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Chewescla DePoe (left) and Lexi Jackson (above) in 2015



File photos

Gladys Bolton (left) and two young Owl Dancers (above) in 2015

Tribe invites community to help celebrate 39th annual Restoration Pow-Wow

The public is invited to join the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians on Nov. 19 as it holds its annual Restoration Pow-Wow at Chinook Winds Casino Resort in Lincoln City, Ore.

This free event begins with a grand entry at 6 p.m. American Indian vendors with jewelry, beadwork and other items for sale will be available throughout the day.

Additionally, Chinook Winds will host Williams & Ree (The Indian and the White Guy) on Nov. 18 at 8 p.m. Tickets to this free comedy show are available at the Chinook Winds box office while supplies last.

This is the 39th year the Siletz Tribe has celebrated the signing of Public Law 95-195, which re-established government-to-government relations between the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians and the federal government. The Siletz Tribe was terminated from federal recognition in August 1954.

In the late 1960s, it became apparent that the only way to preserve and revitalize Siletz Tribal sovereignty, community and culture was for the Siletz Tribe to regain its status as a Tribe recognized by the United States.

In November 1977, after years of intense lobbying, Congress and President Jimmy Carter approved Public Law 95-195, which reinstated recognition of the Siletz as a federal Indian Tribe. The Siletz Tribe was the second in the nation – and the first in Oregon – to achieve restoration.

Dedicated to improving the quality of life of its more than 5,000 members, the Tribe puts strong emphasis on the education, health and social well-being of all its members.

Significant Tribal accomplishments since Restoration include opening the original health clinic in 1991 and a new much larger clinic in 2010; building more than 150 homes and multiple dwellings

for Tribal members, including 28 units at Neachesna Village in Lincoln City that have opened since 2009, 19 apartments in Siletz that opened in 2010, and 12 homes in the Tillamook subdivision in Siletz that have opened since 2013; completing the Siletz Dance House in 1996; opening the Tenas Illahee Child Care Center in 2003; opening the Tillicum Fitness Center and a new USDA food distribution warehouse in Siletz in 2008; and opening the Siletz Rec Center in 2009.

Through its economic development division, the Siletz Tribal Business Corporation, the Tribe purchased the Lincoln Shores office complex in Lincoln City in 2001 and opened the Siletz Gas & Mini-Mart in Siletz in 2004, the Logan Road RV Park in Lincoln City in 2004 and the Hee Hee Illahee RV Resort in Salem in 2006.

The Tribe purchased the Imprints printing business, now called Siletz Tribal Prints & Gifts, in Lincoln City in 2008.

Tribal offices in Portland, Salem and Eugene are housed in Tribally owned buildings. The Eugene office moved to its current location in 2005, the Salem office did the same in 2006 and the Portland office moved to its current location in 2008.

The Tribe also played a lead role in opening Siletz Valley School in 2003 and Siletz Valley Early College Academy in 2006.

The Siletz Tribal Arts & Heritage Society (STAHS) was formed in 2013 as a nonprofit to enhance the Tribe's ability to develop the Siletz Tribal Cultural Center. STAHS also helps the Tribe with acquiring object and archival collections.

Chinook Winds Casino in Lincoln City opened in May 1995. In June 2004, the Siletz Tribe purchased the former Shilo Inn adjacent to the casino and

See Restoration on page 8

Wyden nominates Edenfield to key federal committee

WASHINGTON – U.S. Sen. Ron Wyden announced on Sept. 30 the nomination of Sharon Edenfield to the U.S. Department of Treasury's Tribal Advisory Committee, which provides advice on taxation, training of IRS agents as well as training and assistance to Native American financial officers.

Edenfield is a Tribal Council member for the Confederated Tribes of the Siletz Indians and serves as its Tribal administrative manager. She has more than 30 years of experience working directly on Tribal tax, financing and insurance issues.

"I am extremely proud to nominate Sharon because I have no doubt from my conversations with her that the knowledge and direct experience she brings on Tribal tax matters will prove a valuable addition to the Treasury Tribal Advisory Committee," Wyden said. "She will provide a beneficial and unique Oregon Tribal perspective to the committee's important work applying Tribal tax provisions."

The Treasury Tribal Advisory Committee was established pursuant to the Tribal General Welfare Exclusion Act of 2014.

The committee's role is to inform and advise the Treasury on issues related to

the taxation of Indians. The committee also helps to educate and train IRS agents working directly with Tribes to ensure IRS laws relating to Tribes are properly applied and enforced.

As ranking member on the Senate Committee on Finance, Wyden can nominate one person to the committee.

"I am very honored to be selected and would like to thank Sen. Wyden for his nomination," Edenfield said. "I look forward to serving on the Tribal Tax Advisory Committee to make a positive impact to Native people in Oregon and across the country."



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Sharon Edenfield

Sharon's appointment

Sen. Ron Wyden announced the appointment of Sharon Edenfield to the Treasury Tribal Advisory Committee. We are very pleased that Sharon has been appointed to this important committee, where she will serve along with other Tribal representatives from across the nation.

The committee will advise on tax issues as referenced in the General Welfare Exclusion Act that Congress passed in 2014. Congratulations, Sharon!

NICOA

Loraine Butler and I, along with other Tribal elders, attended the National Indian Council on Aging (NICOA) conference that was recently held in Niagara Falls, N.Y. NICOA only meets every two years.

Issues that affect elders are the purpose of the meeting, such as health, housing, elder services, abuse and of course, politics. The meeting was well-attended and provided good speakers and information.

Dave Hatch

Upon returning from a recent trip to Washington, D.C., Bud Lane, Robert Kentta and I were informed that Dave Hatch had lost his life due to a severe

allergic reaction. It was a terrible shock as we were with Dave prior to this trip.

Dave served several terms on the Tribal Council and assisted in many capacities. He was the chairman of the Siletz Tribal Arts and Heritage Society (STAHS).

His love was the outdoors and his heart was working with Tribal youth to get them engaged in those activities that are important to a healthy lifestyle. He coordinated workshops and the Salmon Camps with other Tribes for Tribal youth.

He was enjoyable, always smiling and pleasant to work with. We will miss him greatly on the Tribal Council.

Dolores Atiyeh

The beloved wife of our friend and former governor of Oregon, Victor Atiyeh, passed away on Aug. 29. We were very saddened to hear the news.

She accompanied the governor on his many visits to our gatherings and we spent happy hours of conversation with both of them.

The Atiyeh family most graciously invited us to attend her memorial service in Portland, Ore., on Sept. 3. Ed Ben and I attended.

Department of Justice (DOJ)

I was honored to attend a special Flag Ceremony hosted by DOJ that recognized Tribal sovereignty. All nine federally recognized Tribal flags were posted at the Department of Justice in the Portland office.

U.S. Attorney Billy J. Williams spoke eloquently about the relationships with Oregon's Tribes. The event was well-attended by Tribes, DOJ, State and BIA officials.



Courtesy photo

Below: U.S. Attorney Billy J. Williams and Tribal Chairman Delores Pigsley

Delores Pigsley



Elders Council Meeting

Nov. 13 (Sunday) • 1-4 p.m. • Chinook Winds Golf Resort

Siletz Elder potlucks are held monthly at 6 p.m. on the Monday before the regularly scheduled Elders meeting. Please bring a potluck dish you would like to share.

For more information, contact the Elders Program at 800-922-1399, ext. 1261, or 541-444-8261.

Siletz News is free to enrolled Siletz Tribal members. For all others, a \$12 annual subscription fee applies. Please make checks payable to CTSI and mail to *Siletz News*.

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Send information to:

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Siletz, OR 97380-0549

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800-922-1399, ext. 1291

Fax: 541-444-2307

Email: pias@ctsi.nsn.us

Deadline for the December issue is Nov. 10.

Submission of articles and photos is encouraged.

Please see the Passages Policy on page 20 when submitting items for Passages.



Member of the Native American Journalists Association

Nuu-wee-ya' (our words)

Introduction to the Athabaskan language

Open to Tribal members of all ages

December classes will be dedicated to teaching the Feather Dance.

Siletz

Siletz Tribal Community Center
Nov. 7 – 6-8 p.m.
Dec. 5 – 6-8 p.m.

Portland

Portland Area Office
Nov. 14 – 6-8 p.m.
Dec. 12 – 6-8 p.m.

Eugene

Eugene Area Office
Nov. 8 – 6-8 p.m.
Dec. 6 – 6-8 p.m.

Salem

Salem Area Office
Nov. 15 – 6-8 p.m.
Dec. 13 – 6-8 p.m.

Classes begin with basic instruction and progress over the year. They also are a refresher course for more-advanced students. Come and join other members of your community and Tribe in learning to speak one of our ancient languages.

We also have equipment in the Cultural Department available for use in grinding and drilling shell or pine nuts or other applications. If you need to use the equipment, call the number below to set up an appointment.

For more information, contact Bud Lane at the Siletz Cultural Department at 541-444-8320 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1320; or e-mail budl@ctsi.nsn.us.

“Teach Our Children Our Stories”: Consider PSU to start teaching career

PORTLAND, Ore. – The Portland State University Graduate School of Education has received a \$873,113 grant from the U.S. Department of Education Office of Indian Education (OIE) to recruit and prepare American Indian students for teaching licensure and master’s degrees over the next four years.

This is the third OIE professional development grant received by Portland State University (PSU) in six years. The first award, received in 2010, established the American Indian Teacher Preparation program (AITP).

“I am elated,” said Project Director Maria Tenorio. “I think this grant will

help us sustain a lot of the work we want to continue with Oregon Tribes – in fact, some of our first teachers are now ready to accept student teachers!”

PSU is the largest school of education in the state and the Portland-metro area has the largest American Indian population in Oregon, yet very few American

Indians are represented among the ranks of Oregon’s 33,000 teachers.

More information on AITP can be found at pdx.edu/aitp. The AITP office is located in 290A of the Graduate School of Education, in the Fourth Avenue Building.

For an application packet or to receive a brochure, contact Quang Phan at qphan@pdx.edu or Tenorio at 503-725-9925.

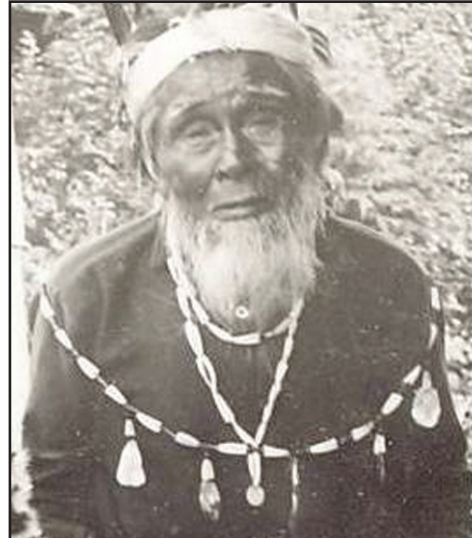
Culture Craft Nights



Rope/String Making

Nov. 30 • 5-7 p.m.

Siletz Tribal Community Center



Dentalium Stringing Class

Dec. 28 • 5-7 p.m.

Siletz Tribal Community Center

Siletz Tribal members and their families are invited to come and learn how to make string and rope the old way in November and then learn how to string dentalium in December. All ages are welcome. Young people under age 10 need an adult to accompany and assist them.

The Siletz Culture Department will provide material and instructors. If you have your own materials, please bring them.

Contact: Bud Lane, budl@ctsi.nsn.us; 541-444-8320 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1320. Sponsored by the Education and Culture Departments

Nesika Illahee Pow-Wow

Attention Siletz Tribal Artists

The 2017 Nesika Illahee Pow-Wow Committee is once again having a logo contest for the upcoming pow-wow in August 2017. All Siletz Tribal artists are encouraged to submit a pow-wow-themed logo.

The winning logo artist will receive a cash prize of \$250 and a professional banner with your logo. The winning artist will have his or her logo highlighted on Nesika Illahee Pow-Wow flyers and merchandise.

Please submit your artwork to the cultural education director’s office at the Tribal Community Center or mail it to Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians, Attn: Pow-Wow Logo Contest, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549.

All entries must be received no later than Feb. 28, 2017.

Royalty Crown Proposals

The Pow-Wow Committee is now accepting proposals for 2017-2018 royalty crowns. Proposals are being accepted for Miss Siletz, Junior Miss Siletz and Little Miss Siletz.

Proposals for a crown must include art design, size of the crown and a bid for the crown or crowns of your interest. Proposals can be submitted for individual crowns, two crowns or you can submit a bid for all three crowns.

Crown proposals must be turned in to the committee no later than Feb. 28, 2017. Proposals should be sent to Siletz Pow-Wow Committee, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549.

If you have any questions, contact Buddy Lane at 800-922-1399, ext 1230, or 541-444-8230.

November USDA distribution dates

Siletz

Tuesday	Nov. 1	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Wednesday	Nov. 2	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Thursday	Nov. 3	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Friday	Nov. 4	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Monday	Nov. 7	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Salem

Monday	Nov. 14	1:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday	Nov. 15	9 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday	Nov. 16	9 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Thursday	Nov. 17	9 – 11 a.m.

Yes, we have canned tuna back in the food package. Made these wraps and they are sooo good.

Between now and December, we also will have wild rice as a one-time offering, apple/cherry juice will replace grapefruit juice and we’ll have frozen sockeye salmon filets in the food package.

On Oct. 1, the income guideline went up for smaller households. Be sure to check it out on the website. Also, LIKE us on Facebook at Siletz Tribal FDP/IR.

Tuna Salad Wraps

- 1 can tuna (squeeze dry)*
- Juice of 1 lemon*
- ½ bunch romaine lettuce (shredded)*
- 1 cup celery (diced)*
- ½ cup mayo
- ¼ cup dill relish
- Salt and pepper to taste
- Whole wheat tortillas*

Mix the first seven ingredients in a large bowl. Place about ½ cup of the mixture into a tortilla and roll it up.

*Indicates commodity food item

Joyce Retherford, FDP Director
541-444-8393

Lisa Paul, FDP Clerk/Warehouseman
541-444-8279

Free child ID kits from Oregon State Police
503-934-0188, 800-282-7155 or child.idkits@state.or.us

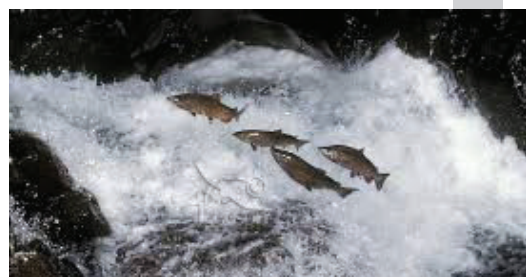
CULTURAL FISHING

SEASON OPEN

Oct. 14 - Dec. 12, 2016

CTSI License & Tag Required

TRIBAL FISHING SITES:



- ❖ Euchre Creek Falls (off Hwy 229)
- ❖ Little Rock Creek (above Hatchery)
- ❖ Drift Creek (off Hwy 101)

Tribal salmon tags may only be used to fish in posted areas at the above cultural fishing sites using only a dip net, spear, or gaff hook. License and tags are available at the CTSI Natural Resources Dept., (541) 444-8227.

General Council Meeting

Nov. 5, 2016 • 1 p.m.

Siletz Tribal Community Center
Siletz, Oregon

- Call to Order
- Invocation
- Flag Salute
- Roll Call

- Approval of Agenda
- Approval of Minutes

Economic Development

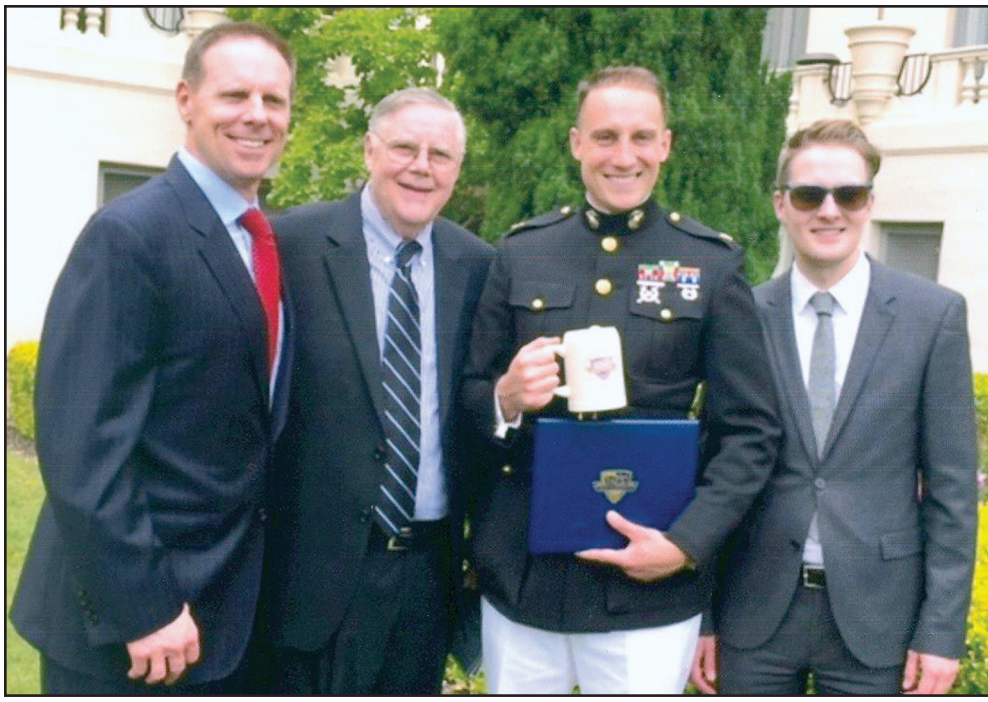
Tribal Council Candidates’ Declarations

Tribal Members’ Concerns

Chairman’s Report

Announcements

Adjourn



Courtesy photo

L to r: Ryan King's older brother, David, executive director of the LA Interagency Metropolitan Police Apprehension Crime Task Force, Department of Justice, California; his dad, Dave; Ryan; and his younger brother, Matthew, deputy attorney general, Office of the Attorney General, Department of Justice, California

Ryan T. King Naval Postgraduate School

With love from Mom and Dad

We would like to congratulate our son, Major Ryan T. King, who graduated from the Naval Postgraduate School on June 17, 2016, in Monterey, Calif., with a master's of arts in security studies (western hemisphere).

Ryan will be stationed at Fort Story, Va., for the next three years.

Ryan is an amazing son and we could not be prouder.

What to do with all the squash?

By Nancy Ludwig, MS, RD, LD, Siletz Tribal Head Start Nutrition

As part of my role as a consultant nutritionist to Siletz Tribal Head Start, I offer information for families. This segment celebrates squash and suggests a few easy ways to prepare it for the family. Don't forget to eat the seeds, too!

October and November tend to be months that many squash are available, such as pumpkin, butternut, acorn or Hubbard. Most squash can be baked or roasted in the oven to soften or prepare it to eat for a meal or to use for baking.

Fresh squash is much less expensive and more flavorful than canned pumpkin and can be a fun project with children. They can help wash the squash and remove the seeds after you cut it open and before you bake it face down at 350 F for 45-60 minutes in a baking dish with ¼-inch of water.

Consider saving and planting the seeds or roasting and eating the seeds.

Winter Squash & Bean Combo

- 2 cups winter squash, baked, seeds and peel removed, cubed*
- 1 15-ounce can black beans or kidney beans, drained
- 2/3 cup salsa
- Liberal cilantro, chopped fresh

Bake the squash whole in the oven at 350 until tender (approximately 1 hour). This can be done the night prior. I prefer butternut because it tends to be more firm.

Combine squash cubes, beans and salsa. Serve on top of brown rice or a bed of fresh baby leaf spinach (or both). Garnish with fresh chopped cilantro.

This also could be layered in a casserole dish (showing off the color contrast – imagine orange squash, red kidney beans or black beans, green spinach, red salsa and bright green cilantro).

Bonus: Don't forget to roast, salt and eat the seeds (on salad or as snack). If you oil the pan and stir periodically, you don't have to remove the bits of squash when you bake the seeds.

Seeds can be baked at the same time as the squash or later at a lower temperature. Salt the seeds as soon as they are removed from the oven. Delicious when warm!

Stuffed Winter Squash*


This is a fall or winter meal that can be made with many variations. Be flexible and creative with what is available.

*Squash: Start with acorn squash or any other type that suits your fancy, such as delicata. Choose the number of units and size you want to serve as halves or round slices. Slice and place face down on a baking dish.

Bake squash until tender to pierce with a fork. May take up to 1 hour at 350 F depending on the squash type and size. When making this in a hurry, squash can be cooked in the microwave. Heat face down until tender.

For variation, you could slice the squash and serve the filling over sliced squash as the beautiful, colorful bed.


Siletz Community Health Clinic



Monday - Friday 8am-5pm

Siletz Community Health Clinic offers comprehensive health care to ALL residents of Lincoln County. We accept Private Insurance, Medicare & Medicaid

We'll do everything possible to not only provide you with quality health care, but also to involve you in decisions about your health, and participate with you in developing and maintaining a healthy lifestyle for the future.



Call the Clinic for more information
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Siletz Community Health Clinic Providers

<p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Medical</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Lisa Taylor, Medical Director</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Dr. Stewart Tuft, Physician (Family Medicine)</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Dr. Fred Chavez, Physician (Family Medicine)</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Dr. Stephen Burns, Physician (Pediatrics)</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Dr. Sean Rash, Physician (Pediatrics)</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">William Fisher, Physician Assistant</p>	<p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Dental</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Dr. Jeremy Vistica, Dental Director</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Dr. Gordon Stanger, Dentist</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Teresa Carpenter, Dental Hygienist</p>
<p style="text-align: center; margin: 0;">Optometry</p> <p style="font-size: x-small; margin: 0;">Dr. Lorene Stanger, Optometrist</p>	

For more information about the Siletz Tribe, please visit ctsi.nsn.us.



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Butternut squash

Filling

- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- ¼ cup red onion
- 1 tablespoon curry powder
- ½ each green tart apple, such as granny smith, diced
- 1 stalk celery, chopped
- 1-2 tablespoons raisins or infused cranberries
- 1½ cups cooked brown rice**
- 1½ cups cooked lentils**
- 1-2 tablespoons balsamic vinegar
- Salt to taste
- Garnish with chutney and fresh cilantro, chopped

Filling: Cook brown rice and lentils or use leftovers. **Lentils and rice can be cooked together in a pan or rice cooker. Use ¾ cup of each and 3 cups water.

Meanwhile, add cooking oil to pan and sauté onions; add curry after onions are almost done. Add apple, celery and raisins or other dried fruit to pan while continuing to sauté. Stir in brown rice and lentils. Adjust flavor as needed with balsamic vinegar and salt.

Place the warm filling on the warm squash (either squash boats or rings). This also can be placed in the refrigerator to reheat later. Serve with chutney and fresh cilantro if desired.

Don't forget to serve with salad or cooked greens.

Acorn Squash Bisque

Yield: 1½ quarts

- 1 quart stock, such as vegetable cooking water
- 1 each acorn squash, baked with skin removed (save the skin for the next broth)
- 5 5-inch carrots, boiled in the stock or left over
- 1 cup apple juice or broth from cooking apple scraps

Puree ingredients to create a smooth consistency. Bisque should be slightly thick and is prettier when bright orange (thus the carrots were added).

Adjust thickness with additional liquid if too thick or additional squash or carrots to increase thickness. Apple juice, water or sauce help balance the sweetness without adding sugars. Remember to make your own apple juice or sauce without added sugars.

For interest, seasoning options can include salt, sweet cinnamon or spicy curry.

Butternut squash also would have a rich flavor and a thicker consistency.

Siletz Tribal Head Start offers my time at no cost to you to support family nutrition over the telephone. Please contact me if you have nutrition concerns about your Head Start child.



Community Health Department

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Selene Rilatos is the new TPEP Coordinator. She is a Siletz Tribal Member and is very anxious to be a part of the team with the Community Health Department. Health has been and is still the number one priority for the tribe. She is passionate about providing clean, healthy air where we work, live and play for everyone and keeping tribal land sacred. The TPEP Program is currently housed at the Siletz Community Health Clinic, when prior it was at the Portland Area Office.

Events

**Every First & Third Thursday
Girls' Group
Siletz Clinic 6pm-8pm**

**November 16
Diabetes Luncheon
Portland Area Office 12pm**

**November 29
Emergency Preparedness Class
Eugene Area Office 6:30-7:30pm**



Eli Grove is currently a senior at Oregon State University, Majoring in Public Health Promotion and Health Behavior while also receiving a minor in Environmental Safety and Health. Eli grew up in Siletz and Toledo Oregon, where he graduated high school before moving to Corvallis. He's a member of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz and will be doing an internship

through the tribe's Community Health Department for ten weeks.

Eli looks forward to helping the Community Health Department out in any way that he can and he's happy to be back and working in Siletz. Eli's long term goal is to become a high school teacher and coach, here in Oregon.

In his free time, Eli enjoys camping, hiking fishing and sports, along with spending quality time with family, friends and his dog. Eli has spent his last four summers working for the Oregon department of Forestry as a wild land firefighter which has been an awesome time. Eli hopes to meet and work with more community members during his ten week internship! Go Beavs!

Girls' Group

All girls age 9 and up are welcome to join the CARE Program and Prevention for some fun, food, and education. We talk about female empowerment, self-esteem, healthy relationships, and much more.

**Siletz Community Health Clinic
Every first & third Thursday
6pm-8pm**



Fitness Center

**Tai Chi: M & W 10:30-11:30am
Zumba Gold: T & Th 5:30-6:30pm**

**Sit and Be Fit: T, Th & F 10:00-11:00am
Pilates: M & W 5:15-6:15**

Remember to report your hunting, fishing harvests

As the hunting season begins, Tribal members are reminded to report harvests of deer, elk, salmon and shellfish to the Natural Resources Department.

Per the Tribal Hunting, Fishing and Gathering Ordinance, the Tribal member issued a tag is personally responsible for reporting within three business days if a tag is filled.

Names of Tribal members issued tags who report filled tags are entered into one of the incentive drawings below.

Drawings for incentives occur after the season has ended.

Deer/elk hunting incentives

Cabela's gift cards – \$100, \$75 and \$50

Cultural salmon fishing incentive

Cabela's gift card – \$50

Shellfish gathering incentive

Cabela's gift card – \$50

CTSI NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT HARVEST REPORT FORM DEER – ELK – SALMON

TAG ISSUED TO: _____ ROLL #: _____

DATE FILLED: _____ DATE REPORTED: _____

SELECT ONE: DEER ELK SALMON

TYPE/SIZE: _____
(EXAMPLE: 4X4, SPIKE, COW)

LOCATION/UNIT: _____

REPORTED BY: _____ TAG NO. _____

CTSI NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT HARVEST REPORT FORM SHELLFISH

PERMIT ISSUED TO: _____ ROLL #: _____

DATE FILLED: _____ DATE REPORTED: _____

CIRCLE SPECIES: Cockles Steamers Butter Clams Gapers/Horsenecks
Softshell Clams Razor Clams Sea Anemones
Rock Oysters/Piddocks Saltwater Mussels Varnish Clams

HOW MANY EACH SPECIES: _____

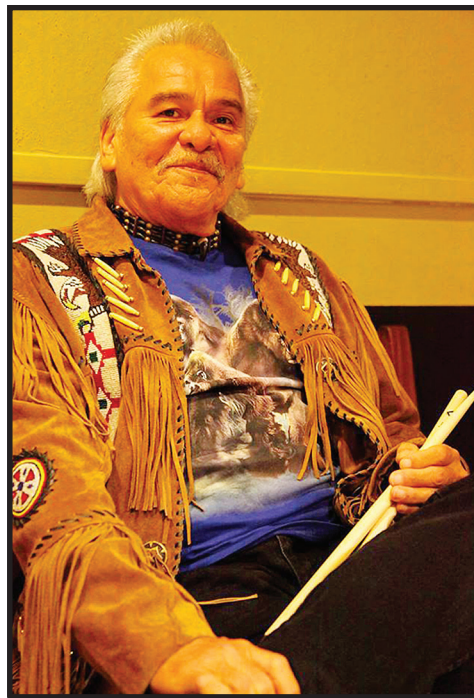
LOCATION: _____

REPORTED BY: _____ PERMIT NO. _____

How to use mail order pharmacy at Siletz Clinic

To use the mail order pharmacy at the Siletz Community Health Clinic to order your refills after hours and on weekends: Please call the Siletz Clinic 7-10 days before you need your refills. This allows us time to contact your provider, if necessary, and for mailing.

- Call 800-648-0449; enter 1624 as soon as the clinic's message begins – you'll be transferred to the refill line.
- Or call the refill line direct – 541-444-9624.



Redbone song receives recognition at NAMMY awards

A remixed version of the Redbone song *Come and Get Your Love* received a 2016 NAMMY (Native American Music) award for Single of the Year. The award for this year's version of the song went to B. of Dakota South Records.

Tribal elder Pete DePoe played drums for Redbone from 1969 to 1972, including on the hit songs *Maggie* and *The Witch Queen of New Orleans*.

Pete DePoe

Courtesy photo

Funded Orthodontic Treatment Screening



The 2017 Funded Orthodontic Treatment Program is fast approaching!

All interested parties should contact the Dental Department to be placed on a list. The screening dates are April 26-27 and May 22-23, 2017.

The program and amount of accepted applicants will be dependent on the funding for that year. Applicants are selected by case severity, motivation of the patient and guardian, reliable transportation, routine dental check-ups and the oral hygiene history of the patient, to name a few.

We want the best results possible for the patient and thus place emphasis on these items in order to achieve this. The unbiased selection process is performed under the guidance of an orthodontic specialist and chosen through a committee.

Open to all ages who are CHS-eligible only. Must have a scheduled screening appointment during one of the four screening days to be considered.

Each year's selection process is independent from previous years and does not carry over. Selected and treated individuals can only be selected once for the duration of the program.

All applicants will be notified by mail if they have been chosen.

Please contact the Siletz Dental Clinic, 541-444-9681 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1681, to be put on the list.

2016 Standing Committee Vacancies

Education Committee, Health Committee, Enrollment Committee and Natural Resources Committee – Vacancies are Open Until Filled

For Tribal members interested in serving on a Standing Committee, please fill out this form and mail or fax to Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians, Attn: Executive Secretary to Tribal Council, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549; fax: 541-444-8325.

Name: _____ Roll No: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Telephone: Day () _____ Evening () _____

- ____ Education Committee – 1 vacancy for term ending February 2017
- ____ Health Committee – 1 vacancy for term ending February 2017
- ____ Enrollment Committee – 1 vacancy for term ending February 2017
- ____ Natural Resources Committee – 1 vacancy for term ending February 2018

If you have any questions, please contact Tami Miner, executive secretary to Tribal Council, at 800-922-1399, ext. 1203, or 541-444-8203.

Community Garden Construction Update



Thank you to Tribal Council for awarding monies to re-design the garden!
We now have a beautiful, safe teaching space.

- New sidewalk for safe walking to and from the raised beds
- Drip lines with timers for efficient watering and reduction of costs
- Composted beds to amend the soil and reduce weeds

For a tour of the new space, please call;
Kathy Kentta-Robinson 541-444-9627
CTSI Healthy Traditions Program

Cultural Site Fishing Season Is Open

Healthy Traditions is bringing fishing nets. Transportation provided for Tribal members and their families for traditional fishing with nets.

CTSI Tribal fishing license and tag are required

Saturday, November 12th

Sunday, November 27th

For more information, contact: Kathy Kentta-Robinson 541.444.9627

Practice Your Traditions

- Must provide your CTSI fishing tag and license
- Transportation provided
- Instruction in netting your fish
- Sandwiches and water provided
- Children are welcome

Mission Statement

The CTSI Healthy Traditions program seeks to improve the health of Siletz Tribal members through educational activities which promote the use of traditional foods through hunting, gathering, gardening, cooking, food preservation and protecting our natural resources.



Courtesy photo

Agnes Pilgrim, Gwin Stam and Bill Stam

Pilgrim gives Tribal flag to creators of all-nations veterans memorial

Agnes Pilgrim, an elder of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians, was honored by Chairman Delores Pigsley, who handed her our Siletz Tribal flag.

This flag was presented to Bill and Gwin Stam, who created the All Nations Native American Veterans Memorial, the only one we know of in the United States that is open to all nations. This also includes police and fire fighters.

Our Siletz flag will be by 28 Native flags and 34 nations of Code Talkers.

This memorial is for all Native veterans, who can have their name put on a plaque at the cost of \$10. Send your name and years served to Bill Stan, 541-915-1558, in Jefferson, Ore., where the memorial stands.

Attention Siletz Contract Health-eligible Tribal members!

If you receive Contract Health Services approval to see providers/facilities outside of a Tribal clinic, please be sure to inform them at your visit that you have Contract Health Services as a form of payment.

We have seen a number of patients billed for services from their medical/dental/optical providers because the patient did not inform the office that they have Contract Health Services.

If you have primary insurance (through employment, Medicare, Medicaid, etc.), we would be secondary to the primary insurance.

If you fail to provide this information to your providers and they don't bill us in a timely manner, you could be liable for the charges. Please let your providers know that they can submit claims for payment to:

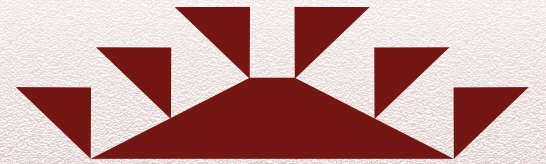
Siletz Contract Health
P.O. Box 320
Siletz, OR 97380

Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians 39th Annual Restoration Pow-Wow

Friday, Nov. 18, at 8:00 p.m. FREE Williams & Ree ("Indian and the White Guy") Show. Tickets available at Box Office while supplies last.

**On Saturday,
Nov. 19, 2016**

The Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians of Oregon Invites you to celebrate with us at our 39th Annual Restoration Pow-Wow to be held at:



Chinook Winds
CASINO RESORT
1777 NW 44th Street,
Lincoln City, Oregon

Grand Entry: 6 pm

Whip Man: Tony Whitehead
Whip Woman: Shirley Walker
MC: Nick Sixkiller

All Drums and Dancers Welcome

Information: Buddy Lane: 1-800-922-1399 ext. 1230 or 541-444-8230
Nick Sixkiller: 541-484-4234

This is a family event; drugs and alcohol will not be tolerated.
The Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians and Chinook Winds Casino Resort are not responsible for injuries and lost or stolen items.

Restoration, continued from page 1

opened Chinook Winds Casino Resort. Chinook Winds Golf Resort opened in April 2005 when the Tribe purchased the former Lakeside Golf and Fitness Center in Lincoln City.

The combination of Tribal employees and those at Chinook Winds Casino Resort has made the Siletz Tribe the largest employer in Lincoln County.

The Siletz Tribe has honored its tradition of sharing within the community by distributing more than \$12.8 million through the Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund and other Tribal resources. Chinook Winds has donated more than \$2.8 million in cash and fundraising items since 1995. It also provides in-kind donations of convention space for various fundraisers as well as technical support, advertising and manpower for events.

For more information about the Siletz Tribal language program, please visit siletzlanguage.org.

LIHEAP ready to help with home energy bills for low-income households

What is LIHEAP?

- LIHEAP (Low-Income Home Energy Assistance Program) is a federally funded program that helps low-income households with their home energy bills.
- LIHEAP can help you stay warm in the winter. By doing so, you can reduce the risk of health and safety problems (such as illness, fire or eviction).

What assistance does LIHEAP provide?

- Heating assistance
- Crisis assistance (shut-off or final notice)

Enrolled Siletz Tribal member

The applicant, or a child residing in the household, must be an enrolled Siletz Tribal member.

Residence location

The residence must be located within the 11-county service area.

Income eligible

The applicant/family must meet the annual income guidelines as determined at the time of intake.

When can I apply?

Oct. 1 – Siletz Tribal elders and disabled Tribal members

Nov. 1 – Other Siletz Tribal households

Program Keypoints

- LIHEAP is divided into two categories: 1) Heating; 2) Crisis. The maximum award is \$700 per household.
- Not all households will qualify for the maximum amount. Awards

will depend on family size, income and need.

- When you make your appointment for assistance, please be sure to have all necessary documentation beforehand or be able to obtain it before your appointment.
- Required documentation includes, but is not limited to:
 - Social Security cards for all household members (no exceptions!)
 - Most recent utility bill
 - Current income documents – for each adult household member (e.g. Social Security award letter, unemployment print-out, paystubs, etc.)
- If you need documentation from other departments, make those requests prior to your appointment.

Household income not to exceed:

1	\$22,626
2	\$29,587
3	\$36,549
4	\$43,511
5	\$50,473
6	\$57,435
7	\$58,740
8	\$60,045
9	\$61,351
10	\$62,656

Contact your area office for walk-in and available appointment times.

If you have any additional questions, please don't hesitate to call Casey Godwin, Emergency Energy Assistance Program coordinator, at 541-444-8311 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1311.

Tribe receives grant to study effects of climate change on local fish habitat

WASHINGTON – Lawrence S. Roberts, who is leading the Office of the Assistant Secretary-Indian Affairs, recently announced awards of \$8.7 million to 63 federally recognized Tribes and Tribally chartered organizations under the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) Tribal Climate Resilience Program.

The awards will support Tribally based efforts to address climate change and its effects on Tribal lands and resources. The Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians has received a \$250,000 grant to understand and document the effects of predicted climate change scenarios on finfish habitat and to develop the capacity to address those predicted changes to allow for cultural preservation.

The Siletz Tribe will use its funding to describe how climate change could affect the success of our salmon, steelhead, trout, eels, mussels and crayfish for several decades to come. More specifically, the Tribe will examine how key streams and reaches of the mainstem Siletz could change during certain climate change scenarios, such as warmer drier summer

periods followed by winter seasons with larger than average storms.

A large part of our focus will be toward defining those areas or portions of our streams and rivers that we predict will be more resilient to climate change than others. For example, we could use a “storm event” type model to look at a stretch of the mainstem Siletz where we know salmon have spawned for decades and examine the likelihood of that area continuing to hold good spawning gravels after five decades of larger winter storm events.

The majority of the modeling work will be carried out by our project partners who are USGS scientists from Portland and Oregon State University. The majority of the field work will be accomplished by a Siletz Tribal biologist and biological programs technician.

“Through the BIA’s Tribal Climate Resilience Program, we’re aiding Tribes in their struggles to address the ways climate change is affecting them now and in the future,” Roberts said. “In addition to the funds and resources the program

provides, its positive effects are magnified across many Tribal communities because award recipients are encouraged to share their insights, experiences and knowledge about confronting and building resilience to the effects of climate change.”

Along with their recipients, these 85 awards also will directly support about 200 additional Tribes through cooperative planning and shared information and tools. At least another 100 Tribes are expected to be reached through Tribally designed and delivered training awards.

BIA established the Tribal Climate Resilience Program in Fiscal Year 2013 to fund Tribal climate change adaptation planning, ocean and coastal management planning, youth internships and climate change activities.

The program supports Tribal and trust resource managers by providing funds for adaptation planning, vulnerability assessment, training and access to data and tools. Awards are available annually, subject to funding availability.

These funds enable Tribal resource managers to mitigate climate risk for

valued and vulnerable Tribal resources during a project’s design phase and build infrastructure resilience to climate change within natural and human systems.

Between FY 2013 and FY 2015, the BIA awarded more than \$16 million in Tribal Climate Resilience Program (then known as the Tribal Cooperative Landscape Conservation program) funding to 108 Tribes and intertribal organizations through 145 awards out of a total Tribal request of more than \$48 million.

The FY 2016 solicitation generated 221 Tribal proposals requesting more than \$26.5 million. The BIA was able to provide about one-third of the FY 2016 requested funding, reaching approximately half of the applicants.

“The year-over-year increases in the number of proposals the BIA receives indicates a growing unmet need as more Tribes emerge as leaders in adaptation planning and as the recognition and local impact of climate risks inspire still more Tribes to engage in adaptation planning to protect their people, lands and resources,” Roberts said.

CTSI Jobs

Tribal employment information is available at ctsi.nsn.us.

Note: “Open Until Filled” vacancies may close at any time. The Tribe’s Indian Preference policy will apply. Tribal government will not discriminate in selection because of race, creed, age, sex, color, national origin, physical handicap, marital status, politics, membership or non-membership in an employee organization.

CTSI constantly is looking for temporary employees to cover vacancy, vacations, maternity leave and extended sick leave. If you are looking for temporary work that can last from 2-12 weeks, please submit an application for the temp pool.

The **Siletz Community Health Clinic** property is 100 percent tobacco-free. The policy prohibits all tobacco use by everyone – no smoking in your car, in the parking lot or on clinic property. We appreciate your understanding and willingness to help keep our clinic tobacco-free and clean.

Pendleton® weaves new American Indian College Fund saddle blanket

PORTLAND, Ore. – Pendleton Woolen Mills, an acclaimed-lifestyle brand headquartered in Portland, has announced the release of an exclusive blanket to benefit the American Indian College Fund, the nation’s largest philanthropic effort supporting American Indian higher education for more than 25 years.

Naskan Saddle Blanket, a new release for 2016, represents the collaboration between Pendleton® and the college fund to honor and reawaken a vital part of Native history.

The blanket design tells the story of Johano-ai, the Navajo sun god, who begins his day in the east and rides one of his five horses across the sky to his post in the west while dragging his shining golden orb – the sun. As his horse gallops across the sky, gorgeous hides and ornately woven blankets, known as naskan, lie beneath its hooves.

Naskan Saddle Blanket derives its mountain pattern and name from sacred Navajo blankets. Naskan joins a collection of 10 blankets designed specifically for the American Indian College Fund, designed by Native artists. A portion of the proceeds from the sale of college fund blankets provides scholarships for Native students to attend Tribal colleges and universities.

“The American Indian College Fund is delighted with the Naskan saddle blanket, the newest design in our collaboration with Pendleton Woolen Mills. Just as this blanket represents a path taken by a sacred being across the sky, our students also take a journey toward realizing their dreams

by walking a sacred path toward success,” said Cheryl Crazy Bull (Sicangu Lakota), American Indian College Fund president and CEO. “We honor and celebrate both our students’ journey and our longtime successful partnership with Pendleton Woolen Mills as they work alongside us to make our students’ visions for success a reality.”

Today, slightly more than 13 percent of American Indians age 25 and older have a college degree, less than half the U.S. national average. What’s more, 40 percent of the American Indian population is under age 18.

The college fund is helping more college-age American Indians start and complete their college degree through scholarship support. It also provides program support for students once they are in school to help them succeed both academically and in their careers.

“Pendleton is proud to be a part of the American Indian College Fund’s mission and its purpose to transform Indian higher education,” said Mort Bishop, Pendleton president. “By creating an awareness of the unique, community-based accredited Tribal colleges and universities and offering students access to knowledge, skills and cultural values, the college fund enhances their communities and the country as a whole.”

About the American Indian College Fund

Founded in 1989, the college fund has been the nation’s largest charity sup-



Courtesy photo

Pendleton’s new Naskan Saddle Blanket

porting Native higher education for more than 25 years. It has provided more than 100,000 scholarships since its inception and an average of 6,000 scholarships per year to American Indian students and a variety of programs to support their academic efforts ensuring they have the tools to graduate and succeed in their careers.

The college fund consistently receives top ratings from independent charity evaluators. For more information, visit collegefund.org.

About Pendleton Woolen Mills

Setting the standard for classic American style, Pendleton is a lifestyle brand recognized as a symbol of American heritage, authenticity and craftsmanship.

With six generations of family ownership since 1863, the company recently celebrated 153 years of weaving fabrics in the Pacific Northwest.

Known for fabric innovation, Pendleton owns and operates two of America’s remaining woolen mills, constantly updating them with state-of-the-art looms and eco-friendly technology. Inspired by its heritage, the company designs and produces apparel for men and women, blankets, home décor and gifts.

Pendleton is available through select retailers in the U.S., Canada, Europe, Japan, Korea and Australia; Pendleton stores; company catalogs; and direct-to-consumer channels, including the Pendleton website, pendleton-usa.com.

Louis Keith Taylor – 1945-2016

Louis Keith Taylor was born Oct. 12, 1945, at home in Rogers, Ark. He passed away Sept. 23, 2016, at age 70 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Eureka, Calif.

He was preceded in death by his father, Robert Louis Taylor, and his brothers, Robert Lloyd Taylor and Tony Martin Jr. He leaves behind his wife, Joanne Taylor, and her sons, Catlyn and Tyson Storm.

Additional surviving family members include his mother, Agnes Baker Pilgrim; brother, Darelle "Dino" Butler; sisters, Sonja Taylor, Nadine Martin and Ramona Hudson; children, John Harrington, Katrina Sims, Creed Taylor, Dawn Taylor, "Stormy" Taylor Widmark and Georgina Taylor Douangdao. He also helped raise Jaimoe Kibby, Jasmine Kaye and Brandy Kibby.

In addition, he helped raise a few of his grandchildren, Kimberly Edwards, Keyontae Taylor and Kody Kibby. His other grandchildren are Charlotte, Diana and Grace Harrington; Robert and Zhontae Sims; Hanna and Andrea Taylor; Kaleb, Kanaan, Kyla and Kwest Perez; Thavone Douangdao; Kayla Sydthong; Faith, Hope and Jaimoe Jr. Kibby; Jessie Widmark; and Harmony Taylor, as well as three great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

He lived in California for more than 30 years. In his early professional career, he worked for the State of California as a parole officer in counties like Los Angeles and Humboldt, from which he later retired.

He also served as a certified Tribal judge for the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians. He was instrumental in bringing the sweat ceremony to American Indian inmates. During these years, he also worked as a lawyer and helped many people in Indian Country.

He established The Center for Indian Law and Justice to ensure indigenous people were treated with dignity and fairness. He helped many Tribes establish their rights as American Indian people.

He spoke for and was chairman of the Human Rights Commission of Humboldt County. He taught at police academies throughout the nation. Further, he also was elected chief of police for the Hoopa Tribe.

He was a master regalia maker – tanning hides, stitching leather, creating horsehair roaches and bustles, doing beadwork, preparing and preserving eagle feathers, and many more things. He was a skilled horse trainer and rider.

He was proud to be a member of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians.



Courtesy photo

Louis Keith Taylor

Throughout his life, he was a traditional Native man and never wavered from this way of life. He held a black belt in the martial arts and had sparred with Bruce Lee.

A memorial was held in Eureka on Oct. 2, followed by a traditional wake and funeral in Siletz, Ore., on Oct. 3. He was interred at the Paul Washington Cemetery of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians in Siletz and was laid to rest by the graves of his brothers Robert Taylor and Tony Martin Jr.

The family is very much appreciative to Dino Butler and his family for conducting the wake and to the Siletz elders for hosting the meal after the funeral.

Donations can be made to the Go Fund Me account for Keith Taylor to assist with costs associated with the funeral.

13th Annual NAYA Gala & Auction

Padding into the Next Journey

Join us for an evening of ornate surprises and come together to support Portland's Native community on Nov. 11 from 5:30-9:30 p.m. at the Portland Art Museum.

Our services impact more than 10,000 American Indian youth and families annually. Event proceeds allow us to deliver culturally relevant services for youth, families and elders. Without your support and investment, we would not be able to provide our community with opportunities to reach their goals, access educational resources, buy their first home, learn and teach culture, or find stability for their loved ones and families.

Together we will share an indigenous-inspired dinner, enjoy special performances and support NAYA's work through a silent and live auction featuring American Indian art and experience packages.

For more information and to register, visit nayagala.org/ or contact JR Lilly at jrlilly@nayapdx.org or 503-288-8177 ext. 277.



Photos by Diane Rodriguez

Above: April Middaugh, RC Mock and Nick Rivera

Below: Jenny Demaris, Max Hoover, Rick Olson and Leah Switter

Bottom right: Tori Johnson

Top right: Candace Ford and Kathy Kentta



Siletz Valley Fire District Open House

Oct. 20, 2016 • Siletz, Oregon



SOU receives battlefield preservation grant from National Park Service

Editor's note: The Siletz Tribe has the primary connection to this battle site in particular. A mix of southwest coastal (Curry, Josephine and Jackson counties) Tribes were there and after this battle were rounded up and brought to the Siletz Reservation. The Siletz Tribe supported the grant application and is participating in the work.

ASHLAND, Ore. – Southern Oregon University has received a grant of \$92,600 from the National Park Service's American Battlefield Protection Program to produce a multiple property nomination to the National Register of Historic Places for sites related to the Rogue River War (1855-1856) in Southern Oregon.

This is part of a long-term commitment by regional partners to interpret the Rogue River War in a holistic way for the public and interested scholars. The project will conduct historical research, an archaeological survey and geographic information system (GIS) mapping to determine conflict boundaries.

"From the shores of the Mariana Islands to an old Dutch fort in Delaware to a man-made mountain defense in Vermont, these places hold clues to our past," said National Park Service Director Jonathan B. Jarvis. "Preserving and understanding these sites allows us to reveal a complex history representing multiple sides of the story, as well as stories of sacrifice and heroism that ultimately shape our nation today."

"As current events demonstrate, wars are often more than two armies opposing each other across an open field," said Mark Tveskov, principal researcher on the grant-funded project. "On the frontier of Oregon in the 1850s, the front lines were people's homes – both settlers and Native Americans – and the conflicts involved men, women and children. This is our shared American history and the grant gives us the opportunity to tell the story."

This grant is one of 20 from the National Park Service totaling \$1.198 million to preserve and protect significant battle sites from all wars fought on American soil.

Funded projects preserve battlefields from the colonial-Indian wars through World War II and include site mapping (GPS/GIS data collection), archaeological studies, National Register of Historic Places nominations, preservation and management plans.

Federal, state, local and Tribal governments, nonprofit organizations and educational institutions are eligible for National Park Service battlefield grants that are awarded annually. Since 1996, more than \$18 million has been awarded by the American Battlefield Protection Program to help preserve significant historic battlefields associated with wars on American soil.

Additional information is online at nps.gov/abpp.

Rogue River War project

The Southern Oregon University Laboratory of Anthropology (SOULA) currently is conducting archaeological research on eight historical sites of the Rogue River War.

Anthropologists' work includes historical research; precise mapping of the sites including archaeological excavation; and artifact analysis and mapping. This work will culminate in the presentation of several archaeological sites as a single collective of Rogue River War sites and will serve as a significant addition to State of Oregon history.

"The timing of this news is perfect. Currently, our field school is exploring one of the missing pieces of the puzzle and that's the archaeology of the pioneer side of this conflict," said Chelsea Rose, project archaeologist. "This week we've recovered the bullets, bottles and beads of the settlers huddled in a muddy fort on the western frontier at the end of the war."

This summer, SOULA is conducting archaeological research on two sites associated with the Rogue River War as part of its summer archaeological field school.

This portion of the project is funded in part by the Oregon State Parks and Recreational Department (OPRD). The project includes geophysical survey, extensive documentary research, large-scale excavation and a public archaeology program at the Geisel Monument State Heritage Site and at Miner's Fort in Curry County.

This project is the latest aspect of a multi-year collaboration with the Bureau of Land Management, OPRD, the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT), the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians, the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde, the Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Indians, the Coquille Indian Tribe, and the Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua and Siuslaw Indians.

Previous work on Rogue River War sites includes archaeological excavations at the 1852 wreck of the schooner Captain Lincoln on Coos Bay, the remains of the U.S. Army's Fort Lane near Central Point and the site of the Battle of Hungry Hill that took place in late October 1855.

This summer's Curry County research will benefit from the partnerships developed during these earlier projects.

About the National Park Service

More than 20,000 National Park Service employees care for America's 411 national parks and work with communities across the nation to help preserve local history and create close-to-home recreational opportunities.

Visit nps.gov; on Facebook, facebook.com/nationalparkservice; on Twitter, twitter.com/natlparksservice, and on YouTube at youtube.com/nationalparkservice.

About SOULA

SOULA connects culture, history and place in a meaningful way. We conduct grant- and contract- funded research that includes archaeological survey, excavation, and analysis; GIS mapping; and oral history and ethno-historic research.

We serve the interests of our university and community, and we select projects in partnership with private, local, state, federal and Tribal organizations in ways that meet our collaborators' needs and such that the resultant data become a source for expanded research and public education.

Students pursuing sociology, anthropology and other majors benefit from

hands-on experiences in fieldwork, laboratory analysis, conference presentation, writing and career networking.

SOULA regularly works with the Coquille Indian Tribe, the Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Indians, the Siletz Tribe, the Grand Ronde Tribe, ODOT, OPRD, Bureau of Land Management, National Park Service, City of Jacksonville, City of Bandon and many other agencies and municipalities.

Visit SOULA at sou.edu/soula and on Facebook at facebook.com/SouthernOregonUniversityLaboratoryofAnthropology.

About SOU

Southern Oregon University is a medium-size campus that provides comprehensive educational opportunities with a strong focus on student success and intellectual creativity.

Located in vibrant Ashland, Ore., SOU remains committed to diversity and inclusion for all students on its environmentally sustainable campus. Connected learning programs taught by a host of exceptional faculty provide quality, innovative experiences for students.

Visit sou.edu for more information.



Courtesy photo by Andrea Switter

Welcome, Joe Lane Jr. – new Tribal Council member

Joe Lane Jr. is sworn into office by Election Board Chair April Middaugh on Oct. 18. Lane replaces David Hatch, who passed away Sept. 20. The Constitution of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians states the following about vacancies on the Tribal Council: "In the event that any elective Tribal office becomes vacant between elections, the chairman shall recommend a person who meets the requirements of a candidate for that position to fill the vacancy. Such person shall assume office to serve the remainder of the term upon approval of the appointment by the Tribal Council." Since Hatch most recently was elected to the Tribal Council in February 2015, Lane will complete a term that expires in February 2018.

Tribal RV parks have space available for you

Lincoln City, Oregon

Logan Road RV Park
loganroadrvpark.com or
877-LOGANRV

Salem, Oregon

Hee Hee Illahee RV Resort
heeheeillahee.com or
877-564-7295



Organizations offer free streaming of 40 Native films featured on PBS

LINCOLN, Neb. – The same year our nation celebrated its bicentennial and President Ford proclaimed a week in October as Native American Awareness Week, six Native producers in public television met to charter the Native American Public Broadcasting Consortium (NAPBC), later known as Native American Public Telecommunications (NAPT) and now Vision Maker Media.

It was 1976 when these Native producers began to cultivate interest among American Indian Tribes to participate in developing their own media, which led to the initiation of several Tribal media projects. One such project from 1986, American Indian Artists, was a three-part series featuring the art and lives of Dan

Namingha (Hopi/Tewa), Jaune Quick-To-See Smith (Shoshone/French/Cree) and Larry Golsh (Pala Mission Indian).

In those 40 years, our organization has created more than 500 films, awarded \$11 million to independent producers and held hundreds of film-screening events across the nation. Our films inspire people to look at the world through indigenous eyes and encourage young warriors to embrace their rich culture as part of their identity.

In celebration of Vision Maker Media's 40th anniversary, a collection of 40 films will be available for free streaming beginning Nov. 1 and ending Aug. 7, 2017. Each week, a different film will be available on visionmakermedia.org and americanarchive.org.

Titles for November

- Nov. 1 *American Indian Artists: Jaune Quick-To-See Smith*
- Nov. 8 *Way of the Warrior*
- Nov. 15 *Surviving Columbus*
- Nov. 22 *Robert Mirabal: Music from a Painted Cave*
- Nov. 29 *Vis a Vis: Native Tongues*

About Vision Maker Media

Vision Maker Media is celebrating 40 years as your premier source for quality American Indian and Alaska Native educational and home videos. All aspects of our programs encourage the involvement of young people to learn more about careers in the media – to be the next generation of storytellers. Vision Maker Media envisions a world changed and healed by understanding Native stories and the public conversations they generate.

With funding from the Corporation for Public Broadcasting (CPB), Vision Maker Media's Public Media Content Fund awards support to projects with an American Indian theme and significant Native involvement that ultimately benefits the entire public media community.

Vision Maker Media, a nonprofit 501(c)(3), empowers and engages Native people to tell stories. For more information, visit visionmakermedia.org.

About The American Archive of Public Broadcasting

The American Archive of Public Broadcasting seeks to preserve and make accessible significant historical content created by public media and to coordinate a national effort to save at-risk public media before its content is lost to posterity.

For more information, visit americanarchive.org.

Most Often Requested Numbers

Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians – 800-922-1399	Siletz Community Health Clinic – 800-648-0449
Salem Area Office – 503-390-9494	Siletz Behavioral Health – 800-600-5599
Salem Finance Office – 888-870-9051	Chinook Winds Casino Resort – 888-244-6665
Portland Area Office – 503-238-1512	Chemawa Health Clinic – 800-452-7823
Eugene Area Office – 541-484-4234	Bureau of Indian Affairs – 800-323-8517
Contract Health Services (CHS) – 800-628-5720	Website – ctsi.nsn.us

Siletz Tribal Court Filing Fee/Copy Charge

(Effective Jan. 1, 2016)

Adoption	\$50
Appeal, Filing Notice of	\$50
Audio Record (tape)	\$5
Copies, standard	\$.25 per page
Certified Copy	\$5 + \$.25 per page
Certified Copy Guardianship letter	\$5 + \$.25 per page
Fax	\$.25 per page
Civil Action, General	\$25
Collection	
Less than \$50	\$25
\$150 – \$399	\$50
\$400 or more	\$100
Contempt of Court	\$1,000
Dissolution	
Petitioner, Petition	\$125
Respondent, Response	\$125
Co-Petition	\$125
Election Challenge	\$250
Electronically stored case documents (hard copy)	\$3/each request
Emancipation	\$25
Guardianship, individual petition	\$50
Mailing Costs	Actual Cost
Marriage Application	\$50
Marriage Solemnization	\$50
Name Change	\$25
Small Claims, individual under \$2,500	
Petitioner	\$25
Respondent	\$25
Small Claims, individual over \$2,500	
Petitioner	\$50
Respondent	\$50
Vehicle Repossession	
Petitioner	\$75
Respondent	\$75

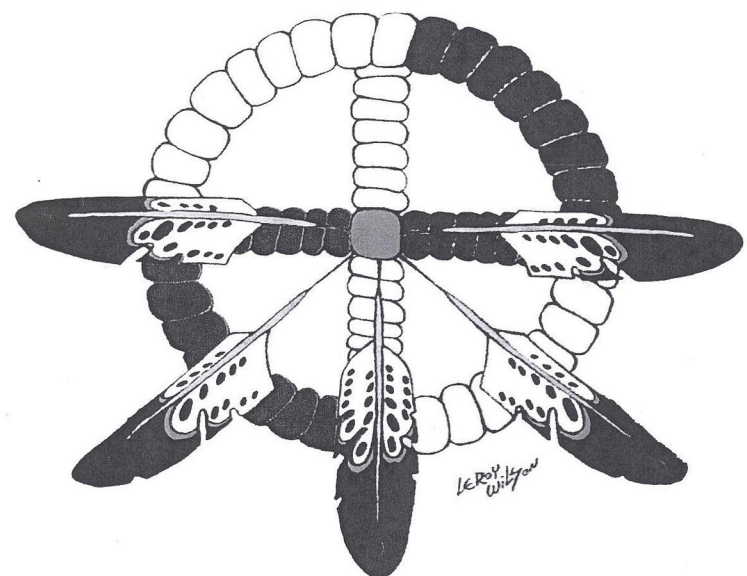
STRCP amends policy on number of loans

The Siletz Tribe Revolving Credit Program (STRCP) is pleased to announce the Tribal Council has amended its Program Declaration of Policies with the goal to further enhance Tribal member access to consumer, home improvement and small business loans.

STRCP, in addition to reporting loans to TransUnion Credit Bureau on a monthly basis with the goal of improving the loan recipient's credit score, will now allow applicants who met all the conditions of their previous loans per policy to get additional loans.

If you are interested in applying for a loan or would like more information, please don't hesitate to contact Shani Gilila, STRCP credit administrator, at 541-994-2142 or 877-564-7298; or visit the STBC website at stbcorp.net.

Nov 5, 2016 Chemawa Indian School Veterans Pow Wow



November 5, 2016

Grand Entries 1:00 pm & 6:00 pm Saturday

Marcus Red Thunder, MC

Dancing, Singing, Fry Bread, Crafts,
Come and Support Chemawa Student Clubs

Public Welcome! Free Admission

**3700 Chemawa Rd NE, Salem, Oregon
School Gymnasium**

Vendor Information Contact:

Sonya Olson 503-399-5721 ext. 1284

Melinda Puerta 503-399-5721 ext. 1227

General information contact: Sonya Olson ext. 1284

Chemawa is a smoke, drug and alcohol free campus!

* Please No Parking on Track, Violators will be towed. *
Guests over 16 yrs old will need to show photo identification upon entering campus.

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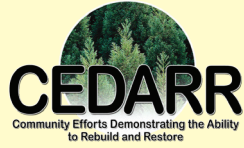
Community Efforts Demonstrating the Ability to Rebuild and Restore

Mission Statement

We will utilize resources to prevent the use of alcohol and other drugs, delinquency and violence; we will seek to reduce the barriers to treatment and support those who choose abstinence.

Nov. 2 • Noon

Siletz Community Health Clinic
200 Gwee-Shut Road, Siletz



Siletz Tribal Behavioral Health Programs

Prevention, Outpatient Treatment, and
Women's and Men's Transitional

Siletz: 800-600-5599 or
541-444-8286

Eugene: 541-484-4234

Salem: 503-390-9494

Portland: 503-238-1512

Narcotics Anonymous Toll-Free
Help Line – 877-233-4287

For information on Alcoholics
Anonymous: aa-oregon.org



Siletz Tribal Prints & Gifts LLC (STPG) is seeking products from Tribal members who wish to sell their products through its retail location at 1520 NE Highway 101 in Lincoln City, Ore., as well as its online store located at store.stpgifts.com.

Please contact Casey Cox, interim manager of STPG, at 541-996-5550 or manager@stpgifts.com for more information. Come by the store or visit our website at stpgifts.com to see the other products and services we offer.



CASTING Native Dancers for Painted Sky NORTHSTAR DANCE COMPANY

*Northstar is a national Native dance company that is a fusion of contemporary and Native styles of dance. Studio is located at THPRD Garden Home of the Pacific Northwest. Now in its 12th year, the company has built a legacy of review excellence in writing and production of film, stage, story, song, music and "The Dance", including working with national Directors and Performing Artists.

*Present casting open for Native 2 male dancers and 1 female dancer who:

- >Enjoy the experience of being a part of a dance company
- >Ability to change up Native styles (have own outfits)
- >Responsible and respectful
- >Image needs to be included and dance presentation w/ outfit(s) w/ Directors required

*Northstar dancers look forward to:

- >Being a part of a company team that inspires
- >Innovative dance pieces
- >Fee Base compensation plus travel
- >Stipend Rehearsals
- >Native Arts in the Schools for Upcoming Generations
- >Community & Corporate Events
- >Film/Video Opportunities

CONTACT is to be made through Painted Sky Website Inquiry Page
<http://paintedsky.org/inquiries/index.php> or Northstar Dance Company Facebook
Message <https://www.facebook.com/Northstar-Painted-Sky-1634868316838243/>

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Siletz Indian Child Welfare is in need of foster homes for our Tribal children.

Being a foster parent is an opportunity to help improve your community in a unique way.

To find out more or to get an application
Contact:

Marne' Grusing, Foster Family Certifier
phone: 541-444-8338
e-mail: marneg@ctsi.nsn.us

Native foundation has open call for regional Mentor Fellowship applications

VANCOUVER, Wash. – The Native Arts and Cultures Foundation (NACF) has issued an open call for applications for a new Mentor Fellowship in the Pacific Northwest, Southwest and Upper Midwest regions of the United States.

Applications will be accepted online no later than 5 p.m. (PST) on Nov. 22.

The Mentor Fellowship is open to accomplished Native artists of 10 years or more in the traditional arts or contemporary visual arts categories. An applicant must be at least a five-year resident and enrolled in an American Indian Tribe or Alaska Native corporation located in Alaska, Arizona, Minnesota, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota, Southern California (Imperial, Kern, Los Angeles, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Ventura counties), Washington and Wisconsin.

American Indian and Alaska Native affiliation/descendancy is part of the application process and documents of enrollment are required.

Through a selection process, the Mentor Fellowship is intended to support American Indian and Alaska Native accomplished artists to mentor an emerging American Indian or Alaska Native artist apprentice for one year.

The program's goal is to improve creative development, artistic rigor and intergenerational cultural and traditional knowledge perpetuation by fostering the growth of Native artist mentors and apprentices and empowering them to play an integral role in their communities.

To assist in developing lesson plans, each mentor and apprentice is required to attend up to two training days prior to beginning the mentorship. To demonstrate the experience and success of the mentor-



Fellowship awards will be announced in spring 2017. The mentoring period is July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018.

Apply online at your.culturegrants.org. For more details, direct your questions to Francene Blythe, NACF director of programs, at francene@nativeartsandcultures.org or 360-334-7271.

The Native Arts and Cultures Foundation's mission is to promote the revitalization, appreciation and perpetuation of American Indian, Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian arts and cultures through grant making, convening and advocacy. To date, NACF has supported 180 artists and organizations in more than 26 states and Native communities.

To learn more about the National Artist Fellows and NACF's work – nurturing the passion and power of creative expression – visit nativeartsandcultures.org.

ing, a completed joint mentor/apprentice art project is required at the end of the fellowship period.

Emerging American Indian or Alaska Native artist apprentices can ask an accomplished American Indian or Alaska Native mentor artist to apply or assist a mentor artist in applying. Emerging artist apprentices, however, are ineligible to apply on their own.

The Mentor Fellowship award is \$30,000, with \$20,000 to the mentor, \$5,000 for the joint art project and \$5,000 for the apprentice's participation expenses.

When you call the Siletz Clinic ...

When you call the Siletz Community Health Clinic at 541-444-1030 or 800-648-0449, you can choose from the following:

- Schedule or confirm a dental appointment, press 1
- Schedule or confirm an optometry appointment, press 2
- Schedule or confirm a medical appointment, press 3
- Pharmacy refill line, press 4
- Pharmacy staff, press 5
- Contract Health Services, press 6
- Behavioral Health, press 7
- Address, phone and fax, press 8
- Listen to options again, press 9
- All other options, dial 0

!! MAIL ORDER SERVICE AVAILABLE !!

WE CAN NOW PROVIDE MAIL ORDER SERVICE TO ALL SILETZ TRIBAL MEMBERS LIVING WITHIN THE 11-COUNTY SERVICE AREA.

Please note that this service is not eligible for the "Auto-Fill" program. ALL "Auto-Fill" prescriptions must be picked up at the pharmacy.

THANK YOU – PHARMACY STAFF

Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians

Tribal Maternal, Infant & Early Childhood Home Visiting Program

Naytlh - 'a "We Carry the Children"

How has the Siletz Tribal Home Visiting Program helped you and your family since participating?

- ❖ "The home visiting program has helped prepare us for our new addition by letting us know what is to be expected before and after the baby comes and how to best deal with certain situations that come up."
– Andrea & Robert, 4 months in the program
- ❖ "I've learned all the things I thought I should know that I did not know already with the help and support of the program. Siletz Tribal Home Visiting Program helped me become a better mom."
– Shyann, 1 year in the program
- ❖ "I feel like Siletz Tribal home visits have helped me be more on track when it comes to my child's development. Home visits have also helped me keep a better schedule, helping my whole family."
– Jennifer, 1 year and 9 months in the program
- ❖ "Getting the help when you're a new parent is life-saving, to know you are doing it right and if not, finding out the right way."
– Samantha, 1 year in the program
- ❖ "The program has helped me to realize there are a lot of different ways to parent and there is always help if you are willing to look for it. The Siletz Home Visiting Program has helped make my life a little simpler just knowing I have resources to help me be the best mom I can be."
– Chandra, 1 year and 10 months in the program
- ❖ "The Siletz Home Visiting Program has helped me with my child's growth, my motivation with being a parent and I've also established a friendship."
– Brinee, 1 year and 8 months in the program
- ❖ "Home Visiting Program helped us better understand the developmental milestones that our child is at and also the reassurance that each child is unique and not to be worried. The program has been helpful, especially with different resources also."
– Ale & Seth, 1 year and 1 month in the program
- ❖ "As a first-time mom, Siletz Home Visiting Program has been a good addition to my support system, not only emotionally, but also mentally."
– Janet, 1 year and 1 month in the program

If you are interested in or have any questions about our Siletz Tribal Home Visiting Program, please call Jessica Phillips, Program Coordinator, at 541-484-4234.



Siletz Tribal Youth Council Meeting

Date: Saturday, Dec. 3
Time: TBA
Location: TBA

**Lunch/dinner will be provided.
Parents/Guardians are welcome to attend with youth.**

Transportation:

Youth carpool from the area offices. Contact us as soon as possible if you would like to join.

Area Office Contact Numbers:

Portland: Katy Holland, 503-238-1512
Salem: Sonya Moody-Jurado, 503-390-9494
Eugene: Nora Williams-Wood, 541-484-4234
Siletz: Sharla Robinson, 541-270-3212

Youth Council Objective:

The objectives of this group shall be to provide a collective voice and represent the Tribal youth in all matters that concern them; to serve as a means of mobilizing and coordinating the actions of youth, other community members and organizations toward positive goals; to promote the development of future Tribal leaders; to help solve problems facing Tribal youth; to coordinate school and community service projects and provide opportunities for the youth to interact for fun and fellowship.

Scholarships

NAJA Scholarship Deadline: Nov. 18

The Native American Journalists Association is committed to increasing the representation of Native journalists in mainstream media. NAJA supports and empowers members through annual scholarship opportunities for high school, college and graduate students. Each year, NAJA offers scholarships ranging from \$500-\$2,000 to American Indian students pursuing journalism.

Scholarship recipients will be notified before Dec. 1 of their status.

Links are required and designating a specific place where they may be accessed by the scholarship committee, such as a Dropbox or a Google Docs folder, is highly recommended.

For questions about scholarships or other student programs, contact NAJA Education Committee Chair Victoria LaPoe at victoria.lapoe@wku.edu.

Steven R. Nelson Native Educator Scholarship Program Deadline: Dec. 31

The Steven R. Nelson Native Educator Scholarship Program seeks to increase the number of Alaska Native, American Indian, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander students who pursue graduate degrees that will qualify them for careers in education policy, leadership, technical assistance or research in the Northwest region.

The scholarship is named in honor of a retired leader at Education Northwest whose 40-year career was dedicated to working with Tribes, communities, schools and districts to improve Native and rural students' academic and life success.

The program provides up to three years of annually renewable scholarships to help students pursue a master's degree. Recipients will be notified of conditional awards by March 31 for study beginning in the following fall term.

For further information contact Nelson Scholarship Administrator, c/o HR Director, Education Northwest, 101 SW Main St., Suite 500, Portland, OR 97204; NelsonScholarship@educationnorthwest.org.

UO offers in-state tuition to Siletz Tribal students regardless of state of residency

The University of Oregon continues to offer in-state tuition benefits to enrolled Siletz Tribal members regardless of their current state of residency.

The Residency by Aboriginal Right Program was first offered in 2001 to 44 Tribes that have aboriginal territories within the state of Oregon that pre-date 1850. Out-of-state students will pay in-state tuition, a \$20,000 savings each academic year.

For more information about UO, visit uoregon.edu.

Important information for college-bound Tribal seniors

November

- Take SAT tests.
- Set up scholarship search profiles on websites.
- Check your school counseling office or ASPIRE center for scholarship info.
- Proofread and have someone else proofread all documents completed up to this point (scholarship essays, résumé, etc.).

December

- If you haven't already done so, take this last SAT test for seniors.
- Get FAFSA forms, available for federal and state financial aid.
- Apply for FAFSA pin number – student/parents must apply separately.
- Mail or submit all revised, complete college applications before the holiday break.
- Start scholarship essays.
- Start OSAC (Oregon Student Assistance Commission).

January

- FAFSA forms can be submitted Jan. 1! Do not delay – do this ASAP
- Complete scholarships that are due.
- Check for Student Aid Report (SAR on the FAFSA website several days after filing out the FAFSA).
- Request mid-year transcripts be sent to colleges to which you have applied.
- Request transcripts needed for OSAC scholarship application.
- Send thank you notes to people who have helped you.
- Students who plan to apply for Tribal assistance for college must apply for FAFSA no later than Jan. 31 at fafsa.ed.gov.

February

- First semester grades and mid-year reports are sent to some colleges.
- Check your school counseling office or ASPIRE center for scholarship information.
- Complete scholarships.
- Check with colleges applied to for verification they have received all necessary documents. Continue to monitor status of submitted applications.
- Check to see if your mid-year transcripts have been sent to the schools to which you have applied.
- Wrap up any scholarship application, essays and activities chart (for OSAC) as early bird deadline is in February.

March

- Check for three Tribal scholarships at ctsi.nsn.us.
- Complete scholarships.
- Start working on Tribal higher education or adult vocational training grant application. This can be found on the Tribe's website and is due June 30.
- Review the Student Aid Report (SAR).
- You should start receiving admission responses.

April

- Send thank you notes to people who have helped you.
- Make final decision about which college or university you will attend.
- If you decide to decline enrollment to a college or university to which you have been accepted, send notice indicating this to the college's admissions office.

May

- This is the deadline for final decisions for universities.
- Send letter of intent to registrar.
- Line up a summer job.
- Attend your Senior Awards Night.

- Review any award letters and be sure you understand the terms and conditions that accompany each type of aid.
- If necessary, arrange for housing and a meal plan (at school).
- Send thank you notes to any person/committee from which you received a scholarship.

June

- Tribal higher education and adult vocational training applications are due June 30!
- Attend graduation – congratulations!
- Make arrangements for your final grades to be sent to colleges and universities.
- Good luck!

2017 Tribal Council Application

Application for names to be placed on the 2017 ballot for candidates in the Siletz Tribal Council election

Name: _____ Roll# _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Telephone: _____

Email Address: _____

I understand I must be an enrolled member of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians of Oregon and 18 years of age or older. This application must be filed with the Election Board by **4 p.m. on Dec. 21, 2016**. I also understand that if for any reason I decide to withdraw my application for Siletz Tribal Council, I must withdraw in writing by **Dec. 27, 2016 (2 p.m.)**. Otherwise, my name will appear in the voter's pamphlet and on the ballot.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Mail your application to CTSI Election Board, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549.

Voter's Pamphlet and Statement

If you would like your candidate's statement and photo to appear in the Voter's Pamphlet, please submit your statement and recent 3x5 photograph of yourself along with your application. Deadline for statements and photos is **Dec. 21, 2016, at 4 p.m.**

Candidate statements must be no longer than 750 words and must not be derogatory or contain personal attacks on any one individual. Statements and photos will appear in the voter's pamphlet. Photos will be included on the ballot. Mail your statement and photo to CTSI Election Board, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549.

The candidate is responsible to ensure receipt of application and statement by the deadline. Letters will be sent to all candidates after review and certification by the Election Board.

Candidates can call 800-922-1399, ext. 1256, or 541-444-8256; or email elections@ctsi.nsn.us to confirm receipt of application and candidate's statement.

Election Deadlines

Dec. 21, 2016 (4 p.m.)	Deadline to file and submit a photo and/or candidate's statement for inclusion in the Tribal Voter's Pamphlet
Dec. 27, 2016 (2 p.m.)	Deadline to withdraw candidacy
Dec. 27, 2016 (2 p.m.)	Certified Candidates List will be posted
Week of Dec. 28-30, 2016	Absentee ballots mailed out and Voter's Pamphlet Candidates Fair – Chinook Winds Casino Resort
Jan. TBA, 2017	Deadline to request a mail-in ballot
Jan. 27, 2017	In-person Voting – Tribal Elections, Tribal Community Center, Siletz
Feb. 4, 2017, 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	In-person Voting – Tribal Elections, Tribal Community Center, Siletz
Feb. 4, 2017 (4 p.m.)	Deadline for returning absentee ballots

Tribal Council Timesheets for September 2016

Lillie Butler – 9/1/16-9/30/16

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	Tvl	
11	11		2.25	2	9/1-7 STBC mtg, packets,
		4		2	9/8 Special TC – gaming
				11	9/9-11 Run to the Rogue
5	5	4			9/12-15 Packets
3.5	3.5				9/16 Regular TC
2.5	2.5				9/22 Packets
		4		5.5	9/23 Mtg w/ Coquille
11.25	11.25			16.5	9/25-28 ATNI
2.5	2.5	5			9/29-30 Packets

Lorraine Y. Butler – 9/1/16-9/30/16

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	Tvl	
		1.5			9/5 Packets
1	1			7	9/7 IHS
		8		2	9/8 Special TC – gaming
3	3			12	9/9-11 Run to the Rogue
5	5	2		24	9/11-15 NICOA, CW ribbon-cutting
4.5	4.5				9/16 Regular TC
		4		2	9/17 Mtg w/ Warm Springs
3	3			13.5	9/21-23 Mtg w/ Klamath, mtg w/ Coquille
10.75	10.75			14	9/25-29 ATNI

Reggie Butler Sr. – 9/1/16-9/30/16

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	Tvl	
5.5	5.5	4			9/1-6 Packets
2.75	2.75				9/7 CEDARR, packets
		5		2	9/8 Special TC – gaming
				11	9/9-11 Run to the Rogue
5.5	5.5				9/12-14 Packets
2.25	2.25				9/15 Housing, packets
3.5	3.5				9/16 Regular TC
4.5	4.5				9/21-22 Sign checks, packets
		4		5.5	9/23 Mtg w/ Coquille
11.5	11.5			16.5	9/25-28 ATNI
3.75	3.75				9/29-30 Interviews, packets

Sharon Edenfield – 9/1/16-9/30/16

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	Tvl	
.5	.5			2	9/2 Special TC
		7		2	9/8 Special TC – gaming
2.5	2.5			12	9/9-11 Run to the Rogue
		2		2	9/15 CW ribbon-cutting
4.5	4.5				9/16 Regular TC
		2.5		2	9/17 Mtg w/ Warm Springs
8	8			20	9/18-20 Mtgs on Capitol Hill
		8		14	9/21-23 Mtg w/ Klamath, mtg w/ Coquille
		2		2	9/26 Mtg w/ Burns
		4.5		6	9/27-28 PR mtg
6.5	6.5	2		18.5	9/29-10/3 NNABA, mtg w/ Umatilla

David Hatch – 9/1/16-9/30/16

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	Tvl	
1	1			2	9/2 Special TC
2	2			1	9/7 Community center plan review
		6		2	9/8 Special TC – gaming
2	2			2	9/15 Rogue River Forest Service, CW ribbon-cutting
3.5	3.5				9/16 Regular TC

Gloria Ingle – 9/1/16-9/30/16

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	Tvl	
			4.5	1	9/2 Special TC
.5	.5			3	9/7 IHS consultation
		6		2	9/8 Special TC – gaming
				12	9/9-11 Run to the Rogue
.5	.5			.75	9/13 Sign checks
.5	.5	2		1.75	9/15 Interviews, CW ribbon-cutting
4.5	4.5			.75	9/16 Regular TC
1.5	1.5			1	9/17 Mtg w/ Warm Springs
.75	.5			.75	9/19 Health Comm
3.5	3.5			15	9/21-23 Mtg w/ Klamath, mtg w/ Coquille
1	1			1	9/26 Mtg w/ Burns
2.25	2.25			.75	9/28 Interviews
3.5	3.5			4	9/29-30 NNABA

Robert Kentta – 9/1/16-9/30/16

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	Tvl	
		2			9/7 Packets
.5	.5			2	9/8 Special TC – gaming
2	2			2	9/17 Mtg w/ Warm Springs
1.5	1.5			17	9/18-20 Mtgs on Capitol Hill
3.5	3.5			11.5	9/21-23 Mtg w/ Klamath, mtg w/ Coquille
1.5	1.5			2	9/26 Mtg w/ Burns
3	3			6	9/27-28 Mtgs w/ consultants

Alfred Lane III – 9/1/16-9/30/16

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	Tvl	
		1			9/7 Packets
		6		2	9/8 Special TC – gaming
.5	.5				9/15 Packets
2.5	2.5				9/16 Regular TC
1	1			2	9/17 Economic development mtg
10	10			12	9/18-20 Mtgs on Capitol Hill
3.5	3.5			15	9/21-23 Economic development mtgs
1	1			2	9/26 Economic development mtgs
1.5	1.5			6	9/28 Mtg w/ Matt Hill

Delores Pigsley – 9/1/16-9/30/16

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	Tvl	
1	1			1.5	9/1 Restoration Comm, mail
.5	.5		2.25	1.25	9/2 STBC mtg, mail
.5	.5				9/3-4 Mail
1.25	1.25				9/5 Mtg w/ OSH museum, mail, agenda items
2	2	1.25			9/6-7 Mail, prep for council, agenda items
		7		2.5	9/8 Special TC – gaming, mail
2.75	2.75	1.25			9/9-11 Mail, agenda items, news article, prep for council
8.75	8.75			24.5	9/12-15 NICOA
4	4	1		3	9/16 Regular TC, mail
		4		1.75	9/17 Economic development mtg, mail
7.25	7.25			21	9/18-20 Mtgs on Capitol Hill
1	1	8		16	9/21-23 Self-government negotiations, economic development mtgs, mail
2	2	.25			9/24-25 Mail, agenda items
		3		1.25	9/26 Economic development mtg
				1.5	9/27 Restoration Comm, mail
.5	.5	3		2	9/28 PR mtg, mail
.75	.75	1.25		2.5	9/29-30 NNABA, mail

CTSI Jobs – Tribal employment information is available at ctsi.nsn.us.

Chinook Winds

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Take your shot, spin the wheel. There's a lot of money on hand. Saturdays, hit \$1000 three times in a row, you pocket A HUNDRED GRAND!



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We'll draw for 5 semi-finalists every 30 minutes. One spins the Power wheel three times. Cash prize is equal to the amount tallied on three spins.

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Complete Rules at Winners Circle

CLUB NIGHT BINGO

**SATURDAY,
NOVEMBER 19
10PM**

**ONLY \$5 TO PLAY
EVERY GAME IN
THE SESSION!**

Dance club music, no-host bar, prize giveaways and lots of fun. Don't miss out on this late-night session paying out \$1,400!

Must be 21 or older to play this session. \$20 minimum purchase for machines.

BOOMER tuesdays

Attention Baby Boomers!
(That includes YOU if you're over 55 years old.)

Boomer Slot Tournament

**November 1st, 2016
December 6th, 2016**

The Boomer Slot Tournament starts at 8:30am. The first 300 players to register beginning at 6:30am for 100 player points receive DOUBLE POINTS from 8am-2pm, and the top finishers share 3500 \$AND DOLLARS!

MVP, Premier and Elite tier players require no point redemption.

Complete rules are available at Winners Circle.

Thanksgiving Dining

Chinook's Seafood Grill

Served 12pm to 9pm

First Course

Butternut squash bisque served with a maple crème fraiche.

Entrée

Oven roasted turkey, grilled ham, potato purée, gravy, fall vegetables and brioche stuffing.

Dessert

Spiced pumpkin cake, pumpkin seeds, dried fruits and citrus.

\$25 per person

Rogue River Steakhouse

Served 11am to 10pm

First Course

Butternut squash bisque served with a maple crème fraiche.
Trisaetum Coastal Dry Riesling

Entrée

Oven roasted turkey, grilled ham, potato puree, gravy, fall vegetables and brioche stuffing.
Maysara Jamsheed Pinot Noir

Dessert

Spiced pumpkin cake, pumpkin seeds, dried fruit & citrus.
Taylor Fladgate 10 Year Tawny

\$25 per person

Wine flight with each course \$14 per person

Siletz Bay Buffet Traditional Thanksgiving Harvest

Serving Hours 11am – 9pm

Carving Station

Slow roasted Baron of beef

Oven roast turkey served with all of the traditional trimmings including mashed potatoes, sage-apple stuffing, roasted root vegetables, gravy, yam-pecan soufflé, spaghetti squash, cranberry sauce, Tribally caught salmon, roasted chicken breast with pinenut studded wild rice.

Enjoy the abundant selections of salads, including Traditional Caesar, Ambrosia, quinoa dried fruit salad and butternut squash and carrot bisque.

Desserts including holiday pies, assorted tarts and sugar-free cheesecakes

Action Station

Thanksgiving Crepes, Traditional Native Fry bread

\$19.95 • Seniors \$18.95

Children 5-11yrs \$10.95

Children 4yrs and under – no charge



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Chinook Winds Casino Resort

Entertainment

Nov. 11-12: Wayne Brady
8 p.m., \$35-\$50
Dec. 9-10: Kellie Pickler
8 p.m., \$23-\$38
Dec. 16-17: Comedy on the Coast
8 p.m., \$15

Rogue River Lounge

Fri & Sat: Ultrasonic DJ, cover
10:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.

Chinook's Seafood Grill

Weds: Kit Taylor (pianist) – 5 - 9 p.m.

Nov. 4-5: Beth Willis Duo (classic rock)
Nov. 11-12: Bret Lucich (alternative/rock)
Nov. 18-19: Thunder Road (country/rock)
Nov. 25-26: Triple Edge (classic rock)

9 p.m. to 1 a.m.



Special Events

Sun: 100% Payout Blackjack Tourney
Multiplier Madness
Sparkling Sunday Brunch at Siletz
Bay Buffet
Mon: Margarita Mondays at Chinook's
Seafood Grill (CSG) Lounge
Monday Night Football at Aces
Sports Bar & Grill
Tue: Boomers Club
\$2 Taco Tuesdays at Aces

Wed: Wine Wednesdays at CSG
Thu: Something's Brewing at Aces
Thursday Pro Football at Aces
Fri: Free Weekly Keno Tournament
First Tuesday: Boomer Slots
Third Thursday: Twilight Slots
Nov. 19: Siletz Tribal Restoration Pow-Wow
Nov. 25: Civil War Parties

Tickets go on sale 90 days in advance.
Concerts in the showroom are for ages 16 and older. Comedy on the Coast in the convention center is for ages 21 and older.

For more information or to obtain tickets for all concerts, call the Chinook Winds box office at 888-CHINOOK (888-244-6665) or 541-996-5825; or call 888-MAIN-ACT (624-6228).

All events, concerts and promotions are subject to change at the discretion of Chinook Winds Casino Resort.

Follow us on Twitter, find us on Facebook or visit our website at chinookwindscasino.com.
For more information about events in North Lincoln County, visit lcchamber.com, oregoncoast.org or lincolncity-culturalcenter.org.

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For more information, visit chinookwindscasino.com, or call 888-CHINOOK (244-6665) or 541-996-5825.

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To apply, stop by our HR office anytime Monday-Friday from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Visit our website at chinookwindscasino.com/careers to download our employment application. Or you can stop by the HR office at the Siletz admin building to complete and fax your application to us.

If you have any questions regarding this flier, please contact Mariah Garza at 541-996-5800.

NCAI applauds DOI for recognizing Tribal role in managing federal lands and natural resources

WASHINGTON – | The National Congress of American Indians applauds U.S. Secretary of the Interior Sally Jewell as she recently announced a secretarial order encouraging cooperative management opportunities between the department's land managers and federally recognized Tribes.

Through this effort, the Department of the Interior recognizes enhanced management through collaborative partnerships and the integration of Tribal knowledge, practices and concerns into the management of federal lands and natural resources where there is a connection to Tribal communities.

According to the order, agencies are directed to identify opportunities, engage in consultation with Tribal governments and undertake efforts to develop collaborative partnerships with Tribes in the management of resources.

NCAI has long supported and advocated for the advancement of cooperative relationships that foster and integrate traditional indigenous knowledge and practices into the management of natural resources that affect Tribal lands, empowering Tribal self-determination and the resiliency of Tribal communities.

NCAI will continue to work with Tribes to ensure equitable participation by Tribes in the co-management of traditional and customary resources for the continued well-being of their peoples and appropriate co-management agreements.

"The order announced today sets up a process and identifies the need for cooperative relationships that will benefit Tribes in their efforts to manage natural resources," said Jacqueline Pata, NCAI executive director. "This also supports the exercise of our rights and provides recognition of essential indigenous knowledge."

About NCAI

Founded in 1944, the National Congress of American Indians is the oldest, largest and most representative American Indian and Alaska Native organization in the country.

NCAI advocates on behalf of Tribal governments and communities, promoting strong Tribal-federal government-to-government policies and a better understanding among the general public of American Indian and Alaska Native governments, people and rights

For more information, visit ncai.org.

Change in Siletz Clinic check-in times

The Siletz Clinic asks all patients with appointments to check in 15 minutes prior to your scheduled appointment time. This allows for any necessary paperwork to be completed prior to your appointment with your provider.

Thank you!

To the editor:

Hello, my name is Richard Sagraves and I was recently released from a nine-year term of incarceration. In a lot of cases like mine, people have a hard time and fall back into their old patterns of behavior and get locked back up, but in my case I've been fortunate enough to have the support I need to stay clean and sober and make some headway in getting my life back on track.

This would not have been possible without the help I've gotten from family friends and fellow Tribal members, and I just wanted to take some time to thank all who have helped me to be successful with my re-entry to society.

To my uncles Ivan and Daniel – it might not seem like much, but a smudge bowl made my day and the pool stick gave me a warm feeling that stayed for days.

To all of the people who have helped, I thank you:

Rachelle and Christina, for all the help with getting a job, clothing and my driver's license Wylie and Zeb from Behavioral Health, for all the support

Cindy, for all the help with rides when I lived in Otis

Selina, for rushing my OHP through to get my shoulder looked at

Maggie and Marci from Human Resources for helping to get me working and giving me the opportunity to prove myself

Max Hoover, for giving me the chance to prove myself and being understanding about all of my obligations with my re-entry

My Aunt Lori, for giving me a place to live and a family environment to help remember what it's like to be with family

My cousin Christina, for being there to listen whenever something was wrong and letting me get to know her children

My cousin Felicia, for listening to my woes and giving me her opinion

My parole officer Erin Reyes, for being understanding and supportive and encouraging

My oldest son Shane, for giving me the opportunity to be in your life and getting to know my grandsons

My dad, for taking care of my son, Richard, and bringing him to see me on a regular basis for nine years and always taking the time to write me a letter

Without all of these people doing all of these things, I know I would be right back where I was before and living that terrible life that put me in prison, so again I say thank you to all who have helped me to be successful.

I guess it does take a Tribe, now I understand that old saying.

Respectfully,

Richard A. Sagraves

To the editor:

I, Agnes, Pilgrim, Siletz Tribal elder, thank all my family, five generations, for their support during two funerals, one at Freshwater, Calif., and in Siletz, for my son, Keith Taylor.

Thanks to Dino Butler and family for their help.

Blessings to Nadine Martin for driving her brother home. Also, my granddaughter, Katrina Taylor-Sims and family for their extraordinary support for her father.

Many thanks to the Jefferson, Ore., Color Guard and combat veterans.

Blessings also to the honorary pall bearers; singers; my daughter, Mona Hudson, and daughter, Ember, for doing *The Lord's Prayer* in sign language.

Thanks for prayers, cards, phone calls and gratitude to our elders for the food and all the kitchen help.

With gratitude and love,

Grandmother Agnes Pilgrim and her five generations

Thank you from the family of Arliss Chatterson

Our family would like to express our appreciation and thanks to our Tribe and to all of the folks who helped us through the memorial service for Arliss Chatterson. Thank you with all of our hearts.

Siletz News Letters Policy

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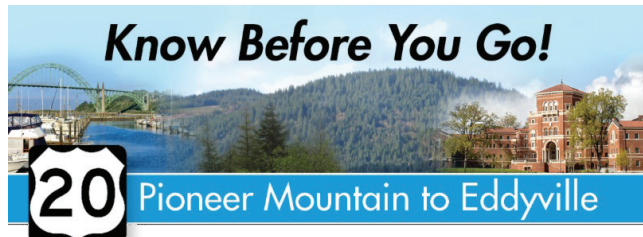
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Please note: The general manager of the Siletz Tribe is the editor-in-chief of *Siletz News*.

Editor-in-Chief: Brenda Bremner

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Final 2016 PME Construction Update 10/21/16

The Oregon Department of Transportation
thanks you

for your patience, your understanding, and your planning to allow us to complete and open the new alignment of the US 20 Pioneer Mountain to Eddyville Project.

The road is open and overnight closures are done!

There may be regular traffic holds up to 20 minutes as the 2016 construction season comes to a close. Next year, there will be some single lane closures and short delays to finish the last half mile of the project at the west end curve tie-in, but no overnight closures are planned.

For Planning

What to Expect

2016	Winter	Drainage and excavation work as weather permits. Native tree and shrub planting. Periodic flagging with minor delays.
	Summer	Straightening of the west end tie-in and final roadwork completion. Finishing fish passage culvert work and other drainage work. Lane closures with up to 20 minute traffic delays expected.
2017	Winter	Native tree and shrub planting continues with no traffic impacts.



For more project information and schedule details,

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Happy 9th Birthday, Aaidyn! You're growing into such a wonderful young man. We love you and can't wait for all the big things you'll do in life.

Love, Mom, Dad and Sister

Gary Butler Sr. – Pops, you've come a long way and the steps you've taken to get where you are now give me the energy and courage I need to be just like you. Thanks for standing by me, Dad.

Love, your son Shane

Happy 17th Birthday on Nov. 1 to Michael Dwaine Hunter Tate! We love and miss you so much, Bubba.

Mom, Rendi, Grams and Grandpa

Happy 26th Birthday on Nov. 30 to Rendi Rae Keller! We love you so much, Ru Bear.

Love, Mama, Grams and Grandpa

Happy Birthday to my baby sister, Nellie Carey, on Nov. 13! I'm proud of the woman you are. You're capable of anything you put your mind to.

Love you so much, Trish

Happy Birthday to my baby brother, Jordan Hoover, on Nov. 12! You've grown into quite the polite young man. Hope your day is awesome!

Love from your favorite sister in the whole wide world, Trish



Happy 44th Anniversary to my mom and dad, Dan and Darlene Smith.

Hope you have many more!

Happy Birthday to a No. 1 brother, Darrin Smith. Thanks for all you do for me. I hope you have a great day.
Love, your No. 1 sister Danelle



Happy 14th Birthday to Jordyn Rose! I hope our birthday is amazing, you certainly deserve it. I'm so proud of you. You always excel in everything you do. It always puts a smile on my face. There is nothing better than being part of your journey through life.
Love always, Mama, Papa and Sis

Passages Policy

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For more information about the Siletz Tribal language program, please visit siletzlanguage.org.

#NativeReads campaign of American Indian children's literature launched just in time to celebrate Native American Heritage Month in November

LONGMONT, Colo. – First Nations Development Institute (First Nations) has partnered with Debbie Reese, Ph.D. (Nambé Pueblo), to create the Native American Children's Literature Recommended Reading List and Discussion Guide to encourage a "national read" and discussion about these important Native narratives.

Reese, known for her expertise in the field of Native children's literature, is an educator and has served on many national literacy boards. She is the editor and publisher of the American Indians in Children's Literature website.

In observance of Native American Heritage Month in November, First Nations is launching the #NativeReads campaign that features five books of American Indian children's literature – selected by Reese – as part of its effort to educate others and share authentic resources about Native histories, cultures and peoples.

"We feel it is important to provide an opportunity for people to learn more about Native experiences from a culturally and historically accurate perspective," said First Nations President & CEO Michael E. Roberts (Tlingit). "A core part of our work is to change the narrative on how American Indians are viewed ... by making the invisible visible, by actively refuting persistent negative stereotypes, and by shifting the pervasive misperceptions. Education makes a significant difference in breaking down stereotypes, reshaping collaborations and building bridges of understanding in the world today. A great place to start young people is with Native author writing about Native America."

The list of five books is essential reading for young ones in Head Start and preschool to elementary and middle school students. High school students even get a Native comic book.

The reading list is full of wonderful, culturally authentic stories and illustra-



Artwork by Julie Flett

Dr. Debbie Reese

tions. The featured books include:

1. *Wild Berries* by Julie Flett (Cree-Métis) – Head Start and Preschool
2. *Jingle Dancer* by Cynthia Leitich Smith (Muscogee (Creek) – Early Elementary Grades K-3
3. *In the Footsteps of Crazy Horse* by Joseph Marshall III (Sicangu Lakota) – Middle Grades 4-7
4. *If I Ever Get Out of Here* by Eric Gansworth (Onondaga) – High School 8-12
5. *Super Indian Volume One* by Arigon Starr (Kickapoo) – Comics and Graphic Novels

The campaign includes a discussion guide for each book. The book list and links to the discussion guides can be found at firstnations.org/HeritageMonth2016.

The effort also includes "10 Ways to Make a Difference" – a call to action – using the featured books. The full list of recommended reading by age group can be found firstnations.org/sites/default/files/*TenWaysYouCanMakeADifference.pdf.

Suggestions include reading one to a child, sharing the list with libraries and bookstores, donating copies to teachers or schools, discussing one in a book club and promoting the books on social media using the hashtag #NativeReads.