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## Resource Management's Summer Youth Experience

Leech Lake Environmental Department, housed within the Division of Resource Management (DRM), has set out to bring environmental education to the youth of Leech Lake. For the past four summers the Environmental Department has funded and implemented the Leech Lake Summer Youth Environmental Experience. The Environmental Department feels this program is a great opportunity to get our community involved in protecting the environment and also to give the youth of Leech Lake the opportunity to learn and see how connected we all are to our natural resources. Building a relationship with our youth will help ensure we have partners in the future to help keep our Reservation environment clean and healthy. It has been a goal of the Environmental Department to increase the amount of our youth and community outreach and this program is one of the first steps in achieving this goal.

In the summer of 2012, 10 young Leech Lake Band Members were randomly selected to participate in the DRM's Summer Youth Environmental Experience. For two weeks the youth were treated as honored guests of the Environmental Department; they were provided brown bag lunches each day and were also given an Environmental Department embroidered bag pack, t-shirt, hooded sweater and outdoor camping kit. The program has listed goals and objects that we feel will help the Summer Youth Experience continue to be a success and allow our youth to view the inner workings of the LLBO Environmental

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## Leech Lake Hosts Voter ID Forum

Walker MN – The Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe played host to an educational forum where the sole focus was to inform local voters about the proposed Voter ID restriction that will be on the ballot in this fall's election.

Essentially, Minnesota voters are being asked to decide whether those that vote should be required to show a valid government-issued photographic proof of their identity before they vote. As it stands now people are allowed to vouch for a voter if the voter does not have proper identification. If this passes vouching will no longer be acceptable. People without the proper picture ID's will have to bring two forms of identification in to the proper local government offices, during work hours (possibly having to take time off from their jobs) and stand in line, and fill out paperwork, and have their picture(s) taken, and wait for processing, etc.



# VOTE NO

VOTER ID RESTRICTION

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### Leech Lake Reservation DRM to test for Bovine Tuberculosis in deer again this fall

For the past few years, the Leech Lake Reservation, Division of Resources Management has been testing for Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD), and Bovine Tuberculosis (TB) in white-tailed deer harvested by tribal members on the Reservation. Results of the past four years have come back negative for both of these diseases, but a fifth year of testing will be conducted for TB to establish that our deer are disease free. For this reason we will be sampling again this fall with much the same procedures as last fall.

CWD has been found in a free ranging deer in south eastern Minnesota as well as in captive herds of elk and deer within the state. It is also known to be present in wild deer in a few other states around us. This disease is not known to be spread to humans, but it can be detrimental to wild deer and elk herds.

TB has been found in Minnesota in livestock and deer just northwest of the Red Lake Reservation. It is believed to have been spread from domestic cattle herds to deer in this region.

An extensive eradication program is underway in the infested area to try to eliminate the disease. This disease is caused by bacteria that can be spread to humans from direct contact with infected animals or by consuming undercooked meat.

#### Criteria for participating in the sampling is outlined below.

Like previous years, a **\$25 gas voucher for the Che-We Store** will be provided for the first 60 deer that we can get samples from.

- Starting October 1<sup>th</sup> you can bring your adult deer to the Leech Lake Division of Resources Management Office in Cass Lake from 8:00am to 4:30pm, Monday-Friday.
  - We will not collect samples from fawns (fawns are too young to have contracted these diseases and exhibit symptoms) and cannot except head-shot deer, or deer that have started to decay. Lymph nodes will be collected from the head of each animal. The chest cavity will also be examined for lesions. Sampling takes about 15 minutes on unfrozen animals, so please do not allow the deer to freeze or sampling is more difficult. We prefer to collect samples from whole deer but can accept heads provided a significant portion of the neck remains to do the extractions.
  - Bring your deer hunting license and tag information. You may not bring in more deer than your legal harvest limit.
  - Be able to locate the harvest location from a map that we provide.
  - In the event an animal test positive for these diseases the hunter will be notified of test results.
- We would like to thank all the hunters who participated in this program in previous years and will appreciate you assistance again this year. For additional information on this program, Bovine TB, or CWD call the DRM office at 335-7421. Fish, Wildlife, and Plant Resources Program, Division of Resources Management, Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe.

### Leech Lake Band Of Ojibwe Citizens Should Vote No To The Proposed Voter ID Restriction This Fall

THE BALLOT QUESTION: “Shall the Minnesota Constitution be amended to require all voters to present valid photo identification to vote and to require the state to provide free identification to eligible voters, effective July 1, 2013?”

BASIC: Minnesota has one of the cleanest and best election systems in the country. This amendment would radically restructure a system that works, ending mail-in absentee voting and same-day registration.

SPECIFIC TO LEECH LAKE: This is not simply an issue of “Photo ID.” This is a fight about our right to vote. American Indians were given the right to vote in State and Federal Elections only since 1924. Since that date, American Indians have experienced many barriers to voting, including, but not limited to, discrimination “you have your own elections, why do you want to vote in ours,” and the one question that so many complain about at their polling sites are asked predominantly of American Indian citizens is “are you a registered voter?” The bill’s current language from which the question derived does not include the tribal identification card as “state eligible verification.” This right was won by a ruling of Judge James M. Rosenbaum (September 2005) to amend MN Rule 8200.5100, subpart 2(A) so that, at minimum, it includes identification cards issued by a tribal government of a tribe for voting purposes (ACLU of MN v. Mary Kiffmeyer, case no. 04-CV-4653).

All citizens will have to revalidate their identity with the proposed amendment. Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe communities where citizens will have to drive great distances (mail-in ballot precincts) to revalidate their identity with a “state eligible verification” photo id are :

- Bena
- Ball Club
- Boy Lake
- Cass River
- Federal Dam
- Inger
- Kego Lake
- Prescott
- Smokey Point
- Sugar Point
- Winnie Dam

This means a voter receives his/her ballot in the US mail and goes through a formal process of steps to vote from their home. The voter mails the ballot back to the county seat for counting.

An example of the large numbers of American Indian voters who will be subject to the bill’s unnecessary re-validating already registered and active American Indian voters are 2,202 members of the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe and 2,884 members of the White Earth Nation who reside in rural communities and participate with “mail in” balloting.

This is just a small number compared to the 48,000 other “mail-in” voters in the state (Voting Rights Coalition 2011). In 2011 a Star and Tribune article cited there were 535 rural townships where mail-in balloting occurs. *Star and Tribune, November 6, 2011*

The bill’s language states there is no charge to make photo identification available to individuals. This is an inaccurate statement as the burden of expense will be on the backs of rural voters, for example:

- Distance:** A registered active voter who resides in Bena, must revalidate their voter status at their county seat in Walker. This is an 80 mile round trip.
- Time:** An 80 mile round trip takes about 1.5 hours
- Expense Of Documents:** \$26.00 birth record, \$9.00 marriage record

Multiply these types of expenses by the 48,000 “mail-in” voters and the burden of cost to rural voters is exponentially increased.

### Minnwaajimo (Telling good news)

~from the desk of Cynthia Johnson, Bug O Nay Ge Shig School Superintendent

#### Families as Teachers

Families are the first teachers for children and recent brain development research indicates that we are the teachers during the most critical time for brain development. Family members are busy and it is often difficult to get everything done and still find time to learn new things. As promised, I will be sharing information regularly with the community and families. Here are ten things adults can do in ten minutes or less each day to significantly enrich children’s thinking ability:

- Pick a new word every day and teach it to children. Use it so they hear it in context. Encourage them to use it, and use it yourself. Even over-using it will be fun. Pick a word like ‘outstanding’ and use it whenever something is ‘good.’
- Show them the cover and title page of every book you read to them. Announce the name of the author and illustrator. This is to let them know that real people wrote this story. It might inspire them to make a book of their own. It will also help them find more books by the same writer.
- After reading a book to children, sum up the story line (plot). Talk about the beginning, middle, and end of the book
- Talk about what you read. How is the story similar to your real-life experience as a family?
- Children probably don’t see you hand-write very much, so let them see you writing whenever you can. Show them when you write checks or shopping lists. Stretch out the sounds of the words when you sss-pe-lll them.
- Chat to children while they are bathing. Can you think of a better time when they have your attention? Conversation is really important as children learn to read, write, listen and speak. You are their primary model.
- Introduce the concepts of heavy things and light things. The kitchen is probably the best place for all this. Look for heavy pans and cans, and light napkins and straws.
- Use that junk mail for something! Play “I Spy” by opening a catalog full of pictures and taking turns looking for small objects in the picture. Or, look for things in the whole catalog that begin with each letter of the alphabet.
- Use standing in line to **Grow words from other words**. Think of words that have smaller words inside them.....examples: plant a nut, grow a peanut; plant a dish, grow a radish; plant a pea, grow a peapod. Word usage builds vocabulary. The number of words a child has heard by the age of 3 is the greatest single predictor of success in reading.
- Keep a notebook where kids can draw pictures to go with words. Not everyone can draw, so keep it simple: A - apple, B - ball, C - cat, D - dog, E - egg etc. Soon your child will have made their very own dictionary.

**Feature Teacher:** Every month, one of the Bug O Nay Ge Shig teachers will be introduced. Meet Nichole Powers!! Nichole teaches 2<sup>nd</sup> grade. This year, she kept the same students she had in first grade which enabled her to begin the year where she left off. Nichole has been a teacher at the Big O Nay Ge Shig School for five years. Her favorite color is orange and her favorite sports teams are the Vikings and the Twins. Nichole likes bowling, volleyball, Pinterest, and spending time with her family....especially her granddaughter. Her favorite quote is by Claudia Ladybird Johnson: “Children are apt to live up to what you believe of them.” When asked what advice she would like to share with others, Nichole said, “Never underestimate the power of truly believing in our children. Let them know you believe in them with all your heart and watch amazing things happen!”

On Sept. 20 and 21, students in grade 7-12 will be participating in a service learning project while their teachers participate in professional development that focuses on positive behavior intervention strategies. They will be painting, building solar panels, cleaning up the road and building compost bins to make the school more “green.” The theme for the day will be *Gi-zhaawendaamin Gidakiminaan* which means “We care for all of the land and everything in and on it.” They will be wearing bright orange shirts so if you see them working, give them a little recognition. Until next month, giga Waabamin.



### NORTHWEST INDIAN OIC

The mission of the Northwest Indian OIC is to support and empower American Indian Community members achieve self-determined success through economic and social development opportunities.

#### First Aid/CPR/AED Certification

Every Wednesday & Thursday: 10am-4pm  
Must Register by Friday Before week of class  
Cost: \$90, DUE at Registration  
Upon Completion You’ll Receive

**7 Certifications:**  
First Aid: Adult & Pediatric  
CPR: Adult, Child & Infant  
AED: Adult & Child



### CNA TRAINING

#### Sign Up Now for classes in October

Sign up will be on a 1<sup>st</sup> come, 1<sup>st</sup> serve basis. Only the first 15 will go through training.

- Qualifications for CNA Training:
- HS/GED Graduate
  - No Felonies, No Charges Pending
  - Commitment
  - Client/Member of the NW Indian OIC



### GED Tutoring & Pre-Testing:

Monday – Friday 2pm-4pm  
GED TESTING LOCATION: 201 15TH Ave. NW, Bemidji MN 56601 (Located on SE corner of 15th and Beltrami)  
GED TESTING DATES: 1<sup>ST</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday every month starting in August

### Wednesday Night Drum & Feast 5:30pm-7pm

You are welcomed to bring a dish to share or just come enjoy a refreshment  
NW Indian OIC Location & Contact info  
520 4<sup>th</sup> St. NW, Bemidji, MN 56601 218.759.2022 www.nwoic.org

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## It is Time to Consider Vaccination

By CAPT Amy Buckanaga, RN, MSN

Fall is in the air. People are getting ready to send their children to school. It is also the time for people to think about getting their flu shots. According to the Center for Disease Control (CDC) every year in the United States an average of 5% to 20% of the population gets the flu; more than 200,000 people are hospitalized from flu complications; and about 36,000 people die from flu.

The flu is a contagious respiratory illness caused by influenza viruses. It can cause mild to severe illness, and at times can lead to death. The best way to prevent the flu is by getting a flu vaccination each fall.

Symptoms of flu may include: a fever (usually high), headache, fatigue, dry cough, sore throat, runny nose, muscle aches, and stomach symptoms, such as nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea, also can occur but are more common in children than adults. Flu viruses spread mainly from person to person through coughing or sneezing of people with influenza. Sometimes people may become infected by touching something with flu viruses on it and then touching their mouth or nose. Most healthy adults may be able to infect others beginning 1 day **before** symptoms develop and up to 5 days **after** becoming sick. That means that you may be able to pass on the flu to someone else before you know you are sick, as well as while you are sick.

### How to Prevent Influenza

The single best way to prevent the flu is to get a flu vaccination each fall. The "flu shot" is an inactivated vaccine (containing killed virus) that is given with a needle. There are over a **1000** different flu viruses – the flu shot contains **three** that CDC has decided are the mostly likely to hit this year. U.S. influenza vaccines for 2012–13 will contain A/California/7/2009 (H1N1)-like, A/Victoria/361/2011 (H3N2)-like, and B/Wisconsin/1/2010-like (Yamagata lineage) antigens. The influenza A(H3N2) and B antigens differ from the respective 2010–11 and 2011–12 seasonal vaccine.

One **can not** get the flu from receiving the shot, but you may get symptoms that your body is making antibodies such as low grade fever and body aches. About two weeks after vaccination, antibodies develop that protect against influenza virus infection. Flu vaccines will not protect against flu-like illnesses caused by non-influenza viruses.

Good health habits are also an important way to prevent the Flu. Avoid close contact with people who are sick. When you are sick, keep your distance from others

to protect them from getting sick too. If possible, stay home from work, school, and errands when you are sick. You will help prevent others from catching your illness. Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when coughing or sneezing. If you don't have a tissue, cough or sneeze into your upper sleeve, not your hands. Put your used tissue in the waste basket. Washing your hands often will help protect you from germs. Germs are often spread when a person touches something that is contaminated with germs and then touches his or her eyes, nose, or mouth.

### Who should get vaccinated?

The CDC recommends an annual flu vaccine **for everyone** 6 months of age and older. However, certain people should get vaccinated each year either because they are at high risk of having serious flu related complications or because they live with or care for high risk persons. People who should get vaccinated each year include health care workers, children aged 6-59 months of age, pregnant women, people 50 years or older, people of any age with certain chronic medical conditions (examples asthma, diabetes, COPD, heart disease), people who live in nursing homes and other long term care facilities, household contacts of persons at high risk of complication from flu, and/or of children less than 6 months of age.

### Who should not be vaccinated?

There are people that should not be vaccinated for influenza, they include: anyone with a severe allergy to chicken eggs; anyone who has had a previous allergic reaction to an influenza vaccination, anyone who developed Guillain Barré syndrome (GBS) within 6 weeks of getting an influenza vaccine previously, children less than 6 months of age, and anyone who currently has a moderate or severe illness with a fever should wait to get vaccinated until their symptoms lessen. If you have questions about whether you should get a flu vaccine, consult your healthcare provider.

This year the CDC is recommended that once vaccine is available in your area that you should go and get your shot. Children aged 6 months through 8 years need only 1 dose of vaccine in 2012–13 if they received a total of 2 or more doses of seasonal vaccine since July 1, 2010, otherwise these children will require 2 doses in 2012. Please check with your check with your local pharmacy or clinic for vaccine availability in your area. Cass Lake Indian Health Service hope to start providing vaccine to their clients by September 10, 2012.

## LEECH LAKE BAND OF OJIBWE WIC FOR OCTOBER 2012

Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe WIC Program will be holding WIC clinics for the month of October as follows:

### WIC CLINICS AT THE NEST

**Nutrition Education Sessions and Certifications by appointment only 8:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.-3:30 p.m.**

Monday: October 1, 8, 15, 22 and 29

Wednesday: October 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31

Tuesday: October 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30

Friday: October 5, 12, 19, and 26

### WIC CLINICS AT OUTLYING CLINICS

1<sup>st</sup> Thursday, October 4th - **Onigum Community Center**

**Appointments** 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday, October 11th - **Inger Clinic**

**Appointments** 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday, October 18th - **Ball Club Community Center**

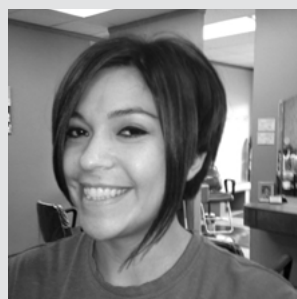
**Appointments** 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

4<sup>th</sup> Thursday, October 25th - **Bena Clinic**

**Appointments** 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

If you need to schedule a WIC appointment please call 218-335-8386 or 1-866-289-5995.

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## MASH-KA-WISEN TREATMENT CENTER

### JOB OPENINGS

#### Chemical Dependency Counselor

**Salary Range:** \$36,400 - \$41,600 Dependent upon education and experience.

Mash-ka-wisen Treatment Center is seeking a full-time qualified chemical dependency counselor to join a comprehensive team to provide treatment services to Native Americans adults and adolescents. The candidate should have a LADC or be licensed through UMICAD or eligible for licensing. The candidate must be knowledgeable in addiction and recovery processes.

#### Treatment Technician

Mash-ka-wisen Treatment Center is seeking part-time and full-time treatment technicians to fill all shifts.

Must have a valid drivers license and one year of documented sobriety if chemically dependent. Competitive salary.

Mash-ka-wisen is located on beautiful Big Lake in Sawyer, Minnesota. Mash-ka-wisen has been a national leader in providing chemical dependency treatment services to Native Americans since 1977.

Passing a state background check is required.

American Indian Preference  
E.O.E.

Please contact:

Molly Murphy MA LADC

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Fax: 218-879-6734

## Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe Job Summary

### THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS CLOSE ON OCTOBER 5TH, 2012

Family Service Advocate-Bena ~ Early Childhood ~ DOQ ~ Job Code: 12-105B

### THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS CLOSE ON SEPTEMBER 28TH, 2012

Sports & Recreation Manager ~ Youth ~ DOQ ~ Job Code: 12-146

Mental Health Counselor ~ Behavioral Health ~ DOQ ~ Job Code: 12-145

Lead Cook - Onigum ~ Early Childhood ~ DOQ ~ Job Code: 12-124B

### THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS ARE OPEN UNTIL FILLED

Infant/Toddler Teacher-Bena ~ Early Childhood ~ DOQ ~ Job Code: 12-129

Training Center Coordinator ~ Health ~ DOQ ~ Job Code: 12-062B

RN Homecare ~ Health ~ DOQ ~ Job Code: 11-192

Social Worker EW/AC Program Manager ~ Health ~ DOQ ~ Job Code: 11-128

### THE FOLLOWING POSITIONS ARE OPEN CONTINUOUS

Pt Cashier/ NLE ~ Business Development ~ \$9.00/hr ~ Job Code: 12-001

Pt Cashier/Che-We ~ Business Development ~ \$9.00/hr ~ Job Code: 12-000



## Leech Lake Tribal College

**Job Openings Open Until Filled**

**Position Title: Director of Academic Development and Assessment**

### PRIMARY FUNCTION:

The Director of Academic Development and Assessment is a key member of the Leech Lake Tribal College (LLTC) and Red Lake Nation College (RLNC) administrative teams. This person will serve as the lead technical person for academic development and assessment for the Red Lake site of the LLTC.

### ACCOUNTABILITY:

This position is required to work full time and be accountable for being at work between the hours of 8:00 am and 5:00 pm. May require flex schedule to accommodate college events. This person must be accessible in the office for both students and public during the times established as directed by the Leech Lake Tribal College Dean of Academics and Red Lake Nation College President. This person will maintain records and files as appropriate to the needs of the department.

### EDUCATION:

Master's Degree or PhD preferred with previous higher education administrative and assessment experience in academic development. Native Preference in hiring will apply.

**Position Title: Administrative Office Assistant**

### PRIMARY FUNCTION:

Provide operational and administrative support to the Administrative Office. This position is critical in providing executive administrative support to sustain consistency, organization and professionalism at the administrative level. **Requirements:** Associate of Art's degree in related field preferred, and 1 to 3 years of experience directly related to the duties and responsibilities. Familiarity with word processing, spreadsheets and database software essential. Equivalent combination of education, training, and experience may be considered.

**Position Title: Part-Time Custodian**

### PRIMARY FUNCTION:

Supports the Facilities Management Department by performing custodial duties in an assigned area. **Requirements:** Associate of Art's Degree preferred, and 1 to 3 years experience directly related to the duties and responsibilities specified.

Visit our website at [www.lltc.edu](http://www.lltc.edu) for more information. Send LLTC application and résumé to: Human Resources Director, Leech Lake Tribal College, PO Box 180 Cass Lake, MN 56633 Phone 218-335-4289

For more information, [www.lltc.edu](http://www.lltc.edu), or [www.redlakenationcollege](http://www.redlakenationcollege), or call RLNC President Dan King at 218-209-0178. Send LLTC application and résumé to: Human Resources Director, Leech Lake Tribal College, PO Box 180 Cass Lake, MN 56633 Phone 218-335-4289 Fax 218-335-4288

## Minnesota Chippewa Tribe Member Survey

**Attention all Minnesota Chippewa Tribe members!!**

The Minnesota Chippewa Tribe (MCT) will be conducting a survey to help us learn more about the blood quantum of MCT members and their descendants.

**We will use the information from this survey to determine what other tribal affiliations (non- MCT) exists within families of enrolled members.** However, no enrollment criteria will be changed as the result of this survey – it is for information gathering purposes only.

**Approximately 3000 enrolled MCT members will be invited to participate in this study using scientific random sampling – all MCT Band members eighteen (18) years of age and older have an equal chance of being selected to participate.**

MCT hired Wilder Research to conduct this survey. We will start contacting MCT members in fall 2012. **If you are invited, we hope you decide to participate. Your participation and accurate information are vital to the validity and success of this survey. With a completed survey, you will be entered into a drawing with other survey participants.** If you are not selected to participate, but you would like to participate or learn more about the survey, you can visit [www.mnchippewatribe.org](http://www.mnchippewatribe.org).

If you have any questions or concerns about the survey, please call Joel Smith, Special Projects Coordinator or Brian Brunelle, Director of Administration at (218) 335-8581.



# Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe Tribal Court

6530 U. S. Highway 2 NW  
Cass Lake, MN 56633  
(218) 335-3682 • (218) 335-4418

Honorable Korey Wawassuck, Judge of Tribal Court

**Traffic Division NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROCEED BY DEFAULT**

YOU (THE DEFENDANTS LISTED BELOW) ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe intends to proceed by default in the Leech Lake Tribal Courtroom located at the Facility Center, upper level, 16126 John Moose Drive NW, Cass Lake, MN, with regard to the alleged violation of the Leech Lake Traffic/Conservation Code, occurring within the boundaries of the Leech Lake Reservation.

Violation of this summons is subject to proceedings for contempt of court pursuant to Tribal Code, Title 1, Part VI. The Court may find you in contempt for failure to appear at a court hearing or for failure to follow court orders.

/s/ Patricia Pizzala, Court Administrator.

<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Date</u>
Armstrong, Michael Scott	TR-12-45	No Motor Vehicle Registration	04/07/2012
Headbird, Tina Marie	TR-12-56	DAR/DAS, Failure to Use a Seat Belt	04/08/2012
Isham, Joseph Edward	TR-12-49	DAR/DAS, Failure to Show Proof of Insurance	03/19/2012
Isham, Joseph Edward	TR-12-50	DAR/DAS	04/03/2012
Jones, James Louis, Jr.	TR-12-47	Speeding from 1-10 mph Over Limit	03/16/2012
Kinchen, Anthony Scott	TR-12-36	Failure to Show Proof of Insurance, Failure to Use a Seat Belt	04/04/2012
Ogema, Herschel John, Jr.	TR-12-37	Failure to Use a Seat Belt	04/04/2012
Raisch, Travis Lee	TR-11-12	DAR/DAS	02/02/2011
Rice, Cassandra Rae	TR-12-53	Failure to Use a Child Restraint Device	04/14/2012
Robinson, Nicholas Cody	TR-12-44	Failure to Use a Seat Belt	04/03/2012
Sam-Thunder, Shanowa B.	TR-12-59	DAR/DAS	02/05/2012
Starr, Beverly Ann	TR-12-54	Failure to Show Proof of Insurance	03/30/2012
Tiessen, Timothy Dale	TR-12-55	DAR/DAS	03/30/2012
White, Brandon James	TR-12-39	No Driver's License, Failure to Show Proof of Insurance	04/02/2012
Wilson, Joseph Dean, Jr.	TR-12-40	Failure to Use a Seat Belt	04/02/2012

<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Date</u>
Armstrong, Donald D., Jr.	CN-11-25	Harvesting During Closed Season or Illegal Hours	09/01/2011
Beaulieu, Jesse Allen	CN-11-22	Harvesting During Closed Season or Illegal Hours	08/29/2011
Briski, Joshua James Mathu	CN-11-16	Harvesting During Closed Season or Illegal Hours, Harvesting Wild Rice Without a Permit	08/26/2011
Howard, Lloyd Eugene, Sr.	CN-11-35	Harvesting During Closed Season or Illegal Hours	08/26/2011
Morgan, Beau James	CN-11-33	Harvesting During Closed Season or Illegal Hours	08/26/2011
Munnell, Kari Ann	CN-11-31	Harvesting During Closed Season or Illegal Hours	08/26/2011
Nason, Eugene	CN-11-30	Harvesting During Closed Season or Illegal Hours	08/26/2011

<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Date</u>
Archambault, Clarice E.	TR-11-62	No Driver's License	08/28/2011
Bebeau, Abigail Marie	TR-11-74	Depositing Non-Hazardous Material	09/15/2011
Brown, Byron Asiniabinooji	TR-11-64	DAR/DAS, Failure to Use a Seat Belt, Failure to Show Proof of Insurance	09/01/2011
Butcher, Rhonda Lee	TR-12-31	DAR/DAS	03/13/2012
Clausen, Clayton John	TR-11-121	Open Bottle	12/01/2011
Dahl, Richard Lloyd	TR-11-120	DAR/DAS	12/01/2011
Dalton, Hannah Lee	TR-11-117	Speeding in Excess of 10 mph Over the Limit	12/11/2011
Finn, Desiree Renee	TR-11-111	Failure to Use a Child Restraint Device	12/15/2011
Harrison, Renae Leah	TR-12-38	Failure to Use a Child Restraint Device (2 Counts), Failure to Show Proof of Insurance	04/02/2012
Hoffman, Corey Louis	TR-11-123	No Driver's License	12/08/2011
Johnson, Adria Ann	TR-11-71	DAR/DAS, Failure to Show Proof of Insurance	09/22/2011
Jones, Vydell Bernice	TR-12-06	Failure to Use a Child Restraint Device	01/09/2012
Lanham, Delores Gay	TR-10-191	DAR/DAS, No Motor Vehicle Insurance	08/21/2010
Morris, Christopher Harrison	TR-12-30	DAR/DAS	02/28/2012
Northbird, Stephanie Mae	TR-11-43	Failure to Show Proof of Insurance	06/12/2011
Northbird, Stephanie Mae	TR-11-91	Speeding in Excess of 20 mph Over the Limit	10/15/2011
Roy, Alvin Earl	TR-12-07	DAR/DAS, Failure to Show Proof of Insurance	01/20/2012
Smith, Thelma Jean	TR-11-73	DAR/DAS	09/02/2011
Wind, Tommi Sue	TR-11-65	Failure to Use a Child Restraint Device, Failure to Show Proof of Insurance	09/29/2011

<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Date</u>
Fisherman, Francis Leigh	TR-11-83	Failure to Use a Child Restraint Device	10/22/2011
Greene, Marlowe Royce	TR-12-29	DAR/DAS	02/04/2012
Haugene, Christopher S.	TR-12-24	No Motor Vehicle Registration	01/08/2012
Jackson, Nathan Daniel	TR-11-80	Failure to Use a Seat Belt	10/19/2011
Jones, Marc Geoffry	TR-12-27	DAR/DAS	01/12/2012
Reese, Faith Marie	TR-11-97	Failure to Use a Seat Belt	10/15/2011
Rice, Jonathan James	TR-11-89	DAR/DAS	10/14/2011
Wakanabo, Kayla Leigh	TR-12-32	DAR/DAS	09/03/2011
Wakanabo, Kayla Leigh	TR-12-33	No Motor Vehicle Registration, Failure to Show Proof of Insurance	08/17/2010
Wakanabo, Kayla Leigh	TR-12-34	DAR/DAS	12/15/2011
White, Adrian William, Sr.	TR-11-85	DAR/DAS	10/01/2011
Whitebird, Connie Elaine	TR-11-104	DAR/DAS	11/29/2011

<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Date</u>
Wilson, Marisa Gayle	TR-011-103	Failure to Use a Child Restraint Device	12/01/2011
Wind, Dawn Desiree	TR-11-99	Failure to Use a Seat Belt	10/15/2011
Wind, Levi George	TR-11-96	DAR/DAS, Open Bottle	10/15/2011

<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Date</u>
Fairbanks, Benjamin G.	TR-11-01	No Driver's License; Failure to Use a Seat Belt; Failure to Show Proof of Insurance	01/04/2011
Fairbanks, Benjamin G.	TR-11-06	No Driver's License	01/22/2011
Finn, Desiree Renee	TR-12-69	Failure to Use a Child Restraint Device (3 Counts)	05/12/2012
Garbow, Ernest	TR-12-81	Speeding in Excess of 10 mph Over the Limit	04/06/2012
Gotchie, Dawn Marie	TR-11-16	DAR/DAS	10/08/2010
Graves, Darres May	TR-12-72	No Driver's License	04/21/2012
Hart, Alexander	TR-10-188	Failure to Use a Seat Belt	12/18/2010
Hart, Alexander	TR-12-71	No Driver's License	04/12/2012
Headbird, Charlee Kai	TR-12-04	No Motor Vehicle Registration-Owner Driving; No Motor Vehicle Registration-Owner Permitting	12/21/2011

<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Date</u>
Headbird, Jess Michael	TR-10-169	Failure to Show Proof of Insurance	11/23/2010
Howard, Eugene Paul	TR-12-82	DAR/DAS	03/24/2012
Hunt, Lavender Doris	TR-12-74	Speeding in Excess of 10 mph Over the Limit; Failure to Use a Child Restraint Device	03/27/2012

<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Date</u>
Johnson, Phillip Sam	TR-12-79	Failure to Use a Child Restraint Device	05/31/2012
Kangas, Cheryl Ann	TR-12-77	Failure to Use a Child Restraint Device (4 Counts)	04/17/2012

<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Date</u>
Littlewolf, Rebecca Marie	TR-12-97	Failure to Use a Seat Belt	05/31/2012
Nordmarken, Krisi Leigh	TR-12-92	DAR/DAS	04/29/2012
Paquette, David John, Jr.	TR-12-76	DAR/DAS	04/17/2012
Phonseya, Patricia Ann	TR-12-66	Failure to Use a Seat Belt	06/01/2012
Robinson, Martin Ernest	TR-12-61	Speeding in Excess of 10 mph Over the Limit	02/22/2012

<u>Defendant</u>	<u>Case No.</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Date</u>
Roy, Rozanna Marie	TR-10-177	Failure to Use a Child Restraint Device	12/08/2010
Wilson, Rosanne	TR-12-80	Speeding in Excess of 10 mph Over the Limit	04/14/2012

**Traffic Division Findings, Conclusions And Final Order For Contempt Of Court**

A review of the Court records revealed that the defendants listed below failed to comply with the previously issued Order for Contempt of Court which stayed a contempt fine. The Leech Lake Tribal Court, after reviewing the files and being otherwise duly informed, makes the following:

- FINDINGS**
- That the defendants shown below were found in contempt of court and a civil contempt penalty in the amounts also shown below were stayed on condition that defendants purge the contempt of court by paying all outstanding fines or signing a repayment agreement within thirty (30) days from the date of that Order.
  - That the defendants were properly served with a copy of the Order for Contempt pursuant to Leech Lake Judicial Code, Title II, Rule 5(c) and/or via publication in two (2) consecutive issues of the DeBahJiMon.
  - That the defendants were given thirty (30) days to request that the contempt order be set aside or make arrangements to pay the fine.
  - That the defendants failed to make arrangements to pay the fine or request that the contempt order be set aside.
  - That pursuant to the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe Judicial Code, Title I, Part VI, Section 4, and the Leech Lake Traffic Code, Chapter 300, Section 304, any person found in contempt of court shall be subject to a fine not to exceed \$500.00.

**CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- The defendants shown below are guilty of Contempt of Court for failure to make arrangements to pay the fines outlined below.

- ORDER**
- The stay of the civil contempt penalty in the amounts shown below is hereby lifted. Defendants are ordered to pay the total fines as indicated below.
  - Pursuant to the Leech Lake Traffic Code, Section 304.E, defendants' fines in the amounts indicated below will be added to the amount s/he must pay to renew or obtain Leech Lake vehicle registration or plates.
  - A copy of this Order shall be provided to the Leech Lake Department of Motor Vehicles, which shall add the sums to the amount the defendants are required to pay to renew or obtain Leech Lake vehicle registration plates.
  - If defendants are unable to pay the total amount due to obtain/renew license plates, s/he may sign a payment agreement with the Tribal Court. An Order will then be issued authorizing the Leech Lake Department of Motor Vehicles to allow the defendants to register/obtain vehicle registration. Failure to comply with the payment agreement will result in an order, pursuant to Leech Lake Traffic Code, Section 304.A and 304.C, for seizure and impoundment of the license plates and/or the vehicle driven at the time of the offense. The defendants' license plates and/or vehicle will be returned upon payment in full of the unpaid balance of the fine.
  - If the defendants fail to execute a repayment agreement pursuant to paragraph four (4) above, the plaintiff is hereby authorized to commence garnishment proceedings to collect the fine pursuant to Leech Lake Traffic Code, Section 303.D.

/s/ Korey Wawassuck, Judge of Tribal Court

<u>Name</u>	<u>File No.</u>	<u>Traffic Fine</u>	<u>Contempt Fine</u>	<u>Total Fine</u>
White, Brandon Lee	TR-00-152	\$ 75.00	\$ 75.00	\$ 150.00

**-LEGAL NOTICE BY PUBLICATION-**

**Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe in Tribal Court**  
In the Matter of the Welfare of the Children of:  
Laurie M. TeJohn, Richard Beaulieu, and Michael J. Johnson, Parents.  
Court File No. CP-12-02

**NOTICE**  
YOU ARE HEREBY notified that on August 15, 2012, a Petition for Alternative Relief was filed in Leech Lake Tribal Court regarding the children of the above-named parents. A hearing will commence on November 5, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. in the Leech Lake Tribal Courtroom located in Cass Lake, Minnesota. The telephone number is (218) 335-3586 or 3682. You are served with this notice because you are a party to this proceeding. If you fail to appear for this hearing the Court may find you in default and enter an order.



**Ojibwe Service**  
Ken Johnson  
Entrepreneur  
218-335-9846  
422 Basswood Ave, NW Cass Lake, MN 56633

**Traffic Division ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE**

**YOU (THE DEFENDANTS LISTED BELOW) ARE HEREBY ORDERED** to appear before the Leech Lake Tribal Court and show cause why you should not be held in Contempt of Court for failure to pay court-ordered fines.

**YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED** that pursuant to Leech Lake Traffic Code, Chapter, Section 304:

- If you are found in Contempt of Court, you may be subject to an additional penalty not to exceed \$500.00, said penalty for contempt shall be in addition to any fines or other penalties previously assessed by this Court.
- You may also be subject to one or more of the following enforcement actions without further notice:
  - Report violation to the State of Minnesota for entry on defendant's driving record;
  - Add the fine to the amount defendant must pay to renew or obtain Leech Lake vehicle registration or plates;
  - Seize defendant's vehicle registration plates;
  - Seize the vehicle driven by defendant at the time of the violation;
  - Suspend defendant's fishing, hunting, trapping, ricing or other treaty rights within the boundaries and jurisdiction of the Leech Lake Band until defendant pays the fine in full.
  - Garnish wages by the Leech Lake Band.

/s/ Korey Wahwassuck, Judge of Tribal Court.

**APPEARANCE DATE: October 16, 2012, at 2:00 p.m.**

<b>Defendant</b>	<b>Case No.</b>	<b>Charge</b>	<b>Date</b>
Isham, Joseph Edward	TR-10-181	DAR/DAS	11/15/2010
Isham, Joseph Edward	TR-11-10	DAR/DAS	01/20/2011
Jones, Elizabeth C.	TR-10-89	DAR/DAS, Failure to Show Proof of Insurance	06/12/2010
Jones, James Louis, Jr.	TR-09-234	No Driver's License	12/16/2009
Wind, Jennifer Lee	TR-12-18	Failure to Use a Child Restraint Device, Failure to Use a Seat Belt	01/25/2012

**-LEGAL NOTICE BY PUBLICATION-****Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe in Tribal Court**

In the Matter of the Welfare of the Children of: Kathryn G. Torres (Anderson), and Gary Headbird, Parents Court File No. CP-12-28

**NOTICE**

YOU ARE HEREBY notified that on July 6, 2012, a Child/Family Protection Petition was filed in Leech Lake Tribal Court regarding the children of the above-named parents. On August 6, 2012, An Amended Child/Family Protection Petition was also filed in Leech Lake Tribal Court regarding the children of the above-named parents. A hearing will commence on **November 5, 2012, at 2:30 p.m.** in the Leech Lake Tribal Courtroom located in Cass Lake, Minnesota. The telephone number is (218) 335-3586 or 3682. You are served with this notice because you are a party to this proceeding. If you fail to appear for this hearing the Court may find you in default and enter an order.

**Civil Division**

Leech Lake Reservation Housing Authority,	Plaintiff,	vs.	<b>FINDINGS OF FACT, CONCLUSIONS OF LAW, AND WRIT OF RESTITUTION AND ORDER FOR JUDGMENT</b>
Rochelle Moses,	Defendant.		
			CASE NO. CV-11-12

The above-entitled matter came on for hearing in Leech Lake Tribal Court on June 20, 2011, at 2:30 p.m. Appearing on behalf of Leech Lake Housing Authority was Tribal Advocate Dale Greene, as well as Esther Johnson of the Housing Authority. There was no appearance by or on behalf of defendant Rochelle Moses. Based upon the evidence presented and all the files, records and proceedings herein, the Court makes the following:

**FINDINGS OF FACT**

- Defendant( Rochelle Moses occupies a low-rent housing unit through a residential lease with the Leech Lake Housing Authority, and the home is located at 14040 Wakanabo Drive NW, Unit 0548, Cass Lake, Mn 56633.
- Defendant has an outstanding arrearage of unpaid rent in the amount of \$1,113.10, through June 20, 2011.
- Defendant's monthly rental charges were \$45.00.
- Pursuant to the Court's last Order, failure to appear for this hearing could result in an Order for Eviction and a judgment for arrears being entered.
- Defendant was released from the Cass County Jail and her whereabouts are unknown.
- Defendant has vacated the premises and the Leech Lake Housing Authority is storing her personal property.
- Defendant has been served with notice of this action by publication in the July/August 2011 edition of the DeBahJiMon, the legal newspaper of the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe.

**CONCLUSIONS OF LAW**

- Defendant is guilty of non-payment of rent in the amount of \$1,113.10, pursuant to the Unlawful Detainer Code and Judicial Eviction Ordinance, 5.1, Non-payment of Rent.
- Defendant is in default for her failure to appear.
- Plaintiff is entitled to a Writ of Restitution of the premises occupied by defendant at 14040 Wakanabo Drive NW, Unit 0548, Cass Lake, Minnesota 56633, on the Leech Lake Indian Reservation.

**ORDER**

- Plaintiff shall be restored the premises at 14040 Wakanabo Drive NW, Unit 0548, Cass Lake, Minnesota 56633.
- Leech Lake Housing Authority is entitled to a Writ of Restitution and is hereby granted immediate possession of the premises located at 14040 Wakanabo Drive NW, Unit 0548, Cass Lake, Minnesota 56633.**
- Plaintiff shall comply with the provisions of the Unlawful Detainer Code and Judicial Eviction Ordinance, 6.11, pertaining to removal and storage of defendant's property.
- Leech Lake Housing Authority is granted a judgment against defendant, Rochelle Moses, in the amount of \$1,113.10.**

**DATED** this 23rd day of September, 2011.

/s/ Korey Wahwassuck, Judge of Tribal Court.

**Civil Division**

In the Matter of the Welfare of the Child of: Toni Carrillo, Parent. CHILD: E.C., DOB: 07/28/1996.	<b>NOTICE OF INTENT TO PROCEED BY DEFAULT</b> Case No. JV-11-39
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**YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED** that the Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe intends to proceed by default on **November 20, 2012, at 3:30 p.m.**, in the Leech Lake Tribal Courtroom located at the Facility Center, upper level, with regard to the alleged violation of the Leech Lake Juvenile Code, Section 4-3 C., Alcohol and Drug Use (minor consumption), which occurred on November 12, 2011.

Violation of this summons is subject to proceedings for contempt of court pursuant to Tribal Code, Title 1, Part VI. The Court may find you in contempt for failure to appear at a court hearing or for failure to follow court orders.

**IT IS SO ORDERED** this 16th day of August, 2012.

/s/ Hon. Korey Wahwassuck, Judge of Tribal Court.

Karen Pagel, Plaintiff, vs. Donald Jasper Finn, Defendant.	<b>NOTICE OF LEGAL PUBLICATION</b> CASE NO. CV-12-18
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**YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED** that on May 17, 2012, a Civil Petition was filed with the Leech Lake Tribal Court alleging a breach of contract. An Initial Hearing will commence on **September 21, 2012, at 2:30 p.m.**, in the Leech Lake Tribal Courtroom located in the Leech Lake Facility Center, 16126 John Moose Drive NW, Cass Lake, Minnesota, upper level, to address the issue of a judgment against you, the defendant, and garnishment proceedings. The hearing may be held by telephone and you may contact the court at 218-335-3682.

You are served with this notice because you are a party to this proceeding or you are a person whose presence is important to a resolution of this matter. If you fail to appear either in person or by telephone for this hearing, the Court may find you in default and enter an Order for judgment and garnishment.

**DATED:** June 26, 2012.

/s/ Patricia L. Pizzala, Court Administrator.

**-LEGAL NOTICE BY PUBLICATION-****Leech Lake Band of Ojibwe in Tribal Court**

In the Matter of the Welfare of the Children of: Mary Beth Wabasha and James Richard Smith, Parents Court File No. CP-09-36

**NOTICE**

YOU ARE HEREBY notified that on July 26, 2012, a Petition to Transfer Permanent Legal and Physical Custody was filed in Leech Lake Tribal Court regarding the children of the above-named parents. A hearing will commence on **November 5, 2012, at 10:45 a.m.** in the Leech Lake Tribal Courtroom located in Cass Lake, Minnesota. The telephone number is (218) 335-3586 or 3682. You are served with this notice because you are a party to this proceeding. If you fail to appear for this hearing the Court may find you in default and enter an order.

**DRM Summer Youth Experience**

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Department. The Youth are given a broad educational overview of all LLBO Environmental Programs; they are allowed to participate in the collection of surface water samples, forestry visits, air site visits, fish and wildlife education and other tasks listed below, including:

- Burn barrel collection
- Indoor air quality assessments
- Radon Education
- Perform Community outreach
- Water testing on various lakes, rivers, streams and beaches
- Fish and Wildlife site visits
- Septic system assessments
- Bio-diesel education
- Basic map reading/GPS Training
- Checking Rice Beds
- Tours with LLBO Forestry Department
- Complete a Power point of "What I learned"
- To establish a sense of responsibility to ones environment
- Community Building
- Knowledge sharing with Leech Lake youth

After completing 80 hrs with environmental staff each participant received a \$500.00 Educational Stipend. It's our hope that the youth who have participated in our program have a new found sense of responsibility to their

Environment and Natural Resources. The Program is designed not to be a summer job but an educational experience that the youth of LLBO cannot get anywhere else; it is our way of knowledge sharing. The youth who complete this Environmental Experience also have an opportunity to apply for a \$400 scholarship if they are attending an institute of higher learning and are enrolled in two or more science related courses.

The DRM wants to thank the entire Environmental Staff and Interns for their commitment to the Youth of Leech Lake and also formally recognize our 2012 participants as Follows;

- Terrance Warner, Bena Age 15
- Johnathon Weyous, Cass Lake, 15
- Frederick Fairbanks, Cass Lake, 13
- Emilio Ortley, Bena, 13
- Ethan Hardy, Deer River, 14
- Grace Byington, Cass Lake, 13
- Auralia Bellecourt Cass Lake, 14
- Micheal Cloud Cass Lake, 13
- Deja Rae Staples Ryans Village, 13
- Abrianna Ortley Cass Lake, 13

The Environmental Department will begin taking applications for the program again in mid-April of 2013. Anyone aged 13-15 that wish to apply or would like to just take a tour of the DRM please contact Jeff Harper or Levi Brown at (218) 335-7400.

**Minnesota Chippewa Tribe Finance Corporation First-Time Homebuyer Education Class**

**Saturday, October 20, 2012**

**8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.**

**The Minnesota Chippewa Tribe Building  
15542 State 371 NW Cass Lake, Minnesota**

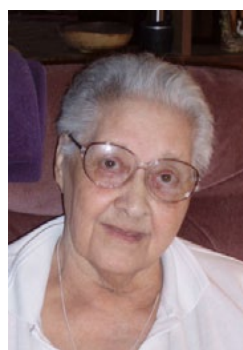
First-time Homebuyer Education is a requirement of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe Finance Corporation for qualified buyers.

Please reserve your spot in this **FREE** class with Cindy Beaulieu at 218-335-8582 extension 150 or [cbeaulieu@mnchippewatribe.org](mailto:cbeaulieu@mnchippewatribe.org)

No Childcare is provided so please make other arrangements.



# Obituaries



## LAURA C. MORRIS

Laura C. Morris, 86, of Cass Lake, Minnesota began her journey home on Saturday, September 8, 2012 at the Cass Lake Indian Hospital.

Laura was born to Alfred Francis Folstrom and Georgianna Belcourt on May 1, 1926 in Lengby, Minnesota on the White Earth Reservation. Due to the haste of her delivery Laura became known as the "Dunning Farm" baby because she ended up being born in the ditch on the Dunning farm. Laura spent her early years living in orphanages in Flandreau, South Dakota and St. Cloud, Minnesota. She attended school in Wahpeton, and then at Cass Lake. On June 29, 1960 she was married to William John Morris in Walker, Minnesota. Laura was employed as a cook/cabin cleaner at Wishbone Resort in Cass Lake but also worked hard at whatever it took to survive and support her family. She made maple syrup and princess pine wreaths, picked wild berries and crafted traditional tribal jewelry to sell. She was vice-chair of the local Indian Council, served on the local Indian Education Council for Cass Lake, and was part of the Council of Elders who helped reconstruct the Cass Lake High School, and was involved in the protest to reconstruct the Cass Lake Diabetic Rehabilitation Center. Laura enjoyed traveling, especially to the western states and most particularly to Idaho. She is fondly remembered as a strong-willed woman with a good sense of humor who was intensely dedicated to her family and to her people. She was a hard worker, a good mother and auntie to many, a proud grandmother...and also known as the "radical grandma". Laura has left a legacy that will not be forgotten.

Laura is survived by her children; Yodi (Layne) Folstrom Myers, Orlean "Poncho" Folstrom, Edward F.(Joyce) Fairbanks, Aaron E. Fairbanks, Jr., Alice (Montyle) Morris Town, Paula Kay Morris (William Daley), Grandchildren; Christopher

D.(Rachel) Capell, Dana L.(Jennifer) Capell, David W.(Molly) Capell, William White, Irene Folstrom (William Blackwell), Edward Folstrom (Lanna Kerber), Anna Fairbanks, Lindsey Morris, Sadie (Eian)Cooper, Logan (Jessica)Town, Yodi (Dean) Blomgren, Gordon (Kristina) Cloud, Jr., Dakotah Morris Usher, 15 great grandchildren, 3 great great grandchildren, numerous nieces, nephews, George (Pam) Coulombe, Brady (Jodi) Coulombe, and Tyler (Lyndsay) Coulombe.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Bill, daughter Dora Jean, brothers; Edward Clark, Orlean Folstrom, Francis Paul Folstrom, great nephew Michael Staples, and many friends and relatives.

The gathering to celebrate Laura's life will begin at 6:00 pm, Tuesday, September 11, 2012 at the Veterans Memorial Building, Cass Lake and continue until the service which will be Thursday, September 13 at 11:00 am at St. Peters Episcopal Church. Officiating will be Fr. George Ross and Rev. Mark Olson. Inurnment will follow at Pine Grove Cemetery, Cass Lake. Share on-line condolences at [www.dennisfuneralhome.com](http://www.dennisfuneralhome.com)

## Harold "Duane" Robinson

Harold "Duane" Robinson, 76, Duluth, MN passed away 06-14-2012 at Essentia Health Care Center, Duluth. He was born 12-4-1935 at Onigum, Minnesota.

Survived by: Wife, Trudy, Children, Gayle (David) Daniel, Brian Robinson Sr., Harold "Butch" Robinson Jr., Patrick Robinson (Sue Nelson), Michael E. Robinson, Cheryl (Jim) Van Guilder; 16 grandchildren and 17 great grandchildren; Sisters, Betty Motter, Sandra Charwood, Patricia(Bart) Garbow-Long; Brother Simon (Janice) Garbow.

Preceded by: Parents Bernice Command Garbow and Ralph Robinson; Siblings, Laura Jean Fairbanks, Eileen Schaaf, Carolyn Lone, Barbara Nason, Margaret Wilson.

Visitation: 4:00 pm Tuesday, June 19, 2012 and will continue until the Wednesday, June 20, 2012 12:00 pm service.

Service: Wednesday, June 20, 2012.

Duane grew up in Chachabaaning (Inger). He and his wife raised their family in Duluth, where he worked as an auto body technician for many years. Throughout his life he enjoyed reading, fishing, hunting, and gathering wild rice. He enjoyed spending time with his family going on picnics, riding in the countryside and other family gatherings. He especially enjoyed attending powwows. He retained and spoke his Ojibwe language fluently. He enjoyed telling jokes and making us all laugh. He spoke proudly of his military service. Harold will be sadly missed by his wife of 54 years, his children, grandchildren, siblings and other relatives and friends.

Arrangements by: Carroll Funeral Home, Deer River, Minnesota.



## Barbara Jean White "Niibin"

Baby Barbara Jean White, 24 days, "Niibin" which means Summer, of Cass Lake, began her spiritual journey home on August 18, 2012. Barbara was born the daughter of Toni Littlewolf and Brian White on July 25, 2012 in Bemidji, Minnesota.

Barbara was preceded in death by her twin brothers Jaden and Jordan White, grandma Barbara LeQuire, great grandparents Edward and Loretta Clark, auntie Tina Gale and uncle Duane White.

Those left behind to cherish her memory are, her parents; Toni Littlewolf and Brian White, brothers; Brian White, Jr., Nicholas and Matthew Littlewolf, sisters; Alissa, Rose and Danielle Wind and Kierra White, grandparents; James Littlewolf and Jimmy and Phyllis Day, auntie; Jessica Littlewolf, and uncle; James (Kathy) Littlewolf.

A wake service for Barbara will begin Thursday, August 23 at 5:00 p.m. and continue until her 2:00 p.m. service on Saturday, August 25th all being held at the Veteran's Memorial Building in Cass Lake. Allen Hardy will be the Spiritual Leader. Active Pallbearers are Nicholas Littlewolf and Alissa Wind. Honorary Pallbearers for Barbara are Brian White, Jr., Matthew Littlewolf, Kierra White, Danielle Wind, Rose Wind and Brittany Adams. Interment will be in the Pine Grove Cemetery at Cass Lake, Minnesota immediately follow the service.

Barbara, though your time here was short, you will be in our hearts forever and

loved and missed by all.

Arrangement entrusted to Northern Peace Funeral Home of Walker. On-line condolences for the family may be given at [www.northernpeace.com](http://www.northernpeace.com)



## Karin Elaine Morgan,

Karin Elaine Morgan, "Be - Shig - Goo - Gah-Bow" which means "Stands Alone", 49, of Minneapolis, formerly of Bena, MN, passed away at her

home in Minneapolis on Monday, September 3, 2012. She was born on October 18, 1962 in Cass Lake, MN the daughter of Dave Morgan, Sr. and Josephine (Cloud) Morgan.

Karin was always out and about visiting with her family and friends. She was always making sure that people were okay. She enjoyed going to church and helping out there. She was a member of the Morning Star Assembly of God, the Native American Church. Karin was a very strong family person. Her family was important to her. She would spend hours on the phone talking to them. Karin enjoyed playing bingo and going for drives. The last few years she worked for H and R Block. She would get up in the mornings and watch her soaps. She will be sadly missed by all who knew her.

Karin was preceded in death by her parents; David and Josephine, brother; Raymond "Doug" Cloud, baby nephew; Clyde, Jr., sister in-law; Bonnie Morgan, numerous aunts and uncles.

She is survived by two children; Josh-wah Morgan and Sakita Pritchett, and companion; Robert Pritchett, grandchildren; Torianna Steward-Morgan and Zaniyah Rowe-Morgan, Maerine Clark, Veronica Clark and Antware Clark, brothers; David Morgan, Clyde (Janice) Morgan, Kerry (Doreen) Morgan, sisters; Patricia (Gilbert) Moose, Dawn (Joe) Smith and Doreen (Bro) Morgan, numerous nieces, nephews, special friend Wilmer "Lucy" Brevard and her children Julius and Michael. Other relatives and many more special friends.

A wake service for Karin will begin at 5:00 p.m., Thursday, September 6, 2012 and continue until the 11:00 a.m. service on Saturday, September 8, all at the Veteran's Memorial Building in Cass Lake, MN. Pallbearers for Karin will be Sakita Pritchett, Joshie Morgan, Robert Pritchett, Roy

Lovelace, Dave Bismarck, Justin Raschke, Tyler Losh, Kyle Lovelace, Doug Cloud, and Pete Morgan. Honorary pallbearers will be all her loved ones, family and friends. Interment will be held in the Mokahum Cemetery at Cass Lake following the service.

Arrangements are entrusted to Northern Peace Funeral Home of Walker, MN. Online condolences for the family may be given at [www.northernpeace.com](http://www.northernpeace.com)



## Dorcus Gwen Whitebird

Dorcus Gwen Whitebird, 47, of Bena, MN passed away on Thursday, August 2, 2012 at the Sanford Hospital

in Fargo with her family by her side. She was born on January 17, 1965 at Cass Lake, MN the daughter of Edmund "Slim" and Leota (White) Whitebird.

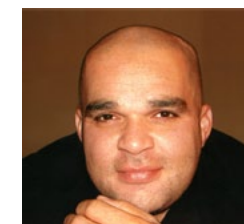
She loved playing bingo, baking, cooking, and being with her girls and grandbabies. She also liked to take care of her co-workers and enjoyed her job very much.

Dorcus was preceded in death by her father and her brother Edmund L., and one niece, Ashley.

She is survived by her children; Andrea (Chris), Amber, Abby, Cree and Lenae, grandchildren; Lydia, Carissa, Miika and Mason, mother; Leota, sister; Myrna, brothers; Ken, Sr., Jeff, and Sid. Other relatives and many friends.

A wake service for Dorcus will begin at 5:00 p.m., Monday, August 6, 2012 and continue until the 11:00 a.m. service on Tuesday, August 7, all at the Bena Community Center at Bena, MN. Pallbearers for Dorcus will be; Kenneth Whitebird, Jr., Ryan Whitebird, Loren Howard, Pat Finn, Chris White, Steve White, Michael Reyes, and Hubert Braman. Honorary Pallbearers will be; The Staff of Leech Lake Housing, Becky White, Connie Beaulieu, Kenneth Whitebird, Sr., Jeff Whitebird, Myrna Whitebird, Sid Whitebird, Sherrie Jenkins, Esther Johnson, Evie Brown, George Rea, Ricky McGrath, Rodney "Biscuits" Johnson, James Mitchell and Richard Bevins. A private family interment will be held in the Ft. Snelling National Cemetery at with her father.

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## William Craig Daley

William Craig Daley, 43, of

Cass Lake, MN, died Sunday, September 9, 2012 in Bena, MN.

Traditional Funeral Services will be 10:00 am Saturday, September 15, 2012 at the Sugar Point Community Center in Federal Dam, MN with Spiritual Leader Steve Jackson officiating. A wake will begin 1:00pm, Friday, September 14, 2012 at the Sugar Point Community Center and will continue until the time of the service. Interment will be at the Battle Point Cemetery in Federal Dam, MN under the direction of the Cease Family Funeral Home of Bemidji.

He was born on December 10, 1968 in Minneapolis, MN, the son of Gary and Georgia (Greene) Daley. He was raised and educated in Minneapolis. He worked a variety of jobs including roofing, towing, and auto repair. He spent time living in Cass Lake, working as a cook at the Northern Lights Casino in Walker, and recently as the shop manager of the Leech Lake TEP program. He enjoyed netting, carving key chains out of deer antlers, working on and rebuilding cars, and he loved to cook. He was a kind and loving man, always willing to help everyone out. He will be missed by his family and many friends.

He is survived by: Children, Felicia Daley of Bloomington, MN, Annessa Daley of Elk River, MN, Keith Daley of Elk River, MN, Shi-Ann Jackson-Daley of Cass Lake, MN, Father, Gary Daley Sr. of Brooklyn Center, MN, Siblings, Shazarazon Madlock of Minneapolis, MN, Gary (Nicki) Daley Jr. of Darwin, MN, Bershawn Madlock of Minneapolis, MN, Jeffrey (Katie) Daley of Victoria, MN, Jack Daley of St. Paul, MN, Angel (Rudy) Jones of Brooklyn Park, MN, Amy Daley of Cambridge, MN, Kala Daley of Cambridge, MN, Companion, Paula Morris of Cass Lake, MN, Step-Daughter, Dakotah Morris of Cass Lake, MN,

He was preceded in death by his mother.

Active Casketbearers will be: Jeff Daley, Gary Daley Jr., Jack Daley, Ron Hulet Sr., Rudy Jones, Marcel Madlock, Josh Greene, Norman Greene, and Harold "Almon" Hare. Honorary Casketbearer will be his son Keith Daley

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## Stewart Elwood Kingbird,

"Okikaangadoonz"

Stewart Elwood Kingbird, "Okikaangadoonz",

which means Jack Pine Splinter, 61, of Bemidji, MN entered the spirit world on Sunday, August 19, 2012 with his family by his side. He was born on January 5, 1951 in Cass Lake, Minnesota to John and Agnes (Morgan) Kingbird.

He enjoyed going to pow-wows and singing. Stewart also liked to go bowling and traveling to play in tournaments with his friends from ODC. Going to the casino playing and visiting with his friends there. Stewart also enjoyed going to all the Cass Lake Panther Basketball games, he never missed any games. He liked being with his family and seeing his niece and nephews who he loved very much. Stewart always wanted to see his family on all occasions and family get together. Stewart was loved by all his physicians, staff and members of the community.

Stewart was preceded in death by his parents, brothers; Bibsy, Darryl, Bob Morgan, numerous aunts and uncles.

He is survived by his sisters; Faith (Lenny) Abram, Nancy Tibbets, Lisa Morgan, Flossie Morgan, Ernestine Morgan, Dolly Morgan, brothers; Darwin (Janice) Kingbird, Joey (Bonnie) Kingbird, Bill Johnson and Richard Morgan.

A wake service will begin at 5:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 21, 2012 and continue until the 11:00 a.m. service on Thursday all at the Veteran's Memorial Building in Cass Lake, MN. Spiritual leader will be Richard Morrison. Active pallbearers will be; Torrey Kingbird, Markus Kingbird, Brandon Morgan, John Dunn, Darryl Kingbird, Jr., and Tyrone Morgan. Alternate pallbearers will be John Johnson and Tom Haugen. Honorary pallbearers will be; Robert Fineday, Warren Paquette (Tibby), Dave McInerney, Sylvester Shotley, Junior Grove, Louie Paquette, Mike Hanson, Donovan Haaland, Branch Court Staff, Rick Haaland, Dialysis Staff, HCMC Staff, Keith St. Cyr, ODC Staff, Louise Councillor and Richard Morrison.

Interment will be held in the Morgan Family Cemetery at Oak Point.

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## Joseph "JT" George Taylor

Joseph "JT" George Taylor,

78, of Onigum, MN passed away August 22, 2012 at Sanford Medical Center in Bemidji, MN. He was born on February 4, 1934 in Onigum, Minnesota to George and Lucy (Fairbanks) Taylor.

In his younger years, Joe was an avid athlete and softball player. He was well known for his speed which lead to everyone wanting him on their teams. In 1953, Joe enlisted in the Army and went on to be a paratrooper with the 82nd Airborne Division, which he was very proud of. Joe enjoyed watching sports, he liked to watch the Vikings and the Twins but he especially loved his wrestling. One of his favorite things to do was reminiscing about the "Old Times" with his friends. Joe liked "joy riding" in his car, which he did well into his later years. He especially enjoyed visiting Duluth, where he lived for many years after returning home from the Army. Joe had a deep appreciation for his natural surroundings and all its beauty. His family was a close knit one, but Joe's bond with his mother, Lucy, was extremely special.

Joseph was preceded in death by his parents, brothers; Carl "Spooly", George "Wimpy", Charlie "Pocket" and Donald "Beeb" and a sister Hattie "The Shoedown".

He is survived by his sons Bobby Jo Brown of Cass Lake and Walter Brown of Old Agency, daughter; Kimberly Brown of Old Agency, numerous grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

A wake service for Joe will begin at 5:00 p.m., Saturday, August 25, 2012 at the Onigum Community Center in Onigum and continue until the 11:00 a.m. service on Monday at St. John's Episcopal Church in Onigum, MN. Pastor Mark Olson will officiate. Active pallbearers will be; Victor Thompson, Bill "Lumpy" Pell, Stanley Chief, Kyle Jacobs, Justin Moshier and Willie Jacobs. Alternate pallbearer is Roger Wakonabo. Interment will be held in the St. John's Episcopal Cemetery at Old Agency immediately following the service.

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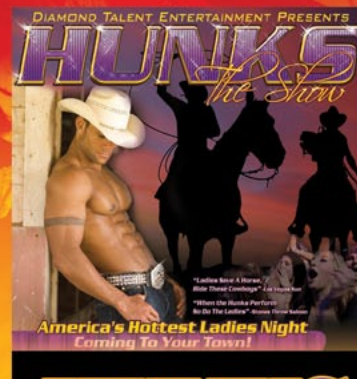
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