



**FEBRUARY 24 & 25, 2018**

Four Points Sheraton, 1150 Wellington Road South,  
London.

## **WALKING IN BALANCE III: HEALING OUR FAMILY AND COMMUNITY**

This forum will focus on Family Restoration, Family Violence and Healthy Relationships through Traditional Knowledge Keepers and personal accounts of lived experience.

This forum will help young adults, community members and frontline workers work toward supporting and strengthening their family within the community.

Up to (6) attendees per Member Nation will be reimbursed for travel.

**Forum presenter outlines, two-day agenda and registration form on the following pages.**



For any questions or to register please contact:

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**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: FEB 5, 2018**

**Traditional Games for  
Cultural Survival:  
Lamarr  
Oksasikewiyin**

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**A Personal Story of  
Clinical Depression  
and Healing: Lorrie  
Carr & Jaclyn Carr**

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**Men's Roles, Duties &  
Responsibilities:  
Terry Senahatien**

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**A Journey in Rainbow  
Moccasins:  
Teddy Syrette**

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**Awakening our  
Families:  
Jane Burning**

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## **Forum Presenters and Outline:**

### **TRADITIONAL GAMES FOR CULTURAL SURVIVAL –Lamarr Oksasikewiyin**

This presentation will focus on how Traditional Games used to be to acquire skills to survive. Now Lamarr will outline how these same games can be used for cultural survival.... There are hundreds of games all over Turtle Island and for a brief period they went underground because of residential schools and colonial policies. We need to bring them back these games for cultural survival. Lamarr has learned over 100 traditional games and will explain the meaning and teachings behind them.

### **Awakening Our Families – Jane Burning**

This workshop will give individuals opportunity to have a clear perspective of how our families have broken down over time and what we need to do to come back into balance. In this presentation will demonstrate how we are all effected by trauma and how it takes each of us to be accountable to have a healthier family and community.

**Jaclyn Carr and Chief Laurie Carr** will share their healing journey through clinical depression as Jaclyn was diagnosed a young age. As a daughter (Jaclyn) will share how she is healing with the supports of family, community and other professionals. Laurie will share her journey as her mother.

**Teddy Syrette** (Ozhawa Anaung Kwe/Yellow Star Woman) is a 2-Spirit Anishnabek person, from Batchewana First Nation of the Ojibway. Their experience in theatre and social justice, has offered a unique set of skills to facilitate conversations of inclusion of 2SLGBTQ and Indigenous people. They are a graduate of the Social Service Work - Native Specialization program of Sault College in Sault Ste. Marie, and currently work as an advocate and educator in Toronto.

### **Men's Roles, Duties & Responsibilities -Terry Senahatien, Wahta Mohawk**

Information on his presentation to be provided at the forum.



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**MC – Brent Stonefish**

<b>Day One: Saturday February 24, 2018</b>	7:30 – 8:30	REGISTRATION / BREAKFAST
	8:30 – 8:45	Traditional Opening – Glen McDougall
	8:45-9:00	Welcoming Remarks, Grand Chief Joel Abram
	9:00	Traditional Games For Cultural Survival: Lamarr Oksasikewiyn, Sweetgrass FN, SK
	10:30	Health Break
	10:45	Traditional Games for Cultural Survival:, Lamarr Oksasikewiyn, Sweetgrass FN, SK
	12:00 PM	Lunch
	1:00	A Personal Journey of Clinical Depression and Healing : Jaclyn Carr & Chief Laurie Carr, Hiawatha
	2:30	Health Break
	2:45 – 4:15	Men’s Roles, Duties and Responsibilities: Terry Senahatian, Wahta

### Evening Self Care: Teachings/Cedar Foot Soaks by Spirit Earth Holistics

**7:00 pm to 9:00 pm (20 spots)**

<b>DAY TWO: Sunday February 25, 2018</b>	7:30 – 8:45	Breakfast
	8:45 – 9:00	Recap from Day 1
	9:00	A Journey in Rainbow Moccasins: Teddy Syrette, Batchewana
	10:30	Health Break
	10:45-12:30	Awakening Our Families: Jane Burning, Six Nations
	12:30 PM	Lunch
	1:30-3:00	Panel Discussion Moderator: Brent Stonefish Panelists: Lamarr Oksasikewiyn, Chief Lorie Carr, Jaclyn Carr, Terry Senahatian, Teddy Syrette & Jane Burning
	3:00	Closing Prayer – Betty Maracle
	Safe Travels!!	



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Hosted by Association of Iroquois and Allied Indians

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Saturday Feb. 24 & Sunday Feb. 25, 2018

# DELEGATE/ATTENDEE REGISTRATION FORM

Please print clearly.

Name:			
First Nation / Community:			
Address:			
Telephone:		Fax:	
Email Address:			
Job Title (if applicable):			

### **Please note:**

- Each community is permitted 6 (six) attendees. If travel advances (mileage and meals only) are needed, delegates will have to receive them from their community.
- Meals will be provided at the conference. (breakfast, snacks, lunch)
- AIAI will reimburse the community at Ministry rates, following the event. (\$.40/km, travel day meals breakfast \$10, lunch \$12.50, dinner \$22.50)
- AIAI will submit names to the hotel for the room block. The hotel will be directly billed to AIAI.

**PLEASE LIST ANY FOOD ALLERGIES or Special requirements.**

If you have any questions, please call or email Lisa Jackson (519)-434-2761.

**EMAIL COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM TO THE ATTENTION OF:**

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