



# Kebaowek First Nation Maziniaigan

## Kebaowek First Nation Community Newsletter

### Update from the Chief

The council had its first general meeting with the community on September 10<sup>th</sup>. Thank you to those who turned out for the meeting; the members in attendance voted for the return of the original name of our community, "Kebaowek". In English it translates to "the Landing Place". So the official name of the community is Kebaowek First Nation.

It was also agreed that the streets be renamed after our community members who are veterans who served in the wars; as a way of acknowledging and honouring the sacrifice they made. We are currently gathering that information and preparing options for approval at the next community meeting. Once this is completed, this will allow us to have access to 911 services.

I also gave a presentation on our options for settling our land claims. We have a choice, we can either negotiate under the comprehensive claims policy, which will lead to the extinguishment of our rights, taxation and only getting a small amount of land and financial compensation, or we can go to court to prove aboriginal title which is proving that we never gave up our rights to the land and then negotiate a treaty which will ensure that we never have to extinguish our rights and that we get our traditional land base back.

To prove title we need to complete the gaps in our research and do current use and occupancy mapping to show that we are still using the land. This work will be completed this fall and will involve interviews with community members. We will be contacting the people and arranging for the interviews to be completed in November. The members in attendance agreed that going to court and proving title was the way to go and a mandate was given for us to prepare an aboriginal title case and prepare ourselves to go to court. This will take time and money to prepare so the council has created a legal defence fund where we will use the profits from fundraising to support the future court case.

**Federal Elections are on  
October 19th.**

**There will be a polling  
station for the people who  
live in Kipawa at the  
Kebaowek First Nation  
Community Hall.**

**Polls will be open from  
9:30am - 9:30pm**

**Elections Canada**

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# Update from the Chief con't

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We do not plan on doing this alone as we are trying to work with other Algonquin communities. In the mean time we will be opposing any developments that will lead to the extinguishment of our rights and title including mining and the development of Chaudiere Falls and Victoria Island in Ottawa. While I understand that people want to work and have an income, individual rights do not take priority over the collective rights of our members.

With the upcoming Federal Election, it is important to remember that the best way to make change happen is for all First Nations to vote, every vote counts. There are many issues that affect First Nations people, here and across Canada and I encourage every member of Kebaowek First Nation to vote in the Federal election on October 19th.

In closing, I want to wish all our hunters good luck and hope they are successful in getting meat to fill their freezers. If there are folks who are fortunate in getting a moose and have some meat to spare, please think about donating some to the food bank to share with members and elders who may not be able to get out and harvest their own meat.

## Land Management

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The main priority of the Land Management (LM) department is to harmonize the future forestry operation and Identified sectors with the Tembec and the provincial government represented by the Ministry of Natural Resources (MNR). As summer has come to a close we will start up our regular harmonization meetings here at the office with the MNR. Below is a list of the sectors that will be discussed with the MNR.

- Anderson Sector** is located a few kilometers north of Mattawa across the River on the Quebec side.
- Hamilton Sector** is located south of Garden Lake and East of Blue Lake.
- Morgan/Sandeau Sector** located next to Sandy Lake.
- Revolver Sector** is located south of Lake Du Fils.

On September 22, the MNR gave a presentation that was done by their biologist explaining the 'Ecosystemic Forest Management Plan' here at the Band Office boardroom.

The Rexforet brush cutting training was completed by September 25. Congratulations going out to the successful candidates: Corey Davidson, Dominic Lariviere, Devin Mitchell and Tyler Young-Polson.

As was mentioned by Chief Lance Haymond at the Band meeting on September 10<sup>th</sup>, it is important that Band Members come in to the Kebaowek Land Management to let us know where they are using the land for hunting, fishing and trapping so that we can build up a data base. The LM Office invites all members and is looking forward to seeing them drop by with their comments and/or concerns on the sectors that are up for discussion at the MNR.

### **The Land Management Team**

# Local First Nation Human Resources

Glenda Moore - LFNHR Manager Tel: 819-627-3455 Fax: 819-627-9428 Email: glenda.moore@evfn.ca

## Information on Employment Insurance Economic Region 18 (North-West of Quebec)

NOTE: A minimum of 910 hours is the qualifying period may need to qualify; EXAMPLE: If you are in the work force for the **first time** or if you are **re-entering** the work force after an absence of two years. If you apply for special benefits, you will need 600 hours of work. It is strongly recommended to check with your local Service Canada Center for the minimum number of hours required to qualify. *Please note that the number of insurable hours required are based on where you live and the unemployment rate in your economic region at the time of filing your claim for benefits.*

Unemployment Rate Stats Can – 2001	Unemployment Rate Stats Can – 2006	Unemployment Rate Stats Can – 2011	Unemployment Rate: August 9th - September 5th 2015	Min. # of Hours Required	Min. # of Weeks Payable
21.7%	14.3%	N/D	8.8	595	18
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## Summer Students of 2015

We would like to say a big thank you to all the Summer Students and send them best wishes in their new school year!

## SERVICE CANADA

**Outreach Site is located at:** Le Centre - 20 Humphrey Street, Temiscaming, Quebec  
9:30 am to 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm  
**You can call the Center at 819-627-3230 for more information.**

## Travel and Holidays

I will be away for the Regional Meeting in Montreal from October 20th to 22nd.  
I will be on Holidays on October 26th and November 9th and 10th.

# Education Department

## **Word of Welcome to All Post-Secondary Students Attending School for 2015-16.**

I would like to wish all the post-secondary students a successful school year.

For the school year of 2015-16, Kebaowek Anicinabek is funding 43 members for their post-secondary education. We currently have 27 students enrolled in college programs, 15 in university in undergraduate programs and 1 in university in a graduate program.

Please feel free to contact me for any cares, concerns or issues regarding your schooling needs.

Rose Jawbone

**“Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world.”**  
**- Nelson Mandela**



Education Department has 30 sets of 5 children's books, all the books are written in English, Algonquin & French.  
If you would like a set, please contact Rose.

# Kebaowek Anicinabek Housing Department

## HOUSES FOR SALE

Please contact the Housing Department for more details and information  
Phone: 819-627-3455 Ext 202



Located at 25 Amik Crescent



Located at 308 Amik Avenue



Located at 70 Wagosh Crescent

### **BUILD ON YOUR OWN OR PURCHASE HOME**

A band member can build on their own or purchase a home for sale.

For a mortgage the individual **must** be approved by the Bank in order to utilize this program.

1st - The purchaser must meet with the housing administrator to discuss plans.

2nd - **Buying a home:** The purchaser and vendor must meet with the housing administrator to discuss all details.



Located at 63 Wagosh Crescent  
Contact the Housing Department or  
text / call Lynda Chevrier  
705-358-4410  
for more info or to arrange a viewing.

Purchase and Agreement must be signed at this time.

**Building on your own:** the member must provide the plans and cost of building.

3rd - Once all details have been established, the housing administrator will assist with the mortgage application.

The bank will notify if approved.

# Recreation

A BIG THANK YOU to all the volunteer helpers of the 2015 Boat Rally!

Thank you to Lou Ann & Dora for all your much needed help at the hall. Thank you to Laretta & Gerald, who had a stop in Red Pine and Roseann & Babs who had a stop in Hunters Point.

**All your help is very much appreciated and I could have not done it alone, again  
Thank You!!!**



## Halloween Party

**Saturday October 24th, 2015**

**9:00pm - 2:30am**

**Bar 9:00pm - 2:15am**

**Kebaowek First Nation  
Community Hall**

**\$\$ for top 3 costumes**

**Admission \$3 cover charge**

**18 years +**

**Music by:**

**DJ Neil Pariseau**

**Come out for some spooky hilarious fun!**





# Fire Department

## Fire Prevention Week

In 2014, Fire Prevention Week was held from 5 till 11 October. It is the full week of October that includes the 9 of the month that is retained for the event. You want to know why? Keep on reading...

### History

Why is there a fire prevention week? Why is it held at the beginning of October each year? A brief story...

It is October 9, 1871, in Chicago. A major fire is raging. It is brought under control only 27 hours later, leaving only ruin and devastation in its wake. More than 250 people lost their lives/died and 100,000 others were left homeless. The fire destroyed more than 17,400 buildings and ravaged over 4,800 hectares of land.

It was forty years later, in 1911, that the oldest member organization of the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA), the Fire Marshals Association of North America, organized the first fire prevention day to commemorate the great Chicago fire. The event grew to such proportions that 11 years later, the first Fire Prevention Week was launched in the United States.

In Canada, it was Ontario that held the first provincial Fire Prevention Day, in 1916. The first national Fire Prevention Day was held in 1919. The Governor General of Canada proclaimed the first Fire Prevention Week in Canada in 1923. And the Ministère de la Sécurité publique du Québec has held a Fire Prevention Week since 1990.

Why commemorate the date of a fire that occurred in the United States? It seemed only logical for the two countries to pool their efforts to highlight the event on the same date. Thus, Fire Prevention Week has always been held in the first full week of October in the United States as well as in Canada.

**During the month of October  
the Kebaowek Anicinabek  
Fire Department will be**

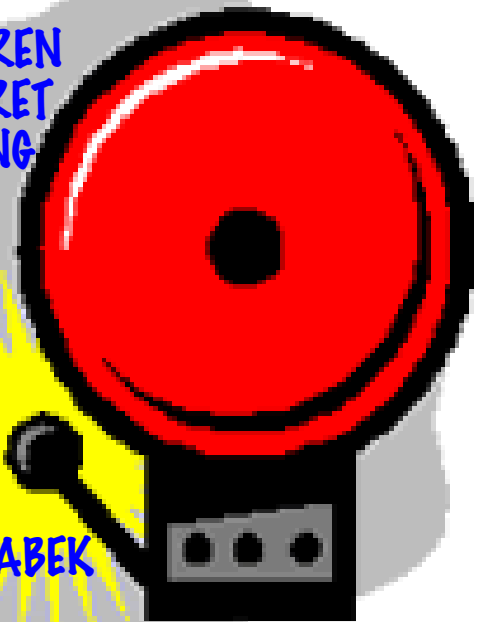


**selling Fire  
Extinguishers  
(2 and 5 #)  
and the latest  
Smoke Alarm  
available, that  
has a shelf life of  
ten years.**

**Our invoice price will also be  
your price.**

**HAVE YOUR CHILD/REN  
COMPLETE THE SECRET  
MESSAGE AND BRING  
IT TO THE FIRE  
STATION ON  
TUESDAY, OCTOBER  
6TH, BETWEEN  
7-8 P.M. TO CLAIM  
YOUR PRIZE.**

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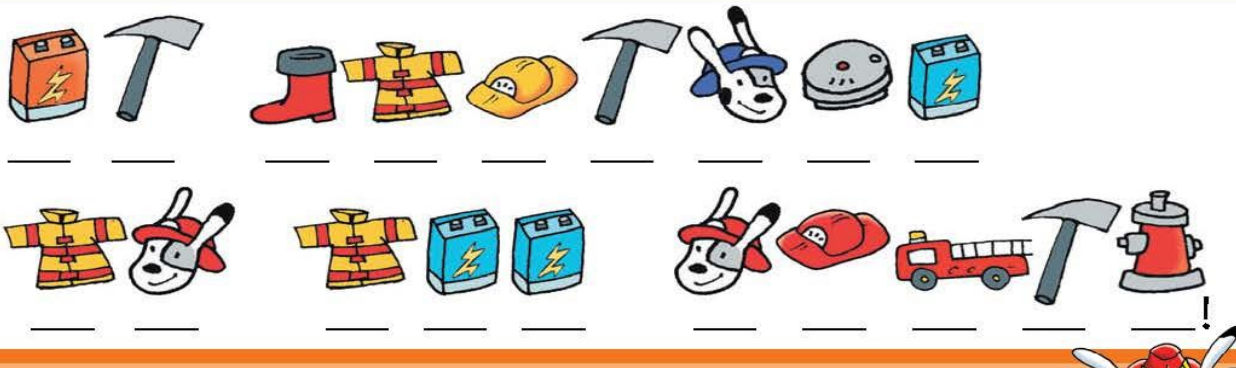
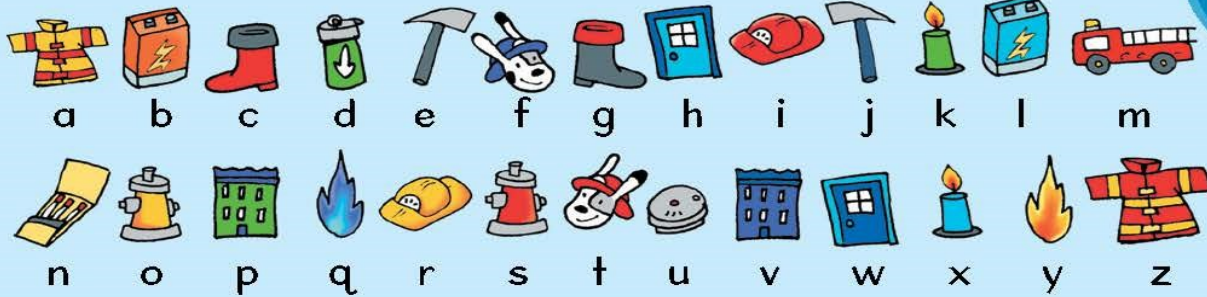




# Fire Department

## A secret message for you!

Use this legend to decode it.



### True story

**H**i! My name is Nicolas and I'm 7 years old. My best friend's name is Alex. Let me tell you a story about an adventure involving my hero—my dad! He has a special job: he's a firefighter. My dad once told me a story about a family that really ended up "feeling the heat."

One winter's night, my dad was working at the fire station. You know, the place with the fire trucks where the firefighters work. After answering a few calls for help, my dad called us at home to say goodnight.

All of a sudden, the alarm went off again at the fire station. My dad and all the other firefighters quickly got dressed and got on the road with their big trucks. When they arrived at the scene, my dad saw smoke coming out of a building. It was a fire. Some people had heard the smoke alarms go off and had already

evacuated the building. They told my dad that one of the families was still inside because they didn't have a smoke alarm. My dad and the chief firefighter went into the building right away to look for the family. A few moments later, all of the occupants were outside, safe and sound. My dad had a little boy in his arms. And guess who it was? My best friend Alex! He and his family really ended up "feeling the heat."

The next morning, my dad and I went to buy a really special gift for Alex and his family. Do you know what it was? A smoke alarm!

I hope that everyone who reads my little story will go out and get a smoke alarm, install it in the right place, and test it regularly.

**Nicolas Bouchard**  
Montréal





## Here are eight key fire safety tips

that you should know

Stay away from hot things that can burn!



Tell a grown-up if you find a lighter or matches!



Stop, drop and roll if your clothes catch on fire!



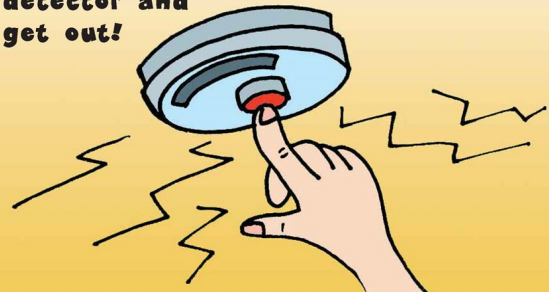
Cool a burn with cold water and tell a grown-up!



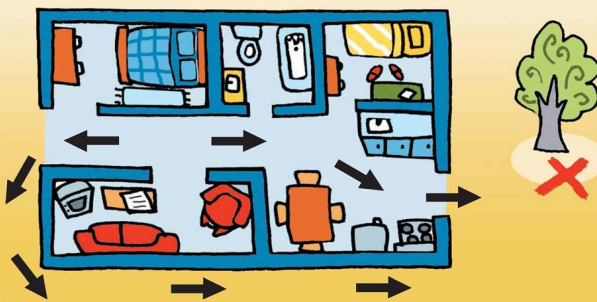
Crawl low under smoke!



Recognize the sound of the smoke detector and get out!



Practise using an escape plan!



Consider a firefighter a friend!



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# Public Notice



## Research on fisher and American marten 2015-2017

Hello, Kwe,

During the autumn 2015, a research project on fisher and American marten will take place in the Témiscamingue region. This project is conducted by the Université du Québec en Abitibi-Témiscamingue in collaboration with the Ministry of Forests, Wildlife and Parks. The project will take place between autumn 2015 and spring 2017. Fisher capture is scheduled between mid-October and mid-December, during the trapping season.

Several fishers and martens will be captured and fitted with an identification microchip. Some fishers will be equipped with a radio collar. For this purpose, live capture cages will be placed near the main road between Notre-Dame-du-Nord and Deux-Rivières. Habitats selected by fishers will be identified by telemetry, and their movements in relation to forest management will also be monitored. We would be grateful if you would not get close to capture installations you might find. You might capture a fisher equipped with a radio collar. We solicit your cooperation and ask you to communicate with the people mentioned below, so we can retrieve the collars and their valuable information. To remove the collar from the neck of an animal, we ask that you loosen the clamp bolt instead of cutting the belt with a knife, rendering it useless. The Université du Québec en Abitibi-Témiscamingue will give \$ 20 (+ delivery cost) to the trappers who will return a collar, and a map showing the movements of the fisher before its capture.

Your cooperation is essential, and it is very important that any observation of fishers be forwarded us. If you observe, photograph (with a hunting camera, for example) or capture a fisher with a radio collar, please contact the following persons:

Pauline Suffice (UQAT) at 819 860-3346 or at 819 762-0971 ext. 2635  
Pierre Fournier (MFFP) at 819 763-3388 ext. 306

Do not hesitate to contact us for more information on the research project.

Thank you for your cooperation and we wish you a good trapping season.



## Community Notes and Information

# KIPAWA BAIT & TACKLE

WORMS  
LEECHES



ICE  
FROZEN BAIT

**819-627-3595**

560 Kipawa Road, Kipawa, Que J0Z 2H0  
[www.kipawabaitandtackle.com](http://www.kipawabaitandtackle.com)

### Business Hours

**Monday – Tuesday – Wednesday**

8 am – 12 pm, 1 pm – 5 pm

**Thursday** 8 am – 6 pm

**Friday** 8 am – 7 pm

**Saturday** 8 am – 4 pm

**Sunday** 10 am – 2 pm

# NON-RESIDENT FEES

**for all Community Members  
Living On-Reserve**

Anyone who registers for an activity/sport at The Centre in Temiscaming and is charged a Non-Resident Fee, please bring your receipt to Roxane at the Band Office to have the NON-RESIDENT portion of the fee reimbursed.

Receipts can be submitted at anytime, however, these fees will only be reimbursed on the last Thursday of each month.

**THE OCTOBER DEADLINE FOR NON-RESIDENT FEES  
IS OCTOBER 28TH, 2015 AT 12:00 PM**

PLEASE NOTE THAT NON-RESIDENT FEES WILL  
ONLY BE ACCEPTED FOR THE FISCAL YEAR  
OF APRIL 1, 2015 - MARCH 31, 2016

## Elders Club

Wii Bowling starts again on  
October 5th at 6pm.

### Note to all Members

**Deadline for submissions is the 25th  
of every month for the following month.**

**Please send your submissions to  
[donna.pariseau@evfn.ca](mailto:donna.pariseau@evfn.ca) or  
[tina.chevrier@evfn.ca](mailto:tina.chevrier@evfn.ca)**

**You can also subscribe to receive an  
electronic newsletter sent to your email.**

## Public Notice

Please be advised that we are currently in the process of setting up surveillance cameras at public recreation sites (ex. Playground and Ice Rink, etc). This is to ensure the safety of the site and of the equipment provided for members use.

Please note that any child or person caught damaging the equipment due to improper use may encounter legal consequences and/or financial loss required to restore or replace the equipment back to the state prior to its damage. In the case of people under the age of 18 doing the damage, their legal guardian will be held responsible.

Thank you.

# Community Wishes for October



Happy 75th Birthday to Dad  
(Bob) on October 28th

From Jim and Linda



Happy Birthday Bro John aka  
(Googs) celebrating his 5?...  
On October 28th

Luv ya, from yo sista's Gerri,  
Gail & Claudette xox



Happy Birthday Wishes to  
Mom (Marilyn) on  
October 22nd

Love Jim and Linda



Happy Birthday Trent! All the  
best to you, I know you will  
enjoy the cake!

Love you soooo much,  
Granny xoxo!



Wishing our Uncle Boy Boy  
a very Happy 24th Birthday  
on October 14th!!

Love Always, Keshon,  
Kobe & Kaylee xoxoxo



Happy Anniversary  
Vicky & Jason!  
Cheers to many more!

Love Mom xoxo



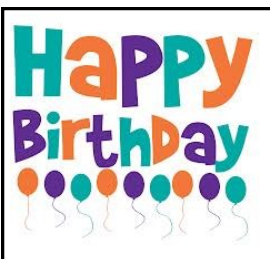
Happy Birthday Mom! Have a  
spectacular day!

Love Roxane, Billy & Kids.  
xoxo



Happy Birthday Dolly!  
Have a fabulous day  
& a lot of wine!

From your girlies, Shi & J!



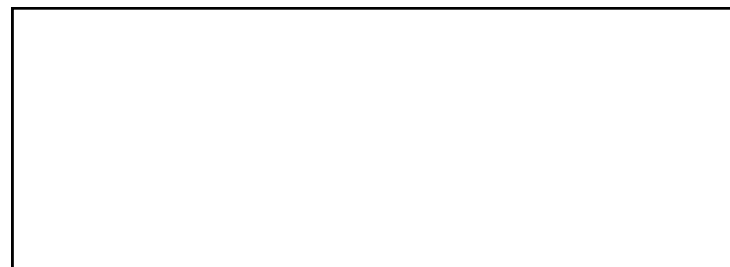
Happy Birthday Laurier

Love Jenn xo



Happy Birthday Laurier on  
October 11th.  
Have a great day!

Kieran, Gage, Tristan, Brody,  
Tori & Steven



# Update from the Health Director

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# Medical Transportation

Medical Transportation is managed by the provincial region of **your residence**. Other benefit information can also be accessed through the general inquiry lines below (eye and vision care, pharmacy, medical supplies and medical equipment, short-term crisis intervention).

- British Columbia: 1-800-317-7878
- Alberta: 1-800-232-7301
- Saskatchewan: 1-866-885-3933
- Manitoba: 1-877-983-0911
- Ontario: 1-800-640-0642
- Quebec: 1-877-483-1575
- Atlantic (PEI., NS, NB, NL): 1-800-565-3294

**For Dental only the program is National so the number to call is: 1-855-618-6291.**

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE** **FOR THOSE REQUIRING MEDICAL** **TRANSPORTATION**

**PLEASE CALL TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION AS SOON AS YOU HAVE THE DATE FOR YOUR APPOINTMENT TO ENSURE WE CAN PROVIDE YOU WITH A RIDE.**

**THIS WILL ENABLE US TO SCHEDULE ALL TRIPS ACCORDINGLY.**

**THANK YOU**

Eagle Village Health Centre  
3 Ogima Street  
Eagle Village First Nation  
Kipawa QC J0Z 2H0  
Tel: (819) 627-9060 Fax: (819) 627-1885

**MEDICAL VISIT ATTESTATION**

This is to certify that \_\_\_\_\_  
was here to receive professional services from \_\_\_\_\_ (Name and Title of Professional)  
at \_\_\_\_\_ (Address), this \_\_\_\_\_ (Date) at \_\_\_\_\_ (Time)

Professional or Delegated Authority Signature  
Signature du professionnel ou personne autorisée

Please affix your official stamp.  
S.V.P. veuillez apposer votre estamp.

**REMINDER**

The **OCTOBER** deadline for Medical Transportation Claims is **Thursday October 29th, 2015 at 12:00 pm.**

Those who still have unresolved claims, please contact Priscillia at the Health Centre (819-627-9060) at your earliest convenience. Keeping our files up to date allows us to continue delivering medical transportation services from our community.

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**If anyone would be interested in participating in a 'Jam Night' at the Dome, please give me (Vicky), a call at the Health Centre (819) 627-9060 Ext. 258.**

**I would like to hear your thoughts and/or ideas !!**

**Our community has a lot of musical talent ... why not show it off !?**

**All Ages Welcome !!**

**Please note that this will be an ALCOHOL & DRUG free event.**







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**Important Notice**

**Stacey, Darlene & Kim will be  
away on training from September  
28th—October 2nd.**





**Community Shopping Trip**  
**Saturday September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015**

**Leaving the Health Centre at 9:00 am**

**1<sup>st</sup> stop will be Northgate Mall and Wal-Mart (10 am to 1:30 p.m.)**

**2<sup>nd</sup> stop will be at Fresh Co. Grocery Store (1:30-3:00 pm)**

**We will leave North Bay at 3:00pm to return to EVFN.**



**IMPORTANT TO CALL**  
**SPACES LIMITED !!**

**Please contact First Line Services at  
(819) 627-9877 to submit your name.**



# Reminder Sheet for Upcoming Important Dates

## OCTOBER 2015

**October 6th** - Community Kitchen

**October 12th** - Band Office and Health Centre are closed for Thanksgiving

**October 13th** - Family Movie Night

**October 19th** - Federal Election

**October 23rd** - Kids/Teen Halloween Dance Party

**October 24th** - Adult Halloween Party

**October 28th** - Deadline for Non-Resident Fees

**October 29th** - Deadline for Medical Transportation

## NOVEMBER 2015

**November 11th** - Band Office and Health Center are closed for Remembrance Day

**November 17th** - Community Kitchen

**November 24th** - Family Movie Night

# Kebaowek First Nation Community Calendars

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>October 2015</b>				<b>1</b> Darlene, Stacey & Kim are away on training Sept 28th - Oct 2nd. RECYCLE PICKUP	<b>2</b> Lance is on Holidays October 1st - 18th	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Joan is on Holidays October 5th - 9th	<b>6</b> Community Kitchen	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> GARBAGE PICKUP	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> BAND OFFICE AND HEALTH CENTER ARE CLOSED FOR THANKSGIVING	<b>13</b> Family Movie Night	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b> RECYCLE PICKUP	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> Federal Election	<b>20</b> Glenda is away for a meeting October 20th - 22nd	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b> GARBAGE PICKUP	<b>23</b> Teen Halloween Dance Party	<b>24</b> Adult Halloween Party
<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> RECYCLE PICKUP	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>

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<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> GARBAGE PICKUP	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> Moose Party
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