



WHAT'S REALLY GOIN' ON!!!

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CANOE CLASS ON THE GO!!!

The Fond-du-Lac Ojibway School is having their Annual Canoe Races on September 25, at Molstead's Resort. This Canoe Race is sponsored by the Fond-Du-Lac Ojibway School Canoe Class for the students and surrounding communities.

On September 25, at 9am students and staff will race against one another until 12pm. Some of the races or relays are the two man, three man race, four man relay, and the six man relay. Everyone should come ready to enjoy a wonderful time racing each other. After the racing the Canoe Class will be sponsoring a barbecue for everyone.

During the races games and other activities will be played for the youth. The Pow-Wow that is being held is also for this event.

These activities will be the beginning of a joyful year. So don't miss this for the world!

By: JoeAnn VanNett



Come join the fun! Canoe races, Pow-Wow, feast, and games. Everyone welcome. A canoe will also be raffled off Wednesday, September 25, at Molsteads Resort.

Pow Wow & Feast.....

By Amy LeGore

The Fond-du-Lac Ojibwe School will be hosting a Pow-wow on Wednesday the 25th of this month. This will be held after the canoe races at Molsteads (same place as the canoe races) from 12:00-4:30. George Dick will be assisted by two students to be the M.C.'s for this event. Joe Martineau has taken on the task of being arena director with two students from the school. The host drum is none other than the Fond-du-Lac Ojibwe School Singers. A variety of local drums will be singing at the Pow-Wow as well. Warm-ups will begin at 12:00pm and grand entry will start at 1:00p.m. A feast will also be provided for all that attend the canoe races and Pow-Wow. The Pow-Wow committee will be honored if they can see your face at the pow-wow. (Yes You!).

The community is also strongly encouraged to participate in these events. Hope to see you all there!!

Transitional Learning Center By Jared Swader

The TLC room is an alternative to suspension. When Kim Grandberg, Ojibwe High School principal, would ask students what they did while on suspension and it sounded like suspension from school was not a lesson to the students. So they came up with the TLC room where students learn behavioral skills.

"Behavioral improvements not punishment", says Jerry Ojibway who brings

Health and Wellness to the room. Students should be held responsible for his/her own actions, and the staff is able to help them overcome the problem. Before they process the problem they like to find out both sides of the story. When I asked Alvin Reynolds what he thought about the room he said, "It's weak and boring. You just sit and do your work." The TLC room is not only for behavioral problems. see TLC page 2

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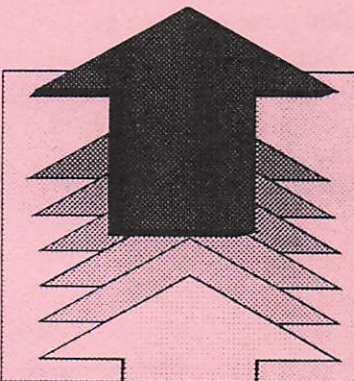
TLC cont.

it's also a place for when you get overwhelmed or frustrated with your work or your teachers.

Construction Continues in front of School.

THE FOND-DU-LAC CONSTRUCTION COMPANY HAS BEEN CREATING SOME PROBLEMS FOR OJIBWE SCHOOL STUDENTS. THE REDOING OF THE ROAD IS CAUSING THE HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT'S TO GET DROPPED OFF AT THE LITTLE BLACK BEAR SCHOOL INSTEAD OF THE HIGH SCHOOL. BECAUSE OF THAT STUDENTS HAVE TO WALK UP TO HIGH THE SCHOOL IN MUD AND LOTS OF DUST. THE CONSTRUCTION CREW HAS BEEN WORKING ON IT ALL SUMMER LONG AND ARE GOING TO BE DONE BY OCTOBER 1ST. I GUESS WE GOTTA PUT UP WITH IT FOR A COUPLE MORE WEEKS.

BY ALEX HERNANDEZ



Ogichida Football Begins!!!

The Fond-du-Lac Ojibwe School Football team (Ogichidas) started off the 1996 season with a loss at Pillager on Tuesday September 10th. The boys gave it their all but, according to the starting quarterback Alvin Reynolds, ' We just couldn't move the ball down the field for a touchdown.' Although the boys suffered a tough loss, they have more games to come. The upcoming games during the month of September are:

16th @ Hill City 4:30p
23rd @ Cromwell 5:30p
30th @ Wrenshall 4:00 P

The football coaches are Joe Curran and Jeff Nolte.

(October dates to be determined.)

BY LEAH GOODWIN

In the next issue we will have the Volleyball & Football players names, so keep on reading!!!

SUPPORT YOUR STUDENT ATHLETES

The "1996" Volleyball Team Schedule

Sept 12 3:00 p.m
LCO / Home

Sept 16 2:00 p.m
H.O.T.E / Away

Sept 17 2:00 p.m
Red Lake / Home

Sept 19 3:00 p.m
W. Earth / Home

Sept 24 3:00p.m
Bug school/Away

Sept 26 3:00 p.m
Mille lacs/ Home

Oct 3 2:00 p.m
Red Lake/Away

Oct 8 3:30 p.m
LCO / Away

Oct 10 3:00 p.m
Mille Lacs/Away

Oct 15 3:00 p.m
Bug school/Home

Oct 17 3:00 p.m
W. Earth/Away

Oct 21 TBA
Oct 23 Conference
tourney/Mille
Lacs/TBA

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ONE PLAYERS VIEW ON UPCOMING SEASON

Our goals for the VolleyBall season are to be undefeated and also to be confident about ourselves, to never let anything get us down while we are on any gym floor. Also, to always go to practice, even if you think you are good, everyone needs to practice a little more. As far as being undefeated, we don't know for sure if we'll be undefeated, but the "1996" Volleyball team will try our hardest, and try to be the 1st place winners in the Mille Lacs school tournament! WE ARE "#1"

JESSICA URRUTIA



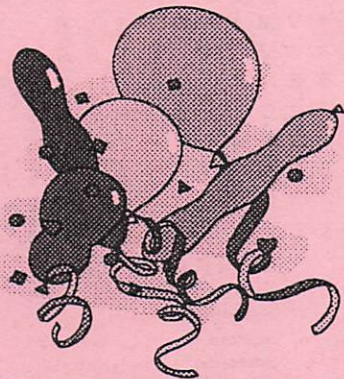
OJS WELCOMES NEW STUDENTS

The Fond-Du-Lac Ojibwe Junior class would like to welcome the returning and new students. There has been many changes for the students and staff this past year. This years new students are:

Grade Six: Chaz Legore
Allen Goggeley
Samantha Reynolds
Grade Seven: Maria VahNett
George "Joe" Dick Jr.
Bernadette "Beda" Rider
Amanda Defoe
Rasheem Figaro
Ben Martin
Lisa Martin
Darryk Martineau
Grade Eight: Renita Holmes
Burton Rider
Brooke Copa
Feather Thompson
Grade Nine: Nicholas durfee
Brandon Legore
Michelle Dick
Grade Ten: Belva Polonia

For those who I may have missed, please excuse me.

By Melissa Urrutia



STUDENTS RESEED LAKE FOR RESERVATION

On Tuesday the 17th of September Junior Korby, Azhibik Aubid, Jared Swader, and advisors Joe Martineau and John Henry will be ricing up north on Cabin Lake, by Isabella. These boys will also be staying the night in a cabin. They will be up north until Thursday. On Thursday the guys plan to come back to Fond-du-Lac to reseed on Liona Lake(which is Northeast of Rice Lake.)

The purpose for doing this project is to bring the rice from Cabin Lake and replant it in Liona Lake. By reseeding Liona Lake it will make it possible for the lake to have a thicker growth for next season.

Junior Korby put together this project for his English, Science, and an elective credit. It is also part of a Service Learning Project for the community.

GOOD JOB FELLAS!!

BY JARED
SWADER

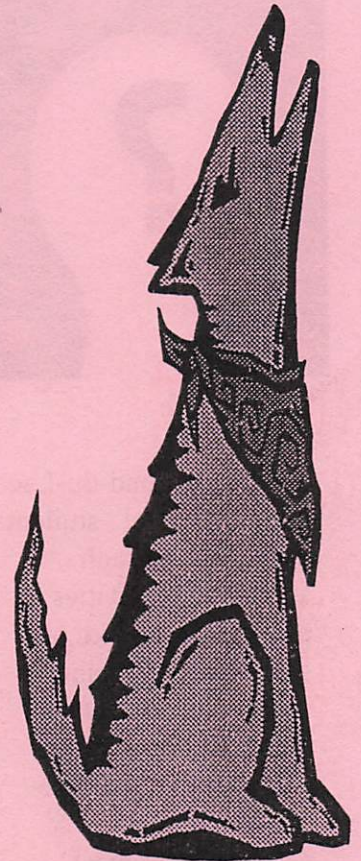
(Amy LeGore contributed to this article also.)

11TH GRADE UPDATE

BY DAN
LAFAVE

The 11th Grade at the Fond du Lac Ojibwe school is doing a fund raiser for prom night. We tried a car wash on Friday the 13th but the water main at pizza hut broke. Is this a bad omen from Friday the 13th or what? We will be doing a 50 50 raffle soon. Any ideas for fund raisers would help us for a bigger prom dance.

Miigwech



THE BALLOTS ARE IN!!!

The 1996-1997 school year student council representatives have been picked. They are as follows:

6th grade--Heather Diver
7th grade-- to be announced
8th grade-- to be announced
9th grade-- Brandon Legore
10th grade-- Pat Defoe
11th grade-- Amy Legore
12th grade-- Dale Peacock

All student council meetings are held after school from 2:30-3:00. The new members already have issues they have to discuss on their first meeting, which is Wednesday the 18th of September. The issues that they will be focused on are raising money for the homecoming. Also, an election will be held to vote to determine which student council member will represent the student body on the schoolboard. The student council advisor will be Lisa Oji again for year two. Thank you Lisa!!

by Amy LeGore

EDITORIAL AND OPINION PAGE



Inner Voice

At Fond-du-Lac Ojibwe School, students don't have enough stimulating activities to participate in. Not all students enjoy being involved in the sports that are being offered. Other clubs should be offered for more personal enjoyment. Such as a girls talking group, boys talking group, travel club, culture club, math or science club, track team, and educational clubs. These groups should be offered as curriculum clubs not classes. These clubs could take place after school like any normal club would.

Clubs like these may give students a reason to attend school on a regular basis. These clubs will also help students become more involved in school and give them a sense of school participation.

JoeAnn VanNett

Dee-Rap



I got the funky rhyme but what's on my mind
 is a message to Kim she's the principal and you all know what I'm about to say
 maybe you don't I want to know why a funeral can't be an excuse
 it's like abuse to your head
 just know your homies dead
 like my uncle Fred
 now I got 5 days this school is like a maze
 what if someone was on their last day
 all you can do is sit back and cry
 let the teardrop fall from the eye
 and you wonder why because you lost two things
 school
 and the one who died just sit back and realize
 before you make the rules
 before you get the blues this ain't a job
 it's a school you come to learn
 before you get burnt by someone who knows more than you!

Darrell Shabaish

Lockers Rooms Needed

The Fond-du-Lac Ojibwe school teams need new locker rooms. The locker rooms that they provide is not efficient enough. The lockers are too small, showers are not clean, and there is no paper towels to dry your hands. I talked with Royce Sam and he said "the lockers aren't big enough for all of our equipment and the showers don't have curtains."

The teams said things are always getting stolen or lost. Everyone is always missing something. We're always looking around for things before games and practice. This is something our school teams should not have to worry about. The school should provide our teams with efficient locker rooms because we are representing the Fond-du-Lac Ojibwe School.

Alvin Reynolds

STUDENT SUPER SEARCH!!!

Find all hidden words in puzzle. The first 5 correct puzzles turned in receives a free pop

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