

Tonawanda Reservation Historical Society Calendar

2018



*Dedicated to all past, present and future players of
Dehantsigwa'ehs (lacrosse), the Creator's game*

Mission Statement

The Tonawanda Reservation Historical Society was established for the purpose of preserving and disseminating the history of the Tonawanda Seneca Indian Reservation for our people, for the generations yet unborn, and for the education of non-Indians about our culture. To achieve this purpose the Historical Club's goals are to collect and preserve materials pertaining to the history of the Tonawanda Reservation and its people; to record and document historically valuable information; make such materials available to researchers, the public and especially to Tonawanda Reservation residents and their descendants; sponsor exhibits, publications, and other methods to inform and educate people about the history of the Tonawanda Reservation.

The Tonawanda Reservation Historical Society
P.O. Box 516, Basom, NY 14013



Lacrosse Team - Circa 1900

JANUARY 2018

Nisgowakneh

SUNDAY Awëdadogëhdöh	MONDAY O'wëdë:dat	TUESDAY Swëda:dih	WEDNESDAY Ha'dewëdaëh	THURSDAY Ëyohë'tgeh	FRIDAY Wë:da:k'ah	SATURDAY Wë:da:k
	1 New Year's Day	2 ●	3	4	5	6
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Adam Spring - Circa 1900

FEBRUARY 2018

Niyo'not'a:h

SUNDAY
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MONDAY
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TUESDAY
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*First row, second from right, Lincoln Reuben; Huron Miller, far right
Second row, second from right, Orlando "Jibunk" Scrogg*

MARCH 2018

O'not'ah

SUNDAY
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MONDAY
O'wëdë:dat

TUESDAY
Swëda:dih

WEDNESDAY
Ha'dewëdaëh

THURSDAY
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St. Patrick's Day							Good Friday											
Palm Sunday							Good Friday											



*First row, left to right, Charlie "Turkey", Jerome George, unknown, William Burke, unknown, Ellsworth George
Second row, left to right, Vernon "Benny" Sundown, Grant Sundown, Dale Doxtater, Darryl Reuben,
Foster Sundown Jr., Bernie Parker, Gerald Abrams, MacDonald "Stick" Reuben*

APRIL 2018

Ganö'gat

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Huron Miller & MacDonald "Stick" Reuben

MAY 2018

Yaikneh

SUNDAY
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TUESDAY
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MacDonald "Stick" Reuben & Irving Sundown

JUNE 2018

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MONDAY
O'wëdë:dat

TUESDAY
Swëda:dih

WEDNESDAY
Ha'dewëdaëh

THURSDAY
Ëyohë'tgeh

FRIDAY
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Lacrosse Box - Date Unknown

JULY 2018

Saisgekneh

SUNDAY
Awëdadogëhdöh

MONDAY
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TUESDAY
Swëda:dih

WEDNESDAY
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THURSDAY
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Second row, left to right, unknown, Faron Reuben, Eddie Hartnaft, Darryl Reuben, unknown, unknown, Steve Poodry,
Lance Blackchief, Al Thomas, Jerome George In box: Sylvester "Sully" Sundown*

SEPTEMBER 2018

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SUNDAY
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MONDAY
O'wëdë:dat

TUESDAY
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1976

First row, left to right, Danny Poodry, Chet Logan, unknown, Tom Printup, Jeff "Mutt" Parker, Craig Reuben

Second row, left to right, James "Luffus" Logan, Nik Brunner, Stanley "Skip" Jones, John "Johnny-Boy" Jonathan, Mitchell Abrams

Third row, left to right, Beeman "Huggy" Logan, Lance Blackchief, Darryl Reuben, Paul Winnie, unknown, unknown, unknown, unknown

OCTOBER 2018

Gahsa'kneh

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Owen Hill



Waylon Abrams

DECEMBER 2018

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First Day of Winter