

Kawartha Area First Nations and Other Indigenous Events Calendar

2018 - 2019

Local Public Events – confirmed dates

2018	Event
June 1	Nogojwanong-Peterborough Reconciliation Gathering Millennium Park. Theme: Learning and Celebrating Our Relationship with the Earth – Highlighting Indigenous Knowledge. Information: www.tinyurl.com/y8r8o7z7 ; Contacts: Elder Shirley Williams siwilliams@trentu.ca or Linda Slavin lslavin@nexicom.net
June 21	There is usually ceremony at Kinomaage-Waapkong “The Rocks That Teach” (Petroglyphs Provincial Park). 12 noon. Pot luck finger foods appreciated.
June 21	First Nations Art Show. 1 – 4 pm. Whetung Ojibwa Centre, 875 Mississauga St. Curve Lake First Nation. Info: https://www.whetung.com/pages/special-events
June 22	Educational Pow Wow at Whetung’s. 10 am – 2:30 pm. Whetung Ojibwa Centre, 875 Mississauga St. Curve Lake First Nation. Info: https://www.whetung.com/pages/special-events
Jul 11	Habitat Stewardship & Interpretive Garden Volunteer Work Day #2. Alderville Black Oak Savanna. 12 – 3 pm. Registration requested. For more info: www.alderillesavanna.ca/events .
July 4	Stories Behind Squares. Pre-conference workshop with Alice Olsen Williams, 9:45 am – 4 pm. Cost \$150. Part of the Storytellers of Canada July 5-8 2018. Trent University. Information: www.storytellers-conteurs.ca
Jul 14-15	Alderville First Nation 24th Annual Pow Wow. Pow Wow grounds, 5787 Roseneath Landing Rd. Alderville First Nation. Contact vniles@alderville.ca
Aug 15	Habitat Stewardship & Interpretive Garden Volunteer Work Day #3. Alderville Black Oak Savanna. 12 – 3 pm. Registration requested. For more info: www.alderillesavanna.ca/events .
Aug 18,19	Summer Art Show. 9 am – 5 pm. Whetung Ojibwa Centre, 875 Mississauga St. Curve Lake First Nation. Info: https://www.whetung.com/pages/special-events
Aug 26 - 31	Adventure in Understanding. 2018 Canoe Trip. A Kawartha Rotary 6 day, 5 night, 100 km canoe-based experience for First Nation & non-native youth from 16-18 years of age. Info: https://portal.clubrunner.ca/220/page/adventure-in-understanding-1
Sept 8	Habitat Stewardship & Interpretive Garden Volunteer Work Day #4. Alderville Black Oak Savanna. 12 – 3 pm. Registration requested. For more info: www.alderillesavanna.ca/events .
Sep 15-16	Curve Lake First Nation Pow Wow. (third weekend in September) For info: http://www.curvelakefirstnation.ca/tourism-and-culture/
Sept 22	Prairie Day. Alderville Black Oak Savanna, 8467 County Road 18, Alderville, Ontario K0K 2X0 10:30 am – 3:30 pm. For info: http://www.alderillesavanna.ca/event/prairie-day-2018-2/

ONGOING EVENTS – CONTACT THE SOURCE TO CONFIRM

- Each Tues** **Women’s Hand Drumming Drop-In.** For all women of any experience level. Every Tuesday evening. 1097 Water Street @ Nijkiwendidaa Anishnaabekweg Services Circle 5 – 7 pm. For information:
- Each Wed** **Weekly Grandmothers Luncheon.** Lunch and talking circle. 1097 Water Street @ Nijkiwendidaa Anishnaabekweg Services Circle.. For information contact head grandmother, Linda Richardson. (705) 743-7963.
- Each Sat** **Nitaawe. Culture and Language Program.** 1097 Water Street @ Nijkiwendidaa Anishnaabekweg Services Circle.11 am – 1 pm. For information contact head office (705) 741-0900.

Each Wed	Ojibway Language Classes. 360 George Street North, Unit 6, Peterborough Square, Lower Level. 10 am – 12 noon. For information, contact: Peterborough Native Language Programme (705) 741-0798.
Re-opening, spring 2018	Kinomaage-Waapkong “The Rocks That Teach” (Petroglyphs Provincial Park) . 10 am – 5 pm. 2249 Northey’s Bay Rd., Woodview K0L 3E0. For information: http://www.curvelakefirstnation.ca/tourism-and-culture/petroglyphs.php
In general	Nogojwanong Friendship Centre. 580 Cameron St. Their website is http://www.nogofc.ca/ for further info re. programmes they offer.
Occasional Tuesdays	Tuesday Nights Traditional Teaching. Trent University, school term only. in the Ernie and Florence Benedict Gathering Space (Gzowski College) GCS 102, from 6 – 8 pm. For information: First People’s House of Learning. fphl@trentu.ca . Twitter: @fphltrentu FB: https://www.facebook.com/FirstPeoplesHouseOfLearning

Note: If you are planning to attend a Pow wow and have not attended before, you might like to look at the following brochure, section on Pow Wow etiquette. <http://www.curvelakefirstnation.ca/documents/powwow%20brochure%20-%20KC%20Edits.pdf>

Links for other events:

For cultural events at Curve Lake First Nation: <http://www.curvelakefirstnation.ca/tourism-and-culture/>
Curve Lake Pow Wow takes place each year on the third weekend in September.

For cultural events at Hiawatha First Nation: <http://www.hiawathafirstnation.com/>
Hiawatha Pow Wow takes place May 19-20 2018 (in general each year on the May 24th weekend). Email: info@hiawathafn.ca
<http://www.hiawathafirstnation.com/>

For cultural events at Alderville First Nation: <http://alderville.ca/> and www.aldervillesavanna.ca

For events at Trent University, First People’s House of Learning, follow us on Facebook:
Facebook.com/FirstPeoplesHouseofLearning or <http://www.trentu.ca/fphl/>

For events at Fleming College and Nijkwewenanda, but usually open to all, check calendar at <https://teamup.com/ks109dbe50c141cb82> or contact Kylie Fox, Fleming Aboriginal Student Services Coordinator at kylie.fox@flemingcollege.ca. The calendar indicates which events are open to the public.

For events at Nijkiwendidaa Anishnabekwag Services Circle (NASC), check the calendar at <http://www.nijki.com/programs.html>

Look for the lectures in a series ‘A Sense of Place: Perspectives on Relationship to Land and Water in the Kawarthas’ co-hosted by Kawartha Land Trust and Trent University. For information: <http://kawarthalandtrust.org/> or <http://www.trentu.ca/newsevents/news>

Events in Other Places to Note in 2018

For events in and around **Toronto**, get on the circulation list for HIP (Honouring Indigenous Peoples) Newsletter. Contact: Julie Dunaiskis julie@eccgroup.ca

Also for a calendar of Toronto Indigenous events, contact AIWG @ REDEEMER aiwg.redeemer@gmail.com