

Wiikwemkoong Unceded Territory

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WIKWEMIKONG ARENA – COMMUNITY UPDATE

Aanii Wiikwemkoong,

We would like to provide an update regarding the ongoing construction and major overhaul taking place at the Wikwemikong Arena.

Our Arena is an aging facility, and over the years we have experienced numerous leaks and weather-related issues that have resulted in significant internal expenses, repairs, and maintenance beyond our control. It is important that we address these issues for the health and safety of our community members who enjoy our facility.

We recognize that these improvements come with some inconvenience to our community. We understand how important the Arena is to Wikwemikong. It is more than a building, it is a place where our youth play, families gather, our community comes together, and memories are created. However, WUT's ultimate objective is to provide a safe environment for our children.

At this time, we are anticipating a late start to the Minor Hockey season, with a target of late November. The availability of the rink and hall will be announced as soon as we reach the appropriate stage of construction and can safely reopen these spaces.

Our goal is to protect this facility and ensure that it can continue serving our community for many years to come. Without addressing these repairs and maintenance needs now, we risk facing much greater challenges in the future.

We sincerely appreciate your patience, understanding, and continued support as we work through this major undertaking.

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