



Schedule of Events for Head Start Summer Program July-August 2008

The Pabineau First Nation Head Start will be open for the summer program officially on Monday, July 7, 2008. It is open to all school age children. We have many activities in the works to make for a fun, yet productive summer for our youth. Some of them are as follows:

August 4-8: **Cultural Week**. The 4th is a Civic Holiday so the center will be closed. We plan on having an elder come in for a day of storytelling and information will be posted around the center on different aspects of our culture and regalia. We are also awaiting approval from the Youth Center on using their basketball court on a weekly basis for learning the fundamentals of basketball. The 8th will be a free play day.

August 11-15: **Science Week**. The Science camp will be here at the center on the 11th-13th. The **Education Dinner** will also be on the 13th at Danny's in Beresford. Contact Barbara Calderone or Judy Simmons for the approximate time of the dinner. The Science Camp will run from 9am-4pm. The 15th will be a Pizza Party for our Student workers and the participants in the summer program. That will be at 12-1:30pm. We will also have two guest speakers on "The Importance of Education" during this week.

August 18-22: **Survival Week**. We have confirmation from the military, Terry Richardson and Chris Turkenkopf will be joining us for a military themed week on learning survival techniques. A trip to the Militia base on the 18th. The 19th they will be here in Pabineau to do face painting, teaching how to use a map/compass, etc. The 20th is camouflage day. Anything you have in camouflage, you can wear, example: bandana, shirt, pants, hat, etc.

August 25-29: **Career Week**. Trip to the library in the town on Monday, the 25th. Parents are encouraged to attend or send in permission slips. There will be two adult workers. On the 26th and 27th we will have picture days to have as a keepsake for their participation in the summer program. So please send them in something nice. Nothing too fancy. We would like to have some of the parents come in on the afternoon of 29th to talk about what kinds of jobs and careers they have and why they chose to do what they do. Anyone that wishes to participate on this day, can contact either Myself or Rose Sparks here at the center from 9am to 4pm, Monday through Friday. The 29th will be the last day for the Summer Program. The schedule for fall/winter program for preschool will be available sometime in September. There is also an after school program offered at a later time in the fall.

Biggest Loser Program

Dorothy Lordon would like all participants, and future participants in the Biggest Loser Program to adhere to the following adjustments to the rules.

All winners of each month will donate their winnings to a collection pot which will then be submitted as a donation to next years Annual Powwow. This is a great way to raise money for our Powwow!