



**Fort William
First Nation**

Weekly Newsletter for March 14 - 20

Flyers are to be delivered each weekend by 4pm Sunday evening.

Didn't receive your newsletter this weekend?

**Please call Kristy Boucher at 623-9543 ext.217 or
info@fwfn.com with your questions or concerns.**

Finance Information Page For:

- ☒ **Direct Deposit Forms for Member Distributions**
- ☒ **Youth Turning 18 – Direct Deposit Forms**
- ☒ **Late Banking Information – Annual Member Distributions**
- ☒ **Are You Making a Payment?**

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@FWFN1

NOTICE TO ON RESERVE HOUSEHOLDS WITH DOGS

Letting your dog run loose, puts them and the community members in danger.

It is up to the pet owner to control their pets, and protect others from them. Pet owners can be held accountable if their pet hurts someone.

Please be advised that Flyer Carriers have the right to refuse delivery to the household in they encounter a dog or dogs in the area that makes them feel unsafe.

COVID-19 – Update from Finance

Following the Ontario Government's Covid reopening plan, our administrative offices will once again be open to the public soon, once an announcement is made by the CEO. The health and safety of our people, partners, families and community continue to be our priority as we move forward.

For up-to-date information on COVID-19, please visit:

- Ontario Ministry of Health's website: <https://www.ontario.ca/page/2019-novel-coronavirus>
- Public Health Services Canada website: <https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/coronavirus-disease-covid-19.html>

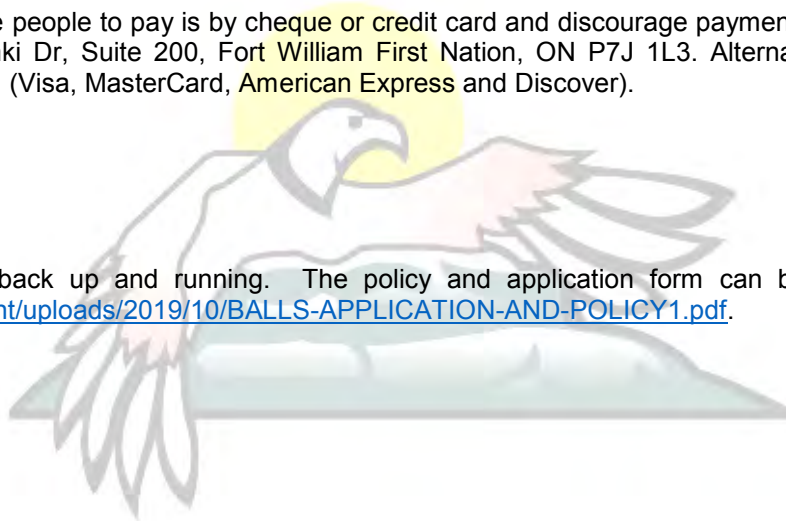
You may also visit Fort William First Nation's COVID-19 Action Plan web page at: <https://fwfn.com/covid-19-action-plan/>

Are you trying to make a payment on your account?

We continue to encourage people to pay by cheque or credit card and discourage payments by Cash. Cheques can be mailed to us at 90 Anemki Dr, Suite 200, Fort William First Nation, ON P7J 1L3. Alternatively, you may call in your payment with a credit card (Visa, MasterCard, American Express and Discover).

Bingo Balls

Bingo Balls program is back up and running. The policy and application form can be found on the website at <https://fwfn.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/BALLS-APPLICATION-AND-POLICY1.pdf>.



Department: Fort William First Nation CEO
Subject: COVID-19 Community Update

Date Prepared: March 10, 2022
Prepared by: Christina Thiessen
Executive Assistant - Office of the CEO

NOTICE TO COMMUNITY- Update on COVID-19 from Emergency Response Group

As of Friday January 21, 2022- Thunder Bay District Health Unit (TBDHU) has changed their approach to reporting. The updates will be available at www.tbdhu.com/coviddata. As of March 9, 2022 the TBDHU is reporting 173 Active Lab-Confirmed Cases. NOTE: As of December 31, 2021, testing for COVID-19 has been limited to the most vulnerable and individuals associated with the highest risk settings. This means that confirmed cases will significantly underestimate the true number of people with COVID-19 in the TBDHU region.

The Fort William First Nation (FWFN) Emergency Response Group strongly recommends anyone who tests positive for COVID 19 to report to the FWFN COVID 19 hotline at 698-0415 (MON-FRI, 9:00am-4:00pm) or after hours please use the FWFN on-call service 472-7701. If anyone is experiencing difficulty with breathing, severe chest pain, feeling confused or unsure of where you are or losing consciousness, call 911 immediately and go directly to the hospital.

The FWFN Emergency Response Group strongly recommend those who are eligible to get vaccinated and to get the booster dose. COVID-19 Vaccination Appointments are available by contacting the FWFN Health Center at 622-8802. Also, Individual's age 18 and older can now schedule their booster dose appointment through the Ontario booking portal or by calling the Provincial Vaccine Contact Centre at 1-833-943-3900.

Screen for COVID-19 before going to any public place- Your result will tell you if you should go today and what to do next.

- School and child care screening- Students, teachers and school staff must answer the school and child care screening questions before leaving for school or child care
- Customer screening- Customers and visitors may be asked to answer customer screening questions before entering a business or a public place
- Work and employee screening- you must answer the worker and employee screening questions before going to work each day
- Courthouse screening- answer the courthouse screening questions before you enter an Ontario courthouse

With key public health and health system indicators continuing to improve, Ontario is cautiously and gradually easing public health and workplace safety measure. The following changes to public health and workplace safety measures are in effect as of March 1, 2022.

- Capacity limits have been lifted in all indoor public settings
- Proof of vaccination requirements have been lifted
 - Business and organizations may choose to require proof of vaccination upon entry
- Masks continue to be required under provincial regulations, subject to the same exemptions as in previous steps of reopening.
 - Masks must continue to be worn in the indoor area of a business or organization and in any vehicle that is operating as part of a business or organization
- Businesses and organizations that are open must continue to have safety plans in place



The Fort William First Nation community continues to follow local and provincial guidance to limit the spread of COVID-19 in the FWFN Community.

Please continue to stay safe. We are all in this together as a community and we will get through this as a community.

If you have any questions, please see contact information below.

Respectfully,



Michael D. Pelletier, Chief Executive Officer

Fort William First Nation

P: 807.623.9543 Ext. 233 C: 807-629-0471

COVID-19 Information & Communication Lines

- Call (807) 622-8802 during office hours or the on-call phone after hours (807) 472-7701
- Email: luanne@fwfn.com
- Website: <https://fwfn.com/covid-19-action-plan/>

Fort William First Nation

Garbage Pick-up Schedule

Monday

Mountain Road, Chippewa Road, City Road, Anemki Drive, Lynx Court, Fox Court, Wolf Court, Wolf Street, Little Lake Crescent

Arena, Community Centre, Office Buildings

Tuesday

Back Street Road, Mission Road, Squaw Bay Road

Arena, Community Centre, Office Buildings

Wednesday

Chippewa Trailer Park

Arena, Community Centre, Office Buildings

Thursday

Mountain Road, Chippewa Road, City Road, Anemki Drive, Lynx Court, Fox Court, Wolf Court, Wolf Street, Little Lake Crescent

Arena, Community Centre, Office Buildings

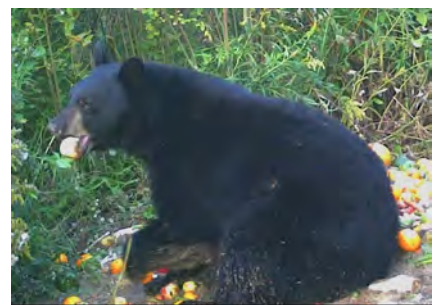
Friday

Back Street Road, Mission Road, Squaw Bay Road

Arena, Community Centre, Office Buildings

Garbage Pick up is scheduled between 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

****Please be advised that this schedule is subject to change based on holidays and equipment breakdowns****



Respectfully,

Wyatt Bannon

By-Law Enforcement / Animal Control / Community Safety



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FWFN SCHOOL BUS MEMO COLOR CODING OF SCHOOL BUSES

Please see below color coding system for the FWFN school buses. Each bus will have a colored square(s), with school name, in the window indicating which schools that bus picks up.



1. NEON GREEN: St. Ann

2. WHITE: Kingsway



3. YELLOW: Westmount

4. PURPLE: St. Martin



5. LIGHT PINK: St Elizabeth

6. LIGHT ORANGE: FWFN Kindergarten Classroom



7. NEON ORANGE: Kindergartens from all schools

8. BLUE: Pope John Paul II



9. RED: Westgate

10. LIGHT GREEN: ST PATRICK



IMPORTANT NOTES

- Please make note of the colour for your child's school. In some instances, you may have more than one bus servicing your home.

Questions or inquiries; contact Myra Bannon or Brittany Collins

807 623 9543 ext 225 or 205 / Myra@fwfn.com or education@fwfn.com



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COMMUNITY REMINDER

For those community members that require transportation to medical appointments, Monday to Friday. The medical van is available for bookings. Appointments **MUST** be called into the Health Centre **24 HOURS** before your appointment.

If there is no staff member to take your call, there is an answering machine available for you to leave a message.

Taxi rides will be issued after-hours.
(4:00pm to 8:00 am and on Weekends)

To Status members living on reserve.

Taxi rides will only be issued to
Thunder Bay Regional Health Sciences Centre.

Anyone that requires a ride to the Emergency Room will be **required** to come to the Health Centre to sign a release of information form **BEFORE** they are allowed to ride. **(NO EXCEPTIONS)**.

Failure to sign the R.O.I will result in suspension of further taxi services.

(The release of information form is so that we can confirm that you have in fact attended the Emergency Room). If you have not you will be required to pay back the **FULL** amount for your ride.

Anyone with questions please feel free to contact the Health Centre at 622-8802.

MEDICAL VAN TRANSPORTATION IS BACK & AVAILABLE



Call the Health Centre to book your appointment (24 hours in advance). If no answer please leave a detailed message with the following information: Name, Appt date & time, status card number, physician & clinic name, address of pickup and a contact number.

PLEASE NOTE: you must reside on Fort William First Nation & be a registered status card holder.

807-622-8802

**DENTAL, HARM REDUCTION, PHYSICIAN,
MENTAL HEALTH & DIAGNOSTIC
APPOINTMENTS ONLY**

Dependable and safe transportation

Wake with Postel/Walton



F O R T W I L L I A M F I R S T N A T I O N

JOB POSTING

Position Title: Student Placement Coordinator- One-year Contract

Position Description: The Student Placement Coordinator will assist Fort William First Nation Operations in supporting the education and development of students through our Summer Student program.

PURPOSE AND SCOPE OF THE POSITION:

The Student Placement Coordinator will assist Fort William First Nation Operations in supporting the education and development of students through our Student program.

RESPONIBILITIES:

- Create and carefully review all program, site and staff materials for the summer student program
- Advertise and promote the program and the positions available
- Conduct recruitment events and information nights
- Coordinate with FWFN Management and Staff regarding the hiring needs
- Ensure students have the proper qualifications
- Create and implement a Student Orientation which includes detailed training and certificate requirements
- Create a student database and monitor and update as applicable
- Ensure proper Health and Safety protocols are followed, including safety gear available and worn
- Organize catering services for the program and comply with nutritional guidelines as set out by the Canada Food Guide
- Ensure transportation to and from activities are organized and planned ahead of time
- Work with FWFN staff to plan and organize age appropriate events for the program
- Carefully maintain confidentiality of information regarding children, families, and staff
- Follow all FWFN established policies and procedures concerning staff conduct, appropriate dress, program procedures, and other responsibilities as set forth by administrative staff
- Assume program related responsibilities as requested by the Manager of Social Services
- Review and update program materials and complete required training
- Be knowledgeable of administrative policies and procedures that must be implemented
- Process and track all summer student hiring paperwork;
- Work with the funding agencies that support the program
- Manage daily communications regarding meetings and notifications regarding students, staff, scheduling;
- Supervise Summer Student Supervisors on an as-needed basis in collaboration with the Manager of Social Services
- Perform all clerical tasks as requested
- Assist as needed in processing final student evaluations
- Other duties as may be assigned.

We appreciate all applications. Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.



F O R T W I L L I A M F I R S T N A T I O N

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Secondary School Diploma required
- Post-Secondary School Diploma in Business, Marketing, Public Relations or related field required.
- 3-5 years' event coordination or management experience preferred.
- 3-5 years' fundraising experience considered an asset.
- Strong communication skills, both verbal and written.
- Proven ability to manage budgets.

Salary: To be determined.

Closing Date: Applications, consisting of a cover letter and resume with three (3) references, must be received by **11:59 p.m. on Sunday, March 27, 2022** and direct your application to the attention of:

Donna Mullen
Human Resources Assistant
Ph: 807-623-9543 ext. 806, Fax: 807-623-5190
Email: donnamullen@fwfn.com

When applying online, please ensure to reference the Job Posting Title in the Subject Line.

When hand delivering; ensure that your application is date stamped and a copy provided to you.

We appreciate all applications. Only those selected for an interview will be contacted.



F O R T W I L L I A M F I R S T N A T I O N

JOB POSTING

Position Title: Relief Receptionist

Position Description: The Relief Receptionist is needed to quickly fill short-term leaves of absences for the positions of Administration, Social Services and Health Centre Reception.

Major Responsibilities:

- Respond to telephone, e-mail, and in-person inquiries from clients, business partners, and other parties.
- Refer all inquiries to the appropriate individuals, divisions, or departments across the organization.
- Administer and manage inbound/outbound mail, including priority post, packages, courier services, and other correspondence.
- Organize, maintain, and coordinate office records and files in their proper locations, including some scanning and photocopying.
- As a front-line worker, present a positive and professional image of the organization to all visitors, suppliers, inquiries, and other interactions.
- A full job description is available upon request.

Qualifications:

- High school diploma or GED, or an acceptable combination of education and experience.
- Clear Criminal Background Check.

Wage Rate: To be negotiated

Job Posting Closing Date: Posting open until position(s) is filled. Please direct your application, consisting of a cover letter and resume with three (3) references to the attention of:

Donna Mullen,
Human Resources Assistant
Ph: 807-623-9543 ext. 806, Fax: 807-623-5190
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Call for Applicants: On-Reserve First Nation Owned Rental Unit

Purpose:

Call for Applicants is to fill a vacant 3-bedroom, 1-bath modular unit, and to collect updated family-composition and members' housing needs.

Information requested in the *Application for Housing* is based on the *Fort William First Nation's (FWFNs) Housing Policy (2020)*. FWFN reserves the right to prioritize and direct available housing to individuals or families deemed to have a core housing need.

Eligibility requirements:

1. Applicant must be 18+ years of age, and a registered member of FWFN.
2. Applicants must submit **OFFICIAL** documentation (including co-applicants and occupants):
 - a. First Nation Registration;
 - b. Child Welfare (custody);
 - c. Income;
 - d. Accessibility Needs;
 - e. Landlord Reference
 - f. Reference/Confirmation from Synergy North or Enbridge;
3. Applicants will be required to sign a disclosure authorizing FWFN to verify all of the above;
4. Applicants may be disqualified due to incomplete applications.

Tenant Selection Criteria:

Priority will be given to tenants with core housing needs, include:

1. Unable to afford shelter costs (include rent/mortgage payments and utilities) in current arrangement:
 - a. A maximum of 30% or less of household income should be allocated toward shelter costs.
2. Living in inadequate housing conditions with risk of health and safety, including:
 - a. Deficient critical components of the home, temporary

housing situation, individuals/families with special needs or disabilities and meet one (1) or more of the above criteria.

National Occupancy Standards:

1. No more than 2, or less than 1 occupant/bedroom;
 - a. Couples/spouses share a bedroom;
 - b. Parents do not share a bedroom with dependents;
 - c. Dependents aged 18+ do not share a bedroom;
 - d. Dependents aged 5+ of opposite sex do not share a bedroom;
2. Pertaining to shared custody, a child must reside with a legal caretaker 40% of the time to qualify as a permanent household member;
3. Single people can apply for bachelor or one-bedroom units; and
4. Couples can apply for 1-2 bedroom if expecting.

Who is not eligible?

1. Applicants who are homeowners;
2. Applicants with rental arrears or outstanding accounts with FWFN;
3. Applicants cited for rental agreement violations in the last 5-years.



Deadline to Apply:

Tuesday, March 15th at 11:59pm.

Where to access Applications for Housing?

Please find an *Application for Housing* as follows:

On the Fort William First Nation's official website (www.fwfn.com), the *Weekly Newsletter* or at the address below.

Assistance Completing Applications/Where to send completed application?

In-person, email, Canada Post, or by fax:

C/O: **Jenna MacLaurin, Housing Coordinator**

100 Little Lake Road, Suite 200 | Fort William First Nation, ON | P7J 0L2

C: 807.630.3963 | Fax: 807.623.5190

JennaMacLaurin@fwfn.com

How will you be notified regarding your *Application for Housing*?

Pertaining to rental unit vacancy, due to the potential for a high volume of applications, the Housing Department reserve the right to **only contact the successful applicant**, or to **only contact potentially successful applicant(s)**; meeting core housing needs.

After confirming completeness and eligibility of applicant(s), application(s) will be reviewed by the Housing Department and/or Housing Committee for decision-making. The successful applicant will be notified via phone and written communication.

What Happens Next?

All applications received in this *Call for Applicants* will be reviewed and entered into a Community Needs Assessment/Housing Database, which will assist FWFN in determining family-composition and community housing needs that will assist in future housing development decision-making.

As time permits, the Housing Department will contact applicants to discuss alternative housing solutions, which may include (pending income and credit rating), privately owned rentals, existing home purchasing and home building on-reserve.

We look forward to hearing from you, and appreciate your understanding.

Respectfully,

Jenna MacLaurin: Housing Coordinator



Please provide Fort William First Nation Housing Department with all information requested on the Housing Application. Please note that housing applications must now be updated annually; failure to do so will be grounds to remove your application from the Housing Waitlist. Only complete applications will be accepted. If you need help filling out the application, feel free to call the Housing Department at (807) 623-9543.

PRIMARY APPLICANT DETAILS

Full Name (First, Middle, Last):		Title:
Alias/Maiden Name:		
Marital Status: <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Common Law <input type="checkbox"/> Separated <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced		
Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY):		Age:
Social Insurance Number:		Male: <input type="checkbox"/> Female: <input type="checkbox"/>
Member of FWFN: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	First Nation Registration Number:	

APPLICANT'S CONTACT INFORMATION

Telephone Number:	Cellular Number:
Work Number:	Extension:
Can you take personal calls at work? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

ALTERNATE CONTACT INFORMATION

Telephone Number:	Cellular Number:
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APPLICANT'S MAILING ADDRESS

Address:	Province:
City:	Postal Code:

PRESENT ACCOMMODATION

Address of Accommodation:	
Home Information: <input type="checkbox"/> Own/Co-Own <input type="checkbox"/> Rent <input type="checkbox"/> Shelter <input type="checkbox"/> Homeless <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
If Other, please explain:	



CURRENT LANDLORD

Full Name:	
Landlord's Address:	Province:
City:	Postal Code:
Move-In Date:	
Lease Agreement: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Expiry Date:

ACCESSIBILITY

Do you or family members have accessibility needs?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If Yes, please explain:		
Do all household members currently reside at present accommodation?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If No, please explain:		

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Are there any Health and Safety issues at your current accommodation? (Overcrowding, hazards, etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No
If Yes, please explain:		



CO-APPLICANT DETAILS

Full Name (First, Middle, Last):		Title:
Maiden Name/Alias:		
Marital Status:	Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY):	Age:
Social Insurance Number:		Male: <input type="checkbox"/> Female: <input type="checkbox"/>
Registered Indian: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Band Name:	
First Nation Registration Number:		

OTHER OCCUPANT INFORMATION

Full Name(First, Middle, Last):	
Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY):	Age:
Social Insurance Number:	Male: <input type="checkbox"/> Female: <input type="checkbox"/>
In School: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Name of School:
Special Needs: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Specify Special Needs:
Relation to Applicant: <input type="checkbox"/> Child <input type="checkbox"/> Grandchild <input type="checkbox"/> Parent <input type="checkbox"/> Grandparent <input type="checkbox"/> Other Relative	

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VERIFICATION OF INCOME

Please fill out the following chart with first and last name(s), and the monthly amount from your income source(s). Add all of your Monthly Amounts of income together to find the Total Monthly Income for the applicant, co-applicant (if applicable), and any other occupants.

	Applicant	Co-Applicant	Other Occupant
First Name			
Last Name			
Income Source	Monthly Amount	Monthly Amount	Monthly Amount
Ontario Works			
Ontario Disability Support Program			
Full-time Employment			
Part-time Employment			
Self Employed			
Rent Revenue			
Employment Insurance			
WSIB (Short Term)			
WSIB (Long Term)			
Canada Pension			
Education Living Allowance			
Other			
Total Monthly Income	\$	\$	\$

**It is very important to provide the Fort William First Nation Housing Department all information relevant to the Housing Application. Please note that you must attach verification for all sources of income for your application to be accepted as complete. This includes pay stubs or a letter from your employer, EI benefits, self-employment monthly statements from your business, CPP and all other pension.*

IMPORTANT INFORMATION TO APPLICANTS

1. Having a poor credit history with local Utility Companies can seriously affect your ability to secure housing. The successful awarding of a housing unit will be based on proof that the applicant can secure an active account with both Synergy North and Union Gas (Enbridge Gas Inc.).
2. Those applicants having an accounts receivable (owing money) to Fort William First Nation will have to ensure a payment arrangement has been made and accepted by Fort William First Nation before your application will be accepted and considered for housing.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION CHECKLIST

Please ensure to attach your supporting documentation to your Housing Application.
Failure to submit ALL supporting documentation can result in a delay in processing your Application.

<input type="checkbox"/>	Proof of First Nation Registration If the co-applicant or family members are members of a First Nation other than Fort William First Nation, we will require copies of their Status Card.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Child Welfare Documentation Should any of the family members listed in this application be under your legal custody, legal documents will be required to verify family composition.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Verification of all Sources of Income Pay stubs or a letter from your employer indicating the same; EI benefits; self-employment monthly statements from business; CPP and all other pensions.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Accessibility Needs Supporting letters from doctor or specialist identifying the Accessibility Needs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Reference Letters A reference from previous landlords, and current landlord should include information regarding the care and condition of your rental unit, a summary of your landlord/tenant relationship, whether the payment of rent has been timely, and it should give insight on tenant behaviour while occupying the rental unit.

HOUSING APPLICATIONS CAN BE DROPPED OFF OR MAILED TO:

**Fort William First Nation
90 Anemki Drive – Suite 200
Fort William First Nation, Ontario
P7J 1L3**

**Attention: Housing Manager
OR
Community Relations & Administrative Assistant**

DECLARATION CONSENT & RELEASE OF INFORMATION

I declare that all information provided in this application is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge. The application and supporting documents, once received by FWFN become the property of FWFN Housing Department for file, reference and selection purposes. FWFN reserves the right to place applications on waiting lists as deemed necessary.

Personal Information contained in this application or in the attachments is collected by the FWFN Housing Department pursuant to the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, (R.S.O. 1990,c.M.56). This information will be used solely to determine eligibility of FWFN Low Income, Rent-to Own, Special Needs Housing, size and type of housing unit and placement of the household on waiting lists on Reserve.

Personal Information may be disclosed to internal FWFN departments that assist in the provision of services and financial assistance to the applicant. Information provided by the household may be shared for the purpose of making decisions or verifying eligibility for assistance under the Ontario Disability Support Program Act (1997), Ontario Works Act (1997).

The Applicant consents to the verification, disclosure and transfer of information given on this form and attachments by or to any of the above entities and will provide any supporting material or documents.

Any questions relative to the collection of this information can be directed to the Fort William First Nation Housing Manager 90 Anemki Drive – Suite 200, Fort William First Nation, Ontario, P7J 1L3 (807-623-9543).

Signatures

Applicant's Signature

Date:

Co-Applicant's Signature

Date:



Nokiiwin
TRIBAL COUNCIL

Federal Indian Day School Claim Applications

Deadline: July 13, 2022



**Eligible claimants receive from
\$10,000 to \$200,000 in
compensation**

Eligible individuals must have
attended a "Schedule K" School
during the listed dates and suffered
abuse or harm while attending the
school

For **Class Counsel**, contact
Gowling WLG at **1-844-539-3815**

Nokiiwin Tribal Council is able to
provide assistance with claim applications
for members of:

- Animbiigoo Zaagi'igan Anishinaabek (Lake Nipigon Ojibway)
- Biinjitiwaabik Zaaging Anishinaabek (Rocky Bay First Nation)
- Bingwi Neyaashi Anishinaabek (Sandpoint First Nation)
- Netmizaaggamig Nishnaabeg (Pic Mobert First Nation)
- Fort William First Nation

To receive assistance please contact
Mitch Lavoie (Gladue Writer)
by phone at: **(807) 252-0223** or
email: **gladuewriter@nokiiwin.com**

For a list of eligible "Schedule K" Federal
Indian Day Schools or for further
information, visit indiandayschools.com



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2022/2023 POST SECONDARY APPLICATIONS

**2022/2023 Post-Secondary
Applications are now available.**

**Please send an email to request an
application OR find the application
on the official FWFN website
www.fwfn.com**


**EVERY student must apply each
year.**

**The deadline to submit the
application is
Friday May 27, 2022 by 4pm.**

For more information, contact:



Nokiiwin
TRIBAL COUNCIL



You are not alone.

Join Nokiiwin's Virtual Sharing Circles for Women

Every Monday, February 7 - March 28, from 1-3 PM *excluding Family Day, February 21*
Attendees are welcome to attend any or all circles.

We'll discuss...

Safety Planning

Cycle of Violence

Types of Violence

Medicine Wheel
Teachings

Healthy
Relationships

Traditional
Roles

Self-Care
& Affirmations



Joining Info

nokiwin.live/a2j-sharing-circles

Meeting ID: 878 9055 7564

Passcode: 633053

Call-In Number:
(587)-328-1099



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**FOR LEGAL ADVICE ON FAMILY LAW,
CRIMINAL LAW & General Inquires:**

Please Contact Nokiiwin's Community Legal Worker

Work Cell: 807-633-7404

Email: Legalworker@nokiiwin.com

Work Line (goes to email): 807-699-6215

The Community Legal Worker will assist in scheduling an appointment with Nokiiwin's Duty Counsel/Lawyer, or other appropriate services.

For the safety of our community members and staff, all in-person meetings will adhere to strict COVID-19 safety protocols (maintaining social distancing, wearing masks).



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FREE TAX CLINIC



MARCH 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4	5
FOR YOU TO REMEMBER! 18 years or older can claim taxes How far back we can go: 2010 What you will need: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Income Slips (T4, T5007) Heating cost receipts for the year of claim What returns are outstanding? Tuition (if applies to you)– Not a Priority Married or Common Law- Both need to attend Pension (if applies to you) Support Payments (if applies to you) If you need assistance or more information to be prepared for your appointment, please call CRA prior to coming in, 1-800-959-8281			ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST DROP-OFF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS AT THE ONTARIO WORKS OFFICE AND COMPLETE CONSENT FORM TO SUBMIT TO THE CRA VOLUNTEER Documents can also be emailed to KelseaPelletier@fwfn.com			
			8	9	10	11
			DROP-OFF DAYS: MONDAYS, WEDNESDAYS & FRIDAYS APPOINTMENT DAYS BY PHONE: FRIDAYS Please view income card below for eligibility			
			15	16	17	18
			22	23		19
			29	30		

Suggested Income Level from CRA Family Size

Total family income is under...

1 person	\$35,000
2 persons	\$45,000
3 persons	\$47,500
4 persons	\$50,000
5 persons	\$52,500

More than 5 persons \$52,500 plus \$2,500 for each additional person

For more information or to book a phone appointment please call 622-6791 or email KelseaPelletier@fwfn.com

CURIOUS about FWFN Restorative Justice Program?

The Restorative Justice Coordinator will be hosting 3 drop-in information sessions during the month of March

Thursday March 17, 24 & 31

Between 12:00- 2:30

Community Centre

Come find out about the program!

Take out lunch will be provided

Enter into weekly draws!

Masks will be required while in the building

**SAT, MARCH
26/2022**

1PM-6PM

FOOD DRIVE

SMALL MEAT PACKAGES

FOR FWFN ON RESERVE MEMBERS

ONE PER HOUSEHOLD

FIRST COME FIRST SERVE WHILE QUANTITIES LAST

*** NO REGISTRATION REQUIRED***

NO ALTERNATE DATE ONE DAY ONLY

*** DRIVE THROUGH PICK UP***

COMMUNITY HALL PARKING LOT

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT - 622-8802

MARCH
24TH



FWFN 55+ Elders Program

covid restrictions: masks
required.

START AT 1:30 PM / BINGO / FOOD / DRINKS
COMMUNITY HALL

CANCELLED

HAND DRUM MAKING & TEACHINGS PROGRAM



LEARN HOW TO MAKE A HAND DRUM AS WELL AS THE
TRADITIONAL TEACHINGS AND SONGS

HELD WEDNESDAYS & THURSDAYS
- MARCH 16TH, 17TH AND MARCH 23RD & 24TH -

**SUPPLIES KITS WILL BE PROVIDED TO THOSE THAT
REGISTER**

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO ATTEND OR HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CALL
@622-6791 ASK FOR HAILEY OR KELSEA - PLEASE REGISTER BY MARCH
14TH 2022 - SEATS ARE LIMITED!

Youth & Social Development



Virtual WELLNESS PROGRAM



7-17 yrs

This Month: MARCH
DIY Pizza Pretzels
Pretzels from Sarah & Dipitys
Limited Supplies



@Youth Centre

Wednesday Mar 30th
Pick-up 2pm - 7pm
Thursday Mar 31st
Zoom 5pm - 6pm



To Register Email:
MikaylaCollins@fwfn.com
Name, Age, Contact Number



**Fort William
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March

2022

Health Centre

622-8802

ALL PROGRAMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE, SORRY FOR ANY INCONVENIENCE! ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT THE HEALTH RECEPTION @ 622-8802

PLEASE STAY SAFE & HEALTHY 🍀



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Vaccine Clinic 5-17 years Mental Health & Addictions Food Program P/U 130-3pm	3	4	5 
6	7 Vaccine Clinic 18 plus Good Food Box due	8	9 Vaccine Clinic 5-17 years Mental Health & Addictions Food Program P/U 130-3pm	10	11	12
13	14 Family Program Vaccine Clinic 18 plus	15	16 Vaccine Clinic 5-17 years (call to book)	17 Good Food Box Pick up Saint Patrick's Day!!	18	19
20	21 Vaccine Clinic 18 plus	22	23 Vaccine Clinic 5-17 years (call to book)	24	25	26
27	28 Family Program Vaccine Clinic 18 plus	29	30 Vaccine Clinic 5-17 years (call to book)	31		
						



ONLINE YOGA

January
2022

February
2022

March
2022

Instructor Records Herself For you to Never Miss Out! Join Now & Yoga anywhere!!

To access the videos, input the following link in your Internet search bar
<https://app.namastream.com/yoga-4-all-online/buy/product/22557>

If you do not have an account already set up by following the instructions to create an account.
Then add the product by clicking the "Register Free Product" Button.

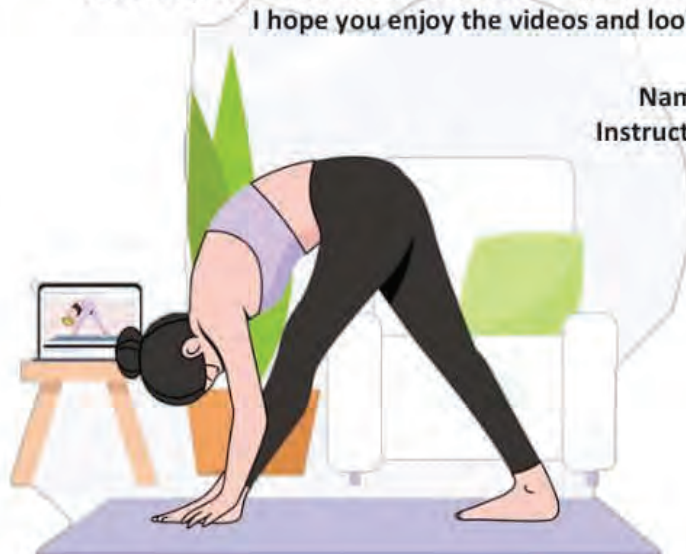
If you have already set up an account, all you need to do is click the "Register Free Product" button.
After to click the register free product button a window will open to show you your registration is successful. Then click View Product Button and you will arrive on the "About this Product" page. To view the variety of videos, click the Content tab, then click the video you would like to watch.

If you have any difficulties getting registered or access the video content in the product, please send me an email at yoga4all@shaw.ca or call me at 807-628-2870.

The videos range from 15 mins to 1 hour long. You can choose from chair yoga or on the mat yoga and can access the videos as often as you like. If there is something particular you would like to try but don't see it in the library content, please send me an email and request it and I will do my best to add it to the library for you.

I hope you enjoy the videos and look forward to seeing you on the mat!!

Namaste
Instructor Paula



Yoga 4 All

Need Extra Help ?

Recreation Team is Here to help!

Marnie: marniegreenwald@fwfn.com

Kalem: kalemgoodchild@fwfn.com



Dilico

Anishinabek Family Care

WALK-IN COUNSELLING CLINIC

Fort William First Nation
Every Wednesday from 4-8 PM

LOCATION:

200 Anemki

Family Health Team

RAAM back Entrance



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED



RENEWED CALL *This is a renewed call. COVID ER response put a temporary hold on our activity. If you volunteered previously, please reaffirm participation via email.*

FWFN is looking for community members, both on and off reserve to volunteer their time and voice on our Comprehensive Community Planning Advisory Committee. We are looking for Elders, Youth/Children, Women and Leadership to get involved. We are in the pre-planning phase of a monumental project that will establish a clear vision for our future and implementation of actions and projects to achieve this vision.

INTERESTED? Send email to address above
for more information.



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EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING

We are accepting applications for
2022 SUMMER STUDENT EMPLOYMENT

Eligible applicants must be:

- **FWFN Community Member**
- **Must have Social Insurance Number**
- **Currently enrolled in High School ****age 14-18**** (confirmation of enrolment required); or continuing education (acceptance letter/proof of enrolment required)**

****Deadline for applications MARCH 25, 2022 by 12:00PM****

***** Spots are limited and will be available on a first come, first served basis. Those who have already applied, need not apply again *****

Program runs July & August 2022

Please email resume and cover letter to email below

Contact: Andrew Zeleny, Student Placement Coordinator, if you have any questions.

Andrew is starting to plan early for Summer 2022 to ensure the program runs as smoothly as possible

AndrewZeleny@fwfn.com or 807-622-6971 ext. 317