

# Kawartha Area First Nations and Other Indigenous Events Calendar 2017

## Local Public Events – confirmed dates

2017, Date	Event
<b>ONGOING EVENTS – CONTACT THE SOURCE TO CONFIRM</b>	
Each Tues	<b>Women's Hand Drumming Drop-In.</b> For all women of any experience level. Every Tuesday evening. 1097 Water Street @ Nijkiwendidaa Anishnaabekwewag Services Circle 5 – 7 pm. For information:
Each Wed	<b>Weekly Grandmothers Luncheon.</b> Lunch and talking circle. 1097 Water Street @ Nijkiwendidaa Anishnaabekwewag Services Circle.. For information contact head grandmother, Linda Richardson. (705) 743-7963.
Each Sat	<b>Nitaawe. Culture and Language Program.</b> 1097 Water Street @ Nijkiwendidaa Anishnaabekwewag Services Circle. 11 am – 1 pm. For information contact head office (705) 741-0900.
Each Wed	<b>Ojibway Language Classes.</b> 360 George Street North, Unit 6, Peterborough Square, Lower Level. 10 am – 12 noon. For information, contact: Peterborough Native Language Programme (705) 741-0798.
1st Tues of each month	<b>The Migizi Series</b> Bedford House. 551 Aylmer St. N. 7 – 9 pm. Talks with Indigenous Community Leaders and Activists about the role of spirituality in social justice. For information: <a href="mailto:bedfordhouse551@gmail.com">bedfordhouse551@gmail.com</a>
Re-opening, spring 2017	<b>Kinomaage-Waapkong “The Rocks That Teach” (Petroglyphs Provincial Park)</b> . 10 am – 5 pm. 2249 Northey's Bay Rd., Woodview K0L 3E0. For information: <a href="http://www.curvelakefirstnation.ca/tourism-and-culture/petroglyphs.php">http://www.curvelakefirstnation.ca/tourism-and-culture/petroglyphs.php</a>
In general	<b>Nogojwanong Friendship Centre.</b> 580 Cameron St. Their website is <a href="http://www.nogofc.ca/">http://www.nogofc.ca/</a> for further info re. programmes they offer.
Occasional Tuesdays	<b>Tuesday Nights Traditional Teaching.</b> 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. <a href="mailto:fpnl@trentu.ca">fpnl@trentu.ca</a> . Twitter: @fpnl_trentu FB: <a href="https://www.facebook.com/FirstPeoplesHouseOfLearning">https://www.facebook.com/FirstPeoplesHouseOfLearning</a>
June 21	<b>Aboriginal Art Show.</b> Whetung Ojibwa Centre. Curve Lake. 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. “. . . we celebrate the artistic endeavours of our native people. We share with you our history, our culture, and our heritage as we honour National Aboriginal Day.” For more information: <a href="http://www.whetung.com/pages/special-events">http://www.whetung.com/pages/special-events</a>
June 22	<b>Educational Pow Wow at Whetung's,</b> Whetung Ojibwa Centre. Curve Lake. 10am to 2:30 p.m. “To celebrate our National Aboriginal Day” For more information: <a href="http://www.whetung.com/pages/special-events">http://www.whetung.com/pages/special-events</a>
June 24	<b>National Aboriginal Day Celebration.</b> Dana Paudash Memorial Ball Park, 126 Paudash Street, Hiawatha First Nation. For more info: Email: <a href="mailto:info@hiawathafn.ca">info@hiawathafn.ca</a> or website: <a href="http://www.hiawathafirstnation.com/">http://www.hiawathafirstnation.com/</a>
July 8 & 9	<b>Alderville First Nation Pow Wow .</b> 5787 Roseneath Landing Road. For more information, check out their website: <a href="http://alderville.ca/sample-page/blog/">http://alderville.ca/sample-page/blog/</a>
July 15 & 16	<b>Scugog First Nation Pow Wow.</b> For more information, check out their website: <a href="http://scugogfirstnation.com/Public/Pow-Wow">http://scugogfirstnation.com/Public/Pow-Wow</a>
August 19 & 20	<b>Summer Art Show.</b> Whetung Ojibwa Centre. Curve Lake. For more information: <a href="http://www.whetung.com/pages/special-events">http://www.whetung.com/pages/special-events</a>
August 19 & 20	<b>Rama First Nation Pow Wow.</b> More info on their Facebook page <a href="https://www.facebook.com/RamaPowWow">https://www.facebook.com/RamaPowWow</a>
August 22 - 27	<b>Living and Learning.</b> A land based language and culture course exploring Anishinaabemowin through experiential learning in a five-day camp. Location: Mazinawgamiig (Bon Echo Provincial Park). Open to community members and students from other universities. Contact: Elder Shirley Williams <a href="mailto:siwilliams@trentu.ca">siwilliams@trentu.ca</a> or Chris Welter: <a href="mailto:cwelter@trentu.ca">cwelter@trentu.ca</a>
Sept 16 & 17	<b>Curve Lake First Nation Pow Wow.</b> For more info: website: <a href="http://www.curvelakefirstnation.ca">www.curvelakefirstnation.ca</a>

**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 each year on the May 24<sup>th</sup> weekend. Email: [info@hiawathafn.ca](mailto:info@hiawathafn.ca) <http://www.hiawathafirstnation.com/>

**For cultural events at Alderville First Nation:** <http://www.aldervillefirstnation.ca/> and [www.aldervillesavanna.ca](http://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 Nijikwewenanda,** check calendar at <https://teamup.com/ks109dbe50c141cb82> or contact Kylie Fox, Fleming Aboriginal Student Services Coordinator at [kylie.fox@flemingcollege.ca](mailto:kylie.fox@flemingcollege.ca). The calendar indicates which events are open to the public.

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 2017**

Date	Location	<b>Name of Event.</b> Website and/or contact name and email
March 2017 (continuous intake?)		Online Course through the University of Alberta. Indigenous Canada is a 12-lesson Massive Open Online Course (MOOC) that explores Indigenous histories and contemporary issues in Canada, key issues facing Indigenous peoples today highlighting national and local Indigenous-settler relations. For more information, <a href="https://www.coursera.org/learn/indigenous-canada">https://www.coursera.org/learn/indigenous-canada</a>
June 25 2017 ??	Toronto	<b>Sacred Water Walk.</b> (with the support of Trent U Indigenous Studies and Indigenous Environmental Studies programs. For more info contact: Ecologos. <a href="http://www.ecologos.ca">www.ecologos.ca</a> )