

2021-2022 Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council



Left to Right (standing): Councilmember Jeremy Mohawk, Councilmember Randall Wollenhaup; Councilmember Joe Miller; and Vice-President Craig Kroening. Left to Right (seated): Councilmember Terrie K. Terrio; President Shannon Holsey; and Treasurer Sara Putnam.

Community Garden Growing

Kellie Zahn and her helpers have been very busy out in the community garden. They have applied for Grants and looking into new ways off expanding what they have. This year alone the garden has produced over 8,500 pounds of fruits and vegetables. The tribe was awarded a 14 million dollar grant for serving native producers. With this grant Kellie and the tribe aim to grow the garden in many ways. More land for planting and growing was added this year. One big thing Kellie and her team are looking into is the possibility of a food hub space with a commercial kitchen. This would allow not only for more growth of native produce, but also for a way to demonstrate how to prepare and different ways to cook it.

The Stockbridge-Munsee Community aims to increase

access to capital for Native producers by creating economic opportunities and building food resources within the community. With NAAF funding they will create a Native led food hub that will increase economic opportunities for Native producers and increase local food availability within the community.

The text below comes from <https://nativeamericanagriculturefund.org/>. The Native American Agriculture Fund (NAAF) announces \$14 million in grants awarded to 54 organizations serving Native producers. This investment directly benefits 141 sovereign Tribal Nations in 26 different states, impacting nearly 125,000 Native farmers, ranchers, fishers, harvesters, and community producers.

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Strong, Resilient, and Female: Women's Empowerment Summit and Training



Stockbridge-Munsee Band of Mohican President Shannon Holsey was one of the keynote speakers at the Women's Empowerment event

By Nicholas Schwitzer, SDI Media Specialist

KESHENA, WI - The Convention Center of the Menominee Casino Resort is bustling. Vendors line the walls of the conference hall, selling their art and merchandise to attendees during their break between presentations. As the clock ticks closer to 3:00 p.m., everybody starts making their way back to

the Five Clans Ballroom. Trickleing their way in, women take a seat as Shannon Holsey, President of the Stockbridge-Munsee Band of Mohicans prepares to deliver the final keynote speech for the Women's Empowerment Summit and Training (W.E.S.T.). Standing next to the stage, she waits as the Master of Ceremonies

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Wisconsin Governor Tony Evers Signs Executive Order on a Formal Apology for Wisconsin's Boarding Schools and A Declaration of Support for Federal Investigations



September 30th marked a day of remembrance for Indian Boarding Schools. Our own Tribal Courts were out at the Mohican Immanuel Lutheran Indian Mission School and Church promoting the Stockbridge Wellness Court. This day of remembrance came just a couple weeks before the Governor enacted an Executive Order. On Monday October 11th Governor Evers signed an Executive Order at the Oneida Tribe's Norbert Hill Center in Oneida.

The following is the verbatim text of the Executive Order enacted October 11, 2021 by Governor Evers.

EXECUTIVE ORDER Relating to a Formal Apology for Wisconsin's History of Indian Boarding Schools and a Declaration of Support for Federal Investigations into the Same

WHEREAS, Wisconsin is home to eleven federally-recognized Native Nations and one federally unrecognized nation, including Bad River Band of Lake Superior Chippewa, Forest County Potawatomi, Ho-Chunk Nation, Lac Courte Oreilles Band of Lake Superior Chippewa, Lac du Flambeau Band of Lake Superior Chippewa Indians, Menominee Indian Tribe of Wisconsin, Oneida Nation of Wisconsin, Red Cliff Band of

Lake Superior Chippewa; Sokaogon Chippewa Community Mole Lake Band of Lake Superior Chippewa; St Croix Chippewa Tribe of Wisconsin, Stockbridge-Munsee Mohican Tribe, and Brothertown Indian Nation;
WHEREAS, the state of Wisconsin, through this Order and Executive Orders 18 and 50, reaffirms and recognizes the sovereignty of Wisconsin's Native Nations and the culturally and historically significant contributions of Indigenous peoples;
WHEREAS, for over a century, between the 1860s and 1970s, the United States government induced and coerced thousands of Native American children from their families and their homes and placed them into boarding schools operated by the federal government and religious organizations;
WHEREAS, Indian boarding schools sought to force assimilation of Native American children by isolating them from their cultural identities, punishing them for speaking their native language or practicing their traditions, prohibiting them from wearing traditional clothing, and requiring children to cut their hair;
WHEREAS, lack of documentation presents challenges for understanding the full scope and

effects of boarding schools in Wisconsin and across our country, but identifying and collecting relevant, available information is an essential step in acknowledging this history and moving forward with truth and healing;
WHEREAS, records indicate that, in Wisconsin, at least ten day and boarding schools were operated by the federal government and religious organizations, and thousands of Indian children are estimated to have been forced to attend day and boarding schools;
WHEREAS, it is also estimated hundreds of Indian children from Wisconsin were also forced to attend out-of-state boarding schools in places like Pennsylvania, South Dakota, and Virginia;
WHEREAS, conditions in Indian boarding schools were condemned by investigators even in 1928 as "grossly inadequate" and in 1969 as "sterile, impersonal and rigid, with a major focus on discipline and punishment";
WHEREAS, by 1926, nearly 83% of Indian school-age children were attending boarding schools in the United States but because the majority of the schools' records have been lost or destroyed, a full understanding of the Indian boarding school policy and its impact is un-
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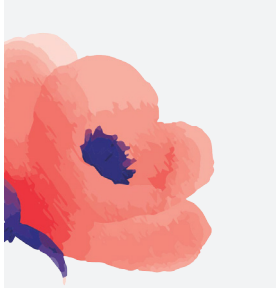
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ARVID E. MILLER MEMORIAL LIBRARY MUSEUM



Dear Community

On April 15, 2021, The Arvid E. Miller Memorial Library Museum was awarded the National Grant for Small Rural Libraries in the amount of \$3,000.00. The grant will help the Library work with residents on "Cultivating Traditions through Community Gathering Project."

The Library Museum invited interested individuals to join a zoom meeting held on June 11, 2021, to have a discussion on what they thought would be important Stockbridge-Munsee traditional and cultural teachings for our project. With four participants. The discussion led to several good ideas, such as teaching about ceremonies, clothing, Christianity, Big House Ceremonies, beadwork, sewing, teaching the language through song and much more. I would like to thank all who participated in this conversation.

Through this grant we were able to hire individuals who picked a teaching that they will video record. This teaching video will be put in our Libraries Archives for safe keeping. The videos will also be accessible for public viewing, placed on our Facebook page, and our tribal website.

We would like to thank all the individuals who signed up for our project and hope everyone enjoys the video recordings when they are released.

Sincerely,

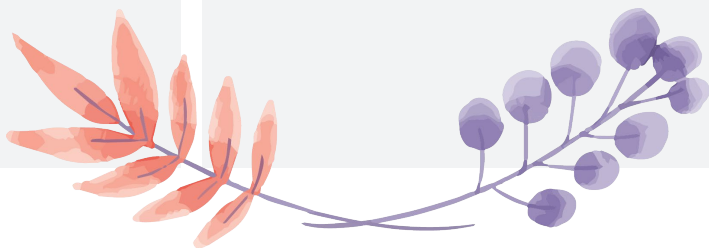
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Eva Jean Bowman

Eva Jean Bowman, age 75, passed away on Sunday, October 24, 2021, in Bowler. She was born on December 23, 1945, to the late Lyle and Rose (Creapeau) Bowman in Keshena. Eva attended Custer High School in Milwaukee followed by the College of Menominee Nation in Keshena where she received her associates degree in early childhood education. She worked as a director at the Head Start Program on the Stockbridge-Munsee Reservation. She enjoyed dancing and music.

Eva is survived by her daughter, Sunshine, grandchildren, one great grandchild, brother and

sister; Jyles (Joan) Bowman, and Donna (Brian) Coyhis, nieces and nephews, Paul (Crissy), Reyna, Morning Star, Sharae, Christine, Eva "Baby", and Rose Ann (Nathan), great nieces and nephews; Robby, Joseph, Kimberly, Devon, Sloane (Kasha), Mark, Xavier (Mandy), Derek, Paul (Heavenlee), great-great nieces and nephews, Avery, Ella, Aurora, Carter and Paul, special cousin, Oleyna, and special friend Debbie (John).

She is preceded in death by her parents and niece, Lisa Petrich.

Funeral services will be held at Swedberg Funeral Home in Gresham on Tuesday, November 2, 2021, at 11:00 a.m. Reverend Jonathon Biffert officiating. Burial will be at Gresham Public Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home on Tuesday form 9:30 a.m. until the time of service. Swedberg Funeral Home is assisting with the arrangements.

The family would like to give a special thank you to all the staff at the Ella Besaw Center for all the loving care of Eva that brought joy and happiness to her each day.

www.swedbergfuneralhome.com

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known;

WHEREAS, through independent research, the National Native American Boarding School Healing Coalition has located records for only 38% of the 367 Indian boarding schools they found to operate between 1870-1970;

WHEREAS, on June 22, 2021, U.S. Department of the Interior Secretary Deb Haaland announced a Federal Indian Boarding School Initiative consisting of "a comprehensive review of the troubled legacy of federal boarding school policies";

WHEREAS, the historical trauma inflicted upon Native American children, families, and communities by the federal government via Indian boarding schools resulted in a loss of language, culture, and identity, the effects of which have likely contributed to disparities in health, education, and economic well-being;

WHEREAS, despite the trauma Indian boarding school policies had on Native American communities, along with other acts of assimilation and systemic racism, Wisconsin's Native Nations are still rich in culture and essential to the suc-

cess of the state; and

WHEREAS, while it was the federal government who implemented, directed, or operated these boarding school initiatives and policies, we all bear responsibility for acknowledging the atrocities inflicted on Tribal Nations, and in pursuit of a more just and equitable coexistence, have a moral responsibility to reflect on our nation's history, particularly circumstances where we failed to live up to our highest ideals.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TONY EVERS, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the Laws of the State, hereby:

1. Formally recognize and apologize for the tragedies inflicted upon Native American communities as part of the federal Indian boarding school initiatives.

2. Commit to supporting the Federal Indian Boarding School Initiative by welcoming the U.S. Department of Interior to conduct research and investigate the boarding schools that once operated in Wisconsin.

On the Trail Home



Robert L. Church

Robert "Bob" L. Church age 75, passed away Wednesday, October 20, 2021 at ThedaCare Regional Medical Center, Appleton, WI.

Robert "Bob" L. Church was the son of Earl W. and Rosella M. (Krueger) Church and the grandson of Fred I and Afaratha (Abrams) Church and Richard and Marie (Clark) Krueger. He was an enrolled member of the Stockbridge-Munsee Band of the Mohican Nation. His 75 Year life span was from August 29, 1946 to October 20, 2021.

Robert was in ROTC all through high school and went into the Army after graduating. He served in the Army from 1965 to 1971 participating in Vietnam as a machinist specialist and he obtained the rank of Specialist 5 (E-5). He was at Cam Ranh Bay Republic of Vietnam from January 1968 to January of 1969. Bob lived at Wisconsin Veteran's Home in King, Wisconsin. He enjoyed assisting others even when it meant that he would do without. He liked being outdoors

and doing yardwork for others and himself. He enjoyed good food, easily made new friends, and was very good at puzzles. He was not concerned about details but just enjoyed life as it came.

Robert is survived by his daughter Charity (David Sesona) Pike of Nashville, TN, sisters Lorraine Stone of Fairfield Bay, AR and Sandra (Robert) Niemuth of Delavan, WI; brothers Mark (Lucinda) Church from Bowler, WI, and Gregory (Anna Dipasquale) Church of Edgerton, WI. His grandchildren include Joselyn Pike, Lidia Pike, Athena Smith, and Draven Sesona. He is also survived by many nieces, nephews, grand-nieces and nephews and great grand nieces and nephews.

Robert is preceded in death by his parents, his eldest brother Earl R. and sister-in-law Carol Church, his youngest sister Terrie Jo Church and his brother-in-law Samuel Stone.

A "Celebration of Life" visitation was held Saturday, October 30, 2021 at the Albrecht Funeral Homes & Cremation Services, Milton with Military Rites at 1:00pm.

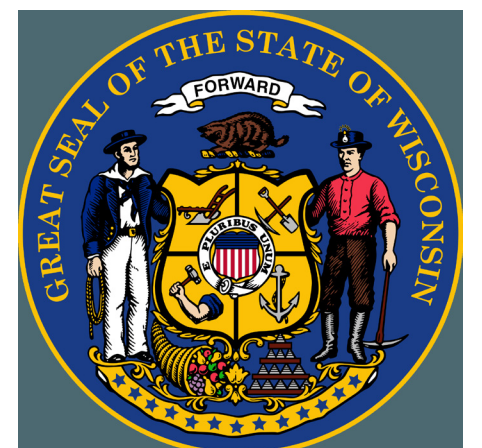
In accordance to Rock County phase two guidelines, the family and funeral home staff appreciate the understanding of the community and would like to thank the people in attendance for paying their respects in a timely fashion in order to accommodate those in attendance. The Albrecht Funeral Home & Cremation Services, Milton is assisting the family with arrangements.

3. Formally request that all investigatory efforts by the federal government be undertaken in consultation with Wisconsin's Native Nations.

4. Renew the state's commitment to promoting the well-being and growth of Wisconsin's Native American communities.

5. Recognize the second Monday in October to be Indigenous Peoples Day in Wisconsin and encourage state businesses, organizations, institutions, governments, and citizens to recognize and celebrate Indigenous peoples, cultivate strong relationships with Wisconsin's Tribal Nations, and in service to healing, encourage Wisconsinites to prioritize learning about the history of Tribal Nations in our state.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Oneida Tribe Norbert Hill Center on the land of the Oneida Nation this 11th day of October in the year of two thousand twenty-one.





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This marks the third year of grantmaking from the Native American Agriculture Fund in addition to 'fast track' grants distributed in 2018 to organizations following the *Keepseagle v. Vilsack* class action settlement. Grants awarded increase access to capital and diversify Native American agriculture economies through business assistance, agricultural education, technical support, and advocacy services to support Native farmers and ranchers.

Today's investment will dedicate: \$4.6 million to Community Development Financial Institutions - \$2.2 million to 501(c)3 Organizations - \$1.5 million to Tribal Governments - \$1 million to Educational Organizations - \$1 million to Agricultural Infrastructure - \$2.7 million to Beginning Farmers and Ranchers - \$1 million to Climate Resilience and Conservation.

"Our top priority at NAAF is advancing Native American Agriculture. The 2021 funding announcement provides an

additional \$14 million directly invested within Indian Country. Through COVID-19, we have seen the essential need to build and invest in resilient food economies and enhance the work Native producers have been cultivating for generations. Our third round of funding is another step forward improving livelihoods, the land, and the health of our people." said Toni Stanger-McLaughlin, CEO of the Native American Agriculture Fund.

The Native American Agriculture Fund (NAAF) is a private, charitable trust serving Native farmers and ranchers through strategic grantmaking in the areas of business assistance, agricultural education, technical support, and advocacy services. The charitable trust was created by the settlement of the landmark *Keepseagle v. Vilsack* class-action lawsuit. NAAF is the largest philanthropic organization devoted solely to serving the Native American farming and ranching community. For more information visit <https://nativeamericanagriculturefund.org/>

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prepares to introduce her.

Half a year ago, in the Spring of 2021, members of the College of Menominee Nation's Sustainable Development Institute held a discussion with CMN Faculty during their in-service. In the meeting, a few faculty members shared the observation that some female students were struggling in their coursework due to the responsibilities that they had outside of school. These responsibilities, like parenthood, housework, etc., were seen to mainly affect them and not most of their male counterparts. With academics becoming another point of stress and a major responsibility in the female students' life, the faculty identified the need to "empower and support women in different areas of life" to help them succeed in their academic, personal, and professional careers.

This notion led to the creation of the Women's Empowerment Summit and Training Conference. W.E.S.T. was developed with the intent of "Empowering women through knowledge sharing, professional development, wellness, and personal growth," as per the mission statement of the planning committee. Through this lens, the committee sought out local, female speakers whose experiences and backgrounds could help empower the women of the community. As a result, the conference invited speakers from all walks of life to share their knowledge with attendees.

Speakers like Menominee Tribal Legislator Rachel Fernandez and Former College of Menominee Nation President Dr. S. Verna Fowler discuss their experiences as women in leadership positions and the path that led them there. Other speakers including Dr. Beatriz Aguilar, a music professor at Edgewood College, and Pilar Gauthier, a doctoral student in UW-Madison's Counseling Psychology program, explore the experiences and patriarchal expectations of women established in music and in the workplace. There are also informative presentations about Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women, presented by Waking Women Healing Institute Director and Founder Kristin Welch, and LGBTQ+ Awareness, presented by Diverse and Resilient's Katie Hamm.

W.E.S.T. also featured presentations that shared techniques to achieve wellness and alleviate stress. Presenters Dulce Moeller and Kimberley Hoffman demonstrate the healing arts of Aztec Reflexology and Reiki Energy Healing as everyday techniques to relieve anxiety and stress. The conference showcased traditional indigenous knowledge and practices such as Iroquois raised bead-



Interim SDI Director Rebecca Edler and Annie Wilber, who did the Invocation for the event

work and medicinal teas based on the change of seasons by presenters Sandra Wescott-Gauthier and Bonnie McKiernan, respectively.

The conference ended with the final presentation from the Stockbridge-Munsee Band of Mohican's President Shannon Holsey. Speaking on the topic of women's evolving role in leadership, President Holsey discussed the challenges that women face when taking on roles of power in their communities; especially in the realm of politics, where every action has a reaction. The rousing speech from President Holsey ended the event on a high note. Anonymous survey results were positive and overall stated that W.E.S.T. was a great opportunity for education, wellness, and self-reflection. One attendee wrote that the conference was "very great, would love to see more positive things like this in the community." Another, who attended with her sister, commented that the event was a great opportunity to "...connect with other women and engage in self-love and to manage time to balance life". Another woman requested that there would be another W.E.S.T., "Please do this again! I really enjoyed today and learned a lot more about myself and others." Yet another attendee suggested that there be "more women in power positions. Their stories/journeys are awesome."

With the speeches over, the raffles drawn, and the vendors vacating their tables, the first Women's Empowerment Summit and Training came to a close. The conference hall, once filled with the energized voices of dozens of women, had settled. A lingering energy hovered over the conference hall, which is summed up best by the words of SDI Director Rebecca Edler. "As women, we are given many responsibilities in the role of mother, sister, grandmother, auntie, daughter, granddaughter, niece, and so forth. We often sacrifice so others do not have to. Today, I challenge you to make a new friend, share an idea, and bask in the wonderment of being a woman."

DIABETES WELLNESS

Bingo

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We will have adult and kids cards available.

To sign up please contact Anita by phone or email at 715.793.3018 or email anita.mihtukwsun@mohican.com.

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Stockbridge-Munsee Community COVID-19 Testing Event

November 17th
8am - 4 pm



November 18th
8am-4pm



Everyone is Welcome!

Testing is free and open to the public. Bring your family and encourage your friends and co-workers to come! We want to make sure everyone stays safe.

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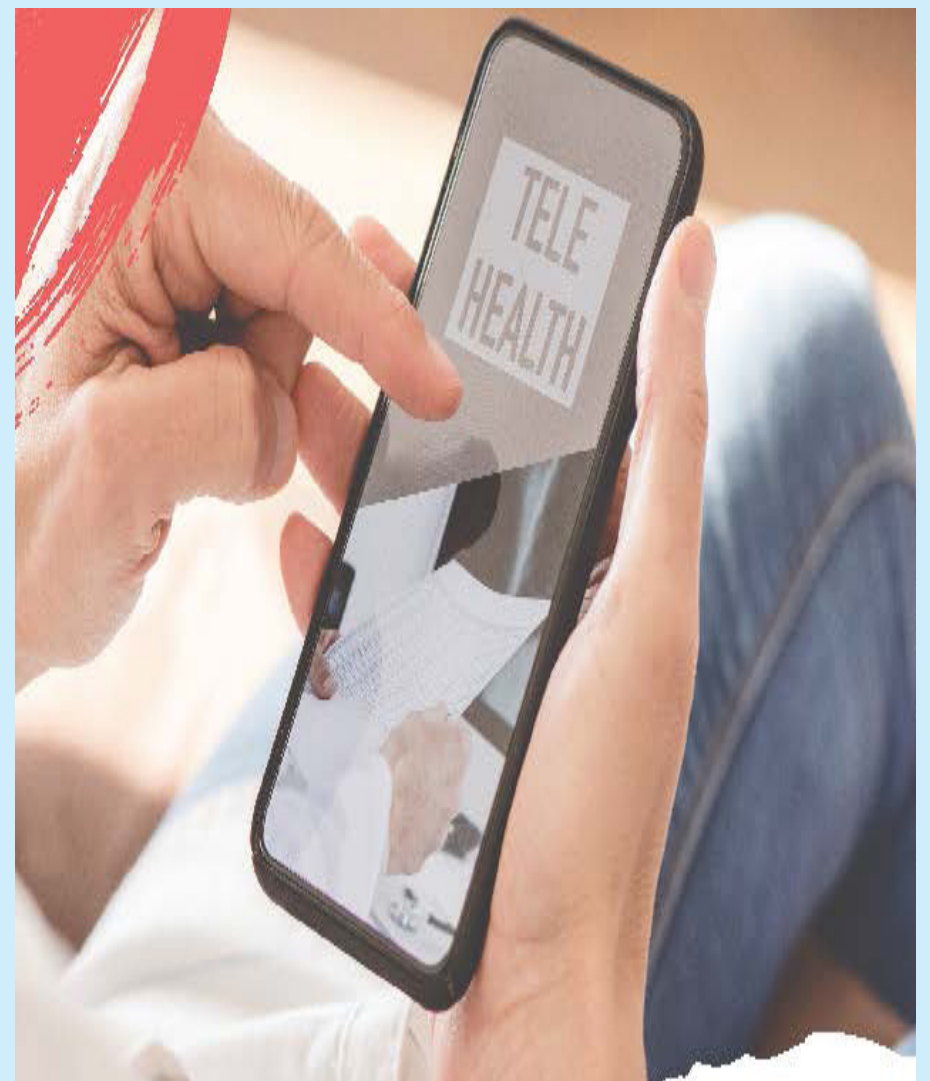
November 17th Roads/P&E Building located at W13817 CTY HWY A, Bowler, WI.
November 18th North Star Mohican Bingo located at W12180 Co Rd A, Bowler, WI

Who is doing the testing?

The National Guard.

Questions

For general questions about COVID-19, visit www.mohican.com/covid or call 715-881-2207.



ZOOM INTO DIABETES AWARENESS MONTH

JOIN OUR VIRTUAL EDUCATION SESSION



Thursday November 4th, 2021
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Join a virtual education session discussing diabetes prevention and management.

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RSVP BY OCTOBER 27TH, 2021
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Virtual TURKEY TROT

NOVEMBER 1ST-12TH, 2021



Our annual Turkey Trot will be done virtually this year!

- Walk on your own anytime during the week of November 1st-12th!
- Walk any distance, but please aim for at least a 30-minute walk if you are able.
- Feel free to walk outdoors or indoors.
- For a chance to win a "turkey" gift card snap a picture of yourself/family while out walking and send it to:
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NOVEMBER MAKE & TAKE
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2021

Participants must have access to internet as the Make & Take will be done virtually, sessions will be pre recorded and sent out on Wednesday November 17th, 2021.

Ingredients must be picked up on Wednesday, November 17th, at the Veteran's parking lot from 11:45am-1:15pm.

Sign up is the week of November 1st. Due to popular demand we will be drawing names for the Virtual Make & Take, we hope this will give more people a chance to participate. We will contact you on November 9th if your name has been chosen.

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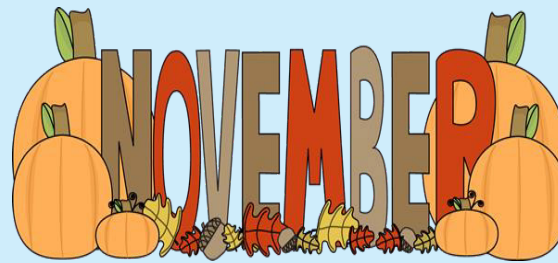
Come celebrate National Apprenticeship Week with Mohican Education and Career Services!

Throughout the week of November 15th, Mohican Education and Career Services staff will be available to show you the benefits of apprenticeship and help you locate, apply, and prepare for apprenticeships. We encourage all that may be interested to schedule an appointment and stop by! Our offices are now located in the Konkapot Building (W12635 County Road A, Bowler, WI 54416), formerly the Konkapot Lodge.

Please contact our Career Services Specialist, Vaughn Miller with any questions at (715) 793-4353.



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Skill Building Workshops

Event Description:

Thinking of a career change or getting that degree that you've always wanted? Stop by the Education and Career Services office and participate in one of our November workshops! For interview practice, as well as tips and advice, stop by for our Interview Tips and Skills training. If you're looking to advance or pivot your career, or find employment in general, stop by our Professional Goal Setting 101 training for help with setting goals and identifying important milestones. As always, the Resource Room is free and open to the public for independent use of the computer lab and other resources for Education or Employment related activities.

Interviewing Tips and Skills and Professional Goal Setting 101 skill building workshops will be held at the Education and Career Services office, now located at the Konkapot Building, formerly the Konkapot Lodge.

If you have any questions please contact Vaughn Miller, Career Services Specialist at 715-793-4353.



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WORKSHOP DATES

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On Tuesday, October 19th, 2021, the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council held a Regular Tribal Council Meeting and at that time the following actions were taken:

Roll Call:

Shannon Holsey; Present
Craig Kroening Jr.; Present
Sara Putnam; Present
Joe Miller; Present
Jeremy Mohawk; Present
Terrie Terrio; Present
Randall Wollenhaup; Present

APPROVAL OF AGENDA-

ADD: Resolution

Tribal Member Request

Motion by Joe Miller to approve the Tuesday, October 19th, 2021, Regular Tribal Council Meeting agenda as amended. Seconded by Terrie K. Terrio. Motion carried.

OPEN AGENDA-

APPOINTMENT OF TRIBAL COUNCIL SECRETARY-

Motion by Terrie K. Terrio to appoint Jody Hartwig as the Tribal Council Secretary. Seconded by Joe Miller.

Roll Call: Jeremy abstains (sister), Randall yes, Terrie yes, Craig yes, Sara yes and Joe yes. Motion carried.

MEETING MINUTES: Tuesday, October 5th, 2021

Motion by Terrie K. Terrio to approve the meeting minutes, regular meeting for October 5th, 2021. Seconded by Craig Kroening, Jr.

Roll Call: Jeremy abstains, Randall abstains, Terrie yes, Craig yes, Sara abstains and Joe yes. Motion carried.

DONATION REQUEST: 15th Annual Red River Riders Day at the Races-

Motion by Joe Miller to authorize a donation to the 15th Annual Red River Riders Day at the Races. Seconded by Jeremy Mohawk. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION: NCAI Delegates

Motion by Terrie K. Terrio to adopt resolution 001-22, BE

IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that pursuant to Article III-Members, Section B 1(b) of the NCAI Constitution and By-Laws, the Stockbridge-Munsee Community designates the following persons as Delegates and Alternate Delegates and instructs them to become Individual Members in Good Standing with National Congress of American Indians in order to fulfill their responsibilities as Official Delegates and Alternate Delegates to the National Congress of American Indians Annual Convention, Executive Council Winter Session and Mid-Year Conference.

Delegate: Shannon Holsey, President

Alternate Delegates, Craig Kroening, Jr., Vice President, Sara Putnam, Treasurer, Joseph Miller, Terrie K. Terrio, Jeremy Mohawk and Randall Wollenhaup, Tribal Council Members. Seconded by Randall Wollenhaup. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION: Signatory Power

Motion by Terrie K. Terrie to approve resolution 002-22, NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that effective immediately until further notice the following named person have signatory powers for disbursement of funds for the Stockbridge-Munsee Community; President Shannon Holsey, Vice President Craig Kroening, Jr., and Tribal Treasurer Sara Putnam. Seconded by Jeremy Mohawk. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION: Home Conveyance

Motion by Joe Miller to adopt resolution 003-22, NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribal Council supports the recommendations of the Division of Community Housing in the Conveyance of Tenant #111-01, Awaseah Brisk. Seconded by Jeremy Mohawk. Motion carried.

COMPUTER PURCHASE-Brian

McDonald, CIO

Motion by Terrie K. Terrio to approve the purchase of 20 Laptop Computers from CDWG using American Recovery funding. Seconded by Craig Kroening, Jr. Motion carried.

MASS MAILER FOR CASINO EMPLOYEE RECRUITING-Brian McDonald, CIO

Motion by Joe Miller to approve the action requested for mass mailers for North Star Casino as presented. Seconded by Jeremy Mohawk. Motion carried.

MUNSEE LANGUAGE CONTRACT-Joe Pecore, Language Manager

Motion by Jeremy Mohawk to approve the Munsee Consultant Contract and authorize for President's signature after legal review. Seconded by Craig Kroening, Jr. Motion carried.

PART-TIME LANGUAGE STUDENT TEACHER POSITION-Joe Pecore, Language Manager

Motion by Joe Miller to extend the current contract of the two part-time Student Language Teachers until the posted positions of Part-Time Student Language Teachers are filled and retroactively pay them back from the time their contract expires forward. Seconded by Jeremy Mohawk.

Motion maker amends motion to add: that a modification to the budget be provided to the council for approval so that in can be righted for the 2022 budget. Second concurs. Motion carried.

SUPPORT LETTER FOR TOWN OF STOCKBRIDGE GRANT-Linda Mohawk-Katchenago, Tribal Administrator

Motion by Joe Miller to approve support letter for the Town of Stockbridge's Ice Glen Hemlock Treatment Project. Seconded by Sara Putnam. Motion carried.

2022-2024 WI STATE TITLE III GRANT-Kristy Malone, Manager Elderly Services

Motion by Terrie K. Terrio to approve the 2022-2024 WI State Title III Aging Plan. The submission due date is November 5, 2021. Seconded by Randall Wollenhaup. Motion carried.

HRSA-PHASE 4 PROVIDER RELIEF GRANT-Andrew Miller, SMHWC Director

Motion by Terrie K. Terrio for approval to apply for HRSA Phase 4 Provider Relief Grant. Seconded by Craig Kroening, Jr. Motion carried.

COMMUNITY HALLOWEEN-Andrew Miller, SMHWC Director

Motion by Joe Miller to approve, authorize, support Trick or Treating on Halloween in this community. Seconded by Jeremy Mohawk.

Roll Call: Joe yes, Sara yes, Craig yes, Terrie opposing, Randall yes and Jeremy yes. Motion carried.

RESOLUTION: Adolescent Treatment Center

Motion by Terrie K. Terrio to adopt resolution 004-22, NOW

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Tribal Council authorizes the Stockbridge-Munsee Community President to work with GLITC to apply for the Wisconsin Department of Administration's Neighborhood Investment Fund on behalf of Great Lakes Inter Tribal Council member tribes. Seconded by Sara Putnam. Motion carried.

EXECUTIVE SESSION-

Motion by Craig Kroening, Jr., to go into Executive Session. Seconded by Jeremy Mohawk. Motion carried at 5:58 PM.

Motion by Joe Miller to come out of Executive Session. Seconded by Craig Kroening, Jr. Motion carried at 7:39 PM.

While in Executive Session discussion was held on Internal Audits, Legal Issues, and a Tribal Member Request.

For the record President Holsey mentioned that we have new Tribal Council Members, and they would like more time to take with Enrollment records. Also, with regards to the Appeal Hearing the file was not available for review tonight, so the Tribal Council is going to set a Special Council Meeting for October 27, 2021, at 9:00 AM at the Tribal Office.

Motion by Terrie K. Terrio to accept the Internal Audit for Program 299, Ella Besaw Center to be sent on to management for response and recommendations. Seconded by Craig Kroening, Jr. Motion carried. Motion by Joe Miller to authorize an appeal on a case discussed in Executive Session and to also engage the law firm of Hogen & Adams for additional support. Seconded by Terrie K. Terrio. Motion carried.

Motion by Jeremy Mohawk to approve resolution 005-22, NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Tribal Council authorizes the Tribal President or Vice-President to execute the 2021 Cooperative Tribal/County Law Enforcement Agreement between Shawano County and Stockbridge-Munsee Community.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the Tribal Council jointly requests, along with Shawano County, funding from the State of Wisconsin for the year beginning January 1, 2021, pursuant to the provisions of 1987 Wisconsin Act 320 (Section 165.09, Wis. Stat.).

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, the Tribal Council requests that the County transfer such funds to the Tribe, consistent with the Agreement, who will administer the aid received. Seconded by Randall Wollenhaup.

Motion maker amends: that the year should be 2022 all the way through. Second concurs. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT-

Motion by Joe Miller to adjourn. Seconded by Craig Kroening, Jr. Motion carried at 7:42 PM.

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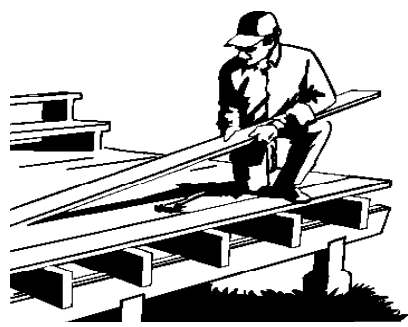
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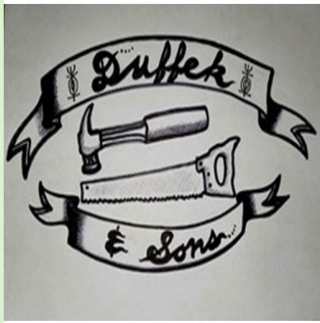
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