



Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit

Wíingu-néewEénda-Lunaapeewáhkiing -Welcome to the land of the Delaware's

SAVE THE DATE - MARK YOUR CALENDARS

August 31, 2023 – Trip to Tiger Stadium Detroit Tigers vs. NY Yankees –
Tiger Stadium August 31, 2023 – registration—see flyer

September 01, 2023 – Fall Fair. More details to follow.

September 02 & 03 2023 – Annual Pow Wow—See flyer

OFFICE CLOSURE

**THE EELŪNAAPÉEWI LAHKÉEWIIT ADMINISTRATION OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON TUESDAY AUGUST 15, 2023
FROM 8:30 AM TO 1:00 PM.**

REGULAR BUSINESS HOURS WILL APPLY FOR ALL OTHER DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS.

Regular Council Meeting

(Open Meeting)

DATE: Thursday August 17th, 2023

TIME: 6:00 p.m.

PLACE: Delaware Nation Community Centre

News Items Due: Monday, August 21, 2023—4:00pm

Next Publication Distributed: Wednesday August 23rd, 2023

BAND REPARATION TASK FORCE INVITES YOU TO:

COMMUNITY Engagement 1 & 2

Wednesday August 9 & Wednesday 16th, 2023

5:00 p.m. Supper

6:00 p.m. Session Starts

@ Delaware Nation Community Centre

SURVEY OPPORTUNITY W/ INCENTIVE

* DOOR PRIZES *

HONORING THE PAST AND FUTURE

The Band Reparation Class Action is a lawsuit against the government of Canada. The lawsuit is about the collective harm suffered by communities as a group, as a result of Indian Residential Schools.

The Settlement agreement has been reached and the key terms are:

- 1. Revival and protection of Indigenous languages. (Session 1)*
- 2. Revival and protection of Indigenous cultures. (Session 1)*
- 3. Wellness for Indigenous communities and their members. (Session 2)*
- 4. Promotion and protection of heritage. (Session 2)*

Task Force Members:

Suzanne Jacobs, Shawnee Noah, Shannon Snake, Johnny Stonefish

Staff Resource: Velma Noah-Nicholas

Council Portfolio: Lesley Snake & Jody Noah

Chief: Justin Logan

51ST EELUNAAPEEWI LAHKEEWIT POWWOW 50/50 DRAW

HELD: SEPTEMBER 2-3, 2023
DRAW DATE: SEPTEMBER 3, 2023

TICKETS ARE ONLY \$1.00 EACH AND AVAILABLE
FROM ADMINISTRATION OFFICE OR MEMBERS OF POWWOW COMMITTEE.

Proceeds to Eelunapeewi Lahkéewiit Pow Wow



27 Days Until Back to School

Tuesday, September 5th, 2023



The Berenstain Bears
Go to School



SC PICTUREBACK®

Part-time baker

Join our growing team at Moraviantown, Delaware Nation Tim Hortons. We are looking for an individual who is a team player and willing to learn new things. Must be reliable. The baking position is every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 5:00am to 1:00pm every week with the opportunity to pick up more shifts.

You would be responsible for:

- Getting the morning bake done in a timely fashion
- Input baking information on an I Pad
- Keeping the fridge and freezer well stocked and making the manager aware of anything needing to be ordered
- Keeping up with the demands of sales
- Keeping your work space clean at all times
- Required to assist the front staff when needed
- Input any deliveries that are received

Training is provided so no experience is required. If you are a hard-working team player that is reliable please send resume to moraviantown.timmies@outlook.com or drop off your resume to

22374 Little John road.



Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Job Posting Early Childhood Educator Job Description

POSITION REPORTS TO: The Early Childhood Educator shall be under the supervision of the Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Early Learning Centre Director.

Summary of Position: The Early Childhood Educator will ensure the development and provision of a high quality, wholistic, culturally relevant and individual educational program. The Early childhood Educator will support and assist in all program service areas of the Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Early Learning Centre

Location:

Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit
Early Learning Centre
14762 School House Line
R. R. #3
Thamesville, Ontario
N0P 2K0

Industry
Early Childhood
Education

Job Status:

**Full time
35 hours per week**

Salary Range:

\$21-\$25.00

Based on qualifications
and experience

**POSTED
UNTIL POSITION IS
FILLED.**

Program Delivery

- Plans, implements and coordinates classroom activities
- Responsible for classroom management and instruction
- To provide for the safety and well being of the children during both on and off-site activities promoting the six components of Head Start
- Involves all staff in classroom operations by planning activities for individual children and groups according to the child's developmental level
- creating and planning activities for individual children and groups according to the child's developmental level in accordance with "How Does learning Happen?"
- Maintain regulated and required documentation, reporting and record keeping
- Conduct monthly fire drills
- To organize space, equipment and materials to allow child experiences
- Complete daily playground inspections
- Any other relevant duties as assigned by the Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Early Learning Centre Director

Administrative

- Develop and monitor an annual work plan and calendar
- Maintain active, accurate and confidential filing system
- To ensure daily recording of names, ages and parent/caregivers name, and making note of any special needs; e.g. developmental assessments, allergies, dietary concerns or other relevant matters.
- Designs learning activities utilizing the High Scope curriculum and assessment tool as well as other available resources.
- Attend meetings and training as requested by the Early Learning Centre Director
- Reports and documents parent concerns or critical incidents concerning the Early Learning Centre to the Early Learning Centre Director.
- Is aware of and adheres to the current policies and procedures of the Early Learning Centre Program, as well as be familiar with the Child Care and Early Years Act.
- Submit regular reports and maintain licensing requirements to the Director and complete any other reporting as required by funding and licensing sources.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Early Childhood Education Diploma from an accredited post-secondary institution
- Registered member of the College of Early Childhood Educators and in good standing
- Experience working with Aboriginal children and their parents
- Knowledge of the Lunaapeew Language and Culture would be an asset
- High Scope or Resource Teacher would be an asset.
- Strong interpersonal skills, excellent planning skills, excellent oral and written communication skills
- Must be computer literate
- Knowledge of the Aboriginal Head Start Initiative and its components
- Knowledge of "How Does Learning Happen?" Ontario's Pedagogy for the Early Years is preferable
- Ability to work cooperatively in a team approach and maintain confidentiality
- Must be willing to take training as needed
- Must possess Ontario driver's license
- Must provide copy of recent criminal reference check with vulnerable sector search
- Medical Certificate and First Aid/CPR due upon employment
- Up to date immunization and records including COVID-19

TERMS OF POSITION

Employment Term: Full-time, 35 hours per week

Salary: Commensurate with qualifications and/or experience

Hours of Work: Daily from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm (flexible hours required)

CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS

Interested candidates, please submit a **Cover Letter, Resume, and 3 references (2 work related & 1 personal)** to:

Cathy Stonefish: Interim Director of Operations
Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Administration Office
14760 School House Line,
Thamesville, Ontario N0P 2K0

Marked: CONFIDENTIAL – Early Childhood Educator - Early Learning

Posted Until Position is filled.

Pursuant to Section 16(1) of the Canadian Human Rights Act, Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit gives preference to First Nation applications.

While we sincerely appreciate all applications, only those candidates selected for interview will be contacted.

Please note the selected candidate will be required to submit a current CPIC/Vulnerable Sector Search and consent to a background reference check.

Summer Breakfast Cafe

Starting Thursday, August 3, 2023

Dates:

Thursday August 3rd
Thursday August 10th
Thursday August 17th
Thursday August 24th

7:30am - 8:30am
@ community centre

Everyone is welcome!

**Thank you to those who have supported
our breakfast program - please join us
for our first hot breakfast this summer**

Event Brought By: Child & Family Services, Health Dept, Econ Dev, ELC, OW

COMMUNITY TRIP

NEW YORK YANKEES VS DETROIT TIGERS

BASEBALL GAME

SAVE THE DATE

THURSDAY, AUGUST 31, 2023

Register for this event on:
Monday, August 21, 2023 at 5pm
\$10 Members \$20 Non Members



COMMUNITY PROGRAM PARTNERS:
EEL'NAAPÉEWI LAHKÉEWIT CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES
ONTARIO WORKS, HEALTH, EDUCATION



Welcome from the Artist

I would like to take this opportunity to personally invite any and all my fellow community members of Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit to my very first solo art exhibition! At the show, you will see hand-made land formations that are inspired by the great power of the Earth and Universe.

See accompanying poster for more details.
Anúshiik!

About Cryptic Landscapes

The Cryptic Landscapes are a series inspired by the fever dreams of childhood, our psychic connection to the land, and the sense of sublime we feel when looking up at the night sky. It serves as an exploration of minimalist expression through contrasting textures; paper impersonating rock formations on a grand scale versus golden regions implying value and importance. While the material conveys stillness and timeless consistency, the gilding is abstract with no concrete meaning. It is up to the viewer to find their own answers in the work, as it is our nature to find meaning in the experience of life.

About the Artist

Myles Jackson Lynch, BFA, Hons. is an emerging Lūnaapèew artist from Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit. He grew up with an equal appreciation for nature and academia, finding inspiration in stillness. Though the medium in which he creates his art is ever changing, his body of work continues to be focused on existentialism.

Cryptic Landscapes



Opening Night
August 12th 3-5pm

1025 Elias Street
London, ON N5W 3P6

Gallery Hours W: 12-5 T: 12-7 F: 12-5 S: 12-5

Secure Certificate of Indian Status (SCIS)

Indigenous Services Canada (ISC) mobile status team will be in our community for intake applications for a Secure Certificate of Indian Status (SCIS) on:



Community Centre
Wednesday, August 16, 2023
10:00am - 5:00pm



Important Notes:

- You must already be registered and have a 10-digit registration number.
- Bring a valid ID, such as a status card, driver's license, provincial ID, or a health care card.
- Photos will be taken on-site.
- There is no fee for picture or card.

If you changing your name, please make sure your ID matches your marriage certificate or name change/linking document.



Registration number

Renewal date



Machine readable zone

Questions/Concerns:

Any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact:

Cathy Stonefish at Administration Office
 Phone: (519) 692-3936
 Email: cathy.stonefish@delawarenation.on.ca



Indigenous
 Services Canada

Please Note:

- NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY
- FIRST COME, FIRST SERVE BASIS
- ALL FORMS DONE ELECTRONICALLY



Eelunaapéewi Lahkéewiit



Working
together

to bring
Government
of Canada }
services
to you.

Wednesday, August 16, 2023
10:00am - 5:00pm

Representatives from Service Canada
and the Canada Revenue Agency
will be in your community...

2023/08/16
at 10:00 am

Community Centre
14811 School House Line

Join us to find out
more about...

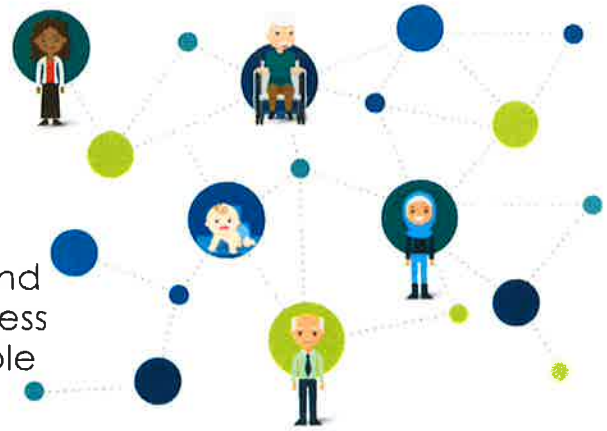
- Canada Pension Plan/
Old Age Security
- Canada Pension Plan
disability benefits
- Passport services
- Support for apprentices
- Social Insurance Number (SIN)*
- What benefits and credits
are available
- How benefit payments are
calculated based on your
tax return
- How and when to apply for
benefit payments
- CRA services that might
be available to you

* If you need a SIN, please bring: your birth certificate,
certificate of Indian Status and any other forms of
federal or provincial identification you may have.

Eelnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Community Centre

Reaching vulnerable people

We know the work you do impacts Canadians' lives, that's why we want to work with you! Partner with us to help expand our reach so that we can increase awareness of the services, benefits and credits available to vulnerable segments of the population.



Making sure all vulnerable Canadians receive the benefits and credits they are entitled to, by supporting:

- Housing insecure individuals
- Individuals with disabilities
- Indigenous peoples
- Modest income
- Newcomers and refugees
- Seniors
- Youth

How we can help:



IN-PERSON SERVICES: To ensure your employees are aware of the benefits and credits your clients might be entitled to, we are available to host a booth or deliver a presentation at your next event.

Request a CRA outreach visit at canada.ca/lets-work-together



INFORMATION MATERIALS: If you want your clients to have information in hand, just ask, we'd be happy to help! When outreach officers visit your organization, they will bring information materials that highlight the benefit and credit payments available, how to continue getting them, and other CRA services.

Request a CRA outreach visit at canada.ca/lets-work-together



FREE TAX HELP: Since benefit payments are calculated using tax information, it's important for your clients to know that they need to do their taxes every year to continue getting their payments. Through the Community Volunteer Income Tax Program (CVITP), community organizations host free tax clinics where volunteers complete tax returns for eligible Canadians with a modest income and simple tax situation.

Register your organization today at canada.ca/taxes-volunteer

Breakfast Fundraiser



Sunday, August 20, 2023

9:30 am – 11:30 am

Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Community Centre
14811 School House Line, Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit, Bothwell, ON N0P 1C0

COST:

PAY-WHAT-YOU-CAN

MENU:

Scrambled eggs, fried potatoes, bacon, sausage, toast, cold cereal, fresh fruit, juice, coffee



Meet
for
Breakfast

Proceeds will go toward:

- ◆ Kiiloonah Ktahkiihehna Project - purchase of more fruit and nut trees for the 2024 growing season
- ◆ Lunaapeew Heritage Days 2023
- ◆ Winter Solstice gathering

Please come out support our initiatives and enjoy a home cooked breakfast.

For more info contact a LHC member or email LunaapeewHC@gmail.com

Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit 51st Competition

Pow-Wow

September 2nd & 3rd, 2023

**GRAND
ENTRY:**
Saturday @
12:00 p.m.
& 7:00 p.m.
Sunday @
12:00 p.m.

Arena Director:
Geoff Stonefish
MC: Brent Stonefish
Head Dancers:
Miranda Cryle-Huff
Sandy Williams
Dennis Whiteye
Lorna Chrysler
Wallace Williams
Christine Restoule

Dance Categories:
Baby contest
(Sunday @ 11 a.m.)
Tiny Tot (5 & under)
Youth (6-12)
Teen (13-17)
Adult (18-54)
Golden Age (55+)

Drum Competition:
1st Place- \$5,000
2nd Place - \$4,000
3rd Place - \$3,000
4th Place -\$2,000

Hand Drum:
1st Place - \$200
2nd Place - \$150
3rd Place - \$100

Host Drum: Naahii Singers

ADMISSION:
General \$8
Seniors \$5
Children
under 10 free

Located: Behind the Community Centre
14811 Schoolhouse Line
Bothwell, Ontario
N0P 1C0

**VENDOR
INFORMATION:**
Craft/Art booths
\$150
Food booths \$200

No pets allowed
Service dogs permitted with documentation

Come join us for a memorable experience, everyone is welcome! Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit is not responsible for any lost or stolen items. If you have any questions or concerns please contact Herb Snake at 519-692-4175 & 519-692-3936. Or by email at Powwow2023@delawarenation.on.ca
*This is a drug and alcohol free event *

Seniors Dates To Remember

Wednesdays

10:00am-2:00pm

August 9th – Potluck

August 16th – Chair Massage (Shelley Elijah)

August 23rd – Diabetes Education (Gini Cook)



HEALTH
CENTRE

Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Early Learning Centre presents:

BABY CONTEST

Eelūnaapéewi
Lahkéewiit 51st Annual
Pow-Wow

**SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 3rd, 2023
11:00 A.M. SHARP**



Age Categories:
0-6 months
7-12 months
13-18 months
19-24 months



Registration:
Saturday,
September 2nd
from
10a.m. - 11 a.m

For more information please contact Rebecca Noah-Fisher, Director
or Shawnee Noah, Family Coordinator at 519-692-3623

Eelünaapéewi Lahkéewiit 51st Annual Pow-Wow

Baby Contest Registration

Name:	
Address:	
Date of Birth (ID):	
First Nation:	
Parents/Guardians:	



Select your category & dance style:

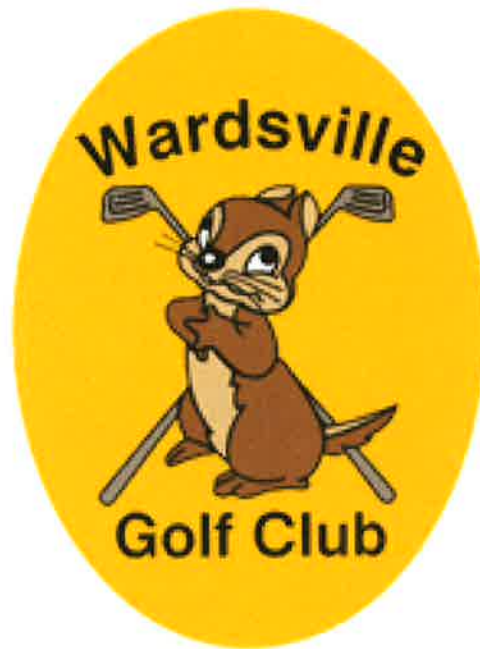
0-6 Months	7-12 Months	13-18 Months	19-24 Months

Each contestant will be given a number to display to judges while voting.

Winners will be announced by their number.

Incentives will be given to all participants.

**WARDSVILLE THURSDAY GOLF LEAGUE
FOR
REGISTERED MEMBERS**



GOLF INCENTIVE

PICK UP: WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 9, 2023

TIME: 3:00PM-5:30PM

WHERE: DELAWARE NATION HEALTH CENTRE

*****PLEASE CONTACT KELLEY NOAH @ 519-692-3969 SHOULD YOU HAVE ANY
QUESTIONS*****

SPONSORED BY THE DELAWARE NATION HEALTH CENTRE



FOOD BANK

THURSDAY, AUGUST 10, 2023

9:00AM - 12:00PM

**DELAWARE NATION HEALTH
CENTRE**

****PLEASE CALL 519-692-3969 TO
MAKE OTHER ARRANGEMENTS
IF YOU CANNOT ATTEND****

*****REMINDER- TO PLEASE BRING
YOUR GROCERY BAGS*****



HARM REDUCTION OUTREACH

MONDAY, JULY 31, 2023

4:00PM-6:30PM

**DELAWARE NATION HEALTH
CENTRE**

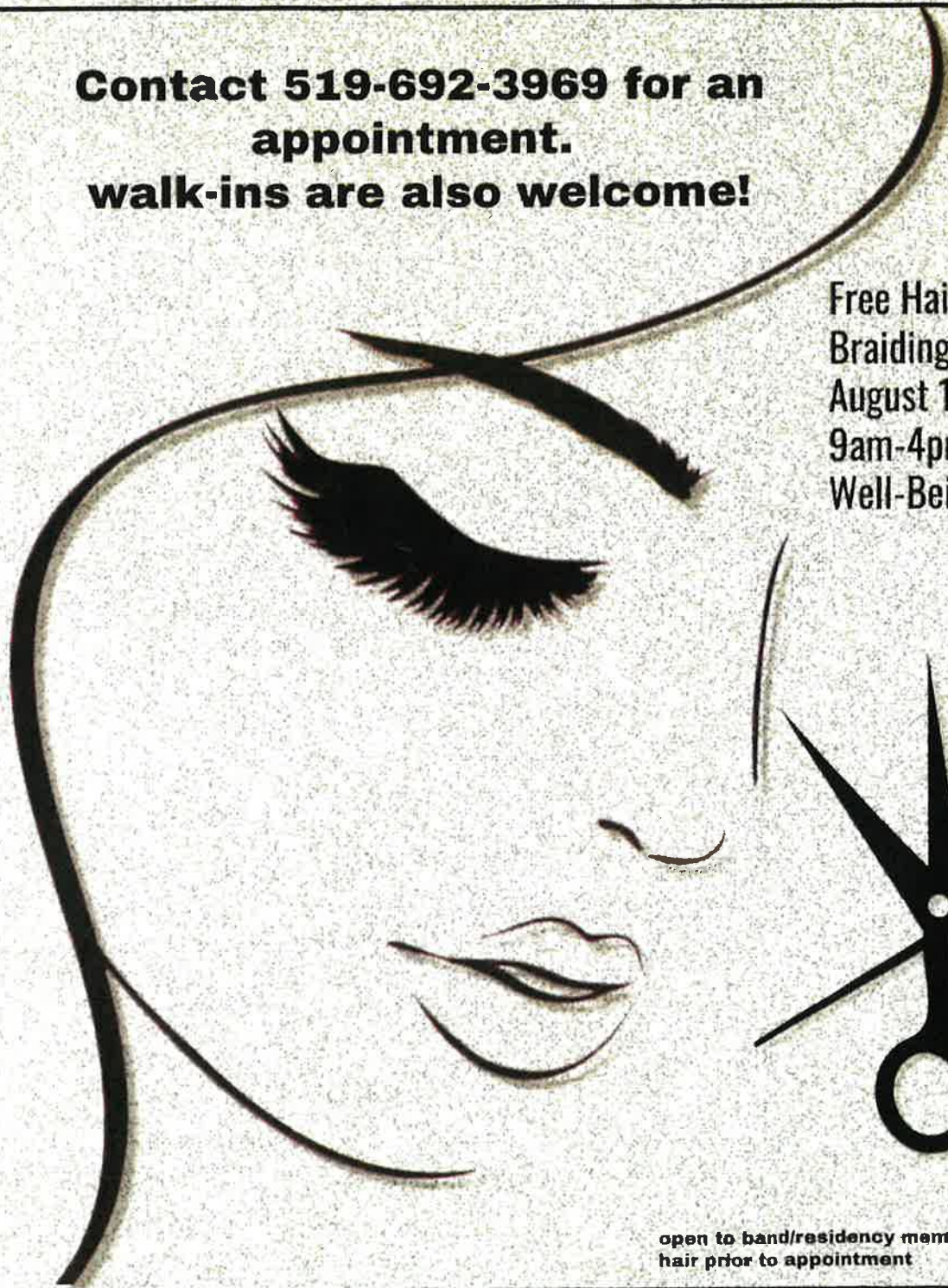
**OUTREACH: INFORMATION ABOUT
HARM REDUCTION SUPPLIES-DROP IN
BOOTH**

****NALOXONE KITS AVAILABLE****

**PLEASE CALL THE DELAWARE NATION HEALTH
CENTRE AT 519-692-3969 FOR MORE
INFORMATION**

**Contact 519-692-3969 for an
appointment.
walk-ins are also welcome!**

**Free Hair Cuts and Hair
Braiding!
August 11th 2023 from
9am-4pm at the Family
Well-Being Building**



**open to band/residency members. please try to pre-wash
hair prior to appointment**



WULAMALISWIIKAAN

FRUIT AND VEGETABLE OUTDOOR MARKET

Come to the **Health Centre Pavilion** on the following dates for fresh Fruit and Vegetables:

WEDNESDAY, August 16th

4pm – 7pm

SATURDAY, August 26th

9am – 12pm

WEDNESDAY, August 30th

4pm – 7pm

Bring your own grocery bags

****Limited Supply****

*****Please limit your bags to 2 per household*****

- **If unable to attend, please notify the Health Centre who will be picking up on your behalf.**

519-692-3969

Available to Delaware Nation Residency/Band Members



ADVANCE FOOT CARE CLINIC

TUESDAY, AUGUST 29TH
2023

9AM -4PM

LOCATION: HEALTH CENTRE

PLEASE CALL **519-692-3969**

INTERESTED PARTICIPANTS WILL BE CONTACTED WITH A TIME SLOT,
SO **PLEASE LEAVE A NAME & NUMBER** WHERE YOU CAN BE REACHED.

- **Open to all Band/Residency Members**
- **Professional footcare provided by B. Pitre, RPN, FCN**



Soci t  Alzheimer Society

CHATHAM - KENT



First Link Learning Series®

First Steps

For Family Members & Friends of
Individuals with Dementia

Location: 14737 School House Line,
Thamesville, ON N0P 2K0

12:00pm-2:00pm

July 20 th 2023	What is Dementia
Aug. 22 nd 2023	Adapting to Brain Changes
Sept. 29 th 2023	Planning Ahead
Oct. 26 th 2023	Building a Circle of Support

To Register Contact:

Anais Sangowicz-Logan
Home Care Coordinator
(Delaware Nation) Health Centre
Phone: 519-692-3969
Cell: 519-358-3316
Email: homecare@xplor.net.ca



Luncheon & Education Session

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**For those who may be in need of
support:**

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

The Indian Residential School Survivors Society

toll free line: 1-888-301-6426

Crisis Service Canada: 1-833-456-4566 or text 45645

FN & Inuit Hope for Wellness Help Line:

1-855-242-3310

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

Kids Help Phone: 1-800-668-6868

or text 686868



Indian Residential Schools
Day Scholars

Day Scholars, you have until

October 4, 2023

to submit a claim

**Are YOU a Day Scholar
eligible for compensation?**

**Did you attend a Federal Indian Residential School
during the day only and did not sleep there overnight?
If so, you may be eligible for this settlement.**



Survivor Class:

\$10,000 Day Scholar Compensation Payment.

Each Day Scholar who attended a Federal Indian Residential School during the day only (but did not sleep there overnight) is eligible to apply for a \$10,000 Day Scholar Compensation Payment. In cases where the Day Scholar passed away on or after May 30, 2005, the deceased Day Scholar's estate Executor/Administrator/Trustee/Liquidator or if there is none, the highest priority heir may apply for the Day Scholar Compensation Payment.

The deadline to submit a claim is October 4, 2023.

1. It's important to understand the eligibility criteria before submitting a claim. There is a Claims Assessment Tool to help determine eligibility by answering a few simple questions. Individuals who are not sure if they are eligible

can visit www.justicefordayscholars.com

and take the assessment reduces the chances of leaving out vital information, which could delay processing.

2. You can apply by submitting a claim online at www.dayscholarsclaims.com. This is the quickest and most efficient way to submit a claim – it's automatically submitted and reduces the chances of leaving out vital information, which could delay processing.
3. If you choose to fill in a paper claim form, copies can be downloaded directly from www.dayscholarsclaims.com or;
4. Contact the Claims Administrator (Deloitte) at dayscholarsclaims@deloitte.ca or **1-877-877-5786** to request a paper claim form be mailed to you.

Survivor Class and Descendant Class: The settlement provides a \$50 million Day Scholars Revitalization Fund to support healing, wellness, education, language, culture, and commemoration for the benefit of Day Scholar Survivors and their Descendants. The Fund will be administered by the independent Day Scholars Revitalization Society. The process for applying for funding from the Day Scholars Revitalization Fund has not yet been set and will be available from the Day Scholars Revitalization Society once established.