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CONGRATULATIONS I LANC!

Siletz Valley School

Butler signs letter of intent to attend

**Southwestern Oregon Community College** 

Isaac Butler (center) puts on a hat from Southwestern Oregon Community

scholarship. He signed his letter of intent at an all-school assembly at Siletz

Tupou, school superintendent/principal. See page 10 for additional photos.

Valley Early College Academy on May 9. Isaac was joined by (1 to r) Bob Tom

(his grandfather), Lee Butler (his father), Reggie Butler Jr. (his uncle) and Sam

College to indicate the college he has chosen to attend on a wrestling

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# **UNITY announces 25 Under 25** youth leaders in Indian Country, Rilatos included in latest class

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UNITY has announced the third class of its "25 Under 25 Native Youth Leaders" national recognition program that honors American Indian and Alaska Native youth. Siletz Tribal member Savanna Rilatos is a member of this class of honorees.

The program, which launched in 2014 and is awarded every other year, recognizes and celebrates the achievements of Native youth leaders under the age of 25 who embody UNITY's core mission and exude living a balanced life developing their spiritual, mental, physical and social well-being.

"So many of our Native youth are doing amazing work in Indian Country. UNITY's 25 Under 25 program is one way of recognizing these young leaders and acknowledging the passion they have to improve their communities. There was an overwhelming amount of applications from outstanding youth leaders across the nation. We offer our congratulations to the honorees and wish all nominees the very best," said Mary Kim Titla, executive director of UNITY.

The 2018 Class of 25 Under 25 Native Youth Leaders includes:

- Katherine Carmain, 16, Rosebud Sioux, Texas
- Sapphire Carter, 24, Chippewa Cree,
- Shasta Dazen, 24, White Mountain Apache Tribe, Arizona
- Nancy Deere-Turney, 23, Muscogee Creek Nation, Oklahoma
- Jay Fife, 18, Muscogee Creek Nation, Oklahoma
- Ashleigh Fixico, 21, Muscogee Creek Nation, Oklahoma
- Frederick Gipp, 24, Apache Tribe, Oklahoma
- Tristan Joe, 18, Navajo Nation, New Mexico
- Maddie Lamb, 19, Muscogee Creek Nation, Oklahoma Vonica LaPlante, 17, Mandan/Hidatsa/
- Arikara, North Dakota
- Jayden Lim, 16, Pomo, California
- Faith Long, 19, Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians, North Carolina
- Xavier Medina, 19, Pascua Yaqui, Arizona
- Elwood McClellan, Jr., 18, Iowa Tribe, Oklahoma
- Audri Mitchell, 19, Colorado River Indian Tribes, Arizona
- Tashoni Morales, 18, Yachi-Tokut/Te-Moak/Western Shoshone, California

improve the lives of Oregon Tribal members by giving them new opportunities to

federal red tape," Walden said. "I look forward to President Trump signing this bipartisan measure into law."

"Throughout our nation's history, our terrible federal Indian policy has decimated Tribes not only through displacement, but through economic discrimination as well," DeFazio said. "In Southwest Oregon, the INIA made it impossible for the Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua and Siuslaw Indians in my district to fully function as a sovereign nation, acting as a roadblock to the Tribe's economic development. I'm proud to help right a historic wrong by exempting the Coos from its unnecessary restrictions."

Currently, under the Indian Non-Intercourse Act, Tribes are required to get federal approval to purchase, sell, convey, warrant or lease lands they own privately. This makes it difficult, expensive and impractical for Tribes to seize economic development opportunities when they must get approval from Congress every time they want to obtain a commercial mortgage for their non-trust property.

The Oregon Tribal Economic Development Act allows certain Tribes in Oregon to forego that additional approval on privately held lands. The bill does not affect property that is held in trust by the United States, which means the federal government holds the legal title to the land in trust on behalf of a Tribe and the Tribal government manages the land for the communal benefit of the Tribe.

Merkley and Wyden led the act in the U.S. Senate, and Walden and DeFazio led a companion bill in the U.S. House of Representatives.

Photo by Andy Taylor

The Tribes in Oregon impacted by this bill include the Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua and Siuslaw Indians; Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde; Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians; Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs; and the Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians.

"We give great thanks to Sen. Merkley, Sen. Wyden, Rep. DeFazio and Rep. Walden for their hard work to secure the passage of S 1285, the Oregon Tribal Economic Development Act," said Chief Warren Brainard of the Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua and Siuslaw Indians. "This bill advances the potential for economic development for Tribes in Oregon by strengthening our self-sufficiency and self-determination and ensuring the equality of Tribes to buy and sell fee lands like other Americans. It is a great day for Tribes in Oregon."

"Economic development and investment is vital to improving the lives of our Tribal members," said Cheryle Kennedy, chair of the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde. "This bill removes a significant barrier to the Tribe leasing and developing fee land. The Tribe is grateful for Sen. Merkley's leadership on this issue and his role in passing the legislation."

The next step for the legislation is to be signed into law by the president.



File photo

Savanna Rilatos

# Merkley, Wyden, Walden, DeFazio announce passage of legislation to return Tribal control over private lands

WASHINGTON - Oregon's U.S. Sens. Jeff Merkley and Ron Wyden, with Rep. Greg Walden (R-OR 2) and Rep. Peter DeFazio (D-OR 4) announced May 16 that Congress has passed the Oregon Tribal Economic Development Act, which allows certain Tribes in Oregon, including the Siletz Tribe, to lease and sell property that they own.

"It's absurd that Tribes were forced to get congressional approval before they could develop property that they privately own," Merkley said. "Several Oregon Tribes asked me for help on this issue as they encountered barriers to development projects and I could not be more pleased to see it heading to the president's desk to be signed into law. This legislation is critically important to Tribal sovereignty and economic growth, allowing Tribes to take ownership over development opportunities on their reservations."

"Tribes in Oregon should have the authority to set their own economic course and an essential piece of that decisionmaking must be the flexibility to develop their privately owned property," Wyden said. "I am gratified that common sense and fairness have prevailed so that Tribes throughout our state can choose to pursue development opportunities that create jobs and revenues."

"Passage of this measure will help manage their lands without unnecessary

See UNITY on page 11

### **Chairman's Report**

### Warm Springs Museum fundraiser

Representatives of the Siletz Tribe attended a fundraising event in support of the Warm Springs Museum – the event was in Portland. The museum celebrated the Warm Springs Tribe's rich history and its 1855 treaty.

The Warm Springs Tribe also hosts the Pi-Ume-Sha Treaty Days celebration, with many other activities and their annual pow-wow held in Warm Springs.

# National Indian Gaming Association

Loraine Butler and I attended the National Indian Gaming Association (NIGA) conference and annual tradeshow in Las Vegas, Nev. This was one of the largest ever hosted by NIGA.

Important gaming issues are discussed, regional area caucuses are held, resolutions are adopted and this year was an election year for the vice-chairman and treasurer.

NIGA is a strong voice for Tribal gaming, with its headquarters in Washington, D.C.

#### **Self-Governance**

The annual Self-Governance Conference was held in Albuquerque, N.M. Tribal Council and appropriate staff were in attendance.

Siletz received recognition for being in the second tier of self-governance Tribes; a gift was received by Tribal Council member Angela Ramirez.

# Oregon Governor's Tourism Conference

I attended the Oregon Governor's Tourism Conference in Bend this past month. Because Chinook Winds is one of the sponsors, I had the opportunity to address the conference attendees.

Besides promoting the Oregon Coast and Chinook Winds, I requested that the nine Tribes receive recognition for their pow-wows, history and cultural events that take place.

### **Elders Honor Day**

Our elders hosted a very large and very nice Elders Honor Day. Thank you to the committees and Chinook Winds for hosting a great event.

### **Chemawa Indian School**

Our Oregon congressional delegation requested and held a meeting at Chemawa Indian School. Concerns had been raised by Oregon Public Broadcasting (OPB) about some concerning issues with the school.

Because the Bureau of Indian Affairs and the Bureau of Indian Education failed to respond to requests from the congressional delegation, a meeting was requested with school officials to respond to the information reported by OPB. Oregon Tribes were invited to participate in the formal meeting.

As a result, Chairwoman Cheryl Kennedy of Grand Ronde and I were asked to come up with five recommendations that

we would like to see implemented at the school. The bottom line was to address those issues that were a concern to all in attendance.

The OPB series on the school can be seen on YouTube.

### **Detroit Dam Fish Passage Project**

I attended a public comment meeting on the Fish Passage Project that is being promoted at Detroit Dam. It was well-attended by local officials and Tribes who had concerns and questions regarding the process.

More information will be forthcoming as scientists and citizens get their questions answered. The City of Salem is opposed to the project as it may affect its water supply.



Delores Pigsley

### **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 Prefeence 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 orgnization.

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.

### Send applications to:

Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians Attn: Human Resources Department PO. Box 549

Siletz, OR 97380-0549

Fax number: 541-444-8375 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1375

Human Resources: 800-922-1399,

ext. 1274, or 541-444-8274

Website: ctsi.nsn.us

Email: hrdepartment@ctsi.nsn.us

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.

Name:	 	 
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**Change of address:** Tribal members – contact the Enrollment Department at 541-444-8258; 800-922-1399, ext. 1258; or enrollment@ctsi.nsn.us. All others – call the newspaper office.

Send information to:

Siletz News P.O. Box 549 Siletz, OR 97380-0549

541-444-8291 or

800-922-1399, ext. 1291

Fax: 541-444-2307
Email: pias@ctsi.nsn.us

Deadline for the July issue is June 11.

Submission of articles and photos is encouraged.

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



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# **Elders Council Meeting**

June 9 • 1-4 p.m.
Chinook Winds Golf Resort

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

# Nuu-wee-ya' (our words)

## Introduction to the Athabaskan language

Open to Tribal members of all ages

Siletz

Tribal Community Center June 4 – 6-8 p.m.

Portland

Portland Area Office June 11 – 6-8 p.m.

July classes will be held at Culture Camp.

Eugene

Eugene Area Office June 5 – 6-8 p.m. Salem

Salem Area Office June 12 – 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 email budl@ctsi.nsn.us.

# After-hours crisis line now available at 541-444-8286 or 800-600-5599

Because mental health and relapse crises do not always happen during business hours, Siletz Behavioral Health has arranged a collaboration with an afterhours crisis line called Lines for Life.

On weekends and during the weekday hours of 5 p.m. to 8 a.m., the number to the Behavioral Health front desk is forwarded to Lines for Life, where you will be connected with a live mental health counselor.

The counselor will do everything he/she can to help de-escalate, advise and support.

Afterwards, this information can be shared with our mental health counselor so follow-up care can be provided.

Of course, if there is an emergency and you fear that you or someone else is in imminent danger, please call 911. That's always the fastest way to get help.



# 477 Self-Sufficiency Program offers Summer Youth Employment Program

The 477-Self Sufficiency Program (SSP) is accepting applications for our Summer Youth Employment Program (SYEP). This program is separate from the Tribal Employment Program offered through the Education Department.

The program mission is to provide youth age 14-24 with the opportunity to gain employment or education skills in a field that interests them. Our current placements are 240 hours and pay is \$9.25/hour for Work Experience and

\$7/hour for Classroom Training stipends. The program is available to youth who reside within the 11-county service area.

Basic eligibility criteria includes but is not limited to:

- Youth must be between age 14-24 at the time of application
- Native American verification (includes American Indian, Native Alaskan and Native Hawaiian) and those enrolled in a federally recog-
- nized Indian Tribe. Participants can also be eligible with verification of descendancy from a family member who is enrolled with a federally recognized Tribe.
- Latest school grade report. Participants will need to have at least a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.0. Participants below a 2.0 can participate in a classroom training program and receive a stipend while they attend summer school.
- nized Indian Tribe. Participants can Income eligibility requirements apply.

Slots are limited and are on a first-come, first-served basis. If you are interested in applying for the Summer Youth Employment Program, please contact one of our Tribal services specialists or intake specialists located in each of the Tribal offices.

The application deadline is June 22, 2018.

## 2018 Culture Camp

July 10-12

Registration forms are available on the Tribal website (ctsi.nsn.us) or at your area office.

If you have any questions, contact Buddy Lane at 800-922-1399, ext. 1230; 541-444-8230; or buddyl@ctsi.nsn.us.

Applications can be mailed to P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549 or faxed to 541-444-8392.

# 477 Self-Sufficiency plan open for review and public comment

The 477 Self-Sufficiency Program Plan is open for public comment from June 1 to July 16, 2018. The plan is available on the Tribal website (ctsi.nsn. us), lobby of each area office or by contacting Kurtis Barker, 477-SSP director.

The plan provides a broad overview of how the program will operate for years 2019-2021.

Please submit written comments to Kurtis Barker at kurtisb@ctsi.nsn.us or by fax at 541-444-8334.

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

# **Culture Craft Nights**

Feather Dance Practice (Nee-dash)



June 4 • 5-7 p.m.
Siletz Tribal Community Center

June 5 • 5-7 p.m. Eugene Area Office

June 11 • 5-7 p.m. Portland Area Office

June 12 • 5-7 p.m. Salem Area Office

Siletz Tribal members and their families welcome. Come and learn the Feather Dance.

Young people under age 10 need an adult to accompany and assist them.

The Siletz Culture Department will provide instructors to assist.

Contact: Bud Lane, budl@ctsi.nsn. us; 541-444-8320 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1320.

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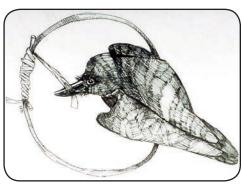
# Ask Raven column returns to answer questions about addiction

After a long hiatus, Ask Raven has returned. Many of you may be familiar with Raven and some of you may not. The next few months offer an opportunity for those of you familiar with Raven to welcome Raven back. For those who are not familiar, it will be your chance to get to know Raven.

Raven is here to answer questions and provide a healthy perspective on issues around the disease of addiction. Addiction can wreak havoc on any individual and also their families. We all have been impacted by addiction in some way.

In following with the times, Raven can be contacted via confidential email at Ask.Raven@ctsi.nsn.us.

Starting immediately, Raven will begin to answer your questions via email. Each month, one or two questions will be



published in Siletz News along with any news that Raven wants to share.

All email will be confidential and for those questions selected to be published, they will only be published with the community member's permission and will be completely anonymous.

Raven is ready to start answering your questions. Next month Raven will be speaking with you directly.

Welcome back, Raven!

### **Apply now for Siletz Tribal Head Start**

Applications are ready for the 2018-2019 Siletz Tribal Head Start school year. Your child must be age 3 or 4 as of Sept. 1, 2018.

We have mailed out applications to children who are enrolled Tribal members. Applications also can be downloaded from the Tribal website or you can call us at 800-922-1399 or 541-444-2532 to request that one be mailed to you.

A Head Start staff person must verify the information on your application through either a face-to-face interview or a telephone interview. If we receive your application in the mail, we will call you to verify the application and if we don't reach you will leave a message asking you to call us back. Please be sure to call us back.

We look forward to serving your child and family.

# Last day to update mailing address in time for per capita checks is July 13

The last day to get your mailing address updated in time for your **per capita check** to be mailed to a new address is **Friday**, **July 13**, **2018**, by the end of the business day. Any address changes after that date will affect the mailing of the per capita check, causing a delay in receiving it.

Please see the information below about address changes and Missing Moccasins. For the full policy regarding per capita checks, please see the Tribal Member Distribution Ordinance on the Tribal website at ctsi.nsn.us under Government Listings > Tribal Ordinances.

One of the popular questions is "How much is per capita going to be?" That amount is calculated on July 1, taking into account the amount to be distributed, the number of enrolled Tribal members alive on that day and postage costs.

On Monday, July 2, after 12 p.m., you can call **541-444-8224** to hear an automated recording of the amount as well as going to the Tribal website, under the opening page of the member area login, for the written announcement.

### Where is my per capita check?

Per capita checks are going to be mailed on Monday, July 31, to the **current** address on file with the Enrollment Department.

 The Tribal Member Distribution Ordinance requires distribution of checks to initially be mailed; therefore it cannot be picked up at the Siletz Tribal office. Per capita checks are cannot be direct deposited.

- Mail from Siletz takes as long as four days to get to an address in Portland, Salem and Eugene. Please allow for the "snail mail" time before calling to see where your per capita check is.
- Friday, July 13, your check will be held until a correct address is submitted. If you are a Missing Moccasin and update your address between Monday, July 16, and Tuesday, July 31, the per capita check will be mailed on Wednesday, Aug. 1. All other Missing Moccasins who update their address after Aug. 1 will have their checks mailed when the address update is received.
- The adult Missing Moccasin list is now on the Tribal website on the Enrollment page under Government Listing. Please check there to see if you know anyone who is listed.
- Policy states you must wait 15 business days (in the case of per capita checks until Aug. 22) from the time of mailing before you can submit a request for a "stop payment" and have the check re-issued. This allows time for the check to be returned if it is "undeliverable" to the address to which it was mailed.
- If your check is returned as "undeliverable," you must submit an address

update in order to have your check re-mailed.

# Missing Moccasins do not receive their per capita checks on time!

If someone does not have a good address and phone number on file with Enrollment, that person is considered a Missing Moccasin.

Please check the list on the Tribal website for anyone you might know. Missing Moccasins do not receive this newspaper, election mail, per capita checks, 1099 forms and other important mail from the Tribe.

Are you a parent of a minor Tribal member who did not receive a statement of his/her Minor Trust account earlier this year? It could be that your child is a Missing Moccasin.

### **Address Changes**

If you have recently moved, even if you have a forwarding address on file with the post office, please get your Address & Contact Information Update form in as soon as possible. You can get the form on the Tribal website, from any Tribal office or contact the Enrollment Department to have one mailed to you.

All address updates must be in writing to ensure that you have requested the address to be changed. This is for your own security.

As a note, "General Delivery" is **not** acceptable as a mailing address as it is

only temporary and the post office will only hold the mail for a limited time for delivery. We had a large amount of "General Delivery" mail returned and this is not effective in getting mail to Tribal members when we need to.

It is much better to rent a post office box if you are not able to use a permanent address somewhere else. If this is a concern for you or someone on the Missing Moccasin list, call 800-922-1399, ext. 1258, or 541-444-8258 and we will work with them to figure out a permanent address solution.

Scan the QR code below with your smart phone's camera to see the most recent Missing Moccasin list!



# Food ways to avoid depression: Pay close attention to what you eat

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

As part of my role as consultant nutritionist to Siletz Tribal Head Start, I offer information for families. The food ways in this modern world actually appear to be a set up for depression. Applying the basic principles below can help to avoid depression for our children and entire community. Interestingly, these principles are consistent with my understanding of traditional foods.

I am a big fan of Dr. Kelly Brogan, psychiatrist. Dr. Brogan has become an advocate for nutrition as the foundation to reclaim vitality while learning the truth about mental health.

She authored a groundbreaking book, A Mind of Your Own, and created a 30-day program called Vital Mind Reset. Her website is kellybroganmd.com/.

Her recent article suggests 5 rules for eating away your depression and covers the following topics: 1. Avoid Trigger Foods, 2. Go Organic, 3. Guard Against Deficiencies, 4. Restore Your Microbiome and 5. Eat Consciously.

By avoiding trigger foods, we are more likely to avoid an inflammatory response in the gut. Symptoms of inflammation, such as fatigue, brain fog, flat mood, PMS and constipation, are all frequently reported by depressive patients.

These signs of systemic inflammation are psychiatric pretenders – they mimic symptoms associated with mental illness – which explains why depression has been called an inflammatory disorder.

To heal inflammation in the body, eliminate foods that are known to be inflammatory triggers. Purge your pantry, tossing out all refined sugars, dairy, gluten, grains (including corn), soy, GMOs, coffee and alcohol. None of these foods are traditional foods, except that some Tribes have embraced traditional practices with corn.

Focus on food close to its natural state. When determining trigger foods, a strict 30-day cleansing phase is suggested with attention to symptoms prior to reintroduction of any of these foods.

Going organic may not be as costly as we might think. People naturally prefer the most flavorful foods, which as nature would have it, tend to be organic. Nonorganic foods contain higher-than-ever levels of pervasive pesticides and herbicides like glyphosate, which are known to cause endocrine disruption, damage DNA and even cause birth defects.

By choosing a whole foods-based organic diet, you not only get the healthiest and best-tasting foods, you support the long-term health of our species and the planet. This also supports the practice of looking forward for the health of the next seven generations.

Guarding against deficiencies is critical when there is overuse of pesticides and herbicides because they deplete the soil used to grow our food. Going organic helps, but denatured soil isn't the only culprit behind nutrient deficiencies.

A person can take in adequate nutrients, yet factors like stress, smoking, pharmaceuticals and environmental toxicants often interfere with the body's ability to absorb them. Western diets are frequently found to be lacking in the following nutrients, all of which are essential to mood and energy regulation: Vitamin B-12, magnesium, zinc and essential fatty acids.

These nutrients are often low in people with psychiatric conditions. Include dark, leafy greens; oily fish such as wild-caught salmon, mackerel and sardines; pastured eggs; and sprouted nuts and seeds. Focus on the blood stabilizing effects of a diet high in natural, high quality fats.

Restoring your microbiome is critical because the internal community of living microorganisms supports healthy digestion and immune system response, among other useful functions. It is made up of trillions of cells that continually report to the brain on the state of the body.

The gut-brain axis is a pathway where this signaling takes place in both directions. When the organisms in the microbiome send distress signals, a host of health effects can occur, from depression and other psychiatric complaints to brain disease, stroke and seizures.

Toxins and antibiotics undermine the beneficial bacteria that are essential to maintaining this delicate internal balance. The resulting inflammation often presents as symptoms of mental illness.

Adherence to an ancestral, organic diet will do much to restore a damaged microbiome. Probiotic supplementation has proved to be extremely effective in treating depression through restoration of beneficial bacteria in the gut.

One or two teaspoons per day of fermented foods should be added to your list

of powerful safeguards against the ravages of the modern age.

**Eating consciously** and becoming aware of what – and how – we feed ourselves is a part of waking up. When we eat unconsciously, we deny our bodies the experience of nourishment.

Take time before each meal to really take in your food. Look at the colors, savor the aromas and appreciate the nourishment your meal is providing. This sends the first signals to the brain that it's time for digestion to begin.

Let your mouth water! Saliva contains powerful enzymes that pre-digest food as you chew. Chewing slowly and thoroughly will ensure that you receive the optimum benefits of these powerful digestive juices.

Finally, promote a feeling of gratitude for what you are about to consume. The journey our food takes from farm to table requires several levels of sacrifice. Acknowledging the part that you and others play in the lifecycle of your food will deliver the full range of nourishment that food can provide.

Food is information. With every bite we take, we program our bodies for tomorrow. What signals is your food sending?

Food choices are critical in all life stages, not just for young ones in Head Start. Traditional food practices are consistent with the 5 rules for eating away your depression.

As the Head Start consultant nutritionist, I am available to support families by discussing nutrition-related concerns via telephone. There is no charge for Head Start families.



# Community Health Department

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# Men's Health Month **HEALTHY TIPS FOR MEN**

# Sleep Well



Adults need between 7-9 hours of sleep. Insufficient sleep has been linked to the development and management of a number of chronic diseases and conditions including diabetes, cardiovascular disease, obesity and depression.

The best way to manage stress is through self-care. Avoid drugs, alcohol and Tobacco. Participate in activities you enjoy.





### Move More

Adults need at least 2 and a half hours of moderateintensity aerobic activity every week.

# **Stay on Top of Your Game**

See your doctor or nurse regularly for checkups. Certain diseases and conditions may not have symptoms. Checkups can help identify issues early or before they become a problem. Pay attention to signs and symptoms such as chest pain, shortness of breath, excessive thirst, and problems with urination.

### **Community Health Transportation Flow Chart**



Community Health Transportation receives request via telephone, in person or in writing by Client



Community Health Staff Determines Eligibility. Is the Client an enrolled Siletz Tribal Member?



YES

Does Client have other means of transportation such as their own vehicle, Family or Friends that could transport them?

YES Client must exhaust resources

# YES, HOWEVER

Client cant drive, no family or friends are available

NO Client has no transportation

available to them

Does Client have OHP aka Medicaid Medical Coverage?

YES CH Staff will give local \*NEMT phone

number

#### YES, HOWEVER Client's OHP aka Medicaid is not

covered for Local \*NEMT or Client is Siletz Tribal Elder

CH Staff verifies Client's insurance

NO CH Staff

will give local

\*NEMT

phone

Number

CH Staff will determine transportation availability. If schedule can accommodate appointment date and time then CH Staff will schedule. If schedule does not accommodate appointment then CH Staff will work with Client and Provider to accommodate all 3 schedules.

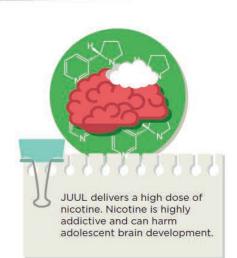
TEACHERS AND PARENTS: That USB Stick Might Be an E-cigarette . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .



Some e-cigarettes don't look like tobacco products, so some kids use them unnoticed in schools, including in classrooms and bathrooms



An increasingly popular e-cigarette, called JUUL, is shaped like a USB flash drive.





TOBACCO PRODUCT USE IN ANY FORM, INCLUDING E-CIGARETTES, IS UNSAFE FOR YOUTH.



My name is Hannah Glaser and I recently joined the Community Health team as a Community Health Advocate. I graduated from Oregon State University with a B.S. in Public Health in Fall 2017. I have experience working at the Oregon State University Women's Center, where I organized a variety of events related to the topic of feminism. I

also interned with Planned Parenthood, where I provided sexual health education to youth. I am excited for this opportunity to work directly with people and I am hoping to make a difference within the community! In my spare time, I enjoy hiking in the Corvallis area and I love to read realistic fiction books.

# **Graduates!**

### **Tye Wawrak SVECA**

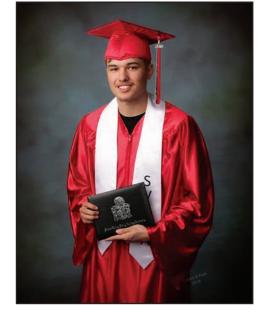
Congratulations to Tye Matthew Wawrak! Your dad and I are so very proud of you and we look forward to a new journey with you.

Remember that you have been raised by a great man who has inspired and instilled great character and integrity in you. You will do great things and live life on your terms!

We believe in you, always have and always will! We are your biggest fans. We will love you true, pure and unconditional. Congrats, babes!

Congrats on graduating high school, baby brother! That's such an awesome accomplishment, Tye man. Can't wait to see what you do next. I am so proud of you and I love you so much!

Love, Sister



I'm reaching out to my family and could use a visitor or pen pal. Please write to me or come visit.

Thank you!

Daniel C. Tucker SID#13222258 EOCI 95200 Shutters Landing Lane North Bend, OR 97459-8712

## Robert Lee Bayya - June 1952-January 2008 Happy Birthday, Dad

I greatly enjoyed sharing my life with you. You don't know how much I valued the friendship we created together. Every day that goes by, there's not a second that passes that I don't think about you.

Dad, you're greatly missed and appreciated. I'm 24 years old now. My life has drastically changed and took a turn for the worst. I'm finally growing out my hair, only 3½ months, but I look so much like you, Dad. I was even rocking the full moustache like you would.

Dad, I know I did some harsh things when you passed. Everyone betrayed me and left me empty with no thought of understanding my pain. I tried to stay in touch with our family, but they seemed to ignore me. I learned I have to forgive them, though, and let go.

It's very hard to have a relationship with my brothers. We're not close. It's me against the world, like 2 Pac says. I love you, Dad, and can't wait to see you again in heaven.

Respectfully,

Lakota Bayya

# 2018-2019 Hunting/Fishing Tags Distribution Schedule

Type of Tag		Type of Tag  Estimated Season  Number Dates  Available		Date to Start Tag Issuance	Method of Issuance	
Deer	Early Archery	50	8/25-9/23	8/6 at 8 a.m. at Natural Resources office	First-come, first-served*	
	General Rifle	375	9/29-11/2**	8/20	First-come, first-served	
	Antlerless or Spike  – Adult	8	10/20-11/2	Lottery applications available 8/6; due <b>8/31</b> ; drawing 9/4; tags issued 9/5	Lottery – Open to elders only	
	Antlerless or Spike  – Youth	5	9/29-11/4	Lottery applications available 8/6; due <b>8/31</b> ; drawing 9/4; tags issued 9/5	Lottery – Open to youth age 12-17 only	
	Late Archery	50***	11/17-12/9	First Distribution: 10/15 at 8 a.m. at NR office Second Distribution: 10/29 at 8 a.m. at NR office (see Note 2 below)	First-come, first-served*	
Elk	Antlerless – Youth	2	8/1-12/31	Lottery applications available 6/4; due <b>7/6</b> ; drawing 7/9; tags issued 7/10	Lottery – Open to youth ages 12-17 only	
	Early Archery	25	8/25-9/23	8/6 at 8 a.m. at Natural Resources office	First-come, first-served*	
	1st Season Rifle	25	11/10-11/13	Lottery applications available 9/4;	Lottery	
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Season Rifle	25	11/17-11/23	due <b>9/21</b> ; drawing 10/1; tags issued 10/2		
	Antlerless	8	Various sea- sons begin- ning 1/1/19	Lottery applications available 9/4; due <b>9/21</b> ; drawing 10/1; tags issued 12/3	Lottery	
	Late Archery Antlerless	56	11/24-12/9	First Distribution: 10/15 at 8 a.m. at NR office Second Distribution: 10/29 at 8 a.m. at NR office (see Note 2 below)	First-come, first-served*	
Salmon	Salmon	200	11/1-12/30 (estimate)	9/4	First-come, first-served	

<sup>\*</sup> No early calls to "save" an early archery tag for someone. Must physically show up to obtain tag on first day of distribution. Can call to have a tag mailed beginning on the second day of distribution.

Note 1: A Tribal member may obtain only ONE elk tag in their name during the 2018-2019 hunting season (bow, bull and cow tags all count toward the one tag), except as noted below.

Note 2: First Distribution – For hunters who have not been issued an early season deer archery tag (for deer tags) or any elk tag (for elk tags).

Second Distribution – For any eligible hunter, regardless of what other tags they have received.

### **Youth Antlerless Elk Hunt Applications Due** July 6, 2018 2 Tags

Hunt runs from Aug. 1 to Dec. 31

Applications available at the Natural Resources office and on the Tribal website under Natural Resources beginning June 4

Open to Tribal youth age 12-17 who have a valid Hunter Safety Card

Call Natural Resources Manager Mike Kennedy at 541-444-8232 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1232, if you have questions

# June USDA distribution dates

### Siletz

Friday	June 1	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Monday	June 4	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Tuesday	June 5	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Wednesday	June 6	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Thursday	June 7	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

### Salem

Monday	June 18	1:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday	June 19	9 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday	June 20	9 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Thursday	June 21	By appointment only

We will attend our annual national conference during the week of the June 11. We will be unreachable for distribution, but you can see Sheila Aviles at the administration building for applications or go to the Tribal website (ctsi.nsn.us) and print the application.

LIKE us on Facebook at Siletz Tribal FDPIR. We would like to see more people sharing their recipes on our FB.

Joyce Retherford, FDP Director 541-444-8393

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

<sup>\*\*</sup> Season for youth age 12-17 is 9/29 – 11/4 (2 additional days at end of general season)

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Minus number of tags filled in Deer Early Bow Season

# Healthy Traditions activities during Culture Camp July 10th-12th

Join us during camp to go clamming, prepare herbal lip balm & salves, and BBQ oysters!

Shellfish Permits available through the Natural Resources Department \*Permits are for Lincoln County only.\*



It is not "recreational harvest."

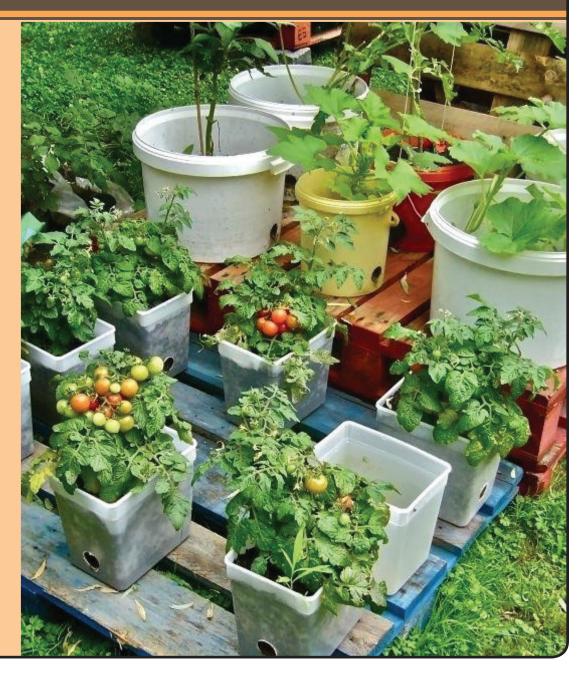
This is our way of life.

# Container Gardening class

Friday June 15th

Sign up today!
Please contact:
Kathy Kentta
kathyk@ctsi.nsn.us
541-444-9627

This activity is for Tribal members and their families



# Submit your address changes to the Enrollment Department by Friday, July 13, to receive your per capita check in a timely manner.

### Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund

**Tribal Member Recruitment for Advisory Board** 

The Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund Advisory Board is accepting applications from Siletz Tribal members to fill one board position.

The appointment by Tribal Council is on a volunteer basis for a three-year term from July 1, 2018, to June 30, 2021. Applications must be received no later than 4:30 p.m. on June 6, 2018.

The STCCF Advisory Board is composed of seven unpaid members, including one Siletz Tribal Council representative; three Siletz Tribal members; two non-Tribal members agreed upon by the governor and Tribal chairman and approved by Tribal Council; and one non-Tribal member selected by the Tribal chairman from a list submitted by the governor and approved by Tribal Council.

The Advisory Board meets quarterly (January, April, June and October) to review approximately 75-100 applications for charitable funding received from non-profit organizations, schools and local government agencies. The Advisory Board makes recommendations to Tribal Council for final review and approval.

Board members attend the quarterly distribution receptions held in February, May, August and November at Chinook Winds Casino Resort. Board members will receive travel reimbursement for attendance at quarterly board meetings, award distribution receptions and other approved public relation events.

For more information, please visit ctsi.nsn.us/Charitable-Contribution-Fund or contact Board Secretary Denise Garrett at stccf@live.com; 800-922-1399, ext. 1227; or 541-444-8227.

# **Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund Tribal Member Advisory Board Application**

Name:	_Roll No:
Address:	
City/State/ZIP:	
·	
Telephone: (Day)	_(Evening)
Email:	

Applications must be received no later than 4:30 p.m. on June 6, 2018, at the address below to be considered for appointment at the regular Tribal Council meeting in June 2018.

Return application to: Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund

Attn: Denise Garrett P.O. Box 549

Siletz, Oregon 97380-0549

### Time to gather basket-making materials is here

Spring is here and very soon hazel sticks will be ready to pick and peel.

Hazel stick gathering is a must for anyone interested in making traditional Siletz baskets. Spruce root can be dug all year round and is used for the weavers or weft of Siletz baskets.

Bear grass and maidenhair fern are used for overlay to make our traditional designs or marks in our baskets and both are picked in late summer.

Any Tribal members interested in gathering can ontact Bud Lane at 800-922-1399, ext. 1320; 541-444-8320; or budl@ctsi.nsn.us. Just a reminder – basket materials must be gathered in a timely fashion.

Here is a general breakdown of gathering times for different materials:

### June

Hazel, willow and fir sticks (until mid-June), spruce roots

### July

Fir sticks, spruce roots, bear grass, maidenhair fern

### **August**

Fir sticks, spruce roots, bear grass, maidenhair fern, hazel sticks (limited), willow sticks

### September

Bear grass, maidenhair fern, woodwardia fern, spruce roots

### **Tipi Drawing**

Name:		
Address:		
Dhone	Poll#:	

For Siletz Tribal members to use during the Nesika Illahee Pow-Wow on Aug 10-12, 2018. One entry per household. Must be a Siletz Tribal member to enter.

**Deadline for entries is June 18, 2018.** Name will be drawn soon after the deadline. Return the form to Siletz Pow-Wow, Attn: Tipi Drawing, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549.

Note: You do not win the tipi. The drawing is only for a stay in the tipi during pow-wow weekend.

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# CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF SILETZ INDIANS nnual Nesika Illahee Pow August 10~12, 2018 Pauline Ricks Memorial Pow-Wow Grounds **Government Hill, Siletz, Oregon** 6:00 PM: **Presentation of Crown** Awarded for Parade Participation) 1:00 PM & 7:00 PM **Grand Entry** Categories & Payouts: Adult/Golden Age > \$600-500-400-300-200 Teen = \$300-250-200-150-100 Youth - \$150-100-75-50-25 NOON: (Teen & Youth Preliminaries Occur Friday Night) **Grand Entry** & Salmon Dinner Specials: Team Dance, Round Bustle, Women's Basketcap **All Dancers & Drummers Welcome** Vendor registration is required. Camping fee: \$25 + \$5 per pet. Campground open Thursday at 7:00 am. No Campfires. For more information, contact Buddy Lane: 800-922-1399, ext-1230.



Courtesy photo by Andrea Lonas Photography

Tribal Chairman Delores Pigsley (center) and Vice Chairman Bud Lane (fourth from right) stand with others who attended the Celebration of Public Service event at Portland State University on April 28. Pigsley was recognized for her lifetime of achievement in public service. See the May 2018 issue of Siletz News for more information about her award.

### Tribal RV parks have space available for you

Logan Road RV Park, Lincoln City, Ore. - loganroadrvpark.com or 877-LOGANRV

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



Courtesy photo by Teresa Lundy

Tribal Chairman Delores Pigsley (left) and Dan and LaRita Lundy were presented awards at the iChange Nations Honors Event held at Oregon Coast Community College on March 3. Ambassador Dr. Clyde Rivers honored Pigsley with the Women of Golden Rule Dialogue Award and presented her with an Honorary Doctorate. The Lundys were honored with Community Ambassador Awards. They were recognized for founding Sacred Ground Outreach in Siletz and their mission work with Alaskan Natives.

## Coming Soon ... Siletz Dental Walk-In Clinic Watch for more information



### During the event, you can:

- Speak with a VA representative
- Get answers to VA claim and benefits questions
- File your claim
- **⊘** Get same-day decisions when you share complete information



### **EVENT DATE & TIME/S:**

June 16, 2018 from 9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Chinook Winds Casino Hotel - Neptune/Sandpiper Rooms 1501 NW 40th Place, Lincoln City, Oregon

Tony Molina, Tribal Veterans Representative, Siletz Tribe Terry Bentley, VA Office of Tribal Government Relations

### PHONE NUMBER:

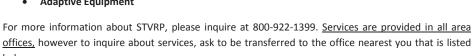
Tony Molina--541-270-0569, email: TonyM@ctsi.nsn.us Terry Bentley--541-440-1271 email: terry.bentley@va.gov

# **Siletz Tribal Vocational Rehabilitation Program (STVRP)**

STVRP is here to assist members of ANY federally recognized Tribe in overcoming barriers to employment. We work with individuals who have disabilities and live within the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians' 11-county service area.

### **Examples of Services:**

- **Guidance and Counseling**
- **Referral to Services**
- **Employment Services**
- Résumé Writing
- **Interviewing Techniques**
- **Job Coaching**
- **Culturally Relevant Individualized Services**
- **Evaluations and Assessments**
- **Training Placement Opportunities**
- **Adaptive Equipment**

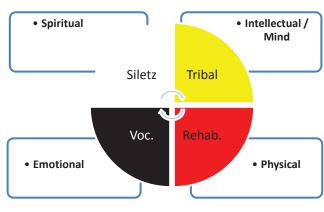


**EUGENE AREA OFFICE SALEM AREA OFFICE SILETZ ADMIN. OFFICE** 2468 West 11<sup>th</sup> Ave. 3160 Blossom Dr NE, Ste. 105 201 SE Swan Ave. Eugene, OR 97402 Salem, OR 97305 Siletz, OR 97380

### **EUGENE OFFICE** – JERAMIE MARTIN, Program Director

SALEM OFFICE - DANA RODRIGUEZ, Program Aide; TONI LEIJA, Counselor/Job Developer

SILETZ - RACHELLE ENDRES, Counselor/Job Developer



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Isaac Butler receives congratulations from students at Siletz Valley School after announcing his decision to attend Southwest Oregon Community College on a wrestling scholarship on May 9.



Photos by Andy Taylor

Then on May 10, Butler conducted a wrestling clinic for local youth.

### Information for upcoming 2018 per capita

Siletz Tribal Court would like to remind Tribal members to keep their address current with the Enrollment Department. Per capita notices will be mailed June 11, 2018, to the address on file with Enrollment.

The 2018 per capita hearing dates are July 10 for money owed to an entity of the Tribe and July 11-12 for money owed for child support and to the IRS.

If you have questions regarding per capita, contact Tribal Court at 541-444-8228 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1228. Any request to update addresses must be sent to Enrollment.

TRIBAL COURT OF THE	Notice of
<b>CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF</b>	Pending
SILETZ INDIANS OF OREGON	Litigation

May 2, 2018

Court Address P.O. Box 549 201 SE Swan Ave. Siletz, OR 97380 Court telephone no. 800-922-1399 541-444-8228

### In the matter of: Siletz Tribal Per Capita Distribution

These matters came before the court on review and the court being fully informed finds as follows:

### FINDING OF FACT

- 1. This court has jurisdiction to review this matter as the respondents are members of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians (CTSI).
- 2. Petitioner filed a Notice to Offset/Attached Tribal Per Capita in the Siletz Tribal Court.

### ORDER

The following Tribal members have a lien filed against their per capita, do not have a valid mailing address with the Enrollment Department and need to contact Tribal Court for their hearing date and time:

Roy Barker Monique Jackson Bekki Lundy Amy Bayya Jonathan Blalock Sherelle Martin Mark Bremer Jr. Sonnita Martin Daniel Butler Brittany Mitchell Isaac Easter Brian Pearson Jedediah Fuhrer Jr. Jason Scoggins Matthew Hegge Ulysses Simmons Shatara Holmes Yolanda Simmons Aimee Husberg Merica Williams

If the above-mentioned people do not show for their hearing date, an Order of Default will be entered against them.

SO ORDERED this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May 2018

Calvin E. Gantenbein, Chief Judge Siletz Tribal Court

# Notice to Tribal members who receive Tribal or state assistance

Any Siletz Tribal member who receives Tribal or state assistance that may affect his/her per capita payment needs to provide documentation to Siletz Tribal Court before July 2, 2018, at 4 p.m. for this information to be considered at your per capita hearing.

This includes income from Social Security.

If you have any questions, contact the Tribal Court office.

Tribal Court Office P.O. Box 549 Siletz OR 97380-0549

541-444-8218 or 541-444-8228

# Siletz Tribal Court Filing Fee/Copy Charge (Effective July 1, 2018) Adoption \$100 Appeal, Filing Notice of \$50

Adoption       \$100         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         Civil Action       \$100         Less than \$10,000       \$100         \$10,000 - \$49,999       \$200         \$50,000 - \$1,000,000       \$400         \$1,000,000 or more       \$800         Contempt of Court       \$1,000         Dissolution       \$200         Respondent, Response       \$200         Co-Petition       \$200         Election Challenge       \$25
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Election Challenge \$25
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Electronically Stored Case Documents (hard copy) \$3/each request
Emancipation \$100
Guardianship, Individual Petition \$50
Mailing Costs Actual Cost
Marriage Application \$100
Marriage Solemnization \$50
Name Change \$50
Small Claims, Enforce Judgment Under \$2,500
Petitioner \$25
Small Claims, Enforce Judgment Over \$2,500
Petitioner \$50
Vehicle Repossession
Petitioner \$75



Elders Honor Day

May 2, 2018 • Chinook Winds Casino Resort

Photos by Diane Rodriquez

Above: Herman Hudson (Grand Ronde) receives a Siletz Tribal Pendleton blanket as the oldest man in attendance.

Above right: Nadine Wilbur (Lummi) receives a blanket from Junior Miss Siletz Jocelyn Hernandez (left) and Little Miss Siletz Halli Lane-Skauge after being named the youngest elder at the event, having become a "baby elder" on her birthday in April.

Right: Katherine Harrison (Grand Ronde) shares a moment with Shirley Walker (Siletz) after Harrison was named the oldest woman.





### **UNITY**, continued from page 1

- Maritza Nuglene-Gomez, 18, Inupiat, Alaska
- Lauren Shelly Pina, 18, San Carlos Apache, Arizona
- Savanna Rilatos, 20, Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians, Oregon
- Lance Sanchez, 23, Tohono O'odham Nation, Arizona
- Mariah Jordan Sharpe, 20, Colorado River Indian Tribes, Arizona
- Kellian Staggers, 17, Navajo Nation, New Mexico
- David Warmack, 16, Tohono O'odham Nation, Arizona
- Jazmine Wildcat, 14, Northern Arapaho, Wyoming
- Sky Wildcat, 22, Cherokee Nation, Oklahoma

The honorees will be recognized in front of peer youth leaders at the National

UNITY Conference, which takes place July 5-9 in San Diego. They also will be offered the opportunity to receive handson learning experiences designed to build on their individual achievements.

Applicants were judged by an independent committee who scored applications based on the strength of the application, nomination form, résumé, supplemental information and potential to impact Native America.

The National UNITY Conference is expected to attract nearly 2,000 attendees from across the country representing Tribal and urban communities. It will focus on American Indian and Alaska Native youth leadership development and feature renowned keynote speakers, youth trainers, more than 25 workshops, fitness activities, exhibitors and American Indian vendors, a Career & College Expo and the UNITY Gala.

### **Education Committee Vacancy**

Any Tribal member interested for consideration in serving on the Education Committee for a term expiring February 2019 is encouraged to fill out this form and return it to the address below.

Please mail or fax your application 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 ( )

Committee appointments will be made at regularly scheduled Tribal Council meetings and are open until filled.

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







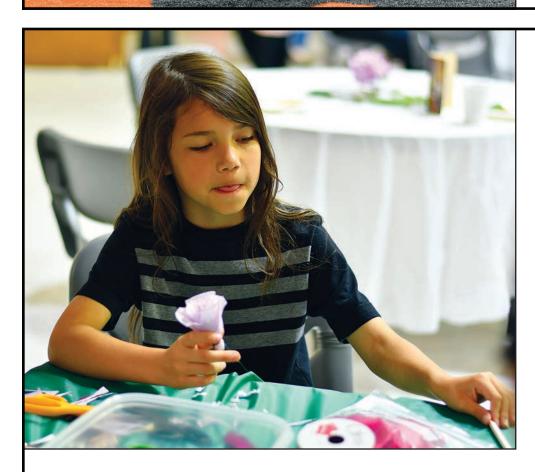
Nike N7 Field Day

May 18, 2018 • Oregon State University

Photos by Andy Taylor

Top left: The Siletz Tribal group from Lincoln County

Left: Kids practice flying paper airplanes
Above: A rousing game of Duck-Duck-Goose





Photos by Andy Taylor

Above: Frank Viles makes a wax flower.

Above right: Bonnie Petersen and Arlissa Rhoan work on beading projects amid a display of items previously made.

Right: Loraine Butler (left, standing) and Bonnie Petersen talk to folks about their regalia.





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# General Welfare Exclusion Housing Rehabilitation Program

### **Formerly Over-Income Rehabilitation Grant**

The Over-Income Rehabilitation Construction program funds over-income families with a \$10,000 grant for construction rehabilitation on the primary residence they own.

The over-income grant is for eligible applicants and is limited to one grant per person/address/household. If you have already received a General Welfare Exclusion Housing Rehabilitation Grant, you are not eligible to apply.

If you have received services for the following programs, you are not eligible to apply for the General Welfare Exclusion Housing Rehabilitation Grant for five years: Down Payment Assistance, NAHASDA Rehabilitation Program, NAHASDA Elders Replacement Program, NAHASDA Rehabilitation Program for Elder Tribal Members, NAHASDA Rehabilitation Program for Disabled Tribal Members, Homeownership Program/Mutual Help and BIA Self Governance.

Rehabilitation refers to repairs or renovations to the home, but does not include appliances, saunas, hot tubs, swimming pools, driveways, fences, etc.

Over-income refers to Tribal members whose income exceeds the income limits set by the Native American Housing Assistance and Self Determination Act (NAHASDA). These are listed below:

1	2	3	Base 4	5	6	7	8
\$38,080	\$43,520	\$48,960	\$54,400	\$58,752	\$63,104	\$67,456	\$71,808

Applications, including proof of current annual income, enrollment and homeownership with the Tribal member's name on it, must be submitted to the Housing office by Tuesday, July 31, 2018, at 4:30 p.m. Applications received after that date and time will not be accepted by the Siletz Tribal Housing Department.

Qualified applicants will be placed in the lottery drawing, which will be held during August on a date approved by the Tribal Council.

If you would like an application or have any questions, call Jeanette Aradoz at 800-922-1399, ext. 1316, or 541-444-8316.



Photo by Diane Rodriquez

Tribal Chairman Delores Pigsley presents a \$50,000 check to Chief RC Mock of the Siletz Valley Fire District during a Tribal Council meeting on May 17. The money will be added to the district's general fund.

# What to expect when you're approved for hearing aids through Contract Health Services

You will be referred to Costco for hearing aids. Costco hearing aids cost 50-60 percent less than other providers with equal quality.

Your CHS team will help you obtain a Costco membership and help with transportation barriers. We look forward to working with you.

### **Siletz Community Dental Clinic**

Contact the Siletz Community Dental Clinic if you experience dental pain or a dental emergency. Staff will do everything they can to see you as soon as possible.

Morning check-in time is Monday-Thursday from 8:15-8:45 a.m. and Friday from 9-9:30 a.m. Afternoon check-in time is Monday-Friday from 1:30-2 p.m.

# Regional HIV Early Intervention & Outreach Program

Linn, Benton, and Lincoln Counties and the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians are partnering to provide testing, prevention, education and outreach services to individuals in the region at risk for HIV and other sexually transmitted infections.













### + Harm Reduction

Outreach workers will be in the community working with individuals most at risk for HIV infection.



**Testing.** 6 out of 10 Oregonians do not know their HIV status.



**Prevention.** There are effective prevention methods like condoms, refraining from needle sharing, and medication.



**Referral to treatment.** Those who test positive for HIV will be referred to providers to receive

### + Community Awareness

There are many preventative tools you can use to protect yourself.



Use barrier methods like condoms when engaging in sexual activity.



If you're at a high risk for HIV infection, there is medication that can help reduce your risk. Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis, PrEP, can be prescribed by a medical provider.

Don't engage in needle sharing.

### + Provider Collaboration

We will work with healthcare providers to improve availability of HIV and other STI testing.

We will educate providers to increase their knowledge of emerging preventative methods.

We will help to connect at risk individuals to the

For more information on Oregon's statewide initiative to end HIV infection, visit

# ELDERS WOODCUTS

MAY 19 \* JULY 21 \* SEPT 15

Saturdays, 8:00am - 2:00pm Near USDA on Logsden Rd, Siletz

Join us to split, load & deliver Firewood to Tribal Elders

RAIN

Snacks, water, and PIZZA lunch provided. Bring your own gloves. Bring axes and chainsaws if you have them.

Wood splitters and tools will be provided on site.



Tribal Elders who need firewood delivered must call the Elders Program to be added to the list, Cecelia (541) 444-8212, Raina (541) 444-8261

Help Elders stay warm this Winter!

Woodcut dates hosted by the Natural Resources Committee.

# Natural Resources Department Contractors List

The Tribal Natural Resources Department periodically solicits bids from contractors for a variety of work.

If your company would like to be included on our lists to receive requests for bids/proposals for any of the services listed below, please contact Natural Resources Manager Mike Kennedy at 541-444-8232 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1232, to be put on the appropriate list.

Tree Planting
Precommercial Thinning
Hazard Tree Removal/Tree Trimming
Mechanical Brush Cutting
Logging Road Construction/
Maintenance
Logging
Log Hauling
Timber Falling
Herbicide Spraying
Concrete Construction
Statistical Analysis
Macroinvertebrate Identification

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

Water Quality Monitoring/Analysis

# Holden receives STAHS award during Community Days

The Siletz Tribal Arts & Heritage Society presented the second annual Cultural Enlightenment Award on April 21 at the Lincoln City Community Days Banquet.

The banquet is held annually to celebrate the contributions and accomplishments of citizens who have improved the quality of life for those residing in the area. Sixteen awards were given during the evening's festivities.

The STAHS award is presented each year to a person who has taken measures to promote, celebrate and share the unique qualities, history and culture of indigenous peoples of this continent.

This year's recipient, Mike Holden, has worn many hats, including Lincoln

City's chief of police and mayor, director of the Chamber of Commerce and director of security for Chinook Winds Casino Resort.

He was one of the first people to be appointed to the Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund board and currently is the chairman.

From 1999 to date, the fund has donated \$11.6 million to nonprofit organizations in an 11-county service area that includes Lincoln County.

STAHS board members Cynthia Farlow and Glendora Osborn presented Holden with an etched glass award embossed with the STAHS basketweave logo and his wife, Bonnie, with a necklace created by Farlow.



Courtesy photo by Bob Gibson of Blue Water Photography

Mike and Bonnie Holden

# Logsden Community Club to hold garage and craft sale

LOGSDEN, Ore. – A multi-family garage/arts & crafts sale sponsored by the Logsden Community Club will be held at the Logsden Community Center on July 14 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Spaces will be available outside for yard sale booths and tables inside for arts & crafts. If you would like more information or to reserve a space, inside or outside or both, contact Vicki Baker at theredponyvicki@gmail.com or 541-444-1375.

The Logsden Community Club is a nonprofit 501 C3 that donates a portion of its profits back to the community, including the Logsden Rural Fire Department.

The Logsden Community Center, located at the junction of the Logsden/Siletz Highway and Moonshine Park Road, is situated on a historic site where the local school once sat. Todays' facility, built in the 1980s, is available to rent for local gatherings, including weddings, family reunions and other events.



Courtesy photo

Items from a previous sale at the Logsden Community Center

### **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.



June 27 • 5:30 p.m

Siletz Tribal Community Center
402 NE Government Hill Road

# 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

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## **Siletz Tribal Student Incentives Program**

If you have completed any of these milestones, please send a copy of your certificate or diploma to your area education specialist. The Siletz Tribal Student Incentive Program rewards student achievements as follows:

Head Start/Preschool \$10 Kindergarten \$10 Elementary School \$20 Middle School \$50

High School or GED \$100

Adult Vocational Training \$100 (one-year program)

\$200 (two-year program)

Higher Education

Bachelor's Degree Pendleton blanket plus \$75

Master's Degree \$300

Doctorate Degree Pendleton blanket plus \$300

### **Tribal Education Specialists**

Portland Area Office: Katy Holland, 503-238-1512, 12790 SE Stark St., Suite 102, Portland, OR 97233

Salem Area Office: Sonya Moody-Jurado, 503-390-9494, 3160 Blossom Drive NE, Suite 105, Salem, OR 97305

Eugene Area Office: Nicholas Viles, 541-484-4234, 2468 W 11th Ave., Eugene, OR 97402

Siletz Area Office: Alissa Lane, 541-444-8373, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380

# Important information for college-bound Tribal seniors

#### **June**

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

# **Internships**

- National Science Foundation Research **Experiences for Undergraduates** Deadline: Multiple
- Northwest Indian College Nez Perce Site Internship Deadline: Open Until Filled
- NW Documentary (Portland, Ore.) Deadline: Open until filled
- U.S. Dept. of the Interior Office of Environmental Policy & Compliance (Portland, Ore.) Deadline: Open until filled
- City of Vancouver, Wash. Water Center Educator Intern Deadline: Open until filled
- Friends of Tryon Creek Outreach & Membership Intern (Unpaid) Deadline: Rolling

- Claremont Native American Fellowship Deadlines: Multiple
- Indian Land Tenure Foundation Deadline: Multiple
- **Environmental Protection Agency** Deadline: Multiple
- American Fisheries Society Deadlines: Multiple
- National Science Foundation Research Experiences for Undergraduates Deadline: Multiple
- Oregon Museum of Science & Industry (OMSI) Deadline: Multiple
- Fish & Wildlife Service Deadline: Multiple

# Other Opportunities

- Native Youth Wellness Warrior Camp (Grand Ronde, Ore.) June 25-28, 2018
- Eighth Annual THRIVE Conference (Portland, Ore.) June 25-29, 2018
- Native Youth Community Adaptation and Leadership Congress (Shepardstown, W.V.) July 1-7, 2018
- National UNITY Conference for Tribal Youth (San Diego, Calif.) July 5-9, 2018
- Konaway Nika Tillicum (Southern Oregon University) July 7-14, 2018

## **Portland State's Free Tuition Program**

PSU's freshman free tuition program: Four years free – PSU covers tuition and fees for income-eligible Oregon freshmen staring in fall term (resident of Oregon, graduate from an Oregon high school, admissible to PSU as a first-year freshman for fall term, a 3.4 GPA, eligible to receive a federal Pell Grant and enrolled full time at PSU).

For more information, visit pdx. edu/four-years-free.

- Northwest Youth Corps Deadline: Various
- National Youth Leadership Forum: STEM Program Nomination Form Deadline: Various
- Saturday Academy FREE Classes for Native American Students
- ON TRACK OHSU!
- Caldera Youth Program
- The Student Conservation Association
- The SMART Competition

## **UO** offers in-state tuition to Siletz Tribal students

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.

UO offers bachelor's and graduate degrees in 272 academic programs and is one of only 36 public universities committed to scientific exploration and interdisciplinary research.

For more information about UO, visit uoregon.edu.

# **Scholarships**

- Fastweb (scholarship search engine)
- Big Future (scholarship search engine)
- Pacific Northwest Scholarship Guide (scholarship search engine)
- OregonStudentAid.gov.
- Eagle Feather Scholarship Deadline: June 15, 2018
- Continental Society Daughters of Indian Wars Inc. Scholarship Deadline: June 15, 2018
- Oregon Native American Chamber of Commerce Scholarships Deadline: June 29, 2018
- Nez Perce Trail Foundation Annual Scholarship

**Outside Scholarships for** 

**NATIVE AMERICAN STUDENTS** 

Cobell Scholarship

http://cobellscholar.org/

various scholarships available

\*essay required

Open to descendants/enrolled members

**American Indian Services** 

https://www.americanindianservices.org/

various scholarships available

\*essay may be required

Open to descendants/enrolled members

American Indian College Fund http://www.collegefund.org/

various scholarships available

\*essay required Open to descendants/enrolled members

**Bureau of Indian Education** 

http://www.bie.edu/ParentsStudents/Grants/ various scholarships available

\*essay may be required

Open to descendants/enrolled members

Native American Scholarship Fund

http://catchingthedream.org/ various scholarships available

\*essay may be required

Open to descendants/enrolled members

Deadline: June 30, 2018

### **Oregon Promise Grant** Grad March 1 – Deadline: June 30, 2018

Whisper and Thunder WINDS Scholarship Deadline: July 10, 2018

AICF: TCU Scholarship Deadline: Contact TCU Financial Aid Office

American Indian Services Scholarships Deadline: Ongoing

NOAA Fisheries Scholarships Deadline: Multiple

National Johnson O'Malley Association Scholarship Deadline: Multiple

## **PSU Native Development Networking for Student Success**

The NDNSS is a one-year support and mentor program for first generation, lowincome, first-time students who will start at Portland State University in the fall.

The program is designed to help new students transition to PSU through academic support and community building activities. It focuses on American Indian/ Alaskan Native experience and is ideal for new students who want a cultural community connection to the PSU campus

Participants engage in a two-week Connect Program & College Success Course prior to starting fall term to get a head start, connect with new students and peer mentors, and learn about PSU resources that are essential to student success.

Central themes of this course include exploring cultural identity, establishing community among incoming students and learning strategies for academic success, such as study skills, time management, money management and effective communication. The college success course is designed specifically to address challenges that diverse students sometimes encounter.

The course will provide an overview of the knowledge and skills necessary to successfully transition to college. Students will share their educational goals, personal strengths and cultural norms; identify areas in which they may need support; and become familiar with support services and other resources on campus and in the community.

Native students who have completed their first year at PSU are invited to apply to be a mentor in the program.

Trevino Brings Plenty (Cheyenne River Sioux), coordinator of Native American Student Services, will accept applications through August. For more information, contact him at 503-725-5348 or trevino@pdx.edu.

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# Higher ed website is one-stop shop for college grants

From Education Update, Oregon Dept. of Education, December 2016

The Higher Education Coordinating Commission (HECC) encourages students and families preparing for college to go to OregonStudentAid. gov to check out the more than 500 grant and scholarship opportunities.

It's a one-stop shop for information, including the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), Oregon Promise and the Oregon Opportunity Grant.

The HECC Office of Student Access and Completion (OSAC) awards more than \$80 million each year in state-funded grants and privately funded scholarships to help students meet their college expenses.

# **Tribal Council Timesheets for April 2018**

# Lillie Butler – 4/1/18-4/30/18

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	ED	Tvl		
8	8	4				4/2-6	Packets
1	1					4/7	Natural Resources
2	2					4/9	Packets
5.5	5.5				3	4/10-12	OR Tribes, packets
		5.5	2.5		2	4/13	Special TC – gaming, STBC mtg/packet
5.5	5.5					4/16-19	Packets
3.5	3.5					4/20	Regular TC
16	16				24	4/22-26	Self-Governance
1.5	1.5	5				4/27-30	Packets

## Loraine Y. Butler - 4/1/18-4/30/18

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	ED	Tvl		
1	1	1				4/7-9	Bulls Bag, packets
2.5	2.5	1			3	4/10-12	OR Tribes, packets
		5.5			1	4/13	Special TC – gaming
2	2					4/15-16	Packets
		9			17	4/17-19	NIGA
3.5	3.5					4/20	Regular TC
7.5	7.5				19	4/22-25	Self-Governance
2	2					4/28-30	Packets

# Reggie Butler Sr. – 4/1/18-4/30/18

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	ED	Tvl		
3.5	3.5					4/2-3	Packets
3.25	3.25					4/4	CEDARR. packets
4	4					4/5-6	Interviews, packets
.75	.75					4/7	Natural Resources
2.25	2.25					4/9	Interviews, packets
5.5	5.5				3	4/10-12	OR Tribes, ICW, packets,
		5.5	2.5		2	4/13	Special TC – gaming, STBC mtg/packet
6	6	4				4/16-19	Packets
3.75	3.75					4/20	Regular TC
16	16				24	4/22-26	Self-Governance
3.5	3.5					4/27-30	Packets

# **Sharon Edenfield – 4/1/18-4/30/18**

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	ED	Tvl		
1	1					4/2	STCCF
1	1				6	4/3	Meet w/ BIA, meet w/ atty on GWE
2.5	2.5				3	4/6	Amity Education Foundation
		5.5			2	4/13	Special TC – gaming
2	2				6	4/14	Warm Springs Museum event
1.75	1.75				1.5	4/17	SMI, STRCP
3.75	3.75					4/20	Regular TC

# Gloria Ingle - 4/1/18-4/30/18

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	ED	Tvl		
1	1				.75	4/2	Health Comm
.75	.75				.75	4/7	Natural Resources
2.25	2.25				3.5	4/10	OR Tribes
		5			1	4/13	Special TC – gaming
2.5	2.75				.75	4/14-15	STAHS, packets
1.5	1.25				.75	4/19	Interviews
3.25	3.25				.75	4/20	Regular TC

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

# Robert Kentta - 4/1/18-4/30/18

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	ED	Tvl		
		2				4/12	Packets
		5.5			2	4/13	Special TC – gaming
2.5	2.5					4/19	Packets
3.75	3.75					4/20	Regular TC
2.75	2.75				2	4/30	Budget Comm

# Alfred Lane III - 4/1/18-4/30/18

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	ED	Tvl		
.5	.5				6	4/3	Meet w/ BIA
		5.5			2	4/13	Special TC – gaming
1	1				6	4/14	Warm Springs Museum event
.5	.5					4/19	Packets
3.75	3.75					4/20	Regular TC

# **Delores Pigsley – 4/1/18-4/30/18**

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	ED	Tvl		
.25	.25	_				4/1	Mail
1	1				2	4/3	Meet w/ BIA, mail
3	3	.25				4/4-8	Mail, agenda items
2	2				1.5	4/10	OR Tribes
2	2	.75				4/11-12	Mail, prep for council, agenda items
		6			2.5	4/13	Special TC – gaming, mail
1.5	1.5				2	4/14	Warm Springs Museum event
.5	.5	37			10	4/15-19	NIGA, mail
2.25	2.25				20	4/20-24	Self-Governance, mail
.5	.5					4/25	Mail
2.75	2.75					4/26-27	Superstar luncheon, mail, agenda items
1	1				2	4/28	PSU event
1.5	1.5				6	4/29-30	Governor's Tourism Conference, mail

# **Angela Ramirez – 4/1/18-4/30/18**

TC	Ind	Gmg	STBC	ED	Tvl		
1	1					4/1	Packets, email
1.5	1.25					4/2-3	Health Comm, sign checks
2.5	2.5					4/4	CEDARR, Housing Comm, packets, email
.5	.5					4/5	Packets, email
.75	.75					4/7	Bulls Bag mtg
2	2					4/8-9	Packets, email
2	2				3.5	4/10-11	OR Tribes, packets, email
		5.5			2.5	4/13	Special TC – gaming
22.5	22.5				22	4/14-19	Warm Springs Museum event, NICWA packets, email
4	4				3.25	4/20	Regular TC, interviews, casino event
21	21				20	4/21-27	Self-Governance
1	1					4/29	Packets, email

### **Tribal Council Email Addresses**

•	Tribal Chairman: Delores Pigsley	dpigsley@msn.com
•	Vice Chairman: Alfred "Bud" Lane III	budl@ctsi.nsn.us
•	Treasurer: Robert Kentta	rkentta@ctsi.nsn.us
•	Secretary: Sharon Edenfield	sharone@ctsi.nsn.us
•	Lillie Butler	lbutler@ctsi.nsn.us
•	Loraine Butler	loraineb@ctsi.nsn.us
•	Reggie Butler Sr.	rbutler@ctsi.nsn.us
•	Gloria Ingle	gloriai@ctsi.nsn.us
•	Angela Ramirez	angelar@ctsi.nsn.us







**BLACKJACK TOURNAMENT** 

June 9 & 10, 2018 \$14,400 prize pool\* ~ \$100 Entry ~ 100% Payout!

Buy-in on or before June 2 for \$75. (We'll add \$25 to the prize pool for early birds!) Buy-in after June 2 for \$100.

Drop by or call the Box Office at 1-888-MAIN-ACT to reserve your seat!

\*with 144 players.





A new KIA Forte will be awarded every Sunday in June! Four cars in all!

If your entry is drawn, you'll have a go at the KIA 4 THE WIN board, where you and three other finalists choose cards until one of you WINS THE KIA!

Drawings June 3, 10, 17 & 24 at 4pm









Collect free virtual entries weekly with your Winners Circle card beginning May 28 when you swipe your card in any promotional kiosk:

- Members collect I free virtual entry per week
- MVP Members collect 2 free virtual entries per week
- Premier Members collect 3 free virtual entries per week
  - Elite Members collect 4 free virtual entries per week

# Collect even more entries with your tracked Casino Play:

- Collect I virtual entry with every 100 points earned on Slots, Keno, Cash Tables or Bingo
  - Collect I virtual entry for every hour played in a cash poker game

Complete rules at Winners Circle.





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# **Chinook Winds Casino Resort**

### **Entertainment**

June 8-9: Comedy on the Coast

8 p.m., \$15

June 21-22: Frankie Valli/Four Seasons

8 p.m., \$65-\$80

July 6-7: Comedy on the Coast

8 p.m., \$15

July 20-21: Happy Together Tour

8 p.m., \$35-\$50

Aug. 3-4: Rodney Carrington

8 p.m., \$35-\$50

Sept. 14-15: UB40

8 p.m., \$50-\$65

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.

### **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.

June 1-2: Beth Willis Rock Duo (classic rock)
June 8-9: Steve Sloan Band (rock-n-roll)
June 15-16: Bret Lucich (alternative/rock)
June 22-23: Rock-n-Roll Cowboys (country/rock)

All 8 p.m. to Midnight

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.



Would you like to be a part of the Chinook Winds team? Find out why "Employment is Better at the Beach" at:

### www.chinookwindscasino.com

Job Line: 541-994-8097 Toll Free: 1-888-CHINOOK ext 8097

Human Resources Office: 541-996-5800 Monday-Friday 8am-4:30pm

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### **Calling all Tribal member business owners**

If you would like to be on the preferred Tribal members business list with Chinook Winds, please fax, mail, email or drop off your business card, brochures, or business information to:

Chinook Winds Casino Resort Attn: Purchasing Dept.

1777 NW 44<sup>th</sup> St. Lincoln City, OR 97367 Phone: 541-996-5853

Fax: 541-996-3847 erica@cwcresort.com

Chinook Winds Casino Resort in Lincoln City, Ore., offers 24-hour Las Vegasstyle gaming, an 18-hole golf course, headline entertainment from some of music's most legendary stars, three full-service restaurants, a secure child care facility and arcade, and a 243-room ocean-view hotel.

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

### **Special Events**

Sun: 100% Payout Blackjack Tourney Sparkling Sunday Brunch at Siletz

Bay Buffet

Mon: Bearable Mondays
Tue: Boomers Club

\$2 Taco Tuesdays at Aces
Wed: Wine Wednesdays at Chinook's

Seafood Grill

Mon-Fri: Happy Hour at Rogue River Lounge (3-6 p.m.)

First Tuesday: Boomer Slots Third Thursday: Twilight Slots

June 23: Anniversary Fireworks

June 30: Brewers Classic Golf Tournament July 14: Beach, Bacon & Brews



# Job Fair! June 11, 2018 - 12-4 p.m.

Where: Chinook Winds Casino Resort, Takelma Room

**Employer Paid Benefits:** 

PTO Sellback Option

Paid Breaks/Meal

Employee Recognition Programs

•Free Shuttle Service

•Life Insurance/ AD&D \$25,000

•Employee Discounts

**Discounted Child Care**Discounted Fitness Membership

• Free Golf

Health screening

 $\label{thm:composition} \textit{Visit our webpage www.chinookwindscasino.com/career}$ 

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visit the Human Resource Department to see our current

job opportunities

Applications can be submitted:

via email to: Recruitment@cwcresort.com

OR

Human Resource Office

Monday-Friday — 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. 2120 NW 44<sup>th</sup>, Suite B, Lincoln City, OR 97367

Fax: 541-996-5857

If you have any questions, please call 541-996-5800



### Human Resources is looking for Tribal member EVENT TEMPS

### who are eager to start as soon as possible!

If you are looking for a position that outlines, helping departments when needed, ushering guests in our showroom or even

door greeting at MMA fights, Event Temp is your position.

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

Melissa Clawson at 541-996-5800.



# Avila named casino's Superstar employee for fourth quarter 2017

Siletz Tribal member Ediberto "Eddie" Avila was selected as the fourth quarter 2017 Superstar for Chinook Winds Casino Resort.

Avila has been employed with Chinook Winds in Player Services for more than four years. His outstanding service has been noted by many guests as well as by his supervisors. He has been nominated for the Superstar award multiple times in the past, as well as receiving all five BEACH stars.

Avila was nominated both by a guest and by a supervisor for his outstanding customer service and willingness to go above and beyond.

Avila received a check for \$1,000, his own parking space for the quarter and a plaque commemorating the honor. Additionally, a marble tile plaque, engraved with his name, will be displayed at the front entrance to the casino.

Compared to the casino.



Courtesy photo by Chinook Winds Casino Resort staff

with his name, will be displayed at the front entrance "Eddie" Avila

Brad Darcy, director of Human Resources, with Ediberto "Eddie" Avila

Chinook Winds directors, selected staff, Tribal elders and staff of the Siletz Tribal Gaming Commission attended the Superstar ceremony in the casino's convention center in January. One-, five-, 10- and 15-year employees also were recognized for their service to the organization.

Chinook Winds' BEACH core values form the foundation on which staff perform and conduct themselves daily. The core values, which spell out "BEACH," include: Be Passionate & Determined, Embrace Change, Accountability, Customer Service and Happiness.

Nominations go through several reviews before a final selection is made. With more than 800 employees and only four of these awards given each year, it's a real honor to be chosen as the Superstar. Avila was nominated alongside fellow team members Alice Cornejo, Greg Albrich, Joseph Padilla, Rob Brooks and Roy Cabal.

### **Hotel rates for Siletz Tribal members**

Siletz Tribe hotel rates all year round! No longer do you have to guess at what your rate is and worry about higher rates in the summer. One rate for each hotel type is now \$79 for standard deluxe oceanfront rooms and \$99 for oceanfront junior suites.

# Tribal members can maintain monthly golfing privileges at Chinook Winds Golf Resort

Tribal members receive free greens fees and can walk nine or 18 holes at no charge. If a cart makes golf more enjoyable, it is only \$10 for nine holes or \$15 for 18 holes.

New this year – We offer Tribal members monthly cart lease and golfing privileges starting at \$75/month.

- Tribal individual cart lease \$75/month
- Couples membership with cart lease \$125/month
  - Couple membership is eligible for any individual living in the same household as the Tribal member.
- Tribal family membership with cart lease \$150/month
  - Couple plus children in the same household under age 24 will have full golf and cart privileges (must be a licensed driver to drive the golf cart.)

Golf is an outstanding way to spend some time with your family and friends. Please take advantage of all of our employee benefits and spend some quality time outdoors this spring on the beautiful Oregon Coast.

Cory Camilleri is our golf pro at Chinook Winds Golf Resort.



To the editor:

The Siletz Tribal Royalty would like to thank everyone who helped make our Seminole pow-wow trip a success – this list includes our families, friends, community, Tribe and the Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund for contributing to our trip to the Seminole Tribal Fair and Pow-Wow in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., this past February 2018.

It was a wonderful experience for us to travel across the nation and participate in another Tribe's pow-wow celebration. It was an honor for us to represent our Tribe, family and community. A huge thank you to all who contributed to our experience of travel, culture and fun together.

With appreciation and love, Miss Siletz Felisha Howell Junior Miss Siletz Jocelyn Hernandez Little Miss Siletz Halli Lane-Skauge

### Survivor auditions return to Chinook Winds

Are you mentally and physically tough? Can you OUTWIT, OUTPLAY and OUTLAST anyone at any contest? Then you are a SURVIVOR!

Join KOIN 6 News at the open casting call for the hit CBS show *SURVIVOR* at Chinook Winds Casino Resort's Showroom. Auditions are June 2, 2018, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Anyone interested in auditioning should review the eligibility requirements prior to attending the open call to ensure the minimum requirements are met.

Each applicant must print and sign a Video Release & Waiver and bring it to the open call on June 2. Download the Video Release & Waiver and Eligibility Requirements from the resort website at chinookwindscasino.com.

Applicants will have one minute to creatively express why they should be considered for *Survivor*. Applicants must be age 21 or older to enter all public casino areas, but must be at least 18 to audition. Contestants will be asked to provide a valid ID.

Applicants are responsible for their own transportation to Chinook Winds.

### **Siletz News Letters Policy**

Siletz News, a publication of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians, is published once a month. Our editorial policy encourages input from readers about stories printed in *Siletz News* and other Tribal issues.

All letters must include the author's signature, address, and phone number in order to be considered for publication. *Siletz News* reserves the right to edit any letter for clarity and length, and to refuse publication of any letter or any part of a letter that may contain profane language, libelous statements, personal attacks or unsubstantiated statements.

Not all letters are guaranteed publication upon submission. Published letters do not necessarily reflect the opinions of *Siletz News*, Tribal employees, or Tribal Council.

Please type or write legibly. Letters longer than 450 words may be edited for length as approved by Tribal Council Resolution #96-142.

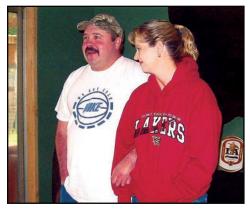
Please note: The general manager of the Siletz Tribe is the editor-in-chief of *Siletz News*.

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I would like to wish this young man a very Happy Birthday! You are my rock and you make my heart whole!

Love always, Auntie Shantel



We want to wish our son, Robert Kalb, and his friend, Tonya Standly, a Big Happy Birthday.

Love, Family, Mom and Dad



Happy Anniversary to Paul and Jula Krewson! Congratulations! Best wishes for many more happy years together. Jula (daughter of Marleen Wynn) is a Tribal member and has recently graduated from Portland State University. We are very proud of you!

> Love from Mom and your sisters, Marnie and Andrea



Happy Birthday to my second-born son, Kelden! Today you are 2. I can't begin to explain how much of a blessing you are from the surprise you were when we found out we were having you. You're such an amazing soul and truly our little catfish.

Love, Mom and A'den



Happy 18th Birthday, Tye-man, on June 18! Welcome to adulthood. It feels like yesterday when the doctor handed you to your dad and said, "Happy Father's Day, Daddy." Your dad's reply to him, "Couldn't ask for a better Father's Day and gift than a son," with tears in his eyes! You're our greatest gift, we're thankful we're your parents! We're proud of the young man you've become and will continue to be.

Love you beyond measure, Mom and

We would like to wish Tye Matthew a Happy 18th Birthday on June 18. Hope you have a great day. We love you, Tye master! Love, the Rodgers family

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



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Photos by Andy Taylor

Above: Greg Goodell chops some wood.

Top right: Several teams work together to fill the beds of three pickups with wood for Tribal elders.





### **Passages Policy**

Submissions to Passages are limited to two 25-word items per person, plus one photo if desired.

All birthday, anniversary and holiday wishes will appear in the Passages section. Siletz News reserves the right to edit any submission for clarity and length. Not all submissions are guaranteed publication upon submission.

Please type or write legibly and submit via e-mail when possible.

Tribal children in need of foster parents for: Permanent care, temporary foster care or short-term emercency care.

> Contact, Indian Child Welfare 541-444-8272