

Enkamgak

Daatkaagmini Giizis (Blackberry Moon) | August 2023

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Elder's Lodge Assisted Living Project Receives Funding

Great news! Nipissing First Nation is thrilled to announce that we have successfully secured funding for 10 assisted living units, amounting to an impressive \$5,762,058.25. This crucial milestone ensures that the project will proceed as planned, benefiting our community tremendously.

The overall project encompasses twenty units, with ten located in Duchesnay, at the site of the old daycare centre. Additionally, the other 10 units will be thoughtfully attached to the existing seniors units in Garden Village, enhancing the convenience and accessibility for our cherished seniors.



Sacred Fire and Garden Boxes



Front Entrance

Although we were granted funding for half of the units, we are committed to constructing the full 20 units through a combination of NFN's own source revenues and seeking limited debt financing. This determination ensures that our vision for these assisted living units will be fully realized.

The bids received for the construction of both buildings came in lower than expected, partly attributed to the decline in material costs post the COVID-19 pandemic.

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NFN Membership Portal

The Portal gives exclusive access for NFN members to view documents, sign up for **email notifications** of Enkamgak, request Enkamgak by **mail** and more! Register here or scan the QR code: portal.nfn.ca



Contact us to receive Enkamgak by mail:

✉ hillarysm@nfn.ca

☎ 705-753-2050 ext. 1270

Elder's Lodge Assisted Living Project Receives Funding (con't)

This fortunate development has further motivated us to kickstart the project without delay.

As we eagerly look forward to commencing the construction, we are also diligently planning the staffing and operations side of these facilities once they are ready to be occupied. Rest assured, we will keep you updated regularly on our progress.

If you have any questions or need further information, please don't hesitate to reach out to Dwayne Nashkawa, our dedicated Strategic Advisor, at 705-498-4268 or via email at dwaynen@nfn.ca.

Stay tuned for more updates as we embark on this exciting journey together! Miigwech to everyone in the community for your ongoing support and enthusiasm for this critical need to build suitable housing for our Elders.



Front Entrance



Dial *677

or

1-888-310-1122

For non urgent matters
(For example: neighbour disputes,
traffic complaints, theft after the
fact, etc.)

Call APS detachments for
administrative purposes.

(For example: To request a criminal
record check)

Call 911 in an emergency.

Attend Chief and Council Meetings and Submit Requests

Council meetings take place on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of the month. NFN members can attend and keep informed through in-person or virtual attendance.

If you have a request for Council, complete the request form at nfn.ca/chief-council and submit by 4 p.m. the Thursday prior to the meeting. These can be dropped off to the front reception at 36 Semo Rd, Garden Village or emailed to fredam@nfn.ca.

Requests could also be made at the meeting. Due to the number of items for Council to deal with on the agenda, *Requests from the Floor* are limited to 10 minutes per request and only three will be dealt with at the meeting. It is important to note that depending on the request, the items may need to be deferred to the next meeting if additional information is needed.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please feel free to contact Freda Martel at 705-753-2050 ext. 1223 or fredam@nfn.ca.

E-GIIGDOWAAD CHIEF & COUNCIL

August 1 @ 7:30 p.m. in Duchesnay
September 5 @ 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
Recordings of past meetings are available for 30 days.

SUBMIT AGENDA ITEMS

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

ATTENTION NFN RESIDENTS

Contact
Ontario One Call for a
locate on buried cables,
pipes, and wires before
doing any excavation of
any kind to ensure that
sites are safe!

1-800-400-2255
ontarioonecall.ca/

NFN Public Works:
705-753-4167

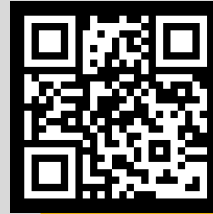
MEMBERSHIP PORTAL

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**
June 2023: Michael McLeod

Community Garden Stand

Pick up **FREE** fresh vegetables!

Stands are open from **Noon to 3 p.m.** or until
supplies last! Bring your own bags if possible.

Friday, August 11

Garden Village - Senior's Complex

Friday, August 18

Yellek- Playground

Friday, August 25

Duchesnay Community Hall



Dates may change due to weather.

Check **NFN Administration** on Facebook, or
contact the **Health Centre** for updates:

705-753-3312

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
deposal locations, and NFN
Landfill schedule.



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

Mügwech to our Sponsors!

Thank you,
to all teams, sponsors, and everyone at
Osprey Links Golf Course, for your
contributions to a fun day of golf and your
support to the NFN Foodbank and Fire
Department Victim Relief Fund.

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BEAUCAGE PARK

Open!

Open for daytime use:

Wednesday to Sunday

8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.



Please review Beaucage Park Hours of
Operation and Rules of Use at
NFN.ca/beaucage-park or scan the QR code:



Animal Controls Calls



NFN has a new Animal Control Officer who monitors domestic animal controls issues (dogs and cats) that may be loose or cause public nuisance.

The Animal Control Officer also helps create awareness of the **Nipissing First Nation Animal Control By-Law**. This by-law ensures the safety of domestic animals and our community members.

The Animal Control Officer also conducts staggered patrols in all NFN communities to monitor for compliance. In some cases, domestic animals may be picked up by the Animal Control Officer and possibly delivered to the Humane Society if the owner isn't known or can't be contacted.

Did you spot a bear?

Should you encounter nuisance bears, contact:

1-888-514-2327

Non-emergency encounters (roaming around)

or

911

Emergency situations (enters a schoolyard or public gathering, enters a residence, kills livestock/pets)



SEEKING COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Nishnaabemwin Translation Committee

2 seats (must be a language speaker)

Pow Wow Committee

1 seat

Culture & Language Committee

2 seats

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

Read more about how to **Be Bear Wise** and what to do if you encounter a bear.



Nshke! Ga-Kwechkanin

AMAZING RACE



A great end to a beautiful June weekend, The Amazing Race Diabetes Youth Program gave the youth in our community an opportunity to learn about diabetes. They were presented with information in regard to diabetes. The youth learned how diabetes affects them, their family and their community. The event was held on NFN at the Outdoor Rink and various locations in Garden Village. The youth visited six different stations which helped them learned how to help prevent diabetes. Along with our Anishnabek Elder Virginia Goulais, the youth crafted the Ribbon of Life to remind us of the struggles, trials and triumphs of dealing with diabetes.



Winners of prizes:

Kayak & Accessories: Kingston Beaucage

Mountain Bike & Helmet: Jessie Black

Fit Bit: Brayden Solomon & Janik Arbour

Kayak & Accessories: Samantha Coote

Mountain Bike & Helmet: Sophia Turner

Everyone received giveaways of fishing rods, backpacks, beach towels, hats, water bottles and sunscreen.

The day ended with a wonderful meal of fresh pickerel, caesar salad, garden salad, cheese sticks, yogurt and watermelon.

Thank you to the staff and volunteers for helping:

Misty Arbour, Tyler Dokis, Lisa Beaucage, Julie Coote, Jon Watson, Councilor Jane Commanda, Maggie McLeod, Cody Coote, Travis Hodge, and Robert Beaudette.

Employment Opportunities

Child Care Supervisor – Full Time / Permanent

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

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

3rd Round Closes Friday, August 14, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

The Child Care Supervisor oversees the day-to-day operation of the child care centre; in supervision of the staff and to provide quality child care services to the community families and children enrolled within the licensed program.

First Nation Representative – Full Time / Permanent

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

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

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

The First Nation Representative protects the collective best interests of NFN children and ensures a culturally appropriate disposition of cases.

Adult Education Facilitator – Part Time / Contract

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

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

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

The Adult Education Facilitator ensures that students work through programming successfully, and helps them understand the process and assists them with any challenges or obstacles they may face.

Bus Drivers – Part Time / Permanent

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

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

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

As a School Bus Driver, you will be responsible for providing safe transportation to students in a professional and courteous manner.

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

- 1st Round: Open to all NFN members.
- 2nd Round: Open to registered members of other First Nations and spouses and children of registered NFN members.
- 3rd Round: 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.

Jordan's Principle Service Coordinator – Full Time / Contract

1st Round Closes Friday, July 7, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

2nd Round Closes Friday, July 14, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

3rd Round Closes Friday, July 21, 2023 at 4:30 p.m.

The Jordan's Principle Service Coordinator supports NFN children and families to navigate the full range of federal, provincial, and local health, social, and education services and supports to address children's needs.

Graduation Coach – Full Time / Contract

Open to all qualified applicants until filled.

The Graduation Coach provides guidance and assistance through the application process for admission into post-secondary institutions.

Supervisor, Outreach Services – Full Time / Permanent

Open to all qualified applicants until filled.

The Outreach Services Supervisor supports the True Self Debwewendizwin Program and community development initiatives.



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

Employment Opportunities (con't)

Manager, Home & Community Care – Full Time / Permanent

Open to all qualified applicants until filled.

The Manager of Home & Community Care Program (HCCP) oversees the planning, implementation, monitoring, evaluation, and quality control of the NFN HCCP as per federal and provincial service accountability agreements.

Outreach Database Support – Full Time / Permanent

Open to all qualified applicants until filled.

The Outreach Database Support inputs and supports other users with the entry of required confidential data, implementing any changes in database operations as required.

Support Services Counsellor – Full Time / Permanent

Open to all qualified applicants until filled.

The Support Services Counsellor supports individuals who are struggling to meet their basic needs and facing employment barriers, including persons with disabilities and individuals who have experienced or at risk of experiencing domestic violence or trauma.

Outreach Worker – Full Time / Permanent

Open to all qualified applicants until filled.

The Outreach Worker provides practical support and establishes safe connections with other community services and supports to deliver outreach services to NFN members.

Manager, Public Works – Full Time / Permanent

Open to all qualified applicants until filled.

The Public Works Manager oversees the daily operations of the department and has a strong understanding of all aspects of public works development, management, and administration of departmental budgets and work plans.

Outreach Peer Worker – Full Time / Contract

Open to all qualified applicants until filled.

The Outreach Peer Worker promotes empowerment and self-determination of others through non-judgmental listening, help with person-centered goal setting, problem-solving, assessing crisis-risk, and offering referrals to other community supports.



K-12 Students: Report Cards and Incentives

Register In-Person and Pick-up Start-up Allowance and Incentives

Garden Village

Wednesday, August 9
9:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Duchesnay

Thursday, August 10
2:00 to 5:30 p.m.

If you have registered and are unable to pick up your start-up allowance on these dates, contact the Education Department: 705-753-6995.

Report Cards and Incentives

Register with the Education Department to be eligible for incentives!

- On-reserve NFN students: academic, attendance, and graduation awards
- Off-reserve NFN secondary students: academic and graduation awards

Visit [NFN.ca/education](https://nfn.ca/education) to see full details on incentives.

Start-Up Allowance

NFN students living on-reserve and registered with the Education Department are eligible to receive start-up allowance at the beginning of the school year:

Elementary students: \$40

Secondary students: \$50 gift card to office supply store

If you have a JK student, please complete the registration form to receive their start-up allowance.

2023-2024 Education Department and Bussing Registration



Register your child with the NFN Education Department **to take Nbisiing Bus Lines (required)**, and **to be eligible for start-up allowance, incentives, and awards!** Registration must be completed **every year** and updated as information changes (school, address, phone numbers).

Register in one of three ways!

- 1 **Submit online:** [NFN Membership Portal](#) (*New tab for "Students")
*Registration is made easy through the Portal. Once completed, the following year, you will receive a notification to review the current information on file and submit.
- 2 **Download the form and submit to the Education Department:** [NFN.ca/education](https://nfn.ca/education)
- 3 **Contact the Education Department for a form:**
☎ 705-753-6995
✉ jeffh@nfn.ca
📍 70 Semo Road, Garden Village ON P2B 3K2



Coming soon!

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).

SCHOOL BUS

Daatkaagmini Giizis (Blackberry Moon)



Daatkaagmin Giizis, Semaa nda- pkidnaa
mina dbasendis

Giyat gii-kanoondiyaangban mina n'de
mooshne mkshkawziwin

Gbishkoo giizis Ngii-kendaan Gzhemnidoon ndawenmid
nji- bi gnoonjgeyaan maa nake'ii

Gookmis bgosendam wii – dbasendisyaaan

Daatkaagminan miigwewnan ,nkwedwe pii
kinoomaagewnan wii-bzinmang kwedwewin maa Mnidoo
-kiing ebinjibaamgak.

Nkwedwe ni- shkiishkoon mina tawgan nji-zheskin,
nji miingoyaan endwenmaan maa ndi-nenmowin,
wiiwyong mina mino-mnidoowin. mii dash ji-moseyaan
maa Nishnaabe Miikaang megwaa Mnidoo Zhichkewin.

Noongom kwedwe ebwewendmowin iw gaa –kidsiwaan.

Pii dash mkeshkaadyaang Miiknaang , ga- chi- piitendis
eshi-aawyaan.

Baa maa dash minwa, Gmiigwechiwin!

Blackberry Moon, I offer my tobacco and humble myself.

It has been a long time since we spoke and my heart is
filled with energy like the moon.

I know the Creator would want me to come and speak this
way.

Gookmis, I humble myself to the gifts of the thimbleberry.

I ask in the time of these teachings, to hear the words that
come that come from the spirit world.

I ask that my eyes and ears be open, to receive what is
needed to balance my mind, body and spirit so I may walk
this anishnaabe road in the spirit of Creation.

I ask forgiveness for the things I do not speak of and the
things I have forgotten.

Until the next time, Miigwech!

Ojibwe Sound Chart

Listen to the
Ojibwe Sound Chart Song
by Muriel Sawyer ban.
Scan the QR code



	a	aa	e	i	ii	o	oo
b	ba	baa	be	bi	bii	bo	boo
ch	cha	chaa	che	chi	chii	cho	choo
d	da	daa	de	di	dii	do	doo
g	ga	gaa	ge	gi	gii	go	goo
j	ja	jaa	je	ji	jii	jo	joo
k	ka	kaa	ke	ki	kii	ko	koo
m	ma	maa	me	mi	mii	mo	moo
n	na	naa	ne	ni	nii	no	noo
p	pa	paa	pe	pi	pii	po	poo
s	sa	saa	se	si	sii	so	soo
sh	sha	shaa	she	shi	shii	sho	shoo
t	ta	taa	te	ti	tii	to	too
w	wa	waa	we	wi	wii	wo	woo
y	ya	yaa	ye	yi	yii	yo	yoo
z	za	zaa	ze	zi	zii	zo	zoo
zh	zha	zhaa	zhe	zhi	zhii	zho	zhoo
'	Ma'iingan – the glottal stop (represented by an apostrophe) is a sound made by a release of air from your throat.						

Introductions

Giin You
_____ **gdizhnikaaz** You are called _____

Wiin He/She/They
_____ **zhinkaazo** He/She/They are called _____

Niin Me
_____ **ndizhnikaaz** I am called _____



The *Residential Desk Project* is a travelling exhibit developed by Nipissing First Nation. The exhibit features antique school desks and encourages visitors to reflect on the residential school experience. The four school desks are painted to honour the lives of residential school children. The exhibit was developed by **Les Couchi** and **Joan McLeod Shabogesic** in collaboration with prominent Ontario artists; **Keith Campbell, Sean and Alexandra Couchie, Donald Chretien, Brady Penasse, Paulette Chretien and Tracey LaRochelle**.

North Bay Museum
100 Ferguson Street
North Bay, ON P1B 1W8

Monday to Friday: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
 Saturday: 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
 Sunday: **CLOSED**

NFN Band Members and Affiliates
Bring Your Own Unfinished Projects to

Open Sew

Every
Wednesday
in August 2023



with Lily Armstrong

6 to 9 P.M.

Culture Centre Building
Garden Village



Full Moon, Cloth Ceremony
Daatkaagmini Giizis (Blackberry Moon)

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2023

8:30 P.M.

NBISIING SECONDARY SCHOOL

To Register Email: bradyp@nfn.ca

Everyone is Welcome Skirt or no Skirt
Especially Kwewag Women on their "Moon Time"

FULL MOON CEREMONY

AUGUST 30TH
@ 7:00PM

LOCATION:
THE OJIBWAY
WOMEN'S LODGE

To Register Contact:

Brooklyn Penasse

705-472-0233

brooklynp@nfn.ca



Full Moon, Cloth Ceremony
Mdaamin Giizis (Corn Moon)

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 30, 2023

7:30 P.M.

GARDEN VILLAGE BAND OFFICE

To Register Email: bradyp@nfn.ca

Everyone is Welcome Skirt or no Skirt
Especially Kwewag Women on their "Moon Time"

See NFN August Events calendar on last page of Enkamgak!

BIRCH BARK BASKET WORKSHOP



SATURDAY, AUGUST 19, 2023
CHURCH BASEMENT GARDEN VILLAGE
9 A.M. - 4 P.M.
Email: Bradyp@nfn.ca to Register
\$25 Registration Fee



2ND ANNUAL MAHINGAN FAMILY ROAD RACE FOR FASD AWARENESS

Saturday, September 9 2023

North Bay Waterfront and the Kate Pace Way

Check-In @ 8:00am | Opening Ceremonies @ 9:00am

Registration Cost is a Food Donation!!

- OPEN TO ALL PEOPLE
- 1KM, 5KM & 9KM ROUTES
- DRUMMING AND MUSIC
- SNACKS & REFRESHMENTS



- GAMES/ACTIVITY STATIONS
- INFORMATION BOOTHS
- ART/CRAFT VENDORS
- DRAW PRIZES & GIVEAWAYS

<https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/mahingan-family-road-race-for-fasd-awareness-tickets-668308467617aff=oddttdcreator>



NFN Community BBQs

August 2 | 5-7 p.m.
Yellek (Playground)

August 23 | 5-7 p.m.
Garden Village (Outside of Gym)

Come out for some great food and meet with fellow community members and NFN leadership and staff.



AUGUST
9



DINER'S CLUB
FOR NFN SENIORS 55+
 FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT
 STELLA AT 705-753-3312

See NFN Augut Events calendar on last page of Enkamgak!

Children/Family Outing

SANTA'S VILLAGE

Wednesday, August 23



**Free Entry Ticket and
Transportation on Bus**

Depart Garden Village:	7:30 a.m.
Leave Santa's Village:	3:00 p.m.
Expected to Return to GV:	5:45 p.m.

Space is limited!

Register starting Tuesday, August 8 at 8:30 a.m.

705-753-3312

See NFN August Events calendar on last page of Enkamgak!

Child Welfare Prevention Events



Child Welfare Prevention: July at a Glance

In July, the Child Welfare Prevention team hosted many events, including:

- Kids cool Outdoor water Play ODR
- Kids Pizza and Park in Yellek
- Baby and Toddler Play at Northern Tykes
- Family Strawberry Picking
- Youth Community Clean up
- Tween Socials
- Youth Drop-ins: Culture Hangout, Movies, Gaming, Cosplay and sew-cials!
- Paint night with Jules
- Family Wonderland Trip
- Lodge building

Upcoming Events

1

Youth Movies at Galaxy

Ages 12 to 24

11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Galaxy Cinema North Bay

Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.ca

1

Afternoon Gaming

Ages 8 to 12

1 - 4 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.ca

2

Free Family Film

Ages 0 - 12

1 - 3 p.m.

Capitol Centre

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.ca

2

Youth Hangout

Ages 13 to 24

5 - 9 p.m.

Nbisiing Secondary School

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

3

Game On

Ages 6 to 12

3- 6 p.m.

Video Gaming Trailer, Yellek Trail

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.ca

3

Cosplay Planning with Kai

Ages 13 to 24

5- 8 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

4

Youth Bowling

Ages 12 to 24

11 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Bowling in North Bay

Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.ca

4

Movie Night

Open to Families

7 - 10 p.m.

Garden Village Gym

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.ca

4

Fire in the Teaching LodgeAges
13 to 24

6- 9 p.m.

65 Juniper Cres GV

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

5

Youth Movie NightAges
13 to 24

6- 9 p.m.

Garden Village Gym

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

9

Youth HangoutAges
13 to 24

5- 9 p.m.

Duchesnay Hall

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

9

Game OnAges
6 to 12

3 - 6 p.m.

Video Gaming Trailer, GV Baseball Field

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.ca

10

Paint with NumbersAges
0 to 12

1 - 3 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.ca

9

Story Time with GookmisAges
0 to 12

6 - 8 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.ca

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Cosplay Planning with KaiAges
13 to 24

5 - 8 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

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Fire in the Teaching LodgeAges
13 to 24

6 - 9 p.m.

65 Juniper Cres GV

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

12

Community Fish FryAges
13 to 24

10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Franks Bay

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

15

Bouncy House / ObstacleAges
0 to 12

1- 4 p.m.

GV Baseball Field

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.ca

16

Baby GroupAges
5 & under

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.

Northern Tikes

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.ca

8

Science North SudburyAges
12 to 24

10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Science North

Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.ca

9

Tween NightAges
9 to 12

6- 9 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.ca

9

Story Time with GookmisAges
0 to 12

6 - 8 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.ca

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Cosplay Planning with KaiAges
13 to 24

5 - 8 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

11

Outdoor PlayAges
0 to 12

12 - 3 p.m.

Outdoor Rink GV

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.ca

14

Dream Catcher MakingAges
8 to 12

1- 4 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.ca

16

Youth Fish FryAges
12 to 24

5 - 8 p.m.

Courtyard NFN Band Office

Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.ca

16

Youth HangoutAges
13 to 24

5- 9 p.m.

Duchesnay Hall

Register with Ian at ianc@nfn.ca

17

Tween Night

6 - 9 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

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

18

T-Shirt Tie Dye

5- 7 p.m.

Church Basement

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.caAges
0 to 12

19

Petroglyph Field Trip

9 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Peterborough

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

21

Story Time with Gookmis

6- 8 p.m.

Duchesnay Hall

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.caAges
0 to 12

24

Sensory Play

1 - 3 p.m.

GV Gym

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.caAges
0 to 12

28

Baby Group

10 a.m.- 12 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.caAges 5
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29

Kids Karaoke/ Just Dance

12 - 3 p.m.

GV Gym

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.caAges
6 to 12

31

Outdoor Play

12 - 3 p.m.

Outdoor Rink GV

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.caAges
0 to 12

17

Youth Bead-It Hangout

5 - 8 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

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

18

Fire in the Teaching Lodge

6- 9 p.m.

65 Juniper Cres GV

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

20

Pancake Breakfast

9 a.m. - 12 p.m.

GV Gym

Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.caOpen to
Families

23

Bouncy House / Obstacle

3- 6 p.m.

Duchesnay Baseball Field

Register with Victoria at victorial@nfn.caAges
0 to 12

25

Family Drive In

7- 9 p.m.

Location TBD

Register with Katie at katiel@nfn.caOpen to
Families

29

Youth Movies

5 -10 p.m.

Galaxy Cinema North Bay

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

30

Pow Wow Prep

5 - 9 p.m.

Duchesnay Hall

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

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Pow Wow Prep

5 - 8 p.m.

NFN Kendaaswin (Library)

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Community Events

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Namegiizhgaad Sunday	Nokiigiizhgaad Monday	Niizhgiizhgaad Tuesday	Aabtaawse Wednesday	Shpinganwang Thursday	Jiibiiatgogiizhgaad Friday	Maaniigiizhgaad Saturday
Child and Youth Events Check out pages 14-16!		1 Child and Youth Events Chief and Council 7:30 p.m. Duchesnay Hall Full Moon Ceremony 8:30 p.m. Nbisiing School	2 Food Bank Access Day  Child and Youth Events Community BBQ 5 - 7 p.m. Yellek Playground Open Sew 6 - 9 p.m. Culture Centre	3 Child and Youth Events	4 Child and Youth Events	5 Child and Youth Events
	6 Civic Holiday <div>CLOSED</div>	8 Child and Youth Events 	9 Education Registration/Pick Up Allowances 9 a.m. - 5:30 p.m. GV Diner's Club Child and Youth Events Open Sew 6 - 9 p.m.  Culture Centre	10 Child and Youth Events Education Registration/Pick Up Allowances 2 - 5:30 p.m. Duchesnay	11 Community Garden Stand GV-Senior's Home 12 - 3 p.m. Child and Youth Events	12 Child and Youth Events
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