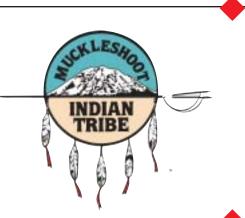


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WELCOME TO OUR TERRITORY!

As we go to press this month, the 2010 Tribal Canoe Journey is nearing its conclusion at Neah Bay, where the Makah Tribe will host a week of feasting and the sharing of songs and dances among Native Nations from as far north as Northern British Columbia and as far south as the Oregon Coast.

This is the ninth year that the Muckleshoot Tribe has participated, and the Canoe Family chose a familiar route with many friends along the way: Nisqually, Puyallup, Seattle/Muckleshoot, Suquamish, Port Gamble, Jamestown, Port Angeles/Lower Elwha, Pillar Point and, finally, to Neah Bay

As is customary, tribal leaders granted permission for canoes to come ashore in Muckleshoot territory at Golden Gardens Park on Shilshole Bay in Seattle. Tribal Chairman Virginia Cross is shown raising her hands to our visitors in the photo above. This year the Muckleshoot Canoe Family is joined by the Seminole Tribe of Florida, and the two tribes will be pulling together

The journey reaches its climax on Monday, July 19, when the grand flotilla of NW Coastal Peoples converges on Neah Bay. So far, the weather has been fine and the waters friendly.

Marcia Williams, Volunteer Firefighter and Emergency Medical Technician (EMT)

Hello! My name is Marcia Williams, I have been a Volunteer Firefighter and Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) for many years.

I am so happy to see that the Tribe and King County Fire District #44 / Mountain View Fire and Rescue are working together on relocating/building a new Station which is Station #96.

What do I do for or with the Fire Department? I am a Volunteer who has been working with the KCFD #44 for many years as a Firefighter and EMT, as well as teaching a Cultural Training Class to my fellow firefighters/EMT's. I have been away on some personal business for the last few years but I am glad to say I am working



Marcia Williams

on getting back on the Fire Engine and working as a EMT at events.

I became a Firefighter in June 1995. I have fought a number of fires and helped a lot of people. I am happy to be able to give back to the Community and will encourage those of you who are thinking of becoming a firefighter/EMT to come join our team! They are all wonderful people to work with and I would love to have you by my side.

For more information or to get an application you may contact the Main Station #95 @ 253-735-0284. I look forward to serving you and for you to be by my side...If I can do this, anyone can do this!

GRADUATIONS 2010: MIT Takes a Giant Step Forward

By Joseph Martin, MIT Assistant Tribal Operations Manager for Education

MUCKLESHOOT – We truly made history on Wednesday, September 9, 2009 by formally cutting the ribbon and opening our new K-12 Muckleshoot Tribal School. Nine months later, we gathered numerous times in the month of June to celebrate what was arguably the most historic graduation season in the history of the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe.

The highlight of the Muckleshoot graduation season occurred at the Muckleshoot Tribal School high school graduation ceremony. We all gathered to celebrate the graduation of 19 seniors in one evening. Placing this into a historical context, up until that night the Muckleshoot Tribal School had a total of 32 graduates during the nine years since the first class of high school seniors graduated in 2001.

This means that normally our Tribal School has averaged 3.5 high school graduates each year for the past nine years. During the evening of Friday, June 11, 2010, we graduated 19 high school seniors in one night – nearly six times that average and, by far, the largest group of high school seniors ever to graduate from the Muckleshoot Tribal School.

We also achieved record numbers of graduates from our Muckleshoot Head Start Program, with 53, and our Tribal School Kindergarten classrooms, with 37. If you combine the total number of graduates from Head Start through higher education, it would look something like this: Head Start – 53; Tribal School kindergarten – 37; 5th grade – 22, 8th grade – 14; high school – 19; higher education: college degrees – 15; certificates – 17; and, finally, GEDs – 10.

And so, for the 2010 Muckleshoot Tribal graduation season, we had a total of 187 graduates.

I had the good fortune of celebrating all of these graduation ceremonies with all of my friends and family from the Muckleshoot Community. I want to take this opportunity to salute all of our proud 2010 Muckleshoot graduates and to again celebrate the fulfillment of our long held dream that has come to fruition – to have a tribal school where all of our students are provided the tools and skills they need for academic success – in a culturally-relevant setting.

I want to thank each and every person who contributed their time and hard work to make this 2009-2010 academic year and graduation season so successful. We all have witnessed and participated in the most historic graduation season in the history of the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe. Let us also give thanks to the many tribal elders and tribal leaders whose dreams and hard work has made the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe's vision of "education as a lifelong journey" possible.

Finally, I look forward to celebrating the grand opening of our new Early Childhood Education Center (Wednesday, August 25, 2010) that will house



Tribal ATOM for Education Joseph Martin shakes hands with Kindergarten grad Julius Charles as MTS Student Services Coordinator Helen Feiger looks on.

our Birth-to-Three, Child Care Development Fund and Muckleshoot Head Start Programs. Once again, this grand opening of our new Early Childhood Education Center represents the achievement of another historic milestone for the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe.

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Ground is broken for new fire station

MUCKLESHOOT – In another example of interlocal cooperation for the benefit of all, the Muckleshoot Tribe is providing land to King County Fire District 44 / Mountain View Fire and Rescue for the construction of a new fire station that will provide enhanced emergency services to the people of the central plateau, and particularly the Muckleshoot Reservation.

"The Muckleshoot Tribe is pleased to join with the fire district in a unique partnership to make this new fire station possible," Tribal Chairman Virginia Cross said, adding that the new facility will help re-

duce response times and thereby contribute to the safety of all citizens living in the area.

The new location at SE 400th Street and 180th Avenue SE is on a distant corner of the same property that is currently home to the Drop-In Center and the Job Corps. The new fire station will house career and volunteer firefighters, a fire engine, water tender/engine, brush truck, office space, training room and other work spaces. Construction will commence in the near future.





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Looking Back and Giving Thanks

Graduation is a time to celebrate the educational accomplishments of our Muckleshoot students. But today, as we honor those who have completed another step in their educational pursuits, let us also remember it was not that long ago that our ability to invest in the facilities and programs that make a first-class education possible was but a distant dream.

Only a few short years ago things were much different for the Muckleshoot Tribe. It was as recently as the early 1970's the Tribe owned virtually no land. There was very little money for schools, housing or medical facilities. The one building we owned burned to the ground, leaving only a chimney behind, and no place for even the tribal government to meet. We had our Treaties but little ability to enforce them or fight for our rights.

It was the Tribe's successful assertion of its Treaty protected fishing and water rights that marked the beginning of a journey toward economic self-sufficiency and self-determination, the foundation upon which we are building a bright and prosperous future for our people. And it was our elders and the help of a little-known Native American legal assistance organization that helped make that possible.

Standing with the Tribe in the battle for our Treaty Rights, at a time funding was almost non-existent, was the Native American Rights Fund (NARF), the oldest Native American legal advocacy organization in the country. NARF came to the tribe's assistance in an action against Puget Sound Power and Light in the early 1970's. That help came at a crucial time and was a major factor in a legal victory that established the Tribe's right to maintain its fishery that had been almost destroyed by the Puget Sound Power and Light upstream dam. The subsequent legal settlement also included a hatchery that remains an important piece of the tribe's fishery program.

That successful litigation, along with the 1974 landmark Boldt ruling that tribes were entitled to half of the state's salmon resource, marked an important turning point for the Muckleshoot Tribe. The tribe clearly understood that protection of tribal natural resources was necessary for our economic wellbeing and self-sufficiency. Those lawsuits also emboldened the tribe to undertake a two decade fight to establish its rights on a number of fronts. These early legal successes established the Muckleshoot Tribal government as a strong advocate for and protector of tribal rights.

So at this time of year, as we celebrate another graduation and give thanks for many blessings we enjoy, let us not forget the hard work and dedication of our elders and those, like NARF, who fought so hard to make this all possible.





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Muckleshoot Tribal Members

You and your family are invited to the

2010 Taste at Muckleshoot

A Multicultural Evening of Friendship, Food, and Entertainment Wednesday, August 18th 4:00 pm to 7:30 pm

White River Amphitheatre

40601 Auburn Enumclaw Road, Auburn, WA 98092

Cultural Cuisine



Cultural Performers



Cultural performances at 2009 Taste at Muckleshoot





VIRGINIA CROSS CONFERS WITH U.S. SENATORS. Muckleshoot Tribal Chairman Virginia Cross recently attended a fundraising reception in Seattle for Senator Patty Murray, who is seeking a fourth six-year term in the United States Senate. In the top photo, State Senator Claudia Kauffman (D-Kent), who also works in Government Relations for the tribe, is shown with US Senator Maria Cantwel (D-WA)l, center, and Virginia. In the lower photo, Virginia is shown with US Senators Ron Wyden (D-OR) and Max Baucus (D-MT).

WALKING ON

Jeannette Brown (Morrison) Miller

Jeannette Brown (Morrison) Miller of Auburn, Washington passed away on June 27, 2010. Jeannette was born on September 15, 1939 in Auburn to John Brown of Yakima and Ethel Mae Keeline of Muckleshoot.

After completing her GED, Jeannette earned a Bachelor's Degree in Business Administration in Yakima and completed her education at the Brigham Young Police academy. Over the years Jeannette held many positions, including being a labor worker at a Yakima Furniture factory, a clerk stocker at the Muckleshoot Smokeshop, she worked the Pull Tabs in the Muckleshoot Bingo Hall, served as a Tribal School Liaison, was a Muckleshoot Tribal Police Commissioner, and a Muckleshoot Security Guard.

She was a member of the Muckleshoot Shaker Church, but believed in Pentecostal and Longhouse values as well. She enjoyed her flat bead work and was known by many for her rose beadwork, bags, crowns and regalia. She had been taught how to bead directly from Celia Totus. Jeannette was involved in the tribe's pow wows for over 30 years. Several years ago



she was honored to serve as the Muckleshoot Kiyah, representing the tribe at many pow wows as the "grandmother princess" of the Skopabsh royalty. Even in her last days Jeannette still served on the powwow committees and only a few short weeks ago was honored for all her services rendered to the powwow and community over the years in a short fringe dance special during Veterans Day Powwow.

Jeannette is survived by her spouse Dale Marcus Miller; brothers Chester "Buzz" (Shirley) Brown, Aberdeen; and Clifford (Viki) Keeline of Auburn; sister Effie (Tom) Keeline-Tull of Auburn; children Levi (Helen) Morrison of Pendleton, OR, Thomas (Stella) Morrison of Wapato, WA, Ronald "Berry" (Eugina) Morrison of Wapato, WA; Evan Morrison of Toppenish, WA; Macellina Ann (James) DeLaTorre of Auburn; Regina (Pat Daniels) Morrison of Auburn; Laura (Trini) John of Auburn; Arletta Jean Morrison of Auburn; Gracia (Bo) Ward of Auburn; Della (Jonathan) Morrison-Sampson of Auburn; Robert Joseph Redthunder of Auburn, and adopted son Grant Timentwa of Auburn; 29 grandchildren and 24 greatgrandchildren.

Jeannette was preceded in death by her father, John Brown of Yakima, WA, mother Ethel Mae Keeline of Muckleshoot, WA and children Pamela Mae Morrison-Comenout of Puyallup, Paris Morrison of Wapato, WA, Quentin Carl Sheehan of Pendleton, OR and Elaine (Kenny) Morrison of Kent, WA.

A respected member of the community Jeannette also leaves behind many special friends. Many of her friends locally were relatives, that deserve mentioning – Arlene and Ray Olney, Wanda Sampson and Pat and Sharon Goudy of Toppenish, WA, Naomi "Tillie" Bill-Sciocotti, Imogene Andy, Fidelia Andy, Genevieve Dotson, Ann Alexander and Helen Wahsise all of Wapato, WA, Ronette & Alex Baker, Elaine Baker and especially Peachy & Louie Ungaro.

Jeannette kept an open house and an open heart, raising many of her grandchildren. In her lifetime, she took care of many children, giving each one a solid foundation to stand on and the ability to be strong and keep going forward, including Lawrence & Roberta Tecumseh who still resided with her in her final days. She had a beautiful voice and could sing beautiful gospel and county songs, she loved to bead, to travel to powwows and enjoyed making friends along the way.

Jeannette taught her daughters how to take care of their families; how to cook, cleaning, care for their children, how to bead and instilled in them a strong work ethic. Jeannette was a very strong person; spiritually, mentally and physically. She would be very thankful to her Muckleshoot community for pulling together and helping her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren by being there and giving them the ability to keep going forward as they mourn the passing of their beloved matriarch.



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Andrew Simmons with his mom, Joylene

Andrew Simmons pursues his dream

The following story is based on an interview with Muckleshoot speed skater Andrew Simmons recorded shortly after he competed in the regional finals and qualified for the nationals in Lincoln, Nebraska.

"First off, I want to give a big thank you to Auntie Virginia and Auntie Ween, If it wasn't for them, I wouldn't have been able to compete this year.

I just got back from regionals, where I took third overall. But I went in there thinking that I wasn't going to make it. In my first race, I ended up getting fourth. And then in my third race, the 500-meter race, I got disqualified for riding out. The person in front of me was going too slow and I was coming up on him. It was either run into the back of him or pass him, so I tried to 'throw the pass' when we got into the corner, but I ended up bumping him and he went out, and so they called me for riding out.

Right then and there, I thought, 'Oh, I'm not going to nationals. It's over.' I was in sixth place out of six. Two people were tied with ten, two had 20, and the guy that won overall was in his own little world: He had 60 points. And then there was me.

Finally the last race came up. It was the 20 laps. I'm not really good at that distance, but it was my only hope. I was in last place with my friend, Jordan. I looked back at him, and he said, "Go now, go now!" And so I went up. I passed two people, and right when I threw the pass, the first and second place skaters took off sprinting. There were still ten laps to go, so I had to run them both down.

By the time I caught them, first place took off again and I was stuck behind second. I threw the pass again and then tried to run down first place. With three laps to go, I caught up, threw the pass and took off sprinting. I ended up winning the race by at least a half a straightaway.

It was the race of the meet! When I race, everything is on lockdown. All I see is the track, and I don't hear anything. But this time I could see and hear all the people banging on the walls and yelling – it just felt like the whole house was shaking, like the rink was totally out of control. It was an intense race. I didn't know how I did it, but I just pulled it out somehow."

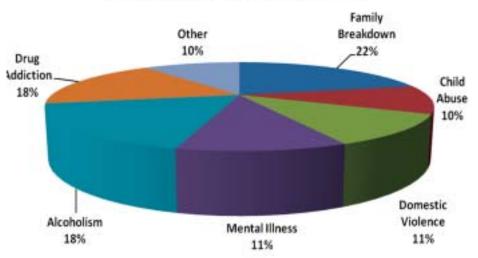
Andrew scored 30 points with that victory – enough to finish third and qualify for the Nationals!

NEXT MONTH: Shianna Moses will tell how she won the National Championship, bringing home four gold medals and breaking three world records!

Antioch Master's students carry out "Tribute to Homeless" project

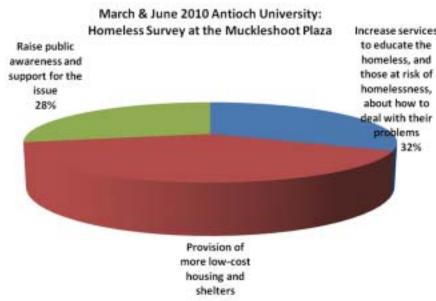
A "Tribute to the Homeless" project facilitated by Antioch University Master's Students: Ada McDaniel, Dena Starr and Linda Starr, spring 2010

> March & June 2010 Antioch University: Homeless Survey at the Muckleshoot Plaza



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MUCKLESHOOT POLICE



Muckleshoot Police June Recap

05/26/10 1:59 pm 10-122006 Davis Property Warrant Arrest An adult female was arrest on a King County misdemeanor warrant for "Attempted Malicious Mischief (Vandalism) in the Second Degree" and "Attempted Assault." The female was booked into the Regional Justice Center Jail in Kent.

05/26/10 2:00 pm 10-121975 Davis Property Trespass

An adult male and an adult female had been living together in a house on the Davis Property, she was on the lease and he was not. The couple broke-up, the male went to the female's office in the Phillip Starr building and took her purse off of her desk. The female contacted the Muckleshoot Police, she did not want to assist in prosecution for him taking the purse, she wanted her purse back and for him to move out of her house. The male was contacted at the house, the purse was recovered, deputies stood by while the male gathered his belongings. The male was trespassed from the house.

05/27/10 11:47 am 10-122794 2600 block Auburn Way S Warrant Arrest

A Muckleshoot deputy received a tip that an adult male with a felony Department of Corrections (DOC) warrant was on a Metro bus. The deputy was informed that the male got off of the bus in front of the old QFC, deputies arrived moments later. After a foot pursuit the male was taken into custody. The male had a felony DOC warrant for "Escape from Community Custody" on an original charge of a protection order violation; there was no bail on the warrant. Auburn police arrived and took custody of the male as an Auburn detective wanted him for questioning. The male was later booked into jail on the warrant.

05/27/10 9:17 pm 10-123291 38900 block Auburn-Enumclaw RD SE Assault on a Deputy

A deputy observed an adult female with two misdemeanor warrants, she ran when the deputy approached her. After a foot pursuit the deputy grabbed her arm, she tried to pull away and had to be taken to the ground. The female kicked the deputy in the face and continued to try and get away. The female was booked into the King County Jail on the two misdemeanor warrants, one for "Hit and Run" from King County with a \$5,000 bail and one from Auburn for "Assault in the Fourth Degree" with a \$5,000 bail. The female was also booked for "Assault in the Third Degree" for assaulting the deputy.

05/28/10 8:00 am 10-123676 38900 block Auburn-Enumclaw RD SE Sexual Offender Registration Violation

Detective Sergeants attempted to verify that and adult male sex offender was living at the address he was registered at, after several attempts to contact him they determined that he was not living at the location. The sex offender's current living location is unknown; he failed to notify the Sheriff's Office of his change of address. A detective was assigned the case for follow-up.

05/31/10 7:15 pm 10-126279 38900 block 172 AV SE Violation of a Court Order

An adult female violated a "Protection Order" her adult female cousin has against her by driving past the victim. The female suspect could not be located and is being charged with violating the court order.

Traffic Stops

Thirteen (13)

06/02/10 10:00 am 10-127320 Muckleshoot Indian Reservation Elderly Neglect

A referral from Adult Protective Services concerning possible neglect of an elderly person.

06/04/10 10:02 am 10-129230 Muckleshoot Health and Wellness Center Pharmacy Forged Prescription

On 05/27/10 an adult male presented a prescription for Oxycodone to the pharmacy, the date on the prescription had been changed to have the prescription filled several days before the doctor had ordered. This was reported to Muckleshoot Police on 06/04/10.

06/08/10 6:40 pm 10-133030 39731 Auburn-Enumclaw RD SE Violation of a Court Order

An adult female has a valid "Protection Order" against her ex-husband. The order forbids the male from calling the female. The male has called the female three times and left voice messages. The male is being charged with "Violation of a DV Protection Order."

Traffic Stops

Seventeen (17)

06/09/10 7:11 pm 10-133998 37100 block Auburn-Enumclaw RD SE Fight Disturbance

Two highly intoxicated adult males got into a physical fight for no known reason. Neither male would assist in giving information and neither wanted to assist in prosecution. One of the males was taken to hospital in part for treatment for his minor injuries and in part due to his high level of intoxication.

06/15/10 12:38 am 10-138521 37300 block Auburn-Enumclaw RD SE Disturbance

An intoxicated adult female reported that she was at an unknown house when people started drinking blood and chased her when she left yelling "get her, catch her, kill her." The female's car was located at a nearby house, the occupant of the house said the female had been there but they did not want her to leave because she had been drinking and that the female went to sleep but later claimed out of a window.

Traffic Stops

Eleven (11)

06/18/10 4:30 pm 10-141641 38900 block Auburn-Enumclaw RD SE Assault

An adult male cousin that lives on the property in a travel trailer starting yelling at a male elder and threatening to assault him. The elder's adult son came to his aid and was hit in the face with a rope by the male. A minor was grabbed and pushed to the ground by the male. Deputies arrived and arrested the male for two counts of "Assault in the Fourth Degree." The male was booked into the King County Jail on the charges.

06/18/10 10-146033 White River Amphitheater Theft from Vehicle

A wallet was stolen from a vehicle after it was involved in a minor fender bender. The credit cards were later used by unauthorized person.

06/18/10 10-142382 White River Amphitheater Theft of Wallet Wallet taken during a concert.

06/18/10 7:50 pm 10-141845 White River Amphitheater Assault of a Deputy

A highly intoxicated juvenile was contacted, while being interviewed he stood in an assaultive manner toward a deputy and security staff. The juvenile was taken into custody for "Minor in Possession of Alcohol" they then spit on the deputy. The juvenile had to be restrained by several deputies; the juvenile attempted to kick the deputies while they was being restrained. The juvenile threaten to shoot the deputies. The juvenile was sent to the

hospital via a private ambulance for detox. The juvenile will be charged for the crimes he committed.

06/18/10 10:30 pm 10-142285 White River Amphitheater Theft An adult female had her wallet stolen from a bathroom. The wallet was found but her driver's license was missing from it.

06/18/10 11:00 pm 10-141997 White River Amphitheater Intoxicated Person

An adult male that was highly impaired and could not walk on his own was taken to the security office by security personnel. The male became violent and attempted to punch a wall, he was then handcuffed. The male said he smoked a cigarette that was dipped in embalming fluid. The male had no idea where he was. The male was treated at the scene by medics and transported to the hospital for further treatment.

06/18/10 11:25 pm 10-142023 White River Amphitheater Theft from Auto

An adult female returned to her car and discovered a window broken. A bag, hair straightener, hair dryer and a laptop were taken.

06/18/10 11:55 pm 10-142026 White River Amphitheater Auto Theft

An adult male had his car stolen from the parking lot.

06/19/10 12:15 am 10-142071 White River Amphitheater Vandalism

A juvenile returned to their car and discovered that a window had been broken. It does not appear the car was entered and nothing was missing.

06/19/10 1:00 am 10-142380 White River Amphitheater Theft A juvenile had their wallet and keys stolen.

06/19/10 9:30 pm 10-142717 SE 392 ST/Auburn-Enumclaw RD SE Warrant Arrest

Two adult males were contacted after the vehicle they were next to was reported to be driving around recklessly. One of the males had two Auburn misdemeanor warrants, one for "DV Malicious Mischief 2 Counts" and one for "Failure to Appear for Driving While License Suspended in the Third Degree." The male was arrested on the warrants and booked into the Auburn Jail.

Traffic Stops

Five (5)

06/22/10 10-144375 2700 Block Struck River Drive

The MTP were conducting an area check when a male and female attempted to make a speedy get away after realizing they had been spotted. The female admitted there had been an act of prostitution which correlated with the state of both parties clothing. She was arrested on an outstanding misdemeanor warrant.

06/22/10 10-145080 White River Amphitheater Drunkenness

A subject was intoxicated at a concert and when attempting to reenter the drinking establishment verbally and physically confronted the deputy. While being escorted to the exit the subject spit at the deputies. The subject was transported by ambulance to the hospital for treatment regarding excessive alcohol consumption.

Indian estate planning assistance available

Services will be available through July 29

By Nichole Worthman

In 2005, at Seattle University, the Institute for Indian Estate Planning and Probate opened its doors to provide services, information, and education to Indian people, tribal leaders, students, and attorneys alike. One of the Institute's main missions is to provide legal services to Indian people. For five years, the Indian Estate Planning Project has helped to accomplish this goal by placing specially trained law students on Indian reservations in Washington, Oregon, Idaho, and Montana, for the purpose of providing estate planning services at no cost to tribal members.

Indian estate planning has become particularly complex since the American Indian Probate Reform Act (AIPRA) took effect in 2006. My name is Nichole Worthman and I am the new summer estate planning intern for Muckleshoot members. I began my internship on May 24, 2010 and I will be available to provide estate planning advice and the following services, writing documents such as wills, health care directives, durable power of attorneys for both health care and finance, and disposition of remains, until the end of July.

The following is a very basic introduction to the types of documents that the Indian Estate Planning Project is offering to tribal members. There are many pros and cons to each document, as well as nuances that cannot be discussed in this article due to space limitations. So, please contact me at the number below to further discuss the documents that interest you.

A durable power of attorney is an estate planning tool that allows planning for incapacity. There are two types, one is a health care durable power of attorney and the other is a financial durable power of attorney. Both documents work in much the same way, you name a person who will make health care and/or financial decisions for you in the event you are physically or mentally unable.

A health care directive is an estate planning tool that allows planning for end of life. In this document, you choose the life-sustaining treatments (generally consisting of artificially provided nutrition, hydration, respiration, and pain relieving medication) that you want to have administered. This document becomes effective under only two situations: (1) you are diagnosed by your attending physician to have a terminal condition and you are unable to express your wishes and/or (2) you are diagnosed by two physicians to be in a permanent unconscious state.

There are two main estate planning tools that allow planning for death, a disposition of remains and a will. In a disposition of remains, you dictate what happens to your body once you have passed away, for example, whether you would like a funeral, cremation, or another type of traditional ceremony. Also, this document is the perfect place for you to note any arrangements you have made in advance. The second type of document in this category is a will. Very simply, a will documents how and to whom you would like your property to be distributed once you have passed away.

It is almost always a good idea to have a will but it is especially important for you to have a will if you currently own or could acquire trust or non-trust land, want to stop fractionation of your land, want to leave income to a non-Indian spouse, or you want to leave property to someone who is not in your immediate, blood family. Without a will, AIPRA will determine who receives your trust property but, with a will, you control who receives your property.

Also, for those members wanting to participate in the elder's housing program, it is required that you have a will. So, if you are interested in learning more or making an appointment to determine your estate planning needs, please call me at (253)876-3065. I look forward to working with you this summer.

A WAKE-UP CALL

I have done nothing but help our people with their problems for as long and as far back as I can remember – taking children and people in, serving on committees, attending Tribal Council meetings and being aware of community problems, and still trying to raise my family while trying to help make a better way of life for our tribe and community.

Now that I'm older, in my 60's, I have slowed down to spend time with my mate, who has health issues.

To my surprise, on Sunday morning, a King County police officer knocked at my door and asked if I own a Toyota car. Half awake, I said yes, and to my shock and dismay, my car had been stolen out of my back yard. I got it back and it was scratched up. They had broken into my fireworks stand, too.

But what's so scary about all this is that there was a knife on the front seat with a pair of rubber gloves. **Think about that!**

What does this mean to you? Are you going to be the next one? Will it be home invasion robbery? Will you be buying your stolen items back from your neighbors? Will you lose items that mean a lot and can't be replaced, just so these thugs can get money to spend on booze or dope?

I'm wide awake now, and this is a wake-up call for you and me. Next time – if there is a next time – I'm going to be ready. So, all you people out there that are up to no good: *I'm gonna be watching you*.

An Elder,

Shirley Taylor



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Headline News!

Child catches 99 trout in 120 minutes

That's correct. A child (not identified because of age) under 9 years old caught a record 99 trout at the 2010 Keta Creek Kid's Derby. That's an average of one trout reeled in every 73 seconds. How do you actually cast out, hook a fish, reel that fish in, un-hook the fish, then do it over and over, and over again without any breaks for two solid hours? If you think that's hard to believe then come to our next derby and perhaps the ace fisherperson will be there to give lessons.

2010 Keta Creek Kids Derby Recap

Saturday June 19th started out with clouds and showers, but that did not discourage the over 275 people who showed up at Keta Creek Hatchery to join us for our annual Kids Fishing Derby.

Many arrived early to claim their favorite spot at one of the three trout ponds before heading down to the covered dining area to eat a pancake breakfast that was prepared by derby staff and volunteers.

114 kids age twelve and under fished between 10am and noon. Staff at the weigh-in station was kept busy weighing and counting fish to determine the Biggest Fish (7lb10oz) for age group 5-12 and Most Fish caught by the kids in age group 5-8 (99 fish) and 9-12(38 fish). Thirty total prizes were awarded to the winners within the three categories, including an MP3 player, digital camera, camping gear, 12' pool, giftcards, and DSi.

Kids' age 0-4 years had a chance to "fish" for a wrapped bonus prize from Pee-Wee's Pond; including splash pools, picnic table, and summer water toys. Regular "fishing" from Pee-Wee's Pond was allowed for all kids 12 and under so everyone took home a prize.

A popcorn cart and coolers of pop were set up under a canopy near the ponds for all to enjoy while fishing. Coffee, cocoa and tea was also available as the weather remained cool with showers all day. After fishing; the lunch of grilled hamburgers, hotdogs, salads, and watermelon was welcomed by everyone who spent the morning at the trout ponds.

- We want to remind everyone that the Derbies are sponsored by the Muckleshoot Tribe and are open to Tribal *Members and their families only.*
- For the health and safety of others, please leave your animals at home.
- MIT is not responsible for accidents/injury, loss, theft, or items damaged.

Our next derby will be the Family Derby; all ages of MIT members and their families will be able to fish from 10am till noon. It will be held on August 14th with breakfast starting at 8:30am. Hope to see you there!

Contact: Gail @ Keta Creek Hatchery - (253)876-3178 34900 - 212th Ave SE Auburn

Family Derby – August 14th Fall Fishing Classic - September 25th













Muckleshoot's Keta Creek Fall Classic

Breakfast, lunch, snacks, fun and games for all ages. Bait, fishing tackle, ice, and fish sacks provided. Scheduling of classic, contests, will be added when possible, or deleted when necessary. Please direct questions, comments, or suggestions to Gail Larsen at (253) 876-3178.

FALL CLASSIC-

All ages fishing. Family oriented prizes, and door prizes for adults.

Sept. 25, 2010 8:30-2pm

MIT Vessel Registration for 2010

The MIT fisheries vessel registration office is currently open for 2010 vessel registrations. Hours are 9 AM to 4 PM. Requirements for registering vessels for use in fisheries open to MIT fishers appear below:

- Fishers must registered for the 2010 fishing season (must have green sticker on the back of the MIT ID card) in order to register their vessel(s) for 2010.
- Vessel photos are required even if photos were provided in 2009. Please bring right and left side photos showing the full length of the vessel and the MIT vessel registration number. If the vessel number is not clear in the side-view photo, then take a third close-up photograph of the number. Check to see that it is
- Vessels used in commercial fisheries must be 16 feet or longer.
- Eligibility for the drawings for LEZ fisheries will be limited to fishers with vessels registered by June



Keta Creek Kids Derby 2010



















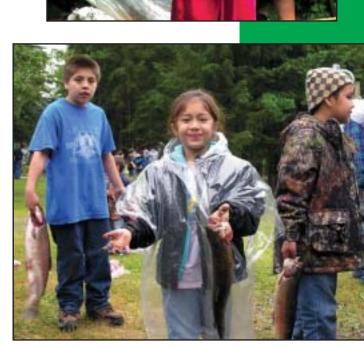












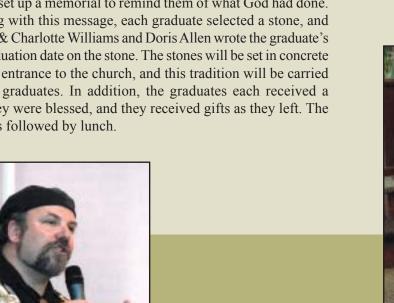
Pentecostal Church News ——

Graduation

On June 26, the Pentecostal Church celebrated the graduation of seven members: Kellis Castillo and Benjamin Anderson, who graduated from the birth to three program, Kacey Williams and Cameron Williams, who graduated from Headstart, Anthony Swanson, who graduated from elementary school, and Kaleb Williams and Anthony Stair, who graduated from high school.

Len Bundy from the Summit Church gave a graduation address, and reminded the graduates that they can accept the challenges that life has to offer, or take the easy path. In the Old Testament, Moses sent twelve spies into the promised land to check it out, and only two focused on the abundance of the land, and believed that God would keep his promise to give the land to them. The other ten were filled with fear because of the size of the people living in the land, and thought it would be better to go back to slavery in Egypt. Forty years later, when the Israelites finally entered the promised land, Joshua had a representative from each of the twelve tribes of Israel pick up a stone, so they could set up a memorial to remind them of what God had done.

In keeping with this message, each graduate selected a stone, and Pastor Kenny & Charlotte Williams and Doris Allen wrote the graduate's name and graduation date on the stone. The stones will be set in concrete near the main entrance to the church, and this tradition will be carried on for future graduates. In addition, the graduates each received a certificate, they were blessed, and they received gifts as they left. The ceremony was followed by lunch.







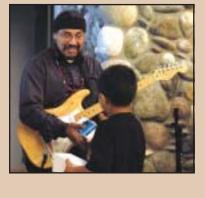






Father's Day

Father's Day at the Pentecostal Church was a low-key event, but it did not go unnoticed. Charlotte Williams took the pulpit and preached a sermon titled "A Chosen Father," giving Pastor Kenny the day off. At the end of the service the children sang a song, and then handed out Father's Day gifts to all the fathers, and all the men who are not fathers but who fill that role for the kids in the church.









Muckleshoot Pentecostal Church

Kenny Williams, Pastor

SCHEDULE

Sunday 10:00 AM Prayer 10:30 AM Breakfast 11:00 AM Church Service 12:00 Noon Share (Potluck) Meal 2:00 PM Church Services/Classes Tuesday 12:00 Noon Prayer Meeting 7:00 PM Wednesday Bible Study Thursday 12:00 Noon Support Group Meeting 7:00 PM Spanish (language) Church Thursday 7:00 PM Friday Prayer Meeting

Prayer Meeting

10:00 AM

3rd Saturday

MIT SOLID WASTE COLLECTION PROGRAM

Hours of Operation:

The Public Works operate a Solid Waste Collection Station located at 40320 Auburn / Enumclaw Rd., (Entrance from So. 400th Street)

8:00 AM - 3:30 PM Monday- Friday: Saturday-Sunday: 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM Holidays Closed

- The facilities are free and restricted to all MIT Tribal members use only. (No exceptions.)
- No commercial vendor or contractor shall use this facility for commercial waste.
- All waste shall be put in the specific designated locations or bins. Repeat violators may be barred from further use of the facility.
- All members shall keep the ground clean at all times. Report any spills to the office immediately.

Housing Tenants:

All Housing tenants must request dumpster service through MIT Housing Department. Please call 253-833-7616.

How to Request a Dumpster:

Members who are either home owners / renters can request dumpsters to be delivered to their site for a special cleaning project. Members are required to come in to the Public Works office during the business hours to fill out a Work Request form after obtaining approval from the Housing Department. Dumpster size ranges from 3, 5 and 8 cubic yards. Larger size is available upon special request.

No mixed waste shall be allowed in each dumpster. Yard waste, garbage, appliances and electronic items shall not be put in the same dumpster. Members with mixed waste are requested to bring their items to the Public Works Collection Station.

Property / Site Clean up:

Code Enforcement may require the land owner to clean up their property. Dumpster can be requested to be delivered to facilitate the project. Please call the PW office to request a dumpster for the project. For salvage vehicles removal, please call Planning Dept. Lenny Sneatlum at 253-876-3324.

Demolition Projects:

Should a home or any structure / trailer needs to be demolished, please first obtain a demolition permit from the Planning Department and then bring the permit to the Public Works Department to arrange the work to be performed.

What can you bring to the Collection Station?

- Yard Waste
- General Household garbage Tires, small engine, batteries
- TV, computer and other electronic items
- Major appliances
- Waste oils and paints

All items above shall be put in separate designated area and dumpsters. DO NOT mix the above listed waste.

Any questions regarding the use of the facilities or services, please call the Public Works Office at 253-876-3281 between 7 AM to 4 PM. (M-F).

Notes:

- A new recycle area is designated to collect recyclable waste such as newspaper, card boxes, bottles and cans.
- The Collection Station is monitored by surveillance cameras. Any violators may be cited for penalties as allowed by the MIT Codes.

So. 400

All tribal members requesting dumpster delivery and pickup should call 253-876-2911. Please leave a message with your name, address and size of dumpster if no one is answering the phone.

Enumclaw School Superintendent Mike Nelson Honored by Tribe

Enumclaw School Superintendent Mike Nelson was recently accorded the tribe's highest honor – being wrapped in a Muckleshoot Pendleton blanket. The Muckleshoot Tribe had recently been awarded the Washington Association of School Administrators Community Recognition Award for the Puget Sound Region after being nominated by the Enumclaw School District.

The blanket was given in recognition of the exemplary cooperation between the tribe and the school district, as evidenced by the landmark Inter-Local Agreement between the two entities that Nelson and others have spearheaded and the great progress that has been made on so many fronts. The text of the nomination Supt. Nelson submitted for the WASA Community Recognition Award follows:

"The Muckleshoot Indian Tribe has a rich history of supporting the youth of their neighboring communities in a variety of ways. The tribe's support of education has been especially long-standing and continually growing, grounded in their belief that it's important to teach our children about the cultural values of generosity, honoring elders and education. The Muckleshoot Indian Tribe and the Enumelaw School District are joined together in partnership by a successful inter-local agreement. The benefits to the educational communities of Enumclaw and Black Diamond go far beyond the formalities of this partnership agreement.

The Tribe regularly invites our students and staff to participate in tribal cultural events including field trips, speakers, classroom visitations, and Elders' Day and Veterans' Day Luncheons. They share their facilities when we are in need. They sponsor and endorse our school district's involvement in the state Tribal Sovereignty Curriculum Pilot project. They annually recognize our Native student graduates at a Tribal Council meeting.

The Muckleshoot Indian Tribe also significantly supports our school district with regular and special grants that fund our highly successful Native American Education Program which involves 100+ students from a variety of tribal affiliations. These resources are used to fund activities such as our Native Dance Group, cultural education, field trips, school assemblies,

the school district Pow-Wow, afterschool mathematics support, the Lap Top Loaner program, youth leadership activities, conferences, community speakers, awards at graduation, summer school, photography classes and our Native American Coordinator positions.

In addition, they regularly support each of our schools with annual Charity Grants that are used to fund enrichment projects such as band uniforms, 6th Grade Camp, arts projects, and books for librar-

ing commitment to

the education of all students in the Enumclaw School District and to their special support of our Native students, regardless of their tribal affiliation, I am nominating the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe for the 2010 WASA Community Recognition Award. I wish to express my most sincere appreciation for their partnership with our school district."







Tribal College launches *The Muckleshoot Review*

By Louie Gong



On June 15th, over 60 students and community members gathered to celebrate the launch of Muckleshoot Tribal College's newest project, *The* Muckleshoot Review. The stylistic publication, which is a collection of writing and poetry, was edited by Alicia Woods and a group of her dedicated Northwest Indian College students, which included Elise Bill-Gerrish, Lannessa Brown,

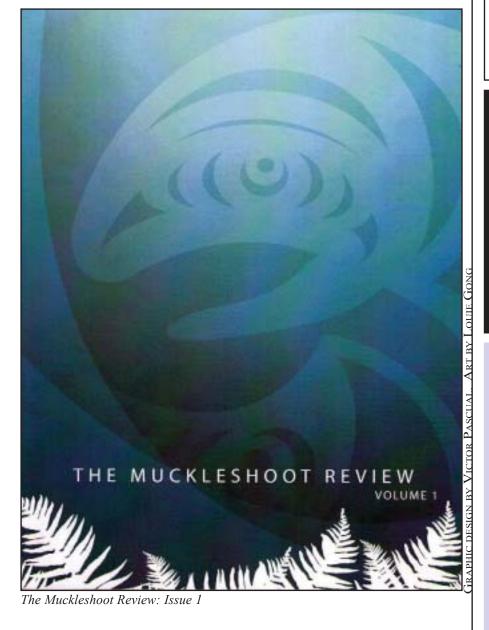
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Richelle Brown, Danny Leonard, Chadrick MaGee, Ester McCluskey, Lisa Miller, Anthony Nichols, Deborah Saluskin, Leo

Sanchez, Kristopher Spiker, Mary Starr, and Sidney Williams Jr. Unfortunately, this event also marked the end of Alicia's grant-funded (Gates Foundation and Lumina) Writing Instructor position, through which she provided one-on-one support and workshops to students across all levels of education. Her departure will leave a large gap in services at the college, and college leadership is currently exploring ways to continue providing much-needed writing support and amazing projects like The Muckleshoot Review.



Special guest Gabriel Teodros, a well-known hip hop artist, teacher and activist, performs one of his original works.



and Make a Difference in Your Community

Complete Your Degree



"I look forward to using my research... with hopes of creating a positive effect on my family's lives, which will have a ripple effect in the community...empowering my people to recognize their self worth as Indian people."

> Elaine Daniels-Gaspar Muckleshoot Tribal Member, current student First Peoples B.A. Completion Program

In partnership with the Muckleshoot Tribe, Antioch University offers a B.A. Completion program at the Muckleshoot Tribal College

- with concentrations in the following areas: Leadership and Organizational Studies
 - Human Development and Learning
 - Individualized Studies

Apply by Aug. 31st for Fall quarter + Classes Begin October 2010

www.antiochseattle.edu/BA



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Contact Jessica Porter, First Peoples Program Coordinator, 206-406-3472, jporter Ligantiochiedu

GED Tutoring

Free to all community members

- One-on-one tutoring
- Private study space available

Monday-Friday 9am to 6pm **Muckleshoot Tribal College room 203**

For tutoring: Todd Johnson at 253-876-3256

Kitty Heite at 253-876-2977

For testing questions: Mitzi Judge at 253-876-3395

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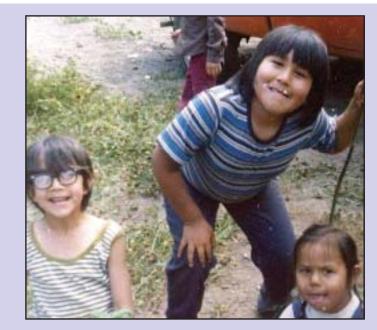
Attention GED Students:

Finish your GED by January 2012!

Now, there is an additional incentive to finish the GED because the GED series will change in January 2012, and all previous test scores will expire. That may seem like a long time away, but it's not.

Don't let your results expire! Come in and finish your GED.

Call 253-876-3256 with any questions.



FUTURE TRIBAL COUNCIL MEMBERS. Two of these three little boys are now members of the Muckleshoot Tribal Council. Can you identify them? (Answer on bottom right of page 17)

Youth Services Presents...

"School Rocks:

Come get geared up for the school year at the Youth Facility"

School Supplies Distribution Event

Please join us for our school supplies distribution day on Saturday, August 2 Ist and get ready for the school year!

In addition to distributing school supplies to all eligible youth, we will have food served throughout the day and fun games and activities set up for all ages.

So come by on this day and get your school supplies and join us in the fun!!!

Date of Event: Saturday, August 21st, 2010

Time of Events 11,00am-6,00pm

This event will take place at the Muckleshoot Youth Facility.
Registration will take place in the parking lot (weather permitting) and supplies will be distributed in the back of the building.
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Muckleshoot Youth Facility 38624 172nd Ave. SE Auturn: WA 99092



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- Enrolled in an accredited public, private, home, or Tribal school (please bring proof of enrollment)





CONGRATULATIONS

Student Incentive & Rewards Program

The Muckleshoot Indian Tribe Education Division would like to congratulate the following youth on their HUGE accomplishment of High School Graduation

If you know of a
Muckleshoot youth
that was unable to
attend the Graduation
Dinner on June 18,
2010 and they did
NOT receive their gift
items please have
them contact
Christina Chagolla
Youth Services
Program Assistant at
253-876-3370

Latana Baker
Danielle Bargala
David Cabanas
James Cross Jr.
Rose Davis
Lee Foulkes
Heidi Gaiser
Elise Bill-Gerrish
David Graham
Natasha Harp
Philip James
Jason Jansen
Ramon Jimenez
Eddie Tapia-Jerry
Shawntelle Kasper

Tammy Klatush
Chris Marquard
Louie Moses Jr.
Nova Pulsifer
Albert Ramos
Cortney Rodarte
Cline Ross
Reuben Smith
Sophia Spencer
Tierra Taylor
Lavonna White Eagle-Brown
Kaleb Williams
Alexandria Youngman



The following is a list of received Incentive Rewards

Congrats to the following youth for receiving a full academic year of Honor Society:

- Leetah Jerry
- Toni V. Asphy
- Jeffrey Sheldon
- Kendra Kahama-Moses

ENJOY YOUR NEW



Latana Baker

ATTENDANCE

Teddy Satnas

Jeffrey Sheldon
Toni Asphy
Makusti Tulista Jr

Valeira Turlata

Kendra Kahama-Moses

HONOR ROLL / HONOR SOCIETY

Chris Marquard Syhia Agaton Elise Bill-Gerrish Toni V. Asphy

Jeffrey Sheldon

KINDERGARTEN Miguel Cruz-Cruz Valeta Tuilata Shaleen WhiteEagle 5th Grade Totti V. Asphy Sashene Simmons 8th Grade Santiago Aldana 10th Grade Shalea Deniels Jonathan Graham James Ross Jr. 11th Grade Robert Jones Kelle Manduza Silm Miler Angelica Rodarte Dana Schoppy

Family Language/Culture Camp





- Food will be provided.
- . Bring your own tent, blankets and warm clothes.
- We will be doing cultural activities, sharing stories and having some fun, so bring your family and join us.

For more information please contact:

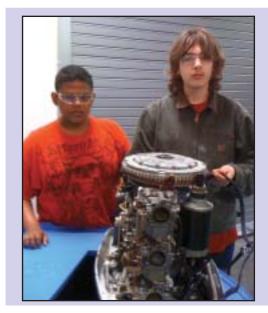
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Mary Ross JR 253-876-3306 LittleMary.Ross@muckleshoot.nsn.us

Morgan Sohappy 253-876-3315 Morgan.Sohappy@muckleshoot.nsn.us





MTS MARINE MAINTENANCE CLASS

The Tribal School's Marine Maintenance class recently tested its first rebuilt outboard engine in their new running test tank. Pictured are Danny White and Derek Summers, both freshmen in the beginning Marine Maintenance class. When school begins again, the shop class will be seeking donations of used outboard engines that are not totally dead yet. Please call Pete at 253-931-6709, ext 3778.

Muckleshoot Youth Services Program

2010 School Supplies Distribution Dates



School Supplies will be distributed on the following days:

Saturday, August 21st: 11am-6pm@Youth Facility ("School Rocks" Event)

Monday, August 25rd: 10am-6pm@JOM

Tuesday, August 25th: 10am-6pm@JOM

Wednesday, August 25th: 10am-6pm@JOM

Thursday, August 26th: 10am-6pm@JOM

School supplies will be distributed to all eligible youth.

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 (please bring proof of enrollment)

For more information call the Youth Services Reception desk at: 253.876.3293

Daveya Nyalee Rojero

My name is Daveya Nyalee Rojero I am 5 years old and I am a Muckleshoot Tribal member with direct ties to Yakama Nation as well. I am asking for your support, I am running for Lil Miss Skopabsh for 2010-2011 I am a jingle dress dancer and I love to dance at powwows. My parents are Tanya and Agustin Rojero. My maternal grandparents are Loretta Moses and Andy Sohappy. My paternal grandparents are Agustin and Esperanza Rojero. My maternal great grandparents are Leah Moses and the late Lonnie Moses. My maternal great grandparents are the late David and Myra Sohappy. I am proud to be Muckleshoot and would be honored to represent my people as Lil Miss Skopabsh for 2010-2011 year. I am selling raffle tickets for \$1.00 each. I have been working very hard to sell these tickets. Once again thank you for your support. If you would like to purchase tickets please contact Tanya Rojero at 253-569-1732





Early Childhood Collaborative Event is Big Hit

Head Start, Birth to Three and the CCDF programs joined forces to provide good times, good food and oh yeah show off some beautiful art made specifically for the new Early Childhood Center! Did we mention that there was a drum making presentation and flower plant station for the kids to explore?

"Our families were showing up in groups, it was heartwarming to see the turnout," says Maria Davalos, the Head Start pre-k teacher.

Head Start has a lot to look forward too. We are moving soon and are very excited about sharing space with Birth to Three and CCDF. All that expertise and knowledge in one place is invaluable. There will be some great things going on.

Do you have something to share, or information that would be beneficial to Head Start families? Please contact Leonie Rodarte at 253-876-2997 or e-mail her at leonie.rodarte@muckleshoot.nsn.us.We would love to add you to our guest speaker directory!











Youth Services Presents...

'School Rocks:

Come get geared up for the school year at the Youth Facility"

School Supplies Distribution Event

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Muckleshoot Youth Facility

38624 172nd Ave. SE • Auburn, WA 98092 Phone: 253-876-3383

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Youth Facility







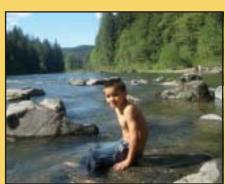


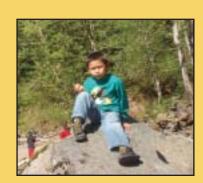
























Muckleshoot Youth Facility



Youth Facility July 2010 Field Trips

Please mark you calendars for the following Youth Facility field trips being offered this July, 2010:

July 7: Les Gove "Summer in the Park," 12:30-5:30p

July 10: Dash Point park & pienie, 12:30-6p

July 17: Movies, 2-6p July 21: Wild Waves (ages 5-7 only), 12:30-6:30p

July 13-16: Camping trip w/Spokane youth (ages 8+only)

July 22: Wild Waves (ages 8+ only), 12:30-6:30p

July 24: Point Defiance Zoo & Aquacium, all day July 28: Odyssey 1, 2-6p

July 311 Steel Lake Park, 12:30-6p

Please stop by the Youth Facility today to pick up an activities calendar and permission slip for your youth to attend these fun field trips in July! Space is limited so please get your youth signed up in advance. Please call us or stop in to see us for details.

Muckleshoot Youth Pacility 38624 172nd Ave. SE ubum, WA 98099

Phone: 253-876-3383



Muckleshoot Youth Services 2010 School Supplies Distribution Dates

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("School Rocks" Event)

Monday, August 23rd: 10am-6pm @ JOM Tuesday, August 24th: 10am-6pm @ JOM Wednesday, August 25th: 10am-6pm @ JOM Thursday, August 26th: 10am-6pm @ JOM

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Please call the Youth Services Reception Desk for more information: 253.876.329

Youth Facility



CALLING ALL YOUTH

The Youth Facility is welcoming all youth between the ages of 5-18 to join our program. The Youth Facility is open Tuesday through Saturday after school and in the evenings. We offer a variety of activities every day from arts \mathcal{E} crafts to recreational games to cultural activities. We also offer homework time every weekday to help you with your homework problems. In addition we regularly go on off site field trips and have monthly Family Fun Nights. All you have to do to join the fun is stop in and fill out an enrollment packet, and let the fun begin!

> For any questions please call us at 253-876-3383.

MIT YOUTH FACILITY 38624 172nd Ave. SE Auburn, WA 98092 Phone: 253-876-3383



MUCKLESHOOT YOUTH FACILITY

>> Hours of Operation

SUNDAY: Closed MONDAY: Closed TUESDAY: 12:30-9:00pm

WEDNESDAY: 12:30-9:00pm THURSDAY: 12:30-9:00pm FRIDAY: 3:30pm-12:00am

SATURDAY: 12:30-9:00pm







5TH graders at Camp Seymour

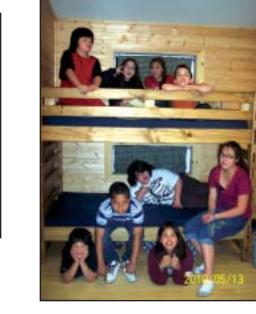
Tribal School 5th graders went to Camp Seymour May 12th-14th. Fun was had by all. Thank you to all that helped fulfill this event. ~ Ms. Leslie LaFountaine





































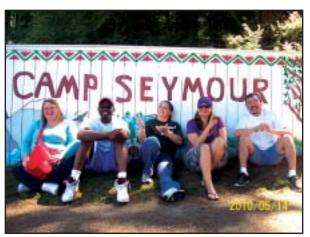














Muckleshoot Wellness Center Running Club "Goes the Distance!"

I woke up on the morning of June 5th with a feeling of trepidation and excitement, trepidation because I was not looking forward to the activity I had planned for the Muckleshoot Wellness Center running club; excitement because after months of rain, the sun was out and it was going to be a beau-

After many weeks of training and preparation, the big day had arrived for our running club to compete in the Rainier to Ruston Rail-Trail Relay. The Rainier to Ruston relay is an annual race that sends runners from Mount Rainier to Commencement Bay; 50 miles of paved and unpaved trails set along the abandoned Northern Pacific Railroad line, from the Carbon River entrance of Mount Rainier National Park to Ruston Way in Tacoma, with stops along the way in Carbonado, Wilkeson, South Prairie, Orting, Puyallup and Fife; needless to say, it was going to be a long day.

Our running club consists of experienced runners and novice runners, myself being one of the novice runners. I have always said I was not a run-





ner, I'm amazed at how easy it is for some people, they can run for an hour with no sweat, literally! If I run 5 minutes, sweat is dripping off my face! When I first started training with the group I couldn't run 2 miles without stopping, but the more I trained the easier it got and before long I was able to run 5 miles without stopping.

We entered two 4-person teams in the relay, The Coyote Clan: Don Brassard, Colleen Crossett, Jessica Neumann and Caryn Avila and The Wolf Pack: Randall Creek, Nicole Smith, Ann Bettencourt (me), and Rachelle Kanning. The Coyote Clan consisted of the more experienced runners who are very competitive and wanted to win while the Wolf Pack were runners that just wanted to finish!

With a clang of a bell, the race began at 8:00 AM with our first runners on the trail. On relay runs, the rest of the team drive ahead of the runner to meet up at the designated checkpoint to "hand off" (touch hands) with the next runner. There were 12 legs about 4.5 miles each, split between the runners for an average of 13 miles per person. The first leg is not so bad, but after you rest and get out there to run again, your legs don't want to cooper-

The Coyote Clan placed 4th with a time of 7:13.31, they were only 4 minutes behind the 3rd place finisher. The Wolf Pack placed 7th, finishing 1 hour and 45 minutes behind the Coyote Clan with a time of 8:58.39. I am surprised I am saying this but I had fun, this race is an experience I will never forget, and I am looking forward to running in this race again next year.

The Muckleshoot Wellness Center Running Club meets Wednesdays and Fridays at @ 5:15 for group runs and plan on participating in upcoming races, for more information on joining our running club contact Ann @ 253-333-3616 ext. 3711 or ann.bettencourt@muckleshoot-health.com



2010 **Salmon Survivor Program Muckleshoot Health and Wellness Center**

They out swam, out played, and out lasted the Salmon Survivor program that was offered at the Muckleshoot Health and Wellness Center. 15 participants started the swim journey on April 26th and met ten challenges that simulated a salmon's journey from the rivers to the ocean. Every Monday and Wednesday night the participants met challenges: swimming underwater with arm floats, solving puzzles and riddles, memory games, swimming challenges, and having fun testing their skills in order to meet the next challenge.

On May 26th there were twelve participants who survived the five week challenge. The survivors are:

Josiah Moses Josh Avila Elijah Moses Caryn Avila Rachelle Kanning Miguel Avila Brandon Kanning Andrea Moses Chris Bettencourt Sheylynn Lozier Don Bettencourt Dylan Brown.

Out of the twelve, three had perfect attendance: Andrea Moses, Josh Avila and Caryn Avila. Our youth champion was Josh Avila, woman's champion Rachelle Kanning, and men's champion Don Bettencourt. The overall champion was Don Bettencourt with the most total points.

The Muckleshoot Health and Wellness Center would like to congratulate everyone for their participation and we are looking forward to next year's event being even bigger and better!



RELAY FOR LIFE. Tribal member Cathy Calvert was among the hundreds that walked in the recent Relay for Life in Enumclaw. The event is sponsored by the American Cancer Society.

"Your Suggestions Count"

The Muckleshoot Health & Wellness Center offers "suggestion boxes" where guests can fill out forms to share thoughts, comments or suggestions. The purpose of these forms is to help us improve the quality of services offered to the community. These forms are not 'incident reports", but rather confidential and private opportunities to share your thoughts on what we are doing well or on ways we might improve.

The suggestion boxes are located in each reception area and the main lobby of the building. The feedback forms are located next to the boxes. The boxes are checked at least twice a month by the Facilities Secretary and then delivered directly and confidentially to the appropriate department manager. Suggestions are then discussed privately at Quality Improvement committee meetings.

If possible, please provide contact information on the suggestion form so the appropriate manager can contact you to address your particular suggestion or area of concern. Again, this would be a confidential and private conversation.

We want to hear from you. Please take a moment to stop by the Health & Wellness Center and fill out a suggestion form today. Your thoughts matter!

Thank you



Help in Quitting Smoking!



The Muckleshoot Health & Wellness Center uses and endorses the Washington State Quitline to assist in stopping smoking.

Call 1-800-QUITNOW for free and effective help in quitting smoking.

Having a problem with pain pills? Does your life revolve around pills?

If pills control you instead of you controlling the pills...... Suboxone (Sub-ox-own) referrals and treatment now available @ HWC!

Help for prescription pain medication dependence is now being offered through the Health and Wellness Center. Suboxone is also used in the treatment of other opiate-based or synthetic opiate drug dependence. These drugs include: Oxycodone/Oxycontin, Hydrocodone, Vicodin, Heroin, and Morphine.

SUBOXONE is the first opioid medication approved under Drug Addiction Treatment Act (DATA) 2000 for the treatment of opioid dependence in an office-based setting. The primary active ingredient in SUBOXONE is buprenorphine.

SUBOXONE at the appropriate dose can:

- Reduce illicit opioid use
- Help patients stay in treatment
- Suppress symptoms of withdrawal
- Decrease cravings for opioids

The Health and Wellness Center has a medical provider licensed to prescribe suboxone.

For more information please contact Behavioral Health at

Women's Cancer **Survivors Meeting**



EVERY TUESDAY 6:30 to 7:30 PM

RIVER ROOM



Muckleshoot Health & Wellness Center All women welcome. For information call the Wellness Center

253-939-6648

Health & Wellness Center Program Hours

Pharmacy Wellness Center Monday 8-5 pm 8-6 pm 8am-8 pm **Tuesday** 8-5 pm 8-6 pm 8am-8 pm Wednesday 9-5 pm 9-6 pm 9am-8 pm **Thursday** 8-5 pm 8-6 pm 8am-8 pm 8am-7 pm Friday 8-5 pm 8-6 pm Saturday 10 am-2 pm Sunday **All Programs Closed**

Program Name	Phone No.	Closed-Lunch
Main Number to HWC	(253) 939-6648	12:00-1:00
Behavioral Health	(253) 804-8752	Open
(Mental Health & Chemical Dep)		
CHS/Registration Office	(253) 939-6648	12:00-1:00
Community Health/CHRs	(253) 939-6648	12:00-1:00
Dental Clinic	(253) 939-2131	12:00-1:00
Medical Clinic	(253) 939-6648	12:00-1:00
Optical Clinic	(253) 939-6648	12:00-1:00
Pharmacy	(253) 333-3618	Open
Recovery House	(253) 333-3629	Open
Wellness Center	(253) 333-3616	Open
WIC Thurs Only 8-4:30	(253) 939-6648	12:00-1:00

Health & Wellness Center Program Closures for July & August 2010

<u>Day</u> <u>Date</u> Times Closed Reason for Closure

August 5th 8-9:30 Monthly All Staff Meeting Thursday

ARE YOU IN TREATMENT & RECOVERY FOR CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY?

ACUPUNCTURE CAN HELP YOUR OTHER TREATMENTS WORK EVEN BETTER.

IF YOU HAVE PROBLEMS LIKE THESE:

ANXIETY INSOMNIA CRAVINGS DEPRESSION LOW ENERGY POOR MEMORY



GIVE ACUPUNCTURE A TRY. IT IS RELAXING AND PAINLESS.

Hours: Tuesday & Wednesday 8am – 5pm Physical Therapy Department/Health & Wellness Center

(253) 333-3620

CLIP AND SAVE

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8:00 pm	No Pick-Up	8:10 pm		8:27 pm	8:32 pm	8:37 pm	8:41 pm

The Optical Department at the HWC!





The eyeglass benefits are the same as they've always been. One comprehensive eye exam once every 12 months. New lenses once every 12 months. Adults eyeglass frames once every 2 years/children 2 per year.

If you are not eligible for the frame allowance, you will be allowed to purchase the frames at a very reasonable price. (Believe me there is a significant mark up when you buy frames in town/private practice!). No eyeglass benefits will be approved outside of the MHWC optical department. We are also offering contact lenses and necessary supplies for contacts.

The Optical Department is a Tribally-owned business. Patients must meet CHS eligibility requirements to get optical services. CHS eligible patients will need to obtain a PO from the CHS office before getting optical services.

For more information, please contact the CHS Office -(253) 939-6648. Optical Department open regular HWC business hours.

Grief is painful and at times the pain seems unbearable, now is the time to seek support!

Grief and Loss Support Group

with Dr. Sarlak @ the Muckleshoot Health & Wellness **Behavioral Health Program Every Thursday** 5:00 pm - 6:30pm

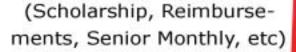
Open for everyone, please call Muckleshoot BHP for further questions.

253-804-8752

ATTENTION TRIBAL MEMBERS

Bank of America now only requires 1 piece of ID to cash Per Capita checks. This can be your Tribal ID or any other state issued ID.

Please note: All other checks issued by the Tribe still require 2 pieces of ID.



Please let other Tribal members know of this change. If you have any questions, you may contact Heather Evans at 253-876-3189.

BEHAVIOR HEALTH PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT:

The Behavioral Health reception window is now open throughout the lunch hour (12:00 to 1:00 pm) so that we will be better able to serve our clients and the community. Please feel free to stop by to schedule appointments and to drop off/pick up paperwork. If you have any questions, please call us at:

(253) 804-8752

CONTRACT HEALTH SERVICE (CHS) **NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS**

CHS OFFICE (253) 939-6648

- Notify CHS office before any non-emergent services are rendered to determine patient eligibility, medical priority and to set aside funds for payment. Pre –authorization is mandatory and failure to comply is reason for denial of payment for claim(s).
- In true medical emergencies, notify the CHS office within seventy two (72) hours of start of services. Failure to comply is reason for denial of payment of claim(s).
- Prior notification does not guarantee CHS cay pay for services, unless all other CHS requirements are met. There are some services CHS can not cover.

ALTERNATE RESOURCE REQUIREMENTS:

Muckleshoot CHS is a residual resource and not an entitlement program. In addition to CHS, other resources for health care are available from various state, and federal programs, as well as individual and group health insurance policies. By federal law, CHS must ensure that all resources, where and when applicable, are utilized before CHS can assume financial responsibility for your care.

This means that CHS will not be authorized if you are eligible or would be eligible upon making an application for an alternate resource such as: Medicare (over age 65 or disabled at any age), Medicaid (medical coupons), crippled children or have private insurance etc. Failure to comply with a CHS office referral to an alternate resource will terminate your CHS coverage. You are required to use these benefits as your first source of payment of your medical-related costs.

The CHS office is required, as per IHS Federal Rules and Regulations, which requires all CHS denials to patients be sent by certified mail to the address on file.

Notice:

In an effort to better serve you better, we are making some changes to the walk-in clinic and medication refill guidelines. These changes took affect *Dec.* 15th, 2008 and include:

- Walk-in Clinic at 1 pm M-F will be seen based on medical need—not on a first come, first serve basis.
- Patients presenting for walk-in will be checked on their Registration status. If necessary, you will need to update your application.
- The walk-in clinic will no longer be used for pain medication refills. Please see your provider for refills.
- Lost or stolen narcotics will no longer be refilled.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation as we continue to look for ways to improve our services for you and your family.

Health & Wellness Center (HWC) Patient Code of Conduct

Some of you may or may not be aware that the HWC has a Patient Code of Conduct. This information is posted in all waiting room areas of the HWC.

Illegal activity is addressed within the HWC Patient Code of Conduct that was adopted by the Tribal Council in May 2003. The policy is enforced. Illegal activity will immediately suspend the patient from all services at the HWC for a minimum of two years and/or up to possible permanent suspension. In addition to this, it is the policy of the HWC to contact local law enforcement. Formal charges will be filed and will need to be addressed by the patient on a personal level. In addition to suspension of HWC services, below are the legal ramifications of attempting to pass a forged medical prescription. The penalties described

below are for obtaining prescriptions fraudulently and possessing them for personal consumption.

- Forgery such as altering a prescription
- Criminal impersonation filling someone else's prescription by pretending to be them.
- Unlawful possession of a controlled substance.

All of these are Class "C" felonies with a maximum fine of \$10,000 and five (5) years in prison.

If you are having an alcohol or drug abuse problem, contact the Behavioral Health Department at (253) 804-8752.

RCW 9A.60.020Forgery.

- (1) A person is guilty of forgery if, with intent to injure or defraud:
- (a) He falsely makes, completes, or alters a written instrument or;
- (b) He possesses, utters, offers, disposes of, or puts off as true a written instrument which he knows to be forged.
- (2) In a proceeding under this section that is related to an identity theft under RCW 9.35.020, the crime will be considered to have been committed in any locality where the person whose means of identification or financial information was appropriated resides, or in which any part of the offense took place, regardless of whether the defendant was ever actually in that locality.
 - (3) Forgery is a class C felony.

RCW 9A.60.010 Definitions.

The following definitions and the definitions of RCW 9A.56.010 are applicable in this chapter unless the context otherwise requires:

- (1) "Written instrument" means: (a) Any paper, document, or other instrument containing written or printed matter or its equivalent; or (b) any access device, token, stamp, seal, badge, trademark, or other evidence or symbol of value, right, privilege, or identification;
- (2) "Complete written instrument" means one which is fully drawn with respect to every essential feature thereof;
- (3) "Incomplete written instrument" means one which contains some matter by way of content or authentication but which requires additional matter in order to render it a complete written instrument;
- (4) To "falsely make" a written instrument means to make or draw a complete or incomplete written instrument which purports to be authentic, but which is not authentic either because the ostensible maker is fictitious or because, if real, he did not authorize the making or drawing thereof;

(5) To "falsely complete" a written instrument means to transform an incomplete written instrument into a complete one by adding or inserting matter, without the authority of anyone entitled to grant it;

- (6) To "falsely alter" a written instrument means to change, without authorization by anyone entitled to grant it, a written instrument, whether complete or incomplete, by means of erasure, obliteration, deletion, insertion of new matter, transposition of matter, or in any other manner;
- (7) "Forged instrument" means a written instrument which has been falsely made, completed, or altered.

9A.60.040

Criminal impersonation in the first degree.

(1) A person is guilty of criminal impersonation in the first degree if the person:

- (a) Assumes a false identity and does an act in his or her assumed character with intent to defraud another or for any other unlawful purpose; or
- (b) Pretends to be a representative of some person or organization or a public servant and does an act in his or her pretended capacity with intent to defraud another or for any other unlawful purpose.
 - (2) Criminal impersonation in the first degree is a class C felony.

RCW 69.50.4013 Possession of controlled substance — Penalty.

- (1) It is unlawful for any person to possess a controlled substance unless the substance was obtained directly from, or pursuant to, a valid prescription or order of a practitioner while acting in the course of his or her professional practice, or except as otherwise authorized by this chapter.
- (2) Except as provided in RCW 69.50.4014, any person who violates this section is guilty of a class C felony punishable under chapter 9A.20 RCW.

Class C Felony

Not more than five years; or a fine of \$10,000, both such imprisonment and fine.

Notice to All CHS Eligible Patients

If you received a PO from the CHS office and now you are receiving a medical bill or statement, please bring them to the CHS office for review. This will ensure timely payment to your provider.

As always, you must obtain a PO # prior to your medical appointment and call us if you cancel or reschedule your appointment.

CHS Office Hours: Monday – Friday, 8am – 5pm Closed for Lunch 12pm – 1pm Phone: 253-939-6648

Important Phone Numbers

Emergency - 911

NON EMERGENCY- 206 296 3311If you need the on duty deputy to call or contact you.

KCSO/MITPD Office -253 876 3246- Administrative questions

Silent Witness- 253 876 2850 – Anonymous tip line



*Two 30 minute massage appointments
Now Available Daily!!!

*Same day appointments often available!

*Great for stress relief

*All eligible members welcome

Muckleshoot Massage Therapy Mon - Friday 8am - 5pm Closed 12 - 1 daily for lunch 253-333-3620

24-HOUR CRISIS LINE 1-866-4-CRISIS

Youth Family Planning Resources

The following area services are available for teens and youth:

Teen Clinic at Auburn Public Health

Location: 20 Auburn Ave. (at 1st & B St.), Auburn, WA 98002

(across from the hospital)

Phone: (253) 833-8352

Times: Walk-in Clinic is on Tuesdays from 1-5 pm (check-in begins at 12:30). Patients are seen on a first come, first serve basis. For any other days or times, call ahead for same day or next day appointments

Cost: Low cost or free. You may be eligible for some free insurance called *Take Charge*. Medical coupons are also accepted.

Services: birth control, family planning, STD checks, pregnancy testing, HIV testing, Pap test & annual exam, counseling, etc. Services are available for youth through age 21. Most teens receive free family planning through the *Take Charge* program.

***All services are confidential. Parental consent is not required.*Transportation: Busses—152, 154, 180, 181, 915, 917, 919, 564, 565

Cedar River Clinics

The above services are also available through the Cedar River Clinics.

Locations:

4300 Talbot Rd. S. #403, Renton, WA 98055 1401-A Martin Luther King Jr. Way, Tacoma, WA 98405 **Phone:** 1(800) 572-4223 or (425) 255-0471

Online: www.CedarRiverClinics.org

Email: outreach@CedarRiverClinics.org

Birth Control Comparison Information:

www.Birth-Control-Comparison.info

Sex Education Information Online: www.sexetc.org (a web site by teens for teens); www.iwannaknow.org (answers to questions about teen sexual health); www.scarleteen.com (sex education information)

**All services private and confidential

Kent Teen Clinic

Location: Phone:

613 W. Gowe St., Kent, WA 98032 (206) 296-7450

Phone: (206) 296-745

*Serves youth through age 20
**All services private and confidential

NOTICE REGARDING CHILDREN'S GIFT CARDS

This is a notice to tribal members who have direct deposit that their children's gift cards will be distributed on the first two days of per capita in December. The last opportunity will be on the following week on Tuesday 12/14.

This notice will be published every month until November.



We need a few volunteers for upcoming concerts for elders fundraising!!



Please feel free to sign up at the senior center

Muckleshoot Senior Center - July 2010





Martin WhiteEagle 07/04 Jan Maurice 07/05 Lilly Jansen 07/06 Wilma Cabanas 07/08 Loretta Williams 07/09 Earl Taylor 07/10 Rosette Cross 07/13 Virginia Moses 07/16 John Spencer 07/16 Lisa James 07/17 Merle Barr 07/18 Doug Moses 07/18 Georgiana Elkins 07/19 Teri Starr 07/21 Cindy Williams 07/25 Eva Solomen 07/25 Julius Jake 07/25 James Cross 07/26 Pearl Suchan 07/26 Rita Martin 07/27 Laurie Starr 07/29 Miralee Lopez 07/30 Phyllis Bowden 07/30 Lynn Davis 07/30 Joyce Starr 07/30

Wishing you all a Happy Birthday



Elders Luncheons

We went all to Swinimosh it was a nice trip for lunch. Next trip we will be heading to Lummi for their elders who want to "Rock" is their theme. Luncheon is on July 9th 2010 this should be a nice drive and a long day well spent out with elders.

Canoe Journey

Canoe journey departure date for elders will be attending will be July 19th to the 23rd 2010. We well have a week of memories for more information please call us here at Sr. Center. Limited spaces available so please sign up early to attend this event.

F.Y.I we will be staying at the Tyee

Casino Breakfast

We still are doing our monthly casino breakfast the last Saturday of the month even if it is everyone's busy month for traveling and enjoying the weather

July will be on the 28th please plan to attend breakfast starts at 9:00 in the Spice buffet not in the back in the Chinook room any longer

We like to thank Job core for attending out during our time to pick cedar. You are more than welcome to attend with us clam digging this year also. You are all lot of help and we enjoy your company.



Lunch run reminders if you know you will not be home please call us by 11:00 a.m this is very much appreciated!

Upcoming concerts

Concert signup sheet is located here at the senior center for Indian taco sale at the White River Amphitheater.

We appreciate your help and donation to make this a successful event. Concert list are as followed remaining for this year

Saturday July 24 2010 Toby Keith 7:30 p.m.

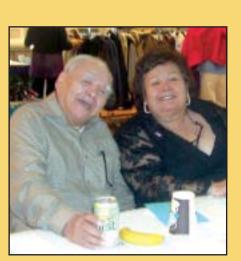
Saturday Aug. 7, 2010 Rush time Machine Tour 7:30 p.m.

Saturday Aug. 28, 2010 Fast Lane Access: Pain in the Grass 1:00 p.m.

Tuesday Sept. 14, 2010 Jonas Brothers, Demi Lovato and Friends from Camp Rock 7:00 p.m.

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MEMORIAL DAY DINNER

The dinner is held annually to honor those from Muckleshoot that made the supreme sacrifice during war. Included in the honoring were those veterans who served, but are now passed on. The Dinner was held at the Muckleshoot Pentecostal Church.

Melvin Ross was the first to be killed in action during World War II. He was killed on May 31, 1944 in Italy. Second was Melvin's first cousin, Chet Courville who was killed a week later on June 6, 1944 during the combat jump into Normandy on D-Day. The last to be killed in action was Turner Martin in Germany on March 24, 1945. Turner was the grandson of Chief Phillip Starr.

In the Korean War, Phillip Starr lost another grandson. He was Larry P. James who was killed in action on September 24, 1950. Larry served with the 5th Regiment of the First Cavalry Division. Larry's brother, Russell James was also remembered at the Dinner. Russell served with the 2nd Infantry Division as spent over two years as a prisoner of war during the Korean War.

The Colors were presented by the Inter-Tribal Warrior Society. Warrior Society Vice Chairman Sonny Bargala was the Master-of-Ceremonies. Sonny thanked Walter Pacheco for doing all the hard work to see that the dinner was a success.

The invocation was given by Warrior Society Chaplain Warren Gohl. Warren is a retired Army Chief Warrant Officer, and served as a Combat Infantryman in Vietnam. The dinner blessing was given by Phillip Hamilton.

Also remembered on this day, were the following tribal and community members:

WORLD WAR I

Dominic Jerry Dominic, US Army John Eggar, Us Army Jim Moses, US Army Hank Shaw, US Navy; Truman Starr, US Army Harry Bargala, Miwok Benjamin Keeline, Cheyanne Coleridge Fowler, Suquamish

WORLD WAR II

Donna Mae Brownfield, USCG Pun Courville, US Army Dutch Daniels, US Army Ted Daniels, US Army Julius (Skinny) Daniels, US Army Hank Hamilton, US Navy Archie Lobehan, US Army - Purple Heart Buddy Lozier, US Army Henry Martin, US Army Bert (Buttons) Moses, US Army Harold (Blodgett) Moses, US Army – Combat Medic Stanley Moses, US Army – Purple Heart Tunney Nelson, US Army

Harold (Frog) Price, US Army Ernie Purcell, US Army Marvin Ross, US Army Georgie Starr, US Army Benjamin Starr, US Army Jimmy Wilson, US Army Ed Baker, Colville Ray Barr, Snoqualmie Ernie Barr, Snoqualmie Elmer Berries Bert Ford, Nooksack Andy Hoptowit, Yakima

Herman Goudy, Yakima – Purple Heart Donald Jerry, Snoqualmie Walter Pacheco, Sr John Young, Puyallup

Richard Williams, Upper Skagit



KOREA

Richard Calvert – Us Navy John Daniels, Sr – Us Army Russell James – Us Army - Ex-Prisoner of War Henry Kinggeorge – Us Army Clifford Martin – Us Army James Maurice – Us Army Acey Moses – Us Army Harvey Starr – Us Army – Purple Heart Norman Eyle, Yakima Bobby James, Siletz Charlie Sneatlum, Tulalip Fred Thomas, Sauk Suiattle Buddy Williams, Yakima

VIETNAM

Terry Daniels – US Marine Corps Lester Hoffer – US Marine Corps Jimmy Starr – US Army

VIETNAM ERA

Ralph Whiteeagle – Us Army Melvin Starr - Yakima

COLD WAR

James Barr Jr., US Army Larry Calvert, US Army Beetle Starr, US Army Head Starr, US Army Lawrence Starr, US Army Snapper Starr, US Army Vernon Starr, US Army Jimmy Tom, US Army Ronny Brown, Tulalip

After the honoring of passed tribal and community Veterans, the Inter-Tribal Warrior Society retired the Colors.

This year's Memorial Day Dinner had the largest turnout ever! Thank you to the community for making this dinner a real success; and again, thank you Walter Pacheco for all your hard work and contributions.

Billy Frank receives Wilderness Society's Highest Honor

WASHINGTON - The Wilderness Society recently bestowed its highest citizen's honor, the Robert Marshall Award, on Billy Frank, Jr., of Olympia, Washington. A Nisqually tribal elder and chairman of the Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission for 30 years, Frank has been a pioneering leader in the fight to protect Pacific salmon runs and the Indian treaty rights to those salmon.

"Billy's success on behalf of the tribes of the Northwest is legendary," said Wilderness Society President William H. Meadows. "In a room full of state fisheries biologists, lawyers, and policy makers, the Northwest tribes often were the lone voice advocating fishery habitat protection, and it all started with Billy Frank. He understood the link between sound forest management and healthy salmon stocks, and he was a valuable ally in the long campaign to protect roadless areas in our national forests." His efforts were the subject of a book by Charles Wilkinson, Messages from Frank's Land-

"His work to save Pacific salmon was to save his people whose livelihoods and cultures have always depended on the salmon and its habitat," said David Getches, dean of the University of Colorado School of Law and a member of The Wilderness Society's Governing Council. "Billy's lifelong work as a caretaker of the natural world and bridge builder to many different constituencies makes him a deserving recipient of this award."

The award goes to a person who has devoted long-term service to conservation, and who has had a notable influence in fostering an American land ethic. Marshall founded The Wilderness Society in 1935 along with A Sand County Almanac author Aldo Leopold, Appalachian Trail creator Benton MacKaye, and five other conservation leaders. Marshall was a prominent thinker and leader in the wilderness movement in the 1920s and 1930s.

"I am deeply honored to receive the Robert Marshall Award," said Frank. "Bob knew that cooperation is the pathway to preserving and protecting our wild places and natural resources. Only by working together-all of uscan we be successful in our efforts today and in the challenges that lie ahead."

Frank is the 25th winner of the award. joining an elite group that includes Pulitzer Prize-winning author Wallace Stegner, Terry Tempest Williams, Arnold Bolle, former EPA head Russell Peterson, and Mardy Murie.

The Wilderness Society is the leading public-lands conservation organization working to protect wilderness and inspire Americans to care for our wild places. Founded in 1935, and now with more than 500,000 members and supporters, The Wilderness Society has led the effort to perma-



Billy Frank Jr.

nently protect 110 million acres of wilderness and to ensure sound management of our shared national lands.

- Wilderness Society news release

Auburn Parks and Recreation Youth soccer 2010

Grade/League many per side how

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Kindergarten-1st grade: boys/girls 3-a-side 2nd-3rd grade: boys/girls 5-a-side 4th-5th grade: boys/girls 9-a-side 6th-8th grade: boys/girls 11-a-side

When:

The soccer program with the auburn parks & rec starts September 11th, 2010 for all grade levels, K-1st level ends October 30th, 2010 and grades 2nd- 8th end on November 13th, 2010.

All games will be played at the following: Brannan Park, Game Farm Park, or the YMCA fields on Saturdays between 9am and 4pm.





EMERGENCY: 911

OFFICE PHONE NUMBERS Muckleshoot Police/King County Mon-Fri 8:00-4:00 253-876-3246

Auburn Police Mon-Fri 9:00-5:00 253-931-3080

Silent Witness

(Anonymous Tip line): 253-876-2850

ANSWER: The future Tribal Council members are, from left, Donnie Jerry and Mike Jerry Sr., who are pictured with young Jeff Sheldon.

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Tribal Soild Waste Advisory Network

Tribal Solid Waste Advisory Network TSWAN presents Waste Management 101 and CFC Certification

A 12-hour CFC/Freon removal workshop certification workshop, in conjunction with a Waste Management 101 training, was offered by TSWAN in May. Larry Zirkle of Total Reclaim taught the CFC class which included hands on experience, hosted by the Muckleshoot Tribe, who held items at their facilities for the trainings.

The Waste Management 101 class enjoyed a tour of Recovery 1, a Tacoma facility dedicated to recycling and reusing all classes of waste through many ingenious processes and creations. Not only do they market their recyclables, they create some innovative products from the recycled materials and find markets for these also. They have modified much of the equipment they use to their own purposes and created efficient workflow systems that give them

many options for processing items in various ways. They have their own water reclamation and filtration system which recycles their runoff for irrigation and dust control. This was an educational tour.

Other classes included an Energy Efficiency class in which new and innovative techniques for building more energy efficient homes and offices was presented. A Recycling and Waste Reduction panel from TSWAN member tribes gave presentations on what their facilities are doing to recycle. A



emphasized detection and testing hazardous building materials and what

to do whenever you find it. This was followed by a presentation on

green building presentations provided more information on products and options being used to maximize efficiencies in new construction and renovations. CDL Wastes, Recycling and Handling of Hazardous Wastes presentation

> preparing Hazardous Waste for disposal. And, the Muckleshoot Tribe hosted a hands-on "waste sort and characterization" event at their facilities for the group. During the final day of the classes, the attendants learned

about Brownfields and their reclamation. A fascinating presentation on large scale Composting, as well as

presentations on Climate Change and Greenhousing were also offered. The final class was a presentation on what E-Waste is, what and why it is hazardous with a hands-on demonstration on how to prepare it for recycling.



TSWAN Tours Spokane & Colville Tribal Waste Management Facilities

The June meeting of TSWAN required an extra day as members toured the transfer and landfill facilities of both the Spokane Indian Tribe, and those of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Indians. An early departure from Spokane took the entourage to the newly constructed Transfer station at Wellpinit on the Spokane Reservation. Although the tribe has their station and scales in place, they are still working on contracting with haulers willing to come the distance necessary to work with them. In the meantime, the dumping site is not controlled and open to the public so anyone can just come in and dump in any manner. This means a mixed waste stream in which





refrigerants and electronic waste is dumped along with household garbage, clothing, etc. It is a worst case scenario for waste managers, with the largest hurdle being finding adequate funding to address the entire situation.

After leaving the Spokane Indian Reservation, the tour traveled to Gifford where they took the ferry across the Columbia River to Inchelium. There a delicious lunch had been prepared by a group of women known for their dedication to community service as Heaven's Hands. The tour then viewed the well organized Inchelium Transfer Station and then on north to the Nespelem Transfer Station. Our tour found the Tribal Recycling Warehouse to be very orderly with much progress being made on efforts to store materials until full bales can be compacted. The recycling manager, Joaquin Bustamante, is also working with Environmental Fibers of Portland, Oregon, to store bales until full loads can be hauled, thereby capitalizing on the best price possible for recyclables. It was discussed at a presentation the next day how EFI would like to help the tribes in TSWAN work



together to manage their recyclables in order to send more full loads of ONE item instead of mixed loads which do not get the premium prices. The key to this is tribes having large enough storage capacity to hold bales for the full load prices, even if getting a full load means hauling to each other, or having items picked up at several different tribe's locations. Home baked refreshments were enjoyed on a tailgate at the facility. After a stop at the

Chief Joseph Monument in Nespelem, the day ended in Omak.

The tour returned to Nespelem Longhouse the following morning for the June Meeting of TSWAN, hosted by the Confederated Tribes of Colville Indians. Programs on the Tribal Recycling Facility and a recycling program started in the Inchelium School District were presented. Tribal updates were provided by the member tribes present. Lunch was provided by the Colville Tribal Planning, Solid Waste Enforcement and Recycling Programs. Joaquin Bustamante, Phillip Barnaby and Eddy Hanway and the helping hands of Anna "Panda" Francis Jack, served a delicious lunch, including some traditional

native faire like camas roots, and

bitterroot with huckleberries.

Presentations in the afternoon included one by Jerry Hebert from Northwest Indigenous Energy Coop in Poulsbo, WA regarding their portable Cool Plasma Gasification technology which will convert waste products into viable energy, like electricity. Richard Roberts of Environmental Fibers International [EFI Recycling] out of Portland,OR gave a presentation on the various ways they have available to work with tribes on their recycling programs. He encouraged the members of TSWAN to work together to get the most return on their recyclables. For more information on their business, their webpage is: www.envirofiber.com.

Gifts generously donated by area businesses, as well as shirts, packs and windbreakers provided by the Colville Confederated Tribes, were given to all present.

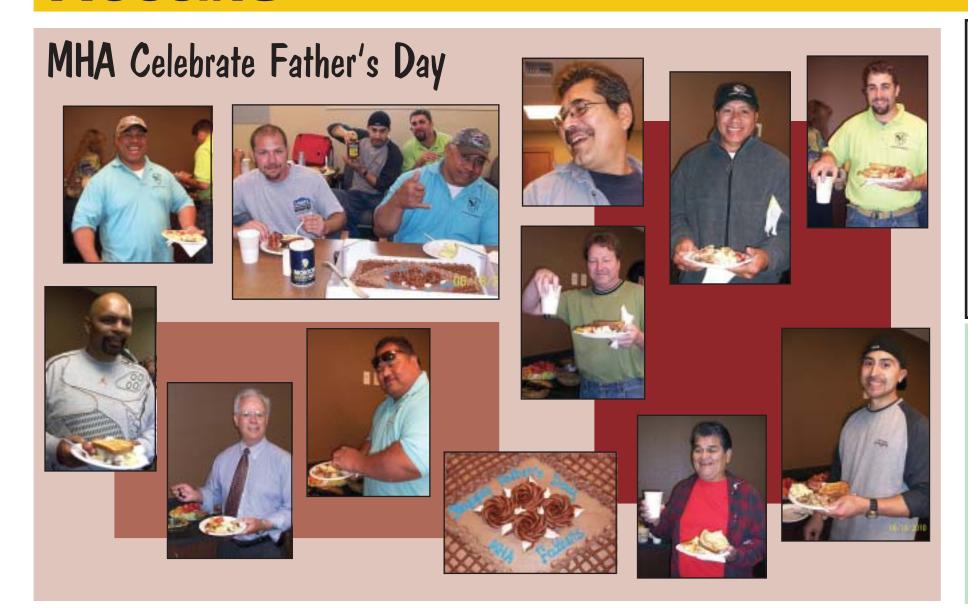
Snoqualmie Nation Hosts Meth ID Training

The Snoqualmie Tribe's Environmental and Natural Resources Department continues to work with The Tribal Solid Waste Advisory Network (TSWAN). Through TSWAN, we have participated in meetings and trainings intended to assist Tribes with Solid Waste issues unique to Indian country. One such training is the Meth Lab Awareness Training in March, 2010. This Training was hosted jointly by the Snoqualmie Tribe and TSWAN and was taught by the University of Washington and the Washington State Patrol. The Meth Lab training was offered to Snoqualmie Tribal Staff who work in the field and may come into contact with meth labs or meth waste. The training was also offered to Tribal staff throughout the region. Staff from tribes in Washington, Idaho, Oregon and Alaska attended.

Submitted by Cindy Spiry



Housing



MHA Employee of the Month

Housing is very blessed to have very dedicated employees. This month's employee of the month is someone who stands for dedication and then some. She is the go-to person for employees when they need answers right away. If she doesn't know it, she will get it for you. She will brighten your day with a joke

Congratulations, Shauneen.



when you're down or having a bad day. She is a beautiful person inside and out and Housing is blessed.



new elders home.

LETTERS FROM LOCKUP

A Note From Mike Gulla Jr.

Please allow me to take this time to let all my family, friends, and fellow Muckleshoots subscribed to our monthly paper to know I've moved institutions and am now in Aberdeen. My Clallam Bay address is void, so if you've tried to write me there I'm sorry. I couldn't write you individually, so I hope you're as devoted to our tribal paper as I, and see from my pictures I've shared with you I try to remain in high spirits. A lot of that's thanks to my Native Brothers. Please allow me to extend my love and respect to those who may see this paper while walking the Red Road. Especially my cousin, Thadeous, who went east of the mountains.

I was just a week too late, but I have faith we'll meet down the road. Maybe at the Ridge, but wherever it is, remain as strong as I know you are and you'll be out of there in no time. FYI, Shane Deuce and I are posted. He says, "Hi." To all my relations, I look forward to hearing from you now that you have my correct addressing information. Before I end this, I'd like to take this opportunity to thank you for the exceptional job you do publishing our tribal paper. I praise it as one of, if not the best, tribal papers in the state, and I've seen a lot in here to compare it to.

Always in a good way, Michael Gulla Doc #315728 Stafford Creek Correction Center 191 Constantine Way Aberdeen, WA 98520

A Drunk Brother Say'n "Sorry"

I'm getting released again. Was I guilty? I don't know. They say I was, so I did my little bit of time. I didn't think my drinking was all that bad. I was slowing down and thought I was getting better and I was going to put myself back into an inpatient treatment for more help, and I was too late and hurt myself and family, but most of all my brother.

I quit smoking weed and crack years ago. Also, I stopped taking pills and snorting them. That was easy, but why is it so hard to stop drinking? I don't know. Maybe because I started so young. I can quit for awhile but I start again and just keep going for a bit, but things can change. Just maybe I can do good this time. I'm going away again for a little while. Inpatient.

I just hope my brother isn't mad at me for what I did that night because I don't know what happened and I don't know why it did.

Sorry, Bro.

C. Jansen

The Trail of Broken Homes

Never give up on each other and heal the shame that binds us. Families need to stick together. Our children depend on us parents not giving up and holding the family together. Please, families and marriage are not a mistake. Don't give up on each other.

Hello everyone on Muckleshoot. Man, another round of jail. Well, that's what happens when you don't do what you're told by a bigger entity than you. DOC does not go away until you are finished. I'm living proof. But I do not regret the fact that I was always there for my family and never abandoned them, no matter how much the judge wanted me to stay away. They wanted me home and I couldn't say no to the people who are most important to me in my life. That is my beautiful wife, Mary, and our four beautiful children, Azela who is 9, Robby Jr. who is 8, Richie who is 7, and our newest addition, little baby Loretta, born March 8th, 2010. She is almost 3 months now and is named after her loving grandma.

My wife, Mary, and myself prayed for a family and we got one, and also got the exact number and gender of children we wanted. That is two girls and two boys; a total of four. What a gift from God our family is. I would never trade them in for anything. I don't care how bad things got, my love for them is stronger than all the bad in the world. Love has

I haven't always made the right choices in life, but I always loved my family no matter what I did. It was hard to stay away from my family because they wanted me so much. How could I deny my wife and children who needed and loved me? I couldn't. I loved them, too. No matter the cost, I was there.

Since 2005 to now I have done three years or more on no-contact order violations. This time I got caught in front of our house. I was cleaning out my truck, getting ready for the next work day. I sure was doing good, too. We just had baby Loretta (who was a week old when I got caught) and I was one month away from the last no-contact order expiring. I was to be off DOC supervision June 6th, 2010 this year.

Then, "Bam!" The sheriffs came from everywhere and I was once more ripped away from my family. We were all traumatized again. Well, this time I didn't get sentenced to prison but to treatment instead. ABHS in Chehalis, Washington. And they took off the burden of the no-contact order that has hindered us for five years and kept us from being the family we always wanted. I was looking forward to my welcome home.

But I am not going to go into details about what is going on out there with my family. All I can say is I love my wife, Mary, very, very much, and of course especially our little children. I have to gain my strength back, not just for myself but for them, as well. It's not too late, especially for my family, who I'll never give up on.

I am young and so is our family and they are too young and too precious to be learning that life is hard and they are just going to have to accept it. No child should grow up hard and see their world split in half because their parents just gave up on each other when times got hard. Only the children suffer.

This happens day in and day out. Parents just giving up on each other because they're too lazy to change and work things out in or they just want to get high and drunk and live the life they think they missed out on and make excuses not to face their wrongs. This action really hurts the children, especially when it's done right in front of them in the middle of their family life. Poor kids. Kids shouldn't have to endure so much.

So still, I am not giving up on my family. And if there is any of you out there even thinking about giving up and splitting up your family because you think it's too hard or you think your mate's not worth it, ask someone for advice first, from an old married couple or get help, please.

Please don't be so heartless to your mate and think they are not worth it, especially if you have a family together. I have not always been the best at forgiving, but please be kind and forgive each other and have 50 wedding anniversaries and watch your heads turn gray and your children's children play. If you catch yourselves starting to hate each other, just hug your asses off and remember why you fell in love and know your love is more important and stronger than the crap you're fighting about. Keep your love stronger than your differences.

And people, please don't turn away when there are families in need. Please have an ear for anyone who is trying to save his/her family life. Have counsel with them. It could save a family if you do. Please reconsider paying your mate back by getting high or drunk and just committing adultery because you're mad at your mate. Please, good people, reconsider having revenge on your spouse just to cause pain. It will only cause pain for everyone and so will just giving up on from guilt or shame.

Our children will learn that this is the way life is and it will become normal to them. Over the years, people have become numb to these family tragedies and just go on about their business like it's no big deal. Almost everyone on Muckleshoot is family. I cannot believe there isn't more support for married couples to stay together. I see a lot of people turn their backs on people over the years when such things were brought up or heard a lot of "leave your spouse, it's easier than trying" because it's the easy way out. In the long run, it's a snowball effect and it rubs off in the community. And in the long run, years from now, the children as well as parents look back and say, "I wish our family would have stuck together. I wish I would have forgave more."

Before all the coulda, woulda, shoulda or the I wish, and saying this years from now, stop it now before you get into all of that and rekindle your love for each other and your family life for your children, especially. Then they will learn how to forgive, to love, to understand, to do the right thing and not give up on life and each other. Not just the drug and alcohol abuse has to stop but the hate abuse has to stop, as well, so the family can heal.

Please be good medicine for each other in marriage, especially for our children and our community. Let's change the cycle and set an example that families do work and show our children parents do stick together. Please stop the trail of broken homes and our family hoops from being turned into a whirlwind of heartache. Let's turn the tables on the devil and do what's right no matter how hard it is.

After the hard work is done you will be happy with what you have not given up on and built. Then you can sit back and be proud of what you accomplished and say, "We did that. We didn't give up on our family." Looking at your happy children all grown up, playing with children of their very own and their marriage and family is working because you knew it was worth it. You gave up on your addictions and your differences and all that hindered you from being a family and not each other.

Please be good people. Stand up and think about the long run. Please. I know you can look back and be happy. I can see it all over the rez. But only if we don't give up. I pray to God everyone will have more heart and more courage in their marriages and families, hold them sacred and not give up on their love for each other and always find a way to work things out. Before pointing the finger, just hug your husband or your wife first if things don't feel right and say, "I love you" to each other and hold each other tight with silence for a minute and listen to your children's laughter. Take a look around your beautiful home and look at all your pictures and history you have made together and ask, "It is worth it?" And say, "Yes, my family is worth it. We are meant to be."

Love is your weapon and has the power to keep it all together. I love you all on Muckleshoot. May the Creator be in your hearts at all times. I will always have a prayer in my heart for the whole community and all of your families, too. For your circles to stay strong with love.

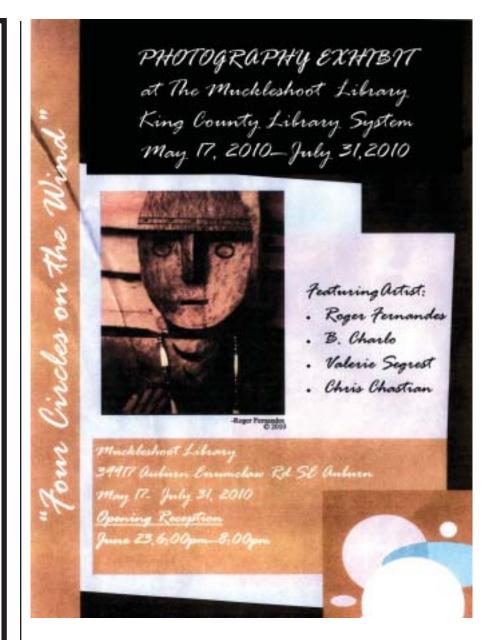
I would like to tell my family I love them all very, very much, as well. As we say, "4-ever & ever with all my heart, Mary, Azela, Robby Jr, Richie, and little Loretta Weed." God bless you all.

Robert Weed

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I learned that in 5th grade. That's family.

If anyone wants to write, write me at: ABHS Robert Weed PO Box 708 Chehalis, WA 98532



New White River Gate Keys – Effective August 1

In order for the Tribe to better control the access to the White River and limit the use to Tribal members only, the Tribe will change the key and lock system to all five gates on August 1, 2010.

Effective **August 1, 2010**, a new lock system will be in place at all five river access locations and your existing keys will no longer open the locks.

Between June 15 and August 1, 2010 all tribal members must come to the Public Works water treatment plant offices located at 39620 176th Lane SE to sign up for a new key. In order to obtain a new key, each member must sign an agreement for the key usage and replacement if lost.

Remember your old key will still work until August 1, 2010, but plan ahead and get your new key well before the August 1, 2010 deadline.

Any questions regarding this issue, please direct them to Dena Starr at Public Works Department (253-876-3147) or Security Department (253-261-7707).

Again, please remember to come in to our new water treatment office (under the water tower) to sign up for your key before August 1.



Muckleshoot King County Library Hours

Monday-Thursday 10am-9pm
Friday 10am-6pm
Saturday 10am-5pm

July 2010 Events at the Muckleshoot Library

39917 Auburn Enumclaw Road, Auburn, WA 98092 253-931-6779

Story Time

SYSTEM

Stories and Strings

Wednesdays July 14 and 28 at 11:00am

Description: Come join us for a rockin' good time of stories,

songs and silliness!

Toddler and Preschool Story Time

Thursdays July 15, 29 at 10:00am

Description: Please join us for stories, sing-alongs and other

fun activities.

Special Children's Program

The Incredible Art of Bubble Magic -

Wednesday, July 21 – 11:00am

Description: Watch in wonder as this award-winning per-

former creates dancing caterpillars, merry-go-rounds and even

square bubbles right before your eyes!

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Public Works Division Community Development



Water System 2010 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report

When Congress passed the 1996 Safe Drinking Water Act amendments, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) was given the mandate to require public water systems to provide each customer with a water quality report every 12 months. This is the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe (MIT) Water System's report and covers the year 2009.

This report is designed to inform you about the water quality and services we deliver to you every day. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water. We want you to understand the efforts we make to continually improve the water treatment process and protect our water resources. We are committed to ensuring the quality of your water.

We are still pleased to report that our drinking water is safe and we are meeting federal requirements.

Our Water System

The Muckleshoot community tribal water system is owned and operated by the tribe. We are pleased to inform you that the new water treatment plant was completed as of January 1, 2010 and is now filtering our water. This system is capable of providing 750,000 gallons of water per day to 265 customers in the tribal area. The water system has a current estimated value of \$10 million and is operated and managed by a staff of three people. The operations staff includes two certified water operators.

Our water source is VASHON OUTWASH AQUIFER. The wells are located in an unconfined-to partially-confined aquifer, comprised primarily of sand and gravel between depths of 190 to 346 feet below ground. The well design uses a stainless steel well screen with 0.030-inch slots to eliminate sand production without inhibiting the flow of water to the well.

Facts on Drinking Water

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity. Contaminants that may be present in source water before we treat it include:

- · Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife.
- Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming.
- Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources, such as agriculture and residential uses.
- · Radioactive contaminants, which are naturally occurring.
- Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can, also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff, and septic systems.

We routinely evaluate our water source(s) to identify any potential sources of contamination.

Water Quality

All drinking water may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

Reporting Period

As required by EPA, MIT Water System is routinely monitored for over 80 contaminants in your drinking water. The table below shows the results of our monitoring for the period of January 1 to December 31, 2009.

Contaminants	Units	MCL EPA Max.	MCLG	MIT Wells	MIT Wells Sample Date		Typical Source of Contaminant	
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Total Coliform Bacteria	ppm	102.11	0			0	Naturally present in the environment	

* New MCL as of Jan. 23, 2006

In the table above you may find many terms and abbreviations you might not be familiar with. To help you better understand these, we've provided the following definitions.

- · Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) The "Maximum Allowed" is the highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water.
- · Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG) The "Goal" is the level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
- Non-Detects (ND) Laboratory analysis indicates that the contaminant is not present.
- · Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/L) One part per million corresponds to one minute in two years, or a single penny in \$10,000.
- · Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter One part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000.

Test Results Explanation

MCLs are set at very stringent levels. To understand the possible health effects described for many regulated



contaminants, a person would have to drink 2 liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a million chance of having the below described health effect.

Since the water treatment plant has been put into operation we have met our MCLG, and are in compliance with the Safe Drinking Water Act of 1996

Note: For the MIT Water System, EPA has granted a waiver of requirements to test for Dioxin. These requirements are waived because the source well does not draw from an area where there are heavy applications of herbicides or pesticides from agricultural practices.

Special Health Concerns

Arsenic: Some people who drink water that contains arsenic in excess of the MCL over many years could experience skin damage or problems with their circulatory system, and may have an increased risk of getting cancer.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immune-compromised persons—such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants—can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA and the Center for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Muckleshoot Utility Department is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to two minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water hotline. Or at www.epa.gov/safewater/lead.com

The MIT Water System was tested for lead, copper and asbestos, but these contaminants were not detected. Some individuals who live in older homes may have plumbing components and fixtures that contain lead and copper. Infants and young children are typically more vulnerable to lead in drinking water. The MIT Water System is tested for lead and copper in its drinking water every year. If you are concerned about the levels in the water you use, you can minimize your exposure by:

- 1. Flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using the water (if the water has been standing in the pipes for several hours).
- 2. Using only cold water for cooking, drinking, and making baby formula.

Additional information is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791).

Commonly Asked Question about Our Water

Why does the water sometimes smell/taste like chlorine? The MIT Water System's treatment process includes the addition of chlorine as a disinfectant to kill bacteria. The drinking water regulations require that we maintain chlorine residual throughout our distribution system. This ensures that disinfecting is accomplished throughout the system. Many factors can influence the level of chlorine in the water. These factors include system maintenance, line flushing, fire hydrant maintenance, water temperature, and the quality of water flowing through the system. Any of these activities may cause you to notice the smell or taste of chlorine. We are now taking steps to better balance the amount of chlorine injected within the system so that these kinds of problems are reduced.

What Is Planned to Improve the Quality of Our Drinking Water.

- · Continued monitoring.
- · Increased testing.
- · Water conservation program.
- · Well head protection

Need More Information?

If you have any questions about this report or about the MIT Water System, please contact Dewey Miller or Todd Nelson at Muckleshoot Utility District. (253) 876 -3030 we want our members to be informed about their water system. If you want to learn more;

Additional water quality information may be obtained from:

Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791) or their web site: http://www.epa.gov.safewater.

American Water Works Association web site: http://www.awwa.org.



40320 Auburn Enumclaw

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12th Annual

Muckleshoot Sobriety Pow Wow

"NATIVES ON A WELLNESS PATH" JULY 23, 24, 25, 2010

LOCATION

Muckleshoot Pow Wow Grounds Auburn, Washington

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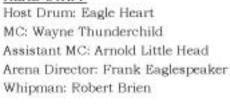
Friday 7:00 p.m.

Saturday 1:00 p.m & 7:00 p.m.

Sunday 12:00 p.m.

Daily Grand Entry Points Taken.

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3rd	\$400.00	3rd	\$400.00	3rd	\$400.00	3rd	\$400.00	3rd	\$300.00	3rd	\$225.00
4th	\$300.00	4th	\$300.00	4th	\$300.00	4th	\$300.00	4th	\$275.00	4th	\$200.00

*Men's Round Bustle for Age 18 & over *Tiny Tots (6 & under) No contest. Must be dancing in Pow Wow regalia. Dance Specials: Men's Grass Dance Special & all other dance specials to be announced

Committee of this event is not responsible for accidents, injuries, short funded travelers, stolen or lost articles or damage to personal property. No Pets will be allowed. Alcohol/Drugs are strictly prohibited and will be enforced.

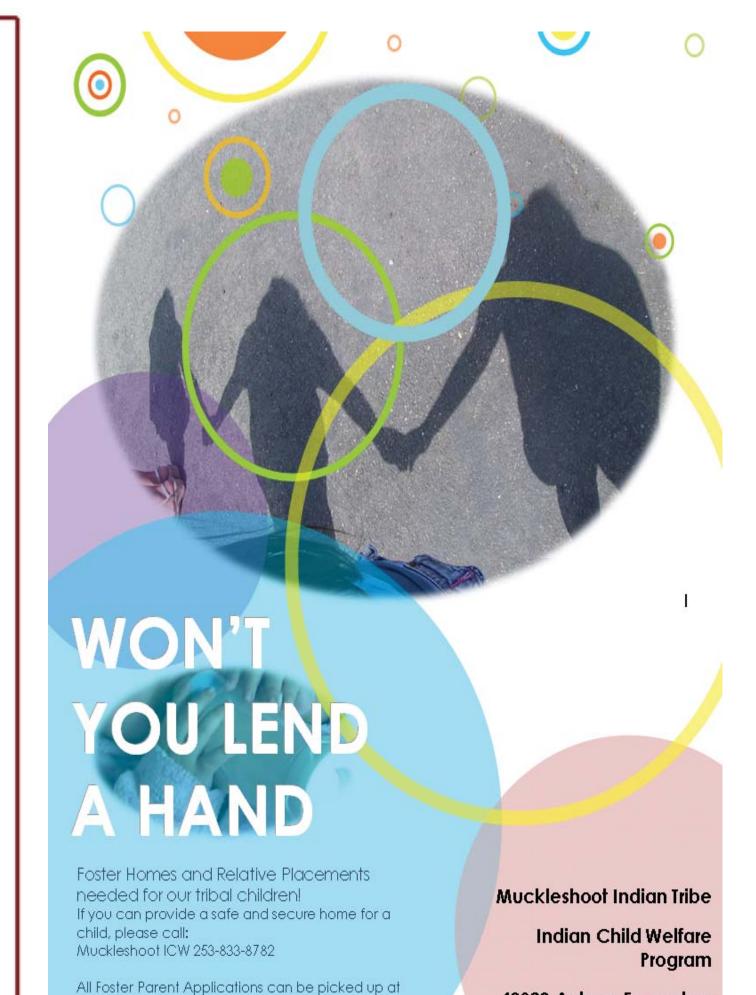
Arts & Craft Booth and Food Booths are available for the weekend.

> 10x10 space \$125.00 10x20 space \$200.00

Informational Booths no charge

For more information call: CeCe Freeman 253-804-8752 or Lisa Elkins 253-939-6648 Sponsored by MIT Health Committee & Behavioral Health Program

EVERYONE WELCOME!





National Night Out for Muckleshoot Community

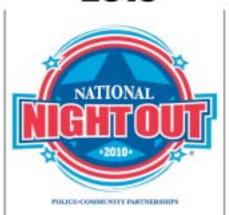
- BBQ Dinner
- Inflatable Toys & Games
- Crime Prevention **Activities & Guests; Emergency Preparedness** & MUCH MORE!

Open to all Muckleshoot Tribal Community & Neighbors

Cameron Park-Academy Drive SE & Lemon Tree Lane, Auburn, WA

Sponsored By: Muckleshoot Housing Authority; Muckleshoot Police Dept; King County Sheriff's Dept; Job Corp Program; Gang Intervention & **Emergency Preparedness Programs**

National Night Out 2010



King County Sheriff/Muckleshoot Police Department and Muckleshoot Housing Authority along with other Tribal Programs invite you to participate in this fun family event to learn about:

- 1. Heighten crime prevention awareness
- 2. Generate support, participation in local anti-crime programs
- 3. Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnerships
- 4. Send message to criminals that your neighborhood is organized and ready to fight back!

August 3, 2010 5:00-8:00 PM Cameron Park, Auburn WA

Hurting inside but not letting anyone see my pain

Mother of mine denying that she is hurting her family that loves her the most.

There is training involved in becoming a foster parent

Can't stand the smell that smells like burning rubber, so we leave our mother behind that just doesn't understand,

People see me and think I do the same but wouldn't even think about it,

Too sad to say anything to you...

Brothers and sister see their mom but don't understand what's going on. You try to say something but you ignore and walk away, blame

everyone else for all the money that is disappearing,

Not thinking you're losing your oldest daughters and your grand

kids that love you so much, but don't want to let them see all

that's going on behind the closed bathroom door. Wishing you could see how you're acting and how you're hurting your only family you have...

Thinking it's ok and nothing will happen but people can see but they just don't say...

Can't you just realize that we love you and you don't need to do this ... Pills are tearing our family apart and you just don't realize you're hurting our hearts.

I'm trapped in shame for you I blame, can't you just look around and see how you are...

Mother of mine please just realize what's going on, How you leave us all alone and sad

We just want are mom back that we once had....

Anonymous.....







Melissa "Missy "
Flores proud parents
Bernadine Ross &
Jesse flores

Births

Addyson Marie Montgomery

Born 5/5/2010 8 lbs 4 oz 21"

Parents: Tonya Nelson & Joey Montgomery

Grandparents: Denamarie Saltz & Tony Nelson; Step-grandpa Jesse

Housley,

Julie Montgomery & Wes Shaw

Great grandparents: Bev Moses & Amos Nelson, Rose & Skip George, Verna & Dale Westman

Ian Yandel Castaneda Date of Birth: May 10, 2010

Time: 3:11 pm

Place: Tacoma General Hospital

Proud Parents: Sergio & Amy Castaneda

Proud Sister: Mia Selene Castaneda Proud Grandparents: Rafael & Maria Castaneda

John & Tammy Byars Proud Uncles: John C Byars

Miguel Cruz-Cruz Jr

Alfredo Castaneda

Proud Auntie: Kytzia Castaneda-Torres



Julie, Jon, and Ariell

*** Happy 16th Anniversary Jay Emery *** July 13th, 2010

Remember way back when? Back when we were skinny? When we were always surrounded by large numbers of kids? When we spent most of our time cruising around in a car? When we were Disco? Then Rock & Roll? When we lived in Enumclaw in a trailer then moved into what we considered our luxury home =) Then on to Auburn, Pacific, Dogwood, 392nd Street? Now were back in Enumclaw. Full Circle. I've spent half my life with you,

in what some have referred to as the Edith and Archie relationship and I have to say, Id do it all again! Well, most of it! We've spent 21 years of our lives together and raised many children that I'm very proud of and I wouldn't have been able to do that without you. We make a great team! Way back in the day there was a poem that really hit home with me that reminded me of US; I just want to share that with you again....

Ball of Yarn

By Danielle Steel

I have this funny Ball of yarn In the corner Of my head.

It sits there
Nice and neat
And then I walk over,
Pick it up, Look at it,
Smile,
And then I start
To worry it a little,
Just because its there,
And then it starts
To look all
Tangled up and messy
And I start to trip
And fall in my ball of yarn.

Then you come home and
Gently pluck it from my hands,
Smooth it out and make it neat again,
Set it down, and smile at it with me
And I know again why I'm so glad when you come home!

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY JAY ~ I LOVE YOU!





Cassidy Jones & Tommy Chagolla - Hawaii



Tommy Chagolla & Cassidy Jones in Hawaii.



Lawrence Tecumseh, Jose Sanchez-Hernandez, Jay Emery, Tommy Chagolla & Cassidy Jones.

A Letter of Thanks

I would like to give thanks to Muckleshoot Planning Department and to the people at Public Works for all the help with the demolition of my grandmother's house.

A special thank you to Faye Moses for being so kind and considerate with Gramma's plants and scrubs. Those were things that made the whole process a bit easier to watch and endure.

Again, thanks to all of your for all your help and caring!

Sincerely,

Jon Spencer



I am so sorry- I know it is late and possibly not make it in but here is a small article-

Happy Birthday to a Very Special Lady-

Our Mother, Grandmother, Great-Grandmother, (also, wife, sister, aunt!)

Loretta Williams-

You are the heart of our familyyou are always there when needed even if we act like we don't need the help!

We never say it enough but you are appreciated, loved, and respected!!

We just want you to have a Great Birthday!!

Love you Always!!!!

Kim, Ed, Sonya, Kelsey, Azela, Robbie & the rest of your family!

Kimberly M. Sneatlum



"Happy 12th Birthday" Teddy Salinas

We love u! Mardee, Derrick, Chris, Malia Papa and Grandma







Happy 2nd Birthday Honey!!!

July 25, 2010 Love you Lots

Auntie Ed'a

Cross Family June Birthday Celebration

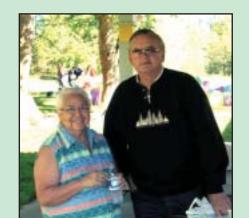














Luella Sandoval and Myrna Nelson



The Muckleshoot Canoe Family meets every Wednesday evening at the Canoe Clubhouse from 5:30 to 9 PM for a Business Meeting. After the business meeting we conduct a cultural activity, whether it be cedar weaving, wool weaving, regalia making or Whulshootseed language lessons. Dinner is included during the meeting. In 2010 we will be enforcing the Canoe Family Guidelines more strictly than in the past. Please make it to the meetings.

MUCKLESHOOT TRIBAL ENROLLMENT

Any interested/eligible Muckleshoot parties seeking tribal enrollment please be advised that the following documentation is always needed for Muckleshoot tribal enrollment:

- 1. Enrollment application, filled out completely, front & back.
- Original certified birth certificate (NO EXCEPTIONS.) (Signatures of both parents, if both are on certified birth certificate and under age 18.)
- 3. Original Social Security card.
- Relinquishment must be completed, if enrolled in another tribe.
- 5. Name must match on all documents.

No copies are accepted. Until all documents are on file, no review process will begin.

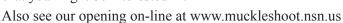
DEER TAGS **WILL NOT BE ISSUED UNTIL**

MONDAY 8/2/10

NO EXCEPTIONS!!!

Come work for **Your** Tribe and make a difference!!!

The Muckleshoot Tribal Administration is looking to hire Tribal members to fill its new openings. Please visit us in the Tribal Administration Human Resources Department to see if we have any openings that you might be interested in.







Have you ever considered a career in

gaming regulation?

THE MUCKLESHOOT GAMING COMMISSION

regularly posts openings at the Casino, Tribal Headquarters, and the Commission office. Because resumes and/or applications are accepted for open positions only, check often or call 253.735.2050 for current openings.



2010 Per Capita Deadlines and Schedule

August 13, 2010 - Deadline to stop taking Direct Deposit

Changes/Cancellations - Enrollment Cut Off Date for Dec 2010 Per

Capita

August 31, 2010

November 12, 2010

September 7, 2010 - Per Capita Distribution

September 8, 2010 - Per Capita Distribution September 9, 2010 - Per Capita Distribution

September 30, 2010 - Deadline for New Direct Deposits to be turned

in to Tax Fund

October 8, 2010 - Deadline for Information to be turned in to Tax Fund from Tribal Programs

- Deadline to stop taking Direct Deposit

Changes/Cancellations November 30, 2010

- Enrollment Cut Off Date for March 2011 Per

Capita December 7, 2010 - Per Capita Distribution

December 8, 2010 - Per Capita Distribution December 9, 2010 - Per Capita Distribution

December 31, 2010 - Deadline for New Direct Deposits to be turned

in to Tax Fund

Please contact Heather Evans at 253-876-3189 if you have any questions regarding Per Capitas.

City of Auburn Open Positions

Temporary Facility Attendant: This is a temporary position in the Parks, Art and Recreation Division. The focus of this position is to oversee recreational facilities (Senior Center, PRAB, Veteran's Building, GameFarmPark, and Soccer Fields) that are rented for an event and to oversee/coordinate the requirements of that event pertaining to the facility and rental agreement. Position requires a great deal of customer service both before and during the event.

Maintenance Worker II - CDL - Sewer Division: Perform skilled manual work and/ or heavy equipment operation in the construction, maintenance and repair of City equipment, utilities and facilities. This involves a variety of tasks which may subject the employee to heavy lifting and strenuous physical activity. Employees may prioritize, schedule, direct and review the work of full-time employees, seasonal and temporary employees, volunteers, and community service workers for work projects.

Temporary Contract Probation Assistant: Work is characterized by confidential administrative/clerical and/or technical caseload work involving office administration, client interaction, and probation tracking and monitoring work.

Web Specialist: This position is responsible for development and maintenance on the City of Auburn's internal and external websites. Position works within the Information Services Department, acting as a technical liaison between the Communications Division and Information Services Department. Strong technical and organizational skills are essential to perform duties.

Senior Planner: This is professional planning work in municipal setting focusing on current and comprehensive (long-range) planning including undertaking SEPA and development reviews, processing of zoning and subdivision applications and permits, development of land use plans and zoning regulations, environmental regulations, researching and interpreting data and preparing studies and reports.

Lateral Police Officer: This is general duty police work involving the protection of life and property, enforcement of laws and ordinances, maintenance of order, and prevention and investigation of crimes.

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MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN CASINO

You can now apply for jobs ON-LINE

Visit www.muckleshootcasino.com and click on "Career Opportunities" to view current job openings then complete your employment application. This online application can be completed 24 hours a day from the convenience of your home computer and/or at the Muckleshoot Indian Casino's Human Resources Office.

All you need is an e-mail address to set up your on-line application. If you do not have an e-mail address call

Human Resources Hours: Monday - Wednesday 9am to 6pm Thursday 9am to 9pm Friday 9am to 5pm HR Phone Number 253-929-5128



EVENTS CALENDAR July 16-18 Bill Anderson Sr. Memorial Softball Tournament - Call Richard Penn Sr. at 253-709-9319 or Mike Starr Sr. at 253-261-1764 for more info. July 17-19 Quileute Days, Lapush. Info: 360-374-5131 July 19 Journey to Makah 2010 - Landing at Neah Bay **July 23 - 25** 2010 Sobriety Pow Wow - Muckleshoot Pow **Wow Grounds** August 3 National Night Out Event, 5:00-8:00 PM, Cameron Park in Auburn. August 9-12 Family Language/Culture Camp, Contact Mary Ross JR at 253-876-3306 for more info. Keta Creek Family Fishing Derby- Keta Creek August 14 Hatchery, Breakfast, 8:30am; Fishing for all ages - 10am till noon, BBQ Lunch -11:30am, For info call Gail at 253-876-3178 August 18 **Taste of Muckleshoot** - 4 pm - 7:30 pm, White River Amphitheatre. **August 21 - 23** Skopabsh Celebration - Muckleshoot Pow Wow Grounds August 25 **Grand Opening of new MIT Early Childhood Education Center** September 25 Fall Classic- 8:30 - 2pm. All Ages

COME AND CELEBRATE FEAST DAY OF BLESSED KATERI TEKAKWITHA



Come and celebrate the Kateri Tekakwitha Feast Day Catholic Mass with Father Pat Twohy and the Tacoma Kateri Circle at St. Leo Church/ A Jesuit parish located at 710 South 13th Street in Tacoma on Sunday, July 18, 2010.

Blessed Kateri has been beatified in the Roman Catholic Church with the hope that she be declared a Native saint someday. Our Mass starts at 1:30pm followed by a delicious meal. There is no cost and all are welcome.

Please join us for mass at 1:30 pm on July 25 and August 15 as well. There will be no mass on August 1 and 8.

CULTURAL WELLNESS GATHERINGS

AA Meeting Time Muckleshoot Recovery House

39225 180th Ave. SE, Auburn, WA 98092

Mondays 12:00 Noon

Feather Healing Circle

39015 172nd Avenue SE Auburn, WA

Tuesdays 5:00 pm

Grief and Loss

Grief and Loss Support Group

Wednesday's 6:00pm -8:00pm. Behavioral Health, Bear Lodge

Women's Group

Muckleshoot Tribal College Thursdays 5:00 pm

Boys Mentoring Group

Muckleshoot Behavioral Health Thursday's 4:30 pm to 9:00pm

Al-Anon Meetings

Auburn First United Methodist Church Monday 10:30 a.m. E. Main & N St. S.E.

Auburn, WA 98002

Federal Way Sunrise United Methodist Church

Monday 6:30 pm

150 S. 356th St. Federal Way, WA 98003 P24 JULY 15, 2010 MUCKLESHOOT MONTHLY

Muckleshoot Veterans Pow Wow 2010

June 25-27, 2010 ~ White River Amphitheatre

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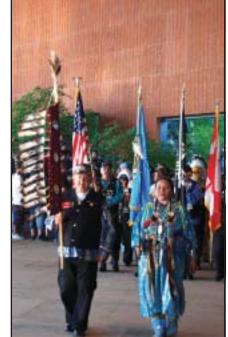


















RONNIE BROWN DANCE SPECIAL. Gene Brown fulfilled a long-time wish when he sponsored a dance special in honor of his dad, Ronnie Brown.