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Prevention Week 2022





by Val Niehaus

National Prevention Week was held May 8-14, 2022, and was a week jam-packed with events, food, companionship, fun and recovery! The week is sponsored by Forest County Potawatomi (FCP), Sokaogon Chippewa Community (SCC), Community Coalition of Forest County, Forest County Sheriff's Department, Forest County Fire Department, and the Forest County Health Department.

The Prevention Week planning committee includes Angela Jacobson, Mary Thornton, Justin Shawano, Tony Crum, Jorge & Artie Cisneros, Tiffany Wozniak, Stephanie Statezny, and Kimberlee Soldier.

The week started off with a golf scramble which was held at the Nicolet Country Club. The event was held on Mother's Day Sunday and there were about 45 golfers in attendance — a great turnout! There were raffles and hole prizes to add to the fun of the game. A good time was had by all.

Monday was movie night at the Potawatomi Community Center. For this activity, families both young and old came together to enjoy the movie "Turning Red". There was a snack and drink sale during the movie to raise funds for the SCC Little League team.

Tuesday was Family Fun Night with this event being held at the Argonne Pavilion. The weather was a bit wet for this activity, but that didn't stop people from showing up to eat BBQs made by the Argonne Fire Department and to take part in a bag-toss tournament. Both young and old participated in this event.

Wednesday's event was a Sobriety Feast held at the Mole Lake Cultural Building. People brought dishes to pass and shared their very own stories of recovery. Guest speaker was Mylo Smith who is a comedian and wellness speaker. He is Crow Creek-Dakota and started his journey over 15 years ago in the comedy world and is proud to be drug and alcohol free during those years! He touches on topics of alcohol-drug prevention, rehabilitation, youth leadership, suicide prevention, and domestic violence, and more. He blessed both communities with his presence during this entire week and so many loved every moment with him. He left having made a number of new friends. Many participants had the opportunity to get acquainted with someone who is a strong advocate in the Native American community of sobriety.

Thursday night was 80's Party Night perhaps the most entertaining night of fun and enjoyment of the week. It should be noted that at ALL of these were drug/alcohol-free events — only good, clean, and sober fun occurred! This event was held in Wabeno and hosted by the Wabeno Fire Department. People dressed in their neon and spandex and they broke out the Aqua Net hairspray to relive their best lives dressed in a time warp. Music was provided by "Breakfast Club", a duo that plays and sings the top music from this rocking decade. It really was a great night to just kick back, sing, dance and have fun without any alcohol or drugs involved.

Friday was the BIG event — the 5th Annual Recovery Walk. It is hard to believe this walk started four years ago with a group of people who were sick and tired of seeing their families and friends die from this demon called addiction. People gathered in Mole Lake this year to start the walk, ending at the Stone Lake C-Store where the wellness fire was burning, ready to greet them for their prayers and healing. This walk is between 11 and 12 miles long, and people of all ages — babies to Elders — walked this long road for the purpose of raising awareness and giving strength to those still struggling today with addiction. The Crandon Fire Department and Forest County Sheriff's Department participated in this walk to guide the walkers on the highway in their patrol cars, and to show their support and make it clear that they are there to help anyone who is fighting this battle. This walk really is a powerful event. It's impressive to see so many people from this small, but close-knit, community and county come together to draw attention to such an important issue. It must be mentioned for the record that this was the hottest walk that has been held with the temps during this beautiful day in May actually being what we would normally expect in August.

Last, but not least, was the very last day for the week — Saturday. This was Sports Day at Cardinal Park. People participated in a lively kickball game while the children lined up for face painting. The day ended with a nice lunch enjoyed by all. The special treat was a group from 4th Dimension Recovery Center located in Milwaukee, Wis., who came up to hang out. It really was nice to have other people who are in recovery and who walk the same road as others take part in this activity and share their stories and support with the day's participants. Their participation emphasized that people from all walks of life can be affected by addiction and that regardless of who they are or where they live, everyone is just trying to live a better life in sobriety. It was a great reminder that those seeking recovery need never walk that road alone. Ending the week with a great day of kickball, family fun, and laughter was a perfect finale to this week-long celebration of sobriety.

The following is from Kimberlee Soldier, Spokesperson for Prevention Week

Our sponsors and volunteers were absolutely amazing! The love and support shared and experienced was overwhelming.

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Volunteers: Kellee Gallion, Christy Doane, Mackenzi McGeshick, Ed Cover, Sheila Jacobson, Mikala Crum, Kevin Jacobson, Jeff Keeble Sr., John Thornton, Sue Thornton, Buzz Anwash, Jed Kegley, Artie VanZile, Morgan VanZile, Katie Cisneros, Forest County Sherriff's Department.

A special thanks to Mylo Smith who spent the week with everyone in Forest County and to Supaman for Saturday's jam session!

Big thanks to Swamp Creek Singers as they honored us with their songs at the Sobriety Feast and Recovery Walk.

"The Prevention Week Committee thanks you all! We could not have done any of this past week's events without any of you!" — Kimberlee Soldier, Tony Crum, Angela Jacobson, Justin Shawano, Tiffany Wozniack, Stephanie Statezny, and Mary Thornton

June Elder Menus

Monday, 5/30
HOLIDAY Memorial Day
No route

Tuesday, 5/31
Sloppy Joe's, Baked Beans, Sweet Potato Fries, Pickles, Nutri-Grain Bar®

Wednesday, 6/1
Beef Stew Over a Biscuit, Strawberries

Thursday, 6/2
Brat on Bun, Au-Gratin Potatoes, Fiesta Corn, Watermelon

Friday, 6/3
Italian Chicken Wrap, Fresh Broccoli w/ Dill Dip, Jell-O® w/ Fruit

Monday, 6/6
Chicago-Style Hot Dog, Baked Beans, Cole Slaw, Apple

Tuesday, 6/7
Bake Lemon Pepper Cod, Parsley Potatoes, Peas and Carrots, Rye Bread, Yogurt

Wednesday, 6/8
Liver & Onions, Rice Pilaf, California Blend Vegetables, Whole Grain Dinner Roll, Cherry Dump Cake

Thursday, 6/9
Sun Sandwich on a Hoagie Bun, Pasta and Veggie Salad, Tropical Fruit

Friday, 6/10
Homemade Chicken Dumpling Soup, Crackers, Pineapple

Monday, 6/13
Chicken Marsala, Mashed Potatoes, Carrots, Peaches

Tuesday, 6/14
BBQ Pulled Pork Sandwich, County Blend Vegetables, Spinach Dip and Crackers, Cantaloupe

Wednesday, 6/15
Mushroom & Swiss Burger, Calico Beans, French Fries, Baked Chips, Lemon Bars

Thursday, 6/16
Baked Pork Chop, Mac & Cheese, Green Beans, Whole Grain Dinner Roll, Cherry Parfait

Friday, 6/17
Hamburger and Mixed Vegetable Soup, White Wheat Butter Bread, Kiwi

Monday, 6/20
Chicken Breast, Roasted Sweet Potatoes, Mixed Vegetables, Whole Wheat Buttered Bread, Fresh Fruit

Tuesday, 6/21
Spaghetti & Meatballs, Side Salad, Cottage Cheese, Garlic Bread, Banana

Wednesday, 6/22
Scalloped Potatoes & Ham, Beets, Whole Grain Dinner Roll, Strawberry Shortcake

Thursday, 6/23
Chicken Bacon Ranch Wrap, Cherry Tomatoes, Pretzels, Blueberries

Friday, 6/24
Ham & Wild Rice Soup, Fry Bread, Whole Grain Crackers, Oranges

Monday, 6/27
Chicken Broccoli Alfredo, Side Salad w/ Water Chestnuts, Garlic Bread, Mandarin Oranges

Tuesday, 6/28
Shrimp Taco, Fiesta Corn, Mexican Rice, Fresh Berries

Wednesday, 6/29
Fried Chicken, Ranch Mashed Potatoes, Corn, Whole Grain Dinner Roll, Fig Newton®

Thursday, 6/30
California Club on Croissant, Cowboy Caviar, Baked Chips, Pickle, Apple

Friday, 7/1
Creamy Tomato Soup, Cold Cheese Sandwich on Whole Grain, Peanut Butter Crackers, Kiwi

MENUS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

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- Forest County Potawatomi Community Advocacy (715) 478-7201
- Tri-County on DV and SA 1 (800) 236-1222
- National Domestic Violence Hotline 1 (800) 799-7233



Deadline for the June 15, 2022, issue of the *PTT* is Wednesday, June 1, 2022.

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Prevention Week Activities

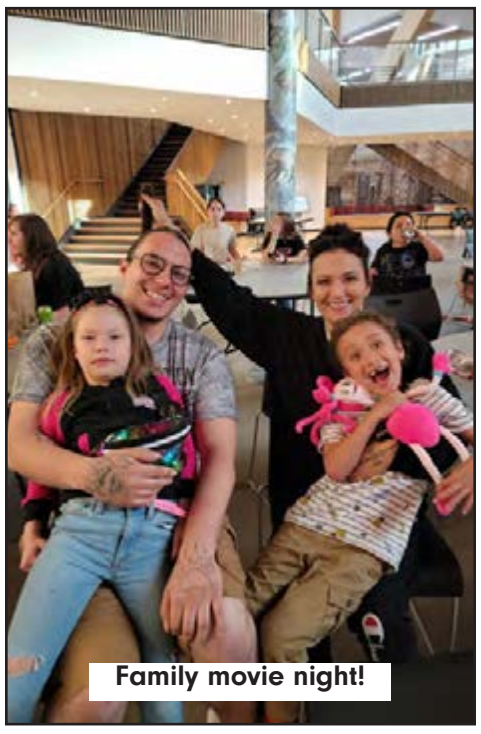
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A round of golf perhaps?



Swamp Creek Singers



Family movie night!



Back at ya, Sam!



4th Dimension Recovery Center visiting.



Jorge finishing the walk!



Kickball action!



80's Party Night!



Sobriety Feast in Mole Lake.

HIGH SCHOOL 2022 GRADUATES



Name: MONIQUE SHEPARD/ SAGANOK
Parents: Nickolas Gene Shepard and Star LaBarge
School graduating from: Appleton West High School
Degree or certificate: High School Diploma
Future plans: Still figuring it out, but really thinking of cooking school.
Words of advice for youth: Create the environment that is right for you and stay true to yourself. "The Office, Season 5, Episode 13, seconds 00.14"
Who would you like to thank? I would love to thank my teachers Mrs. Trcka, Mr. Stanley, and Mr. Babs. I also would like to thank Belle and my sisters for always supporting me and helping me through school, and my parents for never giving up on me.



Name: CLEVELAND J HOLMES JR.
Parents: Cleveland Sr. and Candice Holmes
School graduating from: Wabeno High School
Degree or certificate: Certificate
Extracurricular Activities/Honors/ Awards: Band
Future plans: Gaming: encoder, art designer, music development, entertainer (why not?)
Words of advice for youth: Stay off Fortnite.
Who would you like to thank? Mom, Dad, Grandpa, Grandmothers, peg goldfish.
Additional Comments: Lattes are pretty good.

COLLEGE 2022 GRADUATES

FALL 2021

ALEXIS HOULE: University of Northern Michigan University, Bachelors in Native American Studies & Political Science

SPRING 2022

PRISCILLA BAUER: University of Wisconsin Parkside, Masters in General Business Management

EVELYNN BROWN: Milwaukee Area Technical College, Associates in Arts

KATHY BULMER: Nicolet Area Technical College, Associate in Business Management

JOHN CRAWFORD: Yale University, Bachelors in History & Global Affairs

JEFF JOHNSON: Harvard Business School, Corporate Board Certificate (Nov. 2021); Executive MBA (May 2022)

ANNMARIE KITCHELL: Nicolet Area Technical College, Associates Nursing

JAMES MOE: Bemidji State University, Bachelors in Construction/ Project Management

SUMMER 2022

MKO DANIELS: University of Oklahoma, Masters in Indigenous Peoples Law

FAWN HAWPETOSS: Edgewood College, Clinical Psychology & Criminal Justice

COURTNEY WHITE: University of Milwaukee Flexible Option, Associate of Arts & Science

JOSHUA WHITE: Milwaukee Area Technical College, Associates in Business Management













*Other photos not available at time of print

Potawatomi Hotel & Casino (PHC) Breaks Ground On Rock & Brews: Gene Simmons And Paul Stanley Of Kiss Opening New Restaurant As Part Of Huge Renovation Project At The Casino

submitted by Jay Saunders, Senior Public Relations Specialist for PHC

Milwaukee (May 11, 2022) — Potawatomi Hotel & Casino leaders alongside legendary musicians Paul Stanley and Gene Simmons of KISS broke ground on the new Rock & Brews, the newest location of the music icons' restaurant and part of a new look for Potawatomi.

"It's a thrill to partner with these music legends by bringing a fantastic dining experience and truly unique new venue to our guests at Potawatomi Hotel & Casino and the people of Milwaukee," Potawatomi Hotel & Casino CEO and General Manager Dominic Ortiz said.

The restaurant, which will be located just past the skywalk entrance on the third floor, will feature seating for more than 200 guests. It will also have a double-sided bar with gaming machines and a stage for live music. There will also be a private dining room for parties and events.

"The culture in Milwaukee is a perfect fit for a new Rock & Brews Restaurant," said Paul Stanley and Gene Simmons in a joint statement. "We are excited that the groundbreaking ceremony falls on the date of our End of the Road Tour concert in Milwaukee. We didn't want to miss this."

As the name suggests, "Rock & Brews" is a restaurant that "provides a superior dining experience with a Rock 'n' Roll twist." Guests can enjoy great music while they dine, and there will be screens throughout the restaurant playing rock concerts in addition to amazing art and décor from some of music's biggest names.

The menu is described as "American classics with a twist," and includes burgers, sandwiches, pizzas, and more. As for the brews? There will be 52 beers on tap featuring some of Brew City's finest.

"Rock & Brews" is expected to be open by September of this year. It's part of a $100 Million renovation project announced this week that will revolutionize the casino's third floor and usher in the next era of entertainment to Milwaukee. The project includes more than 120,000 square feet of space for new gaming, food, and entertainment experiences.



(l-r) Gene Simmons of KISS, PHC GM/CEO Dominic Ortiz, and Paul Stanley of KISS





POTAWATOMI COMMUNITY CENTER

Aquatic Center JUNE SCHEDULE

PLEASE NOTE
All classes are subject to change

Spring 2 SWIM LESSONS starting June 20th
Member Registration opens June 6th
Non-Member Registration opens June 13th

	SUNDAYS	MONDAYS	TUESDAYS	WEDNESDAYS	THURSDAYS	FRIDAYS	SATURDAYS
Yard Pool	**Lap Swim** 10am-1pm 2pm-5pm	**Lap Swim** 5:30am-7pm **Swim Lessons** 2pm-3pm	**Lap Swim** 5:30am-7pm **(LL)** **Swim Lessons** 2pm-3pm **Deep Water Aerobics** 5:30pm-6:15pm	**Lap Swim** 5:30am-7pm **Swim Lessons** 2pm-3pm	**Lap Swim** 5:30am-7pm	**Lap Swim** 10am-8pm	**Lap Swim** 11am-3pm 4pm-8pm
Activity Pool & Hot Tub	**Family Swim** 10am-1pm 2pm-5pm	**Open Swim** 5:30am-9am 10am-11am 12pm-1pm 3pm-5:30pm 6:15pm-7pm **Shallow Water Aerobics** 9:15am-10am **Camp Swim** 11am-12pm **Swim Lessons** 1pm-3pm **Aqua Zumba®** 5:30pm-6:15pm	**Open Swim** 5:30am-9am 10am-11am 12pm-1pm 3pm-7pm **Shallow Water Aerobics** 9:15am-10am **Camp Swim** 11am-12pm **Swim Lessons** 1pm-3pm	**Open Swim** 5:30am-9am 12pm-1pm 3pm-7pm **Elders Only** **Shallow Water Aerobics** 9:15am-10am **Coming June 15th** **Aqua Zumba®** 10:15am-11am **Camp Swim** 11am-12pm **Swim Lessons** 1pm-3pm	**Open Swim** 5:30am-9am 10am-11am 12pm-1pm 3pm-7pm **Shallow Water Aerobics** 9:15am-10am	**Open Swim** 10am-8pm	**Family Swim** 11am-3pm 4pm-8pm
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Aquatic Classes

Shallow Water Aerobics
This conditioning water class is held in the shallow water where no swimming skills are needed. The resistance of the water is meant to eliminate impact and be easy on the joints while performing activities. This class is easy to follow and provides motivating music.

Deep Water Aerobics
Higher-intensity cardiovascular water class designed for active exercisers who are looking for a challenging workout without the impact. Flotation belts are provided and recommended, but not required.

Aqua Zumba®
Join our certified instructors in the water for an aerobic dance workout that is easy on joints.

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Summer Session 1
Group Exercise Schedule
June 6 - July 23, 2022

Class Location Key
- AQUATIC CENTER
- GROUP EXERCISE ROOM
- COMBATIVE ROOM
- TURF FIELDHOUSE

Land Classes

SUNDAYS	MONDAYS	TUESDAYS	WEDNESDAYS	THURSDAYS	FRIDAYS	SATURDAYS
NO CLASSES	**Senior Fit** 9am-9:45am **Youth Boxing Club** 4pm-5pm **HIIT** 5:30pm-6pm	**Full-Body Fitness** 9am-9:45am **Vinyasa Flow** 9am-10am	**Step Aerobics** 9am-9:45am **Zumba® Fitness** 5:30pm-6:30pm	**Mobility & Core** 9am-9:45am **Build & Burn** 5:30pm-6:15pm **Yoga Sculpt** 5:30pm-6:30pm **Adult Boxing Club** 5:30pm-6:30pm	**Restorative Yoga** 9am-10am **Zumba® Fitness** 10am-11am	NO CLASSES

Fitness On Demand Classes

SUNDAYS	MONDAYS	TUESDAYS	WEDNESDAYS	THURSDAYS	FRIDAYS	SATURDAYS
Hip Hop Dance 11am-11:30am **Meditation** 1pm-1:10pm	**Strength** 12:05pm-12:25pm **Meditation** 1pm-1:10pm	**Meditation** 1pm-1:10pm **Youth Cardio** 4pm-4:15pm	**Core** 6am-6:20am **Meditation** 1pm-1:10pm	**Bodyweight HIIT** 6:05am-6:35am **Meditation** 1pm-1:10pm	**Meditation** 1pm-1:10pm **Pilates** 5:30pm-5:50pm	**L1FT Strength Training** 10:30am-11:15am **Meditation** 1pm-1:10pm

Check out Fitness On Demand in the Group Exercise Room, where you have access to countless exercise videos right at your fingertips! To find your perfect workout and schedule it visit: community.fcpotawatomi.com/Default.aspx?id=40

Aquatic Classes

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ATTENTION
No Classes July 4th

All classes and prices subject to change. Specialty Classes require seperate fees.

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FRIDAY JUNE 10 2022

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FAMILY RUN/ WALK 10AM

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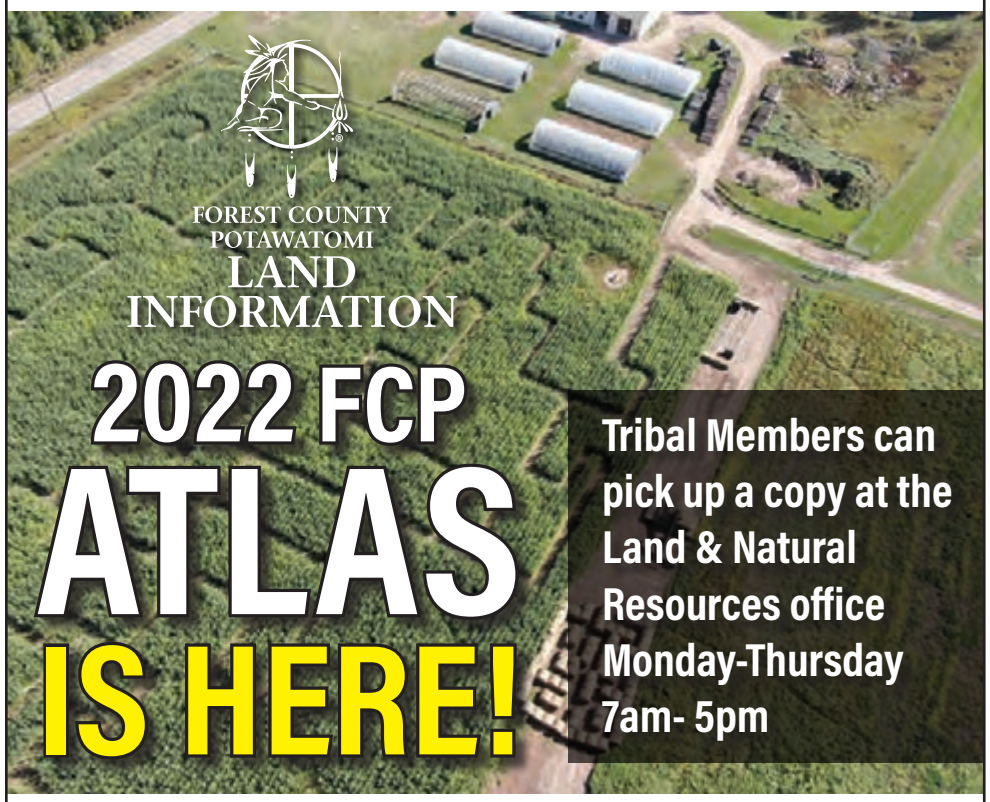
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FOREST COUNTY POTAWATOMI LAND INFORMATION

2022 FCP ATLAS IS HERE!

Tribal Members can pick up a copy at the Land & Natural Resources office Monday-Thursday 7am- 5pm

For more information or to request a copy, please:

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PBDC Federal Group: WELCOMES FIRELAKE CONSTRUCTION AS ITS LATEST JOINT VENTURE



Our latest Joint Venture (JV) teaming partner is between Thunder River Construction, a PBDC-FG subsidiary, and Firelake Construction (FLC) based in Lenexa, Kansas. Founded in 2009, FLC is owned by Jackie Foley, CEO (pictured left). Firelake Construction has a proven track record of excellence in the construction, defense & space, and operations from New Mexico to North Dakota. It has completed over 500 projects around the nation, including major projects with Fortune 500 companies, such as Ford and Charles Schwab.

Firelake Construction has extensive experience in government, industrial, and commercial work. It has built optimized systems for high schools in Missouri and Kansas, and cooling systems for massive data centers in Kansas City, including the World Wide Facility (WWF). Firelake expanded to Huntsville, Alabama in 2010, and its security division remains based there.

In 2015, Firelake shifted its focus from control systems to exclusively performing general contracting and security work. It has completed general contracting, maintenance, monitoring and specialty work for Federal installations including the U.S. Army, Navy, National Guard, Air Force, GSA, USDA, BIA, USFWS and NASA. Firelake also continues to perform MEP, Demolition, and Fire Protection work for the USDA under IDIQ contracts in North Dakota, South Dakota, Montana, Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Texas.

This JV will provide both parties capabilities, resources, and flexibility they would not have alone. In selecting a new teaming partner, it was equally important to Firelake to partner with a respected and reliable organization. As FLC President Greg Foley framed it: "The most important thing is our reputation for quality products and quality delivery. It's too hard to build a reputation and too easy to tear one down."

8(a) certifications also typically expire after nine years, and Firelake has three years left in its 8(a) status. "We have a good understanding of the 8(a) program and are specialized in government contracting," Greg said. "We were looking forward to partnering with PBDC through a Joint Venture to grow our team, expand our capabilities, and deliver quality projects and services for our customers."

PBDC-FG in turn welcomes Firelake Construction. Their reputation, performance, and attitude – "100% accountability / 0 excuses" – aligns well with our proactive work culture and underlying mission to expand and optimize the current and future business holdings of the Forest Potawatomi County Community.

PHC $100M Renovation: GREENFIRE MANAGEMENT SERVICES CONTRACTED

Story by Margaret Naczek - Reporter, Milwaukee Business Journal

Potawatomi Hotel & Casino will begin a $100 million renovation project that revitalizes the third floor of the casino space with over 1,800 slot machine stations, a new bar, Starbuck's Coffee stand and new restaurant.

I-5 is the architect on the project. Greenfire Management Services of Milwaukee, which is a subsidiary of the Potawatomi Business Development Corp., and Gilbane Building Services are the general contractors.

"Since opening more than 30 years ago, Potawatomi Hotel & Casino has made it a priority to evolve and meet the needs of our guests," Potawatomi's CEO and general manager Dominic Ortiz said in a press release. "Not only will this elevate the brand, it will further our long-standing status as the premier entertainment destination in the region as the market becomes significantly more competitive. This is just the beginning. Additional exciting changes and new amenities are in store. The best is truly yet to come."

Ortiz began as the casino and hotel's new CEO on July 26, 2021, replacing Rodney Ferguson, who took a career opportunity in his home state of Virginia.

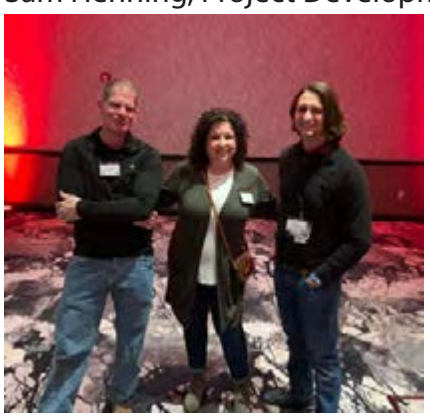
Potawatomi will also have its first Starbucks Coffee location with a full-service spot that serves both food and beverage located immediately off the skywalk entrance.

Across from the new Starbucks location will be the Rock & Brews, the newest restaurant at Potawatomi. Legendary rock band artists from KISS, Paul Stanley and Gene Simmons, created this concept, which Potawatomi said "provides a superior dining experience with a Rock 'n' Roll twist." The restaurant will include local craft beers and a stage for live music.

The renovation also includes three quick service food and beverage options and a new convenience and gift shop. Additional elements to the third floor renovations include aesthetic enhancements such as modern decor, LED lighting, video walls and an upgraded sound system.

"Milwaukee and southeast Wisconsin has been home to the Potawatomi for hundreds of years, and this project is another example of how we are continuing to invest in and better the communities that we call home," Forest County Potawatomi Chairman Ned Daniels Jr. said in the release. "We are excited to bring these new experiences to our guests and to continue our role as the top entertainment destination in Wisconsin."

Photos from PHC Renovation Kick-Off: (Left) Greenfire's Mike Holl, Superintendent; Rebecca Sadler, Director of Administration; and Sam Henning, Project Development Manager.





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- **2-3 pm:** Kids Games
- **4 pm:** Demolition Derby
- **7-11 pm:** Live Music
- **10 pm:** Crandon Fire Department Fireworks (Race Track)

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