

## T.E.R.C. Newsflash

CATTARAUGUS & ALLEGANY

Our mission: To prepare Indigenous youth and adults through education and training as they enter the world of work. We support individuals to become self sufficient by recognizing and promoting the importance of ability, culture and tradition.





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## J.E.R.C. Around Territory

You'll "bee" happy if you check out the Seneca Nation Training
& Employment informational table at the

### SNI Buffalo Creek Office

533 Amherst Street, Buffalo, N

May 3, 2023

10 am until 12 pm



#### Do you have a documented disability?

Do you need your GED?

Do you have a difficult time getting a job/maintaining a job?

Get on the pathway to self-sufficiency



Visit the Seneca Nation Training & Employment informational table at the

#### William Seneca Building

12837 Route 438, Irving, NY

#### May 26, 2023 10 am until 12 pm

In the wake of our best efforts and because of the Creator's infinite goodness, great things are brought to pass by "small and simple things"

Do you need your GED? Do you want to work?

Do you have a documented disability?

Do you have no/low household income?

#### See if we can help you

Begin with a GED, if you need one. Then, perhaps vocational training followed by assistance with job placement. Start "small" but start "somewhere" and build upon what you know. KNOWLEDGE IS POWER.

Visit the Seneca Nation Training & Employment informational table at the

#### **SNI Cattaraugus Library**

3 Thomas Indian School Drive, Irving, NY 14081

## May 24, 2023 11 am until 1 pm

Do you need your GED?

Do you have a difficult time getting and/or maintaining a iob?

Do yo<mark>u have a documented disab</mark>ility?

Do you have no/low household income?

Do you want to learn basic carpentry, plumbing and electricity?

### Get on the pathway to self-sufficiency

Visit the Seneca Nation Training & Employment informational table at the

#### Cattara<mark>ugus Wellnes</mark>s Center

36 Thomas Indian School Drive, Irving, NY

#### May 30, 2023 10 am until 12 pm

"I am the architect of my own fate."

If you need a different direction in your life and have a documented disability or have no/low household income please ask how our programs may change your life.

"I become self-reliant by growing in spiritual strength, improving my physical and emotional health and pursuing education and employment.

As I become self-reliant I am better able to serve and care for others."

## Applications being accepted starting May 1st!

## **Spots are limited!**



Applications will be accepted starting: May 1st DEADLINE: June 2nd no later Applications can be picked up at any

TERC Office or printed from sni.org Ages: 14-18 in school youth

6 week program, 35hrs./week \$11.00hr

-Must pass pre employment screening

Requirements:

-Working Card 14-15 y.o- green card

\*see your high school office\* \*Parents/Guardians must attend

orientation with teen\*

Cattaraugus Office: 716-532-1033 Contact Info. Allegany Office: 716-945-8120





## Cake Walk/Social





T.E.R.C. sponsored a 'Cake Walk' during the Community Fair on April 5th, 2023. The event was well attended and very successful because of the talented singers and drummers, the dancers and all of the individuals who donated desserts and prizes. It was heartwarming to see our people gather together.



## Lunch Time!



During the Community
Fair, April 5th, TERC and
Gakwi:yo:h Farm teamed
up and hosted the
community lunch that day.
Corn Soup, Vegetable Soup,





Chili, Frybread and
Sandwiches were on the
menu. Thank you to the
farm for donating
ingredients for the soup.
Thank you to Gerri and
Julie Fisher for coming
over to TERC and help cook
the lunch. TERC and
Gakwi:yo:h employees









## Paint Night



## With Sandra Warrior



On April 19th TERC hosted a paint night at the Cattaraugus office. We would like to thank Sandra "Sandy" Warrior for coming to teach the class, and for the participants for joining in on the fun. It was a good time and everyone's paintings came out great!

## **Carpenters Union #276**



On April 18th, STC participants, STC instructors and the 477 counselors from Cattaraugus went to The Carpenters Union #276 in Rochester, NY.





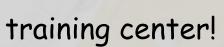








SIC has been busy over at the















# UNDER CONSTRUCTION







The advanced STC crew has been busy working on the new addition, the computer room!







## Joanne Pand!

Hello! I would like to introduce myself, I am Joanne Land, the new HSED Instructor here at TERC. I will tell you a little about myself. I am married with I step son, who lives in South Carolina as an electrician and I have two yorkie dogs, Lilly and Leonard. Leonard is a registered therapy dog and can provide therapy to people in nursing homes and children's hospitals, etc. He is also an ASA. I moved here to my farm here in New York to take care of my mother. My husband and I own a tow truck company, JB's Towing and Hauling LLC. In my free time I enjoy painting, buying and selling antique books and crafting. And I volunteer at Sav'Em All animal rescue. Oh and I Do Not Like Bacon!



## Happy 1 year TERC-iversary to the secretary, Mindy!

Hello! If we haven't met I will tell you a little about myself. I'm Mindy, TERC's secretary at the Cattaraugus office. I am Seneca of the wolf clan and I reside here on the Cattaraugus territory with my daughters. Last year I stopped here to apply for the 477 program that is offered. As my youngest was starting school I wanted to find something in training or employment while my kids were in school. In May 2022 I was offered work experience here at TERC. I accepted it and really enjoyed working here. As my work experience came to an end I was offered a permanent position so I applied to stay and was hired officially as a SNI employee. I really enjoy working here and my co workers are amazing! My favorite part of my job is meeting so many new people. When anyone comes here, everyone sees me first and I like that. I've seen a lot of success in participants that come here and I am always so proud of them. It's been a great year working here at TERC and I'm looking forward to another year! ~Mindy Mohawk







We will be closed on: May 19th



May 29th



Youth Services Coordinator

May 22nd







