

Newsletter

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Featuring this week on Nunavimuit:

Makitautik

The Nunavimmiut season has started again, so make sure you tune in to Nunavimuit on APTN this week to watch Makitautik.

Makitautik Center, a first of its kind, opened its doors in Nunavik in 2000. Makitautik is a rehabilitation center for inmates who need assistance to find their place in life or to return to their community. This center is very special in the fact that all the assistance provided here is given by Inuit and in their own language, Inuktitut. Fully trained and using their traditional way of living to help with the healing, the transition is made that much smoother because they speak their own language and are amongst their own people. It gives a fresh outlook on life and opens their eyes and minds to all their new possibilities. Not to forget about our aging population, the second part of this program gives

us an inside look on how one community looks after its Elders. Talking to them about the benefits of different foods they should eat, discussing health issues they face and finding ways to ensure they are well taken care of so that they can remain an important part of life within their family and also in the community. Our Elders, the ones we turn to to find out about our history, our traditions, our language and so much more. The Elders are the foundation of who we are today.



You could watch Nunavimmiut every Tuesday at 11:00 PM and every Wednesday at 10:30 AM, 2:30 PM, and 6:30 PM

Employee anniversary

Sandy Tooma will have worked for TNI for 2 years on October 5th 2005. So on behalf of every-



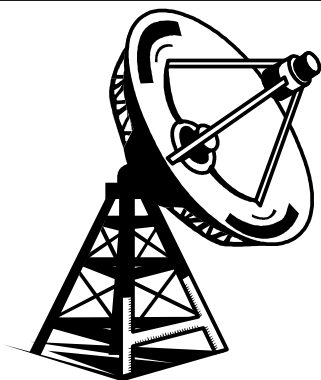
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Joke of the week

A blonde goes to work one morning crying her eyes out. Her boss, concerned about his employee's well being, asks her sympathetically, "What's the matter?" The blonde replies, "Early this morning I got a phone call saying that my mother had passed away." "I'm terribly sorry to hear that. Why don't you go home for the day. We aren't terribly busy. Just take the day off to relax and rest." The blonde very calmly explains, "No, I'd be better off here. I need to keep my mind off it and I have the best chance of doing that here." The boss agrees and allows the blonde to work as usual. "If you need anything, just let me know," he says. A few hours pass and the boss decides to check on the blonde. He looks out over his office and sees the blonde crying hysterically. He rushes out to her, and asks, "Are you going to be okay? Is there anything I can do to help?" "No," replies the blonde, "I just got a call from my sister, and she said that HER mom died too!"



one at TNI, congratulations Sandy!

Let the Games Begin!

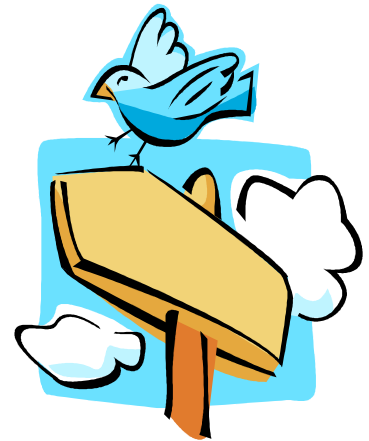
Today, on October 3rd 2005, the radio quiz games have officially begun. The first community to play is Kuujjuaraapik and all other communities will follow. So from now on, make sure you tune into TNI radio and listen for your communities turn to participate!

TNI Kuujjuaq's TV Center Shuts Down - Update!

As of Today, October 3rd 2005, the television production center in Kuujjuaq is closed. Sandy Tooma is the only remaining TNI employee at the office, and he will stay there to run the radio. The Kuujjuaq office will now be known as a radio production center.

As announced last week, Evie is in Montreal, and although she will not be in the office this week, she could from now on be reached at the Dorval office. Evie is taking this week to look for an apartment.

Jeannie is also now in Montreal.



She arrived on Friday, September 30th 2005. Jeannie could be reached at the Dorval office from now on.

Travels

Bobby Kenuajuak is in Montreal this week to work with Dana on a production. Bobby arrived on Friday, September 30th 2005, and will be going back to Puvirtnituaq on October 8th 2005. SO Bobby can be reached at the Dorval office all week.

PS - DO NOT FORGET THAT OCTOBER 10TH IS A HOLIDAY.

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