

CURVE LAKE, ONTARIO K0L 1R0
NEWSLETTER

JANUARY 27, 2006

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COUNCIL MEETING

THE NEXT REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING WILL BE HELD ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 6TH AT 7:00 P.M. IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF THE GOVERNMENT SERVICES BUILDING.

SENIOR CITIZEN'S CENTRE LUNCHEON

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8TH

12:00 NOON.

MENU: LASAGNA

RON WAKEGJIG

RON WILL BE AT THE SENIOR CITIZEN'S BUILDING ON JANUARY 28TH AND 29TH. SPACES FILL UP QUICKLY SO TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT CALL GLORIA 657-8010 EARLY TO BOOK AN APPOINTMENT

FOR SALE

3 GALLONS OF BENJAMIN MOORE PAINT

TATE OLIVE, PEARL FINISH

VALUED AT \$150.00

WILL SELL FOR \$75.00

CALL SUSANNE SHAUGHNESSY

675-2482

MEMBERS

UPDATED HOUSING APPLICATIONS

DUE FEBRUARY 13TH

HOUSING COMMITTEE

HOUSING COMMITTEE MEMBERS

REQUIRED. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, CALL AND LEAVE YOUR NAME AT THE BAND OFFICE

657-8045

STATUS CARDS

STATUS CARDS ARE ISSUED ON WEDNESDAYS

AND THURSDAYS. NO APPOINTMENTS

NECESSARY BUT ENCOURAGED.

REMINDER: CHECK YOUR CHILDS(REN)

EXPIRY DATE ON THEIR STATUS CARDS.

COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX

PROGRAM

BRIAN MILLER WILL BE AT THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS ON TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 7TH AT 6:30 P.M. FOR THE COMMUNITY VOLUNTEER INCOME TAX TRAINING SESSION. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN ATTENDING, CALL AND LEAVE YOUR NAME AT THE BAND OFFICE 657-8045.

**A reminder from
the Membership Clerk...**



It is Little NHL time again...

Parents, please remember to check
the expiry date on your
child/children's
Status Card before the upcoming
Little NHL.

**Best of Luck to our Little NHL
Players!!**

Thank you

**Laurie Hockaday
A/Membership Clerk**

PLEASE REVIEW YOUR MORTGAGE AGREEMENT

If you have a mortgage with Curve Lake First Nation

and are

planning renovations to your home,

landscaping

or

additional buildings,

please remember that the terms of your

mortgage require the permission of Council

BEFORE

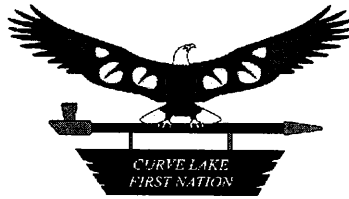
any work commences.

Requests for permission should be

submitted in writing to

David Jacobs – Capital Projects Coordinator





Posted:
January 25, 2006

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Under the authority of the Curve Lake First Nation Chief and Council, applications are now being accepted from status members of the Curve Lake First Nation for the following contract position:

EDUCATION OFFICER

DUTIES:

- ◆ Responsible for coordinating, developing and delivering support programs and services for students.
- ◆ Responsible for providing personal development and counseling for students or liaison with outside agencies to make referrals for students as required.
- ◆ Assist students in the transition from intermediate to high school, and the transition into post secondary.
- ◆ Perform such other related duties as required by the Manager of Education.

TERMS OF EMPLOYMENT: Start date ASAP. The rate of pay is commensurate with experience, based on 32 hours per week and will be a flexible workweek as evening work may be required. Contract is a short term position of approximately five weeks.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Basic Requirements: Applicant MUST provide verification with application.

- ❖ A degree/diploma in the educational or related field or relevant work experience.
- ❖ Teaching experience considered an asset.
- ❖ Two (2) years relevant work experience dealing with students in an educational setting.
- ❖ Use of reliable vehicle.

Education Officer cont'd

Rated Requirements: (Will be rated in the assessment of the resume and during the interview)

Knowledge: (To Be Tested)

- ❖ Knowledge of child/youth development, special needs and behaviour management.
- ❖ Good working knowledge of education and community support services available to students of all ages.
- ❖ Experience working with computers.
- ❖ Data base management would be a definite asset.
- ❖ Understanding of the Anishinaabe language would be an asset.
- ❖ Proficiency in secondary school Math and English.

Abilities:

- ❖ Ability to evaluate the progress and achievement of students.
- ❖ Excellent organizational, analytical, and communication skills both written and verbal.
- ❖ Ability to work closely with educational institutions and other government and community agencies.
- ❖ Must be able to work as a member of a team and also independently as required, based on the needs of the students, schools and organizations.

Personal Suitability:

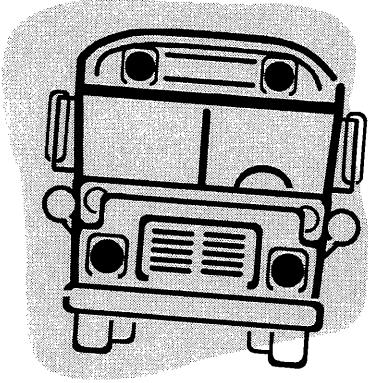
- ❖ Strong appreciation of and empathy with, the needs of children.
- ❖ Exhibit a high degree of initiative and self-direction.
- ❖ Must enjoy working with and being with students of all ages.
- ❖ Possess well-developed interpersonal skills; works in a positive, sensitive and co-operative manner.
- ❖ Provides leadership, encouragement and support.
- ❖ Appreciation for the needs for confidentiality, tact and discretion is a must.

Application:

Please submit covering letter, resume, applications form and names of two (2) recent employment references with one being an immediate supervisor to:

Shelley Fife, Manager of Education
Curve Lake First Nation, Curve Lake, Ont. K0L 1R0
Fax: (705) 657-8708

Deadline for Applications: FRIDAY, February 10TH, 2006 AT 12:00 NOON
Late Applications can not be considered. Only qualified applicants will be contacted for interviews. The successful candidate must provide a CPIC.



REMINDER

SCHOOL BUS CANCELLATIONS

**Where inclement weather or
other circumstances require that
our school bus runs be cancelled**

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**Ellwood Hamilton Buslines will
announce on all local radio
stations that “Curve Lake Runs”
“1, 2 or 3” are cancelled if such is
the case – often, they simply say
“All Curve Lake Runs”.**

- 1 – Wendy’s run to Ridpath**
- 2 – LDSS School Bus**
- 3 - Curve Lake School Bus**

And the Winner is?

Well! Well! Here we are again and it's about time. I promised to write more of the activities and some of the history of the Scugog Island Mississauga's and their culture and heritage. The First Nation Reservation is located on what we call, the foot of the island, and is surrounded by farms of the Settlers a portion or a parcel land that we call "shcun-ie-guon". The reason I say "we" is because we are all hooked up with the Rice Lake reserve and the Curve Lake reserve some way, we all own the islands on the Stoney Lake, Buckhorn Lake, Lovesick Lake and Pigeon Lake. So they all have a say in the ownership, by the way "shcun-ie-guon" in our Ojibwe means leaving a tiny little place, they left for us by our governments, although Scugog reserve is a relatively a large acreage reserve. A lot of farm land was sold off in the forties and fifties. One of the big farms was sold to a prominent politician by the name of Mr. J. Albright. This is close enough to his real name, they say they gave him the farm way below the real estate price, but some time on the reserve you can purchase land at a lower rate. In this case, the outsider was in favour to purchase the farm instead of their own First Nation people. They tried to keep the farm and to let it be a part of the reservation for good, but sometimes you cannot buck the leaders and elders, they know best. So! Case closed, sometimes they would hold you back just to show you who is boss. This was the case in this deal, but sometimes the one you favoured becomes very uncooperative, sometimes a man with influence maybe because of their inebriation or just temper tantrums in this dilemma. This man was very ineffective in the stopping or delaying the progress of the First Nation peoples project. He was more unsuccessful after they boycotted his establishment. Anyway, there is often disagreement and dissention even with the rank and file, they were stirring and bickering, as in this project, self determination won out under the jurisdiction and guidance of Mr. G. Edgar. That was a new challenge for all of the Mississauga's for that matter. Now! There living a different life style anyhow.

They were always part of the yuppie generation and with great athletic abilities. Mr. G. Edgar was the recipient of the great Tom Longboat Trophy, a legendary figure in my view, and a great honour even to hold one, to obtain and win one is a great lifetime achievement for any athlete, period. We have great athletes in our reservation when it comes to pitching greats. Mr. O. C. McCue won the horseshoe pitching in Lakefield over the twenty-four teams that were involved. That is a great achievement after all he's only eighty four years young, that's my brother, and I am so proud of him. And there is Mr. Ian Knott, he's one of the all time greats, ten strike outs in a row, and then there's the young Bungie Coppaway, and Craig McCue, terrific pitchers in fast ball. The two riders James McCue and Zac McCue, they have to be superior horsemen, we are so proud of them. You know the list goes on just too numerous to mention.

