



Batchewana First Nation March 2018



**Thank you to all of the participants of the
2018 Annual Fishing Derby!**

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| Rankin Reserve | 15D |
| Obadjiwan Reserve | 15E |
| Whitefish Island | 15 |
| Goulais Bay Reserve | 15A |

www.batchewana.ca



Greetings!

If you are interested in including something in the next newsletter or have content suggestions please write to;

communications

@batchewana.ca

Meegwetch,

Alex Syrette

(705) 759-0914



BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION MONTHLY MAIL OUT

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Batchewana First Nation would like to wish all LNHL players and teams good luck!!!

Sections

▪ **News and Events**

Will inform you of what is happening in BFN's communities and surrounding area.

- **BFN in the News**

Includes news articles pertaining to BFN communities and it's members.

- **Community Beat**

Updates you on Internal Reminders, BFN sponsored Activities, and Public Notices.

- **BFN Department Updates**

Provides you with briefings from each of BFN's departments.

▪ **Employment Opportunities**

Will notify you of any job postings through BFN.

▪ **Kids Space**

Is dedicated to entertaining kids with fun activities that incorporate the language.

Please be advised that all BFN Offices will be closed on March 30, 2018 for Good Friday

FROM THE GOVERNMENT OF BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION OF OJIBWAYS

Batchewana First Nation Modernization of Information Technology

**For Immediate Release
February 9, 2018**

Today, together with Batchewana First Nation Chief Dean Sayers, Terry Sheehan, MP for Sault Ste. Marie, announced – on behalf of the Honourable Jane Philpott, Minister of Indigenous Services – funding for Batchewana First Nation to modernize its information technology system.

After seeing exponential growth with staff Batchewana First Nation Leadership and administration has made significant strides to improve internal operations.

Indigenous Services Canada is providing \$134,400 to support this IT modernization through its Community Opportunity Readiness Program. This program addresses the financial needs of First Nation communities in their pursuit of, and participation in, economic opportunities.

The funding will be used to update the First Nation's existing system and will include integrated servers, an automated accounting system and debit/credit transaction capabilities for use at all of the community's businesses.

Quotes

"Today's investment will bring much needed automation to current and future businesses operated by Batchewana First Nation, and I am very pleased our government can support this initiative."

The Honourable Jane Philpott, M.D., P.C., M.P.
Minister of Indigenous Services

"Batchewana First Nation will greatly benefit from the modernization of internal technology systems. Our leadership continuously work to seek out new ways to better serve our membership and improve the operations of our administration. The investment made in part by Indigenous Services demonstrates their firm support for our First Nation and we greatly appreciate it."

Chief Dean Sayers
Batchewana First Nation

For more information please contact Alex Syrette, Communications Coordinator, Batchewana First Nation (705) 255-8407 communications@batchewana.ca



Community Meeting

March 28, 2018

7pm

Location TBA

Watch the website and facebook page for updates
www.batchewana.ca

AGENDA:

- **BluEarth Presentation**
- **Goulais Wharf Project**
- **Lake Superior Provincial
Park Visitor Experience**
- **RHT Annuities Update**
- **New Staff Introductions**
 - **AIAI Updates**
 - **LNHL**
- **Governance Update**
- **Member Requests**

BFN Annual Fishing Derby 2018

Chi Meegewetch to everyone who came out to the Annual BFN Fishing Derby. The Derby took place on February 19, 2018 and was a great event to celebrate family day. Special thanks to the organizers and cooks. Congratulations to the winners, the catch list is noted below and we look forward to seeing you next year!

| <u>Name</u> | <u>Size</u> | <u>Name</u> | <u>Size</u> |
|----------------|----------------------|--------------------|-------------|
| Sherry Agawa | 17" | Candi Agawa | 8" |
| Katy Neveau | 14" | Naomi Dagenais | 8" |
| Leah Syrette | 9 1/2" | Kaylah Agawa | 8" |
| Landen Jones | (2 fish) 9" & 7 1/2" | Shelby Agawa | (2 fish) 8" |
| Jack Waboose | (2 fish) 8" & 8 1/2" | Bailey Agawa | (2 fish) 8" |
| Jamie Waboose | 8 1/2" | Grace Morrow | 8" |
| Ryan O'Connor | 8 1/2" | Brenden Agawa | 8" |
| Alex Hult | 8" | Farrah Agawa | 8" |
| Isaac Hult | 8" | Stephanie Dinsmore | 7 1/2" |
| Terry Randell | (3 fish) 8" | Sean Dinsmore | 7 1/2" |
| Lacey Boyer | 8" | Ashton Agawa | 7" |
| Brody Dinsmore | 8" | Robin Neveau | 7" |





BBIL Board of Directors

VACANCIES

BBIL is currently seeking applications for the

BBIL Board of Directors

Interested Applicants:

Should submit their resume outlining their
qualifications/education and experience relating to BBIL mandate;
along with 3 references in a sealed envelope to the following:

BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION BAND OFFICE

C/O BBIL SELECTION COMMITTEE

236 FRONTENAC ST.

BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION, ON P6A 6Z1

Please Note:

All submissions must be stamped received by BFN Reception on or before **April 5th, 2018**

No Late Submissions will be accepted

Thank you
BBIL Management



JOB & CAREER FAIR

Batchewana First Nation and Garden River First Nation in partnership with the City of Sault Ste. Marie are organizing a Job Fair to bring together employers, experienced professionals and Industry under one roof!

**Rankin Arena
(17 Batchewana Street, P6A 6Z1)
Saturday May 5, 2018
12:00pm – 5:00pm**

Meet over 20 employers eager to hire part/full time employees. Stop by the Rankin Arena and you might just leave with your future career, don't forget your resume!



**Batchewana and Garden River First Nation's
CAREER JOB FAIR DAY
Registration Form**

Please complete this form and return to Marlene Hewson, Economic Development
E-mail: marlene@batchewana.ca
Tel: 705-759-0914, Ext. #224

Deadline:

REGISTRATION IS REQUESTED BY FRIDAY, April 20th, 2018

Organization & Contact Information

Organization Name: _____

Address: _____

City, Postal Code: _____

* Your Name: _____

* Title: _____

* E-mail Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Website: _____

* Please note – this information will NOT appear in any promotional material.

Please indicate the following:

| | |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Will require an electrical outlet | <input type="checkbox"/> Note: electrical/extension cords are NOT provided |
| Will be bringing a display | <input type="checkbox"/> Please provide measurements: |
| | |

Organization Representatives

Please indicate the names and titles of organization's representatives who will attend the Career Fair Day.

| Name | Title | |
|------|-------|--|
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Booth Information

We will equip each booth with the following:

- 1 table and 2 chairs
- electrical outlet (if requested)
- table cloth



HOUSING CALL OUT EXTENDED



TOWN-HOUSE APPLICATIONS

BFN Housing Department is encouraging all interested members to apply. Located at

85 Bawahting Miikun

All applicants must complete the Town House Housing Application form, including any applicants currently on the waiting list. All applicants will be scored and rated on the new Tenant Selection Criteria Tool designed to ensure fairness in the housing selection process for this project.

Any interested applicants that may meet the following demographics are welcome to apply:

Family of three or less
Single person
Couples with no dependents
Retiree's

Must meet National Occupancy Standards (overcrowding)

A copy of the Tenant Selection Tool is available with the application For more information or questions please call: Lisa McCormick, Housing Manager 705-759-0914 ext. 254

I am available to assist with the application process, please feel free to make an appointment!!!

Deadline for applications:

March 30th, 2018

Late or Incomplete applications will not be accepted



ALL Batchewana First Nation Members

Anishinaabemowin Teg 24th Annual Language Conference

March 29th to April 1, 2018

Kewadin Casino

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**Batchewana First Nation is proud to sponsor  
you as a participant for the *Language Conference*. You must have  
your own transportation (gas cards provided)**  
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**Please bring the information learned back to our community.
To present to our Future Generation. This years theme is "Ge-
zhi-naanaagide' enmongba gdoo-kiimnaa" How we can look
after our environment.**
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***Please Email me or drop off a letter of why you would like to  
participate in this year's Language Conference.***  
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PLEASE DO NOT CALL TO SIGN IN.

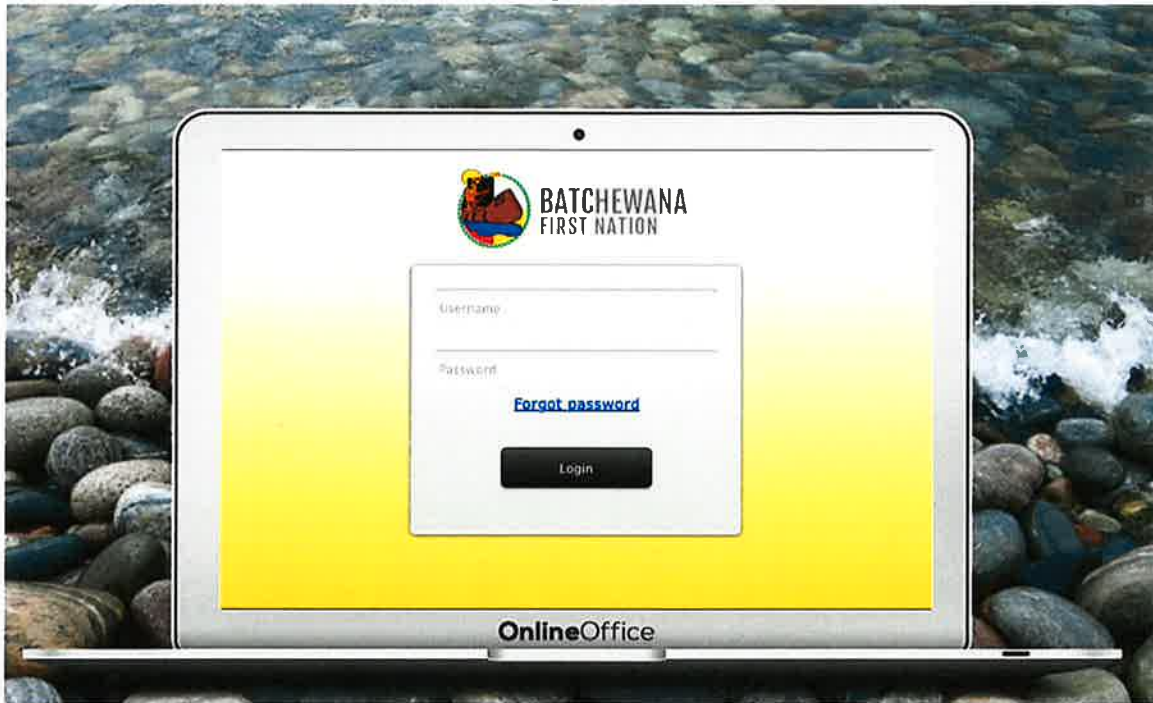
**Drop off at Band Office
Before March 10, 2018**
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**Lorri Madigan (705) 759-0914 ext. 210**

**email [lorri@batchewana.ca](mailto:lorri@batchewana.ca)**

# **BFN Live Streaming**

Council meetings will be available through **Live Stream** starting **February 15, 2018**



Visit: **[Live.batchewana.ca](http://Live.batchewana.ca)**

Login for BFN Band Members:

**Username: member**

**Password: bfnlive17**

Questions or comments can be emailed to  
**[communications@batchewana.ca](mailto:communications@batchewana.ca)**





# Spring Maintenance Tips

With Spring fast approaching here are some home maintenance tips to take into consideration:

- \* Examine roof shingles to see if any were lost or damaged
- \* Inspect foundation for signs of cracks
- \* Check gutters to see if any are loose or leaky. Improper damage can lead to water in basement/crawl space
- \* Replace all filters including water, range hoods and air vent filters. You should replace these filters every 3-6 months depending on the type you have.
- \* Test smoke alarms and CO detectors, and change out batteries if needed
- \* Make sure sump pump is properly working as it will prevent flooding as the snow melts

The Housing Department is also suggesting that Home Owners look into acquiring Content insurance which will pay for any damage or loss of possessions due to floods or fires.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact the Housing Manager at 759.0914 Ext 254

Thank you

Lisa McCormick  
Housing Manager



# PUBLIC NOTICE

## Rankin Reserve

### WINTER OPERATIONS

During the winter the road is plowed to the ditch line. Residents must not place their garbage cans or outdoor sports equipment in the snowplow route to avoid being hit.

Snow removal is a priority on our streets and public roads and cannot be impeded or hindered due to safety reasons.

The Public Works will not be held responsible for any damages incurred if this is not adhered too.

Thank you for your cooperation and participation.



*Batchewana First Nation Public Works Department*

*November 7, 2017*





# **PUBLIC NOTICE**

## **Batchewana First Nation Reserves**

### **WINTER OPERATIONS**

In accordance with the Highway Traffic Act, there will be **NO PARKING** on the Batchewana First Nation's public roads from November 1 to March 31 from 12:00 am to 6:00 am.

Disobeying the notice will result in vehicles being towed away at the owner's expense.

Snow removal is a priority on our streets and public roads and cannot be impeded or hindered due to safety reasons.

*Batchewana First Nation Chief and Council*

*October 23, 2017*

# RECYCLING ON RANKIN RESERVE

Check your calendar for recycle dates!



## BLUE BOX - WHAT CAN I RECYCLE?

| #1 and #2 Plastic Containers                                                                                                                                                                                     | Week 1 | Metal Cans                                                                                                         |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| A collection of various plastic containers, including water bottles, juice bottles, and a large orange jug. A small icon of a recycling symbol with the number 1 and the word "PETE" is shown below the bottles. |        | A collection of various metal cans, including food cans (like soups and vegetables) and beverage cans (like soda). |
| <p>* Please rinse all containers. Containers containing oil products or hazardous materials (e.g. antifreeze, paint) will not be accepted. Ensure lids are safely contained to prevent injuries.</p>             |        |                                                                                                                    |

## YELLOW BOX – WHAT CAN I RECYCLE?

| Cardboard                                                                                                                            | Week 2 | Boxboard                                                                                                                                                |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| A pile of various cardboard boxes, some open and some closed, showing different sizes and colors.                                    |        | A collection of various food and beverage boxes, including cereal boxes (like Raisin Bran and Uncle Ben's), a box of Quaker Oats, and a box of Whitt's. |
| <p>*Any cardboard that has been in direct contact with food (e.g. milk cartons, pizza boxes) will not be accepted. No Newspaper.</p> |        |                                                                                                                                                         |

The Batchewana First Nation would like to thank you for your cooperation and participation.

# Rankin Reserve 2018 Recycle Calendar

## January 2018

| Su | Mo | Tu | We | Th | Fr | Sa |
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## May 2018

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## June 2018

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## July 2018

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## August 2018

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## September 2018

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## October 2018

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## November 2018

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## December 2018

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Square = Yellow Box

No Square = Blue Box

# Batchewana First Nation

## Post Secondary Information Session

Open to All Grade 12 Graduates & New Mature Students

**Wednesday March 7<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**Or**

**Wednesday April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**Or**

**Wednesday May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**(Need to attend just one session)**

5:30pm – 7:30pm  
Batchewana Learning Centre  
15 Jean Street  
(Manitou Park area)

### **Agenda:**

- **Application & Policy.**
- **Residence Information.**
- **Essays and Direct Deposit Information.**
- **Scholarship Information.**

**Please R.S.V.P. to Christine Sayers.**

***If you have any questions contact:***

***Christine Sayers @ 705-759-7285 Ext. 214 or [csayers@bfnedu.com](mailto:csayers@bfnedu.com)***

**Deadline Date for Post Secondary Funding is May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

**Batchewana First Nation Education Department  
& Learning Center (15 Jean St)**

**EXCERSICE EQUIPMENT is available from 8:30 am to 9:00 pm**



**COMPUTERS are available from 8:30 am to 9:00 pm**



**Yoga-Beginner Classes every Wednesday 7-8 pm.**



## Batchewana First Nation 2018 Graduates

| <i><b>Senior Kindergarten</b></i> | <i><b>Grade Eight</b></i> |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Destin Agawa                      | Lyle Barber               |
| Brennan Agawa                     | Adrian Blackbird          |
| Landyn Agawa                      | Keiara Bond               |
| Macey Boissoneau                  | Joshua James Boyer        |
| Garette Boyer                     | Taylor Boyer              |
| Nolden Boyer                      | Nick Carter               |
| Tatiana Cugan-Maxwell             | Aiden Cleminson           |
| Ava Daynard                       | Matthew Cousino           |
| Alex Elie                         | Samuel Cousino            |
| Isabella Grawbarger               | Chance Daigle             |
| Layla Jones                       | Janell Desjardins         |
| Ella Lato                         | Jaylin Edwards            |
| Kayden LeSage Hhakuik             | Shanelle Edwards          |
| Lyla McCormick                    | Melissa Flamand           |
| Kiara Neveau                      | Landon Gingras            |
| Nilahna Neveau                    | Mya Hodgson               |
| Aliisha Owl                       | Andrew Miller             |
| Braden Meyers                     | Eva McCormick             |
| Grace Morrow                      | Kadance McPhail           |
| Mya Sewell                        | Jaylee Reil               |
| River Southwind                   | Chris Roach               |
| Scarlette Syrette                 | Abigail Robinson          |
| Selesi Syrette                    | Katarie Sewell            |
| Brianna Tegosh                    | Kadence Syrette           |

| <i><b>Grade Twelve</b></i> |                      |
|----------------------------|----------------------|
| Keirsten Agawa             | Karlee Meshell       |
| Toryance Blanchard         | Jackson McCormick    |
| Riley Bisson Miller        | Kathleen McDonagh    |
| Kenessa Boissoneau         | Kayla McCoy          |
| Dawson Boissoneau          | Quinn McCoy-Sayers   |
| Corey Boyer                | Dustin McKay         |
| Kaleigh Boyer              | Orlando Nahwegahcow  |
| Nora Boyer                 | Ty Petinglo          |
| Keesha Corbiere            | Kelsey Rankin        |
| Megan Corbiere             | Miles Riel           |
| Nicole Elie                | Avery Roach          |
| Mikoshanoon Eshkakogan     | Dakota Robinson      |
| Chantelle Fournier         | Reece Robinson       |
| Kameron Grawarger          | Cameron Sayers       |
| Walker Gregoire            | Tyler Sayers         |
| Avery Hendry               | Dylan Sewell         |
| Iesha Horner               | Tristian Sexton      |
| Haley Hunt                 | Jarrid Smith         |
| Haven Jenson               | Desni Syrette        |
| Kaysha Kennedy             | Grace Tegosh         |
| Ashley Leishman            | Alisha Tegosh-Gagnon |
| Cameron Madigan            | Kassidy Wigwas       |
| Devon Marenger-Weatherbee  |                      |



# NEW PHONE SYSTEM



Attention BFN Members,

Just letting you know that we have a new phone system at our office.

You can now leave a "**private**" message for the Sergeant, Constables or Administration.

*Extensions are as follows:*

- |                             |                  |
|-----------------------------|------------------|
| ➤ Administration-Mary Ryan  | <i>Press "0"</i> |
| ➤ Sgt. Jim Sayers           | <i>Press "1"</i> |
| ➤ To speak with a Constable | <i>Press "2"</i> |
| Cst. Ann Tegosh             | <i>Press "1"</i> |
| Cst. Chris Macknight        | <i>Press "2"</i> |
| Cst. Quinton Boissoneau     | <i>Press "3"</i> |
| Cst. Ben Beitz              | <i>Press "4"</i> |

## **REMINDER**

Our officers are not always in the office. If you require police assistance, you  
MUST call **1-888-310-1122**.

**If you call the office and request to speak to an officer to report a crime or  
request officer assistance-you will be re-directed to the**

**Communication Centre at the 1-888#.**

They are trained to dispatch the officer and have the means to speak with the  
officer directly in the vehicle.

## MEMBER

### DEPARTMENTS:

■ BFN Police

■ BFN Health

■ Niigaaniin

■ BFN Crisis Shelter

■ Nogdawindamin



BATCHEWANA  
FIRST NATION

Proactive Approach

Safe Community

Free from violence

Free from abuse

Endorsed by Batchewana  
Chief and Council by way  
of Motion November 30,  
2017:

*For the establishment of a  
High Risk Committee to  
ensure interventions and/or  
safety precautions are taken  
when necessary and assist to  
identify short-falls for  
Community Members.*

All in favor Motion Carried

The Batchewana First Nation High Risk Committee is driven by the Police.

A Community based partnership between Front line workers of the Batchewana First Nation to reduce and respond to high risk cases.

The departments will work together to help prevent any imminent harm or lethality of community members due to violence and abuse.



## High Risk Committee



Due to the various degrees of violent and abusive cases that span across community agencies within the Batchewana First Nation Territories, a coordinated community response is being developed to provide a multidisciplinary, collaborative approach to the sharing of high risk violent, abuse (offender, victim) information.

A community service approach that fosters the pooling of resources resulting in an effective holistic safety plan or service “wrap around” to both the victim and offenders of the high risk case.

*The safety and protection of Community members is our paramount consideration!*

## Our Objectives

- To identify and remedy gaps within the system
- To improve communication between departments/agencies
- To reduce violence and abuse through prevention & intervention
- To ensure member agencies/departments are accountable to each other in their respective services
- To foster collaborative community based inter-agency initiatives that enhance community safety



# ***Elders Movie Night!!!***

## ***Elder's Social Committee***

***Would like to invite all Elders  
55 and Older to an  
Elders Movie Night***

***When: March 20, 2018***

***Where: Station Mall Galaxy Cinemas***

***Time: 3:00 Sharp (times may change)***

***On first come first serve basis***

***Must be at Theatre to receive Voucher***

***4pm for Pick up***

***No Reservation***





# *Fish Frydays*

The Rankin Arena Thunderbird Room will be hosting fish fry dinners EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT from 4pm - 8pm!

Fresh Lake Superior Whitefish  
served with fresh cut fries,  
gravy, coleslaw, and homemade bread.

*all for only*  
**\$11.50**

The bar will be open for all your favorite refreshments.

Come on out to 17 Batchewana Street in Batchewana First Nation,  
every Friday night for the Rankin Arena Thunderbird Room  
Fish Fry Fridays!!



**We're back Feb 2nd!**



BATCHEWANA  
FIRST NATION



**BATCHEWANA  
FIRST NATION**

# Shkiniijigamig Youth Centre

## March 2018

| <u>Sun</u>                                   | <u>Mon</u>                                  | <u>Tue</u>                                  | <u>Wed</u>                             | <u>Thu</u>                       | <u>Fri</u>                            | <u>Sat</u>                   |
|----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| <u>4</u> Outdoor Activities at Youth Centre  | <u>5</u> Youth Choice Night                 | <u>6</u> Arts/Crafts Night at Youth Centre  | <u>7</u> Dinner Night at Youth Centre  | <u>1</u> BLC GYM NIGHT           | <u>2</u> Movie Night at Youth Centre  | <u>3</u> Youth Baking Night  |
| <u>11</u> Outdoor Activities at Youth Centre | <u>12</u> March Break Activities            | <u>13</u> March Break Activities            | <u>14</u> March Break Activities       | <u>8</u> BLC GYM NIGHT           | <u>9</u> Movie Night at Youth Centre  | <u>10</u> Youth Baking Night |
| <u>18</u> Outdoor Activities at Youth Centre | <u>19</u> Youth Choice Night                | <u>20</u> Arts/Crafts Night at Youth Centre | <u>21</u> Dinner Night at Youth Centre | <u>15</u> March Break Activities | <u>16</u> March Break Activities      | <u>17</u> Youth Baking Night |
| <u>25</u> Outdoor Activities at Youth Centre | <u>26</u> Arts/Crafts Night at Youth Centre | <u>27</u> Youth Choice Night                | <u>28</u> Dinner Night at Youth Centre | <u>22</u> BLC GYM NIGHT          | <u>23</u> Movie night at Youth Centre | <u>24</u> Youth Baking Night |
|                                              |                                             |                                             |                                        | <u>29</u> BLC GYM NIGHT          | <u>30</u> Movie night at Youth Centre | <u>31</u> Youth Baking Night |

**For more Program information, please contact Thomas Tegosh,  
Youth Centre Coordinator at 705-975-4175 (Direct), 705-942-5869  
(Youth Centre) or by email [tegosh@batchewana.ca](mailto:tegosh@batchewana.ca)**





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Youth Leadership & After School Program

## March

| Sun | Mon                                                                   | Tue                                                                      | Wed                                                                  | Thu                                                                  | Fri                                                                | Sat |
|-----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----|
| 4   | 5 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>5:00-7:00 PM<br>12-18 YRS. OLD<br>*GOULAIS* | 6 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>5:00-7:00 PM<br>6-13 YRS. OLD<br>*BATCHAWANA*  | 7 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>6-13 YRS. OLD<br>*RANKIN*  | 1 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>6-13 YRS. OLD<br>*RANKIN*  | 2 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>13-18 YRS. OLD<br>*BLC*  | 3   |
| 11  | 12 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>5:00-7:00 PM<br>12-18 YRS. OLD             | 13 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>5:00-7:00 PM<br>6-13 YRS. OLD<br>*BATCHAWANA* | 14 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>6-13 YRS. OLD<br>*RANKIN* | 8 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>6-13 YRS. OLD<br>*RANKIN*  | 9 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>13-18 YRS. OLD<br>*BLC*  | 10  |
| 18  | 19 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>5:00-7:00 PM<br>12-18 YRS. OLD             | 20 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>5:00-7:00 PM<br>6-13 YRS. OLD<br>*BATCHAWANA* | 21 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>6-13 YRS. OLD<br>*RANKIN* | 15 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>6-13 YRS. OLD<br>*RANKIN* | 16 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>13-18 YRS. OLD<br>*BLC* | 17  |
| 25  | 26 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>5:00-7:00 PM<br>12-18 YRS. OLD             | 27 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>5:00-7:00 PM<br>6-13 YRS. OLD<br>*BATCHAWANA* | 28 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>6-13 YRS. OLD<br>*RANKIN* | 22 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>6-13 YRS. OLD<br>*RANKIN* | 23 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>13-18 YRS. OLD<br>*BLC* | 24  |
|     |                                                                       |                                                                          |                                                                      | 29 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>6-13 YRS. OLD<br>*RANKIN* | 30 <u>RIGHT TO PLAY</u><br>4:00-6:00 PM<br>13-18 YRS. OLD<br>*BLC* | 31  |

**Reminder:** Parents of participants are welcome to attend. Community Youth ages 16+ are encouraged to volunteer for their Volunteer hours. For more information please contact Thomas Tegosh, RTP Community Mentor 705-942-5869 MIIGWETCH!



# Shkiniijigamig Youth Centre



## MARCH BREAK



## FAMILY ACTIVITIES

|                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Mon., March<br><b>12</b>         | Locked Up Escape Rooms (1 hr per group)<br>3:30-9:30pm<br>                                                                            |
| Tues., March<br><b>13</b>        | Snowshoeing @ Hiawatha Highlands<br>6:00-8:00pm<br>                                                                                  |
| Wed., March<br><b>14</b>         | Bowling @ Northcrest Lanes<br>6:00-8:00pm<br>                                                                                       |
| Thurs., March<br><b>15</b>       | Fun Farm Play Centre<br>5:00-7:00pm<br>                                                                                             |
| Fri., March<br><b>16</b>         | Movies @ Galaxy Cinema<br>7:00-9:00 (to be confirmed closer to date)<br>                                                            |
| <b>Register by<br/>March 7th</b> | Transportation and Food will be provided for each outing. <b><u>Parents are required</u></b> to attend with children under 12 years old. Registration packages & waivers will need to be filled out prior to each event. |

Contact Thomas Tegosh, Youth Centre Coordinator for Registration & Details

By phone @ 705-942-5869 or email @ [tegosh@batchewana.ca](mailto:tegosh@batchewana.ca) or Dolly @ 705-759-0914

# March 2018

## GOULAIS YOUTH PROGRAMMING

## BATCHAWANA YOUTH PROGRAMMING

**Mon., Mar. 5—Right to Play (5:15-7:15)**

**Regular Programming (7:15-8:30)**

**Mon., Mar. 12—Right to Play (5:15-7:15)**

**Regular Programming (7:15-8:30)**

**Mon., Mar. 19—Right to Play (5:15-7:15)**

**Regular Programming (7:15-8:30)**

**Mon., Mar. 26—Right to Play (5:15-7:15)**

**Regular Programming (7:15-8:30)**

**Tues., . Mar. 6—Right to Play (5:15-7:15)**

**Regular Programming (7:15-8:30)**

**Tues., Mar. 13—Right to Play (5:15-7:15)**

**Regular Programming (7:15-8:30)**

**Tues., Mar. 20—Right to Play (5:15-7:15)**

**Regular Programming (7:15-8:30)**

**Tues., Mar. 27—Right to Play (5:15-7:15)**

**Regular Programming (7:15-8:30)**

If you have any questions, please contact Thomas Tegosh, Youth Centre Coordinator @ 705-942-5869

**REMINDER—**Youth Programming ends each night at 8:30pm. Please have your child/children picked up shortly before this time as the staff must leave the community at 8:30pm to depart for the Youth Centre. Miigwetch.



# MARCH 2018

| MONDAY                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              | TUESDAY                                                                   | WEDNESDAY                                    | THURSDAY                                                                                    | FRIDAY                                 | SATURDAY                            | SUNDAY |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------|
| <b>**ALL PROGRAMMING IN OBADIJWAN AND GOULAIS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE IF THE WEATHER DOES NOT PERMIT FOR SAFE TRAVEL FOR STAFF AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS.</b>                                                                                                             |                                                                           |                                              |                                                                                             |                                        |                                     |        |
| 5<br>HBHC Drop-In Day @BLC 11-2pm<br>Beadng 6-9pm<br>SNP 10-5pm<br>**Footcare Clinic                                                                                                                                                                                | 6                                                                         | 7<br>Health Centre Drop-In Day Obad. 11-5pm  | 8<br>Health Centre Drop-In Day Goulais 11-5pm<br>Healthy Strides to be Immunized @BHC 9-3pm | 9<br>Health Centre Administration Day  | 10                                  | 11     |
| 12<br>HBHC Drop-In Day @BLC 11-2pm<br>Beadng 6-9pm<br>SNP 10-5pm                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 13<br>Elders Advancing Technology @BHC 1:30-3:30pm                        | 14<br>Health Centre Drop-In Day Obad. 11-5pm | 15<br>Health Centre Drop-In Day Goulais 11-5pm                                              | 16<br>Health Centre Administration Day | 17<br>ROUND DANCE - BLC 4:30pm-12am | 18     |
| <b>MARCH BREAK</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |                                                                           |                                              |                                                                                             |                                        |                                     |        |
| 19<br>HBHC Drop-In Day @BLC 11-2pm<br>Beadng 6-9pm<br>SNP 10-5pm                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 20<br>Elder's Movie Night<br>Elders Advancing Technology @BHC 1:30-3:30pm | 21<br>Health Centre Drop-In Day Obad. 11-5pm | 22<br>Soup for the Soul Goulais 5-8pm<br>Health Centre CLOSED for Staff Training            | 23<br>Health Centre Administration Day | 24                                  | 25     |
| 26<br>HBHC Drop-In Day @BLC 11-2pm<br>Beadng 6-9pm<br>SNP 10-5pm                                                                                                                                                                                                    | 27<br>Elders Advancing Technology @BHC 1:30-3:30pm                        | 28<br>Health Centre Drop-In Day Obad. 11-5pm | 29<br>Health Centre Drop-In Day Goulais 11-5pm                                              | 30<br><b>CLOSED</b><br>Good Friday     | 31                                  |        |
| <b>**Footcare Clinic is for REGISTERED Clients ONLY!</b><br><b>Health Centre Administration Days - Fridays - NO PROGRAMMING</b><br>Drop-In Days Obadijwan @ Obadijwan Community Centre**<br>Drop-In Days Goulais @ Goulais Complex**<br>Drop-In Days Rankin @ BLC** |                                                                           |                                              |                                                                                             |                                        |                                     |        |



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**Batchewana First Nation Education Department  
and Batchewana Learning Center**



***Questions to Ask Your Kids Each Day.***

**KEEPING THE LINES OF COMMUNICATION OPEN**

*Next 10*

1. Did you ever feel unsafe?
2. What is something you heard that surprised you?
3. What is something you saw that made you think?
4. Who did you play with today?
5. Tell me something you know today that you didn't know yesterday.
6. What is something that challenged you?
7. How did someone fill your bucket today? Whose bucket did you fill?
8. Did you like your lunch?
9. Rate your day on a scale from 1-10.
10. Did anyone get in trouble today?

*Stay Tuned 10 More Next Month*



## **"Healthy Strides to Be Immunized!"**

**Presented by:**

**Batchewana First Nation Non-Dway Gamig**

**Are your child's Immunizations up to date?**

**For all Batchewana First Nation Families**

**With children aged 1-6 years**

**Call to today to enroll your child in an incentive program that provides protection from vaccine preventable diseases**

**Enrolment dates as follows:**

**August 10, 2017  
September 14, 2017  
October 12, 2017  
November 9, 2017  
December 14, 2017  
January 11, 2018  
February 8, 2018  
March 8, 2018**

**Sport Chek gift card towards child growth and development upon enrolment  
Call to speak with Rachelle or Elizabeth 705.254.7827 for more information**



# 15 Spots for Elders 55+

NON DWAY GAMIG - BATCHEWANA HEALTH

## ELDERS ADVANCING TECHNOLOGY

### NEW HORIZONS

**Weekly Sessions from 1:30-3:30pm**  
**To be held at Non Dway Gamig -**  
**Batchewana Health Centre**

February 13: Introduction to Ipad (Wifi, Apple Account)

February 27: Setting up Email Account

March 6: Internet Safety (Credit Cards, Online Banking)

March 13: Social Networking - Facebook


March 20: BFN Website and Newsletter

March 27: Open for Ideas



Contact Rainbow to sign up or for  
more information (705)254-7827 ext 150





Whether you're a beginner,  
intermediate or expert,  
all are welcome!

**BATCHEWANA NON DWAY GAMIG**

# HEALING THROUGH THE ARTS

**WINTER SESSIONS WILL BE STARTING**

Monday, January 8, 2018

Runs every Monday thereafter

Hours are 6:00pm to 9:00pm

Batchewana Health Centre - Non Dway Gamig  
210A Gran St, Rankin Reserve

**CONTACT RAINBOW (705)254-7827 EXT 150**





BATCHEWANA NON DWAY GAMIG PRESENTS...

# IGNITING THE YOUTH SPIRIT

AANJI-PSKAAKONESEG ESHKINIIGIJIG DOO-JIJAAKIMOOWAAN

## ROUND DANCE

SATURDAY, MARCH 17, 2018

Batchewana Learning Centre, 15 Jean Avenue, Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario

4:30pm Round Dance Teachings & Songs By Harvey Dreaver

5:00pm Pipe Ceremony & Potluck Feast

*Bring A Potluck Dish For Feasting Our Ancestors & Loved Ones*

7:00pm Round Dance

10:00pm Snack Break & Youth Presentation

12:00am Give-away & Closing

M.C. Gary Parker  
Stickman Joe Syrette

### INVITED SINGERS

Gabe Gaudet

Deon Syrette

Harvey Bell Jr.

Lakota Raphael

Wayne Moberley

Logan Syrette

Harvey Dreaver

Jesse Kaboni

All Singers Acknowledged



#### CONTACT

CRYSTAL OSAWAMICK, HELPER  
Maaawnjidmi Getting Together

Tel.: 705.923.4227

Email: [info@maawnjidmi.com](mailto:info@maawnjidmi.com)





# **Non-Insured Health Benefits Information & Resources**



## NIHB Claims and Reimbursement

[https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/non-insured-health-benefits-first-nations-inuit/claims-reimbursement-under-non-insured-health-benefits-program.html?\\_ga=2.59836644.834006970.1496952845-2090799802.1494254126](https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/services/non-insured-health-benefits-first-nations-inuit/claims-reimbursement-under-non-insured-health-benefits-program.html?_ga=2.59836644.834006970.1496952845-2090799802.1494254126)

## NIHB Client Reimbursement Form

[http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fniah-spnia/alt\\_formats/pdf/nihb-ssna/benefit-prestation/form-reimburse-rembourse2-eng.pdf](http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fniah-spnia/alt_formats/pdf/nihb-ssna/benefit-prestation/form-reimburse-rembourse2-eng.pdf)

## NIHB General Information

<http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/fniah-spnia/nihb-ssna/benefit-prestation/gener-ga-gr-eng.php>

## Contact First Nations & Inuit Health

<https://www.canada.ca/en/health-canada/corporate/contact-us/first-nations-inuit-health.html#nihb>

### General Inquiries in Ontario

Non-Insured Health Benefits  
Health Canada  
Sir Charles Tupper Building  
2720 Riverside Drive, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor,  
Address Locator: 6604E  
Ottawa, Ontario, K1A 0K9  
Toll-free: 1-800-640-0642  
Fax: 613-952-7054

### *Medical Supplies & Equipment*

Toll-free: 1-800-881-3921

### Dental Predetermination Centre

#### (Dental Services)

Non-Insured Health Benefits  
First Nations and Inuit Health Branch  
Health Canada  
Address Locator 1902D  
200 Eglantine Driveway  
Ottawa, Ontario, K1A 0K9  
Toll-free: 1-855-618-6291  
Toll-free fax: 1-855-618-6290

### Dental Predetermination Centre

#### (Orthodontic Services)

Non-Insured Health Benefits  
First Nations and Inuit Health Branch  
Health Canada  
Address Locator 1902C  
200 Eglantine Driveway  
Ottawa, Ontario, K1A 0K9  
Toll-free: 1-866-227-0943  
Toll-free fax: 1-866-227-0957



# ATTENTION



Attention **ALL** Batchewana First Nation members in the communities of **Goulais & Obadjiwan** that hand in their Medical Appointment Slips for mileage for **DAY TRIPS** to Sault Ste. Marie

You **MUST** now submit your Medical Appointment Slips either in person or by mail to the **Batchewana Health Centre**

**NO LATER** then the below date(s).

| Schedule | Appointment Date           | Due by       |
|----------|----------------------------|--------------|
| 1        | April 1 to August 31       | September 15 |
| 2        | September 1 to November 30 | December 15  |
| 3        | December 1 to March 31     | April 15     |

**\*\*** All confirmation of appointment slips or appointment cards must be signed and or stamped by the office in which the client has attended, otherwise they will not be accepted.

*If you have any questions, please call the Batchewana Health Centre*  
210A Gran Street, Batchewana First Nation, ON. P6A 0C4  
705-254-7827

***Dated: June 2, 2017***





# ATTENTION



Attention **ALL** Batchewana First Nation members our communities who need to access assistance for Medical Travel out-of-town.

**It is asked that you please see the guidelines for notification of appointment(s) requiring funding and the information required by Non-Insured Health Benefits.**

1. "All applications need to be submitted at least 10 days prior to the scheduled appointment, but preferable within two weeks of appointments."
2. Required information:
  - Full Name (first, middle & last name)
  - Status #
  - Date of Birth
  - Client's Phone Number
  - Address
  - Appointment Date, Time, Location (address, city)
  - Specialist Contact Information
  - Type of Appointment
  - Escort Notes if needed
  - Referral Information as needed
  - Notice of appointment and copy of referral if required
  - If a post confirmation of attendance must be attached

*If you have any questions, please call the Batchewana Health Centre  
210A Gran Street, Batchewana First Nation, ON. P6A 0C4  
705-254-7827*

***Dated: June 8, 2017***



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Your health and  
safety... our priority.

Votre santé et votre  
sécurité... notre priorité.

## NIHB CLIENT REIMBURSEMENT FORM

### INSTRUCTIONS

- You have **one year** from the date the services were provided to apply for reimbursement of NIHB-eligible benefits and services. Please note that all NIHB Program policies and requirements for coverage apply.
- Complete a separate NIHB Client Reimbursement form for each eligible client and type of benefit. Please do not include different types of benefits (e.g. dental, vision) on the same form.
- **Please refer to the CONTACT INFORMATION for inquiries about NIHB-eligible benefits, the status of a claim, and/or mailing address.**
- Indicate the client identification number (i.e. 'status number' for registered First Nations or 'N number' for recognized Inuit).
  - *Inuit clients:* Please note that your Territorial Health Card number *may* be used in place of your 'N number'. If you provide your 'N number', your Territorial Health Card number is not required.
  - In the case of a *child under 12 months of age who has not yet been registered/recognized*, please provide the identification number of the parent. For dental benefits, children of any age must have their own identification number.
- If the person seeking reimbursement is different from the client receiving the service (e.g. parent or guardian), please complete part 1 and part 2 of the form.
- You can obtain payment by direct deposit. For an enrolment form visit the [Health Canada website](http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ahc-asc/branch-dirgen/cfob-dgcm/ddi-ddo/index-eng.php) <http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/ahc-asc/branch-dirgen/cfob-dgcm/ddi-ddo/index-eng.php>, or email [DD@hc-sc.gc.ca](mailto:DD@hc-sc.gc.ca).

### PLEASE MAKE SURE TO:

- ✓ **Complete and sign the NIHB Client Reimbursement Form(s) (incomplete forms cannot be processed and will be returned).**
  - The signatory must be at least 16 years of age.
  - Please provide your contact information / phone number in case the NIHB Program needs additional information in order to process your reimbursement claim.
- ✓ **Provide the required supporting documents from the list below.**
- ✓ **Mail the completed and signed reimbursement form, along with supporting documents, to the appropriate address (see page 3).**

### SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS (TO BE INCLUDED WITH YOUR COMPLETED AND SIGNED CLIENT REIMBURSEMENT FORM):

- ✓ Provide **original receipt(s)** as proof of payment. Receipt (s) must list client's full name, date of service, provider/office name, description of services, and proof of total amount paid.
- ✓ If you have other health coverage, please submit the detailed **statement or explanation of benefits form** from all other health plans(s)/program(s) as well as a **COPY of the original receipts** (your primary insurer requires the original receipts).

#### **For Pharmacy and Vision Care claims:**

- ✓ A copy of your prescription.

#### **For Medical Supplies and Equipment claims:**

- ✓ A copy of your prescription.
- ✓ Contact your regional office (see page 4) to confirm whether additional medical documentation is required to support your claim.

#### **For Dental and Orthodontic Services claims:**

- ✓ Include a copy of one of the following forms, completed and including office verification by your dental or orthodontic service provider:
  - Association des Chirurgiens Dentistes du Québec Dental Claim and Treatment Plan Form
  - Standard Dental Claim Form
  - Canadian Association of Orthodontics Information Form
- ✓ Please note that you may also use the NIHB Dental Claim Form (Dent-29 Form) to submit your claim for reimbursement.

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**For Medical Transportation claims:**

- ✓ Provide proof of your medical appointment attendance.
- ✓ Please note that you may also use a medical transportation form provided by your regional office to submit your claim for reimbursement.

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

For reimbursements, please mail your completed form(s) and supporting documents to the applicable Regional Office, the NIHB Drug Exception Centre, or the NIHB Dental Predetermination Centre (for dental and orthodontic services).

**PHARMACY, DENTAL AND ORTHODONTIC BENEFITS:****DENTAL PREDETERMINATION CENTRE  
DENTAL SERVICES**

NIHB/ FNIHB  
Health Canada  
Address Locator 1902D  
200 Eglantine Driveway, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor  
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0K9  
Telephone (toll-free): 1-855-618-6291  
Fax: 1-855-618-6290

**DENTAL PREDETERMINATION CENTRE  
ORTHODONTIC SERVICES**

NIHB/FNIHB  
Health Canada  
Address Locator 1902C  
200 Eglantine Driveway, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor  
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0K9  
Telephone (toll-free): 1-866-227-0943  
Fax: 1-866-227-0957

**DRUG EXCEPTION CENTRE  
CLIENT REIMBURSEMENT**

NIHB/FNIHB  
Health Canada  
Address Locator 1902D  
200 Eglantine Driveway, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor  
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0K9  
Please direct telephone inquiries to  
your Health Canada Regional office.

**MEDICAL SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT, VISION CARE, AND MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION BENEFITS:****Alberta Region**

Non-Insured Health Benefits  
First Nations and Inuit Health Branch  
Health Canada  
9700 Jasper Avenue, Suite 730  
Edmonton, Alberta T5J 4C3  
Telephone (toll-free): 1-800-232-7301

**Ontario Region**

Non-Insured Health Benefits  
First Nations and Inuit Health Branch  
Health Canada  
Sir Charles Tupper Building  
2720 Riverside Drive, 4<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Mail Stop 6604E  
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0K9  
Telephone (toll-free): 1-800-640-0642

**Northern Region (NWT & Nunavut)**

Non-Insured Health Benefits  
First Nations and Inuit Health Branch  
Health Canada  
Sir Charles Tupper Building  
2720 Riverside Drive  
Mail Stop 6604C  
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0K9 Telephone  
(toll-free): 1-888-332-9222

**British Columbia**

**For Clients Eligible under the First Nations Health Authority (FNHA) in British Columbia** (with the exception of Orthodontic Services), please submit claims for reimbursement to:

**BRITISH COLUMBIA FIRST NATIONS HEALTH AUTHORITY**

Health Benefits  
757 West Hastings Street  
Suite 540  
Vancouver, BC, V6C 3E6  
Toll Free: 1-888-321-5003  
Fax: 1-604-666-5815

**Saskatchewan Region**

Non-Insured Health Benefits  
First Nations and Inuit Health Branch  
Health Canada  
2045 Broad Street, 1st Floor  
Regina, Saskatchewan S4P 3T7  
Telephone (toll-free): 1-866-885-3933

**Quebec Region**

Non-Insured Health Benefits  
First Nations and Inuit Health Branch  
Health Canada  
200 René-Lévesque Boulevard West  
Guy-Favreau Complex, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor  
Montréal, Québec H2Z 1X4  
Telephone (toll-free): 1-877-483-1575

**Northern Region (Yukon)**

Non-Insured Health Benefits  
First Nations and Inuit Health Branch  
Health Canada  
300 Main Street, Suite 100 Whitehorse,  
Yukon Y1A 2B5  
Telephone (toll-free): 1-866-362-6717

**Manitoba Region**

Non-Insured Health Benefits  
First Nations and Inuit Health Branch  
Health Canada  
391 York Avenue, Suite 300  
Winnipeg, Manitoba R3C 4W1  
Telephone (toll-free): 1-800-665-8507

**Atlantic Region**

Non-Insured Health Benefits  
First Nations and Inuit Health Branch  
Health Canada  
1505 Barrington Street  
Suite 1525, 15th Floor, Maritime Centre  
Halifax, Nova Scotia B3J 3Y6  
Telephone (toll-free): 1-800-565-3294

**For Residents of British Columbia who are not eligible for benefits under the FNHA**

Please contact the Alberta Regional Office (see above) regarding your reimbursement claim. For dental and orthodontic reimbursements, send reimbursement requests to the Dental Predetermination Centre (see above).

## NIHB CLIENT REIMBURSEMENT FORM

Before completing this form, please read the INSTRUCTIONS page, including the SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS section for what must be included with your reimbursement claim. For inquiries and/or mailing addresses, refer to the CONTACT INFORMATION.

✓ **Complete and sign the form. Incomplete forms cannot be processed; forms that are not signed will be returned for signature.**

✓ **Include ALL the required documents (listed in the instructions) with your claim, and keep copies of your files.**

| PART 1 – CLIENT INFORMATION (CLIENT RECEIVING THE SERVICE)                                                                              |                                                   |                                                                                                                     |                                                          |  |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|--|
| Surname:                                                                                                                                |                                                   | First and Middle Names:                                                                                             |                                                          |  |
| Address:                                                                                                                                |                                                   | Apt.:                                                                                                               | Identification Number (i.e.: Status number OR N number): |  |
| City:                                                                                                                                   |                                                   | Province/Territory:                                                                                                 |                                                          |  |
| Telephone Number 1:                                                                                                                     | Extension:                                        | Telephone Number 2 (optional):                                                                                      | Extension:                                               |  |
| Postal Code:                                                                                                                            | Email Address (if email communication preferred): | Date of Birth: (YYYY/MM/DD)                                                                                         |                                                          |  |
| Are you covered for any of these expenses under any other health plan(s)/program(s)? <input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No |                                                   |                                                                                                                     |                                                          |  |
| If yes, please attach a copy of a detailed statement or <b>explanation of benefits form</b> from all other plan(s)/program(s).          |                                                   |                                                                                                                     |                                                          |  |
| Reimbursement to: <input type="radio"/> Client <b>Part 1</b> <input type="radio"/> Other Payee <b>Part 2</b>                            |                                                   | Inquiries to be sent to: <input type="radio"/> Client <b>Part 1</b> <input type="radio"/> Other Payee <b>Part 2</b> |                                                          |  |

| PART 2 – PAYEE INFORMATION (IF REIMBURSEMENT IS CLAIMED BY SOMEONE OTHER THAN THE CLIENT RECEIVING THE SERVICE) |            |                                |                                                   |  |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|--|
| Last name:                                                                                                      |            | First and Middle Names:        |                                                   |  |
| Address:                                                                                                        |            | Apt.:                          | Email Address (if email communication preferred): |  |
| City:                                                                                                           |            | Postal Code:                   | Province/Territory:                               |  |
| Telephone Number 1:                                                                                             | Extension: | Telephone Number 2 (optional): | Extension:                                        |  |
| Relationship to client receiving service:                                                                       |            |                                |                                                   |  |

| PART 3 – BENEFITS / SERVICES RECEIVED (USE A DIFFERENT FORM FOR EACH BENEFIT TYPE)                                                                                                                                                                             |                |
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| BENEFIT TYPE (Select One): <input type="radio"/> Pharmacy Benefits <input type="radio"/> Medical Supplies & Equipment <input type="radio"/> Vision and Eye Care <input type="radio"/> Medical Transportation <input type="radio"/> Dental/Orthodontic Benefits |                |
| List Benefits/Services Received:                                                                                                                                                                                                                               | Cost           |
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| <b>TOTAL AMOUNT CLAIMED:</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | <b>\$ 0.00</b> |



**PART 4 – SIGNATURE AND AUTHORIZATION (FORM MUST BE SIGNED IN ORDER TO BE PROCESSED)**

I authorize the release of any records that are relevant to the processing and payment of the attached claims held by the service provider to Health Canada, its agents or contractors, or any appropriate Health Professional licensing or Regulatory Body for the purpose of administrative audit. I declare the information to be true and accurate and that it does not contain a claim for any benefit or service previously paid for by Health Canada or by any other plan(s)/program(s) that is noted in the statement or explanation of benefits.

Client (beneficiary) ☐ Parent/Guardian ☐

Print Name:

Signature:

Date:

(YYYY/MM/DD)

**PRIVACY NOTICE**

The personal information you provide to Health Canada is governed in accordance with the Privacy Act. We only collect the information we need to administer benefits under the Non-Insured Health Benefits (NIHB) Program. Collection of information for this purpose is authorized under the *Department of Health Act*. We require this information for the adjudication and payment of claims and for audit purposes. Your personal information may be disclosed without your consent, but only in accordance with subsection 8(2) of the Privacy Act. For more information: This personal information collection is described in Info Source, available online at [infosource.gc.ca](http://infosource.gc.ca). In addition to protecting your personal information, the *Privacy Act* gives you the right to request access to and correction of your personal information. For more information about these rights, or about our privacy practices, please contact the Health Canada/Public Health Agency of Canada's Access to Information and Privacy (ATIP) Coordinator at 613-954-9165 or [atip-aiprp@hc-sc.gc.ca](mailto:atip-aiprp@hc-sc.gc.ca). You also have the right to file a complaint with the Privacy Commissioner of Canada if you think your personal information has been handled improperly.

**For inquiries and/or mailing address, please refer to the CONTACT INFORMATION page.**



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WE ARE HERE TO SUPPORT YOU!

*Contact Us...*

(705)254-7827

Holly Syrette

EXT 148

Mark McCoy

EXT 134

Sandra Dewing

EXT 152

Rainbow Agawa

EXT 150



Non Dway Gamig - Batchewana Health

# *Soup for the Soul*

March 22, 2018 - 5pm to 8pm

Join us in Goulais Mission for a social evening with a live band, open mic, dinner and refreshments.

Contact Rainbow



# Opiate Replacement Therapy Available

Have you ever been prescribed an opioid for pain management? Such as oxycodone, hydrocodone, hydromorphone, codeine, fentanyl. And now you struggle with dependency.

There is help available.

Drop by at 123 March st, suite 503, Sault Ste. Marie  
any time Monday 9:30am-5pm

Tuesday thru Friday 8:30am-4pm

Maamwesying Northshore Community Health Services in partnership with the Northwood Recovery clinic operates clinics and offers services across the Northshore including:

Atikameksheng—Sagamok—Serpent River—Missisauga—Thessalon

—Garden River—Batchewana—

Sault Ste. Marie Indian Friendship Centre ( March street location)

Drop in or call Pamela Golden, RPN - Minobimaadizing  
Support Coordinator at 705-971-8187 or you can call our intake  
line at 1-844-864-0523 to start intake over the phone.

All Calls are Confidential

# First Day of Spring / Ziigwang

## & Water Teachings for World Water Day



**Come Celebrate Ziigwang and listen to the  
wonderful Water Teachings**

**Obadjiwan Wednesday March 21, from 5 to 7:00 pm**

**Goulais Thursday March 22, from 5 to 7:00 pm**

**In Collaboration with Nimkii Naabkawagan Family Crisis  
Shelter and Non Dway Gamig Batchewana Health Centre**

**Please Contact Barbara Day at the Shelter: 705 941-9054 or work cell: 705 297-0241 or  
Janine Gibbs or Rainbow Agawa: 705 254-7827 ext Janine 136 & Rainbow ext 150**



# Nimkii Empowerment Program

Will now be delivered on a **"As Need Basis"** and as an **"OUTREACH PROGRAM"**.

Community Members can contact me (Barbara Day) and I can schedule you accordingly.

The locations that we can utilize for Programming are here at the

Shelter in our Meeting Room or at the Teen Centre.

We can tailor the Programs specific to individual needs or interest, in terms of Times, Locations and Topic, please feel free to contact me and I can arrange the details.

## **The Nimkii Empowerment Program**

offers 7 Topics:

**\*PARENTING, \*ADDICTIONS, \*DOMESTICE VIOLENCE, \*CHARACTER & SELF ESTEEM,  
\*HEALTHY BODY & SELF, \*ANGER MANAGEMENT & \*GRIEF.**

**Please Note:** In the past we have ran the **Nimkii Empowerment Program** every Tuesday, with the occasional Outreach One on One Basis. Here is a lil sample of our old flyers, just to help you recognize our Program. Now it I the same Program, just a new different Delivery Approach.

So don't hesitate to Contact me either on my work cell either through Text or Phone Call **Barbara Day / Program Support Worker** (705)297-0241 or here at the Shelter (705) 941-9054.



Join us as we create a safe and supportive environment for planting seeds of change. This Program has been designed to provide information, opportunities for participation and discussions that will guide participants through self-examination and towards empowerment. But best of all, it is a Certificate Program, one can earn a Valid Certificate at the completion of each Topic

Whether you are attending for personal growth, or to gain knowledge as a support for a family member, you will move towards a position of Self-Empowerment and Personal Growth.

Miigwetch and I look Forward to Working with you.





**Onaabadin Giizis**

**Snow Crust Moon**

**FULL MOON CEREMONY**

**Thursday March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018**

**Beginning at 6pm to 8:30 pm**

**Nimkii Naabkawagan Family Crisis Shelter**

**180 Gram Street in Rankin**

**Bring your Skirts, Drums & Shakers**

**Yellow Cloth & Sema (Tobacco)**



**If you have none of the above Listed Items / Don't worry / JUST COME**

**OUT**

**All Kweek / Women Welcomed: Both Young and Mature**

**All Enquiries Contact: Barbara Day / Program Support Worker**

**at 705-941-9054 or on my work cell (705) 297-0241**





# International Women's Day

Celebration, Acknowledge, Recognition and Empowerment:

**TACKLE THIS TOPIC**

## Social and Tea Come & Go

**Thursday March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm**

**Location: Non Dway Gamig Batchewana Health Centre**

**Come out to Share, Learn, Enjoy, Get Ready to Be**

**Empowered and most of All CELEBRATE**

**who we are KWEOK / WOMEN**

**We are Mothers, Daughters, Grand Mothers, Great Grand Mothers, Sisters and Aunties: Everyone Welcomed, especially Women from Young to Grandmas. We invite all Women, and Community, to design a Display, or a Centre Piece in Honour of a Woman, she could be your Mother, your Grand Mother, a Sister, a Famous Indigenous Celebrity, an Iconic Historical Figure, etc... Whom ever you wish to Honour, acknowledge and Recognize.**

**Please Contact Barbara Day at the Shelter: 705 941-9054 or work cell: 705 297-0241 or Janine Gibbs or Rainbow Agawa: 705 254-7827 ext Janine 136 & Rainbow ext 150**

**This is a Collaboration Between the Shelter and the Health Centre**





Making of **Maple Sugar Moon**

# FULL MOON CEREMONY

Wednesday March 28th

2018

6:00 pm to 8:30 pm



**Nimkii Naabkawagan Family Crisis Shelter**

**180 Gran Street in Rankin Phone: 1 (705) 9-41-9054**

*Bring your Skirts, Dances & Shakers, Yellow Chalk & Smoke (Tobacco)*

*If you have none of the above Listed Items Don't worry / JUST COME DIT!*

*Open to Community Any Inquiries Contact:*

*Barbara Day - Program Support Worker at 905-297-0241*







## **BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION YOUTH PROGRAM WORKER – YOUTH CENTER**



**Position:** Child and Youth Program Worker(s)  
(2 part-time positions available – evenings/weekends)

**Reporting/Supervisory Relationships**

**Reports to:** Child and Youth Program Coordinator

**“Applying for Part-time Employment”**

**Batchewana First Nation Members are hereby encouraged to apply for the above part-time position as Child and Youth Program Worker.**

**General Accountability**

The Child and Youth Worker, in conjunction with and in cooperation with the Child and Youth Program Coordinator, is responsible for the co-ordination and delivery of Child and Youth prevention services in the Health and Social Services area; and for the planning and evaluation of these services. As one of a number of Human Services workers providing secondary prevention services, the Child and Youth Program Worker, in conjunction with and in cooperation with the Child and Youth Program Coordinator, is required to plan, deliver and evaluate services in consultation and cooperation with other members of the team for the Shkiniijigamig Youth Centre – youth projects to ensure affective expenditure of available resources.

**Specific Duties and Responsibilities (Detailed Job Description available at Receptionist-Batchewana First Nation Administration Office)**

**Requirements of Position**

**Basic/Mandatory Requirements**

The successful applicant:

- will have a university degree or a community college diploma in a health and/or social services field, OR equivalent combinations of education and experience;
- 2 years direct service/program experience, preferably with Aboriginal families;
- Will be a member of Batchewana First Nation in preference to other applicants;
- Will have a valid class “G” driver’s license and a vehicle;
- Will possess strong oral and written communication skills;
- Must be willing to work flexible hours;
- Must provide a CPIC (Criminal records Check)

**Forward resume and cover letter in sealed envelope marked “Confidential”:**

Child and Youth Program Worker  
236 Frontenac Street  
Batchewana First Nation, ON P6A 6Z1

**Deadline for applications: Thursday, March 15, 2018**

# **BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION**

## **Human Services Position Description**

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**Position:** Substance Abuse/Addictions Worker

### **General Accountability**

The Substance Abuse/Addictions Worker is responsible for the delivery of prevention services that are aimed at reducing the requirement for direct, one-on-one intervention (casework) in the area of substance abuse and addictions, for direct intervention services, and for the planning and evaluation of these services. As one of a number of Human Services workers providing prevention services, the SA/A Worker is required to plan, deliver and evaluate services in consultation and cooperation with the other members of the team in order to develop a consensus on needs and priorities, avoid duplication/overlap and maximize the effective expenditure of available resources. The SA/A Worker is responsible for assisting the Director in meeting Departmental responsibilities for overall program planning and reporting, maintenance of effective relationships with other community-based and external agencies/programs and with funders.

### **Requirements of Position**

#### **Basic/Mandatory Requirements**

The successful applicant:

- Will have a university degree or a community college diploma in a relevant health and/or social services field, and at least 2 years direct service experience, preferably with families and groups OR equivalent combinations of education and experience;
- Will be a member of Batchewana First Nation in preference to other applicants;
- Will have a valid Class "G" driver's license and a vehicle;

#### **Knowledge Requirements**

The successful applicant:

- Will be thoroughly familiar with the relevant federal and provincial legislation, regulations and/or guidelines that are relevant to the funding and delivery of substance abuse/addictions services;

#### **Knowledge Requirements – Cont'd**

- Will be knowledgeable about the culture and the significant characteristics of the social structure and relevant human services needs of Batchewana First Nation;
- Will be knowledgeable of the range of both contemporary and traditional methods of intervention, support and healing that are effective in promoting community, family and individual well-being.

#### **Ability Requirements**

The successful applicant(s) will demonstrate ability to:

- Relate effectively to program management and colleagues as a diplomatic and flexible team player;
- Work effectively with the management and staff of other programs/agencies both native and non-native;
- Relate effectively to community members generally and to families and individuals seeking assistance;
- Effectively plan, implement, monitor and evaluate community programming, group work and interventions with families and individuals;
- Communicate effectively in writing and verbally;
- Work flexible hours.

Please address your application **identifying your qualifications, 3 references and CPIC**, marked **CONFIDENTIAL**:

Substance Abuse/Addictions Worker Hiring Committee  
236 Frontenac Street, Rankin Reserve  
Batchewana First Nation, ON P6A 6Z1

**OR Email:** [Humanresources@batchewana.ca](mailto:Humanresources@batchewana.ca) late applications will not be accepted.

**Deadline for application: March 16, 2018 @12:00 pm (Noon)**

**Aboriginal preference in hiring.** For a complete job description, please contact the Administration Office at 705-759-0914. Only those granted an interview will be contacted. We thank all applicants

**BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION**  
**Native Inmate Liaison Officer Position Description**

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**Employment Status:** Contract position up until March 31, 2019

**General Accountability**

The Native Inmate Liaison Office (NILO) is responsible for the delivery of aboriginal based service/programs that are aimed at Aboriginal people who are incarcerated within the Provincial Correctional Services to reduce their participation in criminal activity and support pro-social behaviors. The NILO worker, upon training completed by the Ministry of Community Safety & Correctional Services, is required to plan, deliver and evaluate services provided and maximize the effective expenditure of available resources. The NILO worker will be responsible for the delivery of such services/programs within the Algoma Treatment and Remand Centre.

**Requirements of Position**

**1. Basic/Mandatory Requirements**

The successful applicant:

- Will have a university degree or a community college diploma in a relevant justice and/or social services field, and at least 2 years direct service experience, preferably with Aboriginal individuals and families;
- Aboriginal preference to other applicants;
- Will have a valid class "G" driver's license and a vehicle;
- Must be able to provide an acceptable CPIC.

**2. Knowledge Requirements**

The successful applicant:

- Will be thoroughly familiar with the relevant criminological literature as it relates to effective treatment programs for offenders and specific needs of Aboriginal offenders;
- Will be knowledgeable about the culture and the significant characteristics of the social structure and relevant human services needs of Aboriginal people;
- Will be knowledgeable of the range of both contemporary and traditional methods of intervention, support and healing that are effective in promoting individual and family well-being.

**2. Ability Requirements**

The successful applicant:

- Relate effectively to program management and colleagues as a diplomatic and flexible team player;
- Work effectively with the management and staff of other programs/agencies both native and non-native;
- Relate effectively to the Aboriginal community generally and to individual and families seeking assistance;
- Effectively plan, implement, monitor and evaluate NILO programming, group work and interventions with Inmates and families;
- Communicate effectively in writing and verbally;
- Work flexible hours.

Please address your application **identifying your qualifications, 3 references and CPIC**, marked **CONFIDENTIAL**:

Native Inmate Liaison Officer Hiring Committee  
236 Frontenac Street, Rankin Reserve  
Batchewana First Nation, ON P6A 6Z1

**OR**

**Email:** [Humanresources@batchewana.ca](mailto:Humanresources@batchewana.ca) late applications will not be accepted.

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**BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION**  
**Employment Opportunity**  
**Natural Resources Department**

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**Position:** Natural Resources GIS/Field Technician  
**Starting date:** April 3, 2018  
1 Year contract with the possibility of 1 year extension  
**Reports to:** Batchewana Natural Resource Manager

**General Accountability**

The GIS/Field Technician will serve as a resource for the Batchewana Natural Resources Department and play a key role in various initiatives such as Traditional Knowledge collection and data management, as well as provide technical assistance related to natural resource management. The purpose of the GIS/Field Technician is to operate, enhance and maintain the Batchewana First Nation (BFN) Natural Resources Geographic Information System (GIS). This will include robust data management strategies, data collection regimes, data inventory models as well as quality assurance and control.

**Qualifications:**

- Will have a university degree or a community college diploma in GIS, Geospatial Applications, Geography, Environmental Sciences, or relevant Education regarding Natural Resources or at least 2 years of related work experience in related fields
- Will have a valid class "G" driver's license and access to an insured vehicle

**Duties and Responsibilities:**

- assist in the development of the Natural Resources GIS database; including Traditional Knowledge for Batchewana First Nation
- outdoor field work and data collection using GPS technology
- effectively plan, research, implement, monitor, evaluate skills
- will have strong computer skills and the ability to trouble shoot and provide technical support

Please forward your resume, cover letter and 2 references in a sealed envelope marked "Natural Resource GIS/Field Technician:

Attention: Natural Resource GIS/Field Technician Hiring Committee  
Batchewana First Nation  
236 Frontenac Street  
Rankin Reserve, Ontario P6A 5K9

**Deadline for application: March 16, 2018 at 4:00 p.m.** Only those granted an interview will be contacted. Aboriginal preference in hiring. \* For more information or a complete job description please contact Lee Ann Sewell at the Administration Office at (705) 759-0914, ext. 222.

**\*\*We thank all applicants \*\***

# **BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION**

## **Human Services Position Description**

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**Position:** Cultural Supports and Traditional Health Practitioner  
**Program:** Child Welfare Team  
**Department:** Health - Prevention  
**Accountable to:** Child Welfare Team Lead

### **Purpose and Summary:**

The Cultural Supports and Traditional Health Practitioner will work with the Child Welfare Team, Nogdawindamin Cultural Team and Families to develop appropriate cultural plans of care for the child and family well-being. The focus of the program is to develop, provide, facilitate and/or coordinate programming related to cultural revitalization and Anishinaabe health promotion. The Cultural Supports and Traditional Health Practitioner will be a resource to the Child Welfare Team and Health Centre in its development and enhancement of bi-cultural service practice of Non Dway Gamig Health Centre. The Cultural Supports and Traditional Health Practitioner will collaborate with similar cultural resources in order to facilitate consistent, culturally relevant service delivery. The Cultural Supports and Traditional Health Practitioner ensures the hosting and resourcing of regular cultural events to facilitate the preservation and promotion of traditional practices within Batchewana First Nation to enhance positive and strong cultural identity.

The Cultural Supports and Traditional Health Practitioner functions within legislative requirements, regulations, policies and procedures and the Mission, Beliefs and Vision of the Batchewana First Nation and contributes to the accomplishment of the strategic priorities

### **Basic/Mandatory Requirements**

- Preferred post-secondary degree in Native Studies with a minimum of three years experience in cultural services delivery or a comparable human services program.
- Two (2) years direct service with children and families and groups, preferred.
- Equivalent combinations of training and experience may be considered.
- Anishinaabe ancestry with understanding, practice and sharing of Anishinaabe history, culture, traditions, ceremonies, principles and values is essential.
- Fluency in Anishinabemowin language and ability to communicate with diverse cultural and educational backgrounds is an asset.
- Required working knowledge of the child and family services act, and general knowledge of the Child Protection Standards in Ontario.
- Required valid Ontario driver's license (Class "G") and have access to an automobile for the performance of his/her duties, and carry a minimum of \$1 million in liability insurance.
- Required excellent computer skills including Microsoft Outlook, Word and Excel.
- Required, of critical importance, is a sensitivity, respect and knowledge of the Anishnawbek culture, in keeping with the Anishnawbek values, present and display a conduct that represents the teaching of the seven Grandfathers.

### **Indigenous Knowledge and Worldview Requirements**

The successful applicant:

- Will be expected to possess and role model an Indigenous Knowledge and Worldview perspective that encompasses Anishinaabe values, beliefs and principles.
- Will possess bi-cultural competencies and knowledge of traditional health practices, ceremonies, teachings and protocols as they relate to fostering community wellness.
- Will be knowledgeable of the range of both contemporary and traditional methods of intervention, support and healing that are effective in promoting community, family and individual well-being;
- Will have prior work experience with Indigenous practices, approaches and methods integral to the design of Social Work practices and principles and Anishinaabe based methods that will help individuals, families and communities achieve a healthier lifestyle and safe well-being.

### **Ability Requirements**

- Ability to collaborate with other resource persons and to facilitate inter-organizational planning and action among others.
- Ability to deal effectively with difficult clients and conflicting situations.
- Ability to use good judgment in assessing difficult situations.
- Ability to consistently display a positive/helpful attitude.
- Willingness to accept changes in work practices and technology.
- Ability to work effectively with limited supervision and under stress of deadlines and accountability.
- Demonstrate desire and capacity to learn newly assigned tasks.
- Ability to work independently, and/or lead a team and work collaboratively as a member of a team.

- Required excellent organizational, time management skills, Excellent interpersonal and communications skills, both oral and written.
- Ability to consistently report for work as scheduled and to attend at work regularly.
- Ability to work flexible hours including unplanned overtime and to travel if necessary out of town.
- Must have a clear criminal record check upon employment; for administrative positions, may be in the process of obtaining a pardon according to Agency policy.

Please address your application **identifying your qualifications, 3 references and CPIC**, marked **CONFIDENTIAL**:

Cultural Supports and Traditional Health Practitioner Worker Hiring Committee  
236 Frontenac Street, Rankin Reserve  
Batchewana First Nation, ON P6A 6Z1

**OR Email:** [Humanresources@batchewana.ca](mailto:Humanresources@batchewana.ca) late applications will not be accepted.

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**BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION**  
**Human Services Position Description**

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**Position:**                **Community Mental Wellness Worker (CMW worker)**

**General Accountability**

The Community Mental Wellness Worker is responsible for the delivery of prevention services that are aimed at reducing the requirement for direct, one-on-one intervention (casework) in the area of mental health, and for the planning and evaluation of these services. As one of a number of Human Services workers providing prevention services, the CMW worker is required to plan, deliver and evaluate services in consultation and cooperation with the other members of the team in order to develop a consensus on needs and priorities, avoid duplication/overlap and maximize the effective expenditure of available resources. The CMW worker is responsible for assisting the Director in meeting Departmental responsibilities for overall program planning and reporting, maintenance of effective relationships with other community-based and external agencies/programs and with funders.

**Requirements of Position**

**Basic/Mandatory Requirements**

The successful applicant:

- Will have a university degree or a community college diploma in a relevant health and/or social services field, and at least 2 years direct service experience, preferably with families and groups OR equivalent combinations of education and experience;

**Basic/Mandatory Requirements – Cont'd**

- Will be a member of Batchewana First Nation in preference to other applicants;
- Will have a valid class "G" driver's license and a vehicle;

**Knowledge Requirements**

The successful applicant:

- Will be thoroughly familiar with the relevant federal and provincial legislation, regulations and/or guidelines that are relevant to the funding and delivery of mental health services;
- Will be knowledgeable about the culture and the significant characteristics of the social structure and relevant human services needs of Batchewana First Nation;
- Will be knowledgeable of the range of both contemporary and traditional methods of intervention, support and healing that are effective in promoting community, family and individual well-being.

**Ability Requirements**

The successful applicant(s) will demonstrate ability to:

- Relate effectively to program management and colleagues as a diplomatic and flexible team player;
- Work effectively with the management and staff of other programs/agencies both native and non-native;
- Relate effectively to community members generally and to families and individuals seeking assistance;
- Effectively plan, implement, monitor and evaluate community programming, group work and interventions with families and individuals;
- Communicate effectively in writing and verbally;
- work flexible hours.

Please address your application **identifying your qualifications, 3 references and CPIC**, marked **CONFIDENTIAL**:

Community Mental Wellness Worker Hiring Committee  
236 Frontenac Street, Rankin Reserve  
Batchewana First Nation, ON P6A 6Z1

**OR Email:** [Humanresources@batchewana.ca](mailto:Humanresources@batchewana.ca) late applications will not be accepted.

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## **BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION**

### **Child Welfare Band Representative Worker**

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**Position:** Child Welfare Band Representative Worker (Contract)

#### **Job Purpose**

Reporting to the Child Welfare Team Leader, the Child Welfare Band Rep Worker is responsible for a varied caseload (investigating, assessing matters and advocating for the Batchewana First Nation in matters pertaining to children in need of protection); providing support services to families, children, Alternative Care Providers and care placements; supporting children in and out of home placements in accordance with the Child and Family Services Act, Ministry Standards, Child Protection protocols, risk assessment tools, Agency policies and procedures and Batchewana First Nation Standards of Practice.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

##### **Basic/Mandatory Requirements**

- Bachelor's Degree in Social Work (Honors), Registration with Ontario College of Social Workers
- Three years' experience working directly with children and families in child protection or social services.

##### **Ability Requirements**

- Knowledge of Batchewana First Nation, Nog da win da min and external Child Welfare programs and services.
- Knowledge, respect and sensitivity of First Nation culture and traditions.
- Knowledge of current legislation and policies related to child welfare.
- Knowledge of external services and service agencies.
- Demonstrated ability in assessment for development of treatment and care plans.
- Demonstrated ability in interpersonal and conflict resolution; mediation and problem solving skills; conflict resolution; leading and coaching others; collaboration.
- Excellent time management; prioritizing; meeting deadlines; ability to work independently and as a team member/leader.
- Shift work, travel and on-call required.
- Valid CPIC with Vulnerable Persons Screening
- Valid Class G Driver's License, access to a reliable vehicle.

Please address your application **identifying your qualifications, 3 references and CPIC**, marked **CONFIDENTIAL**:

Child Welfare Band Representative Hiring Committee  
236 Frontenac Street, Rankin Reserve  
Batchewana First Nation, ON P6A 6Z1

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**Deadline for application: March 16, 2018 @12:00 pm (Noon)**

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## ***Batchewana First Nation Education Department and Batchewana Learning Center***



### **Employment Opportunity**

|                             |                                       |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <b>Position</b>             | <b>Special Education Case Manager</b> |
| <b>Reporting/Supervisor</b> | <b>Education Director</b>             |

The Batchewana Special Case Manager's position is to create a caring and productive, learning support in order to address the special education needs of Batchewana parents and student(s) in the classroom and the school/home environment.

### **Duties and Responsibilities**

The Batchewana Special Education Case Manager's position will work under the general supervision of the Batchewana Education Director in consultation with the designated school principal(s) to perform the duties as outlined below.

- To provide special education information and training opportunities to the Batchewana communities and students/parents/guardians.
- To act as a liaison between parents/guardians and school principal(s), teachers and the Batchewana Special Education Support Workers to keep them informed and updated on their child's progress.
- To develop and implement a cohesive special education transition strategy and protocol for Early Learning, elementary and secondary students.
- To serve as a resource person for any in-service required as related to Batchewana traditional learning ways, teachings, best practices, support services and resources available.
- To provide general supervision of the Batchewana Special Education Support Workers workload and schedule and training plan.
- Documenting and maintaining all files on Batchewana student's identification, assessments and to make necessary referrals as required.
- Work in collaboration with Batchewana Data person in collecting and maintaining special education statistics.
- Will acquire and/or lobby for any special education equipment as required

- Completing all administrative and funding reports required for special education funding purposes.
- Keeping updated on legislative requirements, regulations, policies and procedures changes to inform all parties involved.

### **Qualifications**

The Batchewana Special Education Case Manager position shall possess a secondary school diploma along with a post-secondary degree and/or diploma in the field of social services and counselling with a minimum of two years' experience working with First Nation youth.

The applicant shall be knowledgeable and possess skills in the following areas:

- Knowledge and understanding of the Batchewana First Nation Community.
- Basic understanding of Aboriginal learning ways and traditional culture teachings. The ability to speak or understand the Ojibwa Language would be an asset.
- Knowledgeable of provincial school board policies as it applies in a school environment.
- Knowledgeable of school boards special education policies, learning supports and resources.
- Excellent interpersonal skills and the ability to work effectively with people
- Excellent oral and written communication skills
- Possess a valid driver's license and car insurance
- Be able to work flexible hours, meet deadlines and/or emergency call outs.
- Computer knowledge in Microsoft

### **Start: Immediate**

**Please forward resume, criminal records check and 3 working references in a sealed envelope attention: Batchewana Special Education Case Manager Hiring Committee. Mail or deliver to Batchewana Administrative Office or the Batchewana Learning**

**Deadline: March 23, 2018 @ 4:00pm**

### **Administration Office**

236 Frontenac St. Sault Ste. Marie, ON P6A 5K9  
P: (705) 759-0914 F: (705) 759-9171

### **Education Office**

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# BACHEWANA FIRST NATION OF OJIBWAYS

## ADMINISTRATION OFFICE DIRECTORY

236 Frontenac Street / Rankin Reserve 15D, Batchewana First Nation, Ontario P6A 6Z1  
 Phone: 705-759-0914 Toll Free: 1-877-236-2632 Fax: 705-759-9171

| <b>Name</b>                                    | <b>Position</b>                  | <b>Extension</b> |
|------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|
| <b><u>ADMINISTRATION / FINANCE</u></b>         |                                  |                  |
| Kim Lambert                                    | Chief Executive Officer          | 210              |
| Sharon (Dolly) Syrette                         | Reception / Front Desk           | 200              |
| Angeline (Kit) Syrette                         | Accounts Receivable              | 212              |
| Liz Boyer                                      | Accounts Payable                 | 211              |
| Cynthia Constable                              | Accounting/Cheque Cashing        | 214              |
| Tammy Desjardins                               | Payroll / H.R.                   | 208              |
| Keesha Corbiere                                | Administrative Assistant         | 216              |
| Rhonda M. Lesage                               | Finance Manager                  | 209              |
| Jessica Cleminson                              | Human Resource Manager           | 213              |
| <b><u>BINGO &amp; GAMING</u></b>               |                                  |                  |
| Kristen Roach                                  | Manager Bingo & Gaming           | 705-759-2297     |
| <b><u>CAPITAL PROJECTS</u></b>                 |                                  |                  |
| Edmund Dubois                                  | Capital Projects Coordinator     | 206              |
| <b><u>CHIEF/COUNCIL</u></b>                    |                                  |                  |
| Dean Sayers                                    | Chief                            | 202              |
| Sandra Kenny                                   | Council Secretary                | 201              |
| <b><u>COMMUNICATIONS</u></b>                   |                                  |                  |
| Alexandra Syrette                              | Communications Coordinator       | 247              |
| <b><u>ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT</u></b>             |                                  |                  |
| Marlene Hewson                                 | Economic Development Officer     | 224              |
| <b><u>EMPLOYMENT &amp; TRAINING</u></b>        |                                  |                  |
| Jessica Boyer                                  | Manager                          | 227              |
| Sharon Boissoneau                              | Assistant Manager                | 257              |
| <b><u>Lands/Community Planning Manager</u></b> |                                  |                  |
| Vacant                                         |                                  |                  |
| <b><u>HOUSING</u></b>                          |                                  |                  |
| Deeanna Hewson                                 | Data Entry                       | 230              |
| Lisa R. McCormick                              | Housing Manager                  | 254              |
| 705-255-1870                                   |                                  |                  |
| Ken Boyer                                      | Project Manager                  | 228              |
| <b><u>MEMBERSHIP / Estates/ Licensing</u></b>  |                                  |                  |
| Lisa A. McCormick                              | Band Clerk                       | 205              |
| <b><u>NATURAL RESOURCES</u></b>                |                                  |                  |
| Dan Sayers, Jr.                                | Manager                          | 223              |
| Dave Sewell                                    | Field Technician                 | 251              |
| Vic Bolduc                                     | Mining & Aggregate Technician    | 246              |
| Leeann Sayers                                  | Administration                   | 222              |
| <b><u>NIIGAANIIN</u></b>                       |                                  |                  |
| Rhonda A. Lesage                               | Manager                          | 220              |
| Rachel Boissoneau                              | Intake Worker                    | 219              |
| Lacey Dalton                                   | Caseworker                       | 218              |
| Charlotte Zack                                 | Caseworker                       | 221              |
| <b><u>OPERATIONS &amp; MAINTENANCE</u></b>     |                                  |                  |
| Agnes Lidstone                                 | Operations & Maintenance Manager | 236              |
| Kandyce Porter                                 | Assistant Manager                | 234              |
| Donald Jordan                                  | Maintenance                      | 237              |
| Ken Virta                                      | Maintenance                      | 237              |
| <b><u>RANKIN ARENA</u></b>                     |                                  |                  |
| Kris Bain                                      | Arena Manager                    | 705-759-1444     |
|                                                | Canteen                          | 705-759-4127     |
| <b><u>RANKIN DAYCARE</u></b>                   |                                  |                  |
| Linda Hubert                                   | Supervisor                       | 705-759-0330     |
| Janelle Boissoneau                             | Bookkeeper                       |                  |
| <b><u>CRISIS SHELTER</u></b>                   |                                  |                  |
| Jennifer Syrette                               | Toll Free # 1-866-266-1466       | 705- 941-9054    |
|                                                | Executive Director               | 202              |

|                      |                         |                       |
|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Barbara Day          | Program Support Worker  | 201                   |
| Vernon Desjardin     | Building Superintendent | 705-941-9054          |
| <b>BFN POLICE</b>    | <b>Toll Free #</b>      | <b>1-888-310-1122</b> |
| Jim Sayers           | Sgt.                    | 705-759-5066          |
| Mary Ryan            | Administration          |                       |
| <b>GOULAIS ANNEX</b> |                         | <b>705-649-0743</b>   |

**Obadijwan Conference & Convention Centre** Vacant

### **BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION OF OJIBWAYS**

#### **HEALTH DEPARTMENT DIRECTORY**

210 A Gran Street / Rankin Reserve 15D, Batchewana First Nation, Ontario P6C 0C4

**Phone: 705-254-7827 Toll Free: 1-855-816-9590 Fax: 705-759-8716 Health Clerk Fax: 705-759-6159**

| <b>Name</b>                    | <b>Position</b>                           | <b>Extension</b>    |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Elizabeth Sayers               | Community Health Nurse                    | 140                 |
| Bernadette (Bernie) Agawa      | Home/Community Care Coordinator           | 142                 |
| Vacant                         | Mental Health                             | 130                 |
| Holly Syrette                  | Child Welfare Team Lead/Band Rep.         | 148                 |
| Vacant                         | NNADAP – Addictions Counsellor/Worker     | 138                 |
| Trevor Sayers                  | Community Health Rep.                     | 107                 |
| Harold Robinson (705-971-4027) | Medical Van                               | 145                 |
| Rachelle Lambert               | Healthy Babies/ Healthy Children Educator | 135                 |
| Janine Gibbs                   | Community Mental Wellness Worker          | 136                 |
| Stephenie Twardzik             | Human Services Clerk                      | 108                 |
| Carolyn Ainslie                | NIHB Medical Clerk                        | 132                 |
| Cheri Boyer, RPN               | Booking Clerk NP & MD                     | 131                 |
| Vacant                         | Child Welfare Band Rep.                   | 151                 |
| Vacant                         | Band Rep.                                 | 133                 |
| Lisa Boissoneau                | Child Welfare Team Assistant              | 146                 |
| Mark McCoy                     | Child Welfare Band Rep.                   | 134                 |
| Rainbow Agawa                  | Community Support Worker                  | 150                 |
| Sandra Dewing                  | Child Welfare Band Rep.                   | 152                 |
| Teala Nadjiwon                 | Director of Human Services                | 139                 |
| Vacant                         | Maintenance                               | 147                 |
| Tom Tegosh                     | Teen Centre                               | 705-942-5869        |
| Joe Sewell                     | Recreation Activator                      | 705-942-5869        |
| <b>NOG-DA-WIN-DA-MIN</b>       |                                           | <b>705-946-3700</b> |

### **BATCHEWANA FIRST NATION OF OJIBWAYS**

#### **EDUCATION DEPARTMENT DIRECTORY**

15 Jean Street, Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario P6B4B1, **Phone: 705-759-7285 Toll Free: 1-866-339-3370**

**Fax: 705-759-9982**

| <b>Name</b>      | <b>Position</b>                           | <b>Extension</b> |
|------------------|-------------------------------------------|------------------|
| Elaine McDonagh  | Education Director / Principal            | 213              |
| Christine Sayers | Post Secondary Counselor                  | 214              |
| Colleen McCabe   | High School / Elementary School Counselor | 219              |
| Jenny Sayers     | Secretary/Receptionist                    | 201              |
| Lana Jones       | Boarding Home Program                     | 215              |
| Brenda Sayers    | Accounting/Education                      | 202              |

#### **BATCHEWANA POLICE SERVICES**

Detachment location: 52 Nebenaigoching Street, Batchewana First Nation, On P6A 6Z1 **General**

**Inquiries Phone: 705-759-5066 or Emergency Phone: 1-888-310-1122 OR 911 Fax (705) 759-6660**

#### **BATCHEWANA BAND INDUSTRIES**

485B Gran Street, Rankin Reserve 15D, ON Canada, P6A 6Z1 **Telephone: (705) 946-0746**

**Toll Free: 1 (877) 370-7612 Fax: (705) 946-0416**

| <b>Name</b>     | <b>Position</b>          | <b>Extension</b> |
|-----------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| Warren Sayers   | Park Administrator       | 201              |
| Sherri Leishman | Administrative Assistant | 202              |