

Enkamgak

Waabgwanii Giizis (Flower Moon) | May 2023

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Welcoming Babies Ceremony: 2021 and 2022

After three long pandemic years, we have resumed gatherings and started the spring by welcoming our 2021 and 2022 newest members. Despite the weather not showing much signs of spring, families managed to make it out safely. Everyone was happy to be together and there were many smiles, and much laughter. Seeing families visit and meeting the new babies made this event well worth it.

Thank you to Gokomis Glenna who provided wonderful teachings, our guests of honour, Tammy and Marlynn in the kitchen preparing our feast, the gifts provided from various departments, to our student volunteers, and everyone working together for this great day.



2021 and 2022 Welcoming Babies Ceremony

Debendaagziwaad Naaknigewin / Citizenship Law Consultations Update

During the 2023 LNHL in Mississauga, members of Chief and Council and the Citizenship Committee hosted a dinner and meet-and-greet evening to discuss citizenship.

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2021 and 2022 Welcoming Babies Ceremony

Connect with us!



@NipissingFN



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@NipissingFirstNation

NFN Members can sign up for email notifications of Enkamgak on the NFN Membership Portal:

Contact us to receive Enkamgak by mail:



hillarysm@nfn.ca



705-753-2050 ext. 1270

portal.nfn.ca



Debendaagziwaad / Citizenship Law Consultations Update (Con't)

NFN is creating a Debendaagziwaad Naaknigewin (Citizenship Law) to define who belongs to NFN, and their rights and responsibilities.

Why does NFN need a Debendaagziwaad Naaknigewin?

1 Ensure our continued existence

Under Section 6 of the Indian Act, fewer Status Indians will be born in Canada. A Debendaagziwaad Naaknigewin ensures our continued existence and that the Indian Act does not dictate who Nibisiing Nishnaabeg are.



2 Self-governance

Establishing a Debendaagziwaad Naaknigewin is a critical governance initiative for Nipissing Nation to develop future laws.



Identify who are responsible for building and honouring our Nation, who are entitled to protection within our Nation, and who are entrusted with the future of the Nation.



E-GIIGDOWAAD CHIEF & COUNCIL

May 2 @ 7:30 p.m. in Garden Village

May 16 @ 7:30 p.m. in Garden Village

JOIN IN-PERSON:

Confirm your attendance with Tonya Armstrong at tonyaa@nfn.ca or 705-753-2050 ext. 1229

WATCH THE LIVESTREAM:
NFN MEMBERSHIP PORTAL AT
Portal.NFN.ca

Submit agenda items by 4 p.m. on the Thursday prior to:
Freda Martel, Director of Administration
fredam@nfn.ca

This work cannot be done without engaging with NFN citizens. NFN will host a series of engagement initiatives to hear what you have to say.

Think about what citizenship means to you:

- Who should be considered Debendaagziwaad?
- Who should be considered Endaawaad (those who live in NFN but are not Debendaagziwaad)?
- What are their responsibilities to our Nation?
- What are they entitled to?

Stay tuned for further updates and engagement initiatives in Enkamgak, NFN Membership Portal and nfn.ca/citizenship.

APS Visits Logan Restoule for 13th Birthday!

Logan Restoule received a birthday surprise that he will always remember! The 13-year-old celebrated his birthday with a visit from Sgt. Chantal Larocque who brought the APS truck to his school (École La Résurrection).



13-year-old, Logan Restoule sitting in the APS Truck.
Photo by: Randy Restoule



Logan Restoule practicing his police skills on his principal Crystal Côté-Poulin. Photo by: Randy Restoule

Logan experienced a full tour of the APS truck, and even did a drive along with Sgt. Chantal Larocque. Logan got to experience first-hand what is involved in the day to day of an APS officer as he is interested in becoming an APS officer when he is older.

Randy Restoule, Logan's grandfather, was the one who planned this special experience. Randy worked behind the scenes to give his grandson a 13th birthday to remember. Randy would like to thank the APS, the staff at École La Résurrection for coordinating the surprise for his grandson.

Winners of Incentive Draw to Register to Vote on Land Code Amendment

\$1000 - Jill M. Beaucage
\$500 - Norman Roy
\$250 - Sarah E. Andrus
\$250 - Angel Armstrong

Chi Miigwech to everyone who registered and voted on the Land Code Amendment on February 25, 2023!

NFN Community Backyard Composting Program

FREE Compost Bin Available!

Benefits of Community Composting:

- Reduce waste to our landfills.
- Decrease the costs of transportation.
- Reduce greenhouse gas emissions (methane gas).
- Reduce leachate (the toxic liquid that runs from a landfill).



Contact: Grant Stevens, Waste Diversion Coordinator
grants@nfn.ca
705 753-2050 ext. 1269

MEMBERSHIP PORTAL

Visit portal.nfn.ca to get started!

EXCLUSIVE FOR REGISTERED NFN MEMBERS

Access a variety of protected content such as Council minutes and Trust Updates. Update and manage your address and mailing preferences.

Visit portal.nfn.ca or scan the QR code



Monthly Draw of **\$50 Gift Card** for all registered Portal members!

MONTHLY DRAW WINNER

March 2023: NANCY JOHNSON

NFN WASTE AND RECYCLING APP

for Apple and Android Devices

Receive notifications for garbage and recycling pick up, delays, change of schedule, and emergencies.

Find information on how to sort waste, proper waste disposal locations, and NFN Landfill schedule.



Visit nfn.ca/public-works/waste/ to download the app, or scan the QR code

SEEKING HOMES FOR NFN CHILDREN IN CARE

Help keep Nipissing children in Nipissing First Nation

We need the support of our community members to help our children stay within Nipissing First Nation.

We are in urgent need of all types of homes to provide care on a temporary or permanent basis for NFN children and siblings of all ages. It could be for a weekend, months, or to provide a forever home. We need your help!



For more information contact:
Kim Innes, Administrative Assistant/Family Finder
705-753-2691 ext.1353
kimi@nfn.ca

Spring Into Spring with these Incredible Prizes!



1ST PRIZE

Master Chef Prime 4-Burner BBQ
\$100.00 Propane Tank Gift Card
Coleman 12 pc BBQ Tool Set

2ND PRIZE

\$250 Gift Card
to Don's Butcher Shop

3RD PRIZE

Coleman Wheeled Cooler + 2 Ice Packs
2 Outbound Portable Folding Chairs
2 Insulated Hot/Cold Stainless Steel Mugs



Tickets: \$2 each or 3 for \$5

Draw Date: Wednesday, June 21, 2023

To Purchase or Help Sell Tickets Please Contact the Food Bank at 705-753-6972
Seller of the 1st Prize Winning Ticket will Receive a \$50.00 Gift Card!

Raffle # 1019-2023-01

Employment Opportunities

To view the complete job posting:

visit nfn.ca/jobs

or

call 705-753-2050 to request a copy by mail, fax, or email.

As per Nipissing First Nation hiring procedures, the following steps are used for screening and recruitment processes.

- 1st round postings are open to all NFN members.
- 2nd round postings are open to registered members of other First Nations and spouses and children of registered NFN members.
- 3rd round postings are open to all applicants (status and non-status).

Nipissing First Nation members are encouraged to apply to all rounds of employment postings. As per Section 24(1)(a) of the Ontario Human Rights Code, Nipissing First Nation gives preference to First Nation applicants for any employment opportunities.

Human Resources Coordinator – Full Time / Contract

1st Round Closes Friday, April 28, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

2nd Round Closes Friday, May 5, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

3rd Round Closes Friday, May 12, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

Director, Health Services – Full Time / Permanent

1st Round Closes Friday, April 28, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

2nd Round Closes Friday, May 5, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

3rd Round Closes Friday, May 12, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

Food Bank Coordinator – Full Time / Permanent

1st Round Closes Friday, April 21, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

2nd Round Closes Friday, April 28, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

3rd Round Closes Friday, May 5, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

Environment Technician – Full Time / Contract

1st Round Closes Friday, April 21, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

2nd Round Closes Friday, April 28, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

3rd Round Closes Friday, May 5, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

Parks & Recreation Supervisor – Full Time / Contract

1st Round Closes Friday, April 14, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

2nd Round Closes Friday, April 21, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

3rd Round Closes Friday, April 28, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

Parks & Recreation Office Support Clerk – Full Time/ Contract

1st Round Closes Friday, April 14, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

2nd Round Closes Friday, April 21, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

3rd Round Closes Friday, April 28, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

Recreation & Maintenance Labourer – Full Time / Contract

1st Round Closes Friday, April 14, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

2nd Round Closes Friday, April 21, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

3rd Round Closes Friday, April 28, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

Lawn Care Labourer – Full Time / Contract

1st Round Closes Friday, April 14, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

2nd Round Closes Friday, April 21, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

3rd Round Closes Friday, April 28, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

Junior First Nation Representative – Full Time / Contract

Open to all qualified applicants until filled

The Junior First Nation Representative is a highly motivated individual with advocacy skills, possessing knowledge of the Child and Youth Family Services Act (CYFSA-Ontario) and its application for the First Nation and its members.

Director, Infrastructure and Planning – Full Time / Permanent

Open to all qualified applications until filled

The Director of Infrastructure and Planning will provide strategic leadership for the planning and management of infrastructure across Nipissing First Nation. The Director will lead a dynamic team of professional staff, technical specialists, and administrative staff in infrastructure planning for long term growth, state of good repair planning, including development and oversight of asset management frameworks and policies. The Director will also lead the review and implementation of Nipissing First Nation's capital plan.

First Nation Representative – Full Time / Permanent

Open to all qualified applicants until filled

As a member of the Social Services team, the First Nation Representative will act on the behalf of NFN in protecting the collective best interests of the NFN children under the Child and Youth Family Services Act (CYFSA-Ontario) and ensure a culturally appropriate disposition of the case.



APPLY TODAY!

Submit application to:

resumes@nfn.ca

or

Fax: 705-753-0207

Human Resources Department

Nipissing First Nation

36 Semo Road

Garden Village, ON P2B 3K2

SEEKING COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Nishnaabemwin Translation Committee
1 seat (must be a language speaker)

Pow wow Committee
1 seat

Meetings are held once a month and members are paid an honourarium of \$100 for the meetings they attend.

Visit nfn.ca/committees for more information!

If you are interested in becoming a committee member, contact:

Freda Martel, Director of Administration
705-753-2050
fredam@nfn.ca

Post Majority Worker– Full Time / Permanent

Open to all qualified applications until filled

Nipissing First Nation Band Representative Program is seeking individuals interested in working with youth ages 14 to 26. This new position as Post Majority Worker will assist in guiding the youth move towards independence while connecting them to family, services and programming they need to become successful independent adults.

Animal Control Officer – Part Time / Permanent

Open to all qualified applicants until filled

Under the direction of the Natural Resources Manager, the Animal Control Officer will provide animal control services for Nipissing First Nation. An NFN vehicle to use for patrols will be provided and the Officer will be equipped with the necessary equipment. Training will be provided as needed.

SUMMER STUDENT POSITIONS

Ground Maintenance

Ground Maintenance Office Assistant

Office Support / Data Entry Admin

Early Learning Assistant

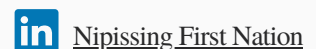
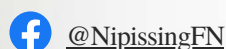
Summer Children's Program Lead

Lands Office Assistant

Greenhouse Cultivation & Packaging Assistant

Field School Students

Full Job Postings and descriptions will be shared in early May! Stay tuned to nfn.ca/jobs and NFN social media for updates:



COMING SOON!



2023-2024 Education Department Registration and Bussing Updates

In July 2023, student registration with the NFN Education Department will open and includes the following updates:

- **All students must register to take Nbisiing Bus Lines.** Registration will be available through the NFN Membership Portal, NFN.ca, and at the Education Department office
- **A new GPS and notification system, TripSpark,** will allow parents to track their child's bus and receive notifications of cancellations and delays (Coming September 2023)



Adult Education Program

Get your High School Diploma!

Classes start now!

**Your diploma may be closer than you think.
Your life experience can make you eligible for
maturity or equivalency credits!**

Hours

Monday and Wednesday	Tuesday and Thursday
6 - 8 p.m.	6 - 8 p.m.
Duchesnay (Nbisiing SS)	Garden Village (Boardroom)

To register or for more information, contact:
Caroline Labreque
705-753-6995 or carolinel@nfn.ca

The Post Secondary Educational Assistance Program

**Full Time Application Deadline
Monday May 15 at 4 p.m.**

Applications for Full Time and Part Time
Studies are Available Online at:
nfn.ca/education/post-secondary/

Questions can be addressed to:
Géraldeana Goulais
705-753-6995 ext. 1321
gerryg@nfn.ca





Please visit our website nbisiing.com or [Nbisiing Secondary School Facebook Page](#) for our calendar of events and other school-related information, or call (705) 497-9938.

Gwajiin Kinoomaagewin (Outdoor Education) Maple Syrup

Students tapped trees, prepared firewood, collected sap and boiled maple syrup.



Aasgaabwithaadwin with Nipissing University

Students participated in the annual Aasgaabwitaadwin. They learned how to lace traditional snowshoes and made mini mukluks.



Winter Carnival

Students had a great day filled with friendly competition. It was amazing to see the team building and cooperation amongst team members and the support each time showed to everyone else at every competition throughout the day! Students participated in toboggan races, a snow snake and tea boiling competition.

TOP UP YOUR IMMUNITY

Spring Booster

COVID-19 VACCINE

Starting early May 2023, an additional booster dose may be offered 6 or more months from the last COVID-19 vaccine dose or infection to those who qualify:

- Adults 65 years of age or older
- Residents of long-term care homes, retirement homes, elder care lodges, and other congregate living settings for seniors.
- Adults 18 years of age and older living in congregate care settings for people with complex medical care needs
- Pregnant individuals
- Individuals 18 years and older who are moderately to severely immunocompromised.
- Individuals aged 55 years and older who identify as First Nations, Inuit, or Metis & their non-indigenous household members aged 55 years and older.

Information & Registration:

Contact the Community
Health Nurse

705-753-3312

Meagan ext. 2244

Carole ext. 2257



Why get the bivalent booster?

It's the most recent version of the COVID-19 vaccine. It protects you from the original virus and the Omicron variant. It's a way to maximize protection against severe disease and potentially from infection.

Kidwinan (Words)

Waabgowani Giizis (Flowering Moon)

Flower Moon is the fifth moon of creation. Life-giving energies focus on the continuum of Creation, as the Creator had planned it to be.

At this time, all plants present their spiritual identities and adversities in the form of multiple colours, shapes, textures, and aromas that radiate a positive energy throughout the Turtle Island.

This positive force is the most powerful of medicines in the healing process of Mother Earth.

Waabgowan Giizis, npkidnaa semaa mina nbiinaaksigoo abji go dbasendis, mooshkne n'dey, nmooshneskaagooyaan mshkawziiwin dbishkoo gonaa shki-bmaadziwin.

Gookmis, gchi-kinoomaagewin mshkawziimgadoon, aapchi-gchi-piitendam gaan go gegoo kidwinan tesnoowan ekidyamban ezhi-webzing pii maanjiwding, maa enamjiwing pii gooing Waabgowanii Giizis .

Gookmis, nbasendis kidtaan ngontaminaag da wendaan kina waa-ni Nishnaabe naadziwin.

Ngi-kendaan ngi-kendaam wa, Gzhe-mnidoo ge ezhi-ndawenmiyan.

Waabgowanii Giizis ntaamgo niibwa kenzowaan. dbasendizyaan, kwedweyaan wii- boonendmaan iw gaanendmaan mii dash mina tkweshkaadyang, wewena gannendis ezhi-aaw'yaan.

Mitigoog (Trees)

Giizhig	Cedar
Niib	Elm
Zhingwaak	Pine
Oozaad	Poplar
Mitigmizh	Red oak
Jiigmemish	Soft maple
Wiigwaas	White birch
Azizgobmish	Willow

Maamaayag Gizhgad (Mother's Day)

Nmaamaa	My mother
Nwiidigemaagan	My spouse
Ndikwem	My wife
Kwe	Woman
Kwewag	Women
Mdimooeyenh	Woman (old)
Shkiniikwe	Woman (young)
Ngii-zhiwenimaa	I gave her something



Melanie Beaucage, Sequoia Twance, and Glenna Beaucage. Photo by Table & Pine Photography

31ST ANNUAL NFN CHARITY



GOLF

TOURNAMENT

2023

**50/50
DRAW**

**SILENT
AUCTION**

\$150/ PERSON, COST INCLUDES:

 **18 HOLES (4 PERSON SCRAMBLE)**  **GOLF CARTS**  **GIFTS & PRIZES**  **DINNER**

**PROCEEDS TO NIPISSING FIRST NATION FOODBANK
AND FIRE DEPARTMENT VICTIM RELIEF FUND**

**SATURDAY
JULY 8
2023**

REGISTER NOW

[https://ospreylinksgolf.com/product/
nipissing-first-nation-scramble/](https://ospreylinksgolf.com/product/nipissing-first-nation-scramble/)

 207 Osprey Cres., Callander, ON



Please note, when registering your team, all players must pay their registration online to be entered as a team.

For more information, contact Melvin McLeod at melvinm@nfn.ca

*Osprey Links Golf Club Dress Code requires proper golf attire.
The Club is LLBO Licensed, no outside alcoholic beverages permitted.*

**29-30
JUNE**

**NFN
SENIOR'S &
ADULT
TRIP**

LIMITED TO 50 SPOTS - MOBILE PHONE NEEDED FOR TICKETS

BASEBALL GAME

GAME TIME IS JUNE 29TH @ 7:07PM

BLUE JAYS



VS



GIANTS

8:30AM Departing:
JUNE 29 Garden Village

**STAYING 1 NIGHT
(SHARED
ACCOMMODATIONS)**

12:00PM Next day Departure
JUNE 30 from Toronto

To better ensure that all people have an opportunity for a yearly trip, if you attend this trip, you will be wait listed if you register for another trip occurring, this year.

REGISTRATION OPENS MAY 29TH @ 8:30AM

TO REGISTER, CALL NFN HEALTH SERVICES RECEPTION 705-753-3312

* INDIVIDUALS CAN REGISTER FOR THEMSELVES AND ONE OTHER (SPOUSE OR OTHER NFN MEMBER) WHO MIGHT BE SHARING A ROOM**

COST TO ATTEND: \$50 per person

(Includes: Accommodations & Ticket to the game)

See NFN May Events calendar on last page of Enkamgak!



Full Moon Ceremony

FRIDAY, MAY 5, 2023

8:00 P.M.


DUCHESNAY HALL

To Register Email: bradyp@nfn.ca

Come learn about how Cloth is used in this Ceremony

** Everyone is Welcome Skirt or no Skirt*

Especially Kwewag Women on their "Moon Time"



Connection to Nbii

Friday, May 19, 2023

11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Outside Location Beside
the Garden Village Church

Facilitated by: Lorraine Liberty
NFN Band Members & Affiliates are Welcome

Contact: Brady Penasse, Cultural Events Coordinator
For More Information

bradyp@nfn.ca or 705 753 2050 ext.1232

Waabgowanii Giizis Niizhna

Mnidooswaan

Sweat Lodge Ceremony

Saturday, May 20, 2023

5 p.m.

341 Couchie Memorial Drive
Neyaaba'aakwaang - Duchesnay

For More Information or to Register:

bradyp@nfn.ca

☎ 705 753 2050 ext 1232

NFN Band Members Priority

See NFN May Events calendar on last page of Enkamgak!

HEALTH FAIR

- Health Organization Booths
- Door Prize Draws
- Collect *Booth Bucks* for use at the Vegetable & Fruit Stand on site

Garden Village Gym Complex
Thursday, May 11, 2023
2 - 5 p.m.



Contact Loriann McLeod for more information

Phone: 705 753-3312 or Email: loriannm@nfn.ca

Manaciso: Healing with Horses

With Patrick Buffalo and Brenda Lee

A wellness, healing, leadership workshop to address healing and wellness in a safe, non-invasive way.

Saturday, May 13 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Duchesnay Hall

Sunday, May 14 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Duchesnay Hall

**Register with Dawn at 705-753-2050 ext. 1322 by
 Wednesday, May 10**

Space is limited per workshop.

Note that there will not be any horses used during this workshop.

Registration is open to NFN members and affiliates. Non members will be added to a wait list should spots be available.

**Watch the video
 "Breaking Stigmas"
 and see more of
 Patrick's story here:**



See NFN May Events calendar on last page of Enkamgak!

Children & Youth Events

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Tweens Social

6 - 9 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.caAges
9 to 12

3

Youth Social

6 - 9 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.caAges
13 to 24

3

Youth Drop In

5 - 9 p.m.

Duchesnay Hall

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.caAges
13 to 24

4

Culture Night

6 - 9 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

Aanin!

Ages
13 to 24

5

Youth Movie Night

7 - 10 p.m.

Garden Village Gym

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.caAges
13 to 24

6

Game Night

5 - 10 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.caAges
13 to 24

7

Youth Movies

11 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Galaxy Cinemas

Bus Tickets + Snacks Provided

Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.caAges
13 to 24

9

Baby Group

10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Lunch & Snack Provided

Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.caAges
4 & under

10

Youth Drop In

5 - 9 p.m.

Duchesnay Hall

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.caAges
13 to 24

10

Kids Social

Mother's Day Craft

6 - 8 p.m.

GV Church Basement

Register with Katie
at katiel@nfn.caAges
12 & under

11

Culture Night

6 - 9 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

Aanin!

Ages
13 to 24

11

Kids Social

Mother's Day Craft


6 - 9 p.m.

Duchesnay Hall

Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.caAges
12 & under

See NFN May Events calendar on last page of Enkamgak!

Children & Youth Events (Con't)




13 Youth Toronto Trip **Grade 9-12**

Overnight Trip
Harry Potter Play
Casa Loma
Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.ca



16 Tweens Social **Ages 9 to 12**

6 - 9 p.m.
NFN Kendaaswin (Library)
Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.ca



17 Youth Drop In **Ages 13 to 24**

6- 9 p.m.
Duchesnay Hall
Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca



17 Youth Social **Ages 13 to 24**

6 -9 p.m.
NFN Kendaaswin (Library)
Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.ca

18 Culture Night **Ages 13 to 24**


6 - 9 p.m.
NFN Kendaaswin (Library)
Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

Aanin!




19 Youth BBQ & Movie Night **Ages 13 to 24**

5- 10 p.m.
Garden Village Gym
Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca




20 Ball Hockey **Ages 13 to 24**

12 - 7 p.m.
Outdoor Rink GV
Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca




23 Baby Group **Ages 4 & under**

10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
NFN Kendaaswin (Library)
Lunch & Snack Provided
Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.ca



24 Youth Drop In **Ages 13 to 24**

6- 9 p.m.
Duchesnay Hall
Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca



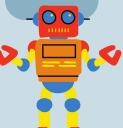
24 Storytime with Gokmis **Ages 12 & under**

6- 8 p.m.
NFN Kendaaswin (Library)
Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.ca

25 Culture Night **Ages 13 to 24**

6 - 9 p.m.
NFN Kendaaswin (Library)
Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

Aanin!



26 Model Robot Building **Ages 13 to 24**

2 - 7 p.m.
Garden Village Gym
Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca



30 Tweens Social **Ages 9 to 12**

6 - 9 p.m.
NFN Kendaaswin (Library)
Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.ca



31 Youth BBQ **Ages 13 to 24**

5 -8 p.m.
Garden Village Band Office
Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.ca

See NFN May Events calendar on last page of Enkamgak!

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Community Events

Waabgwanii Giizis (Flower Moon) | May 2023

Namegiizhgaad Sunday	Nokiigiizhgaad Monday	Niizhgiizhgaad Tuesday	Aabtawse Wednesday	Shpinganwang Thursday	Jiibiiaatgogiizhgaad Friday	Maaniigiizhgaad Saturday
	1 	2 Tween Social 6 - 9 p.m. Library Chief and Council Meeting 7:30 p.m. in Garden Village 	3 Food Bank Access Day  Youth Drop In 5 - 9 p.m. Duchesnay Hall Youth Social 6- 9 p.m. Library	4 Youth Culture Night 6 - 9 p.m. Library	5 Youth Movie Night 7 -10 p.m. GV Gym Full Moon Ceremony 8:00 p.m. Duchesnay Hall	6 Youth Game Night 5 - 10 p.m. Library
7 Youth Movies 11 a.m.- 4 p.m. Galaxy Cinemas	8 	9 Baby Group 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Library	10 Diner's Club Youth Drop-In 5 - 9 p.m. Duchesnay Hall Kids Social 6 - 8 p.m. GV Church Basement	11 Health Fair 2 - 5 p.m. GV Gym Youth Culture Night 6 -9 p.m. Library Kids Social 6 - 9 p.m. Duchesnay Hall	12 Connection to Nbii 11 a.m.- 2 p.m. GV Church	13 Youth Toronto Trip Manaciso: Healing with Horses 10 a.m. - 3p.m.
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21	22 Victoria Day CLOSED	23 Baby Group 10 a.m.- 2 p.m. Library 	24 Youth Drop In 6 - 9 p.m. Duchesnay Hall Storytime with Gokmis 6 - 8 p.m. Library	25 Culture Night 6 -9 p.m. Library	26 Youth Model Robot Building 2 - 7 p.m. GV Gym	27
28	29 	30 Tweens Social 6 - 9 p.m. Library 	31 Youth BBQ 5 - 8 p.m. GV Gym	Mukwa Miikan Landfill Hours: Saturday - Tuesday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed during statutory holidays		

