

# LAKE HELEN NEWSLETTER DECEMBER 13, 2018

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# GENERAL BAND MEETING Dec 19, 2018

# Agenda:

- 1. Motions
- 2. Chief & Council Honorariums
- 3. Annuity Update
- 4. Section 95 Housing
- 5. Open Forum

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### **MEDICAL VAN BOOKINGS**

If you have any upcoming appointments and the Medical Van, please book before December 21. Office will be closed December 22 – January 7.

Florence Thompson Health Data Clerk

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# **OW/ODSP JANUARY CHEQUES**

OW clients please have all your paper work handed in by **14-Dec-2018**. OW/ODSP cheque pickup is on 19-Dec-2018. January cheques can be cashed on 28-December 2018.

William Legarde
Ontario Works Administrator

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# **CHRISTMAS SHOPPING BUS**

The bus for Christmas shopping is leaving at 8am from the RC on Saturday, December 15th

We will be stopping at the mall, Thunder Center, Walmart, then home

# **Living With Cancer Dinner**

Monday, December 17<sup>th</sup>, 2018 5 pm at the Resource Centre

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# **FULL MOON CEREMONY**

Saturday, December 22<sup>ND</sup>, 2018 6 pm at the Resource Centre

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# **DILICO PRIMARY CARE TRAVELLING TEAM**

The Primary Care Travelling Team provides culturally appropriate primary care through an interdisciplinary team of Nurse Practitioners and allied healthcare professionals who coordinate quality care for First Nations Members.

Red Rock Indian Band Primary Care Clinic Day:

Monday, December 17, 2018

# RESOURCE CENTRE

To make an appointment contact Aimee Richardson, 807-887-2510

Or the PCTT Administrative Assistant (Jaimie) at 855-623-8511 ext: 5249

### CHALET LODGE TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGE PROJECT

## **Attention Youth**

Would you be interested in participating in a Traditional Knowledge Collection project?

With the assistance received from Ontario Arts Council, The Red Rock Indian Band is taking on a traditional knowledge collection project.

We are seeking 2 interested Youth between the age 12 - 25 to take part in the collection and documentation of cultural knowledge, stories, and history of our area to be displayed at the Chalet Lodge as interpretive panels.

We want to preserve our traditional knowledge and history and be able to share it with generations to come. Youth will be interviewing our Elders and knowledge keepers that agree to participate in the project. They will also take part in researching activities, photography, and designing the panels.

Topics may include: History of the Chalet Lodge; traditional medicines that grow in this area; the 7 Grandfather teachings; old pictures of the area; etc. Youth will receive remuneration for their participation in this culturally important project.

# Project will start in January 2019.

Please contact Jessica Robert by phone @ (807) 887-2510 ext. 241 for more information or to leave your interest by email @ jessica.robert@rrib.ca.

"Keeping our traditions alive and fostering Elder-Youth engagement"

# <u>Memorial Christmas Tree Lighting</u>



# Sunday, December 23, 2018



Please join us on <u>Sunday December 23, 2018</u> at <u>7 pm</u> for the Memorial Tree Lighting.

We will be placing the Memorial Xmas Balls on the tree again this year.

If anyone wishes, you may come and place a ball in memory of a loved one. Everyone is welcome to attend and place an ornament/ball if you wish.

Hot Chocolate and Snacks will be available.

\*For more information on any of these events please contact Jolene at the Band Office\*



"Clayton Wawia"

It is with great Sorrow and Sadness that the Daughters of "Clayton Eldon Dean Wawia"

66 years old, formerly of Lake Helen Reserve, Nipigon, Ontario announce his unexpected passing on Wednesday December 5, 2018 at Thunder Bay Regional Science Centre.

Clayton was born on September 2, 1952 to Agnes and Ben Wawia. Clayton's great passion in life was his Daughters and his 8 Grandchildren. Clayton was also an avid Hunter, Trapper and Fisherman. Clayton was well known for his cooking for family and friends. He cooked at many Outpost Camps and Restaurants Clayton loved to teach the younger generation his traditions. You could find Clayton sitting around the fire or Coffee Shops telling stories of all his accomplishments. He always had a smile on his face and always telling jokes. He also loved to play the Guitar and sing. Clayton had a real passion for the outdoor life. Clayton served Terms as Councillor for the Red Rock Indian Band. Clayton was also an Elder of the Red Rock Indian Band.

Clayton is survived by Ange-Aimee Wawia, his Daughters Florence, Genevieve Chisel (Husband Calvin) and Sylvia-Anne (Aymel). His Grandchildren Cuyler, Carious, Cayliis, Clarise, Caitlyn, Carmen, CalvinJr. and Branden. His Brothers Byron (Ivy), Milton (Nora), Marvin, Elvin (Catherine), Benedict Jr. and Sisters Sylvia Stuart, Karen, Colleen Halcro, Darlene (Marcel). Numerous Nieces and Nephews and his Best Friend Mark Hardy, his Special Friend Patricia.

Clayton was predeceased by his Son Joseph Benedict, Granddaughter Christine in infancy. His Parents Agnes and Ben Wawia, his Siblings Roderick, Beatrice, Corrine and Phillip.

Funeral Services for "Clayton Wawia" will be held on Friday December 14,2018 at 11:00 a.m. at the Church of Annunciation, Nipigon Ontario. Cremation has taken place Interment of Ashes will be in the Spring of 2019.

Luncheon to follow at the Lake Helen Resource Centre on Lake Helen Reserve after the Funeral Service:



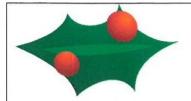
Lake Helen Reserve # 53A P.O. Box 1030 Nipigon, Ontario POT 2J0 Tel. (807) 887-2510 Fax (807) 887-3446 Toll Free (877) 887-2510

# Nomination Meeting Red Rock Indian Band Bi-Election Honorary Councilor

Saturday December 29, 2018 at 7pm

RRIB Band office – Service Providers Room

Electoral Officer
Rose Christensen



# Christmas Cash Raffle

1ST PRIZE - \$1000 2ND PRIZE - \$250 3RD PRIZE – GIFT BASKET

DRAW TO TAKE PLACE ON DECEMBER 14 AT THE LAKE HELEN RESOURCE CENTRE.

TICKETS ARE \$5 EACH
ONLY 500 TICKETS PRINTED
LIC: RRB-R-0083-18

PROCEEDS TO THE RRIB YOUTH TRAVEL GROUP

You may call the band office 807-887-2510 and speak to Ivy Wawia, Jessica Robert or Marjorie Robert about where to purchase raffle tickets.

**GOOD LUCK AND THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!** 





# **LOONIE AUCTION**







WHEN: SATURDAY, DEC. 15<sup>TH</sup>/18

WHERE: NIPIGON CURLING CLUB

DOORS OPEN AT 6:00PM
AUCTION STARTS AT 7PM
BRING YOUR LOONIES!
BAR WILL BE OPEN

ON
BEHALF
OF THE
RRIB
YOUTH
TRAVEL
GROUP,
WE
THANK
YOU FOR
YOUR
SUPPORT

"PROMOTING
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Pow Wow Christmas Bingo 3 xs \$500.00 jackpots to go

Entry \$25.00 for a 9 to view (must purchase)

Regular books 12up \$13 - 9 up \$10 - 6 up \$7

**Specials** 

Christmas draws

When: Sunday December 16, 2018

Time: 2pm

Place: Lake Helen Resource Centre

This will be our last bingo for the year we will be back after the holidays

Canteen will be open

Thanks for all your support hope to see you and all your friends there

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### **Sixties Scoop Class Action Settlement**

Information session tour stops in Toronto and Thunder Bay

Toronto, December 5, 2018 – On December 18, in Thunder Bay, and on December 21, in Toronto, Collectiva and its First Nations' partners will hold information sessions for the Sixties Scoop Class Action Settlement to assist members in completing their claim forms. The Sixties Scoop Class Action concerns any registered Indian or person eligible to be registered or Inuit person who was adopted or made a permanent ward and was placed in the care of non-Indigenous foster or adoptive parents in Canada between January 1, 1951 and December 31, 1991, which resulted in the loss of cultural identity. Eligible class members could receive compensation between \$25,000 and \$50,000 depending on the overall number of eligible members.

During the information session, class members will have access to professionals for answers to their questions, help in completing claim forms and financial planning information.

### SIXTIES SCOOP INFORMATION SESSION

### WHEN WHERE

December 18, 2018 Thunder Bay Victoria Inn Thunder Bay

555 West Arthur Street Thunder Bay (ON) P7E 5R5

December 21, 2018 Toronto Toronto Council Fire Native Cultural Centre

439 Dundas St East Toronto (ON) M5A 2B1

To access the full list of communities to be visited, click here.

For more information or assistance you may go to: <a href="https://www.sixtiesscoopsettlement.info">https://www.sixtiesscoopsettlement.info</a>, call 1 844 287-4270 or send an e-mail request to <a href="mailto:sixtiesscoop@collectiva.ca">sixtiesscoop@collectiva.ca</a>.

**SOURCE**: COLLECTIVA Class Action Services

For further information: Mélanie Vincent, Cell / SMS: (418) 580-4442 |

melanievincent21@yahoo.ca

# NORTHERN ONTARIO PROVINCIAL CURLING CHAMPIONSHIPS

January 30-February 3, 2019

# **Volunteers Needed**

Positions available:

Door, timers, drivers, 50-50 sales, Computer scorers, Qualified umpires, ...

# Contact

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