

MNO NODEGEWEN HANNAHVILLE

(Something good you hear about in Hannahville)

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1,000 Grandmother's Project Event

On Tuesday, December 11th, elders and young parents from the community came together to learn about protecting the health and safety of Native infants.

The event was funded by a grant from the Centers for Disease and Control and Prevention (CDC) that the International Association for Indigenous Aging (IA2) received. IA2 is a non-profit educational association that works to ensure the provision of appropriate and quality services and resources for indigenous elders.

Dave Baldrige, IA2 Executive Director coordinated with Geradine Simkins from the Healthy Native Babies Project to bring this event to the Hannahville Indian Community. The Healthy Native Babies Project is aimed at using intergenerational mentoring coupled with traditional native craftwork to combat Sudden Unexplained Infant Death.

The event brought Tribal grandmothers together with young Tribal women to help educate them about safe infant sleep and child care practices. Traditional foods were provided for lunch and a dreamcatcher craft session was held throughout the event. Thank you to all those who helped make this event a success!

To learn more about the International Association for Indigenous Aging, visit www.iasquared.org.



HEALTHY
NATIVE BABIES

IA² International
Association for
Indigenous Aging



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Holidays
and Happy
New Year!*

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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

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



Native Pride, Native Ride!

EZ TAXI – OPEN, 7 DAYS A WEEK

6:00 a.m. – 2:00 a.m.

466-2128 or 368-0515 Edna Keezer, Owner/Driver

Location: N15321 Cedarview Drive, Wilson, MI 49896

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.

Pick up from Escanaba or within a 15 mile radius for an additional \$5.00.

American Legion Post 116 Meeting

There will be an important meeting on Tuesday, January 6, 2015 at 6:00 p.m. in the commons area of Elder's Building #1.

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 p.m. or by appointment

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

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



DECEMBER 2014 Calendar of Events

All Times Eastern
www.islandresortandcasino.com



800-682-6040
906-466-2941
15 Mins. West of Escanaba
on Hwy. 2 & 41

Lounge Entertainment

Club Four One
8:30pm-1:30am ET

December 3-6 Sweet Trouble
December 10-13 Hoosier Highway
December 17-20 Doug Allen Nash
December 24-27 Mostly Water
December 31 Brother Virginia

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
SENIOR DAYS Wednesdays In December Seniors 55+ Visit the kiosk each Wednesday to register to win \$500 Cash!	15 Bingo - Even Ball SLOT TOURNAMENT 12:00 pm	16 Bingo - Regular	17 Bingo - Elf Bingo Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	18 Bingo - Regular WSOP Super Satellite Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	19 Bingo - Odd Ball Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	20 Bingo - Regular COSMIC BINGO Poker Tournament 5:00 pm
21 Bingo - Extra Cash AM/Even PM Midwest Poker Challenge 5:00 pm Comedy Night <i>Kathleen Dunbar</i>	22 Bingo - Table Buddy	23 Bingo - Monitor	24 No Bingo Poker Tournament 6:30 pm	25 Bingo - Regular <i>Free Dauber</i> WSOP Super Satellite Poker Tournament 6:30 pm <i>Merry Christmas</i>	26 Bingo - Regular COSMIC BINGO Poker Tournament 6:30 pm SLOT TOURNAMENT 7:00 pm	27 Bingo - Odd 4K No-Limit Monthly Poker Qualifier Event 11:00 am
28 Bingo - Secret Good Neighbor AM/Regular PM Midwest Poker Challenge 5:00 pm Comedy Night <i>Gerry Grossman</i>	29 Bingo - Extra Cash	30 Bingo - Monitor	31 Bingo - Regular <i>Free Dauber</i> Late Night Session Poker Tournament 6:30 pm SLOT TOURNAMENT 2:00 pm	New Year's Eve Late-night snacks, champagne & party favors. Prizes will be given away in random drawings 6:00 pm - 2:00 am	BINGO	EVENING SESSIONS: Sunday - Saturday Doors Open 4:00 pm Early Birds 6:30 pm Regular Session 7:00 pm MATINEE SESSION: Sunday Only Doors Open 10:30 am Early Birds 12:30 pm Regular Session 1:00 pm
Electronics Available Every Day.						

Attention Tribal Members: Effective Immediately

The convention center rooms will no longer be free for Tribal members. Listed below are the new flat rates for when a Tribal member rents a convention room. This rate covers the staff & maintenance fees accumulated when an event is held. Food is not included in this cost.

These new prices were approved by the CEO Board on December 10, 2014. *If you booked a room previous to the approval date, you will not be affected.*

	Tribal member rates	Standard rates
All rooms	\$825.00	\$1,000
Half room	\$425.00	\$500
Quarter room	\$100.00	\$200

Please direct any questions regarding this change to the Tribal Council Executives. Thank you.

Casino Swimming Hours:

There will be no TRIBAL SWIMMING this weekend. The pool will be closed from December 17- 27th. Sorry for any inconvenience this may cause you. Thank you!!



Smoke-Free Health Center

Breathe
Healthy

Smoke-Free Campus

NOTICE: Starting January 1, 2015 the Health Center will have a 100% Smoke Free Campus. Smoking will no longer be allowed anywhere on Health Center Grounds.

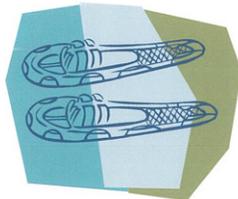
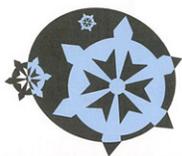
Hannahville Health Center will be 100% Smoke-free in January

Beginning on January 1, 2015 the Hannahville Health Center grounds will become 100% smoke-free. Under the new policy, smoking will be off-limits to patients, family, visitors, volunteers and staff in all areas, including parking lots, sidewalks and all other Health Center grounds.

This policy is the result of a lot of hard work done by the members of the Wellness Advisory Council, and went through a long and thoughtful approval process by the Health Board as well as the Tribal Council. This is a necessary step for the Health Center to take in promoting health and wellness in Hannahville.

The Hannahville Health Center now joins a growing number of healthcare systems across the country that are now smoke-free, including OSF St. Francis Hospital, Marquette General Hospital Systems and Sault Tribe of Chippewa Indians Health Center campuses.

This is a positive step in the health of the Hannahville Indian Community! If you are interested in finding out more about the policy or if you are interested in quitting smoking please call Shanna at 723-2570.



Hannahville Snowshoeing Group



Starting December 1st, we will meet on Mondays and Fridays at 12:30 at the Hannahville Health Center



There are snowshoes available to borrow (first come, first serve basis)



Come and enjoy the beautiful snow! Anyone welcome!

Call Erin Davis with any questions: 723-2534

Quit Smoking Class



Hannahville Health Center is offering the Freedom From Smoking Class. This class will help you overcome urges, identify smoking triggers, and develop your own Quit Plan.

This class has helped thousands of people quit smoking, and it can help you too!
Classes run Tuesdays from January 13 to February 24 12:00 — 1:30 pm.

Classes will be held at the Hannahville Health Center. For questions, or to sign up please contact Shanna at 723-2570.

Health & Wellness

Hannahville Department of Health and Human Services Update

In an effort to help our patients get in for a medical appointment as quick as possible, we are working on ways to reduce our no-show rate.

A no-show is defined as one of the following:

- A patient does not show-up for their appointment
- A patient arrives after their appointment time
- A patient cancels less than 4 hours before their scheduled appointment

Unfortunately, our no-show rate is very high. In the month of October, 36% of patients scheduled to be seen no-showed. This is even after patients were sent reminder cards and received reminder calls. We are also exploring other ways to improve our show rate, but we need you to do your part.

Here is an example of how no-shows affect the availability of a clinic provider:

If there are 12 appointments scheduled for the day and 5 patients no-show, those patients will need to reschedule at a later date, which in turn, prevents appointments being available. This then impacts when you can get an appointment with the doctor.

Currently, the next available appointment is in 9 weeks for Dr. Greenfield. The more no-shows the Clinic has each day, the longer it takes for you to get an appointment.

Things you can do to help:

1. Make all attempts to keep your scheduled appointments
2. Cancel appointments you cannot keep by calling 723-2521 prior to the day of appointment or as soon as possible.

If you have any suggestions on how the no-show rate can be reduced, please fill out a comment card at the Health Center. Thank you.

January is Stalking Awareness Month.

Please join us in taking a stand against stalking.

Friday, January 9th
Cookie Bake. Call Nora for details at 723-2663

Thursday, January 22nd
Stalking Training at the Community Center from 11-2

If you or someone you know is being stalked and you are in immediate danger, please call 911. You can also contact Ruth Oja at 723-2662.

The Wellness Advisory Council is seeking NEW MEMBERS

The Hannahville Health Center is offering the chance for new members to join our current Wellness Advisory Council. If you are interested in participating in this group, please call Kris at 723-2530.

Hannahville Behavioral Health – Promoting Mental Health Wellness & Substance Free Living

The following is a list of support meetings that are open to people eligible for services at the Hannahville Health Clinic. These meetings are a place to come and share or just to listen. You are welcome to attend if you are currently dealing with an addiction problem or if you are looking for support for your recovery, no matter how long or short it has been. If you have any questions, feel free to call us at 466-2878. Hannahville Behavioral Health also has lists of other support meetings in the local area.

Wednesdays at 7:00 pm – Talking circle at Three Fires Housing

Thursdays at 2:30 pm – Aftercare group at Hannahville Behavioral Health

Fridays at 10:00 am – Social support group at Hannahville Behavioral Health or other designated location (Call 466-2878 to find out where meeting will be each week)

Saturdays at 10:00 am – NA meeting at Hannahville Community Center



Youth News



Youth Services Events Calendar-December 2014



NO SCHOOL Dec 22-Jan 2
Christmas Vacation

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
21	22 No School  "A Country Christmas" Dance Recital 6 pm	23 No School	24 No School HYS CLOSED	25 No School HYS CLOSED  Merry Christmas!	26 No School HYS CLOSED	27  Teen Movie Night (ages 13+) Movie TBA 7 pm
28	29 No School	30 No School	31 No School HYS CLOSED	January 1 No School HYS CLOSED 	January 2 No School	January 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 age 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: Daily 1:00-9:00 pm
Closed dates for holidays and/or staff development marked in **yellow**.



A New Year! Improve You!

Looking for that extra boost to kick start the year?

Join us at the REACH for Wellness Fitness Center.

We have many classes, a personal trainer or just come and use the equipment on your own.

Call us (723-2560) or stop by anytime!



REACH For Wellness Fitness Center Classes at the Health Clinic

Monday & Wednesday
Toning at 4:00pm

Tuesday & Thursday
Toning at 8:00am

Monday – Elder's exercise at 1:00pm at elder's building #1

Tuesday
Toning at 12:00pm

Wednesday
6 mile workout at 8:00am.

Friday Spin at 8:00am

Santa is coming to

Storyhour

Saturday, December 20th

1:30pm



Age 4 and older

Talk to Santa, Stories, Songs, and a treat from Santa!



Sponsored by the Friends of the Escanaba Public Library. For more information, contact us at 789-7323 or visit our website at www.escanabalibrary.org



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Keep learning alive for your child over the winter break

Your child looks at the calendar and imagines the joy of having no schedule for the whole winter school holiday. You look at the same blank squares on your calendar and have a mild moment of panic.

Here are some activities that will keep him learning—and keep you from hearing, “I’m bored” during the holiday:

- **Let your child discover** the past by talking with grandparents, aunts, uncles—even you. Help him plan questions to ask, such as, “What was school like for you?” He can record the conversations, write them down, or just listen.
- **Assemble a list** from your local newspaper of places to go and things to do. Every community has places that will interest kids. Check out a local museum (see if they have a day when admission is free). Look for free concerts you can attend. See if the local public library has any special story hours or performances.
- **Select a movie** based on a book. After you and your child finish reading the book, watch the movie. Discuss how the two were alike and how they were different.
- **Prepare food together.** Nearly every culture has some special foods associated with the holiday season. With your child, prepare foods you remember from your childhood. Share your memories. Or do some research and prepare a dish you’ve never tried.

Show your child that honesty is the best policy



Research shows that by the time children reach elementary school, most know the difference between being honest

and lying. But that doesn’t make telling the truth easy! To encourage honesty in your child:

- **Talk about it.** Ask your child if he believes that honesty is the best policy. Why or why not? Does he want others to tell him the truth? When does he think it’s okay to lie?
- **Talk about the consequences** of lying. Let your child know that lying destroys trust. If he makes a habit of lying to people, they won’t be able to believe what he says—even when he is telling the truth!
- **Be a role model.** Children are good “lie detectors.” They notice when parents tell the truth—and when they don’t.
- **Create opportunities** for telling the truth. Say, “You broke my vase,” instead of, “Did you do this?” It’s better to say what happened rather than to ask unnecessary questions.
- **React calmly.** When your child lies, don’t label him a “liar.” Express confidence that he will make better choices in the future.
- **Reward trustworthiness.** If your child is truthful in a difficult situation, compliment him!
- **Admit your mistakes.** We all make mistakes. If your child catches you being dishonest, admit you’re wrong.

Source: K. Stephens, “Lying, Fibs, and Tall-Tales: Teaching Children To Be Truthful,” Parenting Exchange, nswc.com/teach-honesty.

You and your child can learn to express anger with respect



It’s hard to be angry and respectful at the same time. But expressing anger with respect is essential.

You and your child can control your reactions if you:

- **List triggers.** Think about what makes you most angry. Being disobeyed? Being told what to do? Commit to reacting calmly to these situations.
- **Identify “red flags.”** Start by noticing what anger is like for you. Does it make you hot? Make you want to scream? These are important warning signs.
- **Think.** When you feel angry, ask yourself, “What made me angry?” “What else did I feel?” Anger can sometimes really be frustration, disappointment or embarrassment.
- **Leave the source.** If possible, walk away from what is frustrating you and try to calm down.
- **Make good choices.** There are many respectful ways to release anger. Write in a journal, paint a picture or exercise. When you’re angry with a person, wait until you’re calm to talk.

Source: E. Verdick and M. Lisovskis, *How to Take the Grrrr Out of Anger*, Free Spirit Publishing.

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Give your adolescent insight and tools to deal with cliques



More than anything, most middle schoolers just want to fit in at school. But what if your child goes from fitting in with her friends one day to being shunned the next? Chances are, she's fallen victim to a clique.

Typically a bigger issue for girls than boys, *cliques*—ever-shifting groups of peers who actively exclude certain kids—are a fact of life during adolescence. They're unpleasant, but they're also here to stay.

The key to surviving cliques is helping your child recognize them for what they are, so she won't be crushed if she suddenly finds herself on the outside looking in. (Ideally, her newfound insight will also keep her from shunning some other unlucky peer later.)

To help "clique-proof" your child:

- **Define cliques.** Cliques aren't really about friendship at all. They're about power. If a person in a group starts teasing or being mean to a peer, she's doing it because it makes her feel powerful.
- **Remind her that being shunned isn't her fault.** Kids might assume that if they were prettier, thinner, etc., it wouldn't happen. But it is the excluder, not the victim, who is at fault.
- **Help her solve the problem.** Can she focus on friendships outside of school? Look for new friends in class?
- **Offer perspective.** Remind her that, like middle school, these clique issues will eventually end.

Source: C. Giannetti and M. Sagarese, *Parenting 911: How to Safeguard and Rescue Your 10- to 15-Year-Old from Substance Abuse, Depression, Sexual Encounters, Violence, Failure in School, Danger on the Internet, and Other Risky Situations*, Broadway Books.

Encourage your child to develop good judgement



When you trust your child, you have faith that she will "do the right thing" most of the time. But knowing what the "right thing" is takes judgment, and that develops over time.

Here are two simple ways to guide your middle schooler toward good judgment:

1. **Give your child** increasing amounts of responsibility for school routines. Start with a basic habit, such as bedtime. She knows what time she needs to get up for school. Tell her you will let her judge for herself a reasonable hour to get to bed. If this goes well, allow her to exercise judgment over another area of her life. If it doesn't go well, ask her what she has learned from the experience (for example, she feels like falling asleep in her first class). Work out a new plan with her, and try again.
2. **Discuss situations** in advance. What would she do if friends who had been drinking wanted her to get into a car they were driving? Your child probably knows not to get into the car, but kids often get flustered when presented with tough situations for the first time. Practicing with you will help her call upon her judgment skills and make a good decision when it really counts.

Source: N. Bernstein, *How to Keep Your Teenager Out of Trouble and What to Do If You Can't*, Workman Publishing.

Lead by example to teach your middle schooler about respect



You can always talk to your middle schooler about respect, but she'll likely grasp the concept more quickly if you *show* her what it looks like.

Here's how:

- **Acknowledge** your child's maturity. As she becomes more responsible, make sure your house rules reflect it. Give her chances to earn more freedom.
- **Value your child's opinions.** You're the parent and you're in charge. But that doesn't mean you can't let your child speak her mind (within reason). Show respect by listening to her.
- **Take an interest** in your child's life. Find out who her friends are. Ask about what she's learning in school. Show your middle schooler that her daily life matters to you.

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Heading to college next fall? Be sure to fill out the FAFSA now



Many college applications are due in January and February. And even before you know exactly where your teen will go to college, it's time to begin thinking about financial aid.

A large majority of colleges use the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to determine how much federal financial aid each student is eligible for. State and school deadlines for filling out the FAFSA vary, so your best bet is to fill out the FAFSA as soon as possible beginning January 1 of each year.

Take time this December to gather the information your teen will need to fill out the FAFSA. The FAFSA also takes into consideration your income information, if you claim your child as a dependent on your taxes. For the 2015-2016 school

year, your teen will need financial information from 2014.

To complete the FAFSA, your teen will also need:

- His social security number.
- His driver's license (if he has one).
- His 2014 W-2 Forms and other records of money earned (if applicable).
- His 2014 Federal Income Tax Return (if applicable).
- Your 2014 Federal Income Tax Return (if your teen is a dependent).
- His current bank statements (if applicable).
- His current investment information (if applicable).
- His alien registration or permanent resident card (if he is not a U.S. citizen).

For more information, visit the FAFSA website at www.fafsa.ed.gov.

Are you helping your struggling high schooler?



About this time of the school year, some teens find themselves struggling in one class—or in several. Are you

doing all you can to help your struggling teen? Answer *yes* or *no* to the questions below to find out:

- ___ 1. Have you talked with your teen about her progress in school and listened to her concerns?
- ___ 2. Have you encouraged your teen to talk to her teachers about getting extra help?
- ___ 3. Have you met with your teen's teachers to develop a plan to get her back on track?
- ___ 4. Are you working to get your teen study support through a school-based program or tutor?
- ___ 5. Have you helped your teen develop study skills—setting a regular study time, establishing daily and long-term study goals, learning how to take good notes?

How well are you doing?

More *yes* answers mean you are doing what it takes to get your struggling teen back on track. For each *no* answer, consider trying that idea.

Encourage your high schooler to focus on three daily goals



Teens tend to think that the whole world is focused on them.

Here's a simple exercise that can help your teen focus on other people's needs:

Ask him to spend a few minutes every morning setting three simple goals for the day. Have him think of them as the Three S's:

1. **School.** What is the most important thing your teen can do that day for school? It might be to study for a big test or to finish writing his paper.

2. **Self.** What's the best thing your teen can do for himself that day? Can he go to bed earlier? Take time to exercise? Eat a healthy breakfast?
3. **Someone else.** Now have your teen think about another person. What could he do to help someone else that day? Could he give his younger brother a ride to soccer practice? Sit with the new kid during lunch? Mow an elderly neighbor's lawn?

Source: L. and R. Eyre, *Teaching Your Children Values*, Simon & Schuster.

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Activities

POTAWATOMI LANGUAGE WORD SEARCH

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Although words are shown with spaces between below, they appear as one word within the search.

GSEN YA NI EK
cold weather people (Northern Potawatomi)

KSEN YA MGET
it is cold

BONI MGET
it is snowing

WI WKWE BZO WEN
scarf

BBO MGET
it is winter

A GA MEK
snowshoes

GON KI WEN
there is snow on the ground

MBIS KO WA GEN
my coat, shirt

NDE SO STEM
I have a cough

NME TTHKA WNUK
my gloves or mittens

NWIW KWAN
my hat

To learn more Potawatomi, visit www.potawatomi.org

CAN YOU FIND 5 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THESE PHOTOS?

ORIGINAL

CHANGED



MISS GREAT LAKES ON CULTURE COMMITTEE'S FLOAT IN ESCANABA'S CHRISTMAS PARADE ON DECEMBER 5, 2014.

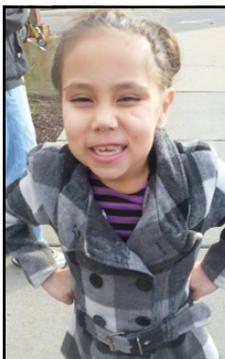
ANSWERS: "ON SIGN, LIGHT, REINDEER'S NOSE, ROCK MISSING AROUND FIRE, SNOWMAN ON PRESENT."

December Birthdays

Pauline Louis 12/1	Veronica Williams 12/11	Mary Starnes 12/20
Matthew Gunnink 12/1	Katrina Keezer 12/11	Jeffrey Hapner 12/20
Kalven Sagataw 12/4	Michael Wandahsega Jr. 12/11	Mary Meshigaud 12/21
Luke DeVerney 12/5	Olivia Manитowabi-McCullough 12/11	Nancy Grant 12/21
Alex R. Sagataw 12/6	Danielle Grove 12/11	Amanda Smith 12/21
William Sjöholm Jr. 12/6	Braylene Williams 12/11	Eli Smith 12/22
Jack Philemon 12/6	Ava Tovar-Keezer 12/11	Jackson Keshick 12/22
Robert St Germain 12/7	Glenn Teeple 12/12	Cecile Toney 12/24
Shawn Paul 12/7	Joel Smith 12/12	Janet Coakley 12/24
Peter Keshick 12/7	Janelle VaderPlaats 12/12	Noreena Meshigaud-Dwyer . . . 12/24
Peggy De Leon 12/8	Joshua Kastar 12/14	Russell Little 12/26
Leon Philemon 12/8	Zoey McCullough 12/14	Cedric Halfaday 12/26
Rodney Frye Sr. 12/8	Charles H. Meshigaud 12/15	Carter La Fave 12/26
Rhoda Larson 12/9	Constance Sagataw 12/16	Kandi Emery 12/28
Timothy Smith 12/9	Natalie Manитowabi 12/16	Lennon Sagataw 12/28
Mason Thunder 12/9	Jesse Smith 12/16	Michelle Troxell 12/29
Demitrius Wandahsega 12/9	Charlene Peters 12/17	Dashawn Metzger 12/29
Ernest Hardwick 12/10	Keith Gill 12/17	Mariah Withey 12/30
Camilo Rodriguez 12/10	Kendra Ritchie 12/17	Mary Johnson 12/31
	Ethan Smith 12/19	Joseph Seymour 12/31
	Alita Ritchie 12/19	Brandon Brownagle 12/31
	Jaidyn Lattergrass 12/19	Xander Spry 12/31



Happy 17th birthday Luke DeVerney and Happy 3rd birthday Zoey McCullough! Love, Mom/Grandma & family



Happy Birthday Shyanne! You're such a good big & lil sister and we love you very much!



Happy 11th birthday to my youngest beauty Natalie Myra! You have made me so happy and kept me on my feet! I love you to the moon and back ... XOXOXO Love always, Mommy



Happy 20th birthday to my oldest beauty Olivia Jean! You have made me a proud mom and I know you'll keep doing just that! Mommy loves you very much! XOXOXO Love always.... Mommy

HAPPY BIRTHDAY DANE! LOVE, KOKO AND "ONKAY"

Happy birthday Mom (Mary Meshigaud) Love, Wanda, Damien & Riley

Happy birthday Amanda Smith, Eli Smith and Tim Smith! Love Aunt Margaret and family

Happy Birthday Chardae from Uncle Dave, David Lee & Manda

Happy 17th Birthday Luke! From Manda & David Lee

Happy Birthday Zoey! From Manda & David Lee

Happy Birthday Eli, From Manda

Happy Birthday to thee Best Brother n Sister-in-law a Girl could ask for Bob Johnson "44th" & Mary Johnson "43rd". Luv u to the moon n back. Luv ur best little sis Jeannie Marie!!

Happy Birthday up in Heaven Mom, (Mary Jane Wandahsega), miss u everyday!! Jeannie Marie

Happy Birthday Ava Mae. Love Uncle Dave, Aunt Manda, David Lee & Razor

Congratulations Warren Wandahsega on 29 Years of Great Service to the Island Resort & Casino!!! Luv ur Daughter Jeannie Caswell!!

Happy Birthday Carter from Manda, Dave & David Lee

Happy 11th Birthday Demetrius Wandahsega! Love, all your Family!

Happy Anniversary to Donovan and Connie Metzger, Luv the Caswell's. May ur day be amazing n blessed n filled with luv joy n happiness n many many more to come!!!

Happy Anniversary to Bob n Mary Johnson. Luv the Caswell 's. May ur day be amazing n blessed n filled with luv joy n happiness n many many more to come!!

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DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS

Submissions for January's issue must be received by Friday, January 2nd.

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HOLIDAY SCHEDULE FOR EMPLOYEES OF HANNAHVILLE INDIAN COMMUNITY

Please take note. During the following days Hannahville Indian Community offices will be closed:

- Wednesday, December 24 – Christmas
- Thursday, December 25 – Christmas
- Friday, December 26 – Christmas
- Wednesday, December 31 (half day) – New Years
- Thursday, January 1 – New Years
- Friday, January 2 – New Years

Tribal members are welcome to enjoy a New Year's Day brunch at the Elder's Building #1 commons area on Thursday, January 1, 2015 from 10:00 – 12:00. Bring a dish to pass and/or volunteer to cook. Come out and wish other Tribal members a Happy New Year! Call Mike Sagataw at 280-9870 if you have any questions.

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