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Be a Mentor at the Boys & Girls Club!

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MISSION: To enable all youth people, especially those who need us most, to reach their full potential as caring, productive and responsible citizens. To offer opportunities to provide Native youth with ongoing relationships with caring adult professionals, a safe place to learn and grow, life-enhancing programs, character development experiences and, most of all, hope and opportunity. Clubs promote positive youth growth and development along critical cultural, social, emotional, intellectual, and physical dimensions.

VISION: Boys & Girls Club Movement in achieving our ambitious vision of great futures for all young people, while sustaining and respecting each community’s unique cultural values, traditions and ways.

Ojibwemowin Word of the Month: Dakaagamin- Cold
### December 2019

*Manidoo-Gitzisoons (Little Spirit Moon)*

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<td>26 Snowshoeing 1-2 Bentleyville leaving 4pm</td>
<td>27 Sledding- Valhalla leaving at noon Movie Night at the Club 5:00p</td>
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**Open Gym/Teen 7-8**
Adriauna Curran
November 2019

Adriauna is 9 years old and goes to Bayfield School. His favorite sports is Basketball, her favorite team is the Bayfield Trollers. Adriauna favorite color is yellow. Her favorite movie is IT Chapter 2, and she likes to draw everything and anything during her free time.

We asked Adriauna if she could go anywhere in the World where would it be? Adriauna said she would go to Florida to go swimming in the ocean. We asked what her favorite food is, she said Spaghetti.

Adriauna’s best friend is Sequoia, and a Tigers are her favorite animal.

When Adriauna grows up she wants to work at a Zoo. She would love to work at the Lake Superior Zoo in Duluth someday! Lastly, we asked Adriauna what his two favorite things about the Boys & Girls Club are: 1) Basketball, 2) Nice Workers!
Paige Moilanen, Youth Director
“Lights and the Christmas décor! Also spending time with loved ones!”

Abe Butterfield, Youth Worker
“Food, Family and World Peace!”

Don Gordon III, Activities Coordinator
“Family, Food and Basketball Games of Christmas Day!”

Darrell Murphy, Youth Worker
“The food and family!”

Mark Defoe, Youth Worker
“Hanging out with the Fam!”

Question of the Month:
What is your favorite thing about Christmas time?
It that time of year and Club Ball is back in swing!
Stop down for open gym for youth and work on your skill, or grab your friends and get a game going!
High School Snapshot

As conventional cigarette use is declining, e-cigarette use is rising.

From 2014 to 2018, there was a 154% increase in e-cigarette use.

- **Electronic cigarettes**: current use 20.1%, ever use 32.6%
- **Cigars and Cigarillos**: 6.6%, 18.0%
- **Conventional cigarettes**: 4.7%, 18.6%
- **Hookah and Pipes**: 4.2%, 10.0%
- **Smokeless tobacco**: 4.0%, 8.4%

**1 in 5**
Wisconsin high schoolers use e-cigarettes.

**1 in 4**
of those who have ever used e-cigarettes first tried an e-cigarette before age 16.

**16%**
of e-cigarette users also smoke conventional cigarettes.

89% would not use unflavored tobacco products.

more than **half**
of current smokers usually smoke menthol-flavored cigarettes.

19% live in homes where others smoke.

24% rode in vehicles where others smoked in the last week.

76% of high schoolers said it is easy to get tobacco products.

15% of high schoolers have never seen a warning label on a cigarette pack.

88% of high schoolers agree all tobacco products are dangerous.

40% of high school tobacco users want to quit using all tobacco products.
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(THEY TALK TO EACH OTHER)

YOUTH TALKING CIRCLE

2:00PM AT THE RC YOUTH CENTER
2ND AND 4TH SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH
STARTING NOVEMBER 9TH, 2019

OPEN TO ALL RED CLIFF YOUTH
FOOD WILL BE PROVIDED!

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:
COLLIN LUDWIG, RC YOUTH ADVOCATE
715-779-3706 EXT. 5023
COLLIN.LUDWIG@REDCLIFF-NSN.GOV
Kids Christmas Party

Saturday, December 21, 2019

11:30 a.m. (Registration) - 3:00 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Clause will arrive at Noon

Legendary Waters Resort & Casino

Infant to 12 year olds

Punch and Cookies will be served

A Gift For Everyone!

If you would like to volunteer to help wrap presents or assist at the party, please contact the Administration Office at 715-779-3700
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Meeting and Gathering in a Traditional Way

Place: Red Cliff Elderly Feeding Center 37645 New Housing Road

Date: Friday, November 22, 2019
      Saturday, November 23, 2019

Time: Friday: 5-7PM
      Teaching and Pattern making
      Saturday: 10 am to 4pm
      Making Skirts

Skirt Teachings and Making

Day 1 November 22, 2019: Teaching and Making Patterns

Day 2 November 23, 2019: Skirt Making

These teachings will be presented by

Eunice Lightfeather

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