

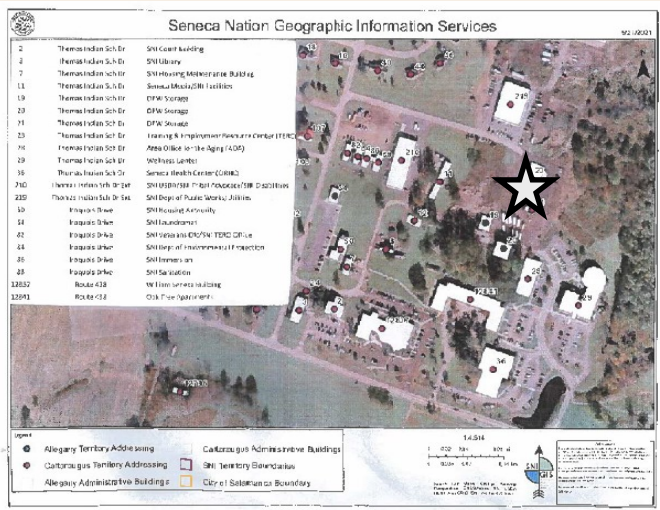
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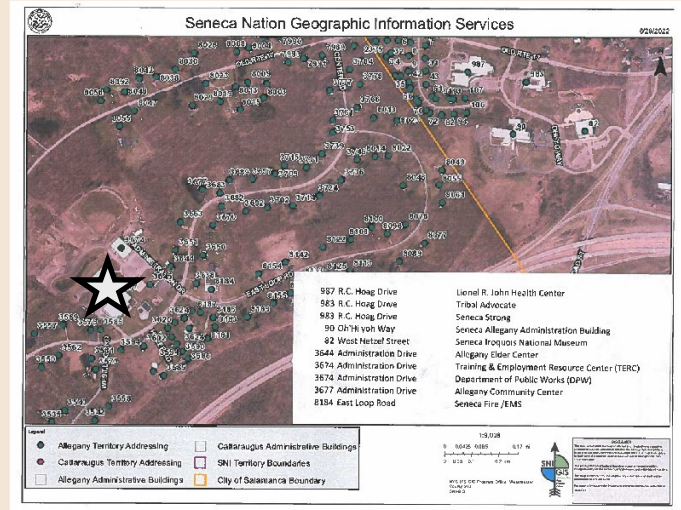


Cattaraugus & Allegany

T.E.R.C. Newsflash



23 Thomas Indian School Dr.
Irving, NY 14081
Phone: 716.532.1033
Fax: 716.532.3285



3674 Administration Dr.
Salamanca, NY 14779
Phone: 716.945.8120
Fax: 716.945.8146





A message from T.E.R.C.

Training & Employment Resource Center

As the construction of the new health center is going on, we lost our parking area. Parking is available on the side of our building. Our front door is still open. Handicap parking is available along the front of the building. You can pull up to the front of the building by coming in the side entrance. We apologize for any inconvenience. We will continue to look for better solutions to this problem. In the meantime please bear with us.

**Any questions you can call ahead at
716.532.1033.**



T.E.R.C. Around Territory

Look for our informational tables at...

VISIT THE T.E.R.C. INFORMATION TABLE AT THE

CATTARAUGUS SENECA NATION LIBRARY

3 THOMAS INDIAN SCHOOL DRIVE, IRVING, NY

THURSDAY, JULY 20TH

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

CAN WE HELP YOU?

- Do you need your G.E.D.?
- Are you seeking employment?
- Do you have a documented disability?
- Do you have no/low income?

"IF A WINDOW OF OPPORTUNITY APPEARS, DON'T PULL DOWN THE SHADE."
-TOM PETERS

VISIT THE T.E.R.C. INFORMATION TABLE AT THE

William Seneca Building

"WHEN WE STRIVE TO BECOME BETTER THAN WE ARE, EVERYTHING AROUND US BECOMES BETTER TOO." — PAULO COELHO

SEE IF WE CAN HELP YOU!

- DO YOU NEED YOUR G.E.D.?
- DO YOU WANT TO WORK?
- DO YOU HAVE A DOCUMENTED DISABILITY?
- DO YOU HAVE NO/LOW INCOME?

12837 ROUTE 438, IRVING, NY | 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

FRIDAY, JULY 28TH, 2023

Visit the T.E.R.C. Information Table at the

CATTARAUGUS WELLNESS CENTER OUTREACH

- Do you need your G.E.D.?
- Do you want to work?
- Do you have a documented disability?
- Do you have no/low income?

"Success is the sum of small efforts, repeated day in and day out." – Robert Collier

36 Thomas Indian School Drive, Irving, NY

Tuesday, July 25th 2023

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Come and see us!

Seneca Nation Training & Employment Resource Center
Application for Program Assistance

Cattaraugus Territory
23 Thomas Indian School Drive
Irving, NY 14081
716-532-1033

Allegany Territory
3874 Administration Drive
Salamanca, NY 14779
716-945-8120

Required Documentation for Program Assistance

- Proof of Age - At least one document must be a Photo ID
- Proof of Residency - Documented Address must match the Physical Address on application. If a PO Box is listed, you must provide proof of a physical address. For ex.: Current Mail, Landlord Statement, Rent Receipt or Lease, Shelter Verification Form, Report Card
- Nation Enrollment Card - Enrollment in any Federally Recognized Nation, First Descendant of a Seneca Father must provide Applicant's Birth Certificate showing the Father's name and Enrollment Card of Father
- Household Income Verification - all household members 18 y.o. and older must provide income source. For ex.: Four (4) Paystubs, Zero Income/Low Income Form (must be notarized), Unemployment Benefits, Cash Assistance/SNAP Benefits Award Letter
- Education - a High School Diploma/HSED, current High School or College Transcripts, School Schedule, Registration, current School Photo I.D., etc.
- Working Card - for Youth Employment Services program (14 - 18 y.o. - blue card, 16 - 17 y.o. green card)
- Selective Service - All Male U.S. citizens, ages 18-25, are required to register with Selective Service

The information gathered in this application is solely for the purpose of assisting the Training and Employment Resource Center in determining eligibility and vocational planning. All information will be kept confidential and will only be used as necessary for the purpose described. Training and Employment Resource Center is not liable for fraudulent applications.

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Click Here To Print or View Application!

Upcoming Fall Classes at CaBoces

Upcoming Classes



Health Careers Classes

Medical Insurance and Billing

CTE Center at Olean

Wednesdays, 5:30 - 8:30 PM

Runs from 9/13/23 to 1/31/24

Costs- Tuition: \$675; Textbook: \$125

Medical Office Assisting

CTE Center at Olean

Tuesdays & Thursdays, 5:30 - 8:30 PM

Runs from 9/12/23 to 1/25/24

Costs- Tuition: \$1,175; Textbook: \$100

Nurse Aide

CTE Center at Olean

Monday - Friday, daytime hours vary

TBA

Costs- Tuition: \$1,200; Textbook: \$50

NYS Nurse Aide Certification Exam: \$115

Phlebotomy

CTE Center at Olean

Mondays & Wednesdays, 4:30 - 7:30 PM

*32 daytime clinical hours required

Runs 9/11/23 to 12/15/23

Costs- Tuition: \$1,250; Textbook: \$100

AMCA Phlebotomy Technician Certification: \$109

Please call (716) 376-8268 or email adulted@caboces.org for more information on these programs.

Disclaimer

All prices listed on this catalog are for cash, check, or money order payments. Programs are available to pay for online through caboces.coursestorm.com but students will be charged an additional 4% fee.

Industrial Classes

Heavy Equipment

CTE Center at Ellieville

Saturdays, 8 AM - 4:30 PM

9/9/23 to 10/14/23

Costs- Tuition: \$825

Welding

CTE Center at Olean

Mondays & Wednesdays, 6:00 - 8:30 PM

TBA

Costs- Tuition: \$925

Welding 2: Blueprint Reading

CTE Center at Olean

Thursdays, 6:00 - 8:30 PM

TBA

Costs- Tuition: \$375

CDL Hazmat Endorsement

CTE Center at Olean

Saturday, September 23rd, 8:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Cost: \$190

CDL B

Dates and Times Vary

New classes form every 6-8 weeks

Cost: \$3500; Road Test: \$40 (you pay DMV)

Must have CDL permit and be able to pass DOT

Drug Screen; DOT Physical recommended

Please call (716) 376-8211 or email adulted@caboces.org for more information on these programs.

Register Online at:

<https://caboces.coursestorm.com>

Community Learning Classes

American Heart Association (AHA) First Aid

CTE Center at Olean

Monday, October 2nd, 5:00 - 8:30 PM

Cost: \$50

AHA CPR/AED

CTE Center at Olean

Wednesday, October 4th, 5:00 - 8:30 PM

Cost: \$50

AHA Basic Life Support (BLS)

CTE Center at Olean

Wednesday, October 11th, 5:00 - 8:30 PM

Cost: \$50

Please call (716) 376-8211 or email adulted@caboces.org for more information on these classes.

Potential Classes in Fall 2023

AutoCAD

CDI, A

Photography

Security Guard

Please call (716) 376-8211 or email adulted@caboces.org for more information on these potential classes.

We also run 8-hour Pre-Licensing Courses and Point & Insurance Reduction Courses (a.k.a. Defensive Driving)

Please call (716) 376-8264 for our upcoming dates and costs.

Interested in becoming a Licensed Practical Nurse?

Please call (716) 376-8268 to learn how to enroll in our program.

Cattaraugus Y.E.S.

Car Wash

& Food Sale

Hosted By: Summer Y.E.S.

Friday July 14th

@ CIRVFD

**50/50
Raffle**

10am-3pm

\$10 a car wash

**Adirondack
Chair
Raffle!**



Cattaraugus Y.E.S.

Basket
Raffle
Fundraiser



Hosted By: Summer Y.E.S.

Wednesday July 26th
9am~3pm

William Seneca Building

50/50
Raffle

Bake
Sale

Adirondack
Chair Set
Raffle



Cattaraugus Territory

Raffle

**Enter to win a set of
Adirondack Chairs!**

Drawing: July 26th

Tickets: 1/\$5 3/\$10 7/\$20

**Tickets are available for purchase at
Training & Employment (T.E.R.C.)**

**Summer Y.E.S. will also be selling tickets at their
Car Wash and Basket Raffle coming soon.**



Allegany Y.E.S.

CARWASH

**Summer Yes Youth
Fundraising Event
July 14th, 2023**

**by the sni library and facilities
from 9am to 3pm**



Allegany Y.E.S.

Summer YES

RAFFLE for Adirondack Chair Set



July 26th, 2023

\$5 a TICKET
\$10 FOR 3
\$20 FOR 5

.....
Silent Auction 5\$ a sheet
.....

9:00am to 3:30pm

come support your
youth!!

set up at the saab
and some will be
going to the clinic

DRAWING will be at
3pm

congratulations



Two of the recent graduates from S.T.C. have started their new career journey. Kayla Isaac and Carolyn Mohawk are now working on the worksite that is building the new Seneca Nation Health Center! Way to go Ladies!



Kayla



Carolyn

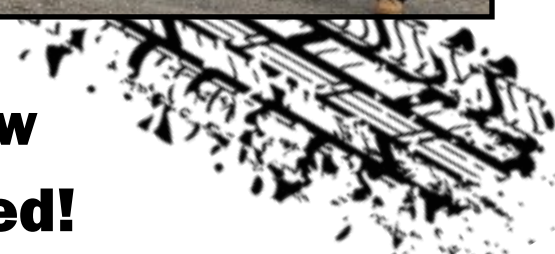




Advanced

**THE NEW STC COHORT HAS STARTED!
THE ADVANCED CLASS JUMPED RIGHT TO WORK AND
JUST FINISHED BUILDING A PORCH FOR A NEARBY
RESIDENCY THAT HAD NO SAFE ENTRY OR EXIT.**





**Basic S.T.C. participants are now
Forklift and Scaffolding Certified!**





**FYI: We are no longer accepting
STC project requests until
further notice. We have to
complete those already on the
long list of requests.**



On June 23rd and June 30th T.E.R.C. held a OSHA 10 class for the Basic STC participants at the Cattaraugus office. There were also participants that came from T.E.R.O. that joined also. We would like to thank Paul Andalora for coming out those days and hosting the class.

Good Job Everyone!

Congratulations



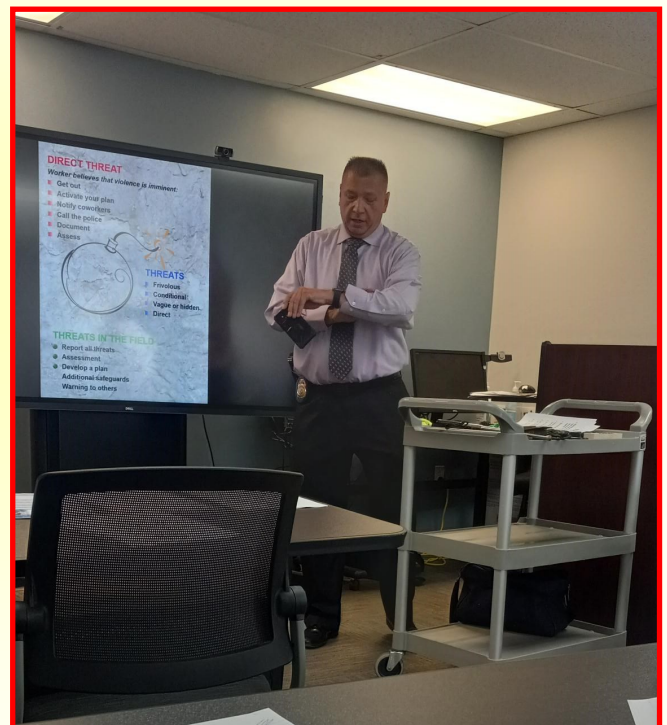
Zander Botsford

Dominic Redeye

On Passing Your HSED Exam!

Staff Development

On June 21st both offices from each territory came together for their monthly Staff Development Training/Meeting. This month we had Brian Mohr from The Domestic Crime Victims Unit come and speak with staff. Thank you Brian for sharing your information with us!





To The T.E.R.C. Team!



Alicia Sanford!

The new VR Counselor at
Allegany T.E.R.C.

Thank
You

A BIG Thank you to Summer Jones
from Crime Victims for helping with
the Glo Walk During the mid year
CANAR Conference!

Adult CPR/AED & First Aid



Certification Courses

Recently some of the T.E.R.C. Employees have been taking an instructor course to become a CPR/AED Instructor. They will use these skills and instructor certification to certify others, especially our Youth workers that will be starting their summer employment soon.

Good Job and Congratulations

Patrice John, Youth Services Coordinator

Jackie John, VR Program Manager

Ana Stahlman, Adult 477 Counselor



CPR INSTRUCTOR



CANAR CONFERENCE HELD IN NIAGARA FALLS, NY

The Seneca Nation Vocational Rehabilitation Program recently hosted the mid-year CANAR (Consortia of Administrators for Native American Vocational Rehabilitation) along with the St. Regis Mohawk Tribe which was held at Seneca Niagara Resort and Casino from June 6-8, 2023. There was a lot of planning that had to go into the conference in a very short period of time. We were able to get all the workshops scheduled so that tribes from across the United States were able to receive staff development.

Kevin Nephew, CEO/President of Seneca Gaming Corporation provided a welcome to the group. Tyler Thompson was our Master of Ceremonies and his "Indian humor" during the event was well received. The American Legion Post 1587 was able to assist us in providing the Color Guard and Alan George also assisted with a traditional song and the Ganonyok to get the conference started.

Sharon Patterson was a keynote speaker talking about her "disability journey" and expressed to those working with people with disabilities how they should understand and sympathize with their consumers on the difficult journey they've had to get to that point. Dr. Lori Quigley was a keynote speaker on generational trauma as it related to Indian Residential Boarding Schools. Donald "Flip" White conducted a workshop utilizing the "Way of Thinking- Haudenosaunee Perspective" which was well received.

Speakers from Disability Rights of NY, AIVRTTAC (American Indian Vocational Rehabilitation Training and Technical Assistance Center), Scott Sabella from the University of Buffalo, Christa Martin from Direct Employers Association, Kristi Moscato from Person Centered Services, Phyllis Damico from the US Department of Labor all provided valuable information they shared with the group.

The Indigenous Spirit Dancers lead by Marty Jimerson, Jr. was our entertainment following the awards and banquet. The crowd thoroughly enjoyed the entertainment and some even joined in on the dancing. I'd like to thank my staff for assisting in the planning and implementation of the event. At times it was very frustrating with limited guidance from the CANAR organization but after all the frustration we had many compliments on the conference. A big thank you goes out to the Seneca Nation for sponsoring the conference. And I appreciate the guidance I received from Flip White for his suggestions for pulling the conference together!

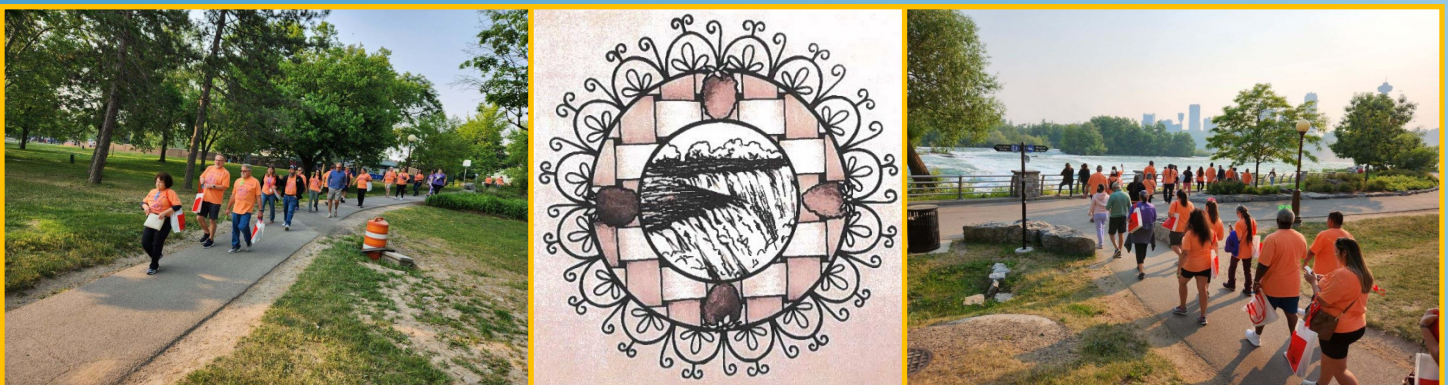
Toonie Pierce, Director





One of my favorite parts of the CANAR Conference is the evening when we step away from the learning and get together to participate in the “Glow walk”. We flood the streets wearing our light up glasses, necklaces and our glow walk t-shirts, this year there were over 120 walkers signed up. It was an honor to have Lyle Logan a local Seneca artist create a logo for the walk. Every walker received a t-shirt, water bottle and bag with the logo on it. This year’s theme was, “Weaving ways of healing”. Lyle incorporated some valued Seneca traditions by using a basket weaving pattern, sky domes and berries. Niagara Falls was placed in the middle of the logo, showing how mighty, powerful and important it is to the area.

Many NYA:WEHs to Lyle Logan.





Seeing The Progress Of The New Health Center



Mindy's Comic Corner

