



Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit

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

OFFICE CLOSURE



All Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Building will be closed on Wednesday

September 30th, 2026

In Lieu Of Truth & Reconciliation

Regular hours will resume on Thursday day October 1st, 2026 @ 8:30 am



All Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Building will be closed on Monday

October 12th, 2026

In Lieu Of Thanksgiving Day

Regular hours will resume on Tuesday day October 13th, 2026 @ 8:30 am

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Annual Eelūnaapéewi-Lahkéewiit Pow Wow – 2026

Apologies to the following helpers who were missed on our helpers listing; they assisted with the Miss Morviantown & Brave contest:

- Angela Noah
- Kamryn whiteye
- Makaiyah Stonefish

Delaware Nation Early Learning Centre is looking for casual help for the following position:

- Housekeeper/Cook
- Maintenance

If interested please call Delaware Nation Early Learning Centre 519-692-3623

News Items Due: FRIDAY OCTOBER 9TH, 2026 BY 4:00 PM

Next Publication Distributed: Wednesday 14th, 2026



Weelihtáakwahk
Kwíilawooh Pìkchúlak
Weelihtáakwahk is looking for pictures.

We are doing a project of Veterans of Eelūnaapéewi-Lahkéewiit.

If you would like to have your family member, who had served,
on a flag or poster.

Please submit your picture:

1. Name
2. Service (Army, Navy, Marine Corps. Etc) (not required)
3. Years of service (not required)

To Weelihtáakwahk at 22430 Littlejohn Road.

By: October 16, 2026

Anúshiik.



Weelihtáakwahk

Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit 2026 FALL FAIR



Recreation Grounds

12:00 P.M. – 8:00 P.M.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 03, 2026

\$10.00 Admission – Unlimited rides

FREE Admission to EL members

& Nominal Roll

Midway Rides:

Ferris Wheel

Rock-O-Plane

Giant Swings

Salt & pepper

Mind Winder

Trackless Train

Craft Vendors &

Food Vendors

Please note: Food is at your own expense.

NOTE: Free Pizza @4pm to EL Members & Nominal Roll.

Sponsored by:

Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Chief & Council

In partnership with Administration, Early Learning Centre, Economic Development, Education Dept., Child & Family Services, Health Services, Ontario Works, Employment & Training, Housing & Lands, Public Works

Fall Fair Added Attractions:

Petting Zoo 12– 8pm FREE

Face Painting 2– 8 PM FREE

Airbrush Tattoos 12-3PM FREE

***Quench Buggy will be onsite – Free Water
- bring your water bottles.***

****2026 Fall Fair Shirts* \$10.00***

- limited quantities

***FREE TO EL Members & Nominal Roll Available at
Registration***

FREE PIZZA TICKETS. EL Members & Nominal Roll will receive one ticket for 2 slices of Pizza, chips and a drink, at time of registration.

Pizza will be available at 4:00 p.m. inside the EL Community Centre. *You must present your ticket.*

50/50 DRAW Tickets will be available for purchase – Draw will be held October 03, 2026 @6:00 p.m. \$2.00 each.

Proceeds to Fall Fair – Anushiik for your support!



Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit

NATIONAL TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION DAY

SEPTEMBER 30TH, 2026

♥ REMEMBER ♥ HONOUR ♥ SUPPORT ♥ TOGETHER

♥ *Every Child Matters* ♥

*Honouring
Our Past
Building
Brighter
Futures*



**EUCHRE
TOURNAMENT**
2:00 – 3:30 PM



**INFLATABLES
FOR ALL AGES**
3:00 – 7:30 PM



**COMMUNITY
FEAST**
4:30 – 5:30 PM



**LANGUAGE
BINGO**
5:45 – 6:45 PM



**HONOURING
CEREMONY**
7:00 – 7:30 PM



**LIVE
ENTERTAINMENT**
7:30 – 9:00 PM
Shania Twin &
Garth Brooks Impersonators

AGENDA

2:00 – 3:30 PM

Euchre Tournament

3:00 – 7:30 PM

Inflatables for All Ages

4:30 – 5:30 PM

Community Feast

(Indian Tacos, Corn Soup, Fry Bread, Chili & more!)

5:45 – 6:45 PM

Language Bingo

Prizes and incentives will be given!

7:00 – 7:30 PM

Honouring Ceremony & Song

- Remarks by Chief and Council
- Reading of Survivor Names
- Gift Ceremony
- Update on IRS Monument for our Community
- *Incentives will be given!*

7:30 – 9:00 PM

Entertainment

(Shania Twin & Garth Brooks Impersonators)

**Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit
Truth and Reconciliation
Task Force Members:**

Kenny Hopkins

Lana Parenteau

Shawnee Noah

**Councillor Velma Noah-Nicholas
and Chief Justin Logan**

Location:

**Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit
Community Centre
14811 School House Line**

Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit

OUR FAMILIES SURVIVE, OUR CULTURE LIVES ON.



Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit
DELAWARE NATION - MORAVIAN OF THE THAMES

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT SESSIONS

INDIAN RESIDENTIAL SCHOOL (IRS) MONUMENT

The Truth and Reconciliation Task Force is inviting
Residential School Survivors & their Families,
Sixty Scoop Survivors & their Families, and **Community Members**
to come out and share your ideas and input regarding
our IRS Monument.

Come out and let the Task Force know your ideas.

SESSION 1



**Monday,
October 5th, 2026**



5:00 PM



**Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit
Community Centre
14811 School House Line**

SESSION 2



**Saturday,
October 24th, 2026**



10:00 AM



**Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit
Community Centre
14811 School House Line**

*Your voices, experiences and ideas are important.
Together we can create a meaningful monument for our community.*

Every Child Matters

HOPKINS TACOS

SATURDAY

October 3rd

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TACO SALE

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12PM-8PM

at The Eelūnaapéewi-
Lahkéewiit Fall Fair

MENU

TACO	\$10
SCONE DOG	\$4
FRY BREAD	\$5
POP/WATER	\$1



WILL AND ESTATE PLANNING

The Housing & Lands Dept are pleased to offer free Will preparation for EL Band Members. Due to limited funding there are only ten (10) spots available



Band Members interested in getting their Will completed, please contact Cheyenne Scully at the Housing & Lands Department- (519) 692-4290 by Friday October 23, 2026.

Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Episodic Emergency Assistance Policy



The purpose of the Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Episodic Emergency Assistance Fund is to provide short-term financial assistance where an unforeseen or exceptional circumstance creates an immediate risk to the health, safety or well-being of an eligible child or youth registered to Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit.

The Fund is intended to respond to genuine episodic emergencies and is not intended to replace ongoing income supports, regular household budgeting, or existing federal, provincial, First Nation, charitable, insurance or other programs.

Decisions under this policy will prioritize the health, safety, dignity and best interests of the child/youth while maintaining appropriate financial accountability and stewardship of Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit resources.

To be considered for assistance:

- the household must include a child/youth aged 0-26 years;
- the child/youth for whom assistance is requested must be a registered member of Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit;
- the emergency must directly affect the health, safety, housing stability or well-being of the eligible child/youth;
- the circumstances must be unforeseen, exceptional or beyond the applicant's reasonable control; and
- the applicant must disclose other assistance received, requested or reasonably available for the same emergency.

Assistance remains subject to available funding and does not constitute an entitlement to ongoing or future financial assistance.

Please contact Toni Lauzon and/or Jaime Ann Whiteye for more information.

Toni Lauzon, Jordan's Principle Manager

Email: toni.lauzon@delawarenation.on.ca

Phone: (519) 502-9548

Jaime Ann Whiteye, Jordan's Principle Navigator

Email: jaimeann.whiteye@delawarenation.on.ca

Phone: (519) 437-0675





**Eelūnaapèewii Lahkèewiit
Child & Family Service Department
Jordan's Principle**

Tel: (519) 692-9300 Fax: (519) 692-5869



Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Emergency Fund Intake & Application Form

Section 1: Applicant Information

- Full Name: _____
- Date of Birth: _____
- Status Number (if applicable): _____
- Address: _____
- Phone Number: _____
- Email: _____
- Household Members & Relationship to Applicant:
 - 1. _____
 - 2. _____
 - 3. _____
- Registered Members Status Number & Date of Birth:
 - 1. _____
 - 2. _____
 - 3. _____

Section 2: Emergency Situation Details

- Type of Emergency: _____
- Description of Emergency Situation:

- Date of Emergency: _____
- Have you received financial assistance from this fund before? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If yes, include approval number: _____

Required Documentation (please list and attach supporting documentation verifying the emergency):

Section 3: Financial Need & Supporting Documentation



**Eelūnaapèewii Lahkèewiit
Child & Family Service Department
Jordan's Principle**

Tel: (519) 692-9300 Fax: (519) 692-5869



• Other Sources of Financial Assistance Applied for (Check all that apply):

- ☐ Jordan's Principle
- ☐ Ontario Works
- ☐ Band Representative Funding
- ☐ Insurance
- ☐ Other: _____

Documentation (please list and attach supporting documentation):

Section 4: Declaration & Consent

I, _____, certify that the information provided in this application is true and accurate. I understand that any false information may result in my application being denied or future assistance being revoked. I consent to the verification of the information provided and understand that all personal data will be kept confidential and used solely for the purpose of determining eligibility for emergency funding.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

For Office Use Only

- Date Received: _____
- Application Status: ☐ Approved ☐ Denied
- Reason for Denial (if applicable): _____
- Amount Approved: \$ _____
- Reviewed by: _____ Date: _____
- Additional Notes: _____



October BREAKFAST CAFE

Thursday October 8, 15, 22, 29

**7:30am - 9:00am
@Community Centre**

Turtle & Wolf Bus will pick any
youth up at the community
centre between
8:10am-8:20am for school



Lunches for JK- Gr6 may be picked
up morning of Breakfast Cafe.
Limited amount of lunches
available. First Come first served.

*****Vehicles please be mindful of children getting on bus*****
Gr7 & Gr8 youth can pick up their giftcards at the community centre

**The Education Office will continue their monthly lunch gift card
distribution for LKDSB & SCCDSB registered High School students**

Sponsored by: Health, Ec Dev, OW, Admin & Eelunaapéewi Lahkéewiit Child & Family Services.

Any questions please feel free to contact Eelunaapéewi Lahkéewiit Child &
Family Services @519-692-9300



EELUNAAPÉEWI LAHKÉEWIIT

GOOD

FOOD

PROGRAM



OCTOBER GOOD FOOD

Intake Date:

Fri Sept 25

9:00AM-4:30PM

Distribution Date:

Thurs Oct 8

9:00AM-4:30PM

Location: Eelunaapéewi Lahkéewiit Child & Family Services

- * All people listed on application must reside at the residence
 - * Must be a registered Delaware Nation Member
 - * 1 application per month per household.
- * Must have status card(s) in hand for the first initial intake only.
 - * In person intake only, no faxing or emailing applications.
- * You must come into the office each month to register for program
- * All gift cards must be picked up on the date and between the time adverti

FOR ANY UNPICKED UP CARDS, you must call the next business day to schedule an appointment to pick up gift card

**** Absolutely No Late applications will be accepted****

In partnership with Ontario Works and Eelunaapéewi Lahkéewiit Child & Family Services. Any questions please call 519-692-9300

SERVICE CANADA IN YOUR COMMUNITY

Service Canada provides Canadians with a single point of access to a wide range of government services and benefits.

Service Canada will be in your community to help you apply for the programs and services listed below.

What to Bring: Visit Canada.ca for a complete list of required documents.

Programs and Services	Location	Date	Time
Canada Pension Plan (CPP) Old Age Security (OAS) Canadian Dental Care Plan (CDCP) Canada Disability Benefit (CDB) Social Insurance Number (SIN)	Moravian Delaware Nation 14811 School House Line; Bothwell ON; N0P 1C0	Thursday, October 1st, 2026	12:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

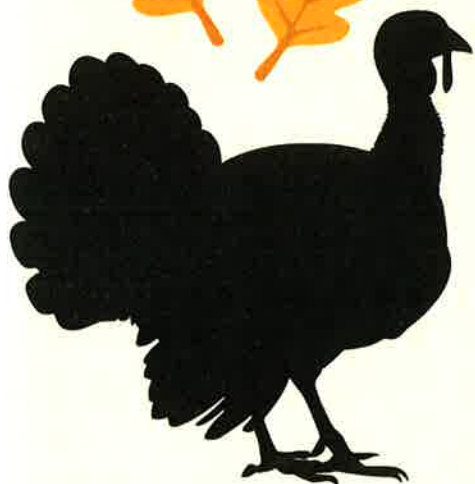
Information on Service Canada's programs, services and benefits can be found online at Canada.ca or by calling 1 800 O-Canada.



LUNÁAPEEW HERITAGE DAYS '26

**OCTOBER
15TH - 18TH, 2026**
**EELŪNAPÉEWI-LAHKÉEWIIT
COMMUNITY CENTRE**

**EVERYONE
WELCOME**



SATURDAY

History, demonstrations, and
crafts
Fireball ceremony & Feast

SUNDAY Brunch

Language bingo, Trivia and contests



THURSDAY

Hunt day
Governance / Clan system
sharing

FRIDAY

Indian Tacos & Corn Soup
Camp fire storytelling



Post Secondary Application Deadlines:

Fall (September – December) – May 1

Winter (January – April) – October 1

Spring/Summer (May – August) – March 1

Applications can be downloaded from our website:

www.delawarenation.on.ca

If you require a hard copy of the application, please contact our office:
519-692-5551 or 519-350-5140

Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Education Department
14753 School House Line Thamesville, ON

www.delawarenation.on.ca

T - 519-692-5551

F - 519-692-5951

1-833-592-3949

Education.manager@delawarenation.on.ca

Post.secondary@delawarenation.on.ca



Job Summary

Location:

Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit
(Delaware Nation)
Education Department
14753 School House Line
Thamesville, Ontario
N0P 2K0

Industry

Education Dept.

Job Status:

Part-time
15 hours per week
September – June
(school term)

Salary:

TBD

Closing Date:

**Open until
Positions are Filled**

Lūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit (Delaware Nation) **JOB POSTING**

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT – 2 Bus Monitors

The Delaware Nation Council is currently accepting applications for one Bus Monitor within the Delaware Nation Education Department.

SUPERVISION

Reports to Education Manager.

SUMMARY

The Bus Monitor manages and monitors student behaviour while entering, riding and exiting the vehicle.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT VISION STATEMENT

Through the continuation of our Ancestral Teaching, we will develop respectful, confident individuals who will reflect the traditions and culture throughout their life's journey.

In pursuit of educational endeavours we will encourage and support Lunaapeew peoples to achieve a life-long knowledge process that is relevant to their individual needs.

To stress the importance of education, we will foster a foundation that builds on our unique Lunaapeew history, culture, language, teachings and spirituality for all of our future generations.

DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES (to include but not be limited to the following):

1. Safety During Transport

- Ensure safety of students while entering, exiting and riding the vehicle.
- Assist students as needed to cross street to get to, or leave the vehicle.
- Attend to student's physical, medical or emotional needs while entering, riding, or exiting the vehicle.
- Supervise student-seating arrangements.
- Foster and promote safe, positive and orderly environment during trips.
- Enforce Lambton-Kent District School Board bus rules and regulations governing student conduct.
- Follows approved emergency or evacuation procedures to assist students and driver during an emergency.
- Maintains safety, control and custody of students outside of vehicle during an emergency.
- Additional duties related to the safety of students and transport as requested by Education Manager.

2. Administrative

- Report and refer parent complaints to Education Manager.
- Immediately advise Education Manager of incidents, hazards, accidents or safety violations.
- Complete and maintain daily reports, logs or documentation as requested.
- Prepare and submit own timesheet
- Adhere to all personnel policies of the Delaware Nation and the Education Department.

QUALIFICATIONS (minimum)

- Previous, recent experience with school aged children preferred.
- Current criminal reference check and Vulnerable Sector Search.
- Current C.P.R. and First Aid Certification or willingness to obtain within 30 days of hire.
- Knowledge of and ability to execute emergency and evacuation procedures.
- Proven verbal communication skills.
- Working knowledge of various computer software, email and Internet.
- Ability to calmly diffuse conflict or difficult situations.
- Ability to sign and comply with an Oath of Confidentiality and Delaware Nation Employee Code of Ethics.

CLOSING DATE FOR APPLICATIONS:

Interested candidates please submit a **Cover Letter, Résumé, and 3 current references (2 work related and 1 character)** in a sealed envelope to:

Mike Deleary – Director of Operations
Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit (Delaware Nation) Administration Office
14760 School House Line, R. R. #3
Thamesville, Ontario
N0P 2K0

Marked: CONFIDENTIAL “Bus Monitor”

Must be hand-delivered or mailed
Emails will not be accepted
Closing Date: Until filled

Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit (Delaware Nation) Band Members are encouraged to apply.

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.



Job Summary

Location:

Delaware Nation
Education Department
14760 School House
Line
Thamesville, Ontario
N0P 2K0

Industry

Education (Lifelong
Learning)

Job Status:

Permanent Full-Time
35 hours per week

Salary:

\$50,000 - \$60,000 per
year

Closing Date:

Until Filled

Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Job Posting

Post-Secondary Coordinator

The Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit (Delaware Nation) Council is currently accepting applications for a Post-Secondary Coordinator within the Education Department.

SUPERVISION

The Post-Secondary Coordinator shall be under the supervision of the Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Education Manager.

SCOPE

The Post-Secondary Coordinator will administer the Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Post-Secondary Program. The Post-Secondary Coordinator will provide academic guidance and counselling to Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit students transitioning into and/or attending Post-Secondary Education institutions. The Post-Secondary Coordinator will ensure that the Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Post-Secondary Program maintains compliance with the Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Post-Secondary Program Policy and the Indigenous Services Canada National Guidelines.

DUTIES & RESPONSIBILITIES (to include but not be limited to the following):

- Oversee the day-to-day operations of the Delaware Nation post-secondary program
- Maintain a financial database of funds committed and spent, as per funding requirements
- Make recommendations to the Education Committee for sponsorship and financial commitment regarding student applications
- Liaison with post-secondary education institutions, Indigenous units, Indigenous education councils/circles and other pertinent departments
- Research to stay informed on relevant post-secondary education institution programming and admissions criteria, government programs and funding, and other regulations, standards and guidelines
- Provide accurate information, support, advocacy and direction to applicants and students to enable them to reach their academic and career goals
- Build and maintain positive working relationships with students, community members, post-secondary education institution staff and other organizations through ongoing communication
- Recommend policy amendments as necessary to meet student needs
- Review acceptance letters, and send sponsorship letters.
- Process applications as per established intake deadlines
- Maintain relevant records and digital files with respect to student applications and academic history
- Monitor student grades and process student program reports at the school year end
- Collect financial support, curriculum and fee information from students in a timely manner
- Represent the program at Career Fairs, information sessions and other events
- Develop and maintain positive working relationships with faculty and staff at educational institutions
- Facilitating the annual Post-Secondary orientation session
- Responsible for maintenance of Dadavan database and ISC reporting requirements

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Familiarity with the Delaware Nation community or willingness to learn
- Minimum Bachelor's degree in Education, Counselling, Career Development, Indigenous Studies or Social Sciences
- Three years of related experience (post-secondary student guidance and counseling) an asset

RATED REQUIREMENTS:

- Understanding of Canada's and the United States post-secondary education system
- Understanding of First Nations program delivery experiences and challenges within post-secondary education
- Demonstrated counseling knowledge and experience
- Strong verbal and written communication skills
- Excellent organizational and time management skills
- Proficiency in Microsoft Outlook, Word and Excel as well as navigating the internet
- Willing to travel, valid driver's license, and unrestricted access to reliable transportation
- Sign and adhere to an Oath of Confidentiality
- Current criminal reference check

Interested candidates, please submit a **Cover Letter** (outlining your qualifications as per job posting), **Résumé, and 3 references to** – two (2) work related and one (1) character in a sealed envelope to:

Mike Deleary
Director of Operations
Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit (Delaware Nation) Administration Office
14760 School House Line
Thamesville, Ontario
N0P 2K0

Marked: CONFIDENTIAL – Post Secondary Coordinator

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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.

ODSP = *Visiting* = DELAWARE NATION



WE'RE HERE TO SUPPORT YOU



**EVERY
WEDNESDAY**



**EMPLOYMENT AND
TRAINING OFFICE**



9:00 AM TO 3:00 PM

Drop in.
NO APPOINTMENT NEEDED.



ODSP CAN HELP WITH:



**Applications
and renewals**



**Benefit and
financial information**



**Community resources
and referrals**

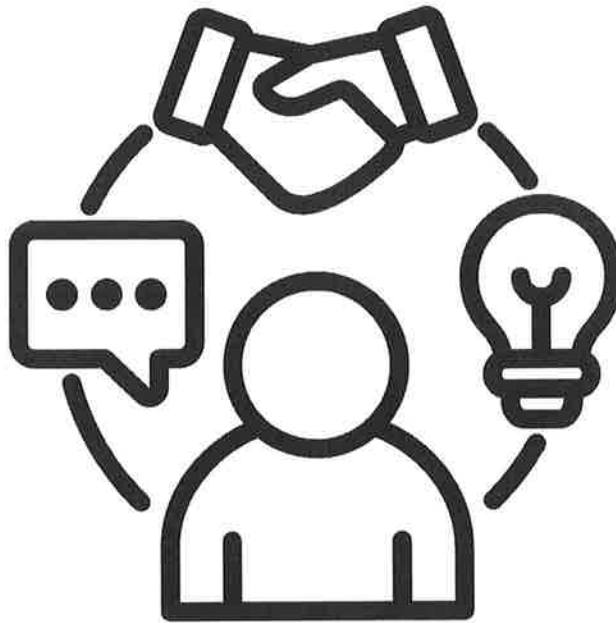


**Questions and
support**

Ontario Disability Support Program (ODSP)

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Education & Training for Adults



Lambton Kent
District School Board

- Ontario Secondary School Diploma
- Microsoft: Word, Excel, PowerPoint
- Online Courses
- Employment Search Techniques
- Communications & Math Upgrading

Wednesdays 1:00 - 4:00

October 7, November 4, December 9

For more information: training.centre@delawarenation.on.ca



Get SET
Skills, Education and Training

Canada



Ontario



EXCITING OPPORTUNITY!! JOIN THE CARPENTER'S UNION

Bring your Resume To the E&T Centre

**G License and reliable
transportation are recommended
due to a lot of travelling involved**

**Contact Jon Snake at Employment & Training Centre
(519)692-4175 or email:**

Training.Centre@delawarenation.on.ca

Open 8:30am – 4:30pm closed Noon – 1pm everyday

Looking for a Career where you will always be in demand???

Employment & Training are looking for qualified candidates

must be a band member of Eelunaapeewi Lahkeewiit

**For 12 weeks of training in one of 4 pre-apprentice
Skilled Trades:**

- **Construction and Maintenance Electrician**
- **Plumbing**
- **HVAC Technician**
- **Intro to Home Renovation**

Looking at 2027 enrollment into Skilled Trade College

****Spots get taken fast****

In Cambridge and greater Toronto area

Come on down to the Employment & Training Centre for

**An application or any questions call (519)692-4175 or
email: Training.Centre@delawarenation.on.ca**

**Any Band Member's
Looking for Safe
Chainsaw
Handling Certification
I am taking Names and
Numbers of anyone
interested
In taking this Training
Course October 5th**

Open 8:30am-4:30pm Monday to Friday closed Noon – 1pm

Please contact Jon at (519)692-4175 or email:

Training.Centre@delawarenation.on.ca

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MUSIC
BIGGER
VIBES

ROCK
LIVES
HERE



LIVE MUSIC

SATURDAY OCT 3

14701 SELTON LINE

7:30 PM

19+

**BYOB • BRING YOUR OWN CHAIR
OVERNIGHT CAMPING**

FOOD TRUCK ON SITE

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BEN'S PLACE



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FOOD
GOOD
GOOD
PEOPLE

☎ **519-350-5373**

✉ **twenterprises47@gmail.com**

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Just in time for **FALL!**

**Community Clean -Up
Event From
October 5th-9th/2026
9:00am – 4:00pm**

**IT'S AS
EASY AS**

1 GARBAGE
GOES
HERE!

2 GARBAGE
GOES
THERE!



Eelūnaapéewi Lahkéewiit Public Works Department are planning another clean-up event.

Mandatory: The workers will only be picking up items that are at the end of their laneways.
Unless other arrangements are made.

***ONLY SENIORS 65+ WILL BE ALLOWED SERVICE PICKUP AT THEIR HOUSE.**

ITEMS MAY BE DROPPED OFF IN COMPOUND ONLY IF WORKERS ARE PRESENT.

**Anúshiik,
PUBLIC WORKS
DEPARTMENT**



**Delaware Nation
Public Work Department**

Large Appliance Removal

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Mandatory – Only Items Placed at the End of the Laneway will be removed. (65+ will be exempt).



Please no wooden pallets or wood from old decking/steps. – NO TIRES. No Paint. No MOTOR oil.

No- Drywall compound.

- **If items are left in these appliances, then they will not be picked up, until they are cleaned out.**

☐ Refrigerator

☐ Stove

☐ Freezer

☐ Dishwasher

☐ Air conditioner

☐ Dehumidifiers

☐ Washers

☐ Dryers

☐ BBQ

☐ Other – please specify _____

- Please ensure your appliances are outside your home for easy pick-up.
- **Ensure dogs are tied up or contained, for workers safety.**
- Pick up times are: **9:00am-4:00pm**

ANUSHIIK, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

OCTOBER 19TH, 2026

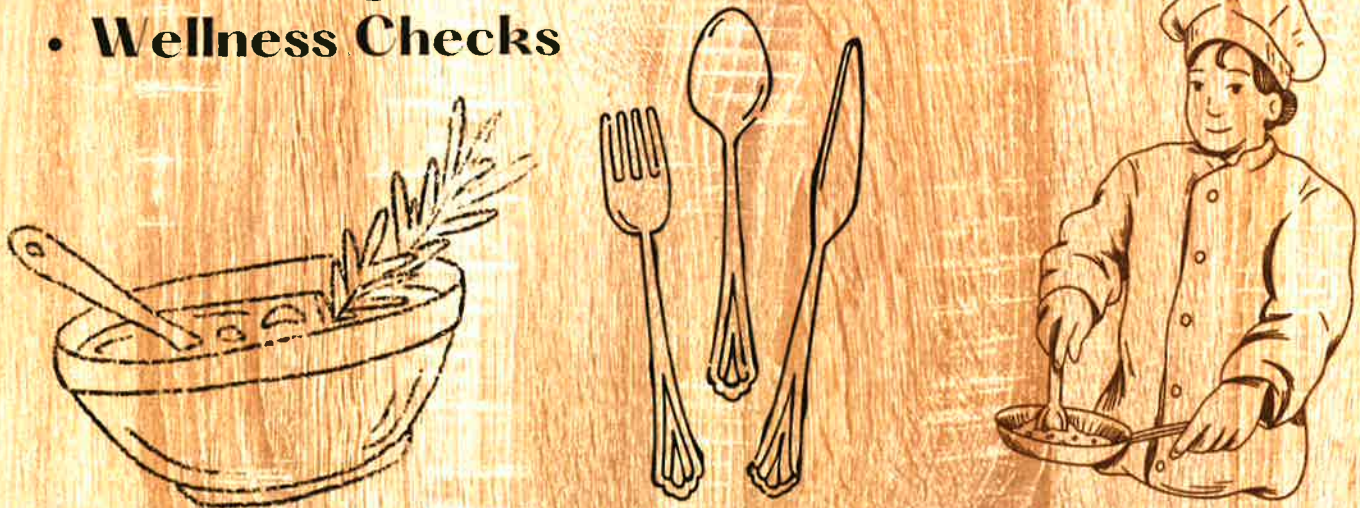
12 - 2 PM

EL SENIORS 55+
CONGREGATE
Dining
PROGRAM

@ EL Community Centre

COME JOIN US FOR A NUTRITIOUS MEAL,
PLUS:

- **Healthy Choices Menu Options**
- **Nutrition Education and Counseling**
- **Information on Managing Chronic Diseases**
- **Connections to Aging Related Support Services**
- **Socializing and Networking**
- **Wellness Checks**



Please call the health centre @ 519-692-3969 by 4pm on
Tuesday, October 13th to register



October 2026



Delaware Nation Senior's 55+ Monthly Programs

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Get your picture taken with Jen Saturday October 24/26 Registration required			1
5 Chair Yoga 11:00-11:45	6 Language 10:00-12:00	7 Crafts 10:00-12:00 Euchre 6:00	8 Bingo 10:00
12 Thanksgiving Holiday	13 Language 10:00-12:00 Healthy Lifestyle Lunch and Learn 12:00	14 Crafts 10:00-12:00 Euchre 6:00	15 Horseshoes 1:00 Breakfast 10:00 Registration Required
19 Chair Yoga 11:00-11:45	20 Language 10:00-12:00 Lunch and Learn 12:00 Stability	21 Meeting 10-12 Pot Luck Lunch with Kindergarten Massage with Jen 10:00 Euchre 6:00	22 Minute to win it. 1:00
26 Chair Yoga 11:00-11:45	27 Language 10:00-12:00 Diabetes Lunch & Learn	28 Crafts 10:00-12:00 Euchre 6:00	29 Shopping Trip 10:00 Registration Required

REGISTER WITH DELAWARE NATION HEALTH CENTRE

519-692 3969 Barb text or call 519-360-7094

Please call the Delaware Nation Health Centre to register every Friday @ 8:30a.m. for next week's activities.

- If the activity has been filled your name will be placed on the waiting list.
- Due to unforeseen circumstances, an activity may be cancelled or changed.
- For the safety of all participants, mandatory liability waivers will be completed on an annual basis for organized outings. "No waiver, no participation policy is in place.
- No community member is permitted to leave the Delaware Nation on an organized outing without a full completed and signed liability for on file.

Delaware Nation Senior's 55+Monthly Programs

October Calendar

Date of Activity	Description	Deadline for Sign up
October 15, 2026	Breakfast at Talbot Trail Restaurant 9353 Graham Road West Elgin ON N0L 2P0	Deadline Date October 9,2026
October 24,2026	Get your picture taken with Jen Kennedy- At Seniors Building singles or family portraits your choice	Deadline Date October 16, 2026
October 29, 2026	Shopping Trip This is for Seniors who don't have a vehicle or are unable to drive in town	Deadline Date October 23, 2026



HARM REDUCTION OUTREACH

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 2026

4:00PM - 6:00PM

**DELAWARE NATION HEALTH
CENTRE**

**OUTREACH: INFORMATION ABOUT
HARM REDUCTION SUPPLIES-DROP
IN BOOTH, NARCAN KITS AVAILABLE**

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



COMMUNITY AROMATHERAPY MASSAGES

**WITH
JOANNE**

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2026

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2026

9:00AM-4:00PM

**DELAWARE NATION HEALTH
CENTRE**

****PLEASE CALL 519-692-3969 TO
RESERVE YOUR SPOT****

Stained Glass

ART WORKSHOP



October 5th, 2026



4:30 - 7:30 pm



**Delaware Nation
Community Centre**

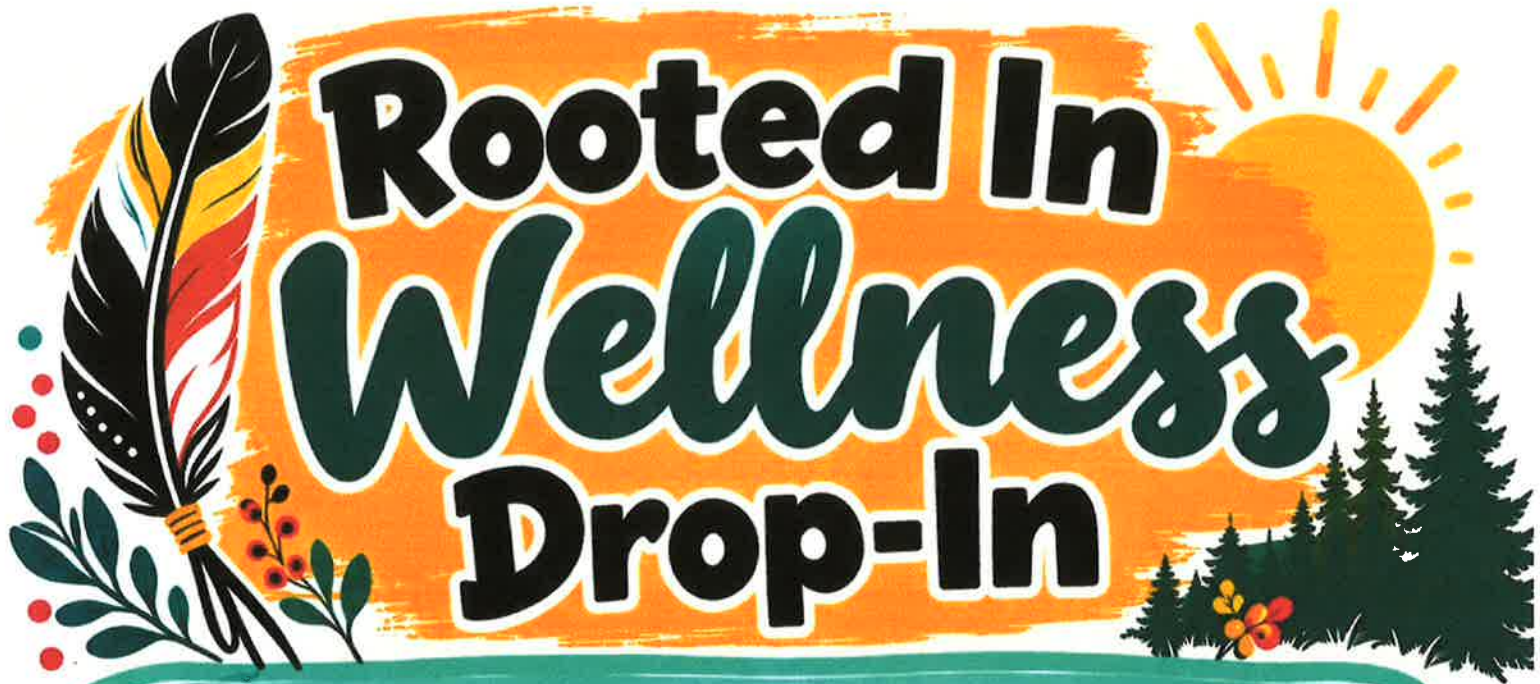


Call to register at

519 692 3969

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Limited Spots Available!



Rooted In Wellness Drop-In

STOP BY FOR A RELAXED AND SUPPORTIVE DROP-IN SESSION DESIGNED TO PROMOTE FAMILY WELLNESS, SOCIAL CONNECTION, AND POSITIVE COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT, EACH WEEK MAY FEATURE DIFFERENT ACTIVITIES BASED ON PARTICIPANT INTERESTS AND NEEDS.



**SOCIAL
CONNECTION**



**RELAX &
UNWIND**



**WELLNESS
ACTIVITIES**



**CRAFTS
& MORE**

COME OUT & JOIN US!

MONDAY, OCTOBER 5TH, 2026
MONDAY, OCTOBER 19TH, 2026
12PM - 2PM



AT THE FAMILY WELL-BEING CENTRE



**FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL LINDSAY
@ THE HEALTH CENTRE 519-692-3969**

Rooted In Learning

LUNCHBOX LAB

Plan & Pack Better School Lunches



DATE:

October 12th,
2026



TIME:

5PM - 7PM



PLACE:

@ FAMILY WELL
BEING CENTRE



**CALL THE HEALTH CENTRE
TO REGISTER BY OCTOBER 9TH**

519-692-3969



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

@ FAMILY WELL BEING CENTRE



ROOTED IN WELLNESS: DROP IN

Join Us For A Relaxed Afternoon
12 PM - 2 PM



NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED



ROOTED IN LEARNING: LUNCHBOX LAB

Plan & Pack Better School Lunches
5 PM - 7 PM



REGISTRATION REQUIRED BY OCT 9TH



ROOTED IN WELLNESS: DROP IN

Join us for a relaxed afternoon
12 PM - 2 PM



NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED



CALL TO REGISTER @ THE HEALTH CENTRE
519-692-3969





Thamesville Corn Maze



Call the DN Health
Centre to register by
October 7th , 2026

**Passes will be available for pickup
Oct 8th from 1:00pm-5:00pm**



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Non Band Members \$5



**If you have any
questions contact
Kealy at 519-692-
3969**

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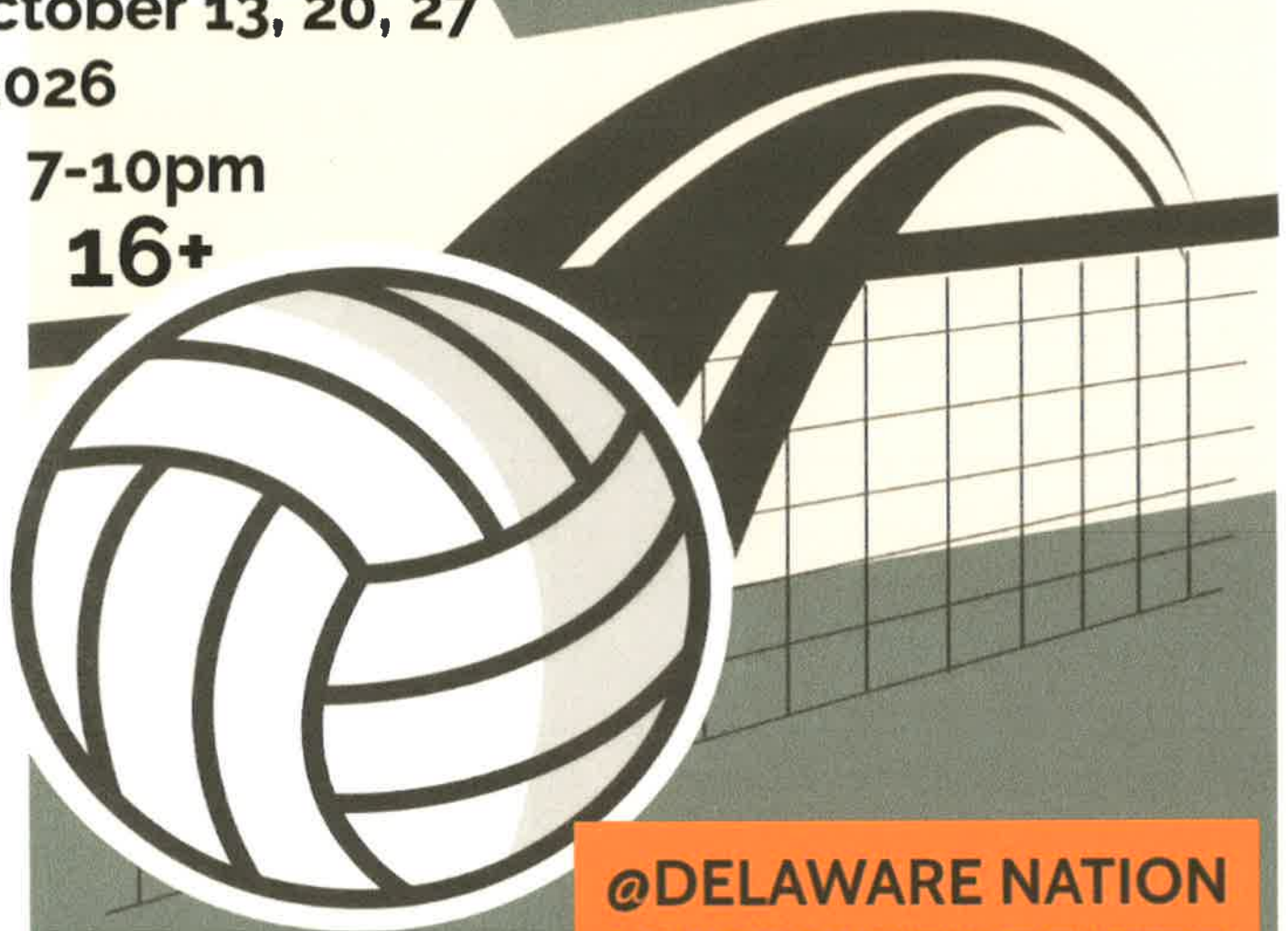
VOLLEYBALL

NIGHT

October 13, 20, 27
2026

7-10pm

16+



@DELAWARE NATION
COMMUNITY CENTRE

Open to all surrounding communities



SOUP



DAYS To GO



October 15th & November 5th

**At DN Health Centre
1130am - 1pm or until Gone**



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UPCOMING YOUTH ACTIVITIES AGES 7-18YRS

Halloween CRAFT NIGHTS

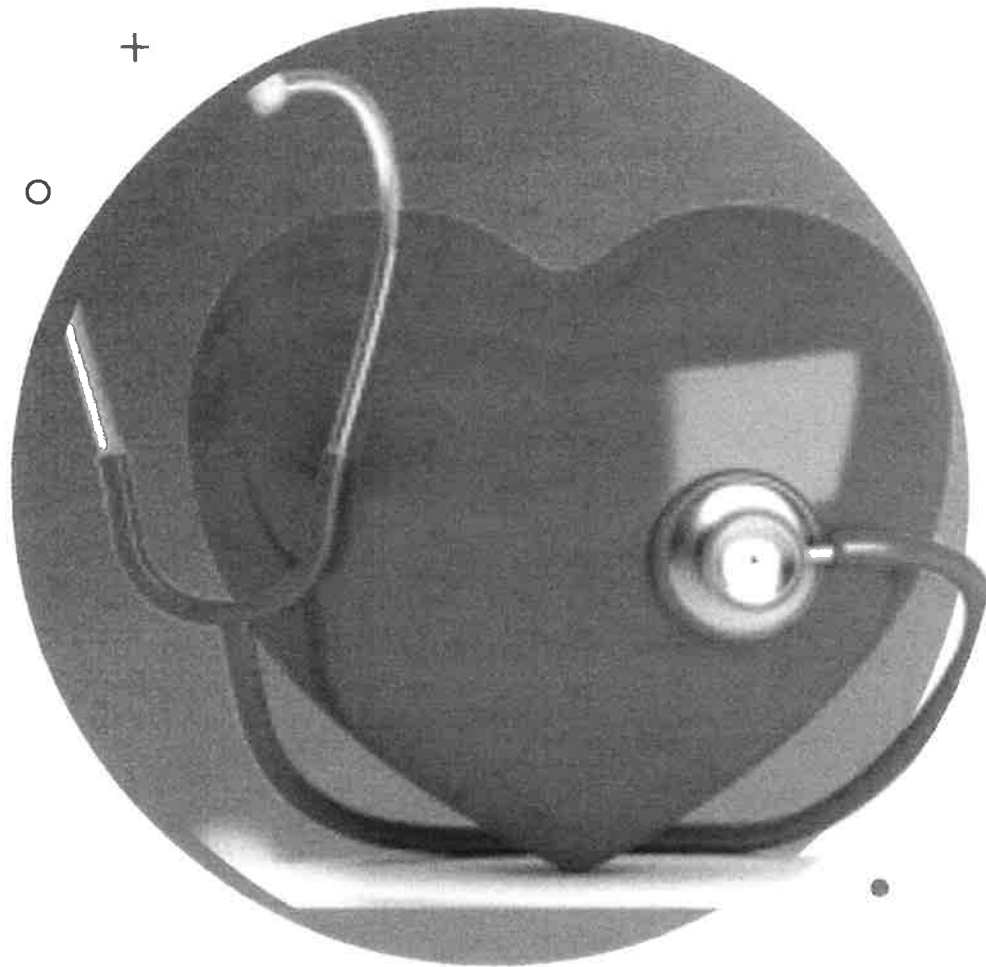
When: Oct. 14 & 21, 2026

Where: Youth Ctr

Time: 430pm-630pm

Supper Provided

Sign-up is not required, but
is encouraged. Please call the
DN Health Centre to register
519-692-3969



Community Blood Pressure Clinic

Upcoming Blood Pressure Clinic

Date: October 21, 2026

Time: 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Location: Health Centre





REAPERS REALM HAUNTED HOUSE & BUS RIDE



Located at 2305 Tecumseh Rd., Courtright, ON., N0N 1H0
(outside of Sarnia)



When: Saturday, October 24 , 2026

**In person Registration Only
Thursday, October 15, 2026**



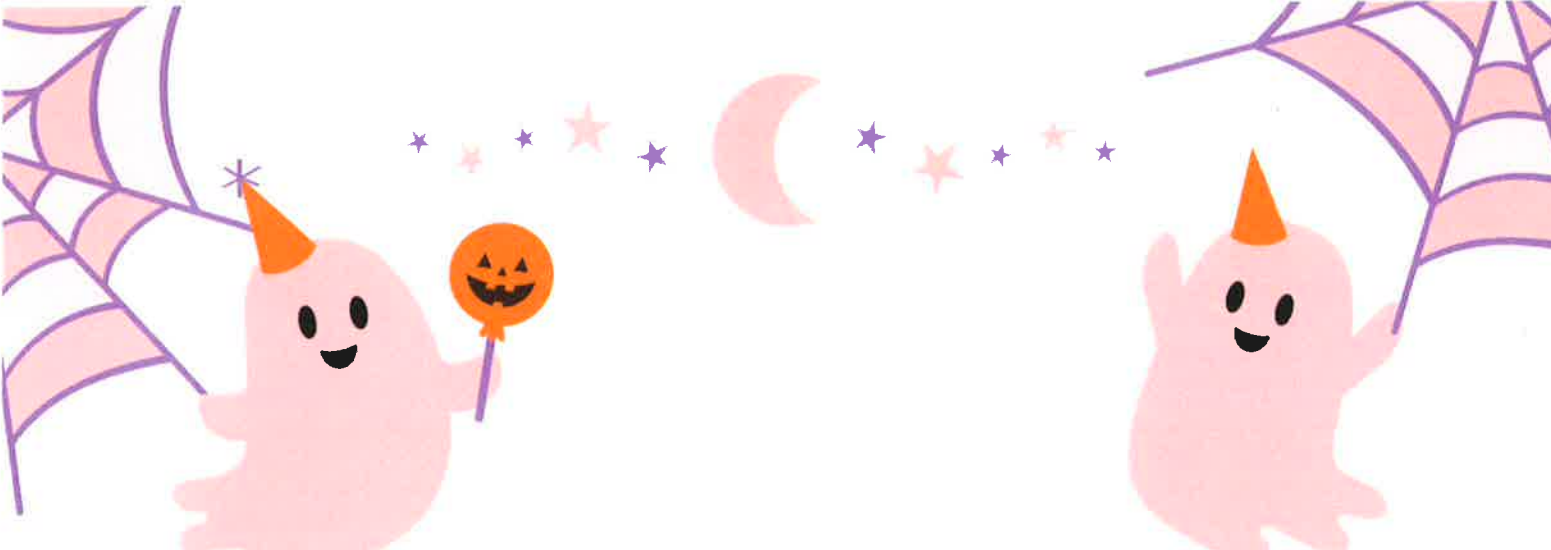
**Band Members/Residency \$5
Non Band Members \$10**



**Pick up:
Oct.24 from 730pm-830pm
at Reapers Realm!**

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HALLOWEEN COOKIE KITS

ONE KIT PER HOUSEHOLD



PICK UP OCTOBER 23RD, 2026 AT THE
HEALTH CENTRE FROM 2:00PM-5:00PM

Call the Health Centre to
register by Oct 16th, 2026



**MUST PICKUP ON THE DAY OF OR
MAKE ARRANGEMENTS**



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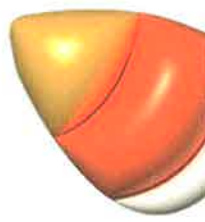
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HALLOWEEN PARTY

OCT. 31, 2026 • STARTS AT 4PM



@ DN Community
Centre



Age Categories

0-2 yrs, 3-5 yrs,
6-9 yrs, 10-12 yrs,
13-18 yrs, 18+



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Community Health Outreach



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- ✓ Early intervention
- ✓ Mental health services
- ✓ Addiction services
- ✓ Community support services
- ✓ Housing supports

Visit mobilecareclinic.ca for locations & schedule.

**WALK-IN
APPOINTMENTS**

**NO REFERRAL
NEEDED**

**NO COST FOR
SERVICE**

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Mental health for all



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CHATHAM-KENT

SEPTEMBER 2026

MobileCare

— Community Health Outreach —

A team of healthcare providers travelling across Chatham-Kent in a clinic on wheels to provide care in your community.

No appointment needed.

Free services include:

- Mental Health First Response
- Primary Care
- Community Referrals

In the event of a service disruption, we will post an update on social media @mobilecareck.



More Information

1-866-299-7447

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MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

31 CMHA Lambton Kent 240 Grand Ave W. 9:30 - 3:00pm Walpole Island Arena 770 Tecumseh Rd. 9:30am - 2:30pm	1	2	3	4 Bothwell Fire Station 9 Cancelled
7 Labour Day Please Note Services Unavailable	8	9	10 Please Note Nurse Practitioner Unavailable	11 Wallaceburg Community Living 1100 Dufferin Ave. 9:30am - 3:00pm
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OCTOBER 2026

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Important Public Health Alert: Blastomycosis

To: Chiefs and Health Directors

From: Dr. Jo Ann Majerovich, Regional Medical Officer, Indigenous Services Canada

Purpose: To prevent blastomycosis deaths through early diagnosis and treatment; there have been 20 deaths from blastomycosis in First Nations communities in Ontario since 2018

Date: 09 September 2026

What is blastomycosis?

- A lung infection caused by a fungus that lives in moist soil and in decaying wood and leaves
- The fungus is often found in forested areas and along shorelines, such as near lakes and rivers
- People can become infected by breathing in the fungus when soil, wood or leaves are disturbed
- Blastomycosis cannot be spread from person to person
- **You may not be able to avoid exposure to the fungus that causes blastomycosis, but early diagnosis and treatment can help prevent serious illness**

What are the blastomycosis case numbers in First Nation communities?

Since 2018, there have been more than 129 cases of blastomycosis, spread across 36 First Nations in Ontario. Most of these communities only had one case per year.

What can I do as a leader in my community to prevent blastomycosis deaths or severe illness?

We strongly encourage leadership and health directors to raise awareness of blastomycosis in their community. Early diagnosis and prompt treatment can prevent severe blastomycosis illness or death.

- Please consider posting this alert or the attached infographic on your social media sites
- Your local environmental public health officer (EPHO) may also be available to assist with community outreach. Contact your EPHO to inquire, or if you have questions or concerns

How can you be exposed?

You may be exposed to the fungus during outdoor activities that disturb soil, wood or leaves including:

- Yard work such as gardening, planting, digging, leaf blowing, handling mulch and landscaping
- Chopping, moving or handling firewood
- Hunting, trapping, fishing or gathering wild plants
- Hiking, biking or using all-terrain vehicles (ATVs) in wooded areas
- Construction and excavation work

The risk of exposure may be higher after heavy rain, flooding or strong winds, which can disturb soil and release the fungus into the air.

What are the most common symptoms?

Not everyone exposed to the fungus develops symptoms. Those who do, usually develop symptoms within 3 weeks to 3 months after exposure. The most common symptoms of blastomycosis are:

- Fever or chills
- New or worsening cough
- Night sweats
- Muscle and joint aches
- Feeling very tired or unwell

Some people may develop more serious symptoms, including:

- Trouble breathing
- Chest pain
- A cough that does not go away

In some cases, blastomycosis can spread beyond the lungs and affect other parts of the body, such as the skin, bones, or brain.

People at higher risk of getting very sick

- Elders and older adults, people with weakened immune systems, people who are pregnant, and people with chronic lung disease may be at higher risk of becoming very sick from blastomycosis.

When should you seek medical care?

- When a lung infection/pneumonia does not get better with antibiotics; it may be due to other infections like blastomycosis
- If you have symptoms after taking part in outdoor activities in the last 3 weeks to 3 months that may disturb soil, wood or leaves, especially if your symptoms do not go away or if you feel worse over time instead of better:
 - Tell your health care provider: **"I may have been exposed to the fungus that causes blastomycosis."**

How can you protect yourself?

The effectiveness of personal measures, like masks, to prevent breathing in fungal spores is not known.

- Try to reduce breathing in dust when taking part in outdoor activities that disturb soil, wood and leaves.
- If you are at higher risk of getting very sick, the risk of infection may be reduced by not taking part in activities that disturb soil, wood or leaves

Respectfully,



Dr. Jo Ann Majerovich, MD, MSc (Epi), MPH, CCFP, FCFP
Regional Medical Officer/Public Health Physician, Indigenous Services Canada – Ontario Region



DELAWARE NATION COUNCIL

Eelūnaapéewi-Lahkéewiit

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14760 School House Line R.R. #3
THAMESVILLE, ON
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September 23, 2026

To: Member Nations of the London District Chiefs Council
RE: Notification – 2026 Deer Herd Reduction at Rondeau Provincial Park and Traditional Deer Harvest at Clear Creek Conservation Area

The London District Chiefs Council has decided that Eelūnaapéewi-Lahkéewiit (Delaware Nation) and Bkejwanong (Walpole Island) will co-manage this years Deer Herd Reduction and Traditional Deer Hunt. This co-management arrangement is in partnership with Ontario Parks.

The 2026 Deer Herd Reduction (DHR) will take place at Rondeau Provincial Park:

- Saturday November 21, 2026 and Sunday, November 22, 2026
- Saturday December 5, 2026 and Sunday, December 6, 2026

The traditional Deer Harvest will take place at Clear Creek Forest Provincial Park:

- Saturday, November 28, 2026 and Sunday, November 29, 2026
- Saturday, December 12, 2026 and Sunday, December 13, 2026

Members from the following First Nations are invited to participate:

- Eelūnaapéewi-Lahkéewiit (Delaware Nation)
- Caldwell First Nation
- Chippewas of the Thames First Nation
- Munsee Delaware Nation
- Oneida Nation of the Thames
- Six Nations of the Grand River (Delawares)
- Bkejwanong (Walpole Island)
- Aamjiwnaang (Sarnia)

CO-MANAGEMENT

Bkejwanong will be coordinating hunters from their own community as well as Aamjiwanaag. They will host qualifying shoots for these two communities separate from the qualifying shoot held at Moraviantown. They will be doing their own notification processes. Hunters from Bkejwanong and Aamjiwnaang should contact Joel Wright, joel.wright@wfn.org.

ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible hunters must:

- Be registered status members of one the First Nations listed above;

- Participate and pass in a qualifying event on one of the scheduled dates;
- Complete and submit the application form to the email address below by the listed due date.

FIREARM REGULATIONS

Rondeau Provincial Park

- Only scoped, high power rifles (.243 to .270 caliber) are permitted
- Hunters must qualify with the rifle they intend to use during the Deer Herd Reduction
- Bows are not permitted at the Rondeau hunt.

Clear Creek

- Shotguns using slug ammunition, no “buck shot” allowed
- Bows are allowed at Clear Creek
- No high powered rifles
- Hunters must qualify with the shotgun and or bow that they intend to use at the Clear Creek hunt.

PROCESSING OF DEER

- All Hunters must process their own deer in the designated area. Rondeau park staff will provide a station to dress and clean your deer. No field dressing is allowed in the park.
- We are working on setting up a cleaning station for Clear Creek also.
- Park staff will also be collecting biological data from the deer harvested.

QUALIFYING

To qualify with your chosen firearms, three shots must be within the specified target area. Distances will be set for Bow, shotgun and scoped rifle.

Qualifying Dates:

- Saturday, October 17 and Sunday, October 18, 2026
 - 10 am to 3 pm
- Saturday, October 24 and Sunday, October 25, 2026
 - 10 am to 3 pm

Location for Qualifying:

Taylor Whiteye's property
14701 Selton Line
Moraviantown, ON

All hunters qualifying are expected to be ready to shoot, no practice shots or scope set ups. Please do this before hand.

All shooters are expected to follow gun safety rules and guidelines. Failure to do so may result in the shooter being disallowed from the hunt for safety reasons.

There will be 25 to 28 potential sites for Rondeau and 25-30 sites for Clear Creek. All qualifying hunters may not be selected to hunt on all dates. A fair selection process will be used to select the dates and sites for the deer hunt. Our goal is to include as many hunters as possible but keep in mind the number of sites are limited.

To Register, please send the completed application form to the following email address:
dhrr@delawarenation.on.ca

All personal information collected will be used solely for identifying firearms restrictions and will be kept confidential.

REGISTRATION WILL CLOSE ON OCTOBER 15TH, 2026

For further information please contact the DHR Coordinators, Geoff Stonefish,
Geoff.stonefish@delawarenation.on.ca or Joel Wright, joel.wright@wifn.org .

On behalf of the Eelunapeewi Lahkeewiit , the London District Chiefs Council and Parks Ontario, we thank everyone in advance for their cooperation and wish all a successful hunt !

Sincerely,



Chief Justin Logan

cc. London District Chiefs Council
Brad Conner, Rondeau Park Superintendent
Darren Jacobs, Will Noah, Zach Stonefish – VolunteerDHR Coordinators

2026 Deer Herd Reduction and Traditional Harvest Application Form

Name		Date of Birth:
First Nation	☐ Eelunapeewi Lahkeewiit ☐ Caldwell First Nation ☐ Chippewas of the Thames First Nation ☐ Munsee Delaware Nation ☐ Oneida Nation of the Thames ☐ Six Nation of the Grand River (Delawares) <i>*Bkejwanong and Aamjiwnaang hunters please contact Joel Wright, joel.wright@wfn.org</i>	
Status Number		
Firearm to be used (circle please)	.243	.270 Shotgun Bow
Preferred Dates (please check the dates you are available to hunt)	Rondeau Provincial Park ☐ Saturday November 21, 2026 and Sunday, November 22, 2026 ☐ Saturday December 5, 2026 and Sunday, December 6, 2026 Clear Creek ☐ Saturday, November 28, 2026 and Sunday, November 29, 2026 ☐ Saturday, December 12, 2026 and Sunday, December 13, 2026	
Acknowledgement	Signature Date	



Eelunaapeewi Lahkeewiit

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Date: September 29, 2026

Change Water Deliveries: No MORE DELIVERIES

Public Works Department will no longer be delivering water to community members because of **shortage of STAFF**.

All Community members must pick up their bottled water in the compound. Workers will be present for assistance.

Pick Up Times:

Date: Monday and Tuesday October 5 & 6/2026

Monday and Tuesday October 12 & 13/2026

Monday and Tuesday October 19 & 20/2026

Time: 8:00am-3:00pm

Place: Roads Department Compound

If any band member not able to meet the scheduled appointment call/text number below.

Cell# 226-626-4603

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Public Works Department