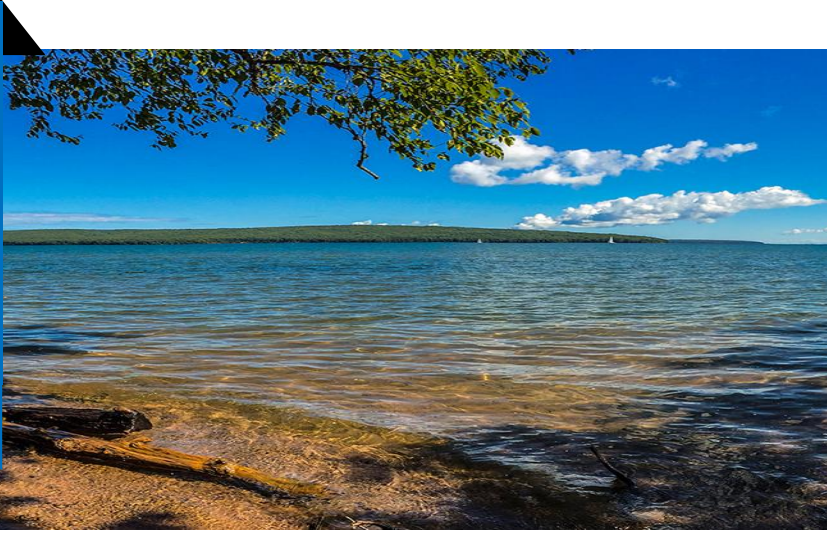




BOYS & GIRLS CLUB  
OF GITCHIGAMI

Boys & Girls Club  
NEWSLETTER  
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## MISSION & VISION

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WELCOME

Boozhoo!!

HELP PRESERVE OUR CULTURE, TRADITIONS AND COMMUNITY

Be a Mentor at the  
Boys & Girls Club!



## CLUB CALENDAR

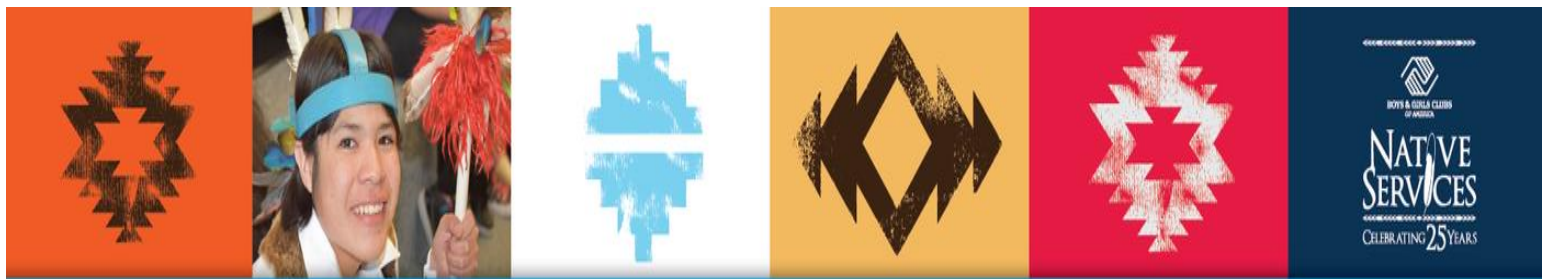
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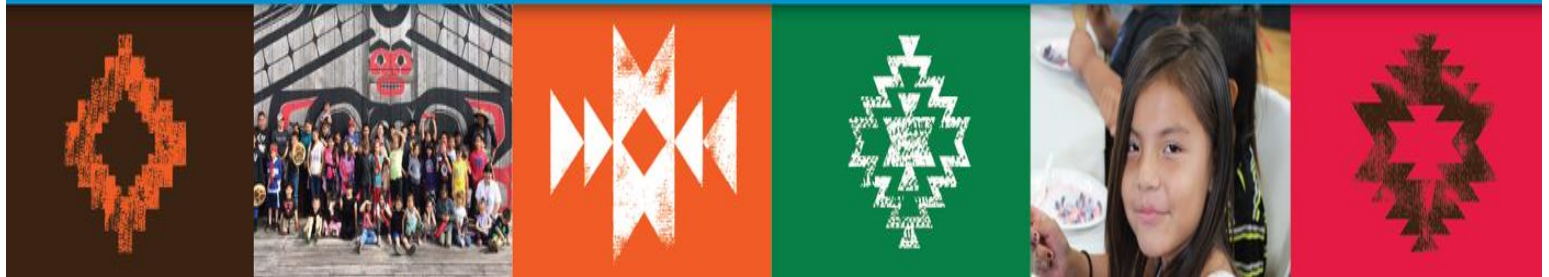
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# — BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS IN NATIVE LANDS HONORS — Native American Heritage Month



- **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**





# Club Calendar

4. Hello,  
November!

## November 2019

Gashkadino-Giizis (Freezing Over Moon)



BOYS & GIRLS CLUB  
OF GITCHIGAMI

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Activities subject to change please call ahead 715-779-3722 thank you BGC Staff			<p>BOYS &amp; GIRLS CLUBS IN NATIVE LANDS HONORS <i>Native American Heritage Month</i></p>		<p>1 <i>Movie Night @ the Club</i> 5:30p</p> <p>Open Gym/Teen 7-8</p>	<p>2 <i>Talking circle @ 2</i> <i>PS4 Game Night 1-6</i> <i>4-6th Grade Girls</i> <i>Basketball</i> <i>Fundamentals 3p</i></p> <p>Open Gym/Teen 7-8</p>
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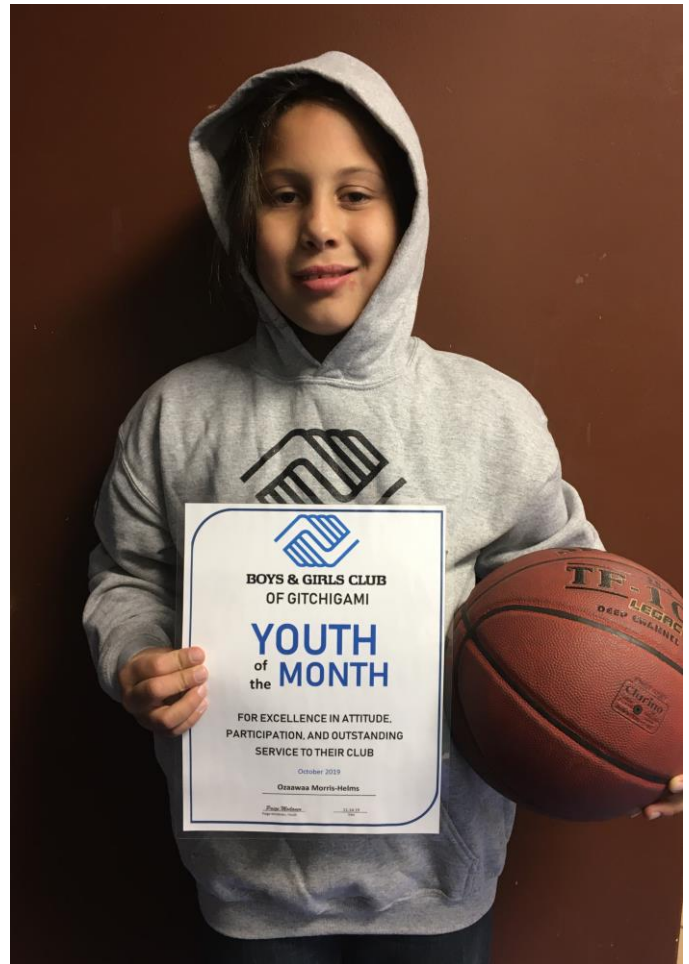
# Youth of the Month

Ozaawaa is 9 years old and goes to Bayfield School. His favorite sports are Football and Basketball, his favorite teams are; Football: Patriots and for Basketball: Lakers. Ozaawaa favorite color is red. His favorite movie is Instant Family, and he likes to play outside during his free time.

We asked Ozaawaa if he could go anywhere in the World where would it be? Ozaawaa said he would go to Alcatraz Island and take a tour. We asked what his favorite food is, he said "Wild Rice Venison Chicken Soup".

Ozaawaa's best friend is KJ Andrew, and a Komodo Dragon is his favorite animal.

When Ozaawaa grows up he wants to be NBA basketball player. Lastly, we asked Ozaawaa what his two favorite things about the Boys & Girls Club are: 1) Sports, 2) Nice Workers



## Ozaawaa Morris-Helms

October 2019



### GREAT FUTURES START **HERE.**



# Staff Corner



[Paige Moilanen, Youth Director](#)

"Spending time with the family  
and eating!"

Question of the Month:  
What is your favorite thing  
about Thanksgiving?



[Darrell Murphy, Youth Worker](#)

"The food and family!"



[Don Gordon III, Activities Coordinator](#)

" Food!"

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Gitchigami



[Abe Butterfield, Youth Worker](#)

"Food, Family and Football!"



[Mark Defoe, Youth Worker](#)

"Hanging out with the Fam!"



# Monster Mash



Oh Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup> the Monster Mash took place the Boys & Girls Club of Gitchigami. This event was hosted by Red Cliff Tribe, Red Cliff Family & Human Services, Red Cliff Family Violence Prevention Program and the Boys & Girls Club of Gitchigami. It was a fun packed day full of Pumpkin Carving, a Violence Prevention Month Walk, and a Dance! Heros, Ghouls, a Burger both big and small were in attendance at this event! We would like to thank all that attend and made this event great and those that helped make this event happen! We would also like to congratulate the winners for the costume contest!

We all hope you had a spooktacular time!



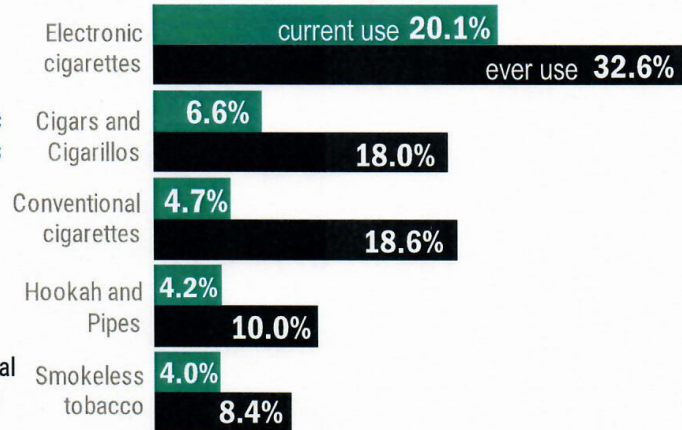
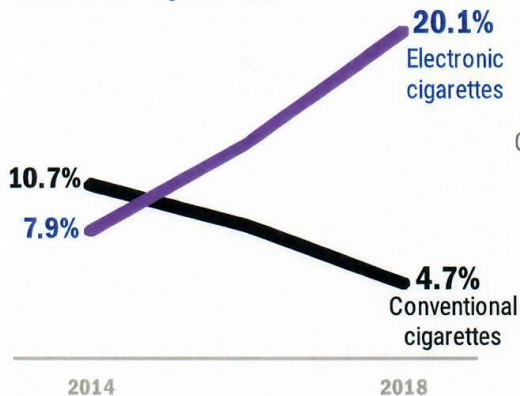


# High School Snapshot

Youth Tobacco Survey 2018

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

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



**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.







# **GAGANNOONIDIWAG (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







# *Zasagasowe - ididiwag*

## **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***

*Sponsored by:*

**Red Cliff Family and Human Services  
Indian Child Welfare**