## Miisun Forestry Newsletter

## June 2021

- Miisun has new website!!! www.miisun.ca
- Seasonal Employment Opportunities

## Renewal









- Tree planting: April June
- Cone collection: June September
- Slash Pile burning crew October -November
- Contact: Derian Caron- 466-3577

Road Construction and Maintenance Activities







- Equipment Operators: April October
  - Must have valid common core
  - Valid drivers licence
- Roadside brushing: May to September
  - Must have chainsaw certification
- General labourer for culvert and bridge installations
- Road and water crossing inspections
  - Valid drivers licence
- Nuisance Beaver Program
- Contact: Shannon Rawn 467-3351, Ext.1

Weyerhaeuser-TrusJoist-Kenora is a supporting sponsor of the Outland Youth Employment Program (OYEP). OYEP was developed 20 years ago to support economic opportunities for Indigenous youth in the Ontario forestry sector. OYEP has since grown into a national network of land-based education, training and work opportunities for high school aged Indigenous youth. OYEP is a six-week work experience providing training and education in a supportive space that replicates various work environments.

The program takes an inclusive approach to Indigenous education, recruitment, retention and

provides a safe and predictable learning environment that can be tailored to meet the needs of local communities and partners.

OYEP collaborates with local Indigenous communities and consults with Elders to ensure youth feel culturally and spiritually supported in the workplace.

In northwestern Ontario, OYEP runs a camp in the Ignace area. The program may be modified again this year due to COVID, but still proceeding. Interested youth can contact OYEP directly for questions or to apply to the program.

OYEP - Home www.oyep.ca