Short Term Rental Assistance: This program offers up to \$1,500 for new tenants who need assistance with the first month's rent and/or security deposit. This can be used ONE TIME ONLY and the rent requested must be affordable and can NOT exceed 35% of the household gross monthly income. Please need the application, packet must be received and approved in advance of your moving into the rental in order to qualify for this program.

- Foreclosure Prevention Program: This program offers up to 0 to assist in foreclosure prevention.

Well & Septic Assistance Program: Funded by the Indian Health Services located in Small Ste. Marie, ML this program provides the resources and technical assistance associated with the installation of well and sanitation service or replacement of deficient existing well

Credit Counseling: We provide confidential advice and referrals to assist tribal citizens in regaining their financial stability and credibility. Tribal Rental Housing Program: The LTBB Housing Department offers 29 rental units in the Northern Michigan area. These units are available to rent to Tribal Citizens and most rents are based on a family's monthly income. Any Tribal Citizen interested in renting a unit from the LTBB Housing Department should contact our offices for an application. Currently, there is a waiting list for available units.

## Now Accepting Applications For the Mtigwaakiis housing development. Tribal Preference applies. For more information, contact the Housing Department at 231-242-1540



qual Housing Opportunity TDD: 800-649-3777





Wahs Noo Da Ke Tribal Village is approximately 4 miles north of Harbor Springs,



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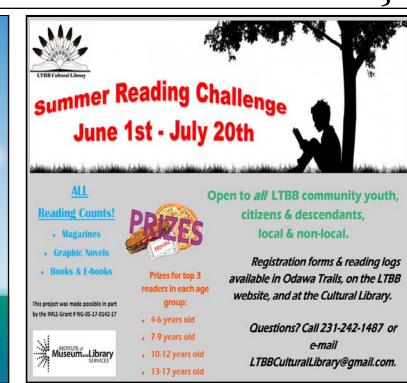
Jobs are updated daily at www.ltbbodawa-nsn.gov Job Hotline toll free 1-866-582-2562

Submit your applications, resumes, and cover letters:

- In person at our LTBB Human Resources office
- E-mail: hr@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov
- Mail to LTBB Human Resources, 7500 Odawa Circle, Harbor Springs, MI 49740

Questions? Please contact the Human Resources Department at 231-242-1563.

	LTBB Cultural Library 2018 Summer Reading Challenge Registration Form
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## LTBB Cultural Library 2018 Summer Reading Challenge Book Log

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The LTBB Cultural Library is open 5 days a week!

> Monday - Friday 9am - 5pm

For more library information, please contact the Education Department at 231-242-1480.

Ask us about downloading eBooks and Audiobooks online!





Michelle Chingwa Education **Assistance** (MCEA) **Scholarship** 

**Summer Deadline:** June 15th, 2018



Please contact the Education Department for more information at (231) 242-1480

Please Return Reading Log to Library by Monday, July 23, 2018

## Join the LTBB Adult Summer Reading Book BINGO Challenge

Complete one vertical, horizontal or diagonal line (5 spaces total) of the Book BINGO card and fill out the form below.

Turn the form in to the LTBB Cultural Library by July 20th, and you'll be entered in a drawing for prizes.

All prizes will be drawn at the end of Summer Reading on Monday, July 23rd.

The Book BINGO Challenge cards and rules are available at the LTBB website (ltbbodawa-nsn. gov) and at the Cultural Library.

Prizes:

LTBB Library Card Number

Name

• Five \$15 gift cards to McLean & Eakin Booksellers

Grand prize

Rules:

1) One book can be used to fill only one space, one time.

- 2) You can complete as many Book BINGO challenges as you would like, but you can not repeat the same line of challenges.
- 3) Your name is entered in the drawing for every challenge you complete, but you are only eligible to win ONE prize.

LTBB GOVERNMENTAL OFFICE CLOSINGS

Please note that <u>ALL</u> LTBB Governmental offices are closed on these dates, this includes Mskiki Gumik offices A STATE OF THE STA

July 4, 2018 - Independence Day

September 3, 2018 - Lewis and Doris Adams Holiday

September 21, 2018 - Sovereignty Day September 28, 2018 - Michigan Indian Day

November 12, 2018 - Veterans Day

November 22, 2018 - Thanksgiving Day
November 23, 2018 - Day after Thanksgiving

November 23, 2018 - Day after Thanksgiving

December 25, 2018 - Christmas Eve December 26, 2018 - Christmas Day

December 26, 2018 - Christmas Day December 31, 2018 - New Year's Eve

a "guest" at:

LTBB has received a grant through the Administration for Native Americans. This grant allows our Tribal Citizens to live-stream Tribal Council Committee Meetings. You can join the Tribal Council Committees by logging in as

Appropriation and Finance Committee http://connect.ltbbodawa-nsn.gov/AFC/

Land and Reservation Committee http://connect.ltbbodawa-nsn.gov/LandandReservation/

Dates and times of meetings will be posted on the LTBB website and in the Odawa Trails newsletter.

Participate through Connect!

# Phone number or e-mail address Please share what Book BINGO spaces you completed and the book titles you read.



# Adult Summer Reading Book BINGO Card

Read one book that is part of a series	Read a self- help book	Read a book written by someone under 30	Read a book you started but never finished	Read a book that will scare you
Read two books that are part of a series	Read a book about a place you have never visited	Read a book by an author with your same initials	Read a banned book	Read one book with terrible reviews
Read a book published over a century ago	Read a book on a best- seller list	FREE choice	Read a book you own but have never read	Read a book that was turned into a movie
Read a book from the year you were born	Read a book solely because you like the cover	Read an ebook	Read a book of short stories	Read a book you heard about online
Read a classic	Read a book from the Cultural Library	Read a book published in 2017	Read a type of book you rarely or never read	Read a book of poetry

## LTBB COMMISSION AND BOARD VACANCIES

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Zoning Board of Appeals	2	3 Years
Gaming Regulatory Commission	1	3 Years
Housing Commission	1	4 Years
Citizenship Commission	1	3 Years
<b>Elders Commission</b>	2	4 Years
<b>Election Board</b>	1	4 Years
Education Appeals Board	1	3 Years

Interested Tribal citizens can submit a cover letter along with a resume to: LTBB Tribal Chair Office 7500 Odawa Circle Harbor Springs, MI 49740

Please call 231-242-1401 with any questions

## Moving?

If you move, please contact the Enrollment Office and we will send you an address verification form.

Forms are also available at www.ltbbodawa-nsn.gov. Click on Offices/Government Center/Enrollment Department and click on the appropriate form. The adult form must be printed on legal size paper and the minor form on letter size paper. We will continue to add forms there in the future.

It is the responsibility of the parent, guardian or custodial parent to complete an address verification form.

If you are a custodial parent, please provide proof by documentation.

Once a minor turns 18, you must contact the Enrollment
Office and complete an address verification form or we will mark
you as undeliverable.

If you are incarcerated and would like to continually receive the

newsletter, you must keep your address current.

Towards the end of the year, we will notify you for purposes of

Towards the end of the year, we will notify you for purposes of the per capita payment.

Adult verification form must be witnessed. Minor verification form must be notarized.

Contact the Enrollment office at 231-242-1521 or 231-242-1520

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For information on the Low Income Energy Assistance Program (LIEAP) Please go to www.ltbbodawa-nsn.gov

# NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

EARTH WEEK EXPO AT CHEBOYGAN HIGH SCHOOL

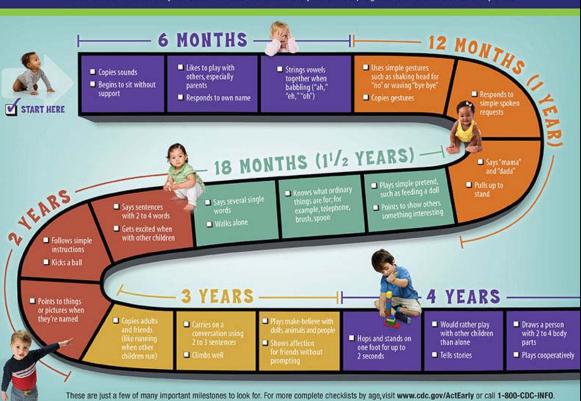






## Your Child's Early Development is a Journey

Check off the milestones your child has reached and share your child's progress with the doctor at every visit.



FAMILY EDUCATION AND SUPPORT LTBB MINA MSKIKI GUMIK 231-242-1721

Don't miss out on the sounds of life.

Hearing aid assistance is now processed through the Health Department. Call to see if you qualify!

11th ANNUAL LTBB



LTBB Health Department, 1260 Alijaak Avenue, Petoskev, MI

A light lunch will be served.

For more information, please contact Cathy Bradley at 231-242-1610



## ODAAWEGAMIGONHS **EVERY THURSDAY 3PM-6PM**

AND SATURDAY 10:30AM-1PM

Artisans & Farmers Market

Come see us at LTBB Pow Wow Grounds on Thursday's and Blindigen Gas Station on Saturday's for our 4th annual LTBB Artisans & Farmers Market. At the market you will find fresh Artisans & Farmers Market. At the market you will find fresh produce from both our Zilbimijiwang Farm (pictured above) and other vendors' small farms, baked goods, jams, jewelry, handmade unique art items, quilits, oils and much much more! Come visit with our Artisans and Farmers for any questions that you may have. As always new vendors are welcome at all times! The season starts June 14th and runs through September 15th, every Thursday and Saturday! Our vendors can't wait to see you there!





## PRC now covers Chiropracti

How do I get covered?

1. Make an appointment at the LTBB Health Clinic and discuss with your physician if chiropractic care would be helpful for you.

2. If so, your physician will refer you for chiropractic care and your referral will be reviewed by our managed care team.

All approved referrals will be eligible for one visit per month and will have to follow up with their physician annually to continue chiropractic care.

the LTBB Health Clinic today to get started! (231) 242-1700

## LADIES NIGHTS at NATIVE WAY 5:30pm - 7:30pm Every 4th Tuesday of the Month

2 different style classes each time, with Regina Brubacker-Carver and Marlene Gasco

Come join us for one or both classes for a fun evening of fitness and support of each other while finding that little motivation.

Each participant is encouraged to participate at their own fitness level. There will be refreshments and healthy snacks to help keep you going

These classes will take place at Native Way Two located at 8730 E. Commerce Court, Units 7 & 8, Harbor Springs, MI 49740

## Are You:

Currently not eligible for Medicaid? 19-64 years old? Not eligible for Medicare? Not pregnant?

Making under \$15,000 for a family of 1 or making under \$34,000 for a family of 4?



If you have answered "YES" to these questions, you may qualify Medicaid due to the Michigan Medicaid Expansion: Healthy Michigan!! Please contact Valorie Glazier, Patient Benefits Specialist, at 231-242-1748 for assistance.



Please provide any information related to the tip which may include date, time, subject or vehicle description, nature of the incident, and location (Example: nearest crossroad). It is ok if you wish to remain anonymous. All tips are investigated in a timely manner.



https://tinyurl.com/ltbbelkhunt

## Please Note:

Changeable address forms are available for LTBB Citizens at www.tinyurl.com/ltbbenrollmentforms. The forms must be printed and signed by the Tribal Citizen and hard copies returned to Enrollment. We still require the form to be witnessed or notarized depending on your address.

LTBB Enrollment Office 231-242-1521

Program is now processed through the Health Department! Call to see if you qualify! 231-242-1600

Elders Dental Assistance

SMILE WITH CONFIDENCE



231-242-1600

# ELDERS DEPARTMENT

# ATTENTION ALL ELDERS: NEW INFORMATION REGUARDING THE FOOD & UTILITY APPROPRIATION ALLOWANCE

Tribal Elders,

The Elders Department has recently changed the Food and Utility Reimbursement Program title to the Food and Utility Appropriation Allowance. Along with the title change, please note the significant changes made to the process. As of 05/08/2018:

- No receipts OR utility statements are needed to receive the \$400 allowance
- The \$400 allowance will not be considered as income, therefore, it will not affect any benefits that you are receiving OR be taxable
  - To receive the \$400

CURRENT YEAR:

allowance in a timely fashion, your address MUST be updated with Enrollment

- The new application will need to be filled out and requires the following to be provided:
  - $\circ \ Name$
  - o Tribal ID Number
- Current Address (as listed with the Enrollment Department)
  - o Date of Birth
  - o Telephone Number
  - Signature

If you have received your Food and Utility Reimbursement for 2018, you do not need to apply again. If you did not receive your full amount of \$400, we will be sending you the application in the mail for the remainder of the allowance. If we received your application in the mail after 5-8-2018, a new application will be sent to you.

You can find the Food and Utility Appropriation Allowance Application on the website at www.ltbbodawansn.gov/Forms.html

If you have any questions regarding any of the changes that were made, feel free to contact our office at 231-242-1423.

# ONLINE ANISHNAABEMOWIN TUESDAYS- NOW AT 6:30 PM EST



JOIN US for class on TUESDAY'S- enter the classroom at 6:30 PM EST
There is NO password needed.
Just enter your name or a nickname.
There will be a link to the online classroom on facebook.



online anishinaabemowin

## LITTLE TRAVERSE BAY BANDS OF ODAWA INDIANS

## **ELDERS DEPARTMENT**

231-242-1423

7500 ODAWA CIRCLE

HARBOR SPRINGS, MI 49740

## FOOD & UTILITY APPROPRIATION ALLOWANCE APPLICATION

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**Tribal Enrollment Number:** 

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	First	Middle	Last	
Address:				
	Street			
-	City	State	Zip Code	
Date of Bi	rth (DOB):	Tele	phone Number:	
Signature			Date	

## DO NOT WRITE BELOW THIS LINE! OFFICE USE ONLY.

		Amount	ACCOUNTING USE ONLY
Food Reimbursemen	nt 2107-2-6370-10		
Utilities Reimbursem	nent 2107-2-6380-10		VENDOR #: A.P. REVIEW:
	Total Amount of Check:		
			CONTROLLER:

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## ATTENTION ALL RESIDENT TRIBAL MEMBERS (RTMs)

If you are planning to purchase a vehicle, ORV or plan on doing any home improvements to your principal place of residence, YOU NEED TO CONTACT ME FIRST before making the actual purchase(s). You must fill out the "Request for TCE" form located on the LTBB website or by contacting my office. I will then issue you a "Tribal Certificate of Exemption" for such purchases. The tribe no longer uses the Refund Method, as indicated in the monthly newsletter, as of January 1, 2008. If you've already made a purchase, there is no recourse! If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Thank you. - Theresa Keshick at 231-242-1584.

## LTBB Tribal Directories

LTBB tribal directories are available for sale in the Enrollment Office. The tribal directory includes adults' names and addresses of LTBB Citizens enrolled as of February 28, 2017, excluding undeliverable addresses and LTBB Citizens requesting not to be included.

## Qualifications:

- Must include a copy of your tribal identification card
- A \$5 money order or check payable to LTBB of Odawa Indians

## Mail to:

LTBB of Odawa Indians Attn: Enrollment Office 7500 Odawa Circle Harbor Springs, MI 49740

If you have any questions, please feel free to call the Enrollment Office at 231-242-1521 or 231-242-1520.

## HOME IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM CHANGE

Due to HUD guidelines, the Housing Department is required to do an environmental review regardless of the work being done. The process of these reviews can take up to three to six months; we cannot proceed until this process has been completed. Please be aware there is a possibility the review could come back with a negative impact, in which case, could be cause for denial.

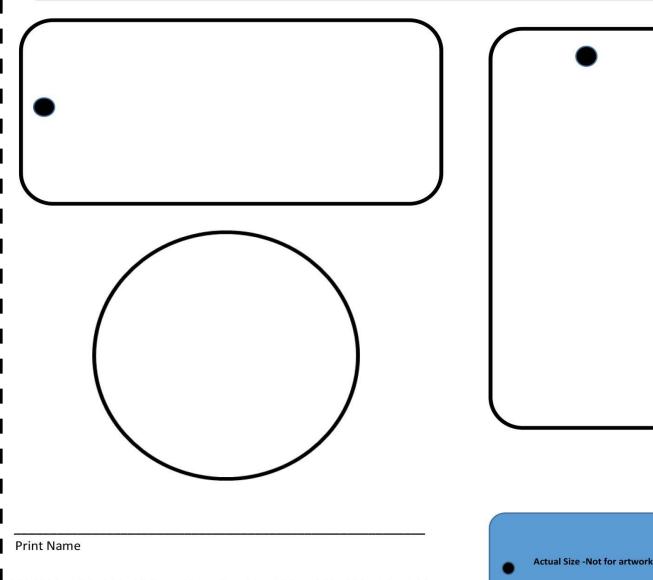
# TRIBAL ADMINISTRATION

## **SEEDS Homecoming Pow Wow Artwork**

During LTBB's 2018 Homecoming Pow Wow, the SEEDS project will be providing demonstrated tours in the Fab Lab. In addition to designs for key chains and other end products, this year, we are *kindly seeking clan designs to CNC into stamps to be used in making customized copper jingles*.

Please follow the directions below and return artwork to the SEEDS Department (in Elders suite) or scan and e-mail to sslomsky@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov

- Create artwork using black ink only (pen or permanent marker).
  - o No color and limited shading works best for key chains and other end designs.
- Designs for jingles should be simple and in an outline form.
- You may submit more than one design.
- All age groups welcome to submit.
- Present your keychain design in one of the two rectangle boxes, choosing the correct orientation for your artwork. For jingle designs
  please use the circle.
- Sign, date and select age group.
- Deadline for artwork submission is July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018.



## ATTENTION TRIBAL BUSINESSES/ENTREPRENEURS!

you would to be on the tribal governmental vendor for providing goods or services to the LTBB government, please contact Mandy Szocinski at 231-242-1439 or mszocinski@ ltbbodawa-nsn.gov. Please be prepared to provide the following information: Name, contact information, good/services you are providing and any additional information as required. Supporting our tribal businesses is our preference. Chi Miigwech!

# WELL AND SEPTIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

We can provide you with a new well and/or septic system for your new construction OR if your current well and/or septic system is deficient, we can help. Please call the LTBB Housing Department at 231-242-1540 to find out more about how you can get a free well and septic system or replace your current system.

system.
Please be aware it takes approximately 3 to 4 months to gain federal approval of your application.



With help comes hope

Help is available for you or someone you care about,

## 37th Annual Sault Ste. Marie Tribe of Chippewa Indians TRADITIONAL POWWOW

July 13-15, 2018



SINGING SPECIALS

1st Place \$3,000

2nd Place \$2,000

3rd Place \$1,000

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Golden Age Men (50+) - Combined
1st - \$300; Znd - \$200; 3rd - \$100
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len's Traditional, Fancy & Jingle (18+)
1st - \$300; Znd - \$200; 3rd - \$100
Honorarium for the first 75 registered
adult/teen dancers in full regalla)
Jackpot Spot Dances (3 Total)

HEAD VETERAN - TBD EMCEE - TBD ARENA DIRECTOR - TBD HEAD SINGING JUDGE - TBD HEAD DANCE JUDGE - TBD

FREE ADMISSION & OPEN TO
THE PUBLIC!
Sault Tribe Powwow Grounds
Entrance is from Balweting Dr. off Shunk Rd.

SPIRITUAL GATHERING
THURSDAY, JULY 12, 2018 at Sunrise
FRIDAY, JULY 13
Kids Carnival 5:30-7:30 p.m.
Open Drum and Dance - 7 p.m.
SATURDAY, JULY 14
Drum and Dance Registration 10 a.m.-1 p.m.
Grand Entry 1 p.m.
Traditional Factor of Contest 5 p.m.
Hand (Frum Contest 5 p.m.
Grand Entry 7 p.m.
SUNDAY, JULY 15
Grand Entry 12 Noon
Winners of Singing & Dancing Specials
Announced at 3 p.m.

Visit www.saulttribe.com or find our Event on Faceboo Drums, Dancers, Spiritual Gathering & Vendors please contact: Sault Tribe Cultural Dept @ (906) 635-6050 - Rustic camping available. Bathrooms & showers on site -Dogs prohibited on powwow grounds. NO OUTSIDE RAFFLES!

- Food and Craft vendors must pre-register by June 25 NATIVE AMERICAN VENDORS ONLY Vendors are encouraged to use generators if they have them. Generators must be baffled! Host Hotel: Kewadin Casinos CALL 800-539-2346 ABSOLUTELY NO DRUGS, ALCOHOL OR POLITIC.



## Tribal Notary Information

The Tribal Notaries listed below are eligible to perform notarial acts within Little Traverse Bay Bands Jurisdiction unless he/she violates section C. Revocation WOS#2008-05 Tribal Notary Statute

Tribal Notary Commission	Current	Appointment	Expiration	Serial	Phone
Full Name	Status	Date	Date	Number	Ext.
Theresa C Keshick	Active	02/18/2015	February 17, 2021	01-09	1584
Rebecca R Fisher	Active	02/22/2015	February 21, 2021	02-09	1418
Cynthia Brouckaert	Active	06/06/2017	June 05, 2023	05-09	1462
Kathryn L McGraw	Active	04/02/2013	April 2, 2019	06-09	N/A
Gwendolyn Tuethorn	Active	07/02/2013	July 2, 2019	08-09	1475
Beverly J Wemigwase	Active	02/22/2015	February 22, 2021	10-09	1400
Julie Rose Janiskee	Active	08/24/2015	August 23, 2021	11-09	1401
Rose M Pyant	Active	04/06/2017	April 5, 2023	12-09	1626

# ENROLLMENT DEPARTMENT

## **Publication Notice**

Elder

In accordance with WOS #2006-001, notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed, LTBB of Odawa Indians Tribal Court Case No: NC-015-0418, and Tribal Court ordered **Jordan Elizabeth Karlis** has legally changed her name to **Jordan Elizabeth Shananaquet**. This notice will be published in the *Odawa Trails* newsletter for two consecutive months and on the Odawa Register on the tribe's website.

Date: May 14, 2018

Youth

## Attention: 2018 Per Capita Requirements

Signature to authorize SEEDS use of submitted artwork

Adult

We are still in the process of scanning enrollment records and linking relationships in our Citizenship Database (Progeny ES). We will be contacting you via mail if your enrollment record is missing a photo copy of your social security card.

If we <u>do not</u> have a copy of your social security card. Verification on file prior to October 31, 2018, (the 2018 per capita payment distribution deadline), your per capita payment may be held or delayed in 2018.

Acceptable Verification of your Social Security number includes the following:

- Copy of your Social Security Card
- Social Security Card number printed by Social Security Administration Office

- ◆ Social Security Administration Benefit Statement
  - W-2 or 1099 form

at 231-242-1520.

Date

- ◆ Pay stub containing your name and social security number
- Valid U.S. military ID card with photo (DD-2 or CAC card)
  Other official document/card containing your
- Other official document/card containing your name and social security number.

Our goal is to not only keep our records up to date, but to make sure by working together that everyone gets their 2018 per capita check. If you have any questions, call the Enrollment Department

## Gijigowi Anishinaabemowin LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT

## LTBB TRIBAL CITIZENS FRANK BERNARD, GWENDOLYN TEUTHORN AND RENEE DILLARD EARN NPIP FOUR-YEAR DIPLOMAS

Esnaa gdasamendaagwazim! Are you'll ever awesome! Congratulations to Frank Bernard, Gwendolyn Teuthorn and Renee Dillard who earned their four-year NPIP Diploma. NPIP is the Nishnaabemwin Pane Immersion Program at Bay Mills Community College (BMCC), and the courses offered at the LTBB satellite site in Harbor Springs, MI. LTBB had three graduates this year. Gwendolyn and Renee participated in the graduation ceremony. Gwendolyn was also honored as the 2018 recipient of the Frank Hugo Memorial Nishnaabemwin Award "for Dedication, Effort and Outstanding Achievement in Preserving and Perpetuating the Nishnaabek Language through Learning and Teaching." Gwen has made exceptional contributions to our community in the revitalization of Anishinaabemowin as a learner, teacher and volunteer.

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The keynote address was by State Representative Lee Chatfield and a speech by BMCC Board of Regents Chairperson Bryan Newland. Jannan Cotto, LTBB Tribal Citizen and Director of LTBB Niigaandwin Education Department, was a special guest as a member of the BMCC Board of Regents. Gijigowi Language staff attended the ceremony as well as family members, Pane instructors, Linda Trudeau and Barbara Nolan, and NPIP Coordinator Michelle Wellman-Teeple. It was a wonderful graduation day with plenty of LTBB support for our graduates. Gichimiigwech to all, for the support, celebration and especially to the dedicated and determined graduates! Gmaamiikwenmigoom!

Kichitwaa giizhgad Nmebine Giizis Mdaaswe shi bezhik giizhgat, Niizhing mdaaswaak shi madaaswe shi nshwaaswe.

It was a very special day on May 11, 2018.

Ooshme niizhing mdaaswaak giinishnaabemtaagaazwok, gaakinoomaagaazjik.



Over two thousand hours of Anishinaabemowin was spoken to these students.

Nswe maampii Waaganakising enjibaajik, Frank Bernard, Gwen Teuthorn, Renee Dillard, giishki'ewziwok maanda niiwo-bboon gchitwaa mizinigan.

There were three students from Waaganakising, Frank Bernard, Gwen Teuthorn, Renee Dillard who completed with their four-year diplomas.

"Pii kendman g'dinwewin kina gego damiiksemigat gbimaadziiwning." - "When you're able to speak your language, everything will come together in your life." - (physically, spiritually, emotionally and mentally)

Aapiji gwa maamiikwenmaanaanik gwonda gaakinomaagaazijik gdinwewninaa.

We are so proud of these students who were taught our sound.

Courtesy photo.

## 2018 Anishinaabenowin Teg Language Conference

Nangwa ngiibibaazhaami Anishinaabemowin - Teg maawnjidwin, Naabdin Giizis niizhtaani-shi-zhaangso biinish Ziisbaakdoke Giizis shi niizhwaaswaak-shi-niizhtana-shi-nshwaaswe, Ngiidibaadaanaa maampii enokiiyaang ANA Project ezhinkaadek.



At this year's Anishinaabemowin Teg Language Conference, from March 29 - April 1, 2018, the ANA Grant Project was featured as a presen-

Ngiimiigwemi nwaanch e'anishinaabe-biigaadegin mziniganan gaazhitooyaang pii eboozbiigewaat Anishinaabek.

LTBB Gijigowi Language Department donated many different Aanishinaabemwin books to the conference that were given to participants as they registered.

Kina gwoya giimiingaaazo Daminadaa mizinaganhs gaabizhaat LTBB gaanjikinoomaageyaang aachkinganing.

Each participant who attended LTBB's workshops received an additional game book.

Ensa nkweshkaageyaang ANA mooshkin giinishinaabema Maanyaan dibaatang "Kinomaagejik ANA Project" (KAP).

Each presentation started with Project Instructor Maryanne Endanawas introducing the details of the KAP project completely in Anishinaabemowin. Gii'aankanootmaagewok naagaanzit Osawamick miinwaa ekinomaaget Anishinaaabemwin Netawn Kiogima.

Carla Osawamick, Gijigowi Director, and Netawn Kiogima, High School Language Teacher, translated what was shared by Maryann.

Miidash eshkikinoomaagejik Aaniman miinwaa Waasaan giikinomaagewaat odaminowinan.

Then, the new language teachers, Raymond Shenoskey, Jr. and Renee Dillard, took turns leading language activities.

Ensa nkweshkdaadyaang giibaatiinwok gaabzinchkwejik miinwaa giimindaagziwok odaminiwaat damnonan gaakinomaageyaang. Eshkam giiningachtoonaa kinomaageyaang maanda gdinwewninaa. Giipshigendaanaawaa maanda gaakinomaageyaang.

Each presentation was well attended and was not difficult to get audience participation during the activities. The progression of activities improved as the team worked together. The participants really enjoyed the workshops.

Aapji gwa giinishin nibwaachwangidwaa nwiijinishinaabemnaanik.



It was good to visit with other language learnand teachers from all around the area.

Dawaamishnaang enji-kinoomaageyaang "A-Teg" continued on page 11.





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"A-Teg" continued from page 10. Anishinaabmowin - look for our workshops:

Sault Ste. Marie Language Conference, June 8-9.

Kiwenz Immersion Camp, Fond du Lac, Minnesota, June 14 - 17

Anishinaabe Family Language & Culture Camp, Little River Band, Manistee, July 27-29. Courtesy photos.



# DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

## TAX AGREEMENT INFORMATION

By Theresa Keshick, Department of Commerce Assistant

The Department of Commerce (DOC) would like to remind the tribal membership about a few items pertaining to the Tax Agreement.

First of all, I cannot express enough how import- ant it is to keep your address updated.

The first step in becoming a Resident Tribal Member (RTM) is to officially change your address with the Enrollment Department. This must be done in writing and as soon as possible.

The DOC cannot and will not change the estimated beginning date (EBD) (which is always the first in any given month) of a member's tax exempt status (see example below).

It is YOUR responsibility to update your address on file with the Enrollment Department. This date will affect how many months you will be able to file the Annual Resident Tribal Member Sales Tax Credit (Tribal Form 4013). It is to your benefit to be able to file for the maximum number of months for this credit.

In addition, being an RTM will allow you to pur- chase large items such as vehicles, boats, motorcycles and off the road vehicles tax exempt.

There is a form that needs to be filled out called a "Request for TCE" (Tribal Certificate of Exemption), which is available in my office. Once this form is completely filled out, I will then issue the RTM the actual Tribal Certificate of Exemption (Tribal Form 3998).

If you plan on purchasing any of these items, please contact me FIRST, and I will be happy to get you the form via e-mail or fax. I am also able to fax the TCEs to the dealership you are doing business

Being an RTM will also allow you to be tax exempt on utility bills such as phone, cable, gas, propane, electricity, satellite and cellular service. If you have not filled out a Utility Provider Survey, please contact the DOC, and I will be happy to get one to

Also, another important thing to remember is if you do move into the Tax Agreement Area (TAA), your RTM status does NOT take effect until the first day of the following month.

Example: I move to Petoskey, MI, (inside the TAA) on September 5, 2010. My RTM (EBD) status begins October 1, 2010. All updates are sent to the State of Michigan as close to the end of the month as possible.

The LTBB Tax Agreement is viewable on the State of Michigan's website at:

https://tinyurl.com/ltbbmitax

If you have any other questions pertaining to the Tax Agreement, I can reached at my office at 231-242- 1584 or via e-mail at tkeshick@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov.

# EGISLATIVE BRANCH

The Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council ATTENDANCE LOG



Fred Harrington, Jr	Tamara Kiogima	Marcella Reyes	Julie Shananaquet	Frank Bernard	David Harrington	Dexter McNamara	Emily Proctor	
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04/03/18	Appropriations and Finance Committee Executive Branch 2019 Budget Hearing			Х				Х		Х
04/04/18	Appropriations and Finance Committee Executive Branch 2019 Budget Hearing		Х	Х				Х		Х
04/05/18	Tribal Council Work Session		Χ	Χ	Х	Χ		Χ		Χ
04/06/18	Appropriations and Finance Committee Legislative, Judicial, Prosecutor, Election Board, Charter 2019 Budget Hearing			Х	Х			Х		Х
04/07/18	Tribal Council Meeting	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ	Χ
04/10/18	Appropriations and Finance Committee Meeting			Χ				Χ		Х
04/12/18	Appropriations and Finance Committee 2019 Budget Public Hearing			Х	Х			Х		Х
04/17/18	Tribal Council Work Session		Χ		Х		Χ		Χ	Х
04/19/18	Tribal Council Meeting		Χ	Χ	Χ		Χ	Χ	Χ	Х
04/20/18	Land Ad-hoc Committee						Χ			
04/23-24/18	Veterans Honor Guard Meeting	Χ								
04/26/18	Chronic Wasting Disease Tribal/State Meeting									Χ
04/26/18	Chippewa Ottawa Resource Authority									Χ
04/27/18	Appropriations and Finance Committee Special Meeting			Х				Х	Х	Х

\*additional recording of attendance may be

reported on future report logs

## Department of Commerce Resident Tribal Member Tax Information

Cross Village (all) Friendship (all) Little Traverse (all) Resort (partial) Hayes (partial) City of Petoskey (all)

Readmond (all) West Traverse (all) City of Harbor Springs (all) Bay (partial)

City of Charlevoix (only NORTH of the bridge)

Sales Tax (currently 6% of retail price) via Form 4013
Use Tax (currently 6% of purchase price)
Income Tax (4.35% of Adjusted Gross Income)
Michigan Business Tax (currently 4.95%)
\*Motor Fuel Tax (currently, 36.5 cents per gallon unleaded and 32.6 cents

Resident Tribal Members are exempted from the following Michigan taxes:

\*Tobacco Product Tax (currently \$2 per pack of cigarettes)

All LTBB Tribal Members are entitled to the exemption on fuel and tobacco

\*The Motor Fuel and Tobacco Product Tax exemption is available at Biindige

\*The Motor Fuel Tax exemption is also available at the BP station on the south side of Petoskey, MI, near the Big Boy restaurant.

Please note: Exemption for tobacco and fuel is for LTBB Tribal Members IMPORTANT REMINDER: TRIBAL MEMBERS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO

USE THEIR TRIBAL ID SWIPE CARDS FOR PURCHASES OF NON-MEMBERS NOR ARE THEY ALLOWED TO LEND THEIR CARDS OUT TO ANYONE.

The current limit on tobacco purchases is four cartons per week per tribal citizen age 18 and over. The same applies to all other tobacco products (OTP) packaged in similar fashion.

## Tax Agreement Reminder

When moving into the LTBB Tax Agreement Area, in order to become a Resident Tribal Member, you must change your address in writing at the Enrollment Department located in the LTBB Governmental Center in Harbor Springs, MI. Your RTM status will take effect on the first day of the following month in which you moved.

THE ENROLLMENT OFFICE NEEDS YOUR HELP!

We would like to start tracking LTBB Tribal Citizens who have completed military service or who are currently on active duty. If you are a veteran, please call us toll free at 1-866-652-5822 ext. 521 or 1520. We will be asking you the following questions:

(1) Name

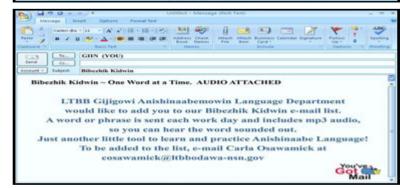
(2) Date of Birth (3) Branch of Service

This information will be used by the Grants Department. Megwetch,

Pauline Boulton, Enrollment Officer



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For more information, contact Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians, Gijigowi Anishinaabemowin Language Department at 231-242-1457 or toll free 1-866-652-5822 or e-mail LangTech⊕ltbbodawa-nsn.gov

# EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

WORKFORCE INNOVATION AND OPPORTUNITY ACT (WIOA)



Are you searching for an opportunity to better your life? WIOA may be the solution you're looking for.

WIOA is a program within the LTBB Education Department that helps qualified Native Americans, 18 and older, become more employable.

WIOA is a Department of Labor (DOL) grant aimed at helping Native Americans achieve self-sufficiency through employment and training opportunities in 28 counties throughout Michigan.

For more information or to see if you qualify, please contact Belinda McLester at 231-242-1488.

Courtesy photo.

# HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT

## World Elder Abuse Awareness Day



By **Heather Boening**, Human Services Director

World Elder Abuse Awareness Day began in 2006 to promote a better understanding of abuse, neglect and exploitation

of elders by raising awareness. This year, World Elder Abuse Awareness Day falls on Friday, June 15. To honor survivors and to raise awareness regarding this growing epidemic, LTBB DHS invites you to show your support and wear purple.

This year, LTBB DHS also challenges you to learn something new about preventing elder abuse, neglect or exploitation and to share it with your family, friend, neighbor or colleague to help educate our community and prevent these crimes from happening.

Here are a few simple strategies you can adopt to help those

JUNE 2018 FOOD DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM SCHEDULE

in your life:

Learn the signs of elder abuse, neglect and exploitation and share them with those in your life.

Visit and talk with elders in your life to **prevent isolation.** 

**Support caregivers** by providing breaks or respite.

**Speak up** if you think something is wrong. To report suspected abuse, neglect or exploitation, call Central Intake at 1-855-444-3911.

More than one million elders suffer in silence. Speak up and speak out against elder abuse, neglect and exploitation.

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## Uniting Three Fires Against Violence Sex Trafficking & Sexual Assault Conference

## Join Us!

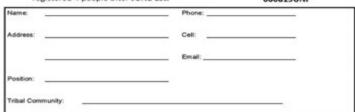
This training will provide a better understanding of how human trafficking plays a role in sexual assault and create a collective community response to sex trafficking.

UTFAV will provide funds for hotel and meals for 4 tribal members from each tribe. Additional members are welcome but will need to pay for their own hotel and meals.

After JUNE 1st rooms will be opened to other tribes to fill. A waitlist will be started in case a tribe does not use all four rooms. Those on the waitlist will get first choice at rooms even if there tribe has already registered 4 people after JUNE 1st.

10th
12:30 pm- 5 pm and 8 am-5 pm
Odawa Casino Resort
1760 Lears Rd
Petoskey, Mi

Additional Guest Reservations use code 060815UNI



Please fax this registration to 906.253.9757

Please provide valid and monitored email and cell phone number. They will be used to contact participants in case of conference changes.

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Calling all Indigenous



College-Bound Artists!

## Apply for the DREAMWARRIORS scholarship!

The Dream Warriors Scholarship was created by a collective of young Native Artists to encourage youth from our communities and all across Indian Country to pursue their artistic dreams.

Award: \$1,500

Application Includes:

Your personal definition of a Dream Warrior

Scholarship Essay

- 2 letters of recommendation
- Portfolio with 3-5 examples of your art form.
- Copy of college acceptance letter

Application Deadline: July 1, 2018

For More Info:

http://dreamwarriors.co/dream-warriors-scholarship/

# LTBB PHARMACY

Hours: Monday – Friday 8 am – 6 pm Phone number: (231) 242-1750

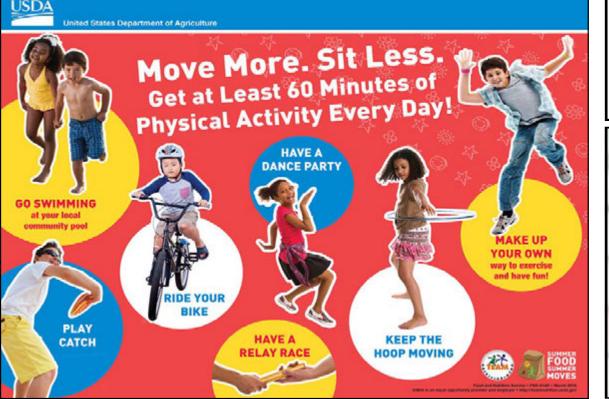
What prescriptions are filled at the LTBB Pharmacy?

- Pilarmacyr
- Prescriptions written by providers that LTBB
   Clinic referred patient to\*

Prescriptions written by LTBB Clinic providers\*

\*Unless the pharmacy doesn't carry the drug.
Then, the prescription will be filled by Rite Aid
South (630 W. Mitchell St., Petoskey, MI) or
Prescription Services.







# HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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## GET A RUNNING START TO THE MICHIGAN INDIAN FAMILY OLYMPICS

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MARLENE GASCO, COMMUNITY WELLNESS
ADVOCATE, HAS ORGANIZED FOUR PRACTICES
BEFORE THE COMPETITION ON FRIDAY, JULY 20,
2018. THE EVENTS AVAILABLE FOR PRACTICING AT
EVERY PRACTICE WILL BE RUNNING/WALKING,
SOFTBALL THROW, BEAN BAG TOSS AND JUMP ROPE.
ON THE DAYS SCHEDULED AT THE HARBOR SPRINGS
TRACK FIELD, PARTICIPANTS WILL BE ABLE TO
PRACTICE LONG JUMP AND CORRECT DISTANCE
FOR WALKING/RUNNING EVENTS. BELOW ARE THE
DATES THAT VARIOUS EVENTS WILL BE AVAILABLE
FOR SHAKING THE DUST OFF:

PRACTICES WILL BEGIN 5:15 PM UNTIL 6:30 PM
\*\*WEATHER PERMITTING

- JUNE 4, 2018 @ POW WOW GROUNDS
- JUNE 18, 2018 @ HARBOR SPRINGS TRACK FIELD
- JULY 2, 2018 @ POW WOW GROUNDS
- JULY 16, 2018 @ HARBOR SPRINGS TRACK FIELD

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IF YOU SHOULD HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT LTBB MNOZHIYAADAA DEPARTMENT AT 231-242-1601.

## Marlene Gasco

Community Wellness Advocate/Personal Trainer 231-242-1616

Sunday	Motivation Monday	Toning Tuesday	Wellness Wednesday	Throwdown Thursday	Flexing Friday	Saturday
Morning Appointments only with prior approval	Personal Training ® Native Way 1:1 sessions Available by Appointment  Running Club ® Bear River 12pm  Evening Appointments with prior	Bijepizin Exercise Class ® Native Way 8am to 9am Elders Luncheon Exercise 11am to 12pm Walking Club ® Odawa Circle 12pm to 1pm Bijepizin Exercise Class ® 911 Building 4pm to 5pm	Personal Training  Native Way  1:1 sessions Available by Appointment  Bijepizin Exercise Class Health Park 4pm to 5pm 5pm to 6pm	Personal Training  Native Way 1:1 sessions Available by Appointment Elders Luncheon Exercise 11am to 12pm Walking Club Odawa Circle 12pm to 1pm Bijepizin Exercise Class @ Native Way 4pm to 5pm	Personal Training ® Native Way 1:1 sessions Available by Appointment  Running Club @Odawa Circle 12pm  Evening Appointments with prior	Morning Appointments only with prior approval

If LTBB Governmental offices are closed for the day, all Native Way classes and 1:1 sessions will be cancelled. If the weather is uncertain, call LTBB Community Health at 231-242-1616 before 9 am for any updates; otherwise, please err on the side of caution and stay home if you are not sure.

## 13 The Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Invites you to the 25th Annual 2018 Anishinaabe Family Language & Culture Camp Meals Provided July 27th - 29th, 2018 Camping available (first come, first serve) Onsite Restrooms & Bath house Location: 2596 Loon Drive, Manistee, MI Corner of US-31 & M-22, across from the Little River Casino Resort (Little River Casino Resort 2700 Orchard Hwy, Manistee, MI 49660) 1(231)723-1333 Friday, July 27: Waabun Manidookewin (Sunrise Cereno 12pm Lunch 1:15pm - 5pm Presentations/Workshops "Celebrating the Unity of Our Language & Culture" For the sunrise ceremony, please dress appropriately (women wear long skirts) and respectfully for all. Saturday, July 29: Waabini Manidookewin (Sunrise Cerems Sam Breakfast 9am - 12pm Presentations/Workshops 12pm Lunch We politely ask English be the second language used at this camp. anch - 5pm Presentations ... muer emorial Jüngtamok (Pow wow) om Presentations/Workshops Bring your Nation's Flag and a Giveaway The agenda and other information will be posted as soon as possible; please visit www.ltboi.nsn.gov or www.arboi.nsn.gov or www.arboi.nsn.gov or www.anishimashemdas.com for updates. Some presentations/workshops may include cultural teachings, traditional medicines, craft making, games, language learning, etc. unday, July 30: /aabini Manidookewin (Sunrise Ceremony) Waabini Manidookewin (Sunrise Core 8am - Breakfast 9am - 12pm Peesentations/Workshops 12pm Lunch, Giveaway & Closing Sponsored by the Little River Band of Ottawa Indians Think Recycle Bring your feast bundles

Call us to register, so we can prepare the meals accordingly.

For more information, please contact:
(888)723-8288

Kenny Pheasant: 231-398-6892, 231-590-1187

E-mail: kpheasant@krbot-assn.gov





## Weekend Urgent Care Alternative!

Quick Care
Family Medical Center
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231-3448-2828

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416 Connable Avenue Petoskey, MI 49770



Quick Care can be utilized when immediate attention is needed for an urgent, but not life-threatening condition, and the LTBB Health Clinic in Petoskey, MI, is closed.

When using Quick Care, you are required to call LTBB Contract Health at 231-242-1600. Notice must be received within 72 hours of the visit. LTBB Elders have 30 days to notify Contract Health.

Notice: Up North Medical Center, also known as Boyne Country Urgent Care, located on M-119 in Harbor Springs, MI, is no longer open after hours or on weekends, so LTBB is no longer using it as an urgent care facility. After hours and weekend emergency treatment can be obtained at Quick Care Family Medical Center, McLaren Northern Michigan Regional Hospital in Petoskey, MI or Charlevoix Area Hospital in Charlevoix, MI.



## On the Pow Wow Frail

## **Michigan**

June 2 Northwestern Michigan **College Traditional Pow Wow Honoring Our Graduates** Traverse City, MI Contact Information: 231-995-3025 or Tparker@nmc.edu

June 2-3 16th Annual Riverbank **Traditional Pow Wow** Louis Adado Riverfront Park Lansing, MI Contact Information: www. nativeamericanacc.org

June 9 12th Annual Gathering of the Clans Pow Wow Manistique, MI Contact Information: Viola Neadow at 906-341-6993 or

1-800-347-7137

June 15-17 42nd Annual Great Lakes Area **Traditional Pow Wow** Woodland Gathering Grounds Wilson, MI Contact Information: 906-723-2612

June 16-17 **Honoring Saganing Traditional Pow Wow** Standish, MI Contact Information: Saginaw Chippewa Pow Wow Committee at 989-775-4000

June 22-24 Bay Mills Indian Community's 27th Annual Honoring Our **Veterans Pow Wow** Brimley, MI Contact Information: bmicpowwow17@gmail.com or 906-248-8300

June 23-24 Nottawaseppi Huron Band of the Potawatomi Annual Pow Wow Pine Creek Indian Reservation Fulton, MI Contact Information: Christine Lanning at clanning@nhbpi. com or 269-704-8379

June 30-July 1 Little River Band of Ottawa Indians 2018 Jiingtamok Manistee, MI Contact Information: Jay Sam at 231-398-6893

July 14-15  $Gun\,Lake\,Tribe\,Wishpemishkos$ **Gises Pow Wow** Hopkins, MI

July 13-15 37th Annual Sault Tribe Traditional Pow Wow and **Summer Gathering** Sault Ste. Marie, MI Contact Information: Jackie Minton at 906-635-6050 or 906-203-4977

July 21-22 22nd Annual Sugar Island **Traditional Pow Wow** Sugar Island, MI Contact Information: Colleen Medicine at 906-635-6050 or Rebecca Parish at 906-203-8710

Honoring Native Heritage **Traditional Pow Wow** Whitehall, MI Contact Information: Michigan's Heritage Park at 231-

July 21-22

894-0342

July 27-29 34th Annual Saginaw Chippewa Pow Wow Mt. Pleasant, MI Contact Information: Saginaw Chippewa Pow Wow Committee at 989-775-4000 or PowwowCommittee@Sagchip.

July 27-29 40th Annual Keweenaw Bay Maawanji-iding Pow Wow Baraga, MI Contact Information: KBIC Cultural Committee at 906-353-7020 or Alden Connor at 906-353-4278

July 28 15th Annual Youth **Empowerment Pow Wow** Rexton, MI Contact Information: 906-635-7010

August 11 Kitchi Miniss Munising Annual **Pow Wow** Christmas, MI Contact Information: Kris Leveque at 906-387-2368

August 11-12 Odawa 27th Annual **Homecoming Pow Wow** LTBB Pow Wow Grounds Harbor Springs, MI Contact Information: Annette VanDeCar at 231-242-1427 or avandecar@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov

August 18 American Indian Health & Family Services Annual Pow Wow and Health Fair

Detroit, MI Contact Information: Frederick Blaisdell at 313-846-3718

**August 18-19** 25th Annual Gathering of the **Eagles Hessel Pow Wow** Hessel, MI

**August 18-19** Grand Traverse Band of Ottawa & Chippewa Indians Annual Peshawbestown Pow Wow Peshawbestown, MI Contact Information: 231-534-8410

12th Annual Rendezvous at the **Straits Pow Wow** St. Ignace, MI Contact Information: St. Ignace Events Committee at 906-643-8717 or Darryl Brown at 906-984-2083

August 25-26

## **MINNESOTA**

June 8-10 150th Annual White Earth Pow Wow White Earth, MN Contact Information: 1-800-950-3248

June 15-17 27th Annual Mille Lacs Band of Ojibwe Grand Celebration **Pow Wow** Hinkley, MN Contact Information: 320-384-7771

June 22-24 Lake Vermilion Traditional **Pow Wow** Tower, MN

Contact Information: Muriel Deegan at 218-750-7772 or Tracey at 218-780-1478

August 17-19 Shakopee Mdewakanton Sioux Community Wacipi Shakopee, MN Contact Information: 952-445-8900

August 17-19 Mille Lacs Band's Annual Pow Wow Onamia, MN Contact Information: www. millelacsband.com

## Wisconsin

June 29-July 1 46th Annual Oneida Pow Wow Oneida, WI Contact Information: Tonya at 920-362-5425 or Wayne, Jr. at 920-327-9237

**July 6-8** 40th Annual Red Cliff Pow Wow Red Cliff, WI

July 19-22 45th Annual Honor the Earth

Contact Information: 715-779-

Hayward, WI Contact Information: 715-634-8934 August 2-5

52nd Annual Menominee Nation Pow Wow Keshena, WI Contact Information: 715-799-

5114, ext. 1267

Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe of Michigan

**Pow Wow** 



JUNE 22, 23, & 24

Lake Vermilion Pow Wow grounds Friday: Warm ups
Saturday: Grand Entry 1pm & 7pm Sunday: Grand Entry 1pm

MC: Terry Goodsky Co-Host Drums: Lake Vermilion Singers & Burntside Lake Singers Spiritual Advisor: Darrell Kingbird Security Director: Billie Deegan

Camping Available

Locally Supplied firewood as a means to prevent the sp (Gypsy Moth and Emerald Ash Borer)

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**GRAND ENTRY TIMES:** 

SATURDAY, AUGUST 11 - 1 & 7 PM

SUNDAY, AUGUST 12 - 12 PM

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TEAM (3 OR MORE) DANCE SPECIAL
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HOST DRUM - PIPESTONE
HEAD VETERAN - GEORGE MARTIN
ARENA DIRECTOR - R.J. SMITH
MC - JOEY AWONOHOPAY

HEAD MALE DANCE JUDGE - RAYMOND CADOTTE

HEAD FEMALE DANCE JUDGE JULIE WHITEPIGEON

HEAD DANCERS - TBD PER SESSION SOUND - REZONANCE PRODUCTIONS

For more information:
Annette VanDeCar
231-242-1427
avandecar@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov

Dance Contest Prize Money

Golden Age 50+ & Adult 18-49

1st- \$600

2<sub>ND</sub>- \$500

3<sub>RD</sub>- \$400

**TEEN 13-17** 

1st- \$300

2<sub>ND</sub>- \$200

3<sub>RD</sub>- \$100

**JUNIOR 7-12** 

1st-\$100

2<sub>ND</sub>- \$75

3RD- \$50

PRIZE MONEY

1st- \$4,000

2<sub>ND</sub>- \$3,000

3RD- \$2,000

4TH- \$1,000

GROUP HAND DRUM
CONTEST PRIZE MONEY

1st- \$400

2<sub>ND</sub>- \$300

3RD- \$200

Rain site: Petoskey High School Gymnasium

Vendor information:
Marcia Sutton
231-373-0867
msutton10@yahoo.com

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and a Pow Wow dancer

Application materials
available online at:
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www.ltbbodawa-nsn.gov or
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Petoskey, MI

ODAWA Casino

The LTBB Community Health Department offers appointments with Jake Pine, Traditional Healer.
Listed below is the schedule for 2018.
Office hours: 9 am – 12 pm & 1 pm – 5 pm

June 4-6, July 9-11, August 7-9
September 4-6, October 1-3
November 5-7, December 3-5

To schedule an appointment, call the Health Department at 231-242-1600, press option #3.



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## 2018 Michigan Indian Family Olympics

Submitted by the Community Health Department

It's that time of year where LTBB competitors head to Mt. Pleasant, MI, to partake in the 2018 Michigan Indian Family Olympics!

We STRONGLY encourage you to participate, especially if you enjoy the following activities: Archery, long jump, jump rope and fitness circuit, softball throw, three-point basketball shot, running/walking and lacrosse speed shot!

The Community Health Department aims to bring the first place team trophy back to LTBB! This is also a great opportunity to promote health and wellness through fun, competitive, physical activities with other Michigan tribes!

Opening ceremonies will begin at 9 a.m. on Friday, July 20, 2018 at Central Michigan University's Bennett Track & Field, located at 1200 S. Franklin Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859.

Kindly plan ahead for the travel time to the MIFO location. Please see the attached flyer for more information.

LTBB 2018 MIFO team incentives include paid lodging at the Soaring Eagle Waterpark in Mt. Pleasant, MI, on Thursday, July 19, 2018, paid registration fees and a team t-shirt along with breakfast and snacks/drinks during the Family Olympics.

LTBB MIFO team members will be responsible for transportation and expenses prior to and after the event and a hotel deposit of \$50 per room for any amenities incurred during the hotel stay.

As in the past, we will need assistance with setting up and tearing down the LTBB team site. All LTBB team members are responsible to keep the team site clean. We do have volunteer positions available for LTBB team members. Team members should arrive at the field by 9 a.m. to participate in the opening ceremonies and plan accordingly, so you can participate in at

## Ebiimoshin

(modern phrase to say "e-mail me")

Bibezhik Kidwin E-mail List -One word at a time - E-mails sent

of a single word or phrase with MP3 audio sound attached.

Anishinaabemowin E-mail List -

In addition to the Bibezhik Kidwin e-mails, you'll also receive occasional e-mails regarding Anishinaabemowin Language such as announcements of Language or Cultural Activities, Classes, Events or General Information and News.

Send us an e-mail, and we'll add you to the "Bibezhik Kidwin E-mail List" or the "Anishinaabemowin E-mail List." Carla Osawamick (McFall) at

cosawamick@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov

least four events. If you do not participate in at least four events, then you will be jeopardizing the opportunity to participate with LTBB next year.

Lodging is limited and provided on a first-come, first-serve basis. Therefore, you will want to reserve your spot(s) as soon as possible. We are requiring a minimum of four participants in each room, and you must have four names when you are reserving the room. Lodging arrangements can be made beginning Thursday, June 1, 2018 until Friday, June 29, 2018 at 12 p.m. unless the allotted rooms are full prior to this date. There will be a waiting list available if all the rooms are reserved.

The registration form appears with this article. Regis-

tration forms will be accepted beginning Thursday, June 1, 2018 until Friday, June 29, 2018. You may mail registration forms to Little Traverse Bay Bands Community Health Department, 7500 Odawa Circle, Harbor Springs, MI 49740 or fax to 231-242-1717, Attn: Angeline Roberts or send via e-mail to aroberts@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov. If you register yourself or others within the timeframe mentioned above, it is your responsibility to contact Angeline Roberts to ensure the registration is paid for by LTBB and to receive a team

For any concern pertaining to the 2018 Michigan Indian Family Olympics, please contact Angeline Roberts via telephone at 231-242-1601.





\*\*This is an alcohol, tobacco and other drug-free event event\*

Registration Form

Registration Fee: \$10 per person For people ages 5 -54

\*This event is open to all Native Americans and their family members who reside in the state of Michigan\*

First Name: (Please write	in uppercase lettering)	Shirt Size:  Youth XS Youth M  Youth S Youth L  S M L XL  2X 3X 4X 5X
Birth Date:/	Email Address:	Gender: Male Female
Tribe/Organization: (Ple	ase check box)	Other
AIS   American Indian Services	BMIC   Bay Mills Indian Community	GLT   Gun Lake Tribe of Potawatomi Indians
GTB   Grand Traverse Band of Ottawa and Chippewa	HIC   Hannahville Indian Community	NHBP   Nottawaseppi Huron Band Potawatomi
AIHFS American Indian Health and Family Services	KBIC   Keweenaw Bay Indian Community	LRB Little River Band of Ottawa Indians
LTBB   Little Traverse Bay Band of Odawa Indians	MSCG   Muscogee	PP   Pokagon Potawatomi
SCIT   Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe	SSM   Sault Ste. Marie Tribe	WI   Walpole Island

Please accept my entry in the 2018 Michigan Indian Family Olympics. I hereby state that I have conditioned myself properly for the activities I will participate in. I waive any right that I have against the Family Olympics officials, Saginaw Chippewa Indian Tribe, and all the participating groups for damages or injuries occurred by my participation in the 2018 Michigan Indian Family Olympics.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ | Date: \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ | \_\_\_\_ |

## Pre-Registration can be done online at:

www.sagchip.org/MIFO/

- If you are sending this form to a team coordinator then they may do online registration for you.
- By pre-registering, it will allow the registration process go much quicker on the day of the event.

For more information, please contact: Jaden Harman, MIFO Event Coordinator at 989.775.4694

# A B G G I I Z I S

# June

Sunday (Name-Giizhigat)	Monday (Ntam-Nokii Giizhigat)	Tuesday (Niizho-Giizhigat)	Wednesday (Nso-Giizhigat)	Thursday (Niiwo-Giizhigat)	Friday (Naano-Giizhigat)	Saturday (Nwebi-Giizhigat)
Please Note: Meeting times and dates are subject to change.		Elders Open Swim Odawa Hotel Pool, Petoskey, MI Monday - Friday, 9 am - 4 pm Call 231-242-1423 for details			CWC Meeting 1 pm Govt. Center Rm. 312  Election Board Regular Meeting 9 am 407-A Michigan St. Petoskey  Land and Res. Cmte Meeting 9 am Govt. Center Tribal Council Chambers  Housing Commission Meeting 5 pm 1345 U.S. 31 N, Petoskey, MI	Election Board Regular Meeting 9 am 407-A Michigan St. Petoskey Traditional Tribal Burial Inc. 5:30 pm NRD Conference Room
3	Gaming Enterprise Board Meeting 9 am - noon OCR Executive Suite	Elders Luncheon at Noon  Tribal Council Work Session  9 am Govt. Center Tribal Council Chambers	Elders Commission Meeting 5 pm Govt. Center Rm. 312	Elders Luncheon at Noon  Tribal Council meeting  9 am Govt. Center  Tribal Council Chambers  Ziibimijwang Meeting  At the Ziibimijwang Farm	OEDMI Board Meeting 1 pm 1345 U.S. 31 N, Petoskey, MI	9
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Father's Day	18	Elders Luncheon at Noon 19 Citizenship Com. Meeting 5:30 pm Govt. Center Rm 118	20	Elders Luncheon at Noon 21	OEDMI Board Meeting 1 pm 1345 U.S. 31 N, Petoskey, MI  Artisans Faire 10 am - 3 pm Commons Area Governmental Center	23
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# ODAWA TRAILS NATIVE NEWS

## SECOND LTBB WAGANAKISING ODAWA ROUND DANCE

Submitted by the Round Dance Committee

The Second LTBB Waganakising Odawa Round Dance was held on April 21, 2018 from 5-11 p.m. at the LTBB Governmental Center in Harbor Springs, MI.

Typically, rounds dances are held in the evening and in the late fall and winter and early spring. Many believe the Plains Cree received the round dance in the late 19th century from the Assiniboine, who called it the Moving Slowly Dance. Originally, a healing dance, it became a social dance, and in its current form, serves both social and ceremonial purposes.

At round dances, a group of singers play hand drums in unison as dancers join hands to form a large circle. The dancers move to their left with a side-shuffle step to reflect the long-short pattern of the drumbeat, bending their knees to emphasize the pattern.

Each person in attendance received a raffle ticket for door prizes, which were drawn throughout the evening.

This year, our Kikaajik (elders) were honored. All of the elders were asked to dance to their honor song. After they danced, all elders in attendance received a gift.

Matt Davis conducted the pipe ceremony while Joe Medicine served as the MC. Mike Naganashe served as Stickman, and the singers included Frank Bartley III, Patrick Naganashe, Raymond Shenoskey, Ryan Metzger, Jeremy Joy, James Day, Joe Syrette, Joe Smith, Paul Shananaquet and Gary Gibson.

Youth singers included Carter Boda, Grayson Boda, Adian Day, James Robinson and Zhaawon Smith.

The Round Dance Committee included Pauline Boulton, Theresa Chingwa, Phil Harmon, Deleta Smith, Arlene Naganashe, Vicky Kelley, Matt Davis, Celestine Petoskey, Jannan Cotto and Cody Big John.

This year, some of our youth teamed up with head staff to observe, help and ask questions. They also helped committee members throughout the evening when needed. Youth helpers included Olivia Petoskey, Taden Shalifoe, Amanda Spearman, Kamryn Schaeffer, Nimkii Naganashe, Autumn Naganashe, Waawaaskone Gibson, Kaiah Keshick-Eady, Hiram Walker-Gross amd Kunu, Nizu and Haga Yellowbank.

Our adult helpers included Collene Medicine, Matt Boulton, Ryan Stillwell, Clint Boulton, Scott Kelley, Carla Osawamick, Joanne Carey, Sarah John, Christine Peavey, Dawn Shenoskey, Mary Powell, Angela Carney, Wendy Congdon and Lindsay Walker, who helped us with recycling our food waste into compost, paper and plastic products. With approximately 275 people in attendance, we only had an impressive two bags of non-recyclables. Miigwech (thank you) to Lindsay and those who brought feast bags.

Donations from area business and community members for specials, spot dances and raffles included Northern Lights Recreation (a \$66 gift certificate for one hour bowling for four with shoe rental, pizza and pop), Jet's Pizza (four gift certificates for four pizzas at \$10 each), City Park Grille (\$25 gift certificate), Piper's Mighty Good Pizza (two gift certificates for two large pizzas with three items), Yoga Roots & Healing (\$99 gift certificate for one month unlimited yoga and a \$40 gift certificate for four kids yoga classes), Roast and Toast (\$20 gift certificate and small cappuccino), Odawa Homecoming Pow Wow Committee (pow wow t-shirts), Odawa Casino (three roaster ovens), Beverly Wemigwase (two cooler bags), Carol McFall (beaded raddle), Ward & EIS (eight gifts), Harbor Wear (two baseball caps and one extra large sweatshirt), Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bernard (a shawl) and Carla Osawamick (two wood hand drum frames).

Donations for food, door prizes, elders special and honorariums for head staff came from the LTBB Youth Services Department, the Education Department, the Gijigowi Anishinaabemowin Language Department, Behavioral Health, the Executive and Cultural Services.

Miigwech to everyone who made our second round dance a success.

Photos by Pre-Press Graphic Specialist Wendy Cong-



## Odawa Casino Resort Update



Odawa Casino is excited to announce that the Odawa Mackinaw expansion is well underway and almost complete. A ribbon cutting ceremony for the expansion opening is scheduled for the end of July where samples of the new Mukwa Bar and Grill menu will be available to try out at 11am to 1pm. We hope you can join us!

Marketing has some exciting promotions happening in the month of June. Guests will have the opportunity to choose an envelope in the Luck of the Draw

Hot Seat Promotion to win up to \$500 cash between 6pm and 10pm on June 8th. Additionally, guests will have the opportunity to earn entries in the Backyard Bonanza drawing that will be held on June 30th. For every 25 base points a guests earns between June 18th and June 30th, they will receive one entry into the drawing to win a riding lawn mower, freezer, outdoor furniture, gift cards, cooler, grill, pergola and cash. Guests may begin earning entries on Monday, June

Pure Rewards Days are June 18th, 19th and 21st. Preferred Members will receive 2X points on June 18th, Premier Members will receive 3X points on June 19th and Elite Members will have an opportunity to play a kiosk game to win prizes on June 21st.

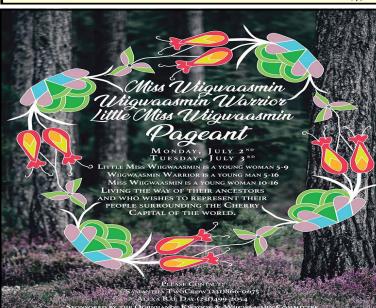
The All You Can Eat Crab Leg and Seafood Buffet is now offered every Thursday in the Waas No De for \$34.95 with discounts for Pure Rewards Members all the way through October. Make sure to stop in and enjoy the delicious buffet!

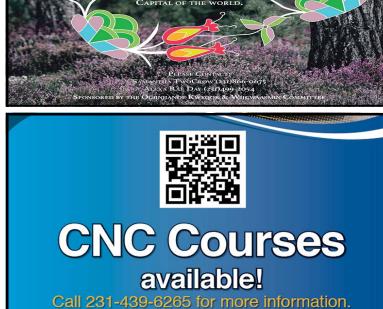
Are you looking to make some extra cash this summer or looking for a new career? If so, Odawa Casino has many opportunities. Current job postings can be found on the Careers at Odawa Facebook page or by visiting our website at www.odawacasino.com/general/careers. php. Computers are available at the Team Member entrance for anyone looking to apply. Please reach out to our Recruiting Team if you have any questions at (231) 439-5380.

As in any operation of our size there is always misinformation and rumors that circulate continuously. Anyone who has questions and is interested in the truth is welcome to contact me at any time and I would be glad to answer any questions you might have. My direct line is (231) 439-

McLester, General Eric













Financial assistance is available Contact SEEDS Project Director at 231-242-1579.

## Restoration of Greensky Hill Indian United Methodist Church EARNS ACCOLADES



During the Michigan Historic Preservation Network's 38th Annual Conference on May 18, 2018, the Michigan Historic Preservation Network (MHPN) jointly honored the congregation of the Greensky Hill Indian United Methodist Church, the Grand Traverse Bay Band of Ottawa and Chippewa Indians, the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians, Hayes Township, the Northern Lakes Economic Alliance, John Dziurman Architects and Indian River Custom Log Homes with its community award for restoring the Greensky Hill Indian United Methodist Church.

Located in Hayes Township, MI, near Charlevoix, MI, the 19th century church has served as a significant American Indian heritage and cultural site for generations of community members. When the congregation noticed some rather significant structural issues several years ago, they began looking for a way to restore the church while not disturbing its historic character. They received a grant from the Grand Traverse Bay Band of Ottawa and Chippewa Indians with Hayes Township and the Northern Lakes Economic Alliance supporting the church through the granting process. The restoration was guided by John Dziurman Architects and Indian River Custom Log Homes with many members of the congregation and the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians joining in the effort. Through this collaborative project, the log structure was restored.

Courtesy photo.

## Reiki and Its Benefits



Reiki is a Japanese technique for stress reduction and relaxation that also promotes healing

It is administered by "laying on hands" and is based on the idea that an unseen "life force energy" flows through us and is what causes us to be alive. If one's "life force energy" is low, then we are more likely to get sick or feel stress, and if it is high, we are more capable of being happy and healthy.

The word Reiki is made of two Japanese words - Rei which means "God's Wisdom or the Higher Power" and Ki which is "life force energy." So, Reiki is actually "spiritually guided life force energy." Some benefits include:

- Reduces stress and tension.
- Aids in Relaxation.
- Promotes Health and Well-Being.
- Accelerates the Body's Self Healing Abilities.
- Encourages Mental Clarity.
- Relieves Depression and Reduces Anxiety.
- Helps with Pain Management.
- May Remove Blockages and Brings the Body into Balance and Harmony.
  - Assists the Body of Cleansing from Toxins.
  - Improves Sleep.
  - May Strengthen the Immune System.
  - Raises the Vibrational Frequency of the Body.
  - Helps Spiritual Growth and Emotional Clear-
  - Strengthens Self-Esteem.
  - Heightens Self-Awareness and Intuition.
  - Offers Support for Substance Abuse Recov-

Courtesy graphic.

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- Mail

Where can I dispose of my unused medications? Place your medications in the secure POD collection boxes at these locations.

## ANTRIM COUNTY

Antrim County Sheriff's Office - Administration Office 107 Grove Street, Bellaire, MI 49615 - 231-533-8627

Elk Rapids Police Department

321 Bridge Street, Elk Rapids, MI 49629 - 231-264-6592

## CHARLEVOIX COUNTY

Boyne City - City Hall

319 North Lake Street, Boyne City, MI 49712 - 231-582-6611

Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office - Jail Entrance 1000 Grant Street Charlevoix, MI 49720 - 231-547-4461

City of Charlevoix Police Department 210 State Street Charlevoix, MI 49720 - 231-547-3258

Charlevoix County Sheriff's Office - Beaver Island 37830 Kings Highway, Beaver Island, MI 49782 - 231-448-2700

City of East Jordan Police Department 326 Main Street, East Jordan, MI 49727 - 231-536-2273

## CHEBOYGAN COUNTY

Cheboygan County Sheriff - Department County Building 870 S. Main Street Cheboygan, MI 49721 - 231-627-3155

Cheboygan Department of Public Safety - Cheboygan City Hall 403 N. Huron Street Cheboygan, MI 49721 - 231-627-4321

Mackinaw City Police Department - Village Hall 102 S. Huron Avenue Mackinaw City, MI 49701 - 231-436-7861

Tuscarora Township Police Department 3546 Sturgeon Avenue Indian River, MI 49749 - 231-238-9481

## EMMET COUNTY

City of Petoskey Department of Public Safety - Lobby of City Hall 101 East Lake Street, Petoskey, MI 49770 - 231-347-2500

City of Petoskey Dept. of Public Safety Station West Bay Harbor 3625 Charlevoix Avenue Petoskey, MI 49770 - 231-347-4642

Emmet County Sherrif's Office - Jeffery P. Bodzick Administrative Office and Correctional Facility -Jail Entrance 450 Bay Street, Petoskey, MI 49770 - 231-439-8900

Emmet County Sheriff's Office - Richard L. Zink Law Enforcement Center 3460 Harbor-Petoskey Road, Harbor Springs, MI 49740 (231) 439-8900

Harbor Springs Police Department

170 Zoll Street, Harbor Springs, MI 49770 - 231-526-6211

Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians - Tribal Police Department 911 Spring Street, Petoskey, MI 49770 - 231-242-1574

## **GRAND TRAVERSE COUNTY**

Grand Traverse County Sheriff -

Traverse City Police Department Law Enforcement Center 851 Woodmere Avenue, Traverse City, MI 49686 - 231-995-5001

## **MACKINAW COUNTY**

City of St. Ignace Police Department 396 N. State Street, St. Ignace, MI 49871 - 906-643-6077

Mackinac County Sheriff's Office

100 South Marley Street, St. Ignace, MI 49871 - 906-643-1911

For more information, call Tip of the Mitt Watershed Council at 231- 347-1181 or visit www.watershedcouncil.org



Tribal Citizens Fee Schedule	FEES
Replacement/Expired Cards A replacement card is lost, stolen, expired or has an address change. Free to Elders.	\$10
Tribal Directory Adults 18 and enrolled prior to 2/28/2013 Published every 4 years.	\$5
Tribal Directory Labels Requestor must provide labels.	\$5
LTBB List The list includes adult's first, middle and last names only.	\$5
Photocopies of Enrollment file \$1 first copy page, 25 cents for each page thereafter.	\$1 each
Marriage License Application Certified Copies: \$10 Photo Copies: \$5	\$15
Tribal Notary Application If approved, Surety Bond: \$125	\$10
Services:	

- Services:

  Enrollment Applications.
  Address Change Forms.

  O Adults require notarization if mail is delivered to a post office box.

  Minors require notarization annually.

  Tribal Directory.

  Marriage License Application.

  Tribal Notary Application.

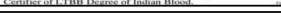
  Michigan Indian Tuition Waiver Certification.

  BIA = 4432 Indian Preference Form.

  Eagle Feather Application and Re-Order Form.

  Certifier of LTBB Degree of Indian Blood.

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## EETING MINUT In accordance with law and policy, Elders Comment/Public Comment as recorded in the minutes will contain the name of the Citizen or "Immediate Family" or "Family member" and only the subject matter brought by the individual. No attempt will be made by the Legislative Branch to summarize the comments. Written public comments will be accepted by the Legislative Office. Written comments shall be attached to the official approved minutes

The Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council Meeting **Tribal Council Chambers** 7500 Odawa Circle Harbor Springs, MI 49740 April 7, 2018

Call to Order: 9:00 a.m.

Opening ceremony: Wemigwase

Closed Session: ves

Council Present: Councilor Emily Proctor, Councilor David Harrington, Secretary Tamara Kiogima, Councilor Julie Shananaquet, Treasurer Marcella Reyes, Councilor Dexter McNamara, Councilor Shanna Wemigwase, Councilor Frank Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Har-

Absent: none

Legislative Office Staff Present: Legislative Services Attorney Donna Budnick Legislative, Office Manager Michele Portman-LaCount, Sr. Financial Analyst Rachel Cope, Tribal Historic Preservation Office Wesley Andrews and Melissa Wiatrolik, General Counsel James Bransky

Executive Officials and Staff Present: Chairperson Gasco-Bentley, Direct Services Administrator Phil Harmon, Safety Coordinator Sue Gasco, Natural Resources Director Doug Craven

Judicial Officials and Staff: Court Administrator Michael Wolf

Public: Dianna Naganashe, Kenneth Dewey, Joseph Mier, Dan Shananaquet, Andrew Stich, Petchiese C. King, Arlene Naganashe, Jim Naganashe, Barbara Laughlin, Barry Laughlin, Andrea Shananaquet, Dennis Shananaquet, Joann Carey, Michael Smith, Tammy Okuly-Shananaquet, Virginia Lewis, Frances Holdorph, Warren Petoskey, Aaron Wemigwase, Wassee Wemigwase, Joan Robinson, Joanne Carey

Invited Guest: none

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor Proctor to adopt the agenda for April 7, 2018 as amended.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor David Harrington to approve the Regular Meeting minutes of March 22, 2018 as presented.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

Tribal Historic Preservation Office/Native American Graves Preservation and Repatriation Act 2018 1st Quarter Report. Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to accept the verbal and written report from the Tribal Historic Preservation and Native American Graves Preservation and Repatriation Act Officer Wes Andrews and Deputy Tribal Historic Preservation Officer Melissa Wiatrolik as presented on the agenda for April 7, 2018.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

10:20 a.m. Break

10:36 a.m. Return

10:36 a.m. Public Comment

Andrew Stich asked about the 2018 budget shortfall and where will the cuts be taken from to adjust it.

Joseph Mier: need to quit pointing fingers and start working together for the future.

10:41 a.m. Public Comment closed

Executive Report:

Discussion: Chairperson Gasco-Bentley: vice-Chair Stella Kay on vacation. The Hearing Aid and Elders Dental Regulations being submitted to Tribal Council. Received email regarding Tony Davis and Joe Mitchel being able to provide teachings to prisoners. Reminder Michigan Indian Elders Association is at Odawa Hotel/Tribal Center Monday-Wednesday. Chippewa Ottawa Resource Authority on April 25, 2018. United Tribes of Michigan is May 30-31, 2018. Jannan Cornstalk nominated as Environmentalist of the year. Monroe Street property building has asbestos in it so tear down taking longer. Has letter regarding Tribes in Michigan being asked to sign on for support of Tribal Labor Sovereignty Act. Direct Services Administrator Phil Harmon: Hosting Veterans Color Guard Conference April 23-25, 2018. April 21, 2018 Round Dance PowWow. April 26, 2018 Earth Day event at Pond Hill Farm. Pipe Teaching demonstration May 20, 2018. Detention budget. Motion made by Secretary Kiogima

and supported by Treasurer Reyes to acknowledge the verbal Executive Report as presented by Chairperson Gasco-Bentley and Direct Services Administrator Phil

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

Legislative Leader Report

Discussion: Started plans for fish building for farm market; Sent plans to Joe VanAlstine/Ziibimijwang. Working on plans for construction company and low interest loans. Need to complete foundation for project prior to releasing completed plan with regard to affordable housing (purchase or rent).

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Treasurer Reyes to acknowledge receipt of Legislative Leader Fred Harrington's verbal report for April 7, 2018.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

General Counsel - Opioid litigation discussion with David Giampetroni, from Kanji & Katzen via conference phone.

Motion made by Councilor David Harrington and supported by Councilor McNamara to approve Certified Motion #040718-03 Participation in Opioid Litigation as recommended by the Executive. Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -

Absent Motion carried.

Secretary Report

Documents Delivered to Executive:

-Tribal Resolution # 022218-02 Appropriation of Funds for the Legal Fund-Reservation Boundary in the amount of \$1.5 million and restrict \$1 million for a Reservation Litigation contingency, including post litigation support. Delivered to the Executive for signature on 02/23/18-EN-ACTED WITHOUT SIGNATURE AND IS EFFECTIVE ON MARCH 24, 2018.

Phone Polls by Tribal Council: none Motion made by Treasurer Reves and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to accept Secretary Kiogima's verbal and written report as presented on the agenda for April 7, 2018.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

<u>Treasurer Report - Appropriations and</u>

-Last meeting: March 13, 2018 (Motions made at this meeting were presented at the March 22, 2018 Tribal Council Meet-

-Executive Branch Budget Hearings: April 3 & 4, 2018

-Prosecutor, Legislative and Judicial Branches, including Charters and Election Board Budget Hearings held Friday, April 6, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers.

-Next Regular Scheduled Appropriations and Finance Committee Meeting: April 10, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. in the Council

-2019 Annual Budget Public Hearing: Thursday, April 12, 2018 at 1:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers.

Phone Polls passed by Appropriations and Finance Committee:

-03/28/2018 Motion to recommend to Tribal Council to approve Certified Mo-

040718-01 Ziibimijwang, Inc. Request for Funding through the Michigan Economic Development Corporation.

Committee Comments: none

Vote: 2 Yes, 0 No, 0 Abstained, 1 Absent (Councilor Wemigwase)

-03/28/2018 Motion to recommend to Tribal Council to approve Certified Motion # 040718-02 Ziibimijwang, Inc. Request for Funding through the United States Department of Agriculture.

Committee Comments: none

Vote: 2 Yes, 0 No, 0 Abstained, 1 Absent (Councilor Wemigwase)

Motion carried.

-04/06/18 Motion to recommend to Tribal Council to approve Certified Motion # 040718-01 Request for Funding from the United States Department of Health and Human Services Administration for Children and Families, Administration for Native Americans Native American Language Preservation and Maintenance FY 2018.

Vote: 3 Yes, 0 No, 0 Abstained, 0 Absent Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Secretary Kiogima to accept Treasurer Reyes' Appropriations and Finance Committee verbal and written agenda report as presented on the agenda for April 7, 2018.

housed in the Legislative Branch. Written comments are not published, however shall be open to review within the Legislative Office in accordance with any laws regarding such documents.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

11:39 a.m. Public Comment opened: Arlene Naganashe said we are all imperfect beings, asked everyone to keep in mind to not loose focus of positive reinforcement.

Andrew Stich asked if construction will start on housing this year and how it will work with the budget shortfall.

Julie Shananaquet thanked Arlene Naganashe for all her years of service.

Petchiese C. King thanked Arlene Naganashe for everything she has done for others. Tribal homelessness and the pluses and negatives of asking for help.

11:52 a.m. Public Comment closed Land and Reservation Committee

-Last Meeting: March 2, 2018 (Motions made were presented at the March 8, 2018 Tribal Council Meeting)

-Next Meeting: April 13, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. in the Council Chambers

Phone Polls passed by Appropriations and Finance Committee:

-04/04/18 Motion to recommend to Tribal Council to approve the Ziibimijwang Farm Lease Agreement and Authorization to Conduct NRCS Practices of erecting Hoop Houses, Conservation Cover, and Compost System; and authorize the Legislative Leader to sign it. Committee Comments: none

## Tribal Council **Meeting Dates**

June 5 Work Session June 6 Council Meeting June 26 Work Session June 28 Council Meeting

July 10 Work Session July 13 Council Meeting July 26 Work Session July 28 Council Meeting

All Tribal Council meetings and work sessions are held in the Tribal Council Chambers

located at 7500 Odawa Circle, Harbor Springs, MI.

## Legislative **Tribal Council Members**

Frederick Harrington, Jr., Legislative Leader Tamara Kiogima, Secretary Marcella Reyes, Treasurer Julie Shananaquet, Councilor Dexter McNamara, Councilor Frank Bernard, Councilor David Harrington, Councilor Emily Proctor, Councilor Shanna Wemigwase, Councilor

Phone Poll Vote: 3 Yes, 0 No, 0 Abstained, 0 Absent Motion carried.

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Shananaquet to accept Treasurer Reyes Committee Chair's verbal and written report for the Land and Reservation Committee as presented on the agenda for April 7, 2018. Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0

Absent Motion carried.

11:57 a.m. Public Comment opened: -Carol (Patchiese) King look at evervone's needs.

-Arlene Naganashe look at harbor hall, they started out small.

11:58 a.m. Public Comment closed. 11:58 p.m. Lunch, Legislative Leader

Fred Harrington, Jr. left the meeting. 1:32 p.m. Return

Councilor Wemigwase Detention programs funds already discussed to stay on the Executive side. Believes billings absorbed by programs/departments that have been used for litigation should all be billed to the litigation funds. Tribal Citizen Rob Ellerman on speaker phone; provided a power point about a business proposal regarding Tribal Debt and Financial Services. Grandfather Drum. Working with Gaming Enterprise Board/ Casino regarding what it would take to live streaming Tribal Council meetings.

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Treasurer Reyes to acknowledge receipt of Councilor

Wemigwase Tribal Council Member report for April 7, 2018.

Vote: 8 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 1 - Absent (Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried.

Councilor Proctor, Treasurer Reves and Secretary Kiogima travel to Mt Clemens. Michigan to tour RB Construction.

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to acknowledge receipt of Councilor Proctor, Treasurer Reves, Secretary Kiogima Tribal Council Member reports for April 7, 2018.

Vote: 8 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 1 - Absent (Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried.

Office of Finance and Revenue Report 2:27 p.m. Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr. arrived. Motion made by Councilor David Har-

rington and supported by Councilor Mc-Namara to accept Sr. Financial Analyst Rachel Cope's report for April 7, 2018.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried. General Counsel additional informa-

Discussion: Bell's property and the Zii-

bimijwang, Inc., communication protocol. Update on reservation litigation. Motion made by Treasurer Reves and

supported by Councilor Shananaquet to acknowledge receipt of General Counsel Bransky's verbal Report for April 7, 2018. Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried. Legislative Services Attorney Report

Letter to Bay Mills regarding their request to the Governor to be included in the agreement with Enbridge; and Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians involvement.

3:00 p.m. Public comment opened: Barry Laughlin thanked Tribal Council for their work. Secretary Kiogima asked by Joanne Car-

ey (who had to leave the meeting) to ask Tribal Council to help out at Michigan Indian Elders Association Meeting. 3:01 p.m. Public Comment closed

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Treasurer Reyes to acknowledge receipt of Legislative Services Attorney Budnick's verbal and written report for April 7, 2018.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Wemigwase and supported by Councilor Shananaquet to authorize and approve the distribution of the FY 2017 Tribal Council Annual Report.

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to acknowledge receipt of Legislative Office Manager Portman-LaCount's verbal and written report for April 7, 2018.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

Corporate Charters and/or Board Updates-No updates

Odawa Economic Development Management, Inc.

Traditional Tribal Burial Board, Inc. Ziibimijwang, Inc.

Gaming Enterprise Board

Motion made by Secretary Kiogima and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to approve the Legislative Branch Travel and Reimbursement Policy.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor David Harrington and supported by Councilor Proctor to approve Citizenship List A, Eligible for Citizenship dated March 21, 2018 for a total of 3.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Wemigwase and Supported by Secretary Kiogima to acknowledge Citizenship List C, Voluntary Relinquishment dated March 21, 2018 for a total of 1.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried. The motion to acknowledge receipt

of Rose Pyant's Letter of Interest for the Gaming Enterprise Board and set up an interview will be rescheduled pending completion of the legislative process for the Gaming Enterprise Board Statute. Motion made by Councilor Wemigwase

and supported by Treasurer Reyes to approve Certified Motion #040718-01 Ziibimijwang, Inc. Request for Funding through the Michigan Economic Development Corporation as recommended by the Appropriations and Finance Committee.

Motion carried.

Vote: 8 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 1 -Absent (Councilor Bernard)

Motion carried.

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Shananaquet to approve Certified Motion #040718-02 Ziibimijwang, Inc. Request for Funding through the United States Department of Agriculture as recommended by the Appropriations and Finance Committee. Vote: 8 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 1 -Absent (Councilor Bernard)

Motion made by Councilor Wemigwase and supported by Councilor David Harrington to approve the Ziibimijwang Farm Lease Agreement and Authorization to Conduct NRCS Practices of erecting Hoop Houses, Conservation Cover, and a Compost System; as recommended by the Land and Reservation Committee and authorize the Legislative Leader to

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor David Harrington and supported by Councilor Shananaquet to reimburse mileage for the March 27, 2018 Tribal Council travel for site visit to RB Construction in Mt Clemens MI.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor David Harrington and supported by Councilor Proctor to acknowledge receipt and approve the LTBB Hearing Aid Program Regulations REG-TR-032218-01 040518-01 and LTBB Elders Dental Services Program Regulations REG-TR-032218-02 040618-01.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Treasurer Reyes to post Ethics for Governmental Officials and Employees draft Statute on the Legislative Calendar in the Odawa Register. Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -

Absent Motion carried. Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to approve Certified Motion #040718-04 Request for Funding from the United States Department of Health and Human Services Administration for Children and Families, Administration for Native Americans Native American

Language Preservation and Maintenance FY 2018. Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -

Absent Motion carried. Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to pass Waganakising

Odawak Statute Legislative Procedures.

Roll Call Vote: Councilor Bernard-yes, Councilor David Harrington-yes, Councilor McNamara-yes, Councilor Proctor-yes, Councilor Shananaquet- yes, Councilor Wemigwase-yes, Treasurer Reyes-yes, Secretary Kiogima-yes, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.- yes

Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to pass Waganakising Odawak Statute Gaming Authority Statute.

Roll Call Vote: Councilor Bernard-yes, Councilor David Harrington-abstained, Councilor McNamara-ves. Councilor Proctor-yes, Councilor Shananaquet-yes, Councilor Wemigwase-yes, Treasurer Reyes-yes, Secretary Kiogima-yes, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.- yes Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to pass Waganakising Odawak Statute Acquisition of Culturally Significant Items Statute.

Roll Call Vote: Councilor Bernard-yes, Councilor David Harrington-yes, Councilor McNamara-yes, Councilor Proctor-no, Councilor Shananaquet-no, Councilor Wemigwase-yes, Treasurer Reyes-no, Secretary Kiogima-no, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.- yes Motion carried.

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor David Harrington to pass Waganakising Odawak Statute Lease Inheritance Statute.

Roll Call Vote: Councilor Bernard-yes, Councilor David Harrington-yes, Councilor McNamara-yes, Councilor Proctor-yes, Councilor Shananaquet-yes, Councilor Wemigwase-yes, Treasurer

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Reyes-yes, Secretary Kiogima-yes, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.- yes Motion carried.

3:31 p.m. Recess

3:45 p.m. Return

Other Items of Business: Tammy Okuly Shananaquet request for an attorney regarding her Ethics complaint.

Discussion: Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.: Tribal Council needs to decide if the Tribe needs a statute or policy that will pay for attorneys for employees with regard to grievances.

4:20 p.m. Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor Proctor to into closed session for personnel.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

5:01 p.m. Motion made by Councilor David Harrington and supported by Councilor McNamara to return to open session.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

5:39 p.m. Public Comment opened: Mike Smith asked for consideration of the possibility of defense attorneys for indigent Citizens.

Warren Petoskey said everyone needs an even playing ground. Elders Program policy is based on a prejudiced letter from the former Coordinator.

Virginia Lewis stated that some employees cannot afford lawyers. Joseph Mier said a prayer.

5:47 p.m. Public Comment closed

5:47 p.m. Motion made by Councilor David Harrington and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to adjourn.

Vote: 9 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 0 -Absent Motion carried. Next Regular Tribal Council Meeting

April 19, 2018 These Minutes have been read and are

approved as corrected:

Tamara Kiogima, Tribal Council Secre-Date

The Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council Meeting **Tribal Council Chambers** 7500 Odawa Circle Harbor Springs, MI 49740 April 19, 2018

Call to Order: 9:02 a.m.

Opening ceremony: Shanna Wemigwase Closed Session: none

Council Present: Councilor Emily Proc-

tor, Secretary Tamara Kiogima, Councilor Julie Shananaquet, Treasurer Marcella Reyes, Councilor Dexter McNamara, Councilor Shanna Wemigwase Absent: Councilor Frank Bernard,

Councilor David Harrington, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr. Legislative Office Staff Present: Legis-

lative Services Attorney Donna Budnick Legislative, Office Manager Michele Portman-LaCount, Sr. Financial Analyst Rachel Cope, General Counsel James Executive Officials and Staff Present:

Human Resources Department Stephanie Carver, Elder's Director Mary Roberts, Chief Financial Officer Carrie Carlson Judicial Officials and Staff: none

Public: Heidi Bosma, Andrew Stich Invited Guest: none

9:09 a.m. Councilor David Harrington arrived. Motion made by Councilor Shanan-

aquet and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to adopt the agenda for April 19, 2018 as amended. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2

- Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried.

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Proctor to dedicate this meeting in honor of the following Citizen(s) who have walked on: Karin

Truman, and Marshall Cude. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative

Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried. Introduction of new Tribal Government

employees: Mary Roberts Elders Director, Iason Smith Great Lakes Fishery Biologist. John Kenoshmeg Elders Driver (mentioned). Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and

supported by Councilor Wemigwase to approve the Regular Meeting minutes of April 7, 2018 as corrected. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2

- Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried. **Executive Report:** 

Vice-Chair Stella Kay:

Michigan Indian Elders Association conference was last week and initial feedback has been positive

The Veterans Honor Guard annual meeting and training will be next week, April 23 and 24. Tribal Council would like to be informed of the times.

We hired a new Elders Director - Mary Roberts

Accounting Department is working diligently on our annual audit

The Round Dance is scheduled for this Saturday, April 21st, 5:00 to 11:00 The Elders Dentures and the Hear-

ing Aid programs are ready to roll. The Health Clinic phone greeting message has been changed to include directions for these programs. This week is Sexual Assault Awareness

Month as well as Child abuse Prevention month and the Human Services department is busy with associated activities (Pinwheel gardens) I will be attending a Uniting Three Fires

Marie next week on Domestic Violence (April 23/24). Demolition of the Appleyard Daycare

Against Violence Conference at Sault Ste

building begins tomorrow (4/20) Tribal Chairperson Regina Gasco-Bentley is busy with many CORA meetings

and phone conferences Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Treasurer Reyes to acknowledge the verbal and written

Executive Report as presented by Vice-Chair Stella Kay. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative

Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried.

Legislative Officer Reports:

<u>Legislative Leader Report</u> – No report

Secretary Report - Acquisition of Culturally Significant Items Statute-delivered 04/09/18, due

back 05/09/18 Gaming Authority Statute-delivered 04/09/18, due back 05/09/18

Legislative Procedures Statute-delivered 04/09/18, due back 05/09/18

- Lease Inheritance Statute-delivered 04/13/18, due back 05/14/18

- Participation in Opioid Litigation Certified Motion-delivered 04/09/18, due back 05/09/18 - Department of Health and Human

Services Children and Families ANA Language Preservation Grant Certified Motion 040718-18-delivered 04/07/18 - Participation on Opioid Litigation

Certified Motion 040718-03-delivered 04/09/18 complete. Hearing Aid Program REGS-TR-030218-01 040518-01

delivered signed complete 04/13/19 - Elder Dental Services Program REG-TR-032218-02 040618-01 delivered

signed complete 04/13/19 ii. Vetoes: (a vote of Tribal Council to override a veto shall occur within 90-days of the veto) none

iii. Phone Polls passed by Tribal Council: none

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Treasurer Reyes to accept Secretary Kiogima's verbal and written report as presented on the agenda for April 19, 2018. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2

- Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried.

Treasurer Report-Appropriations and

Finance Committee Budget Hears update. -Last Regular Meeting was held April

10, 2018 (actions taken at this meeting): Motion made by Councilor

Wemigwase and supported by Treasurer Reyes to recommend to Tribal Council to approve Certified Motion #041918-01 Request for Funding from the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, FY 2018 Sustain Our Great Lakes Program. Vote: 3 -Yes, 0 -No, 0 -Abstain, 0 -Absent Motion carried. Motion made by Councilor

Wemigwase and supported by Councilor McNamara to recommend to Tribal Council to approve Certified Motion #041918-02 Request for Funding from the Institute of Museum and Library Services, Native American Library Services FY 2018 Enhancement Grant. Vote: 3 -Yes, 0 -No, 0 -Abstain, 0 -Absent Motion carried. Motion made by Councilor

Wemigwase and supported by Councilor McNamara recommend to Tribal council to adopt Tribal Resolution Use of 3rd Party Support Revenues for Expansion of Dental Program. Vote: 3 -Yes, 0 -No, 0 -Abstain, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

- Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor Wemigwase

ODAWA TRAILS to recommend to Tribal Council to adopt Tribal Resolution Amended FY 2018 Governmental Budgets. Vote: 3 -Yes, 0 -No, 0 -Abstain, 0 -Absent Motion car-

Motion made by Councilor Mc-Namara and supported by Treasurer Reyes to recommend to Tribal Council to adopt Tribal Resolution Supplemental funding in the amount of \$160,000 for the Legislative Branch FY 2018 Budget for purchase of Land Parcel #111. Vote: 2 -Yes, 1 -No (Councilor Wemigwase), 0 -Abstain, 0 -Absent Motion carried.

-Next Appropriations and Finance Committee Special Meeting April 27, 2018 at 9:00 a.m. in Tribal Council Chambers. -Next Regular Scheduled Meeting: May

8, 2018 at 1:00 pm in the Council Cham-

ii. Phone Polls passed by Appropriations and Finance Committee:

04/18/18: Motion to recommend to Tribal Council to approve funding from U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Section 319 of the Clean Water Act, FY 2018 Indian Tribes and Intertribal Consortia Nonpoint Source Management 04/18/18: Motion to amend the 2019

Budget Formulation Process-Planning Calendar to change the dates of the Final 2019 Annual Budget approved by Tribal Council and the Final 2019 Annual Budget posted to Tribal Website from April 19, 2018 and April 20, 2018 to "no later than May 17, 2018 and May 18, 2018", respectively.

Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor David Harrington to accept Treasurer Reyes' verbal and written Appropriations and Finance Committee report as presented on the agenda for April 19, 2018 Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2

- Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Wemigwase and supported by Councilor McNamara to amend the 2019 Budget Formulation Process-Planning Calendar to change the dates of the Final 2019 Annual Budget approved by Tribal Council and the Final 2019 Annual Budget posted to Tribal Website from April 19, 2018 and

April 20, 2018 to "no later than May 17, 2018 and May 18, 2018", respectively; as recommended by the Appropriation and Finance Committee. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2

- Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried.

10:29 a.m. Break

10:48 a.m. Return

Land and Reservation Committee

-Last Regular Meeting that was scheduled for April 13, 2018 was cancelled.

-Next Regular Scheduled Meeting: May 8, 2018 at 1:00 pm in the Council Chambers Motion made by Councilor Shanan-

aquet and supported by Councilor McNamara to acknowledge receipt of Treasurer Reyes Committee Chair's verbal and written report for the Land and Reservation Committee as presented on the agenda for Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2

- Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried. Tribal Council Member Reports:

Councilor Wemigwase - Attendance

to provide service to Elders at Michigan Indian Elder's Association Conference, Drug Court Graduation, Tribal Council presence at Annual Community Meeting. Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Treasurer Reyes

to acknowledge receipt of Councilor Wemigwase verbal Tribal Council Member report for April 19, 2018. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative

Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried. <u>Councilor Shananaquet</u> – Discussion

regarding Casino Health Inspection Re-

port, Drug Court Graduation, Status of Gaming Authority Statute. Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to

acknowledge receipt of Councilor Shananaquet verbal Tribal Council Member Report for April 19, 2018. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.)

Motion carried. Councilor McNamara - Discussion Casino Food Inspection, Line 5, Drug Court Graduation.

Councilor Shananaquet would like to acknowledge and congratulate Citizen

Janaan Cornstalk for winning the 2018

Northern Michigan Environmental Action Council (NMEAC) Environmentalist "Volunteer" of the Year Award.

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to acknowledge receipt of Councilor McNamara verbal Tribal Council Member Report for April 19,

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.)

Motion carried. Councilor Proctor - Attendance to pro-

vide service to Elders at Michigan Indian Elder's Association Conference, Drug Court Graduation. Youth from Harbor Springs Schools for formation of a Youth Council.

Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Treasurer Reyes to acknowledge receipt of Councilor Proctor verbal Tribal Council Member Report for April 19, 2018. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2

- Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried.

11:44 a.m. Public Comment opened and closed with no comments

Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor Proctor to acknowledge receipt of the LTBB Minimum Control Standards Amendment REG-WOS 2011-005-040618-018 as presented by the Executive on April 19, 2018. Vote: 5 - Yes, 1 - No (Councilor Shanan-

aquet), 1 - Abstained (Councilor David Harrington), 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington,

Motion carried. 11:58 p.m. Lunch

1:32 p.m. Return

Corporate Charters and/or Board Up-

dates: Traditional Tribal Burial Board update 2018 1st Quarter Report. Cemetery up-

date. Will post their Minutes to web.

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Proctor to acknowledge receipt of the Traditional Tribal Burial Board verbal and written 2018 1st Quarter Report as presented by Kevin Willis Board Chair and Lisa Flynn board Treasurer.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.)

Motion carried. Legislative Staff Reports:

Office of Finance and Revenue Report

sented a power point. Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Treasurer Reyes to acknowledge receipt of Sr. Financial

Sr Financial Analyst Rachel Cope pre-

Analyst Rachel Cope's verbal and written report for April 19, 2018. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative

Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried.

<u>Tribal Historic Preservation Officer</u> no report Legislative Services Attorney Report

Phone conference with RB Construction. Land Ad-Hoc Meeting tomorrow, Annual Community Meeting committee meeting at 12:00 pm. on April 25, 2018 in the Legislative Offices.

aquet and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to acknowledge receipt of Legislative Services Attorney Budnick's verbal and written report for April 19, Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative

Motion made by Councilor Shanan-

Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried. <u>General Counsel</u>

Updates on: Mackinaw Property, 910

Petoskey Street trust application, Wells Fargo, Meetings with departmental staff regarding depositions, Gaming Revenue Commission meeting attendance. Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to

acknowledge receipt of General Counsel Bransky's verbal report for April 19, 2018. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried. Public Comment

2:58 p.m. Open: - Andrew Stich spoke regarding his

attendance at Budget Hearing and Lan-

guage Department's not looking for other grant sources before grant ended. Should be looking for other grants at least 1-year in advance. 3:01 p.m. Close Legislative Office Manager Report

Have not received any emailed comments from Citizens since last Tribal Council meeting report. Provided next

Tribal Council work session update. Motion made by Councilor Shananaquet and supported by Councilor David Harrington to accept Legislative Office

Manager Portman-LaCount's written and verbal report as presented on Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2

- Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.)

3:31 p.m. Resume Odawa Economic Development Man-

Motion carried.

3:04 p.m. Break

agement, Inc. - no report Ziibimijwang, Inc. - no report

Gaming Enterprise Board - February Odawa Casino Resort Reports

Motion made by Councilor McNamara and supported by Councilor Proctor to acknowledge receipt of the Gaming Enterprise Board/Odawa Casino Resort Q4 2017 Business Plan Summary dated February 5, 2018 and Q4 2017 Engagement

Survey Ongoing Data February 5, 2018. Vote: 5 - Yes, 1 - No (Councilor Shananaquet), 1 - Abstained (Councilor David Harrington), 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.)

Motion carried.

supported by Councilor McNamara to assume the costs for the 3-Tribes Land and Reservation meeting to be held May 11, 2018 at the Odawa Hotel with costs to come from Legislative/Tribal Council Branch budget.

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.)

Motion carried.

The motion to acknowledge receipt of Sunnese Granados Letter of Interest for the Gaming Enterprise Board and set up an interview will be rescheduled pending completion of the legislative process for the Gaming Authority Board Statute. Motion made by Councilor Wemigwase

to approve Certified Motion #041918-01 Request for Funding from the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, FY 2018 Sustain Our Great Lakes Program. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative

and supported by Councilor McNamara

Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried. Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor McNamara to approve to approve Certified Motion #041918-02 Request for Funding from

the Institute of Museum and Library Services, Native American Library Services FY 2018 Enhancement Grant. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2

Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried. Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to approve Certified Motion 041918-03 Request for Funding from U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Section 319 of the Clean Water Act, FY 2018 Indian

- Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative

point Source Management Grant. Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.)

Tribes and Intertribal Consortia Non-

Motion carried. 3:34 p.m. Tribal Government Building System failure due to down transform-

er on Hedwig Rd. The remainder of the meeting is not recorded. Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor McNamara to approve Certified Motion #041918-04 Request for Funding from Bureau of In-

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.) Motion carried.

Motion made by Councilor Wemigwase and supported by Councilor Shananaquet to adopt Tribal Resolution: amended Fiscal Year 2018 Governmental Budgets. Roll Call Vote: Councilor Bernard-ab-

dian Affairs Litigation Support Funding.

sent, Councilor David Harrington-yes, Councilor McNamara-ves, Councilor Proctor-yes, Councilor Shananaquet-yes, Councilor Wemigwase-yes, Treasurer Reyes-yes, Secretary Kiogima-yes, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.-absent

Motion carried. Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor McNamara to adopt Tribal Resolution Use of 3rd Party Support Revenues for Expansion of Den-

tal Program. Roll Call Vote: Councilor Bernard-absent, Councilor David Harrington-yes, Councilor McNamara-yes, Councilor Proctor-yes, Councilor Shananaquet-yes, Councilor Wemigwase-yes, Treasurer

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Reyes-yes, Secretary Kiogima-yes, Legis-

## "Minutes" continued from page 23.

lative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.-absent Motion carried.

Motion made by Treasurer Reyes and supported by Councilor David Harrington to adopt Tribal Resolution supplemental Funding in the amount of \$160,000 for the Legislative Branch FY 2018 budget for Purchase of Land Parcel

Roll Call Vote: Councilor Bernard-absent, Councilor David Harrington-yes, Councilor McNamara-no, Councilor Proctor-no, Councilor Shananaquet-no, Councilor Wemigwase-no, Treasurer Reyes-yes, Secretary Kiogima-no, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.-absent

3:54 p.m. Motion made by Councilor David Harrington and supported by Councilor Wemigwase to adjourn.

Vote: 7 - Yes, 0 - No, 0 - Abstained, 2 - Absent (Councilor Bernard, Legislative Leader Fred Harrington, Jr.)

Motion carried.

Next Tribal Council Regular Meeting These Minutes have been read and are approved as written.

Tamara Kiogima, Tribal Council Secre-Date

"Miller-Keyes" continued from page 1.

"My heart stopped at that moment because at that point I still, again, didn't know the extent as to what had happened to me," she explained.

In the beginning, she only wanted to be tested for drugs to confirm her suspicions, but none of the doctors and hospitals she went to would test her for

"Each doctor turned me away, they said, 'Unless I filed a police report, they couldn't help me," Miller-Keyes said.

Part of Miller-Keyes advocacy today is also educating about what a person should do after they've been sexually assaulted since she didn't know when it was her turn.

"I didn't know what you should do when you report, I didn't know what my rights were, I didn't know what the process was," she said.

According to Miller-Keyes, by the time she was hospitalized and tested, too much time had passed and her drug tests came back inconclusive.

After more investigation, Miller-Keyes found out that she was assaulted by not one, but two men. That was the decisive moment in her journey as a survivor that finally made her report the assault and open up about what had happened.

"These are guys that I did YoungLife with, these are guys that went to high schools around me, I knew these guys for years," she explains.

Miller-Keyes says there's a lot of room for improvement in the rape kit and sexual assault exam-

## LITTLE TRAVERSE BAY BANDS OF ODAWA INDIANS COMMUNITY HEALTH DEPARTMENT MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION GUIDELINES

Transportation is available to medical appointments only.

You must exhaust all other means available to you, i.e. Friendship Center Bus, Straits Regional Transit, Char/Em Transit, Taxi or Family.

Clients of the Little Traverse Bay Bands Health Department must notify the Community Health Department 72 hours prior to their appointments

Transportation is based on availability.

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## Miigwech!

The Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Community Health Staff Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians

## NOTICE: Sex Offender Registration Requirements

All persons who have been convicted as a sex offender are required by the LTBB Sex Offender Registration and Notification Statute to register with LTBB Law Enforcement if any of the following circumstances are true:

- If your residence is on Tribally owned land;
- If you will be visiting and staying on Tribally owned land for more than seven (7) days;
- If you are enrolled in any classes or schools located in Tribal buildings; or
- If you are employed on Tribally owned lands. LTBB Law Enforcement is located at:

911 Spring Street, Petoskey, MI 49770 231-242-1500

For more information regarding Sex Offender Registry, you can visit the LTBB Website www.ltbbodawa-nsn.gov and choose the Law Enforcement link on the right side of the page.

> ination process, especially how long they take to process, which she experienced herself.

up, this is before the #TimesUp movement, this is even before the Rolling Stone article," Miller-Keyes said. "It was such a taboo topic."

peers and a faculty member," resulted against her. She used that loss as a platform to address to

treated, which helped eliminate the "two peers and a faculty member" style of Title IX hearing at VCU. During her time as Miss North Carolina USA,

her goal is to improve Title IX policies for sexual assault survivors by addressing potential policy changes at colleges and universities around the state.

Carolina USA and hopefully as Miss USA," she add-

working to improve Title IX policies at her alma mater, like the case but hopes #MeToo and #TimesUp will keep the momentum going.

"I think they have been instrumental in people feeling comfortable coming forward and people reporting," she explained.

Courtesy photo.

## No Insurance? for the Healthy



Michigan residents at a low cost so that more people can have health care coverage. Individuals are eligible for the Healthy

Are age 19-64 years

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. Do not qualify for or are not enrolled in other Medicaid programs

Are not pregnant at the time of application

\*Eligibility for the Healthy Michigan Plan is determined through the Modified

If you do not have insurance and would like to fill out an

She explains how the wait was daunting. "This is before the #MeToo movement really lit

Miller-Keyes explains that her case with VCU

went over the time period Title IX states a case must be completed. Her case, presented in front of "two

the university the failures in the way these cases are

"I wanted my voice to be heard as Miss North

Much of Miller-Keyes focus so far has been

## See if you qualify Michigan Plan!



The Healthy Michigan Plan provides health care benefits to

Michigan Plan if they:

Are residents of the State of Michigan

application, contact Valorie Glazier, Patient Benefits Specialist, at 231-242-1748 or by e-mail at vglazier@ltbbodawa-nsn.gov to set up an apointment today!

## Free Legal Help for Low-Income Native Americans

Michigan Indian Legal Services may be able to help you with your legal issue. MILS Attorneys can handle the following types of cases in Tribal Court:

◆ Child Welfare ◆ Criminal Defense **◆** Eviction ICWA-MIFPA Appellate Cases\*

◆ Juvenile Delinquency ◆ Guardianship\* Other Matters

\*Available in State Court Proceedings

To find out if we can help you with your legal issue, call us at 231-947-0122 or toll free at 1-800-968-6877. Our office is open Monday - Friday from 9 a.m. to Noon and from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. For more information, visit our website at www.mils3.org.

Michigan Indian Legal Services provides legal services to low-income Indian individuals and tribes to further self-sufficiency, overcome discrimination, assist tribal governments and preserve Indian families.



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## LTBB **OFFICE OF CITIZENS** LEGAL ASSISTANCE



The Office of Citizens Legal Assistance has been established to provide free legal ice to enrolled tribal citizens in non-criminal matters such as

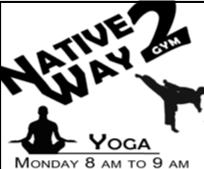
- **Family Law**
- Child Custody
- Child Support Guardianships Parentage/Paternity
- Indian Child Welfare Act / Michigan Indian Family Preservation Act Setting Aside a Conviction

Driver License Restoration

- **Estate Planning** Health Care Directives
- Landlord/Tenant
- Evictions Tenant Rights
- Consumer

The office is available to provide legal guidance and drafting of certain legal documents but does not provide in court representation at this time. The office may give procedural advice only on matters that are of a criminal nature or involve the Tribe or other Tribal Citizens as a potential party in a For assistance and to make appointments

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Tuesday & Thursday 6:30 рм то 7:30 рм

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OF THE MONTH

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If the LTBB Governmental Offices are closed for the day, all Native Way classes will be cancelled. If the weather is uncertain, call LTBB Community Health at 231-242-1664 before 4 pm for class updates; otherwise, please err on the side of caution and stay home if you are not sure. If you want to participate in tae kwon do or jiu jitsu, please call prior to going at 231-242-1601.

Native Way Two gym is located off the Harbor-Conway Road at 8730 East Commerce Court, Units 7 and 8 Harbor Springs, MI 49740

The Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Natural Resources Commission is looking for LTBB tribal citizens with an interest in Great Lakes Commercial Gill Net Fishing

The LTBB Commercial Small Boat Apprentice Program is designed to provide eligible LTBB tribal citizens with an opportunity to learn the trade of commercial fishing from an experienced LTBB Great Lakes Commercial Fishing Captain

For more information on eligibility and requirements, please stop in or contact the LTBB Natural Resources Department



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"Cornstalk" continued from page 1. the Puget Sound, they did a flotilla. We thought, 'Let's do that here. We can raise awareness of this pipeline and be in the water we are trying to protect."

Enbridge's Line 5 is a 645mile, 30-inch diameter pipeline that carries crude oil and natural gas and travels through Michi-



gan's Upper and Lower Peninsulas, originating in Superior, WI, and terminating in Sarnia, Ontario, Canada. As it travels under the Straits of Mackinac, Line 5 splits into two 20-inch diameter, parallel pipelines that are buried onshore and taper off deep underwater, crossing the Straits west of the Mackinac Bridge for a distance of 4.5 miles.

"The Great Lakes are one of the greatest fresh water resources in the world, that's 20 percent of the world's fresh water," Cornstalk said. "If there was a spill, the lakes would never be the same, and it would affect 40 million people."

The pipeline was built in 1953.

"The Real Ingredients" continued from page 1.

"Anything man made is going to break eventually," Cornstalk said. "It has a lot of stressors on it. Just the metal being in the water and the zebra mussels have corroded the pipeline. The waters there can be contentious because of its temperature and water flow."

On November 27, 2017, Enbridge and the State of Michigan, through Governor Rick Snyder, signed an agreement to "improve coordination between Enbridge and the State for the operation and maintenance of Enbridge's Line 5 pipeline located in Michigan, while providing enhanced transparency to the citizens of Michigan." The agreement required the replacement of a section of Line 5 under the St. Clair River and a study exploring the possibility of replacing the entire pipeline with a new one in a tunnel. Enbridge is supposed to evaluate three options for eventually replacing Line 5 by June.

"That was a slap in the face," Cornstalk said of the agreement. "When I learned of that, I wanted to do something."

Cornstalk and others are currently organizing a fourth Pipe Out Paddle Protest to be held on September 1, 2018 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. in Mackinaw City, MI. They are working to bring in a contingency of people from Hawaii and the Nisqually Tribes and to set a record for the world's largest flotilla.

"Their canoes are amazing,"

Cornstalk said. "We feel like their canoes will draw people in. We've been trying to think of ways to raise awareness at a national level. We need prayers and help to bring this to the national



Cornstalk considers Winona LaDuke and Josephine Mandamin mentors.

"They both have a real ability to connect with people," Cornstalk said. "I like the way they are both passionate about what they do and that they do it in a very humble way."

Cornstalk is Huron Potawatomi, Odawa and Saginaw Chippewa. Her parents are the late Frank Cornstalk and the late Emma Willis. She has three children, Jannan Cotto, Cari Callaghan and Motega Cotto, and six grandchildren.

Courtesy photos.

White Crosses for graves are available for Tribal Members Pick up from Archives and Records Dept. Contact Lisa Flynn at 231-242-1450

The LTBB Survivor Outreach Advocate administers Support Services and is located in the LTBB DHS office. Assistance is available to Native American women and children who are survivors of domestic or sexual violence as well as non-Native intimate partners and their families. Assistance may include the following: Non-Emergency Transportation Assistance -

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with Personal Protection Orders ~ Problem Solving and Safety Planning ~ Emergency Food Vouchers ~ Advocacy and Referrals ~ Court Accompaniment ~ Relocation

Support for domestic abuse or sexual assault is also available at the Women's Resource Center of Northern Michigan 24-hour crisis and information line at 231-347-0082 or for long distance callers 1-800-275-1995.

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the pace. The Real Ingredients have a whopping 40plus gigs already booked, spanning from Petoskey, MI, to Traverse City, MI, to Holland, MI, and across

## Their Inspiration

When The Real Ingredients started, the band's goal was simply to write some new original material together, focusing on upbeat folk, rock and funk.

"Beyond that, we just wanted to get one gig," Miller said. They accomplished both of those goals early on, notching the second toward the end of their first summer as a band when they got a gig in Harbor Springs, MI, playing to some family members and friends. As their audience expanded, so has their repertoire. The band focuses on a mix of half original tunes and half covers.

While fans old and new can find the band's music on Facebook, the pair are working on a way to get even more of their originals into their fans' hands.

"We are currently working on a four-song EP here in Petoskey," Michaels said. "We hope to finish it before this summer, to have music readily available for people to grab at our upcoming performances."

This first EP is something they plan to use as more of a promotional device; th ey don't plan on charging for the EP other than by putting a tip jar

"Some current goals of ours are to spread our

for those interested, we do also have stickers and a handful of T-shirts that will be available at our upcoming shows."

## Farm Fresh

When you hear the band's name, the first thing that springs to mind most often is food. And The Real Ingredients twist that to their advantage.

"Our catchphrase is that we play music that's 'funky, folky, fun and farm-fresh," Michaels said. The name came to the band after hanging out together for a few weeks, over — you guessed it — a meal. "We were all sitting around Sean's table eating tacos, and saw that the salsa was made with 'the real ingredients,' he continued, "and now, we definitely use puns based upon our name!"

## **Future Ingredients**

"Obviously, we've achieved our original goals," Michaels said. "But we've come up with more goals to push ourselves even further." After finishing up that EP, they've got even bigger studio ideas to aim at. "We've got a full album slated for a year from now, featuring more of our original songs," Miller said. "Other than that, we hope to play as far across the state as possible, and also to get into more festivals next year. We just want to keep playing music and doing what we love.

For more information on The Real Ingredients and their summer shows schedule, visit them on Facebook at facebook.com/realingredients.



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# Congratulations Graduates We are so proud of you!



Congratulations to Donny Portman on your second Associates degree from North Central Michigan College! This one is an Associates of Arts. Love, Dad, Mom, Izzy, Nathan and all the rest of our family.



Congrats to our sister, Maaniinh Fonseca, who graduated from high school! We are so proud of the young lady you have become. This past year has been filled with many responsibilities, holding the Miss Odawa title and finishing your senior year. And, you did it! You are a great role model, and a great sister! We love you, your sibs.



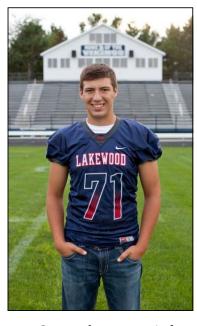
Congratulations to Stacey Ettawageshik on your graduation from the Michigan State University Social Work Master's program! All of your hard work paid off, and we are all so proud of you! Your DHS family.



Congrats on your graduation, Kian Wiltse. Summa Cum Laude, Petoskey High School. So proud of you!! NCMC bound! Love, Mom, Dad & family.



Congratulations to Samantha Zundel, who graduated from Huntingdon College with a BS in Business Management. Samantha graduated Magna Cum Laude with a GPA of 3.933!



Congratulations to Ayden James Van Sickle for graduating with honors from Lakewood High School Ayden plans on attending Kellogg Community College in the fall and will major in Criminal Justice. Ayden is the son of Roger and Lisa Van Sickle, the grandson of Laura Lonchar and the nephew of Michael Lonchar, Jonathan Lonchar, Ryan Keshick and Tosha Keshick. We wish Ayden the best and are extremely proud of his accomplishments.



Congratulations to Kiana Wood, who graduated from Michigan State University with a Bachelor of Science in Nutritional Science with a minor in Bioethics, Humanities and Society. She is the daughter of Matthew Lesky and Cheryl Kishigo-Lesky, and the granddaughter of Mitchell A. Kishigo, Jr. and Florence A. Indelicato (Harrington). Kiana's immediate family includes Shanna (Aaron) Wemigwase, Justine (Justin) Gavin, Jenna Wood and Maangaashkaa (Monee) Lesky. Kiana's academic achievements include being on the Dean's List all four years, becoming a 2016 REPID Scholar, becoming a recipient of MSU's FSHN Undergraduate Research Scholarship and being published for her research on cholesterol metabolism in Diabetic Retinopathy. Her social accomplishments include being President of the American Indian Science and Engineering Society (AISES), she has been involved in AISES for three years; and additionally, she has been a member of the Alpha Chi Sigma Co-ed Chemistry fraternity for four years. Kiana plans on attending medical school in 2019. We, her family, are so extremely proud of her accomplishments, her hard work and her dedication to never giving up.



Congratulations to Frank Animikwam, who earned his Doctorate of Medicine degree from the Michigan State University College of Human Medicine.



On behalf of the Schuyler, Dreaver and Syrette families, we would like to congratulate two of our oldest children/ grandchildren, Maya Schuyler and Caden Dreaver. They are both graduating with honors from Mt. Pleasant High School. Maya is the daughter of Joseph (Batchewana Ojibwe) and Heather Syrette (LTBB/Oneida). Caden is the son of Harvey (Big River Cree) and Marie Dreaver (LTBB/ Oneida). Caden and Maya are the oldest grandchildren to William (Oneida) and Cynthia Schuyler (LTBB). Maya and Caden are also leaders for Native youth by continuing their education at Central Michigan University (Maya) and Wayne State University (Caden) in the Fall 2018. They continue to impress not only their families, but Native communities near and far for their outstanding achievements not only academically but culturally as well. They live a drug and alcohol free lifestyle,



promoting culture and language and its importance. We love you both so much and want you both to know how proud we all are!! Giizaagin/kunolunkhwa, your family!!



Congratulations to Margaret Dominic, who is graduating from Ferndale High School. She will attend the University of Michigan and study Biopsychology, Cognition and Neuroscience. Her high school activities included National Honor's Society, Student Council, Secondary Honors program, varsity soccer, symphony orchestra, full orchestra and pit orchestra. She also referees U8 and U10 soccer. Her parents are David Dominic, Jr. and Cathy D. Mercurio, her grandparents are David and Kitty Dominic and her great-grandparents were Robert and Waunetta Dominic.



So proud of you **Terri Jean** for graduating Cum Laude from Baker College! We love you! From Mops, Mzhakwod, Pete & kiddos.



Dave and Stella Kay are proud to announce the graduation of Sydney Michelle Kay from MSU with her Bachelor's degree in Social Work. Sydney has been passionate about helping others from little up and has remained steady in her determination to make a difference. While in school, she interned with the LTBB Kikaajik, and for the last two years, worked at an Autism Respite home. In addition, she competed for state on the track team as a pole vaulter for three years. Her plans are to stay at MSU to achieve her MSW, and then, look out world-there is one passionate, dedicated activist headed your way!!



Amy Hinmon will be graduating from Petoskey High School on June 3rd. She will be attending North Central Michigan College. Congratulations!



Congratulations to Lindsay Papaji, who graduated from Eastern Michigan University with a BS in Social Work. Lindsay graduated Magna Cum Laude and was also recognized for being a National Association of Social Workers member.

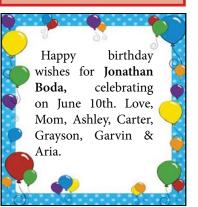
Clayton Cody Woodin has graduated from Lake Superior State University with his Bachelors of Science Business of Administration degree. Congratulations!

Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians presents The Black Ash Project. A journey into the past to preserve the future.

https://tinyurl.com/blackashproject

# Lines From our Membership

## Birthdays



Happy birthday to me, Mno dibishkaan

## Iannan I. Cornstalk

Do what you do, the Creator has plans for you. These very words I tell myself.

Yes, I talk to myself!! Lol!! May 27, several winters ago.

Happy birthday wishes to Christina Dewey. Love, your family.

Happy birthday #8 on June 28th, to our amazing lil Man, Kentin Wyatt! We sure are proud of you! Love, Mom & Dad.

Happy birthday to my **Bubba-Bear Kentin!** You are the best big brother! I love you! SissyGirl Audrey!

Happy birthday #8 **KentinBear!** We sure do love you! Grammy & Grumpa.

Happy birthday **Kentin**! Love, Unc B & Aunt Jess.



Happy birthday Olivia! Stay zany, upbeat and full of laughter to share! We love you forever and always, Mom, Dad, William & Adaline.

Happy birthday **Kentinator!** Love, Unc Josh.

Happy birthday to my awesome cousin, Kentin! Let's go 'karting'!! Love, Lane.

Happy birthday to the BEST DaddyBear Josh!! I sure do love you! LittleBear Lane.

Happy birthday #32 on June 13th to our **Joshua David!** Sure are proud of you! Love, Mom & Dad

Happy birthday to an awesome brother, Josh! Thanks for everything! Love you! Holly & Joe.

Happy birthday to my favorite brother Josh! Love ya dude! BJ & Jess.

Happy birthday **Unc Josh!** So glad you are ours!! Love you! Kentin & Audrey.

## Congratulations





Congratulations to Quinn Worthington & William Petoskey for receiving Honorable Recognition awards from the Kendall College of Art & Design at the Crooked Tree Arts Center Youth Arts Show! Quinn painted "The Best Picture of Me," and William painted "Dead House." We're immensely proud of your talents, Quinn & Wiiam! Keep creating! Love Always – Aunt Cheyenne, Uncle Kody & Khaleesi, and Aunt Celestine, Uncle Will (Mom & Dad), Liv & Addy.



Congratulations to Emily Naganashe, who recently earned her first degree black belt from the American Taekwondo Association. She was tested in overall physical fitness, sparing combinations, belt forms, one step and free form fighting, board breaking and oral responses. After meeting requirements in those areas, she moved up a belt level. After completing all of the color levels, she tested for her first black belt. Emily, 12, is the daughter of John and Glenda Naganashe and the granddaughter of Jim and Arlene Naganashe and Bill and Betty Weston. Congratulations from your family. We are very proud of your accomplishment!

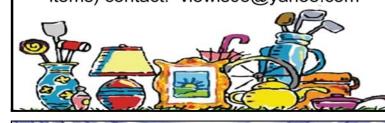
## Miigwetch



Junior Miss Odawa Nation **Aryana Robinson** wishes to thank everyone in the community for supporting her by attending her Indian taco fundraisers and to those who made donations toward her trip to the Gathering of Nations Pow Wow. She had an amazing time there. The best part was meeting the new Miss Indian World. Miigwetch to everyone!

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