

Knows What's Happening...

Thunder Bay Edition

Want to know what is going on in your city? Follow Nokiiwin's weekly newsletter from the Education Department to see all the FREE Family Friendly activities provided in the area!

## Saturday, May 18, 2024

Thunder Bay Country MarketCLE – Dove Building8:00am-1:00pmThe TBay Market is a collection of small, local businesses that all make, bake, or grow the items that they sell<br/>directly to you when you visit the Market! You can ask the people who make the food, baked the bread, picked<br/>the tomato, sewn the outfit or painted the item about how they've done it, what goes into it and why they are<br/>so passionate about it.

Live entertainment, play spaces for the kids and delicious snacks and coffee.

VendorFest Market	CLE – Heritage Building	8:00am-1:30
Peruse multiple local vendors in one spot.		

Northern Nature Trading	Mary J.L. Black Library - 901 Edward St.	10:00am-12:00pm
Northern Nature Trading is a special kind of swap shop! Show us items you've found in nature and trade them		
for things in our collection. You can trade things made by nature like rocks, shells, fossils, and pinecones.		
Trading is based on points. We award you points for what you know about your item, what makes it different		
from similar ones and the quality (clean, good condition).		

Farmer's Market	North End Rec – 954 Huron Ave.	10:00am-2:00pm
Come for breakfast, come for lunch, shop.		

Earth Emperors	Waverly Resource Library - Auditorium	10:30am-11:30am
Drop-in to grow your child's appreciation for nature during this spring and gardening themed storytime.		
Nature STEM activities and crafts for kids. Expect to get dirty. Ages 4+		

Tech ClubWaverley Resource Library - Auditorium1:00pm-3:00pmAn easy-going, non-structured meetup for kids and parents who want to support one another navigating<br/>modern technology. If it's something techie - we're here for it! We've got aspiring coders, digital artists,<br/>gamers, tinkerers and other kindred tech spirits. Drop by with (or without) your own devices and see what<br/>others are doing - or show off what you've done to a supportive and like-minded group. Feel free to join<br/>virtually on our Discort server anytime and ask to join our mailing list.

Minecraft	Mary J.L. Black Library - 901 Edward St.	10:00am-12:00pm
Play Minecraft (bedrock) and add to our growing community. Don't have a device or account? We can provide		
one at the event! Grades 8-12.		

Thunder Bay Chill Exhibition Game	535 Chapples Drive	7:00pm
Don't miss out on experiencing the Thunder Bay Chill! Join us at the tbaytelfield@Chapples Park for a		
thrilling new season and show your support for your city's team!		
The Chill were established in 2000 by the founder Tony Colistro and the team competes in the USL2.		

## Sunday, May 19, 2024

ConnectEarlyON – 425 Edward St. North9:30am-11:30amOpen to children with a disability along with a Parent/Caregiver and sibling. Age based on abilities rather than<br/>years since birth for this group. Join us in a safe and fun environment. Connect with other families and learn<br/>about family supports.

Female Boarder Collective Sunday SkatesCinema 5 Skate Park – 1-115 Cumberland St. N.10:00am-12:00pmSunday Skates happen every Sunday from 10-12. All ages and abilities welcomeEquipment is available for those that want to try skateboarding Image: Cost: \$5.00 donation includes equipment and lesson. Hope to see you on your boards!Image: Cost: \$5.00 donation includes equipment and lesson. Hope to see you on your boards!

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Indoor Active Play spaceEarlyON – 425 Edward St. North1:30pm-3:30pmFor kids 0-6 years of age, no fee. Our programs support active learning through exploration, play, and inquiry<br/>by offering a space that respects belonging, well-being, engagement, and expression. Come out and join in<br/>the fun!

## Monday, May 20, 2024 – Victoria Day

I cannot find any events for this day! I hope you can enjoy time with your family and the weather permits exploring Thunder Bay's beautiful parks, trails, and scenery.

\*Please note these are not Nokiiwin events. They are sponsored by the allocated groups in our city. This is simply a forum to provide where and when there is free family fun in our city.