

Duu Lhlan Wee-ya'

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



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Fire Threatens the Safety of Runners, Forcing Run to the Rogue Cancellation This Year



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2018 Run to the Rogue Event – CANCELLATION NOTICE

To: Tribal Members, Staff, Friends and Relations

From: Brenda Bremner, General Manager

Date: AUGUST 27, 2018

I am sorry to once again report that we are announcing the cancellation of the 2018 Run to the Rogue event. This historical event was scheduled for Friday, September 7th through Sunday, September 9th. The Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians started the annual Run to the Rogue event in 1994 and this year's run would have been our 23rd annual return to our ancestral homelands.

The Klondike fire is currently burning in the area of Agness, Oregon very near the Run's finish area. The fire stands at 89,579 acres, and is at 37% containment, but is growing on the western side. The evacuation level was raised to Level 2 in the Agness Zone at 3pm yesterday by Curry County Sheriff John Ward due to safety and health concerns for nearby residents.

As such we feel it necessary to make a decision to cancel the Run again this year for the health and safety of all the participants. Current air quality is unstable and dependent on wind patterns and with the ongoing risk of the fire continuing to spread, we are forced to cancel the event.

We look forward to seeing everyone next year.

New CTSI Employees

August

Marlette Roebuck-Knight – Enrollment Officer-Part Time
Starla Brown – Patient Benefits Coordinator
Heaven Epperson – Part Time Childcare Worker-TICCC
Patricia Morningstar – Part Time Childcare Worker-TICCC
Kelsey Nelson – Part Time Child-care Worker-TICCC
Sheila Mitchell – Physician
Sydney Somes – Administrative Support Clerk

July

Christine Marceau – CHS Clerk Trainee
Cassandra Garcia – Patient Care Coordinator (Medical)
Angela Martin – Health Information and Privacy Officer
Jacob Reid – Youth Development Program Coordinator
Christopher McKinney – Resident Aide-Men's Facility
Rene Williams – Resident Aide-Women's Facility
Natasha Kavanaugh – Health Services Protégé
Jenifer Metcalf – CARE Program Domestic Violence Advocate

Thank you for joining our team!

CTSI employment information is available at ctsi.nsn.us.





United States Department of Agriculture

Wildland Firefighter Apprenticeship Hiring

Now Hiring:

The USDA Forest Service is hiring wildland firefighter apprentices across the country. Wildland fire suppression and fuel management is performed in primitive, backcountry conditions. Apprentices will complete a residential firefighting academy at the Wildland Fire Training Center in McClellan Park, CA.

This paid training program leads to permanent employment with the Forest Service. The program is open to applicants ages 18-37.

Apply Online:

USAJOBS.gov

August 1 – October 15, 2018



Eligibility Requirements:

Applicants must be a US citizen or US national, must possess and maintain a valid driver's license, position requires a Work Capacity Test (WCT) and is subject to a negative drug test prior to entrance on duty. Visit the Forest Service website for full eligibility requirements.

Find Out More:

Full details and position locations can be found at: www.fs.fed.us/fsjobs-events.



#WorkForNature
fs.fed.us/fsjobs



The USDA is an equal opportunity provider, employer, and lender.

We Need Your Help at Elders Woodcut

**Saturday, Sept. 15, 2018
8 a.m. - 2 p.m.**

The Tribal Natural Resources Committee and Natural Resources Department will sponsor the last Cut Wood for the Elders Day this year on Saturday, Sept. 15. The woodcut will be held behind the Tribal food distribution warehouse.

We need your help to cut, split, stack, load and deliver firewood for Tribal elders. So put on your safety glasses and gloves, and bring your chainsaws, hydraulic wood splitters, splitting mauls, axes and plenty of energy. Lunch, drinks and snacks will be provided. We will start at 8 a.m. and go until around 2 p.m.

The goal of this event is to deliver firewood to as many elders as possible. People willing to haul firewood to elders outside of the Siletz area should contact the Elders Program clerk at 541-444-8261 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 clerk 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! Come help replenish those wood piles for the coming winter.

This is the last woodcut of the year!

Siletz Tribal Youth Council Meeting



The Siletz Tribal Youth Council will volunteer at the Elder's Wood Cut, with a meeting to follow. All youth ages 12-24 are welcome to attend on: Saturday, Sept. 15, 2018 in Siletz, OR.

Tentative Schedule:

- 9:45 a.m. - Meet at Siletz Behavioral Health
- 10:00 a.m. - Arrive at Elders Wood Cut
- Noon - Lunch (provided)
- 1:30 p.m. - Youth Council Meeting
- 2:30 p.m. - Depart for home

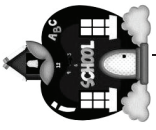
For transportation: Youth carpools are available from all of the area offices. Contact your local area office as soon as possible to join.

Area Office Contact Numbers:

- Eugene: Nora Williams-Woods or Nick Viles, 541-484-4234
- Portland: Katy Holland, 503-238-1512
- Salem: Sonya Moody-Jurado, 503-390-9494
- Siletz: Dee Butler, 541-444-8618

Youth Council Objective

The objectives of this group shall be to provide a collective voice and represent the Tribal youth in all matters that concern them; to serve as a means of mobilizing and coordinating the actions of youth, other community members and organizations toward positive goals; to promote the development of future Tribal leaders; to help solve problems facing Tribal youth; to coordinate school and community service projects and provide opportunities for the youth to interact for fun and fellowship.



September 2018



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	<i>Tribal Offices Closed</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •USDA *Language Class 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Trauma Support Group ⇒USDA -CEDARR 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Girls Group +Boys Group ⇒USDA 	⇒USDA	
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	<i>Tribal Offices Closed</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dental walk-in day ⇒USDA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trauma Support Group ⇒USDA -Winter Vegetable Class 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Elders Woodcut -Youth Council Meeting
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Trauma Support Group 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Girls Group +Boys Group □Harvest Farmers Market Tour 	-Regular Tribal Council Meeting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆Elders Council Meeting
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dental walk-in day 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Trauma Support Group 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> □Optometry walk-in day □Diabetes Luncheon 		
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For more information contact, □Clinic: 541-444-1030
 •CARE Program 541-444-9680 ⇒USDA Program 541-444-8393
 ◆Elders Program 541-444-1212 -Admin. Building 541-444-2532
 *Language Program 541-444-8320 +Behavioral Health 541-444-8286

Lincoln County students go back to school, check district website for return date's.

2018 Elk Tag Drawing Info

The annual drawing for the Tribe's elk rifle tags will be held on Monday, Oct. 1, at 5 p.m. in the Tribal Council chambers.

Applications will be available starting Sept. 4 and are due Sept. 21 in the Natural Resources office. Applications can be picked up at the Natural Resources office, downloaded from the Tribe's website (Tribal Services/Other Departments/Natural Resources) or they can be mailed to you by calling the Natural Resources office.

Each person must fill out, sign and turn in his/her own application. This year we have 25 tags each for the first and second season bull hunts and only nine tags for the various cow hunts.

If you have any questions, call Natural Resources Manager Mike Kennedy at 541-444-8232 ext. 1232.

Information for Veterans

- A veteran or a family member whose veteran is enrolled in the VA only has 72 hours to report a non-emergency room hospital visit so as not to get billed. There is a new program for veterans called Veterans Appeal Improvement Modernization Act – for those veterans who have been waiting too long for their appeal to be addressed.
- For veterans who are enrolled into the VA system – you can also apply to join My Healthy Vet to have access to your local VA doctor, prescriptions, etc.
- Also, some veterans have joined the EBenefits log-on application to try and do their VA needs online, but first you must be eligible to apply for VA benefits. I'm here to help you in that VA enrollment process. It's your choice to try EBenefits or let me assist you. The VA can be a very complex program and very trying to one's patience – and I have experienced certain road blocks. So please give me a call and I will do everything within my means to make sure you can enroll in the VA system.
- Our VA presumes that spinal bifida in biological children of certain Vietnam-era veterans who were exposed to Agent Orange was caused by the veteran's military service. Eligible children may receive VA benefits.

Call me if you have questions on any of these items.

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