## Duu Lhlan Wee-ya'

Duu Lhlan Wee-ya', "not many words" or "in so many words," is mailed to Lincoln and Tillamook County Tribal members each month. Information includes youth activities, events, meetings, program updates and more.



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## August 2017

# Tribal Office Closure for Total Solar Eclipse

Emergency Managers across Oregon have been meeting for over a year to plan for an influx of visitors to the state to view the Aug. 21 total solar eclipse. The planning assumption is that Oregon will experience an additional 1 million visitors for this event. This will mean heavy traffic and prolonged travel times on our roads and highways. To keep folks safe, the Tribe has determined it necessary to close tribal offices in Siletz, Salem, Portland and Eugene and the clinc on Aug. 21, the day of the eclipse. You can find information on safely viewing the solar eclipse in Oregon online at the following web address:

oregon.gov/osp/SFM/docs/ Comm\_Ed/solareclipse/solareclipsesafety.PDF

### **Fresh Steelhead Calling**

During July and August, we receive whole-bodied hatchery steelhead from ODFW's Siletz Falls fish trap for distribution to Siletz Tribal families. If you would like to subscribe to the auto-dial message system to receive a recorded call on the day steelhead will be available, please call the Natural Resources Department at 541-444-8227.

Usually, we receive 1-2 hours advance notice on the day fish will be available, but lead time varies. The pickup site is at the Tribal administration building on Southeast Swan Avenue in Siletz.

We ask everyone to bring their Tribal ID and to come in person to pick up fish, which are distributed on a first-come, first-served basis (notes are not accepted).

## Community Health Events

**Wednesdays • 5:30-7 p.m**Trauma Support Group (age 18+)
Siletz Clinic – Behavioral Health

**Aug. 3 & 17 • 6-8 p.m.**Girls' Group
Siletz Clinic – Behavioral Health

Aug. 7 • 11 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Youth Tobacco 101 Siletz Grange Hall

**Aug. 25 • 3-7 p.m.**Wellness Carnival
Siletz Fitness Center

#### **Tillicum Fitness Center Classes**

Tai Chi: M & W, 10:30-11:30 a.m. Zumba Gold: T &Th, 5:30-6:30 p.m. Sit and Be Fit: T, Th & F, 10-11 a.m. Pilates: M & W, 5:15-6:15 p.m.

## **Healthy Traditions**

**Mountain Huckleberry Picking** 

Aug. 26-27 (weather pending)

**Tuna Canning Classes** 

Sept. 21-22

To sign up for events, contact Kathy Kentta 541-444-9627

Become a gardening participant!

Grow fresh vegetables to add to your diet. Enjoy the pleasure of growing food and learning new gardening skills. Join The Siletz Tribal Community Garden.

## **Elders Council Meeting**

No Meeting in August
Next Meeting: Sept. 16

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

### **Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) Collection Event**

Saturday, Aug. 12, 2017 • 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

North Lincoln Sanitary Service Recycling Center

1726 SE Highway 101

Lincoln City, OR 97367

On Aug. 12, Lincoln County residents can properly dispose of highly hazardous household waste for free during this annual event, sponsored by Lincoln County waste haulers and the County Solid Waste District.

Held once a year, this event rotates between Lincoln City, Newport, Toledo and Waldport.

"It is critical to do as much as we can to keep hazardous materials out of the environment and away from children and pets," said Mark Saelens, program manager. "Disposing of old, unused or excess hazardous material is very expensive and this event allows citizens to do their part for free."

At this event, household hazardous materials that will be accepted include:

- Poisons: Pesticides, herbicides, fungicides and other poisons
- Heavy Metals: Mercury and products containing elemental mercury
- Corrosives: Acids, bases and reactives

Using care when handling hazardous household waste is essential. The proper preparation and transport of hazardous materials will minimize risks to you, your family, property and disposal staff from accidental spills or dangerous mixing of materials.

Products should not be mixed together. Dangerous reactions can occur when some materials are mixed. Keeping products in their original containers when possible will help staff dispose of materials safely.

Products also should be properly sealed to prevent leaks and spills. If a container is leaking, secure it in a secondary leak-proof container. Pack containers in sturdy boxes in the trunk of your vehicle, away from the driver, passengers and pets.

Containers and boxes, including gasoline cans, cannot be returned, so make sure you don't need them for future use. Please do not put items in plastic bags.

Household batteries, car batteries and fluorescent bulbs should not be brought to the event as these can be dropped off at recycling/transfer stations throughout the year during regular business hours.

Oil-based, latex and other paints (some of which are considered haz-

ardous household waste) should not be brought to the event unless the paint cans have lost their label. Most latex and oil-based paint also can be dropped off throughout the year. A few spray paint cans that are at least a quarter full will be accepted.

CEGs, businesses and governments that have hazardous waste are asked to schedule an appointment to drop off their waste. Fees apply. Contact Mark Saelens, Lincoln County Solid Waste District (msaelens@co.lincoln.or.us, 541-574-1285) in advance to schedule an appointment.



## Nuu-wee-ya' (our words)

Introduction to the Athabaskan language

Open to Tribal members of all ages

Aug. 7 • 6-8 p.m.
Siletz Tribal
Community Center

For more imformation, contact Bud Lane at the Siletz Cutural Department at 541-444-8320 or e-mail budl@ctsi.nsn.us.

### **Reminders**

#### **Nesika Illahee Pow-Wow**

The Nesika Illahee Pow-Wow hiring date is Aug. 9 from 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Siletz Tribal Community Center on Government Hill. Jobs to be filled – security, maintenance and kitchen positions.

### Run to the Rogue: Sept. 8-10

Registration forms are available on the Tribal website or at your area office.

For questions or more information, contact Buddy Lane at 541-444-8230; ext. 1230; or buddyl@ctsi.nsn.us.



# Student Laptop Program

The Central Administration office will accept applications for the Student Laptop Program beginning Aug. 1, 2017. Early applications will not be accepted.

This program is specifically for higher education and AVT students who meet the following eligibility requirements and have not previously received a student laptop:

- ✓ Must be an enrolled Siletz Tribal member
- Must provide copy of current term class schedule of six credit hours or more
- Must provide an unofficial transcript/grade report of successful completion of two consecutive quarters/ semesters (six credit hours or more) of higher education/AVT program with a minimum 2.0 GPA
- ✓ Proof of residence is required.

Applications are available on the Tribe's website or by contacting April Middaugh at 541-444-8201.

Desktop Computers: The Desktop Program remains suspended for this calendar year.

### CTSI Jobs

Employment information is available at ctsi.nsn.us.

# Veterans Service Office Lincoln City Expands Outreach and Relocates

The Lincoln County Veterans Service Office (VSO) is proud to announce that it has expanded its outreach presence in Lincoln City to once-a-week at the Worksource Oregon office at Lighthouse. This change comes as the VSO remains committed to increasing services and advocacy to our North County veterans.

The traditional first-Thursday outreach at the Lincoln City Senior Center no longer takes place as the demand for an increase in services has necessitated the change in venue.

The Lincoln County VSO would like to thank the staff and volunteers at the Lincoln City Senior Center for hosting and supporting it throughout the years. We owe much of our growth to their partnership and commitment to veterans within the community.

We look forward to more

adequately serving our veterans in North County and are grateful to our partners at Worksource Oregon for hosting and allowing this to happen. Please see the new Veterans Service Lincoln City Outreach schedule below:

Who: Lincoln County Veterans Service Office

What: Lincoln City Expansion and Relocation

When: Every Thursday from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Where: Worksource Oregon Office at Lighthouse Square 4157 NW Highway 101, Lincoln City OR, 97367

For any additional questions or concerns regarding expansion, VA claims benefits or to schedule an appointment at our Newport office, contact Devin or Pete at 541-574-6955.

## USDA Distribution Dates for July in Siletz

 Tuesday
 Aug. 1
 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

 Wednesday
 Aug. 2
 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

 Thursdy
 Aug. 3
 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

 Friday
 Aug. 4
 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

 Monday
 Aug. 7
 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Joyce Retherford • CTSI FDPIR 541-444-8393 Lisa Paul • CTSI FDPIR 541-444-8279

### **CEDARR**

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 abstinance.

Aug. 2 • Noon
Siletz Commuity Health Clinic
200 Gwee-Shut Road, Siletz

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