

Saginaw Chippewa Tribal Housing Department

May, Memorial day weekend!



Mno Gazhi Giizhigad (Happy Mother's Day)

M'no D'blishkaan!

- Damien Duvall 5/2
- Kaidyn Gross 5/2
- Daniel O'Berry 5/2
- Renata Borton 5/7
- Isabella Arbogast 5/8
- Roxanna Szabo 5/10
- Ernest Chookomolin 5/11
- Justin Bennett 5/12
- Jennifer Sylvester 5/13
- Logan Lehman 5/16
- David Paquin 5/26
- Tara Hunt 5/26
- Mycahh Lehman 5/27
- Miranda Wagner 5/28
- Jaime Guzman 5/28
- Mary Green-Mott 5/31

I know Mother's Day can be a hard time for people, so if this is not the day for you, I understand. I lost my beautiful mother in September 2020, right before losing my father in December 2020. Grief is a roller coaster and I want you to know you are not alone.

If you happen to be the lucky ones who still have their mother here, cherish her! Celebrate, go out to eat, get her flowers, get her a card, or simply tell her "I love you." Spend time with your mother, get to know her favorite color, song, food, and have her teach you how to make her favorite dish or how to sew a ribbon skirt or shirt. Record her voice and record lots of videos that you will be able to look back on. I wish

someone had told me these things before it was too late to think of.

I want to personally tell all the wonderful, beautiful mothers out there, Happy Mother's Day! I know how hard you work, whether you are a working mom, a stay-at-home mom, a student mom, or an all the above mom. I see you; I understand you, and you are more than enough. If your kids are healthy, have a roof over their head, and food in their bellies you are doing more than you think. Today is your day, so make the most of it, be grateful, and have fun. You deserve to feel happiness and be pampered at least ONE day out of the year. Treat yourself if you must. Smile :)



Alexis Pelcher (my mother) and me (Miranda Pelcher-Miley)

What is happening ?!

DRUMS Out
"Singing for Healing"

Tuesday Evenings
7 - 9 p.m. | 7th Generation Ceremony Building
7785 E. River Rd., Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

- Come together for sharing of knowledge around the drum.
- All are welcome, from beginners to experienced.
- Parent or guardian must accompany children.
- If you have been feeling ill, please refrain from attending.

For more information, please call 989.775.4780

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Tuesday Evenings 7-9 PM
@ 7th Generation

Honoring, Healing & Remembering

Join us on the 89th anniversary of the Mt. Pleasant Indian Industrial Boarding School closing. We recognize the suffering, strength and resilience of the children through a day of memorial and fellowship.

Save the date!
Tuesday, June 6, 2023

- Student Roll Call
- Guest speakers
- Sunrise ceremony
- Breakfast and lunch provided

For more information, please contact:
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@ MIIBS

39th Annual Saginaw Chippewa POWWOW
Mnoodamadas Waaenchiwebak "Honoring our Future"

Save the Date!
July 28, 29 & 30, 2023

Saginaw Chippewa Tribal Campground
7525 E. Tomah Rd., Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

For more information, please contact:
SCT Powwow Committee at 989.775.4000 or PowwowCommittee@sagchip.org

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July 28, 29, & 30, 2023
@ The Hill

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Say out loud "I am worthy, I am loved,
I am enough, and today will be a great
day!"

We're on the Web!
www.sagchip.org

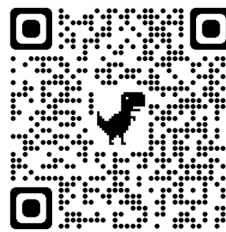
Are you interested in submitting something to the Housing Newsletter?!

- A poem
- A short story
- Share a birthday photo/shout out
- Event

Please email me at MiPelcher@sagchip.org for submissions.

Of course, **FREE** of charge.

I hope you have all enjoyed this new newsletter lately, if you have any suggestions for topics or events please LMK. Thank you :)



*Saginaw Chippewa Tribal College (SCTC)
Register for Fall 2023, schedule is out
NOW!*

QR Code:

Open camera on your phone, point at the image/square and a link will pop up. Click the link to go directly to the website.

More things happening...



**Second Friday each month
May through August**

► May 12 ► June 9 ► July 14 ► Aug. 11

5-7 p.m. | Andahwod CCC & ES
(2910 S Leaven Rd., Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858)

- Free and open to the public, no registration required
- Music
- Water and pop will be available for donation.
- You must wear a mask to use the bathroom inside the building
- Event will be cancelled if raining

For more information, please contact: Denise Pelcher at 989-775-4339 or depelcher@sagchip.org



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May 12, June 9, July 14, Aug 11
5-7 PM @ Andahwod



FREE TREE GIVEAWAY

Wednesday, May 17, 2023

10:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.
(or until trees are gone)

SCIT Tribal Housing Garage
2451 Nish Na Be Anong Rd.

For more information, please contact:
Planning department staff at 989-775-4014

Benefits:

- 1) Improves water quality
- 1) Contributes to urban cooling through shade and reduced energy demands
- 1) Reduces soil erosion
- 1) Works pollutants and stormwater runoff
- 1) Removes carbon dioxide from the atmosphere
- 1) Provides habitat for wildlife
- 1) Promotes community involvement and awareness

*Program funded by the Great Lakes Restoration Initiative (GLRI) & the Bureau of Indian Affairs



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On April 5, 2023
The Saginaw Chippewa Tribal College hosted a ground breaking ceremony at the new SCTC Main Campus Building Renovation!

REMINDER!

*Reservation Household Clean Up
Saturday, May 20, 2023
9:00 AM- 12:00 PM
Saginaw Chippewa Academy Parking
Lot
In case of rain, will be held following
day*