HAPPY NEW E-Noodagan YEAR 2020!! E-Noodagan

from the Ziibiwing Center

- **Mnidoo-Giizis** (Spirit Moon) **January**, 2020
- HOLIDAY NOTE: Ziibiwing will remain OPEN on Martin Luther King Jr. Day on Monday, January 20, 2020 (except the research center will be closed)
- **CONGRATULATIONS** Delmar Jackson, Jr. Ziibiwing's Volunteer of the Month for January, 2020

## **JANUARY EVENTS:**

- Storytelling at 7<sup>th</sup> Generation Co-sponsored by Ziibiwing January 16, 2020 • 3pm-6pm
- Anishinabe Spirit World Teaching at Ziibiwing January 23, 2020 • 9am-1pm
- Anishinabe Performance Circle Signup and first class January 28, 2020 • 5:30pm-6:30pm



Delmar Jackson Jr.

As we turn the page on last year we look back and see a 2019 with many wonderful and happy moments shared between the Ziibiwing staff and friends and the entire community who have visited with us or taken part in events here at the center. You might have gotten involved with a community event or workshop, took a tour of the museum or witnessed a repatriation burial ceremony. Maybe you became a new member last year or renewed your membership and continued to support us and our culture in that way. Maybe you connected with us thru social media. Perhaps you visited the gift shop here at the center or online. We are truly grateful for every connection, every bit of assistance, each act of kindness and any interest in helping us to keep our culture, our center and our people strong and relevant in this ever-changing world. The annual report of our last fiscal year is available in the latest Tribal Observer newspaper or feel free to contact us to provide one to you via mail or email. We are very proud of the accomplishments shown there and thank everyone who contributed to make it happen. We also acknowledge the times of heartache and loss - those sad realities in an ephemeral world and a flexible economy. We appreciate the time and energy you chose to share with us more than we can express.

Looking forward to the pages and the chapters ahead of us are promises of excitement and fun, love and encouragement, learning and sharing. Our Calendar of Events is attached and is also available in our lobby, on our website, or it can be mailed or emailed to you as well. We have many wonderful events scheduled each and every month including the Spirit World Teaching in January with guest speakers Marie Eshkibok-Trudeau and Willie Trudeau. There is a new changing exhibit opening in April with images by Summer Moon Photography along with a mortorcyle run in July both honoring Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls (MMIWG). We continue to Honor, Heal and Remember at the Mt. Pleasant Indian Industrial Boarding School and will Honor the Little People at the Sanilac Petroglyphs. There will be Indian Car Bingo at NativeFest and we will celebrate Ziibiwing's birthday with a fabulous sale-of-the-year! We will continue with many old favorites and add many new events.

Of course we can only present these offerings with your help. Please consider becoming a member or help by becoming a co-sponsor of any of these events. Most of all we look forward to seeing you here contributing your time, presence and energy making these special events even more special.

## IT'S GOING TO BE A GREAT 2020 - JOIN



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