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On Wednesday April 1, 2026 Stockbridge-Munsee Emergency Preparedness, Stockbridge Police Department, EMS, and Bowler Fire Department walked through an active-shooter scenario at the Child Support building in Bowler. This is part of a series of trainings at tribal office buildings to help better prepare and understand what goes on during an active-shooter event.



Laura Welch retired on April 3, 2026 after 27-plus years with the Stockbridge-Munsee Community. She received her blanket on Thursday April 2, 2026 at Konkapot Lodge.



NorthStar Mohican Casino resort is working with the Mohican Veterans on the Banners of Honor project. This project will put photos or veterans on flags around the casino. In this Mohican News issue there will be a release form of Veterans to fill out and return to the Star club located in the casino. the form can be viewed on page 4 of this issue.



Stockbridge-Munsee Health & Wellness Center Expands Services to Support Recovery from Opioid Use Disorder Starting in May 2026

individuals and families affected by opioid addiction.

- The service strengthens the clinic's commitment to saving lives, supporting recovery, and providing care close to home.

BOWLER, WI —

- Stockbridge-Munsee Health & Wellness Center is adding Medication for Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD) as a new clinical service.
- This expansion increases access to compassionate, evidence-based care for

About Medication for Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD)

- MOUD uses FDA-approved medications to reduce opioid cravings and withdrawal symptoms.
- These medications help stabilize brain chemistry, allowing individuals

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2026 SPRING CLEANUP

- The Spring Cleanup will occur on two days, with curbside cleanup on Monday and appliance/electronics recycling on Tuesday. Curbside cleanup is open for Bartelme tribal members ONLY. Appliance/Electronics recycling is open to Bartelme AND Red Springs tribal members. Items not allowed in curbside cleanup will **NOT** be picked up. Any curbside items not picked up **must be removed** from the end of your driveway and disposed of properly.
- All items collected curbside are NOT RECYCLED, but disposed of in a landfill. Recycling or reusing items by passing them on to others can save landfill space, limit costs, and help others. It's encouraged to donate unwanted items if possible.

Spring Cleanup Dates	
Curbside Cleanup:	Monday, May 18
Appliance / Electronics Recycling:	Tuesday, May 19

RESIDENTIAL CURBSIDE CLEANUP BARTELME TRIBAL MEMBERS ONLY

MONDAY, MAY 18TH

Place items curbside beginning Monday, May 11th

Have **ALL** items curbside by **5:00 am Monday, May 18th**

FREE pickup for ONLY the items listed below during Spring Cleanup:

Bed Frames / Head Boards	Windows	Hard Fiberglass (4ft or less)
Mattresses / Box Springs	Cabinets	Carpet Rolls (5ft or less)
Fitness Equipment	Dressers	Chairs / Recliners
Large Plastic Toys	Toilets	Couches / Sofas
Bikes	Grills	Doors
	Sinks	

Items Not Allowed: **NO** Construction Debris, Hazardous Material, Tires Appliances, or Electronics

Volume: Total Volume **MUST NOT** exceed 4 cubic yards per residence (about 4ft tall x 5ft long x 5ft wide in size)

APPLIANCE & ELECTRONICS RECYCLING

BARTELME AND RED SPRINGS TRIBAL MEMBERS

TUESDAY, MAY 19TH FROM 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Place Appliances and Electronics into Appropriate Dumpsters at P&E and Roads Department

APPLIANCE RECYCLING

Appliances **WITHOUT** Freon: **FREE**

Stoves • Dishwashers • Compactors • Water Heaters • Washers • Dryers

Appliances **WITH** Freon: **\$15.00 Each**

Refrigerators • Freezers • Air Conditioners • Water Coolers • Dehumidifiers

Fee for appliances with freon can be paid at the Finance Department.

Proof of payment required for drop-off

ELECTRONICS RECYCLING

Computer Accessories	DVDs / VCRs / Blu Ray Players	Mobile Phones
Computer Monitors	Holiday Light Up Decorations	Telephones
Computer Towers	Fax / Copiers / Scanners	Televisions
Computer Parts	Radios / Stereos	Laptops
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Mohican News

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PO Box 70

Bowler, WI 54416

e-mail: mohican.news@mohican.com

Please type your letters or print clearly and include your signature, address, and daytime phone number. Letters must be 500 words or less. All letters are subject to editing and may require confirmation. Some may be rejected due to inappropriate content as deemed by our editorial board. The views of our readers are not necessarily the views of the Mohican News, its staff, or the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribe.

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Fifth Annual Shawano Menominee Recovery Walk & 5K

The preparations are underway for this year's 5th Annual Shawano Menominee Recovery Awareness Walk & 5K on May 2nd. It is a day of celebration for individuals, and their friends and families, who are in recovery from mental health and substance abuse. It is also a day of remembrance and honor for those who lost their battles. It's a day for people to come together, both inside and outside of the recovery community, with something for everyone.

Each year, the event is held at Franklin Park in downtown Shawano. The theme this year is "Rooted in Community," and the plan is to showcase community members and local resources. A diverse resource fair, local food trucks and vendors, local speakers, local musicians—including Pat Wiley (will be joined by ex-band mates Kurby Hoffman and Mike Duebler), Patrick Rades (of Burnt Toast and Jam) and Dale Kakkak—kids' activities, pie in the face, a bake sale, craft sale, a large assortment of raffle baskets and giveaways, 50/50, and more to come.

The walk was started in 2021 by Leadership Shawano County in hopes of educating more people in the community about recovery and mental health resources. The idea came from Shawano County Drug Treatment Court—a program that aims to keep non-violent drug offenders out of jail and in the community through hard work

and rehabilitation. Each year, community members and groups pitch ideas they need assistance with to Leadership

Shawano County. The event was selected, and the rest is history. The first year drew 300 registered participants. All participants receive a T-shirt with registration. They have become a collector's item for some individuals.

Throughout the years, the Walk has transformed some. 2024 was the first year that the 5K option was added. It gives people who want a little extra challenge the opportunity to stretch their legs even more.

"This is my second year being on the Recovery Walk planning committee, and I am involved for several reasons. Being that I live, work, and raise my family right here in the city of Shawano, that I am a member of the Stockbridge Munssee tribal community, and that I know so many individuals who are, or were suffering from addiction right here in our

communities, I am called to do what I can to help. I have been on my own personal sobriety journey for 4 and half years, where running has played a huge part of my healing journey, so naturally I feel called to be on this Run/Walk committee! I believe that if I can help at least one person, even in the slightest way, then all the volunteer time is worth it! – Reported Tracy Lobermier

In addition to being a great day for family, friends, and community, it also raises funds for recovery in our area. All proceeds raised go toward strengthening and expanding mental health



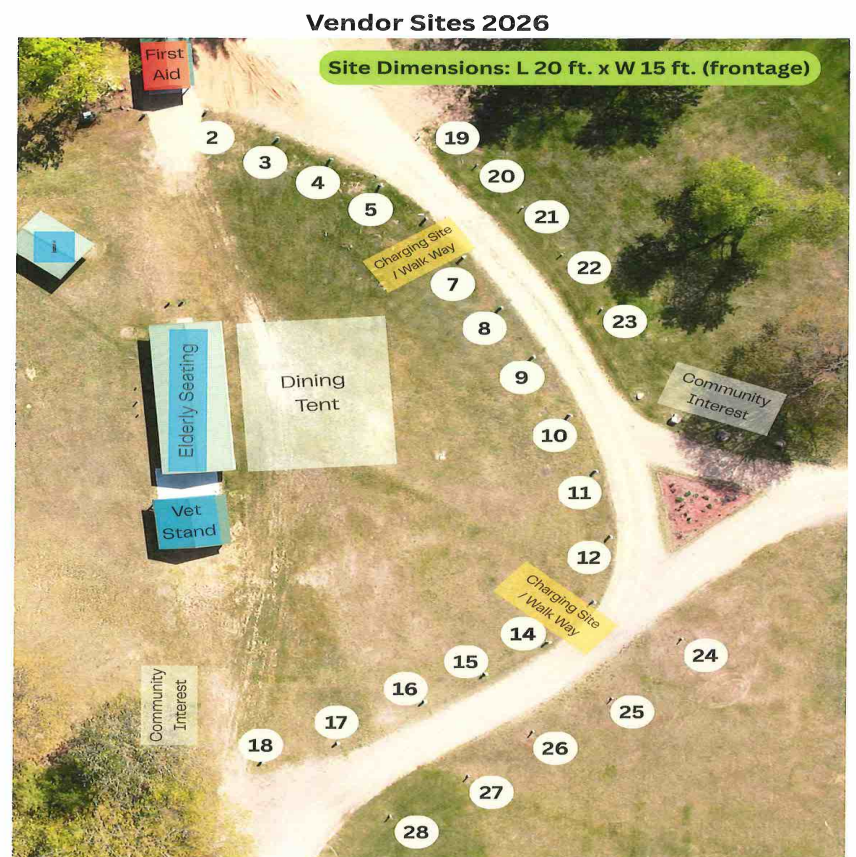
Veterans Corner

203 W. Main St
Bowler, WI. 54416

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Tribal Veterans Service
Officer
Office: 715-793-4036
gregg.duffek@mohican-nsn.gov



715-793-4036



Vendor Applications for the 50th Anniversary Mohican Veterans Pow-wow are now available and will be accepted until Friday, July 17th. This year vendor fees are set at \$150 for Enrolled Stockbridge-Munsee (proof required), the fee for all others is \$225. Look for a vendor packet consisting of Application, Site Map, and Contract on the tribal website. Please send additional inquiries regarding vendor sites to Maggie.Bennett@mohican-nsn.gov

and recovery initiatives in our area. It helps keep space available for those seeking help and resources, for recovery groups to meet, events, and much more.

If you haven't yet, we highly recommend registering before the day of the event. You can check Rise Wellness Center's Facebook page for coupon codes. Registering before April 20th ensures you will get a T-shirt.

Sponsorship and raffle/gift basket items are very much appreciated. Even if you aren't planning on participating in the Walk or 5K, your attendance means a lot to our community and those in recovery. In some form or another, everyone is touched by issues of mental health and addiction. It's a time of solidarity, community, and most importantly, love.



members to join them in honoring his life.

A Military Honors Ceremony will be held on April 18, 2026 at 1PM at Red Springs Cemetery (W10234 E Town Hall Rd. Gresham, WI)

A memorial gathering will follow at the Eunice Stick Gathering Place, located in the Stockbridge-Munsee Elderly Services Building (N8651 Maplewood St Bowler, WI)

The family of Clifford Church (known by many as CC) invites friends, relatives, and community

All who knew and loved Clifford are welcome to attend and share in remembrance.

NORTH STAR MOHICAN CASINO

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Participant in Banners of Honor – Mohican Veterans _____

Photo/Video Film Shoot/Other

☪ On the Trail Home ☪



Alan E. Marquardt, age 73 of the Town of Dupont, passed away on Tuesday morning, March 31, 2026 at Care Partners Assisted Living, Clintonville with his family by his side.

Alan Eugene Marquardt was born October 6, 1952, son to the late Norman & Lois (Seefeldt) Marquardt. Alan's lifelong passion for music was a gift passed down from his mother. A proud 1970 graduate of Marion High School, his musical journey was ignited by his teacher, Larry Schuster. This inspiration led him to the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point, where he earned a double major and graduated with degrees in both music education and vocal performance. In 1975, Alan began a distinguished career as a music educator with the Bowler School District. Over the course of 50 dedicated years, he shaped the lives of countless students, eventually retiring in 2025 due to health concerns. His career was marked by extraordinary milestones, including leading the Bowler marching band at the Cherry Blossom Festival in Washington D.C., with additional out-of-state trips to music festivals in Dallas and Atlanta. They also performed across

Europe with his students as part of the Wisconsin Ambassadors of Music program, traveling to England, France, Switzerland, Germany, & Austria. Beyond the classroom, Alan was a man of diverse interests and a kind heart. He found joy in hunting whitetail deer with his family, tending to his beautiful gardens, and sharing his musical talents by playing in various polka bands throughout the years. He was a great brother and a thoughtful friend, Alan was always ready to lend a hand to anyone in need.

He survived by his siblings: Edward Marquardt, Steve (Nancy) Marquardt, Roger (Darlene) Marquardt, & Leanne Marquardt. Many loving nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends. His best friends: Gary (Marina) Kuchenbecker & Denise Brodbeck. He was preceded in death by his parents; and his grandparents, Edgar & Nettie Seefeldt.

The Marquardt family would like to thank the staff of Care Partners & ThedaCare Hospice, especially Kristy for taking care of Alan in his final days.

Graveside committal and inurnment will take place at 11 AM Saturday June 20, 2026 at Trinity St. Johns Cemetery, Town of Dupont. The Rev. Karen Reimer will be officiating.

A celebration of life with a light lunch, will be held following with graveside on Saturday at the DuPont Town Hall.

MOUD from page One:

- to function normally.
 - Patients can focus on rebuilding their lives—returning to work, reconnecting with family, and engaging fully in their community.
 - MOUD is widely recognized as the standard of care for treating opioid use disorder.
- A Hope-Centered Approach to Recovery
- Recovery is possible, and help should be accessible to everyone.
 - Opioid use disorder is treated as a medical condition, not a personal failure.
 - Recovery often benefits from ongoing, individualized care.
 - Treatment plans are tailored to each person’s needs, goals, and pace.
- Addressing Common Misconceptions
- MOUD does not replace one addiction with another.
 - When taken as prescribed, MOUD medications do not produce a ‘high.’
 - MOUD significantly reduces the risk of overdose.
 - Long-term support is associated with better re-

- covery outcomes.
- A Safe, Confidential, and Welcoming Program
- The MOUD program is confidential, respectful, and low-barrier.
 - Patients are met with support, dignity, and compassion.
 - A coordinated health-care team provides guidance, education, and encouragement throughout recovery.
- Strengthening Families and Community
- Expanding access to MOUD saves lives and improves community health.
 - The service helps individuals remain engaged in care.
 - When individuals heal, families and communities grow stronger.
 - This program reflects the clinic’s commitment to equitable, whole-person care.
- Contact Information
- Stockbridge-Munsee Health & Wellness Center
 - P h o n e : 715-793-4938
- The MOUD programming is set to begin in May 2026. More information to follow about programming in future issues of Mohican News**

Purchased Referred Care (PRC) Department Quick guidelines

What is PRC?

PRC pays for medical care at outside facilities when services cannot be provided in-house. PRC only pays for services and patients that are eligible. PRC is the payer of last resort and will only pay after all other available insurances pay.

Eligibility for PRC

- Must be enrolled, 1st line or 2nd line descendant of the Stockbridge-Munsee Community.
- Must live within the PRC delivery area of Shawano and Menominee counties.
- Must use the Stockbridge-Munsee Health Wellness center for primary care (PC).
- Must have primary insurance or be denied for other available insurances (Medicaid, Medicare).

PRC Process

1. Have appointment with PC provider.
2. PC provider will submit an order for outside services.
3. Appointment is scheduled by referral staff or patient.
4. Referral staff send referral to PRC staff.
5. PRC staff review eligibility.
6. If approved, a PRC

authorization is created. If denied letters are sent to the patient to request what is needed for approval.

7. Patients must come in and sign PRC authorization and hand carry to appointment.

8. After care is received, the outside provider bills primary insurance.

9. PRC is then billed by the outside provider with the claim and primary explanation of benefits (EOB).

10. PRC then reviews and pays only amounts approved.

Important Reminders

- PRC payments are not guaranteed.
 - Services must be approved before care is rendered, except ER visits.
 - o ER visits must be called into 715-793-5025 within 72 hours or 30 days for elders.
 - PRC funds from Indian Health Services are limited and when they are gone the rules change as we switch to Tribally Funded Referral Services (TFRS).
- Why Following PRC rules Matter**
- Following PRC guidelines ensure compliance with IHS regulations, protects the limited amount of funding that we receive and helps to provide fair access to health care for all our patients.

PRC LINE (715) 793-5013

ATTENTION!

All patients will now be required to pick up, sign, and hand carry their referrals for each appointment. This will be done in the PRC department located off of the Medical Waiting Room in the Clinic.

REMINDER!

- Please stop at the PRC department to ensure eligibility before assuming that a referral will be covered, they can help you.
- Make sure **ALL** appointments are called in to the **Referral Department** 3 days **PRIOR** to the appointment to make sure that there is a referral for you in place.

Please call the PRC department with any question or concerns. PRC LINE – 715-793-5013

Ronni James – 715-793-5010 PRC Manager

Joan Olson, Referral Department Case Manager – 715-793-4102

Sara Miller, Referral Specialist – 715-793-5077



2026
**COMMUNITY
CLEAN-UP WALK**

APRIL 19TH - 25TH

VIRTUAL EARTH DAY WALK

GATHER FRIENDS AND FAMILY TO WALK AROUND THE COMMUNITY AND CLEAN UP TRASH. SNAP A PICTURE OF YOU OR YOUR FAMILY AND SUBMIT IT TO CAMI.MILLER@MOHICAN.COM BY APRIL 25TH TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR A PRIZE DRAWING.

PRE-REGISTERED PARTICIPANTS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR GLOVES, GARBAGE BAGS, AND PICK UP TOOLS (LIMITED NUMBER AVAILABLE).



CONTACT CAMI MILLER @ 715-793-5064 OR CAMI.MILLER@MOHICAN.COM TO PRE-REGISTER FOR A CLEAN-UP KIT.



**SAFE SITTER
COURSE**

Learn skills needed to stay home alone and care for younger children

Tuesday, June 2nd
9:00am-3:00pm
Mohican Family Center



STUDENTS LEARN

- **First Aid and Rescue Skills:** Learn how to assess and respond to injuries and illness. Skills like the Heimlich and high level CPR will also be taught.
- **Personal and Online Safety:** Learn how to prevent unsafe situations and what to do when faced with strangers in person and online, power failures or weather emergencies.
- **Child Care Skills:** Learn tips to manage behavior that will help them stay in control of themselves and the children in their care. Students also practice diapering.

Class will be taught by staff from the Center for Childhood Safety and is open to children age 8 and over. The course is FREE and lunch will be provided!



BOOK YOUR SPOT TODAY!

To reserve a spot, call Whitney at 715-793-5018 or email whitney.schreiber@mohican.com

Program brought to you by the Stockbridge-Munsee Community Health Department and the Mohican Family Center

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April 2026 Make & Take Mini Frittata Sheet Pan Squares with Ham and Cheese



PARTICIPANTS MUST HAVE ACCESS TO INTERNET AS THE MAKE & TAKE WILL BE DONE VIRTUALLY, SESSIONS WILL BE PRE-RECORDED AND SENT OUT VIA EMAIL PRIOR TO PICK UP. INGREDIENTS MUST BE PICKED UP ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15TH AT THE SMHWC FROM 11:45AM -1:15PM. SIGN UP IS MARCH 30TH - APRIL 3RD. WE WILL BE DRAWING NAMES FOR THE VIRTUAL MAKE & TAKE. WE WILL CONTACT YOU ON MONDAY, APRIL 6TH IF YOUR NAME HAS BEEN CHOSEN.

Contact Violet Azzolina, Community Health
Representative to sign up!
PHONE: 715.793.3018

EMAIL: VIOLET.AZZOLINA@MOHICAN.COM

ATTENTION: MAKE & TAKE ACTIVITIES ARE MADE POSSIBLE THROUGH GRANT FUNDING. PICTURES OF YOUR COMPLETED CREATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED TO VIOLET. PICTURES ARE PART OF THE VERIFICATION OF APPROPRIATE FUNDING USE TO OUR GRANTOR, WHICH ALLOWS US TO CONTINUE TO PROVIDE THIS PROGRAM. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY EFFECT YOUR FUTURE ELIGIBILITY.



April Make & Take

Mini Frittata Sheet Pan Squares with Ham and Cheese

Ingredients:

- 10 large eggs
- ½ cup milk or unsweetened almond milk
- 1 cup chopped cooked ham
- ½ cup shredded cheddar cheese
- ¼ cup chopped green onions
- Salt and pepper to taste
- Cooking spray or olive oil for pan

Instructions:

1. Preheat oven to 375°F (190°C) and line a sheet pan with parchment paper.
2. In a large bowl, whisk together eggs, milk, salt, and pepper.
3. Stir in ham, cheese, and green onions.
4. Pour mixture into prepared pan and bake for 20–25 minutes until set.
5. Cool slightly, then cut into squares. Serve warm or store for meal prep.



DRUG TAKE BACK DAY

APRIL 25TH,
2026
10AM-2PM



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BONDUEL, WI 54107

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WITTENBERG, WI 54499

*NorthStar \$10 Free Play & Raffle Drawing at 2pm, Stockbridge Public Safety Building

Any Questions Please Call 715-526-3111

All this made possible through the help and work of Shawano Co Sheriff Department, Stockbridge-Munsee Health and Wellness, Stockbridge PD, Theda-Care, Bonduel PD, and Shawano Co DHS.

LET'S KEEP THE STREETS SAFE!



SATURDAY, MAY 2ND, 2026

FRANKLIN PARK,
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PROGRAM

8 AM
Registration Open

8 AM - 12 PM
Recovery Resource Fair, Family
Friendly Activities,
Bake Sale
& Food Trucks

10 AM - 10:45 AM
Welcome Ceremony,
Local Speakers
& Moment of Silence

10:45 AM
Start of 5k Fun Run
& 1.25 Mile Recovery Awareness
Walk

11AM - 1 PM : Live Music



Presented by Shawano Menominee Resiliency Coalition

Raising Funds To Expand and Sustain Local Recovery Resources

Opened on March 21, 2026 Handmade: The Crafting of America, offers a sweeping look at the nation's craft traditions, from pragmatic everyday objects to daring contemporary work. On view through Jan. 18, 2027, the show assembles more than 100 objects — many never shown publicly or not exhibited in decades — to tell stories of resilience, resourcefulness and entrepreneurship that helped shape American life.

Organized around four thematic sections, the exhibition begins with Folk Art and Craft, which highlights community-based making, regional styles and the individual eccentricities that have driven local economies. Visitors encounter utilitarian objects that double as personal narratives, illustrating how craft has long been a vehicle for cultural identity and small-scale enterprise.

A focused section on the Shakers presents the products of a distinct 19th-century religious community that practiced “prayer through work.” The Shakers’ emphasis on simplicity, function and fine joinery is represented by furniture and household items that demonstrate how spiritual values informed design and production.

The Arts and Crafts Movement — a late-19th- and early-20th-century response to industrialization — occupies a third gallery. That section explores the movement’s effort to revive

handcraft and assert quality workmanship as an antidote to mass production, featuring pieces that underscore the period’s aesthetic and social critiques. The final section, Modern Craft in the 20th and 21st Centuries, examines how craft has persisted and adapted alongside industrial and technological change. This gallery presents contemporary makers whose work interrogates social values, materials and process, showing craft’s ongoing relevance in a rapidly changing world. Exhibit highlights include the ceramics of Thomas Commeraw, an African American potter and entrepreneur whose work sheds light on early American business networks; examples from the Saturday Evening Girls Pottery collective, notable for its community-rooted production; objects from the Roycroft community, a leading American Arts and Crafts cooperative; and the striking pictorial hooked rugs of Iowan farmer Emeline Miner, whose pieces transform folk technique into narrative art.

Handmade: The Crafting of America runs Mar. 21, 2026–Jan. 18, 2027 at [Museum Name]. For hours, ticketing and programming details, visit the museum’s website or contact its box office

(Cheri Lynne Tousey Bruegl of the Stockbridge-Munsee Tribe has bead work on display in the Exhibit)



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Senior Banquet

Honoring Our 2026 High School Graduates

The annual Senior Banquet is a community celebration recognizing the accomplishments of our graduating seniors. We are proud to honor their hard work, dedication, and bright futures ahead.

Wednesday, June 10th
NSMCR Event Center
Doors open at 5:00 PM

Eligibility Requirements

To participate, students must meet one of the following:

1. Be an enrolled member of the Stockbridge-Munsee Band of Mohican Indians

OR

2. Reside within Wisconsin and have a parent or grandparent on the rolls of the Stockbridge-Munsee Band of Mohican Indians

This includes:

- Biological child or grandchild
- Adopted child or grandchild
- Step-grandchild
- Child under the legal guardianship of a tribal member

Apply to Participate

All eligible seniors must complete an application to participate in the banquet. Access the application here:

<https://mohican-nsn.gov/wp-content/uploads/2025/07/senior-banquet-application-3.4.25.pdf>

Application deadline: **Friday, May 15th.**

Send Questions to Jolene Bowman at
715-793-4060 or at
Jolene.bowman@mohican-nsn.gov



Register for Summer Youth

by May 8th at 3:00pm

Summer youth is a short-term program that includes skill building workshops and work experience components for Stockbridge-Munsee youth.

Summer Youth Program will be held from June 15-August 14, 2026. Application packets available at Konkapot, Bowler School, Gresham School, QR code below, and <https://mohican-nsn.gov/>

Eligible:
Enrolled

Stockbridge-Munsee youth between the ages 14-18 as of June 15, 2026. Non-enrolled children of Stockbridge-Munsee tribal members may participate on a space-available basis to be chosen by lottery. This includes biological children, adopted children, step-children, or children under the legal guardianship of a tribal member.

Empowering Tomorrow's Workforce

Summer Youth application QR



National

APPRENTICESHIP WEEK

APRIL 26 — MAY 2, 2026



Celebrate the 12th Annual National Apprenticeship Week 2026!

STOCKBRIDGE-MUNSEE EDUCATION & CAREER SERVICES



Week of April 26 – May 2, 2026
Konkapot Resource Center
W12635 County Road A, Bowler, WI 54416

Come learn the benefits of apprenticeship. We will help you explore and locate an apprenticeship opportunity that fits your interest.

Contact Career Advisor at 715-793-4353

Career seekers, like you, are looking to fast track their career goals, avoid debt, and earn competitive wages.

Explore what Registered Apprenticeship can do for your career.

Learn more at Apprenticeship.gov/National-Apprenticeship-Week

Applications available at Stockbridge-Munsee Education and Career Services Office 715-793-4353 or online at mohican-nsn.gov

COLLEGE INTERNSHIP

The College Internship Program gives Undergraduate students practical work experience while gaining skills and building networks with potential employers

Applications Due May 1, 2026

No exceptions made for late application. Placements limited-first come, first served basis.

Who is eligible: Stockbridge-Munsee members enrolled in a part-time or full-time college or university. Must have completed at least 12 credits with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0



Apply Now

Summer 2026 Program
June 1 - August 14



Menominee Vocational Rehabilitation Program

**Need help securing employment?
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To be eligible for VR assistance you need to meet the following requirements:

- Enrolled member of a federally or state recognized Native American tribe
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- Require VR services to prepare for, secure, retain, regain or advance in employment



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Stop in and see us at CMN or any of our off-site locations (Stockbridge-Education Department 1st Monday of the month, Shawano; 2nd Monday of the month, Maehnowesekiyah; 3rd Monday of the month, and Neopit- Menominee Tribal Enterprises; 3rd Tuesday of the month).

Call or visit in person or online today to begin your referral application process



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