

NO URANIUM MINE

Fundraising Event in Support of
Ardoch Algonquin First Nation

Friday September 14, 2007

5 PM - 9 PM

Performances by :

Dan Sarazin with Trip Permit

Kevin Schofield's Legends of Country

Paul Chabot

Inuit throat singing by Siqiniup Qilautaa

First Nations drumming by Bear Nation

Guest Speaker from Trent University

Odawa Native Friendship Centre

11 Stirling Avenue

Ottawa, ON

Accepting donations and food will be sold.

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Background Information:

Frontenac Ventures has staked more than 5,000 hectares and was about to start drilling when the Algonquins and a contingent of local non-native supporters blocked them from accessing the land. They set up a gated base camp near Sharbot Lake, about 50 kilometres north of Kingston and put up signs and flags, parked a couple of trailers and pitched tents. A handful of people have remained on-site 24 hours a day since June 28, and a number of volunteers guard the perimeter of the staked land.

The Algonquins and their supporters say they're worried that exploration and mining will contaminate their lands and water with radioactive waste. The waterways, they point out, are connected to the Ottawa River and could affect the drinking water in the nation's capital.

Carbon emissions from mining, transporting and milling uranium could offset health benefits. Then there's the issue of nuclear waste – spent uranium from the reactors, for which there's no long-term storage solution.

Entertainment: Bands attuning to your rock, folk and country listening experience.

Guest Speaker from Sharbot Lake
Bear Nation Drummers
Moose Stew for sale!!

Cost: ANYTHING you can provide towards the cause would be beneficial in promoting land usage protection rights not just for First Nations but for your local regional community.

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