

Duu Lhlan Wee-ya'

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



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October 2022

2022-2023 CTSI College Information Nights

Sponsored by the
Education Department

6PM VIA ZOOM

College Information Night II 12/15/2022

- College Applications: School selections & Application submission
- Tribal & other types of financial aid
- Guest Presenter: Learning Campus life
- Guest Presenter: Learn about a Voc. training program

College Information Night III 02/16/2023

- Re-cap from Night I & II
- Overview of CTSI Student aid programs
 - (STHD Temporary Student Housing Assistance; 477 Self Sufficiency Classroom training; Adult Ed.; AVT; HE; CTSI Student Laptop Program; Education Committee Scholarships)
- Guest Presenter: Learning Campus life
- Guest Presenter: Learn about a Voc. training program

College Information Night IV 04/20/2023

- Re-cap of CTSI Student aid programs
- Deadline Reminders
- Guest Presenter: Learning Campus life
- Guest Presenter: Learn about a Voc. training program

Contact an Education Specialist to Sign Up!

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USDA distribution dates for October

Siletz

Oct. 3	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Oct. 4	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Oct. 5	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Oct. 6	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Oct. 7	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

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

Sammy Hall, USDA Director,
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sammyh@ctsi.nsn.us

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503-391-4296

For jobs and other
information, visit
ctsi.nsn.us.

Most requested numbers

Confederated Tribes of Siletz
Indians - 541-444-2532
Purchase/Referred Care -
541-444-1236
Siletz Community Health
Clinic - 541-444-1030
Siletz Behavioral Health -
541-444-8286

Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians

45th Annual Restoration Pow-Wow

Saturday, Nov. 19th, 2022

The Confederated Tribes of
Siletz Indians invites you to
our Annual 45th
Restoration Pow-Wow to
be held at:




Chinook Winds
CASINO RESORT

1777 NW 44th Street,
Lincoln City, OR.

**All Dancers and Drummers
Welcome**

Information:

Buddy Lane: BuddyL@ctsi.nsn.us
1-800-922-1399 ext. 1230 or 541-444-8230

Grand Entry at 6:00 PM

MC
Nick Sixkiller

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

One last Cut Wood for the Elders Day on Oct. 15

The Tribal Natural Resources Committee and Natural Resources Department will sponsor one last Cut Wood for the Elders Day of the year on Saturday, Oct. 15. The woodcut will be held on the Tribe's Logsden Road property to the right of the Tribal food distribution warehouse in Siletz.

We need lots of volunteers to help cut, split and deliver firewood for Tribal elders. Bring your chainsaws, hydraulic wood splitters, splitting mauls, axes and lots of energy. Even if you don't have any of those, we can use the moral support!

Lunch, drinks and snacks will be provided. We will start at 8 a.m. and go until around 2 p.m.

The primary goal of this event will be to deliver firewood to elders who did not get wood at the last woodcut. People willing to haul firewood to elders outside of the Siletz area should contact the Elders Program at 541-444-8212 to be paired up with an elder in need.

We especially need folks who can haul wood to the Eugene, Salem and Portland areas. Elders in need of firewood should also contact the Elders Program to get their name on the delivery list.

If you have parents or grandparents who burn wood in the winter to stay warm, you need to help out at this event!



General Council Meeting

Saturday, Nov. 5, 2022
Siletz, Oregon • 1 p.m.

Call to Order

Invocation

Flag Salute

Roll Call

Approval of Agenda

Approval of Minutes

Salem Casino Project

Consent Decree Negotiations

Declarations for Tribal Council

Tribal Member Concerns

Chairman's Report

Announcements

Adjourn

CTSI VIRTUAL CULTURE NIGHTS



ALL TRIBAL MEMBERS AND FAMILIES WELCOME

Upcoming Dates:

October 19 at 6pm:
Mvn' (Traditional Houses)

December 7 at 6pm:
Nee-dash

Sponsored by the Education and Culture Departments
Contact Nick Viles at nickv@ctsi.nsn.us or 541-484-4234 x1757 to sign up

At B'nai B'rith Overnight Camp in Lincoln City!

2022
Siletz Tribal
**YOUTH
CONFERENCE**

**November
5th & 6th**

**Siletz Youth
7th - 12th Grade**

Guest Speakers

Raffles

Deadline to register is
October 21st!

Swag Bags

Activities

**To register, email
ElizabethM@ctsi.nsn.us**

Spots are limited- sign up as soon as possible!

Siletz Tribal Members Online Academic Support

Free Virtual Tutoring!

- * **24/7 On-Demand Access to Online Professional Tutors**
- * **GED Support**
- * **All Subjects and Grade Levels- From Kindergarten through College/University**
- * **Individualized Help in All Subjects**
- * **SAT & ACT Prep; College Course Level Help and More**
- * **All Tribal Students Eligible to Apply, Regardless of Residence.**

Contact your local Education Specialist to sign up:

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Jeff- JeffS@ctsi.nsn.us

Salem
Sonya- SonyaMJ@ctsi.nsn.us

Portland
Katy- KatyH@ctsi.nsn.us

Eugene
Candace- CandaceH@ctsi.nsn.us

Please Note:

Students MUST complete a Tutoring Application to register. Tutoring hours are available on a first come first serve basis as resources are available.



SILETZ RECREATION CENTER

1010 W. BUFORD
SILETZ, OREGON

PROGRAMS AND EVENTS:

Monday 11-7pm
Tuesday 11-7pm
Friday 11-7
Saturday 8-4pm
Sunday 8-4pm
Open Gym 6-8pm

*Hours subject to change,
due to staff availability*

541-444-8209

Richardb@ctsi.nsn.us



Open gym
Basketball
Mondays and
Fridays time TBD
Sundays 6-8



Walking
group
Mondays
and
Wednesdays
@9am

STAY TUNED FOR UPCOMING PROGRAMS AND EVENTS.





Video Service Delivery (VSD)

Video Service Delivery offers the same secure and confidential process that hearings conducted in person provide.

Real time face-to-face video conference!

If you need assistance in applying for SSD, SSI, Retirement or a replacement card, contact:

Danelle Smith
CTSI 477-SSP, Tribal
Services Specialist
201 SE Swan Ave.
Siletz, OR 97380
541-444-9603 or email
danelles@ctsi.nsn.us

- **Social Security Disability**
- **Supplemental Security Insurance**
- **Retirement**
- **Replacement Social Security card**
- **Address/Name change update**

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

Appointments available Thursday afternoons from 1-4 p.m.

Beginning Sept. 1, 2022

Social Security Matters

SIGN UP TODAY FOR FALL SESSION ON-LINE LANGUAGE CLASSES

LEARN NUU-WEE-YA'

TUESDAYS, SEPTEMBER 20-DECEMBER 6

5:00 PM-BEGINNING CONVERSATION 1

5:45 PM- BEGINNING CONVERSATION 2

THURSDAYS, SEPTEMBER 22-DECEMBER 8

5:00 PM-ONGOING CONVERSATION

SATURDAYS 10/29, 11/19, 12/3

NOON-IMMERSION CONVERSATION HOUR

TO SIGN UP CONTACT NICK VILES AT NICKV@CTSI.NSN.US OR 541-484-4234 X1757

SCHC is now offering Bivalent Booster shots

Shots are available to people age 18 or older, two months after their last Covid Vaccine.

Moderna Bivalent Booster Vaccines are available right now.

The Pfizer Bivalent Booster Vaccine is on backorder and we will update you as soon as we have it available.

This vaccine is now available to all Tribal Members and their families, Patients of SCHC, tribal employees, and local Siletz community members.

**Bivalent
Booster Shots**

**+ Moderna Bivalent Booster
Vaccines will be available**

Pfizer Bivalent Boosters are on backorder

*For people ages 18 Years or older, two
months after their last Covid Vaccine*

Native American Opportunity Plan

From the University of California Admissions (Native American Opportunity Plan | UC Admissions (universityofcalifornia.edu))

UC's Native American Opportunity Plan ensures that in-state system-wide tuition and student services fees are fully covered for California students who are also enrolled in federally recognized American Indian and Alaska Native Tribes. This plan applies to undergraduate and graduate students.

What's covered

If you are eligible for the Native American Opportunity Plan, your in-state system-wide tuition and student services fees will be fully covered by either UC financial aid or another federal, state or other financial aid program.

Students with greater financial need can qualify for even more grant support to help pay other educational expenses (books, housing, transportation, etc.).

You don't need to fill out a separate application to qualify for the Native American Opportunity Plan. If you qualify, UC will contact you directly with further instructions. If you think you may qualify and have not been contacted by UC, reach out to your American Indian student resource or community center or campus financial aid office.

If you are a member of a Tribe that is not federally recognized, additional support may be available through external organizations, including through the Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria Scholarship Fund. We

encourage you to work with your campus American Indian resource center or community center to identify these opportunities.

Eligibility requirements

To be eligible for the Native American Opportunity Plan, students must meet all of the following criteria:

- Must be a current or newly admitted University of California undergraduate, graduate or professional school student
- Must be a California resident
- Must be an enrolled member in a federally recognized American Indian and/or Alaska Native Tribe
- Must be enrolled in a qualifying UC degree program

UC will reach out directly to new and continuing students who might be eligible with instructions. Documentation of Tribal enrollment may include any of the following:

- Certification of Tribal enrollment on Tribal letterhead
- Enrollment/membership card that contains the Tribal seal and/or official signature of a Tribal leader
- Certificate of Degree of Indian Blood (CDIB) if the CDIB includes Tribal enrollment information
- Tribal identification card with an enrollment number. You must also submit Tribal contact information (address, phone and email) if it is not evident on submitted documentation.

STAHS to commemorate Indigenous Peoples Day with celebration

SILETZ, Ore. – The Siletz Tribal Arts & Heritage Society takes pride in announcing its commemoration of Indigenous Peoples Day on Oct. 10 at the STAHS Gift Shop and Museum at the corner of Gaither Street and Logsdan Road in Siletz, Ore.

You are invited to join in a celebration of the rich culture and history of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at our recently opened facility.

Door prize drawings will take place every two hours beginning at 11 a.m., culminating with the grand prize drawing for a gift basket filled with promotional items and the announcement of the winner of a 50/50 raffle at 4 p.m.

Enjoy tasty fry bread or take out, browse the gift shop and view treasured historic hand-crafted Siletz baskets on display.

This is a free family event that includes games for children.

STAHS is a 501C-3 dedicated to supporting and promoting the practice, conservation and restoration of the Tribal cultures of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians and to sharing the history of the Siletz Tribe.



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