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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September 2020

School Supply Pre-Registration Form Siletz Area JOM Students

2020-2021

New this year – pre-registration required for school supplies. All students required to pre-register by **4:30 PM, Sept. 11**th.

Who is eligible?

Enrolled JOM students living in Lincoln & Tillamook Counties in Head Start through 12th grade.

How do I register?

- Complete the CTSI JOM Request for Services form found in the Education section on the website under the "Youth" tab (Use "School Supplies" under Reason for Request)
- Submit your completed form by either:
 - Emailing a scan or image of form to AlissaL@ctsi.nsn.us
 - Mailing to:

ATTN: Education School Supplies

PO Box 549

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- o Faxing it to 541-444-8392
- OUsing the drop box outside of the Administrative Building

If you have questions, please email:

Alissa Lane at

Jeff Sweet at

AlissaL@ctsi.nsn.us

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Apply now for Siletz Tribal Head Start

Apply now for your child to attend our Head Start program. We have classrooms in Siletz, Lincoln City, Salem and Portland.

We give preference for enrollment to children who are American Indian, but you do not have to be American Indian in order to attend our Head Start program.

Our program offers round-trip transportation, two meals each class day, structured learning activities to support children's readiness skills, health screenings, family events, parent training and services to support family success.

To apply, call us at 800-922-1399 or 541-444-2450 and ask for Head Start.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.



Census Campaign will end soon – make sure you get counted

There are many things in this world that we have no control over. One of the things we do have control of that will help improve our lives and the life of our Siletz community is the ability to respond to the Census. On that note, there is good and bad news.

The good news is that the Siletz Tribe has responded better than 83% of all of Tribes in the country. The bad news is that we've only responded at a 52.4% rate as of this writing. Indian Country is going to be undercounted again and it's our own fault this time. Those who have responded have shown concern for their community and are to be commended.

Thanks to all who have endured eight months of Census campaigning. It will soon be over. The Census response period will close at the end of September. At that time, a drawing will take place for those Siletz Tribal members who have reported that they have completed the Census.

There is more than \$5,000 in prizes and gifts, including a Brass King Regal XLS LP gas grill and cover, Siletz Pend-

leton blankets, Kindle tablets, shirts and cooler bags. You can still participate a little while longer. Just complete the Census and send an email with the subject line "I Count" and your name, mailing address and phone number to CompleteCountCommittee@CTSI.nsn.us.

Complete the Census by 1) going online at my2020census.gov or by 2) phoning 844-330-2020. Census enumerators are supposed to come to households that have not completed the Census. They are short-staffed, however, and may miss some people. Please don't let this happen.

If you have questions, contact your area office. If you need computer assistance with your response, contact your area office. People there have been trained to answer your questions, though they can't fill out your questionnaires for you.

The Census is safe, simple and confidential. Your responses will not be shared with any other agency. The average response only takes about 10 minutes to complete.

Remember: You are Siletz and you count!



477-SSP Family Engagement Contest with a chance to win prizes!

Open to Siletz Tribal families in all areas

Deadline to register: Sept. 9, 2020

To register please email angelicae@ctsi.nsn.us

Event takes place Sept. 11-25, 2020

Families that register will be emailed/ mailed a list of activities prior to the event. The list of activities can be completed at home or locally (while practicing physical distancing from others).

Points will be assigned to each activity. Families will send in a photo to verify they completed the activity as a family. The families with the most points will earn a prize.

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2020 Deer Early Bow Tags

Tribal hunters who were issued deer early archery tags from the Siletz Tribe for the 8/29/2020-9/27/2020 season are required to return <u>UNFILLED</u> early season tags to the Natural Resources Department no later than Oct. 9, 2020. This is a change in practice from recent years.

The interest in bow hunting has increased and the number of deer archery tags is limited to 50 total for the split seasons. All <u>UNFILLED</u> deer bow tags must be returned by Oct. 9, 2020, to be available for requests for deer late archery season.

The first distribution of deer late bow tags is for Tribal hunters who did not receive a tag during the early season. The first distribution day for deer late bow tags is Oct. 19, 2020.

Due to Covid-19, hunting and fishing licenses and tags are being delivered by mail only. Call Natural Resources at 541-444-8227, 541-444-8232 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1232, for assistance.

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