

Eugene Area Office Newsletter December 2022

Tribal Offices reopen Sept. 1

While we open our doors to the public, we also prioritize the safety of our staff, Tribal members and clients.

- Public access to administration buildings – appointments are preferred. If a member of the public arrives as a “walk-in” staff will accommodate as soon as possible. Masks are required for staff and visitors.
- Public events – outdoor events to resume. Indoor events require social distancing and safety protocols published and in place.
- Transportation services – resuming full transportation services. Masks are required for driver and client.
- Tribal/program services – online options preferred for services and meetings; hybrid options also available.

The Tribe is in need of certified homes to care for Tribal Children in need of emergency, short term and long term placements.



To see how you can help please call today
Siletz Tribal Indian Child Welfare Department 541-444-8272

Pharmacy MAIL ORDER SERVICE **WE CAN NOW PROVIDE MAIL ORDER SERVICE TO ALL SILETZ TRIBAL MEMBERS:**

LIVING WITHIN THE 11 COUNTY SERVICE AREA

Please note that this service is **not eligible** for the “Auto-Fill” program. ALL “Auto-Fill” prescriptions must be picked up at the pharmacy. THANK YOU PHARMACY STAFF

EMERGENCY HOUSING ASSISTANCE FUNDING **OPEN FOR 2022**

Entire application must be complete before assistance can be provided. Assistance cannot exceed \$1,500.00 and participants may only access this program once every 3 (three) years. This program serves CTSI tribal members looking to avoid foreclosure, facing eviction and those that are homeless, anywhere in the United States of America. There is no waiting list for this program. Funds will be available once funds are received each fiscal year and will be offered based on a first-come, first-served basis. When funding has been exhausted, applications will no longer be accepted. Applications are available through the Siletz Tribal Housing Department, the CTSI website and all area offices
www.ctsi.nsn.us

Need Rental Housing?

The Siletz Tribal Housing Department encourages you to apply for the Low Income Rental Program waiting list:
Siletz (1, 2, 3, 4 bedroom)
Lincoln City (2, 3 bedroom)
Neachesna Village
Applications can be obtained on-line from the Siletz Tribes’ website or calling:

1-800-922-1399 Ext 1322
(541) 444-8322
FAX (541) 444- 8313
www.ctsi.nsn.us

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Low-Income Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

“Crisis/Shut-off/Regular”

~OPEN~

All Siletz Tribal members and Households with tribal children. (Income based). To see if you qualify or have questions. Contact: **Casey Godwin** by phone or email- **541-444-8311** caseyg@ctsi.nsn.us

You can also contact the Eugene A/O for applications: 541-484-4234

Chinook Winds Casino Resort
Sign up for an electronic newsletter:
www.chinookwindscasino.com

CTSI Eugene Area Soup Night

**December 8th, 2022 from 4:30–6:30pm
at the Eugene Area Office
2468 W. 11th Ave. Eugene, OR 97402**

**Join the Eugene Area Office staff as
we have an evening of delicious soup
and community**

**Contact Jessica Hibler
with any questions
(541) 484-4234
jessicah@ctsi.nsn.us**

Per Tribal Council policy, all guest are required to wear a mask when not eating or drinking



Eugene Area Gift Making

December 20th from 10am to 2pm
at the Eugene Area Office
2468 W. 11th Ave.
Eugene, OR 97402

Eugene area youth are invited to come
and make gifts for their families
All supplies and snacks provided

This event is open to Eugene area youth with at least
one Tribal Member of a federally recognized
Tribe residing in their household

Please note that masks are required at the Eugene Area Office
Contact Candace to sign up by **December 13th at
4:30pm** to ensure we have enough materials
candaceh@ctsi.nsn.us
(541) 484-4237

DECEMBER AWARENESS – ASSISTIVE and ACCESSIBLE TECHNOLOGY FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES

We live in a world where globally most people have some form of disability (ies). Microsoft is a pioneer on providing accessibility tools (AT devices and durable medical equipment) to individuals with disabilities. Access to state of the art technology, can make your life much easier. There are computer-based webinars: [Accessibility Learning Webinar Series - YouTube](#) (Microsoft 2019).

There is no limit to what people can achieve when technology is accessible to improve their lives. Finding tools and devices that can enhance our abilities, and stretch our minds capabilities so that we can “explore frontiers where no one has gone before.”

[Oregon Statewide AT Program \(accesstechnologiesinc.org\)](http://accesstechnologiesinc.org)

Oregon has a Statewide Assistive Technology Program that has been in existence since 1990. Access to assistive technology (AT) devices, durable medical equipment, and services are available for individuals with disabilities and their families. ATI staff work with you, service providers, agencies, and interested individuals on the use of user-friendly devices that can make life much easier in one’s home, workplace, and/or community.

ATI has a “Device Loan Library” where you can try-before-you-buy equipment and also a rental service. Go to ATI’s library, and you will find ergonomic or assistive technology devices to choose from. They have a program where you can rent BEFORE you buy.... ATI staff are trained and certified to work with technology. They offer trainings and workshops to employers, individuals, and agencies.

Call ATI today at 800-677-7512 or your local CTSI Job Development Specialists/Counselors to learn more!

There is funding assistance to purchase specific assistive technology products that may be outside of your price range.



Contact a Job Development Specialist/Vocational Rehabilitation in the area offices:

Makayla Jackson, Job Development Specialist/Counselor
Eugene Area Office
2468 W. 11th Ave.
Eugene, OR 97402
541-484-4234, ext. 1752

Toni Leija, Job Development Specialist/Counselor
Salem Area Office
3160 Blossom Dr. NE, Suite #105
Salem, OR 97305
503-390-9494, ext. 1861

Tamra Russell, Job Development Specialist/Counselor/TSS2
Portland Area Office
12790 SE Stark St. Suite #102
Portland, OR 97233
503-238-1512, ext. 1411

477- Self Sufficiency Program



Jen Jackson: Self - Sufficiency Counselor II
jeniferj@ctsi.nsn.us ext. 1755

Cathy Ray : Job Development Specialist
catheriner@ctsi.nsn.us ext. 1756

Important Dates

December 1st - 5th

monthly meeting &
paperwork due

December 15th @ 10am

Budget Training

December 29th @ 10am

Flute workshop

For Siletz Tribal members we offer:

- ~ **Pre-Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (Pre-TANF)**: Siletz families below 185% of the FPL may be eligible for short term financial assistance that does not exceed 4 months, to provide basic needs and address emergent needs.
- ~ **Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)**: Siletz families below the countable income limits and FPL may be eligible for monthly grant assistance to meet basic needs.
- ~ **Emergency Assistance (EA)**: Siletz Families or single adults may be eligible for support services to prevent eviction or utility shut off. Income guidelines apply
- ~ **General Assistance for Single Adults (GASA)**: Siletz single adults below the countable income limit and FPL may be eligible for monthly grant assistance to meet basic needs.
- ~ **Diverted Services**: Available for Siletz members who have been employed for a minimum of 45 calendar days and are at risk of losing their employment. Income guidelines apply.

Other Programs offered:

To Siletz Tribal members and any federally recognized tribe or descendant of a federally recognized tribe

- ~ **Classroom Training (CRT)**: Financial assistance (tuition, stipend & support services) for higher Ed or vocational/occupational Training
- ~ **Work Experience (WEX)**: Paid job training to gain real world work experience, job skills and employment references.
- ~ **On the Job Training (OJT)**: Employer incentive to hire based program.
- ~ **Direct Placement (DP)**: Support Services to be job ready for eligible Native Americans that recently gained employment. Must apply within 7 days of hire.

Please note that all components of the 477 Self - Sufficiency Program are on a budgetary basis and eligibility requirements apply.



Reducing Holiday Stress for You and Your Toddler

Holidays can be exciting and fun and at the same time busy and stressful. Here are a few tips to help limit holiday stress.

- **Stick to the routine.** Children do best with routines so stick with your child's regular routine as much as possible. Focus on sleep and food. Having naps, bedtime, snacks and meals at regular times will really help.
- **Limit sugary food intake.** Sweet treats are great but you want to balance sweet and healthy snacks. Too many sweets can make a child overly active, emotional and may upset their stomach. Be sure and have some fresh fruit, vegetables, cheese, yogurt and other quick healthy snacks on hand.
- **You don't have to do it all.** Plan one or two fun things you want to do as a family. Too much on the schedule can be overwhelming for everyone. Think about what is important to you and say no to the rest.
- **If your child is overwhelmed take them to a quiet space.** If you are at a party, shopping or other event with lots of people, noise and stimulation, your child may become overwhelmed. If they do, take them to a quiet room or outside to be able to relax and calm down. If possible lower the lights and do things you know are calming for your child, hold them, hum, speak soft soothing words.
- **Take care of yourself and stay calm.** Plan ahead, have realistic expectations, eat well, get enough sleep, exercise and remember to breathe. Do the things you enjoy that provide you with the strength you need to keep going in a healthy way.

Home Visiting is a 477-SSP program providing support, encouragement and resources for parents of infants and toddlers. We serve native families in our 11 county service area who are expecting or have an infant less than 12 months of age, continuing until the child's third birthday. If you would like more information about Home Visiting please contact Cathy Ray, Family Support Specialist, at 541-484-4234 or catheriner@ctsi.nsn.us.

Candace Hill, Education Specialist

candaceh@ctsi.nsn.us

(541) 484-4234 x1763

(541) 270 - 0037

Education – December 2022

Higher Ed · Adult Vocational Training (AVT) · Adult Education · JOM · Tribal Youth Employment and Education (TYEE)

Upcoming Education Items

Please contact Candace to sign up for any activities you may be interested in!

- **JOM Parent Committee** – The Education Department is actively seeking parents of JOM registered youth to be a part of our Parent Committee. You will receive program updates, add your input and insight, help with program development and engage with other JOM parents. We will be meeting December 13th and March 14th, 2023 at 6pm via Zoom. Contact Candace to sign up.
- **College Information Night** – Join us on December 15th at 6pm via Zoom for an information session on school selection, application process, financial aid, and a couple of colleges! Email Candace for the Zoom information.
- **Gift Making at EAO** – Eugene area youth are invited to come make gifts for their families at the Eugene Area Office on December 20th from 10am to 2pm. Snacks will be provided as well as all supplies for free. Please sign up by December 13th at 4:30pm. Open to youth in the Eugene service area (Lane, Linn, and Benton counties) with at least one Tribal Member of a federally recognized Tribe residing in their household.
- **Open Gym** – We will be having an open gym at the Bob Kiefer Center in Springfield on December 21st from 12:30-3:30pm for JOM registered youth in the Eugene service area. We will have basketballs, dodgeballs, volleyballs, and skating available. Limited transportation is available, but parents may also drop their children off at the Bob Kiefer Center. Please sign up by December 13th at 4:30pm.
- **Cascade Raptors Center** – The JOM program is taking a trip to the Cascade Raptors Center in Eugene on December 22nd at 10am to see and learn about birds. This event is for JOM registered youth in the Eugene service area. Limited transportation is available, but parents may also drop their children off at the Raptor Center. This event is outside, so please dress accordingly. Please sign up by December 13th at 4:30pm.
- **Bowling** – The four area office JOM programs will be going bowling at Highland Bowl in Corvallis on December 27 from 10am-1pm. This event is open to JOM registered youth. Limited transportation is available, but parents may also drop their children off at Highland Bowl. Please sign up by December 14th
- **Art Lesson** – Join us at the Eugene Area Office for an art lesson with local artist, Leonard Harmon on December 29th at 11am and will go until 2pm. This event is open to JOM registered youth in the Eugene service area. Please sign up by December 13th at 4:30pm.

Education Program Opportunities

- **JOM** – Johnson O'Malley (JOM) benefits K-12 Native American students in support of their intellectual growth, vocational goals and cultural enrichment. The programs also advances the participant's physical, social and emotional growth. Assistance with supplemental education activities is available. **Contact Candace to sign up!**
- **Siletz Tribal Youth Activity Fund** – The Youth Services Program focuses on the well-being of young people and advocates for the needs of youth. Tribal and other resources are used in developing positive community models. The program provides academic and leisure time activities in a supervised setting and young people participate in constructive pursuits after school and on weekends.
- **Online Tutoring** – We are currently offering on demand as well as scheduled academic support available 24/7. This program is open to all students: K-12, Higher Ed, and AVT. Space is limited as hours are available. Contact Candace to sign up.

Higher Ed/AVT Reminders

- The Oregon Tribal Student Grant is continuing to accept applications through OSAC. This grant is for members of the nine Oregon Tribes attending colleges/universities in Oregon and will help cover the cost of attendance of associates, Bachelors, and graduate degree programs. Visit their website for more information: <https://oregonstudentaid.gov/oregon-tribal-student.aspx>
- Adult Education and AVT applications for clock hour schools/programs (such as beauty schools and truck driving programs) can be turned in at any point. If you are interested in applying to these programs, contact Candace for more information.
- 2023-24 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) is now OPEN! Visit <https://studentaid.gov/> to fill out the application in order to get grants and loans from the State and Federal Government. This is also a requirement for Higher Education and certain AVT programs. Need help applying? Contact Candace for more information.

Graduation Incentives

The Siletz Tribal Incentive Program recognizes Siletz tribal students for their academic achievements. Students who graduate also need to send in their diploma or certificate along. Email Candace for a graduation incentive application.

JOM (Johnson O'Malley) Parent Committee Invitation

Parents of enrolled JOM students are invited to join the
JOM Parent Committee

Receive program updates; add parent insight & input;
help with program development and enjoy time with
other JOM parents.

Meeting Location

On Zoom

Meeting Dates & Time

6:00 PM

September 13, 2022

December 13, 2022

March 14, 2023

Contact your area Education Specialist to sign up!

Sonya Moody-Jurado

Salem Area

SonyaMJ@ctsi.nsn.us

Jeff Sweet

Siletz Area

JeffS@ctsi.nsn.us

Katy Holland

Portland Area

Candace Hill

Eugene Area



TRIBAL HEALTH SCHOLARS

Tribal Health Scholars (THS) is a paid externship program where AIAN high school students are supported and inspired to envision themselves as healthcare professionals and to pursue education required for a career in healthcare.



For more information or to request an application please contact: Katie at murpkati@ohsu.edu



School of
MEDICINE

2022-2023 CTSI College Information Nights

Sponsored by the
Education Department

6PM VIA ZOOM

- ✦ College Information Night I 09/22/2022

 - Applying for FAFSA
 - College Fair (Meet representatives from colleges and universities)
- ✦ 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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Candace Hill
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WINTER BREAK

Eugene Area JOM Activities

12/20 at 10am

Gift Making Activity at the
Eugene Area Office

12/21 at 12:30pm

Open Gym at Bob
Kiefer Center

12/22 at 10am

Trip to Cascade
Raptors Center

12/27 at 10am

All Area Bowling at
Highland Bowl

12/29 at 11am

Art with Leonard Harmon at the Eugene Area Office

**Activities open to JOM registered
youth in the Eugene service area**

Limited transportation available

Please note that masks are required at the EAO and in GSA vehicles

**Contact Candace to sign up by
December 13th at 4:30pm**

Some events have limited spaces

candaceh@ctsi.nsn.us

(541) 484-4234



LEARN NUU-WEE-YA'

(OUR LANGUAGE)

FALL SCHEDULE

TUESDAYS, JAN. 3-MAR. 7

5:00 PM-BEGINNING CONVERSATION 1

5:45 PM- BEGINNING CONVERSATION 2

THURSDAYS, JAN 5-MAR. 2

5:00 PM-ONGOING CONVERSATION

SATURDAYS 1/28, 2/18, 3/4

NOON-IMMERSION CONVERSATION HOUR

SIGN UP TODAY FOR
WINTER SESSION

ON-LINE LANGUAGE CLASSES

TO SIGN UP CONTACT NICK VILES AT [NICKV@CTSI.NSN.US](mailto:nickv@ctsi.nsn.us) OR 541-484-4234 X1757



CTSI VIRTUAL CULTURE NIGHTS



ALL TRIBAL MEMBERS AND FAMILIES WELCOME

Upcoming Dates:

December 7 at 6pm: Nee-dash

January 11 at 6 pm: Our Tribal Bands

February 8 at 6 pm: Exploring Family History

March 15 at 6 pm: Hazel

Sponsored by the Education and Culture Departments

Contact Nick Viles at nickv@ctsi.nsn.us or 541-484-4234 x1757 to sign up

Additional Opportunity: Elders beading group is in-person at EAD the third Thursday of the month, 10am -Noon. Contact Verdene for more information VDeniel01@gmail.com



Cultural Fishing

Dip Net Demonstration

December 10th, 2022

All attendees must first sign up for your license and tag at Natural Resources (541-444-8227)

To register for the dip net demonstration email:

Jacobr@ctsi.nsn.us



National Safe Toys & Gifts Month

We all love to see the smiles on our loved ones faces when they open that special gift on Christmas each year, so let us look at a few safety tips to keep gift giving safe for families with children.

***Balloons:** Choking hazards. Broken or deflated balloons should be discarded immediately. Keep deflated balloons away from children younger than 8 years old.

***Small Toys & Parts:** More choking hazards. Keep small toys with parts that are removable or could easily break off away from children younger than 3 years old.

***Magnets:** Keep high powered magnets, or toys that contain them, away from small children. If swallowed, these can be especially dangerous.

***Batteries:** Button or lithium coin batteries can be deadly choking hazards especially for children under the age of 4 due to their smaller airways. Batteries also contain hazardous chemicals that can leak or explode if not handled properly. Adults should be in charge of batteries.

***Bicycles, Skateboards, and Scooters:** Avoid scrapes, bruises, and head injuries. If it's a toy or gift that a child can ride, be sure children have a properly fitted helmet to protect their heads. Protective pads for knees, elbows, and wrists are also a good idea.

• After opening gifts, immediately discard all plastic and packaging which could cause suffocation in small children.

• Keep toys for older kids away from younger children.

• Adults should charge toys that are rechargeable. Chargers and adapters can overheat and pose the risk of thermal burns.

• Be sure to remind family, friends, and Santa to bring gifts & toys that are age appropriate.

Siletz Community Health Phone Numbers

- Siletz Community Health Clinic
1-800-648-0449
- Purchased/Referred Care (PRC)
1-800-628-5720
- CTSI Resource Call Line
541-444-9613
- CARE Program
541-444-9680



Siletz Mail Order Pharmacy

For prescription refills, please call the Siletz Community Health Clinic Pharmacy 7-10 days before you run out of your prescription. This allows the pharmacy time to contact your health care provider, if necessary, and mail it to you.

Pharmacy Refill Line: 541-444-9624



Indian Health Clinic Registration Forms Available at the Eugene Area Office

- Siletz Community Health Clinic & PRC (Siletz, OR)
- Ko-Kwel Wellness Center (Eugene, OR)
- Chemawa Indian Health Center (Salem, OR)





Community Health: December 2022



Jamie Boe, Community Health Advocate Phone: 541-484-4234 Email: JamieBoe@ctsi.nsn.us

Understanding **ANXIETY** Class

January 5th 6pm-7:30pm

Would you like to better understand anxiety and learn about different ways to cope with this all too common issue? Whether you are working on healing yourself, or helping a loved one; your tribal community welcomes you to join a relaxed and judgement free setting here at the CTSI Eugene Area Office.

Our presenter, Ro Zientara, LPC (Mental Health Clinical Supervisor & Therapist) will share on this topic, and explain options for managing anxiety as we take our first steps into a fresh new year.

A light meal and snacks will be provided for those who are able to attend in person, and a link will be provided for those who wish to attend virtually.

Please contact Jamie Boe, Community Health Advocate to sign-up for this class no later than January 3rd, 2023.

Call 541-484-4234 ext.1753 or email JamieBoe@ctsi.nsn.us

Sponsored by:

CTSI Community Health Dept.

&

CTSI Behavioral Health Dept.



COUNSELING SERVICES

**Mental Health counseling services are now
available through the EAO!**

Beginning in April 2022 – Virtual Sessions Available

**2468 W. 11th Ave.
Eugene OR 97402**

Please contact reach out for an appointment:

Ro Zientara LPC (Mental Health Therapist)

rzientara@ctsi.nsn.us

At: 541.484.4234 xt. 1758

DECEMBER 2022 ELDERS NEWSLETTER

Hello Everyone,

I want to wish all my Lane, Benton, and Linn County Elders a Happy Birthday for the month of December, (first names only). Happy Birthday wishes to Cathleen, Lynette, Katherine. Judy, Janet, Bradley, Judy, and James. With a bunch of wishes for good health, wealth, prosperity, love, a day/year filled with lots of happiness, hugs, laughter, and CAKE! Truly.

November was a busy month getting ready for our 45th annual Restoration Pow Wow. I made my first ribbon skirts for my two granddaughters and my daughter. Challenging but I had help from Bobbie Jo Kruger on You Tube! I love You Tube as it has a tutorial for anything and everything you need a refresh on. I looked up how to correct the tension on my old Kenmore sewing machine and it worked perfectly. All thanks to our Culture fund I was able to get the materials, ribbon, threads etc. for these skirts. I have a question for you all. What is the creation story of the ribbon skirt? I would like to share it with my granddaughters. Please call or email me all your answers. Thank you.

I am still trying to finish the beaded pins for the veterans I have started. I have completed the beading part but finishing the back with the pin is harder than I thought. I figure by next summer I should have my packet done! 😊

REMINDERS: EAO Bead group is the third Thursday of each month 12/17 from 10-12. Jessica has Veteran pin beading kits available for anyone to pick up if you don't have a project to work on for bead group. EAO Soup night is 12/8 from 4:30-6:30 pm

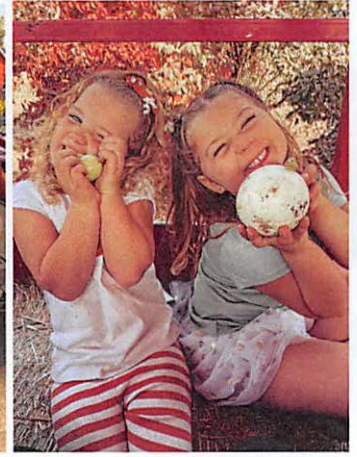
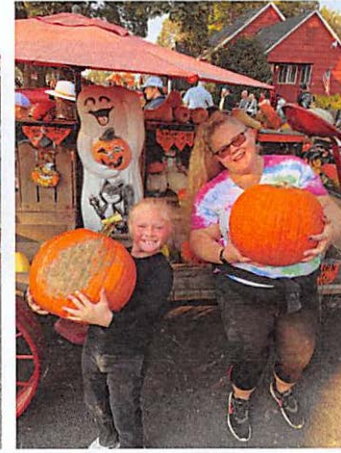
Let AJ Warren know if you want to get the Book Club ZOOM link invitations address and the council meetings zoom link he will send you one. His email is ajw@ctsi.nsn.us and the Elders program phone number is 541-444-8212 for any questions.

Truly, Verdene McGuire. Eugene area Elders Representative, Lane, Linn, and Benton Counties

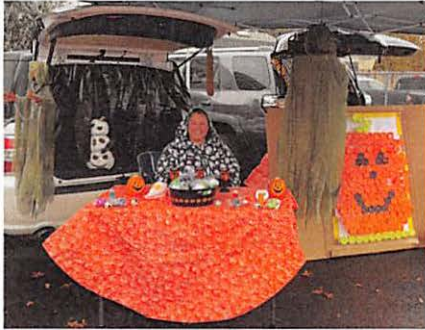
VDenie101@gmail.com Cell: 503-890-0742

Photos from Eugene Area Office October events

Pumpkin Patch:



Trunk or Treat:



**Eugene Area Office events wouldn't be successful
Without the participation and support
From our community members.**

USDA distribution dates for December 2022

Siletz

Thursday	Dec 1st	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Friday	Dec 2nd	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Monday	Dec 5th	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Tuesday	Dec 6th	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Thursday	Dec 8th	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Salem

Monday	Dec 12th	1:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday	Dec 13th	9 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday	Dec 14th	By apptonly

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

Sammy Hall, USDA Program Director, 541-444-8279 sammyh@ctsi.nsn.us FAX: 541-444-8306 or 503-391-4296



Produce Plus Food Rescue

Siletz Tribal Members:

If you or your family would like to share in some FREE fresh produce, you may pick up at the Eugene Area Office on Tuesdays 2:00pm-4:30pm. Any produce not picked up Tuesday will be available for pick-up the remainder of the week 9:00am-4:00pm. On occasion we will also have non-perishable and refrigerated items available.

Please bring your own bag or box to transport your food. You may call ahead to check availability of food.

Eugene area office : 541-484-4234
2468 W. 11th Ave, Eugene OR 97402

This food is collected and distributed by Food For Lane County. The Siletz Tribe and FFLC are working in a joint effort to alleviate hunger in our community. Donations of non-Perishable food and personal hygiene products are also donated by NAACP.



December 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2	3 Language Noon-Immersion Conversation
4	5	6 Language 5pm- Beginning Con- versation 1 5:45pm- Beginning Conversation 2	7 All staff meeting Trial: Office Closed Virtual Culture Night 6pm-Neu-dash	8 EAO Soup Night 4:30-6:30pm Language 5pm-Ongoing Conver- sation	9	10
11	12	13 JOM Parent Committee 6pm Zoom	14	15 College info night 6pm Zoom Elder reading group EAO 10am-12pm	16	17
18	19	20 Holiday gift making EAO 10am-2pm	21 JOM event Open gym Bob Kiefer Center 12:30pm	22 JOM event Cascade Raptors cen- ter 10am	23	24
25	26 Office Closed	27 JOM event Bowling at Highland Bowl 10am	28	29 JOM event Art with Leonard Har- man 11am	30	31

**The Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians
The Eugene Area Office Staff
541-484-4234 1-800-922-1399**

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Cathy Ray, Job Development Specialist/477SSP x1756 catheriner@ctsi.nsn.us
Makayla Jackson, Job Development Specialist/Voc. Rehab x1752 makaylaj@ctsi.nsn.us
Jamie Boe, Community Health Advocate x1753 jamieboe@ctsi.nsn.us
Ro Zientara, Mental Health Therapist x1758 rzientara@ctsi.nsn.us
Vacant, Peer Recovery Mentor
Vacant, Administrative Services Clerk x1750
Verdene McGuire, EAO Elders Rep. vdenie101@gmail.com
Vacant, Elder on-call Transport

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