

# MNO NODEGEWEN HANNAHVILLE

(Something good you hear about in Hannahville)

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## ***Hannahville Summer Youth Employment Program***

The Summer Youth Employment Program is a tribally funded program that employs between 50-60 youth each summer for a 7-8 week period. Once a student applies for the program they are interviewed and selected for various positions based on their interests and skill set. Some of the job sites available this summer will include: Aquaponics Operation, Day Care Aides, Kidzone Assistants, Water Treatment Technician Assistant, Casino Human Resources, Visions Center Receptionist, Housing Assistant, and General Laborers.

The Hannahville Youth Employment Program is intended to give youth the opportunity to:

- Enhance basic educational skills.
- Build career awareness of occupations.
- Build civic responsibility, employability and worker maturity skills.
- Prepare for the local labor market.
- Provide exposure to the world of work.
- Encourage school completion, or enrollment in alternative school settings.

Work-based learning is generally composed of two parts: learning through service, and academic application that requires tasks that deal with reading, math, communication skills, teamwork, critical thinking, planning, and those soft skills required by business and industry.

As a participant, youth have the opportunity to be placed in an individual worksite that aligns with their career pathway of interest, to help them learn about their potential career choice. The purpose of the experience is to enhance the job prospects and career opportunities of young people, and to enable them to secure unsubsidized employment in the public and private sectors of the economy.

This experience includes a well-supervised work experience and additional services to include labor market, career information, team building, leadership building and other worker maturity skills needed in today's workplace.

The Program is focused on work-based learning experiences and is designed to build civic, academic and work maturity skills. Tribal members and descendants between the ages of 14-19 (*14 years of age by June 1, 2014 and 19 or through the summer of graduation*) are eligible for Summer Youth Employment. Eligible youth must have their paperwork turned in no later than April 21, 2014.

The Job Fair will be held on Tuesday, May 8, from 2:30-5:30 pm in the upper level of Youth Center at which time site supervisors will conduct interviews.

If you have any questions, please contact Rebecca Spreitzer, Youth Employment Coordinator at 723-2726.

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# Community Information

## TRIBAL COUNCIL

Meetings are held on the first Monday of every month at 10:00 am in the chambers at the Administration Building. To be added to the agenda call Tammy Meshigaud, Tribal Council Secretary at 723-2604.

## ADULT & CHILD WELFARE

Meetings are held on the second and fourth Monday of every month at 10:00 am within the Visions Center.

## GAMING COMMISSION

Meetings are twice a month on Wednesday's at 10:00 am within the Casino. Call Brad Madalinski, Gaming Commission Director at 723-2046 with any questions.

## HEALTH BOARD

Meetings are on the fourth Thursday of every month at 3:00 pm in the upstairs conference room of the Health & Human Services building.

## HOUSING BOARD

The Housing Board meets on the first Tuesday of every month at 2:00 pm within the Housing Department.

## SCHOOL BOARD

The School Board meets on the second Thursday of every month at 3:00 pm in the School conference room.

*All times and dates are subject to change. Due to confidentiality reasons, some meetings may have closed sessions.*

## From your Enrollment Department

It is very important that all Tribal Members and Registered Descendants keep their contact information current with the Enrollment Office, whether you live on or off tribal lands.

Your residential address is used in a variety of ways. Examples: when you enroll a child, your residency accuracy is very important; for fire/safety reasons; during tribal elections for voter and board eligibility; census data, etc. Therefore, anytime you move please be sure to contact the Enrollment Officer with your new address and phone number and the names of other members residing at the address.

Hannahville Indian Community  
Enrollment Officer, Jackie Kang  
N14911 Hannahville B-1 Rd  
Wilson, MI 49896

Phone: 906-723-2601  
Fax: 906-466-2933  
Email: [enrollment@hannahville.org](mailto:enrollment@hannahville.org)

Days/hours of operation: Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:00pm EST.

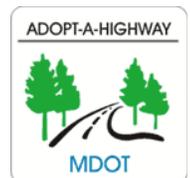
## Adopt-A-Highway Program

Adopt-A-Highway is a Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) program designed to help keep the state's highway roadsides clean and attractive.



The Hannahville Tribal Police Department (HPD) is looking for any volunteers that would like to assist in this valuable community service. The 3 miles that HPD cleans is from the beginning of County Line Road to D-Road.

The Adopt-A-Highway spring clean up is scheduled for **Tuesday, April 29th**. *In case of bad weather, the make-up day is set for Thursday, May 1st.*



If you are interested, please contact Nicki at 466-2911.



Native Pride, Native Ride!

## EZ TAXI

466-2128 or 368-0515 Edna Keezer, Owner/Driver  
Location: N15321 Cedarview Drive, Wilson, MI 49896  
Hours of Operation: 6:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Monday –Friday

## Fares

### Flat Fees, One Way:

\$3.00 per person on reservation  
\$5.00 per person to Bark River or less than 15 miles  
\$10.00 per person to Escanaba

### Round Trip:

Flat fee charged plus  
1/2 the flat fee for the  
return trip.

Now offering pick up from Escanaba or within a 15 mile radius for an additional \$5.00. Call EZ Taxi with any questions.

# Community Information

## Sexual Assault Awareness Month

April is Sexual Assault Awareness Month. You're invited to attend a Presentation on Sexual Assault Awareness at the Community Center from 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. on **Thursday, April 24th**. Pre-register to receive a free lunch.

If you have any questions, please call:  
STOP VIOLENCE COORDINATOR  
Nora Ault 723-2663 or  
CRIME VICTIM'S ADVOCATE  
Ruth Oja 723-2662

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## Cobell v. Salazar Indian Trust Settlement

On August 1, 2013, the Claims Administrator mailed letters detailing its second determination of eligibility to all persons who filed a request for reconsideration. At this time there are over 30,000 accounts where the Government's records do not reflect the current contact information of the owner. If you believe you or a family member may hold a Whereabouts Unknown account, please visit [www.indiantrust.com](http://www.indiantrust.com). You can then select the State and Tribe you are from which will bring up a list of names. If you have information on "Whereabouts Unknown" people found on the list, please help identify the owner and their current address by calling the Indian Trust Whereabouts Unknown Hotline: 866-591-2958, so that future payments may be made directly to the account holder.

Trust Administration Class payments are expected to be mailed in 2014. After the membership of the Trust Administration Class is finalized, it will take approximately a month to complete the calculations for the over 500,000 Trust Administration Class Members.

Please be assured that all parties are doing everything possible to issue the Trust Administration payments as soon as possible. If you have any questions, please call: 800-961-6109 or email: [Info@IndianTrust.com](mailto:Info@IndianTrust.com)

## Tree Distribution for Earth Day and Arbor Day

The Hannahville Environmental Department will be distributing tree seedlings and saplings to the Community on: **Friday, April 25, 2014**. Distribution will begin at 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. at Hannahville Environmental/Homemakers Building just south of the Tribal Administration Building.



The following tree species are on order: Northern, White Cedar, Red Pine, White Pine, Red Oak, and White Birch (*please note that all species listed are subject to availability*).

Planting trees is beneficial to the environment. They create wind breaks and shade that directly reduces heating and cooling energy consumption. Trees are also beneficial to wildlife, providing food and habitat. Guidance for planting instructions, locations and spacing will also be available.

For more information, call the Environmental Department at 723-2295.

## Children's Fun Festival

Sponsored by the Delta County Early Childhood Council and Delta-Schoolcraft Great Start Collaborative, the purpose of the event is to encourage family fun, literacy, and all around good health. Free books and Games for children 8 and under. Join us for Fun Fest on **Saturday, April 12th from 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** in the Delta Plaza Mall. If you have any questions, please call: Tara Weaver 906-786-9300 ext 109.

## Escanaba Noon Kiwanis Home and Garden Show and Pancake Days

Saturday, April 12th, 9:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Sunday, April 13th, 9:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Where: Ruth Butler Building, U.P. State Fair Grounds  
Free Admission. Pancake Tickets: Adults \$5, Ages 6-12 \$3, Children under 5 free. For more information call: Pat Rudden 906-786-8751.

# Election Information

Listed below is an excerpt from the Hannahville Indian Community Drug and Alcohol Policy. If you have any questions, please contact the Legal Department at 723-2610.

**6. Candidates for Public Office; Testing Requirement; Election; Effect of Prior Positives.** All candidates for public office must present the results of a negative drug and alcohol test done within the 30 days before their registration to run for public office. Each candidate will be responsible for paying for his or her own test, which may be obtained from a facility other than the Hannahville Health and Human Services laboratory.

(1) Confidentiality of Qualifying Test. Because candidates have sought and paid for testing themselves, they do not need to release the test results if positive. Therefore, a positive test will not be reported to anyone but the candidate and will not affect current employment or public office.

(2) Prior Positives. All candidates, regardless of whether or not they now hold public office who have prior positives but who are compliant with the Drug & Alcohol Policy (i.e. are complying with a treatment program) will, if re-elected, have the same number of positives as they had at their last term of office and/or employment. However, if a candidate for public office was removed from office due to noncompliance with this Policy, the person will not be eligible to run for office unless he or she has also had an assessment and complied with any required minimum treatment program requirements in regard to testing and counseling as determined by the number of positive occurrences which he or she has had within the records retention cycle of this Policy.

(a) Certification of Treatment Program Compliance. In addition to presenting a negative drug and alcohol test in order to be eligible to register to run for public office a person who has previously tested positive must present written documentation, not more than 30 days old, from his or her treatment provider that he or she is in compliance with his or her treatment program.

(b) Releases. Appropriate HIPAA compliant releases must be provided by the candidate in respect to Drug and Alcohol testing and treatment program compliance.

## Voter Registration and Board Sign Up

Registration will be held in the Administration Building from 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. on the following days:

Monday, April 14

Tuesday, April 15

Wednesday, April 16

and Thursday, April 17 from 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

**REGISTER  
TO VOTE!**

In order to be qualified to vote an individual must be an enrolled Hannahville Indian Community Tribal Member, be 21 years of age on or before May 5, 2014, reside on tribal lands on or before February 5, 2014 and complete voter registration.

In order to be eligible to run for a Board you must be an enrolled HIC Tribal Member, be 21 years of age on or before May 5, 2014 and reside on tribal lands on or before February 5, 2014.

## Drug Testing

Drug testing for Board candidacy can be done at the Health Clinic until Thursday, April 17, 2014 at noon. The cost is \$25 and is due at the time of the test. Please keep in mind that if you are currently on a prescription it takes at least 7 days for confirmation. The receipt from your drug test is due when you sign up for Boards. To make an appointment for drug testing, call the Lab Department at 723-2533.

## Tribal Elections

Elections will be on **Monday, May 5**, at the Community Center from 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Count up and meal to follow.

As written in the Tribal Election Ordinance of the HIC, *“It shall be unlawful for any person in the polling place or within [100] feet of the entrance to the polling to try to persuade orally, or by the distribution of any materials or in any way or manner try to persuade or influence any person to vote for or against a person or issue which is being voted on at the election...”*

# *Election Information*

## **NOTICE REGARDING CANDIDATE ELIGIBILITY TO SERVE ON CHILD WELFARE, HEALTH AND SCHOOL BOARDS**

Note: These requirements are excerpted from the Hannahville Indian Community Background Investigations Policy.

### **Child Welfare & Health Boards**

A person is eligible to serve on the Child Welfare or Health Boards if they have **never** been convicted under tribal, state or federal law of, (or pled no contest or nolo contendere to) **any** of the following: **a felony or high court misdemeanor**; or **do not** have **two or more misdemeanor** convictions under federal, tribal or state law that are crimes of: violence; sexual assault; sexual molestation; sexual exploitation; sexual contact; prostitution; crimes against persons; or offenses committed against children.

### **School Board**

A person is **eligible** to serve on the School Board if they have **never** been convicted under tribal, state or federal law of, (or pled no contest or nolo contendere to) any of the following: **a felony or high court misdemeanor**; or **do not** have **two or more misdemeanors** involving crimes of: violence; sexual assault; sexual molestation; sexual exploitation; sexual contact; prostitution; crimes against persons; or offenses committed against children.

A person **must** report, and **may**, in future, be prohibited from serving or continuing to serve on the School Board if the person has been convicted under tribal, state or federal law of, (or pled no contest or nolo contendere to) **any misdemeanor** involving: leaving the scene of an accident; selling or furnishing alcohol to a minor; domestic assault & battery; assault & battery with serious injury; threats or assault & battery against FIA/HHS employees; obstructing, or and assault against an employee in the course of employment; conduct against a pregnant individual with injury to a fetus or embryo; fourth degree child abuse; allowing consumption or possession of alcohol by minor(s) at a social gathering; contributing to the delinquency of a minor; intentionally pointing/aiming a firearm at another; indecent exposure; stalking.

**Procedure:** If you know that a tribal governmental background investigation has been completed, and prior to the time that you register to run for election to the above named boards, you should consult your **adjudication certificate** to see on what Boards you are eligible to serve. At the time of registration, you will be required to sign an affidavit identifying any convictions that would prohibit your serving on those boards. Any misrepresentation will, of course, result in removal from the board, if elected.

Assuming that you are elected and do not have those statutory bars to service, each elected official will be required to submit to a full governmental background investigation if one has not been previously done, or may be required to submit to an updated investigation if a full investigation has been done.

We wish to encourage all of our membership to participate in the election process by voting and running for boards for which they qualify.

We regret that persons who may have had early convictions and who have since led exemplary lives, may continue to experience the ill effects of those earlier mistakes, but these requirements and their enforcement, while intended to safeguard our children, vulnerable adults and institutions, are applied equally to all.

Sincerely,

Tribal Elections Committee  
Hannahville Indian Community

Note: Gaming Commission Background requirements differ from governmental regulations. Please consult with the Tribal Gaming Commission for those requirements. Call the Legal Department with any questions at 723-2610.

# Adoption Requests

Hello, my name is **Nickolas Burns** and I am writing to you to ask for your vote in this year's 2014 adoption process. I am of 3/8 blood quantum from the Hannahville band of Potawatomi People, and I am the son of Cynthia and Daniel Burns. My grandparents were Fred and Rose Wandahsega who were both tribal members of Hannahville. Some of my immediate family includes my aunts: Jan Wandahsega, Gloria Wandahsega, Barb Philemon (deceased), Mary Meshigaud, Brenda W, and Anita Howard. My uncles include: Fred (deceased), Bill, Scott, and Jerry Wandahsega. Most of my relatives live here on the reservation aside from the few cousins who still reside in Wisconsin. My mother is a tribal member who works at the Hannahville School with kids ranging from toddlers on up to third grade where she is teaching language and culture. My father is not a tribal member, though he has been around for the forty plus years that my parents have been married. You may recognize him as the man that looks like Santa Claus. My family has been here for going on ten years now and I have been trying for more than that to be recognized as a tribal member.

As for me personally, I am a 2010 graduate of Bark River-Harris High School, and I currently attend Bay de Noc Community College where I am majoring in Pre-Engineering. However, I have recently decided to switch my major to Actuarial Science. I have decided that Michigan Tech is the best school for me, but I again need your help here. I do not qualify for the Indian Tuition Waiver because I am not a recognized tribal member; this is one reason I am asking for your vote. How can I help the community? Some of you might be wondering what an actuary does so I will sum it up for you, an actuary deals with insurance and predicting the likely-hood that something will happen. They help most businesses with finances and other number crunching situations. I hope to work here in Hannahville and the surrounding areas and hopefully have my own little office in administration one day. Presently I work at Hannahville Youth Services where I am a Youth Coach/Mentor. It is my job to tutor our youth in all areas, but more specifically math. I also take on roles of planning/running events for youth and their families. You might have seen me at Rec Night, Basketball Games, Tubing Night, or End of the Year Picnic amongst other things. I really enjoy working here with the kids and often times wish that I didn't have to move on, but I do. Also, I help the school as a secretary to keep the mornings running smoothly.

As for my future, I hope to live here on the reservation as a tribal member which is also why I need your help. I hope to keep involved with the school and youth center and be active in helping the youth succeed. I would like to one day be on a board for the community and help guide us into the future. I moved here close to ten years ago and I didn't think I wanted to call this place home, but now it has grown on me. Most of you think I am already a member, but I regretfully am not. This is my home and my community, and I hope to be accepted into the tribe this year. Please **Vote for Nickolas Burns on this year's adoption ballot.**

Thank you for your vote,



20 years and still trying! Please vote to adopt my daughters: **Janna Havel and Janell VanderPlaats**. Do or die, I have to try, try, try. Thank you, Janice Wandahsega



Hello, my name is **Roxanne Miller**, I'm writing to tell you about myself for your consideration when you see my name on the adoption ballot this year. Hannahville has been my home for almost 20 years. I graduated from Hannahville Indian School in 2000; and have been employed at Hannahville's Water Dept. since 2002. I am scheduled to obtain my Associate's degree in Water Resource Management from Bay College this May. My father; Eddy Sagataw, grandparents; the late Edgar & Charlotte Sagataw, and my two sons; Danté Miller & Demitrius Wandahsega, are all enrolled Tribal Members of Hannahville. I consider myself more than a registered descendant of Hannahville, I have many family members and friends from here. Not only do I have a history with Hannahville, I also see my future in Hannahville. I don't see any other place I would rather call home. Thank You.

# Adoption Requests



To the eligible voters of the community;

Boo-zhoo, our names are Charles Meshigaud and Melinda Meshigaud and we are writing this letter on behalf of our daughter **Shyanne Louise Meshigaud**. We were hoping that we could take a little bit of your time to ask for your help in getting our daughter adopted into the tribe. Because we chose to reside in Escanaba when Shyanne was born in 2007 she needs help getting adopted into our tribe. Our son Daniel Mark James Meshigaud is an enrolled member of the tribe. Shyanne's great-grandparents on her father's side are Hubert and Luella (Wandahsega) Meshigaud and were both members of the Hannahville tribe. Also her great-grandmother on her mom's side of the family was Hazel Wandahsega and she was also a part of the tribe. Her grandparents on her dad's side of the family are Daniel and Lorrie Meshigaud and her grandfather is also a member. On her mom's side of the family her grandmother is Bonnie Gafner and she is also a tribal member.

We would just like for our daughter to be able to further her education in college if she chooses and have an option to get the tuition waiver. Our daughter loves to go to school and scores above her class in all of her subjects. We would also like her to know that if she moves back to Hannahville in the future she will be able to have the option to get help with housing. We would also like her to know that the community has programs that she would be able to utilize as an enrolled tribal member.

Our daughter has also been involved in many activities in the community even though we reside in Wisconsin. She has attended the pow wow every year since she was born and has also had the opportunity to go to the Potawatomi gathering when it was in Hannahville last and also traveled to the gathering last year. She also loves to dance and be around the drumming and has since she was born. We also put her to sleep with drum cd's. She has lots of friends in the community and spends summers in Hannahville between her grandparent's Daniel and Lorrie Meshigaud's home and Bonnie Gafner's home. She also likes to spend time watching her aunts Nikki and Kira do beadwork and she loves to learn about her culture. We would just like for our daughter to know that she has a family with our tribe and that she is a part of a greater community. Thank you so much for taking your time to read this letter for our daughter Shyanne Meshigaud and we would like to say thank you beforehand for your votes.

Hi, I'm **Kimberly Kang** (18 years old). I am currently listed as a recognized descendant and am applying to be adopted into the community. The following tribal members are who I am descended from: Mother, Jackie Kang (Baldwin), Grandmother, Susan Jensen (Baldwin, Smith), Great-Grandmother, Agnes Smith (Wandahsega). Agnes was a sister to the following Wandahsega: Lillian, Hazel, Cecilia, Dolly, (Slim) Frank Jr., Fred, Thomas, James and Rose.

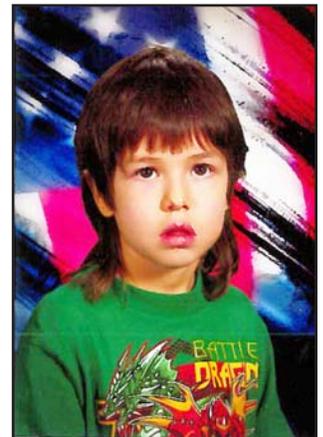
This May, I will be graduating Escanaba High School and going off to college in the fall. I plan on attending Eastern Michigan University to earn a degree in Music Education. Through middle school and high school, I have discovered my passion for music.



I want to be able to spread that passion to other kids by becoming a music teacher and would love to see the addition of a music class in our community.

I am a very friendly, hardworking, positive person and am very proud of my native heritage. Being an enrolled member would be a great honor and privilege for me. Also, being able to receive the Michigan College Tuition Waiver would greatly help out my family and I.

So I would like to ask you to please vote yes for me to be adopted into the Community. My most sincere appreciation is going out to you for your vote. Migwetth



My name is **Noel Sagataw**. I am nine years old. Charlene Peters is my grandmother. Jessie Sagataw is my mother. I would like to be adopted into the Hannahville Tribe.  
Thank you.

# Adoption Requests

Hello everyone, my name is Ben Wandahsega. I am a tribal member, Housing Director and employee of the Hannahville Indian Community for the past 20 years.

I'd like to introduce my children, **Allison Taylor** and **Aiden Benjamin**. They are both registered descendants and would love to be included as full members of the Hannahville Potawatomi Tribe.

My daughter, Allison Taylor is 11 years old and an honor roll student in her 5th grade class at Bark River-Harris School. She loves to play basketball, ski the slopes, ride horses and enjoys participating in the Summer Kid Zone program at Hannahville School. She is also active in the Giddy up and Go 4-H Club, loves her American Quarter Horse, Jack (a.k.a. Rustys Sunup) and hopes to someday work with animals when she grows up. My son, Aiden Benjamin is 6 years old and is in Mrs. King's 1st grade class at the Soaring Eagle School in Hannahville. He loves culture class with Mr. Kovish and is doing a super job of learning and speaking native language. Aiden also enjoys skiing and riding the chairlift, riding his 4-wheeler and his miniature pony named Jake, playing with his trucks in the mud and making fantastic creations with paper/cardboard and tape!



Allison and Aiden's Great-Great Grandfather was Frank Wandahsega Sr., a past Chairman of our tribe, he was married to Anna Keshick. Their Great-Grandfather is Frank Wandahsega Jr., known as "Slim", also a past Tribal Council Member. My father, their Grandfather, is Frank Wandahsega III, known as "Frankie" to most. He is a retired electrician from Mead Paper, an established wood carver and is currently employed at Sweet Grass Golf Club.

I humbly ask for your support and a vote of "YES" for **Allison Taylor Wandahsega** and **Aiden Benjamin Wandahsega** in helping them to become adopted family members of the Hannahville Potawatomi Tribe.



Dear Tribal Members,

My name is **Nadia Hess** and I am asking for you to vote YES for me in the upcoming Hannahville Indian Community 2014 election adoption requests. I am currently a descendant and I just turned 6 years old on March 12 of this year. I've lived here in Hannahville in the Cedarview subdivision since I was 8 months old. I also attended headstart at the Hannahville School where I have made many friends. I enjoyed learning about our culture and language in school. One thing I love about our culture is dancing in the Pow Wow. I have been dancing in the Pow Wow since I was 2 years old.

Unfortunately for me we were not residing on the reservation when I was born, so the only way I can become a tribal member now is if I am fortunate enough to be adopted in. Luckily I live here now and will continue to live here where I can be raised with my friends and family. I'm praying for enough votes for my adoption so I will be able to live here on the reservation as a tribal member as I should be.



My mom is Amanda (Webber) Hess, she is currently an enrolled tribal member and has worked for the tribe in the Purchasing Department for 5 years at Hannahville Administration building. My biological grandmother was Lynette Smith and my great grandparents were Lucy (Feathers) and Francis Smith Sr. I also have many aunts, uncles, and cousins who are enrolled Tribal members.

My future is here in Hannahville and I am also the future of Hannahville. Please select me for adoption in the 2014 election as my name is on the ballot and I would be honored to be a member of this great community.

Meegwetch, **Nadia Sandra-Sue Hess**

# Housing Department

## Hannahville Housing Department

To apply, stop in the Housing Department to fill out or update an application. The Housing Department will no longer accept phone calls for updates. Hours of operation are: Monday – Friday 8:00 am – 4:00 pm. Postings for available homes are located within the Housing office as well as the Hannahville Housing Facebook page. Remember that you must update your application each time you are applying for a home. You must also have all the required information attached and current to qualify. Call 906-723-2294 with any questions.

The Hannahville Housing Department is also taking applications for **2 – Rent to Own Homes**. Applicants will be selected using the HUD 2014 Income Limits policy. Applications are available at the Housing Office. Applicants will need to attach current paystubs AND either their IRS 1094 form or W2 & 1099 forms. Deadline: May 1, 2014 at 5:00 p.m. No exceptions.

To be a qualified applicant your income must meet the Income limits. For example, using the Income Limits Summary shown below, if you have 4 persons in your family and your income for 2013 is 42,250 or under, you will qualify.

To view the full 2014 Income Limits Summary, please visit [www.huduser.org](http://www.huduser.org)

2014 Income Limits Summary for Menominee County								
Low Income Limits (\$)	Number of persons in family							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	29,600	33,800	38,050	42,250	45,650	49,050	52,400	55,800

## HOMES FOR RENT



**3 – one-bedroom apartments in Elder’s Building #2.**  
Rent is \$100.00 per month. Deadline: open until filled.

**Call ahead for pick up 906-723-2094. Open daily 11:00 am – 10:00 pm**

### Signature Specialty Pizzas

7” - \$6.49 12” - \$13.49 16” - \$18.49

Island Deluxe, Meat Lovers “Luau”, Island Veggie, Meatball, Chicken Alfredo, Hawaiian, Bacon Cheeseburger “In Paradise”, and the B.L.T.

“Ask for the Monthly Signature Pizza Feature”

### Signature Pizza

7” - \$4.49 12” - \$8.49 16” - \$13.49

Additional Toppings

7” - .50 12” - 1.00 16” - 1.25

Add Breadsticks to any pizza order for 4.49

Add Cheesy Bread Sticks to any pizza order for 5.99

Add to any Pizza: 20 oz soda \$1.25  
or 2-liter Soda for \$1.50



### Signature Subs

Personal \$4.49

Regular \$6.49

Family \$17.99

“Ask for the Monthly Signature Sub Feature”

### Signature Combos

with the purchase of any sub

Medium Soda, choice of Chips or Baked Good and a Big Pickle \$2

Medium Soda, 8oz Deli Salad or Parfait and a Big Pickle \$3

Upgrade to a large soda for only .25

Substitute 20 oz bottled beverage add .50

# Great Lakes Area Traditional Pow Wow

## Vendor Information

Vendor applications are now available on the [www.hannahville.net](http://www.hannahville.net) website or can be picked up from Anna Larson within the Administration building. To guarantee a vendor space, the payment must be received in full. Vendor spaces are available on a first paid, first served basis. The fee for enrolled Hannahville Indian Community tribal members will remain at \$50.00. For all other vendors the fee will be \$150.00 if payment is received or postmarked by May 30, 2014. After May 31, an additional \$25.00 will be added to the fee. This year there will also be a required donation of \$20.00 minimum, cash or gift (equal or greater value) to be used as a spot dance prize. If you have any questions, please call Anna Larson at 723-2623.

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## Pow Wow Workers

Human Resources within the Administration building will be posting the employment opportunity for pow wow workers in May. At that time, all those interested will need to fill out or update an application. Following the closing date, Human Resources will assign times for drug testing. Orientation and scheduling will take place after the Blessing of the Grounds Feast on Tuesday, June 17, 2014.

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## Miss Great Lakes

The Miss Great Lakes competition carries on the tradition of selecting a young, Hannahville Potawatomi woman to represent the community. It is open to enrolled tribal members and descendants of the Hannahville Indian Community who are between the ages 8-18. *Contestants may not hold another Princess title.*

Miss Great Lakes is selected by acquiring points in a variety of categories. Contestants must have knowledge of the customs, traditions and history of the Hannahville Indian Community. Contestants must also be in full regalia for all 4 grand entries throughout Pow Wow weekend, the interview portion which will be done by selected tribal members and/or workers of the tribe, and dance exhibition(s) which will be announced.

Official entry application packets are available at the Administration Building front desk or downloaded online at [www.hannahville.net](http://www.hannahville.net). Along with the application, contestants will also need to include a letter of reference, certification of tribal affiliation (*this certification can be in the form of a signed document from the enrollment department or a copy of a tribal identification card*), signed Behavior Code of Conduct and a personal essay.

**Applications must be submitted by Tuesday, June 17, 2014 at 4:00 p.m. No exceptions.** Return all items in a sealed envelope to the Culture Committee mailbox at the Administration Building. For our reference, please have the receptionist stamp the envelope with the date of submission.

The Miss Great Lakes competition will be held at the 38th Annual Great Lakes Area Traditional Pow Wow during June 20-22, 2014. If you have any questions, please contact Molly Meshigaud at 723-2612.

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## Regalia Making Class

Are you interested in making an outfit for the pow wow? Hannahville Homemakers along with the Culture Department will be offering classes at the Homemakers building. Participants will be responsible for the materials needed.

Summer Cohen will lead the classes, helping participants with designs and construction. She will also help you make a list of items you will need to purchase and discuss the styles of dance. There will be multiple class dates to fit participants schedules. To find out when the next class is, please contact Marilyn Shawano at 368-0355 or Jill Wabanimkee at 723-2273.

# Culture and Language

## SHI SHI BE

The next Shi Shi Be will be held on Saturday, April 12th at the Community Center. Doors open at noon. Games will run 1:00 – 5:00 pm. An Easter themed meal will be served between games. Everyone is



invited to attend! Blank sheets and vocabulary will be available when you arrive if you haven't already got them.

If you have any questions, please call Molly Meshigaud at 723-2612.

## 2014 Potawatomi Gathering

This year's Potawatomi Gathering will be hosted by the Match-e-be-nash-she-wish, Gun Lake Band of Potawatomi Indians in Gun Lake (Dorr), Michigan (just south of Grand Rapids), August 4 – 11, 2014.

Preliminary Agenda:

Monday, August 4 – Wednesday, August 6  
Language Conference

Thursday, August 7  
All Bands Tribal Council Meeting

Friday, August 8  
Gathering and Pow Wow

Saturday, August 9  
Gathering, Pow Wow and Traditional Feast



The official website for the Potawatomi Gathering is: [www.potawatominations.com](http://www.potawatominations.com) and will be updated with full details next month.

## Spring Ceremonies

Everyone is invited to attend Spring Ceremonies at the Community Center on **Thursday, April 17th** beginning at 10:00 a.m. A potluck styled lunch will start at noon. Please bring: a dish to pass, an item for the giveaway (items can be new or gently used) and a dish bag.



For more information, please contact: Sue Gustafson at 723-2552 or Jill Wabanimkee at 723-2273.

## UPCOMING POW WOW'S

### Green Bay Intertribal Student Council Powwow

Kress Events Center, Green Bay, WI

Saturday, April 12th

Host Drum: Str8 Across

Invited Drums: Smokey Town, Lake Delton,

Young Firekeepers, Git-tah-Zay,

Cumberland Singers, and Eagle Singers

Cost: FREE admission to event and feast

Grand Entries at 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

For more information call: 920-412-2404

### 25th Annual Veterans of the Menominee Nation

Gathering of Warriors Pow Wow

Woodland Bowl, Keshena, WI

May 16, 17 & 18, 2014

Host Drum: Smokeytown

Grand Entries Saturday at 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Sunday at noon

For more information call 715-851-4748

### Ho-Chunk Nation Memorial Day Pow Wow

Black River Falls, WI

May 24, 25 & 26, 2014

For more information call: 715-284-9343

### Mole Lake's 31st Annual "Ode-imini-giizis"

**Strawberry Moon Pow Wow**

Mole Lake Powwow Grounds, Crandon, WI

June 14 and 15, 2014

For more information call: (715) 622-0212

or (715) 478-7519

### 38th Annual Great Lakes Area Traditional Pow Wow

Woodland Gathering Grounds, Wilson, MI

June 20, 21 & 22, 2014

More information coming soon

### Bay Mills Indian Community Traditional Pow Wow

June 27, 28 & 29, 2014

Main Ball Field, Brimley, MI

For more information call: (906) 248-8527



# Great Lakes Traditional Arts Gathering

Celebrating our Region's Rich Heritage through Meaningful Learning Experiences

Registration is now open for the Great Lakes Traditional Arts Gathering;  
**July 9-13, 2014**

Held on the sandy secluded shore of Warners Cove on Drummond Island, MI, the Great Lakes Traditional Arts Gathering is four days of hands-on learning with some of the Great Lakes region's most renowned artists, tradition bearers, naturalists, and craft specialists.

### Over 60 Hands-on Workshops and Classes Include:

- Building a moose skin boat with Ferdy Goode
- Cree style woven rabbit fur blankets with Daisy Kostus
- Bison wool twined bags
- Processing wild rice
- Open fired pottery cookware
- Nine ways to make fire with Barry Keegan
- Cedar bark mat weaving
- Copper axe building, Anishinaabe star knowledge, forging the fire steel, dugout & birch bark canoe paddling, and much more!

### Outings - Fun and Educational Off-site Adventures:

- Foraging & preserving seasonal wild foods with Sam Thayer
- Live-fire outing at a shooting range using replica firearms of the fur trade with Larry Horrigan
- Explore the ecology & history of wild rice with a canoe tour of the Potoganassing River led by Roger LaBine
- Go sailing with Captain Hugh Covert in a 40-foot hand- built wooden New Haven Sharpie
- Paddle to Harbor Island National Wildlife Refuge in 24-foot birch bark voyageur canoes
- Locate, select, and help harvest black ash logs for both basket making and building the toboggan.

### Evening Entertainment:

- Feature musical performance by The Crane Wives
- "Poetry Sweat" performance coordinated by Christine Sy

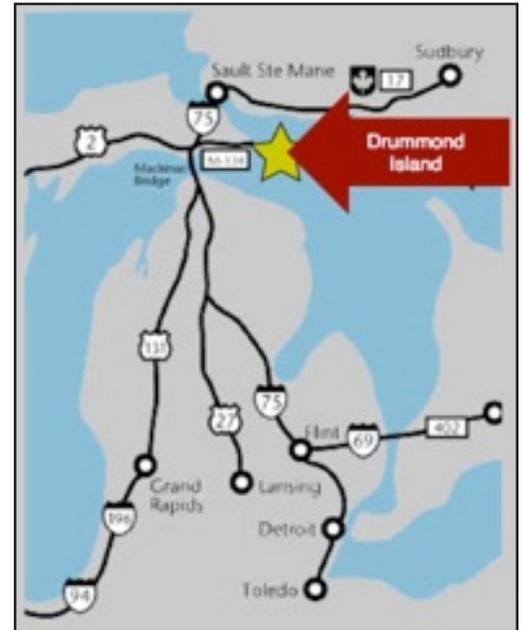
GLTAG is a non profit service of the Great lakes Lifeways Institute. Our mission statement is:

*"To preserve and share the heritage of the land, traditions, arts, and culture of the Great Lakes Region as an enrichment of our communities and an investment in future generations."*

Visit GLTAG website [www.islandgathering.org](http://www.islandgathering.org) to learn more. If you have any questions, feel free to contact: Erik Vosteen, Assistant Director, Great Lakes Lifeways Institute at 574-518-0774 or email [evosteen@lifewaysinstitute.org](mailto:evosteen@lifewaysinstitute.org)

On behalf of the Great Lakes Lifeways Institute, we thank you for your support and look forward to seeing you this summer!

Sincerely,  
GLTAG Team, Great Lakes Lifeways Institute



Registration is limited and the deadline is June 24, 2014, so register now!

#### Full event:

- \$300 Per Adult age 13 and up
- \$150 Per youth age 5 thru 12
- Youth 4 and under free

Day Passes and discount information available on website. Sorry no pets allowed on site.

**Great Lakes  
Traditional Arts  
Gathering (GLTAG)**



# Supportive Housing Program Open House

## Supportive Housing Program

The mission of Hannahville Supportive Housing Program is to create a clean and sober living environment for adult tribal members in need of stable housing who are actively participating with collaborating program services within the community to achieve their Individual Plan for Independence (IPI).

Three Fires Supportive Housing Program is ready to begin! The community is invited to attend the House Warming Reception on **Wednesday, April 16th from 2:00 – 4:00 p.m.** Show your support for the Supportive Housing Program Participants by bringing NEW household items to donate and your name will be entered into a prize drawing!

Within the building are thirteen 1-bedroom units that will be fully furnished. Eligibility requirements are:

- Hannahville Tribal Member (male or female)
- Age 18 years or older
- Agree to substance-free living environment

Please remember that the Supportive Housing Program is separate from the Hannahville Housing Department. The oversight team for the selection process is made up of staff from the Behavioral Health Department, Visions Program and the Recovery Coach.



The Supportive Housing Program is located at: 3017 D Road, Bark River. The construction was funded by an Indian Community Development Block Grant from the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development.

The next official deadline is **Wednesday, April 30, 2014** but applications will continually be taken until the program is full. Applications are available at the following locations: Hannahville Visions Center, Hannahville Behavioral Health, Hannahville Social Services, and in the Victims of Crime office.

Once completed, return applications to Stephanie Philemon at the Visions Center. For more information, please call Stephanie at 906-723-2581.



The units vary in size but have the same layout. There is also a conference room and storage area within the building.



Units also have outdoor areas. The upper level has a deck that wraps around the front of the building.

# Health & Human Services

## Gardening/Farming Group

Do you want to grow your own food? Are you interested in having food sovereignty? Want to learn how to feed your family healthier?

If you answered yes, then join our group and you will learn all of the above and much more!

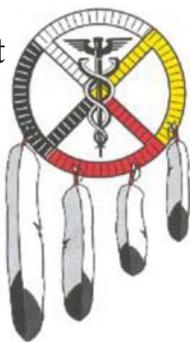
- Learn about the nutrition of the food you can grow.
- Attend local conferences that focus on gardening and farming.
- Receive all the materials and how-to knowledge to build your own container gardens or help in building your own in the ground.
- Sell and trade your grown food items at the Farmers Market.
- Learn how to harvest and keep your food to enjoy over the winter.



All you need is the interest to make your food healthier! Call Kris Blahnik at 723-2530 to sign up and learn more.

## Attention Clients of the Hannahville Health Department

With the new Affordable Care Act of 2014, we are asking all clients to bring in their proof of income and Tribal ID to their appointments at the clinic so I may help you sign up for Medical coverage. The Michigan Medicaid Expansion will begin April 1, 2014.



If you have any questions, please call Marcia Granquist, Benefits Coordinator at 906-723-2541.

## Yoga Classes

When: Thursdays from 4:15 - 5:15 pm  
Where: Health Center Fitness Center  
Class limited to 15. To sign up call 723-2565

## Elder Yoga Class

When: Thursdays from 2:30 - 3:30 pm  
Where: Elders Building #1



## Youth Farm Stand

Are you or is your child 13 years old and looking for something to do this summer? Our community has been given the opportunity to start a YFS (Youth Farm Stand) with the help from Michigan State University.



This program is designed to teach teens and pre-teens entrepreneurship and how to create/manage a garden and introduce them to the work environment. The program runs from April 1 through October 31, with the teens/pre-teens tentative schedule being May 1 through August 31, 2014. If school is still in session when the program starts, we will meet during the weekend. More information on exact dates and times will be available after April 2.

The children will be in charge (under the supervision of an adult) of the garden and have their own stand weekly at the Farmers Market in the parking lot of the Health Clinic. There are classes that they will attend to get the knowledge of gardening and basic business skills (I.E. cost of production and what to sell their products for) class size is limited to 6.

Upon signing up for this program please understand that it is very important for the children to attend as much as possible. Look at it like a job, the more work put in, the better production will be and knowledge gained to be successful. At the end of our program each child will be awarded. It will be up to the children and the coordinator on what they do with the money made from the farm stand. A couple options are a field trip, a salary or to save the money for the next year's garden.

This program is a great opportunity to introduce your teen to the working environment. I see a positive impact being left on the people who are able to participate. I encourage you to contact me with more questions and to enroll your child. Thank you.

If you are interested or for more information please contact Jamie Kidd (Y.F.S.P.C/ Youth Farm Stand Project Coordinator) at (906) 723-3130 or (906) 368-0252.

# Health & Human Services

## The H.E.A.L.T.H. Circle

**What is H.E.A.L.T.H. ?** It stands for Healthy Elder's, Adults, Little-ones, and Teens in Hannahville and it's not your ordinary program. This program is for **you!** If you're a parent who wants to get fit WITH your kids, HEALTH is for you! If you're an elder who hasn't participated in one of these programs, HEALTH is for you! If you're already fit and looking for your next challenge, HEALTH is for you!

**Can this program really be for everyone, at all fitness levels?** Yes! Because we will work with you to personalize your program so it meets **your needs** and keeps you **motivated**.

**How can you join?** Come to one of our kick off events! Stop by anytime on one of these days:

Monday, April 14 : 12:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Tuesday, April 15 : 12:00 pm – 5:00 pm

Wednesday, April 16 : 12:00 pm – 5:00 pm



When you register you will get a goodie bag, be entered in a drawing for a pair of Nike's, and (if you want to) you can get a FREE health screening. You will also get a FREE FitKIK if you don't already have one and will get set up to use it on-line.

This program will have monthly drawings for valuable prizes to help keep you motivated and we will have field trips to State Parks across the U.P. where guided tours and healthy lunches and snacks will be provided. These trips will be family friendly and good for ALL fitness levels.

To find out more, or to register, please call Kris Blahnik at 723-2530.

## Commercial Tobacco Support Group

This group is for people who have quit using commercial tobacco or who are trying to quit commercial tobacco.

Meetings take place at the Health Center. Call Shanna at 723-2570 for information on the next group or if you have any questions.

Please join us and meet other people who are trying to quit, or who have quit. You don't have to go through this alone. This group will support you! Everyone is welcome.

## Close to the Heart: Breastfeeding Our Children

What: Breastfeeding Promotion/Support

When: April 24th, 2014 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Where: Health Center Upper Conference Room

Who: All Pregnant moms, Breastfeeding Moms and any support persons (dads, moms, grandmas, aunties etc.)

This will be a monthly group that meets for round table discussions, made to be led by the participants, to share breastfeeding information and experiences.

Light refreshments provided. Questions ??

Call Mandi Brayak RN, CLC 723-2544 or 280-1220

## Drug Take Back Initiative

**What:** Prescription/Non-Prescription Medication (Pill Form Only)

**Where:** Hannahville Tribal Police Department

**When:** Mondays - Fridays, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm or by appointment

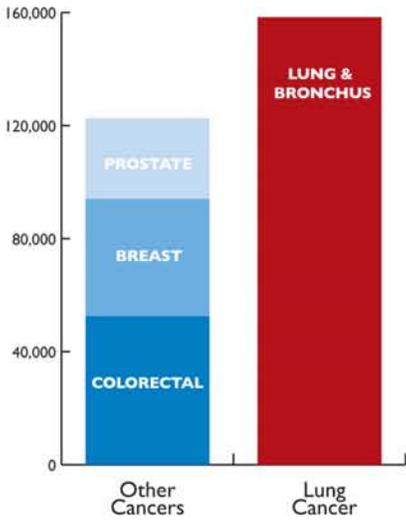
**Why:** To help keep harmful medications out of the hands of innocent children and drug abusers.

**How:** Bring your expired or unused medications to the Hannahville Tribal Police Department and place them into the disposal box located in the lobby.

**Purpose:** Individuals that have known medications, increase their chance of becoming a victim of a crime. The purpose of this program is to provide a safe disposal method to you at no costs and no questions, to help you from becoming a victim. If we can work together to dispose of expired/unused medications, we decrease the chance of these medications getting into the hands of a drug abuser or innocent child. Please consider disposing of these medications today!

If you have any questions, call the Hannahville Police Department at 466-2911.

**GOT DRUGS?**  
HELP GET RID OF  
THEM SAFELY.

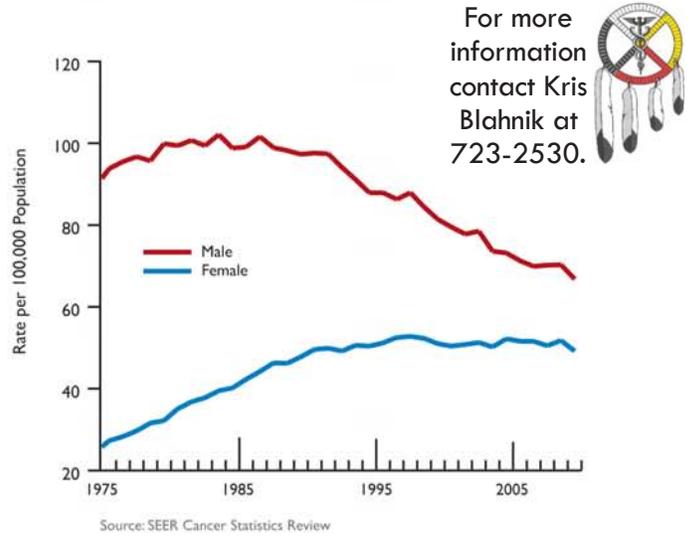


**LUNG CANCER BURDEN**

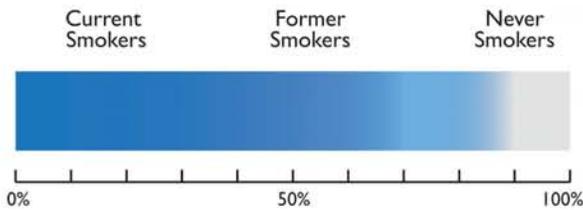
- More people die from lung cancer than prostate, breast and colorectal cancer combined, making it the leading cancer killer in America. <sup>(1)</sup>
- In 1987, lung cancer surpassed breast cancer as the leading cancer killer among American women. <sup>(1)</sup>

**INCIDENCE**

- Since surveillance began in 1975, the lung cancer incidence rate has decreased by a quarter among men but doubled among women. <sup>(2)</sup>
- It peaked for men in 1984, but not until 1998 for women. This reflects the historical smoking trend by gender; with men having higher smoking rates than women and reaching a peak at an earlier date. <sup>(3)</sup>
- Lung cancer incidence and mortality is highest among blacks compared to other racial and ethnic groups. <sup>(2)</sup>



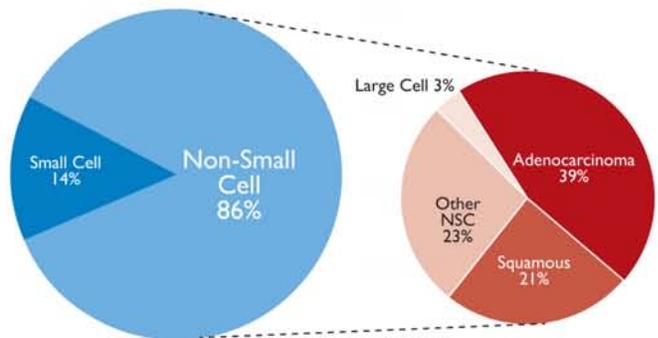
**CAUSES**



- Smoking is the leading cause of lung cancer; accounting for close to 90% of all lung cancer deaths. <sup>(3)</sup>
- Radon exposure is the second leading cause, and the first among people who have never smoked. <sup>(4)</sup>
- Other causes include secondhand smoke, occupational exposure, air pollution, asbestos and genetic predisposition. <sup>(5) (6)</sup>
- It is not always possible to identify a cause for lung cancer.

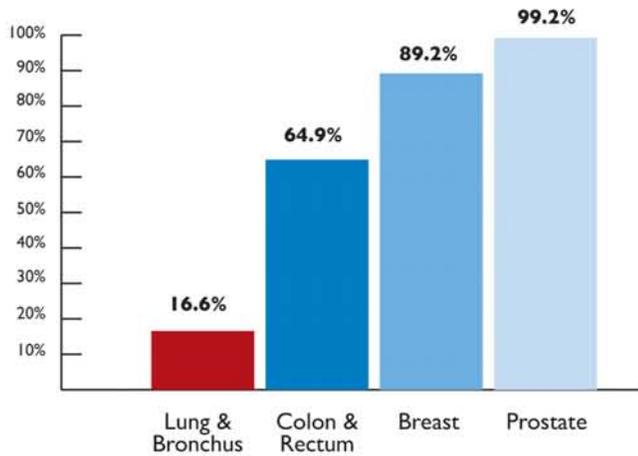
**TYPES**

- There are two main types of lung cancer; small cell and non-small cell (NSCLC), with the latter being further broken down by the type of cell in which the cancer develops: adenocarcinoma, squamous cell carcinoma, large cell carcinoma and several other less common types. <sup>(2)</sup>
- Squamous cell carcinoma used to be most strongly associated with smoking. However, the proportion of lung cancers classified as adenocarcinoma has increased since the 1960s, as has the risk of this type among smokers. This increased risk is likely due changes in cigarette design and composition. <sup>(3)</sup>



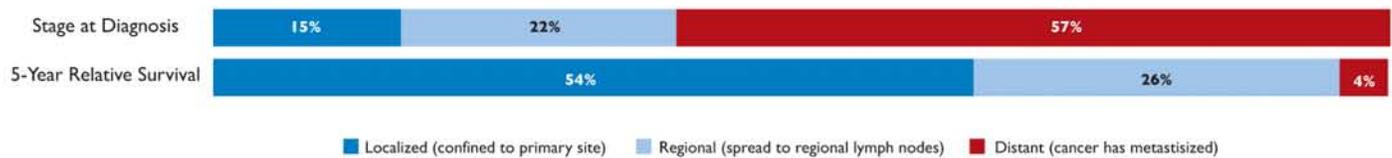
## TREATMENT

- Lung cancer is treated with surgery, radiation therapy, chemotherapy or targeted therapy alone or in combination.<sup>(7)</sup>
- Targeted therapy for lung cancer is an emerging approach where medicines are designed for specific types of NSCLC tumor mutations.<sup>(8)</sup>
- These mutations only occur in a portion of NSCLC cases.
- Currently, drugs are available that target three mutations which occur in about 45% of NSCLC cases combined (KRAS 25%, EGFR 15%, ALK 5%).<sup>(9)</sup> Research continues for drugs that could target some of the other NSCLC mutations that have been found.



## SURVIVAL

- Lung cancer survival rates are low, especially compared to those of other leading cancers with screening modalities.<sup>(2)</sup>
- One of the reasons lung cancer survival rates are so poor is few cases are diagnosed in early stages when survival is better.<sup>(2)</sup> Screening for lung cancer offers the hope of increased detection at earlier stages and subsequent better survival.
- Low-dose spiral CT scans can help detect lung tumors at earlier stages and have been shown to decrease mortality by 14% among high risk populations.<sup>(10)</sup> If half of those who qualify as high risk received screening, over 10,000 lung cancer deaths could be prevented.<sup>(11) (1)</sup>
- Quitting smoking remains the best way to reduce your risk of developing or dying from lung cancer.<sup>(12)</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. National Center for Health Statistics. CDC WONDER On-line Database, compiled from Compressed Mortality File 1999-2010 Series 20 No. 2P, 2013.

<sup>2</sup> U.S. National Institutes of Health. National Cancer Institute: SEER Cancer Statistics Review, 1973-2010.

<sup>3</sup> U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. The Health Consequences of Smoking—50 Years of Progress: A Report of the Surgeon General. 2014.

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<sup>6</sup> International Agency for Research on Cancer. IARC Scientific Publication No. 161: Air Pollution and Cancer. 2013.

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<sup>8</sup> National Cancer Institute. Treatment: Non-Small Cell Lung Cancer Treatment - Health Professional Version. May 30, 2013. <http://www.cancer.gov/cancertopics/pdq/treatment/non-small-cell-lung/healthprofessional>.

<sup>9</sup> Hirsch FR. Recent advances in biomarker research in lung cancer with special reference to new targeted therapies. Presented at 13th International Lung Cancer Congress, July 19-22, 2012. Huntington Beach, CA.

<sup>10</sup> U.S. Preventive Services Task Force. Screening for Lung Cancer: U.S. Preventive Services Task Force Recommendation Statement. AHRQ Publication No. 13-05196-EF-3. December 2013. <http://www.uspreventiveservicestaskforce.org/uspstf13/lung-can/lungcanfinalrs.htm>.

<sup>11</sup> The National Lung Screening Trial Research Team. Reduced Lung-Cancer Mortality with Low-Dose Computed Tomographic Screening. New England Journal of Medicine, 2011; 365:396-409.

<sup>12</sup> Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Lung Cancer: Basic Information. What Can I Do to Reduce My Risk? November 21, 2013. [http://www.cdc.gov/cancer/lung/basic\\_info/prevention.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/cancer/lung/basic_info/prevention.htm).





# Events Calendar - April 2014



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Spring Break	2 Spring Break	3 Spring Break	4 Spring Break	5 Spring Break
6 Spring Break	7 KIDZONE Dance- Tiny Tots	8 KIDZONE	9 KIDZONE Dance Family Rec. Night 5:30 pm  Hot Dogs	10 KIDZONE	11	12
13	14 KIDZONE Dance- Tiny Tots	15 KIDZONE	16 KIDZONE Dance	17  Easter Potluck 5:00-7:00 pm	18 NO SCHOOL HYS CLOSED	19 HYS CLOSED
20 HYS CLOSED  Happy Easter!	21 KIDZONE Dance- Tiny Tots	22 KIDZONE	23 KIDZONE Dance Family Rec. Night 5:30 pm  Tater Tot Casserole	24 KIDZONE	25 NO SCHOOL- ISD PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT	26
27	28 KIDZONE Dance- Tiny Tots	29 KIDZONE	30 KIDZONE Dance Family Rec. Night 5:30 pm  Baked Chicken	May 1	May 2	May 3

All events and activities are for YOUTH (unless designated as a "family" event) and are subject to change; if you have questions about a certain event, activity or program offered through the Youth Services department, please call 466-5397. Youth must be 7 or older to utilize the Youth Center unsupervised. Youth under age 13 are not allowed after 6:30 pm except for special events.

**Youth Center Hours of Operation: Open Daily 1:00-9:00 pm**

**Save the date for the Hannahville Police Department's upcoming FUZZBUSTER set for Friday, May 9, 2014 at 6:00 p.m. in the Hannahville School Gymnasium**

# Helping Children Learn<sup>®</sup>

Tips Families Can Use to Help Children Do Better in School

Nah Tah Wahsh/Hannahville Indian School

Parents are the first teachers!



April 2014

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## What do I say when my child puts herself down?

**Q:** I've seen a change in my daughter's personality since she started kindergarten. In preschool, she was happy-go-lucky. But this year she seems to be turning into a bit of a perfectionist. She even has meltdowns—she says her writing is "sloppy," her somersaults are the "worst in the class." I'm worried about her self-esteem and her ability to keep learning. What is going on?

**A:** For better or worse, when children get to school, they start comparing themselves to one another. Until now, your daughter likely never thought about her performance. But now everywhere she looks, someone else is "better." And like many children her age, she wonders if she is falling short. Here are ways to keep perfectionism from undoing her progress in school:

- **Emphasize effort.** Research shows that it is effort, rather than raw ability, that leads to success. When you praise your child, say things like, "Look how hard you worked on that!"
- **Celebrate mistakes.** Sound backward? It's not. Making mistakes is how we learn. Say, "Sometimes things don't work out the first time. What would you do differently?"
- **Don't judge.** Superlatives like "best" and "worst" add fuel to the fire. If you never compare, she may stop it too.
- **Just have fun.** Every day, do something with your child that is just pleasurable for the two of you. Read, sing a song or go for a walk.



## Take advantage of your local library

National Library Week begins April 13. This year's theme is "Lives change @ your library." You and your child will belong @ your library if you:

- **Make a weekly visit.** Nothing prepares your child better for school success than reading. Old favorites are great. And mixing in some different books teaches your child new vocabulary and ideas.
- **Enjoy children's activities.** A lifelong relationship with the library often begins with story hour. When you can, take your child to library events aimed at her age group. Many libraries plan programs for children as young as two or three.
- **Go online.** It is difficult to work or learn today without the Internet. Your librarian can give you tips to help your child navigate it safely, and suggest websites for young children. Don't forget to visit the library's website!

Source: ALA, "Celebrate National Library Week," [www.ala.org/conferencesevents/celebrationweeks/natlibraryweek](http://www.ala.org/conferencesevents/celebrationweeks/natlibraryweek).

## Make school a place your child wants to be

If your child loves and is attached to school, he'll want to attend. Encourage that bond by:

- **Asking what he likes best** about school. It's okay if the answer is recess.
- **Fostering school friendships.** Set up playdates, or include friends in family fun.

Source: J. Roehkepartain and N. Leffert, *What Young Children Need to Succeed: Working Together to Build Assets from Birth to Age 11*, Free Spirit Publishing.

## Music builds learning skills

There's more to music than enjoyment—research links music to improved learning. Use songs and instruments to:

- **Strengthen learning skills.** Music builds listening skills. And playing an instrument also builds visual, spatial and fine motor skills.
- **Prepare for reading and math.** Music's rhythmic beat sets kids up to hear the rhythms of phonics, while repeated refrains help with predicting, and the pattern recognition of math.



Source: G. Stein, "The Benefits of Using Music with Young Children," Songs For Teaching, <http://tinyurl.com/lqsg6g7>.

## Pay compliments that count

Compliments teach children what they are doing right. The best kind enable them to reproduce their effort. This is especially true for schoolwork. Compliments should be:

- **Genuine.** Say it only if you really mean it. And be specific. "Terrific! You practiced, and now you can say your ABCs" is better than "Great job."
- **Focused on effort.** Compliment hard work, even if the goal is still far off. Perseverance and improvement are accomplishments, too!



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## How do I make time for my child if his sibling needs me?

**Q:** Learning is a real struggle for my fifth grade son, who has serious challenges. He also has a difficult personality—the smallest thing can set off a tantrum. But my real concern is my younger son. I'm afraid he gets overlooked as we deal with his brother's problems. How do I support him too, so he can be happy and succeed in school?

**A:** Your older son faces issues other kids don't. But your younger son also has to deal with the effects of his brother's behavior. There are things you can do to help.

It's important that you carve out some one-on-one time with your younger son. It should be a regular time so he can look forward to it. What are his strengths in school? If he likes math, you can take him with you to the grocery store and ask him to help you calculate which items are the best value—but stop first at the library or for an ice cream. Your son will know he gets his moment to shine, and that you want to set him up for success as much as you do his brother.

Talk with your younger son about his brother. You might say, "Mike needs a lot of our attention. You must feel kind of cheated at times. Maybe you're even a little mad at him for taking our time."

He may agree. He may deny that there's a problem. But by raising the issue, you let him know it's okay to talk about it. He'll know that you aren't overlooking him—and that you *are* paying attention.

Finally, tell both boys—often—that you love them.



## Team up with the teacher to help your child thrive

If a teacher tells you your child is having difficulties in school, it might be time for a parent-teacher conference. To make the most of it:

- **Keep an open mind.** Kids don't always act the same at home and school.
- **Ask the teacher** how you can help. It may be simple. "Please check that your child has her homework before school."
- **Stay positive.** Children win when parents and teachers work together.



Source: A. Egan and others, *Is It a Big Problem or a Little Problem: When to Worry, When Not to Worry, and What to Do*, St. Martin's Griffin Press.

## Why math facts matter

Why should your child memorize times tables when the world is full of calculators? Because math facts are the basis for higher math. When students have to stop and calculate, they lose their focus on the larger concept. Knowing the facts will also give your child the confidence to try more advanced math.



Source: P. Lehner, "What Is the Relationship Between Fluency and Automaticity through Systematic Teaching with Technology (FAST Math) and Improved Student Computational Skills?" Virginia Beach Public Schools, <http://tinyurl.com/n6lnkn4>.

## Tech tools make spelling fun

What do you get when you combine technology and spelling? A good time. Have your child try these tips to learn new words:

- **Fool around with fonts.** Type words into a word-processing program. Change the fonts, the size and the color.
- **Spell in a spreadsheet.** Type one word into each cell, then let the program alphabetize them.
- **Puzzle it out.** Make word searches and more for free at [www.puzzlemaker.com](http://www.puzzlemaker.com).
- **Create high-tech flash cards** at [www.scholastic.com/kids/homework/flashcards.htm](http://www.scholastic.com/kids/homework/flashcards.htm).

Source: "Fun Spelling Practice Ideas!" Kalispell (Montana) Public Schools.

## Plan to learn with your child this April



Try these engaging learning activities:

- **April 22—Earth Day.** Ask your child to think of a new use for something he thought was trash. (Plant a seed in a yogurt cup.)
- **April 23—Shakespeare's Birthday** is celebrated on this day. Act out a scene from one of his plays. Or have your child write (or dictate) a play of his own.

## Get a little R-E-S-P-E-C-T

It can be a challenge these days to raise respectful kids. But an effective classroom environment depends on it. Try these tips:

- **Be a good model of respect.**
- **Point out and praise** respectful behavior, your child's and others'.
- **Correct slip ups.** "Is that what we say?"

Source: R. Silverman, "10 Tips on Teaching Respect to Children: You can't get it if you don't give it," <http://tinyurl.com/jw6vke>.

# Helping Students Learn<sup>®</sup>

Tips Families Can Use to Help Students Do Better in School

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## Multiple strategies lead to multiple-choice test success

Most students take standardized tests—and middle schoolers are no exception. The tests can have a big effect on your child's future education, so the next time a multiple-choice exam looms, don't just hand him a No. 2 pencil and a four-leaf clover. Instead, prepare him to do better by teaching him effective test-taking strategies, including:

- **Reading the whole question.** If he's being timed, your child may tend to race through the test. Slowing down to read the whole question will help him avoid misunderstanding what is being asked.
- **Picking out key words.** Your child should look for words such as *except*, *compare* and *including*. They often go to the heart of the question.
- **Considering each available answer.** Even if he feels certain that the first answer he sees is correct, your child should read through the rest, anyway. It's possible that another answer is stronger.
- **Answering the easiest questions first.** Once he gets past those, he can use the remaining minutes to revisit the tricky ones.
- **Making an informed guess.** If your child truly has no clue about an answer, he should guess (assuming there's no penalty for doing so). He should first eliminate any answers that are obviously wrong, then choose from the remaining options.



## Don't lose respect—build it

In middle school, negative peer pressure can make children "forget" to be respectful. But respect is important to school success. You'll help your child "remember" if you solve problems together, emphasize empathy (How do you think Grandma felt when you didn't say hi?) and restrict access to offensive media. Enforce consequences (respectful ones, of course!) for disrespect.

## Celebrate Earth Day online

Earth Day is April 22! Your child can learn more about the world's ecology and her place in it on these websites:



- **The World Wildlife Fund footprint calculator** ([ecoguru.panda.org](http://ecoguru.panda.org)). Answer a few questions and see how our choices affect the environment.
- **Beyond the Barrel** ([tinyurl.com/3uhqhc](http://tinyurl.com/3uhqhc)). What happens to trash and recycling after it hits the curb?
- **Biomes of the World** ([tinyurl.com/3zuro3m](http://tinyurl.com/3zuro3m)). Discover how ecosystems depend on one another.

Source: "Earth Day: TeachersFirst Editors' Choices," TeachersFirst, <http://tinyurl.com/c362j5>.

## Schedule some downtime

Extracurricular activities are supposed to be enriching and entertaining. But your child won't be able to succeed *in* school if he is overcommitted *outside* of it. Ask yourself:



- **Is he frequently tired** or irritated? Experts say middle schoolers need nine to 10 hours of sleep a night.
- **Does he struggle to** finish his homework? He may have too many competing demands on his time.
- **Do "mystery illnesses" keep him** from participating? The activity may be adding stress, not fun, to his life.

## Pull the plug on cyberbullying

Research shows that one in five students is affected by cyberbullying—the harrasing, threatening or insulting of peers online or via cell phone.

Here are some suggestions from the Cyberbullying Research Center to help stamp it out:

- **Ask your child** for her ideas to stop cyberbullying. Be sure she knows she can talk to you about it.
- **Monitor cell phone use.** If your child has a phone, set limits on its use, and tell your child you retain the right to review its contents at any time. Look over the bill each month.
- **Obey social networking rules.** For example, Facebook's policy is that users must be 13 or older.
- **Remind your child** when she goes online or texts to ask herself: Could this message be hurtful? Could it get me in trouble? Could it get the receiver in trouble? If the answer is *yes* to any of these, she shouldn't post or send the message.

Source: "Cyberbullying: Identification, Prevention and Response," Cyberbullying Research Center, <http://tinyurl.com/47tmxrb>.

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## Help your teen use time wisely when preparing for final exams

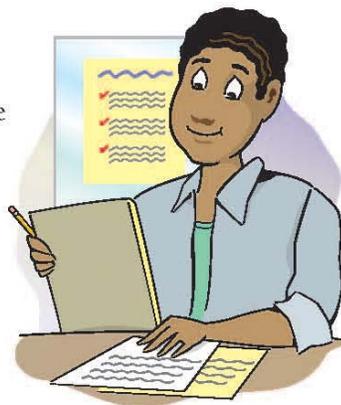
As final exams draw near, April is the perfect month to help your teen schedule his time to study effectively. Here's a plan he can follow to make the most of the days leading up to the tests:

### 1. Ten days before each exam:

- **Get** the details. Will the test be essay or multiple choice? Will the teacher provide copies of previous finals?
- **Write** exam schedule on a calendar.

### 2. A week before each exam:

- **Read** through notes for each class.
- **Create** master lists of key words and ideas to be covered. Allow several hours per class to create these lists.



### 3. Three days before each exam:

- **Review** the master lists. Write sample questions that might be on the test and answer them.
- **Think** about potential essay questions. Outline answers to them.
- **Create** flash cards and memorize facts, dates and concepts.

### 4. The night before each exam:

- **Do** a final read-through of the lists of key ideas and vocabulary.
- **Get** to bed at a reasonable hour.

## Rebound from a college rejection

College decision letters are filling mailboxes this month. But what do you do if your teen isn't accepted at her top choice?

Remember that a rejection doesn't mean she is a bad student or you are a bad parent. Help your teen take these steps:

### 1. Accept that rejection hurts.

It's understandable that she's hurting. But remind her that lots of schools must turn away qualified applicants simply because they don't have enough space.

### 2. Realize it's not the end.

What did your teen hope to

pursue at this particular school? Chances are good that other schools have similar programs.

- ### 3. Change direction.
- Is she waiting to hear from other colleges? Could she attend a community college and reapply to her dream school next year? Work together to create an alternate plan for her future—and then follow it.

Source: F.D. Barth, LCSW, "College Rejection Letters Are Coming—How to Cope When They Arrive," *Psychology Today*, <http://tinyurl.com/2g2e2gc>.

## Teach good money habits

April is National Financial Literacy Month. Your teen will learn to manage money if she:



- **Sets a goal for savings.** For example, to save \$600 a year, she should plan to save \$50 a month.
- **Cuts back.** Giving up \$2 of snacks a week saves \$104 a year.
- **Thinks before buying.** Lists help.
- **Writes down** where her money goes.

Source: "Start Smart: Money Management for Teens: How to Save, Spend and Protect Your Cash," Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, <http://tinyurl.com/8729x4c>.

## Effective school habits also build a great work ethic

In today's competitive workplace, specific job skills aren't enough. When competing for a job, your teen will also need a strong work ethic—dependability, initiative and interpersonal skills. She can strengthen those important parts of her work ethic every day in school by:

- **Showing up for classes on time.**
- **Working without being nagged.**
- **Participating in group projects.**

Source: M. Hawkins, "Work Ethic Training Helps Teens Gain Employability Skills," IMPACT: University of Idaho Cooperative Extension System, <http://tinyurl.com/nfzbe7c>.

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## Calendar of Events

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### Lounge Entertainment

Club Four One 8:30pm-1:15am EST

April 2-5	Groove Inc.
April 9-12	Brother Virginia
April 16-19	B.B. Secrist
April 23-26	BroadBAND
April 30-May 3	Manny B.

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>BINGO</b>		<b>1</b> Bingo - Even	<b>2</b> Bingo - Regular  Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	<b>3</b> Bingo - Extra Cash  WSOP Super Satellite Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	<b>4</b> Bingo - Regular <b>COSMIC BINGO</b>  Poker Tournament 6:30 pm  FRIDAY FRENZY SLOT TOURNAMENT 9:00 pm	<b>5</b> Bingo - Odd  Poker Tournament 5:00 pm
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<b>6</b> Bingo - Regular AM/Even PM  Midwest Poker Challenge 5:00 pm  Club Four One - Comedy Night 7:00 pm	<b>7</b> Bingo - Table Buddy  TEAM SLOT TOURNAMENT 5:30 pm	<b>8</b> Bingo - Regular	<b>9</b> Bingo - King/Queen  Poker Tournament 6:30 pm  <i>FREE</i> SENIOR SLOT TOURNAMENTS 11:00 am & 6:00 pm	<b>10</b> Bingo - Regular  WSOP Super Satellite Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	<b>11</b> Bingo - Odd  Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	<b>12</b> Bingo - Regular <b>COSMIC BINGO</b>  WSOP Satellite Finale 11:00 am
<b>The Oak Ridge Boys</b>						
<b>13</b> Bingo - Table Buddy AM/Regular PM  Midwest Poker Challenge 5:00 pm  Club Four One - Comedy Night 7:00 pm	<b>14</b> Bingo - Regular	<b>15</b> Bingo - King/Queen  Spring Party Pit TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS 11:00 am - 1:00 pm	<b>16</b> Bingo - Regular  Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	<b>17</b> Bingo - Monitor  WSOP Super Satellite Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	<b>18</b> Bingo - Regular <b>COSMIC BINGO</b>  Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	<b>19</b> Bingo - Extra Cash  Poker Tournament 5:00 pm
<b>20</b> Bingo - No AM Session/Regular PM  Midwest Poker Challenge 5:00 pm  Club Four One - Comedy Night 7:00 pm	<b>21</b> Bingo - Even	<b>22</b> Bingo - Regular	<b>23</b> Bingo - Extra Cash  Poker Tournament 6:30 pm  <i>FREE</i> SENIOR SLOT TOURNAMENTS 11:00 am & 6:00 pm	<b>24</b> Bingo - Regular  WSOP Super Satellite Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	<b>25</b> Bingo - King/Queen  Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	<b>26</b> Bingo - Regular <b>COSMIC BINGO</b>  Jewett Invitational Poker Tournament 11:00 am *Qualifiers Only
<b>Three Days Grace</b>						
<b>27</b> Bingo - Monitor AM/Regular PM  Midwest Poker Challenge 5:00 pm  Club Four One - Comedy Night 7:00 pm	<b>28</b> Bingo - Odd	<b>29</b> Bingo - Regular  \$2000 SLOT TOURNAMENT 6:00 pm	<b>30</b> Bingo - King/Queen  Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	<p><b>Hoppin to Easter.....April 7-20</b> 1 registration for every 25 points earned. Cash &amp; Special Easter Gift Drawings held at 1:00 pm, 3:00 pm, 5:00 pm, 7:00 pm &amp; 9:00 pm on Tuesdays, Thursdays &amp; Sundays.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; align-items: center;"> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Easter Brunch</b> Island Convention Center 10:00 am - 4:00 pm</p> </div>		

# Activities

POTAWATOMI LANGUAGE WORD SEARCH



Although the word may be shown with spaces in it below, it appears as one word within the word search



**SISBA KWTO GISES**  
April (Maple Sugar Moon)

**MNOKME**  
Spring

**MISHGOS**  
Grass

**ASKOBISEN**  
Puddle

**BOGTTHISHKWE**  
Mud

**WABOSO**  
Rabbit

**WASKONEDO**  
Flower

**WASHKBEK**  
Candy

**TTHISANEN**  
Nests

**WAWEN**  
Egg

**GOKBENAGEN**  
Basket

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## CAN YOU FIND 5 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THESE PHOTOS?

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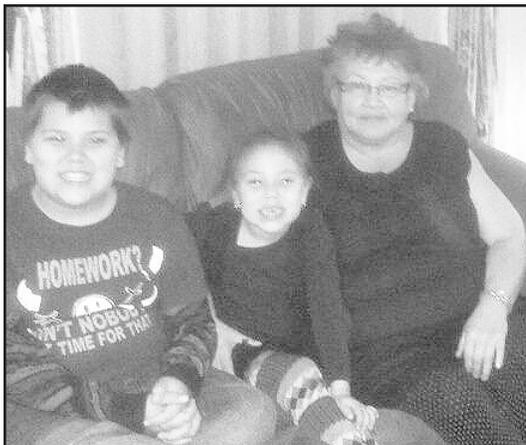
At Kindergarten screening in March, Miss Jenny checked motor skill development. If you plan to send your child to Hannahville School and they were not screened, please contact Alicia Parlato at 466-2952.

ANSWERS: LETTER ON RUG MISSING, STAR ON BOARD, PICTURE ON WALL, STRIPES ON BOOT, CONTAINER IN BOOK SHELF

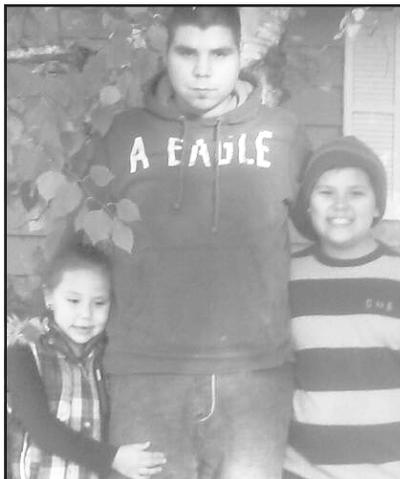
# April Birthdays

Rufus McCullough . . . . . 4/1	Carley Sagataw . . . . . 4/11	Jolene Eichorn. . . . . 4/23
Deborah Jackson . . . . . 4/1	Alvera Messnick . . . . . 4/11	Peter Halfaday III . . . . . 4/23
Ariel Meshigaud . . . . . 4/2	Ayden Gonzalez . . . . . 4/12	Diamond Hardwick. . . . . 4/24
Kayden Mathias . . . . . 4/2	Timothy Wandahsega . . . . . 4/12	Anthony Williams Jr. . . . . 4/24
Tyrone Wandahsega . . . . . 4/3	Henry Philemon Jr. . . . . 4/12	Albert Larson Jr. . . . . 4/24
Gage Sagataw . . . . . 4/4	Dante Miller . . . . . 4/13	Lance Sagataw . . . . . 4/25
Duane Schuveiler . . . . . 4/4	Lenaya Halfaday-Anziano . . . . . 4/14	Lori Megemuph . . . . . 4/25
Miya Cuff . . . . . 4/5	Jacob Metzger . . . . . 4/14	Michelle Jackson. . . . . 4/26
Ogeemabinaysee Anziano. . . . . 4/5	Donna Boda . . . . . 4/14	Harvey Sagataw Jr. . . . . 4/26
Crystal Lea . . . . . 4/5	Tammy Hapner . . . . . 4/15	Ian Metzger . . . . . 4/27
Gregory Williams Jr. . . . . 4/6	Maxine Engel . . . . . 4/16	Bryan Sagataw . . . . . 4/27
Elizabeth Alexander . . . . . 4/6	Aventodd Tovar-Keezer . . . . . 4/17	Jesse Smith Sr. . . . . 4/27
Steven Sagataw . . . . . 4/6	Kristine Gresh Harirchian. . . . . 4/17	Daniel Rangel . . . . . 4/27
Brenda Bailey . . . . . 4/6	Louis Halfaday Jr. . . . . 4/17	Rita Ritchie . . . . . 4/27
Dana Halfaday . . . . . 4/7	Alma Wandahsega. . . . . 4/17	Aaron Deragon . . . . . 4/28
Juana Meshigaud. . . . . 4/7	Andrew Hardwick. . . . . 4/18	Christine Smtih . . . . . 4/28
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Robert Sagataw . . . . . 4/10	Carol Smith. . . . . 4/21	
	Eugene Klann . . . . . 4/21	

*Happy belated birthday to Jill, Jesse, Laura and Justin. Love, Mom*



*Happy Birthday Gramma BonBon! We love you, Char, Mindy, Daniel & Shyshy*



**Happy Birthday to a great father & friend! We love you. Mindy, Daniel & Shyshy**



**Happy 14th Birthday Dante Miller. Love, Mom and all your Family**

**Happy birthday to Tyrone (April 2nd) and Anthony Williams Jr. (April 24th). Love you's with all my heart, Mom**

# Birthday/Personal Ads

I would like to wish my wife of 25 years a very happy anniversary. Happy 25th Ruth, your still the one the one that turns my head. Love to hear you whisper in my ear. Love your husband Ernie. Thanks for a lovely 25 years and hears to the next 25.

*Happy Birthday mom. Love, Kyle*

Happy Birthday Mumma  
Love Navin R

Ongeequay, My wish for you is that this life becomes all that you want it to. Your dreams stay big, and your worries stay small. You never need to carry more than you can hold, and while you're out there getting where you're getting to, I hope you know somebody loves you and wants the same things too. Yeah, this, is my wish. Happy birthday. I love you. Love, mom.

Happy birthday "On-kay". From Dane

Happy 30th Birthday  
Gadeesheeba. Love Uncle Dave

Happy birthday auntie Juana, Grandma Lolis, auntie Ongeequay, auntie Tashina, auntie Jess and cousin Aventodd!  
Love, Mercedes

*Happy Birthday Aunt Teen. From the Tovar's*

Happy 30th Birthday  
Ganeesheewa. Love Lee

*Happy B-Day Crystal. From The Tovar's*

Happy Birthday Lizbo where ever you are  
From the Tovar's

Happy 30th Birthday Tashina  
From the Crazy Cat Lady

Happy Birthday Gramma Lois.  
Love your #1 Grandson Lee

*Happy Birthday to my God Mother Carol Smith. Love ya, Amanda*

Happy 1st Birthday Aventodd.  
Love Uncle Dave, Auntie Manda and Lee Lee

Happy Birthday Boo Nana. Love Uncle Dave, Manda and David Lee

## Sunday, April 20 Easter Brunch Island Convention Center

10 am - 4 pm ET • 12 Years & Older: \$15.95 • 5-11 Years: \$7.95  
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### Featuring:

- Omelet Station
- Waffle Station
- Carved Ham
- Breakfast Bake (eggs, sausage gravy and breakfast potatoes)
- French Toast Bake with Apple and Maple Cream Sauce
- Bacon
- Sausage
- Fresh Baked Biscuits
- Sausage Gravy
- Oven Roasted Red Potatoes
- Mashed Potatoes
- Gravy
- Herb Chicken
- Beef Tips with a Mushroom Burgundy Sauce
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### **MID-YEAR TUNE UP HEALTH FAIR**

When: Wednesday, April 23 from 9:00 am – 6:00 pm

Where: Casino Convention Center

If you have any questions, call the Wellness Office at 723-2038

### **PLEASE TAKE NOTE, HANNAHVILLE INDIAN COMMUNITY OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED ON THE FOLLOWING DAYS:**

- GOOD FRIDAY, April 18, 2014
- TRIBAL ELECTIONS, Tuesday, May 6, 2014
- MEMORIAL DAY, Friday, May 23, 2014, 1/2 day  
Monday, May 26, 2014

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