



The Abegweit Update

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ABEGWEIT FIRST NATION

KEEPING OUR COMMUNITY INFORMED

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CHIEF'S MESSAGE



As your Chief, I am consistently impressed by you all. As a community you have exhibited such great strength and resolve in the face of these unprecedented times. Your entire leadership team and I would like to say thank you, once again, for your continue patience and determination as we continue working hard to move our community forward.

SPEEDBUMPS ARE COMING



Speedbumps will be installed in our communities over the next while, keeping all of our children's safety at heart. RCMP Constable Greg Trainor is also working with us and the Province of PEI in order to get new signage installed for the new speedbumps in our communities.

We're expecting that the work will begin soon in Rocky Point, Scotchfort, and Morell so please be respectful of the crews doing the work.

REZ BINGO

The Chief's Rez Bingo continues tonight! Let us know if you need cards for tonight & good luck to all!



As the province begins to re-open and relax restrictions, we'll be watching the regular schedule for TV bingo and such to see how things will be going forward. You can expect an update in the future explaining the future of our Rez bingo.

HONOURING AN ELDER

This week we would like to honour David Scully.



David was born on January 22, 1947 to his loving parents, the late Pat and Susan Scully. His bother John A. and sister May have passed away, but his sister Madeline, from Lennox Island, is doing well and currently lives in Maine.

David spent most of his life working around the Morell River and the surrounding woods doing grass maintenance, which he took a lot of enjoyment in doing. He also loves playing the fiddle, a hobby that he shared with his brother John A. and his uncle Pat.

From everyone in the Abegweit community, Welalin David for brightening lives around you!

CERB & SEASONAL WORKERS ON PEI

For any of our seasonal workers, if you're on EI and it has run out, you can apply for the Canada Emergency Response Benefit (CERB). Once you start a new job, this benefit must be cut off. This benefit **has to be reapplied to for each month** you are on it. For more information or to apply, visit canada.ca or call Linda Fraser at 902-940-3869

RECYCLING REMINDER

We'd like to remind all of our community members to please continue sorting all of your recycling! It's important to us all and our Mother Earth.



THANK YOU TO AFN FISHERIES

We would like to send a thank you to Joey Peters, Todd Knockwood, Preston Peters, Courtney Peters, and our Director of Natural Resources Roddy Gould. These fellas successfully and safely picked up and returned got our crab boat "Crabin' Fever" from Nova Scotia, where it was being repaired.