# Ashi-niswi giizisoog (Thirteen Moons)

## Aabita-Niibino-giizis:

The new Aabita-Niibino-giizis, Mid-summer moon, begins July 2nd. Other names for this moon are Miini-giizis, Blueberry Moon; Miskomini-giizis, Raspberry moon and Baashkawe'o-giizis, Flying moon.

### Anishinaabemowin Lessons

#### **Double Vowel Chart**

This is how to pronounce Oiibwe words.

All consonants sound the same as in English.

"Zh"- sounds like the "su" in measure

"a"- sounds like the "u" in sun

"aa"- sounds like the "a" in father

"i"- sounds like the "i" in sit

"ii"- sounds like the "ee" in feet

"o"- sounds like the "o" in go

"oo"- sounds like the "oo" in food

"e"- sounds like the "ay" in stay

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Find the Ojibwe words in the puzzle below

 $\mathbf{E}$ В  $\mathbf{E}$  $\mathbf{E}$ R Ν Ν Ι Η Α В K  $\mathbf{L}$ D D  $\mathbf{Z}$  $\mathbf{E}$ В Ν L Ι R Ν ZS Ι C G Y D Ρ G G G Η Ν В K 0 P Ν Z $\mathbf{E}$  $\mathbf{E}$ G J V F G S S Η I Α P Α W 0 G Ν K Ε 0  $\mathbf{E}$ S Μ F Η R S D  $\mathbf{E}$ F U  $\mathbf{E}$ W  $\mathbf{E}$ 0 Ν 0  $\mathbf{E}$ V R K Ι P L Μ Α M Ν Ν Α M 0 Ν Η В 0 F Η L  $\mathbf{E}$ IJ 0 0 0  $\mathbf{E}$ P В I Ν Ν Ι Χ D Ν K Т  $\mathbf{E}$ В  $\mathbf{E}$ I Μ R G S  $\bigcirc$ В W L S S Ν Ν  $\mathbf{E}$ K Т K Ν 0 U Ν Ι I J Ν Ν 0 Μ В Μ Μ I Q M K Α Y  $\mathbf{E}$ Ι K В Μ 0 Ν G U Ι W В P R Η D A G M P Ν D Т Τ Α В ZΑ D  $\bigcirc$ 

BAPAKINE/grasshopper

BIMOONJIGAN/dance bustle

BINGOSHENS/gnat

BIPAKOOMBENS/cucumber

BIZINDAM/listen

BOODAAJII/inflate

DIBIISHKOO/equal

GIIGOOZENS/minnow

GOTAAMIGOZI/good worker

MOOKODAASO/carve

NINOOSAN/hip

OKAADENIGAN/braid

WAAWAATESI/firefly

WENIBAN/disappeared

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