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JOJO JOINS WELLNESS CENTER STAFF



By Casey Ann Serquinia

You may have noticed a familiar face on the Wellness Center staff. Joseph "JoJo" Allen Jr. has been working out at the Wellness Center for many years, and now he is part of the team that keeps the fitness center in good order for members. He works three evenings a week doing laundry, cleaning equipment, returning weights and bringing a warm smile to members as they burn calories.

The Wellness Center staff have been supportive of JoJo in this new
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SEATTLE NAMES STREET AFTER BERNICE WHITE

SEATTLE – On the morning of Friday, September 7, a large and growing contingent of Muckleshoot people trickled into the spacious lobby of Seattle's sparkling new City Hall, where they waited patiently for a special committee meeting to begin.

Finally, the doors opened at 9:00 a.m. and they filed into the cavernous City Council Chamber. A few minutes later, members of the Seattle City Council entered took their seats at the front of the room. Committee Chair Jean Godden called the meeting to order and, after a few introductory remarks about the day's business, recognized Muckleshoot Tribal Council Vice-Chair Mike Jerry Sr.

Speaking on behalf of the Tribal Council, Mike stood at the podium and briefly thanked the committee for what it was about to do before turning the floor over to Georgianna "Peachie" Ungaro.

Peachie adjusted the mike, turned to face the committee members and began to speak, her voice

filled with emotion.

"I am the daughter of Bernice White," she said. "And I am so thankful for what is taking place here today. It's been a long time coming. I said so many prayers, talking to her last night, saying, 'You know, Mom, it's here. We did it. It's here.' Excuse me – my voice cracks when I speak – but I'm just so appreciative, and so proud, so proud."

The first item on the committee's agenda was a resolution to designate a small dead-end street along the west waterway of the Duwamish River as "Tribal Elder Bernice White Place."

The site, long used for industrial purposes, is now having its natural habitat restored. The project will include an off-channel waterway to provide rest and refuge for out-migrating juvenile salmon, as well as creating a home to shorebirds and many other species.

The resolution recognized that the Duwamish River is the historic fishing ground of the Muckleshoot people, and that it remains an im-

portant fishery for the Tribe today. It went on to describe how the late Bernice White made it her life's work to defend her Tribe's treaty rights to take salmon at their "usual and accustomed places," and to preserve and protect tribal sovereignty and culture.

Bernice's youngest child, Valerie Bellack, spoke of her mother's enduring courage, sharing a memory of the passing of her older sister, Yvonne:

"I remember that day very well," Val said, "with my mother sitting in Yvonne's room as she was struggling for her last few gasps of breath – how strong my mom was, to see her daughter pass away right in front of her. And that was just a small smidgeon of the strength that my mom portrayed. She was barely five feet tall, but she was a powerhouse."

After sharing a few more examples of her mother's strength, Valerie's eyes filled with tears as she told how, at age 92, Bernice faced her final days among friends and

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TREATY TREK. Bernice White (left) at the start of the 13-mile May 13, 1966 march from the old Community Hall to the Federal Way Courthouse.

SAVE THE DATES! Holiday Party Dates Are Announced

The dates to all three 2012 holiday parties have been announced months ahead of time this year, so mark your calendars and plan to attend!

The Muckleshoot Tribal Halloween Party will be held on Monday, October 29 from 6:00 to 9:00 PM at Emerald Downs. Costume contest photos will be taken from 6:00 to 7:30 PM. Cake Contest entries must be entered by 6:45 PM. See the ad below for rules for cake contest, costume contest categories and prize amounts.

The Muckleshoot Tribal Thanksgiving Dinner will be held on Friday, November 16 from 6:00 to 9:00 PM at the Muckleshoot Pentecostal Church.

The Muckleshoot Tribal Christmas Dinner and Party will be held on Monday, December 17. Details will be shared in a future edition of the newspaper.

Muckleshoot Indian Tribe Halloween Party
Monday, October 29th 2012
6:00 pm - 9:00 pm
Emerald Downs
Costume Contest:
Most Original Costume, Scariest Costume, Funniest Costume
Age Groups: 0-5, 6-12, 13-17, 18-49
1st, 2nd & 3rd Place Winners:
1st place 100 Gift Card, 2nd Place 50 Gift Card, 3rd Place 25 Gift Card
1st, 2nd, 3rd place prizes for 50 and up
Contest pictures start at 6:00
Deadline for contestants is 7:30 pm
Cake Decorating Contest:
Everything must be edible
70% cake, 30% can be other food items
6:45 deadline for cake decorating contest
Happy Halloween!
From the Event Planning Team
Games Treats Fun Prizes Crafts

Muckleshoot's Utility District is Making Plans for Your Sewer Pumps and Pipes

By Jason Van Gilder PE, Muckleshoot Utility District

One way your Tribe has been able to serve its members within our Reservation has been by providing sanitary sewer service to our Tribal community. This service is vital to ensure that our wastewater is handled appropriately and not allowed to degrade the natural environments that our Muckleshoot Nation has been entrusted with.

As our Tribe makes an effort to pro-actively think about how to continue this service, we are developing a plan for how to maintain and improve this wastewater system so that we will be prepared to serve our Tribe today and our Tribe's coming generations tomorrow.

The long name for the plan we have prepared is the **Muckleshoot Utility District's Sanitary Sewer Capital Improvement Plan**. If you would like to participate in developing that plan, we would be glad to receive your input. The Public Works Department will be hosting an **Open House Meeting at 5:00 pm on Thursday night, September 27th**. This will be a night to share some pizza while we explain what has been included in this plan and listen to your concerns.

If that day or time is not ideal for you, please feel free to contact us and we would be glad to find a time where we could share our plans for the future with you. Please call the Utility District office at 253-876-3018 to set up an appointment with our staff. We would look forward discussing our plans with you.

Our Sanitary Sewer System

For those of you who may not be very familiar with our Tribe's sanitary sewer system, and we expect most of our community members are probably in this category, we have condensed the 264 pages of information into a couple of highlights for this article.

The first thing we should cover is what water we are talking about. The wastewater we are describing is primarily the water that from your sink, bathroom, or your other household appliances like a washing machine.

Unfortunately, rain water and ground water also gets into our collection system. Rain water and ground water require different types of treatments to clean them up and including them with our sanitary wastewater uses up our sewer system capacity and increases the cost associated with cleaning up the waste water.

The second thing to know about our Tribe's wastewater collection system being described in this plan is that we collect wastewater only from the south end of the reservation. The parts of the reservation north of 368th Street are served by the City of Auburn's wastewater collection system.

The final thing to know is that the ultimate destination for all of this wastewater that we collect is King County's Regional Water Treatment Facility in Renton. We connect to this facility through a pipeline owned jointly by the City of Auburn and our Muckleshoot Tribe. Our Tribe then pays a

monthly charge to King County for their assistance in cleaning the water before releasing the water back to the Puget Sound.



What is this Capital Improvements Plan

This Sanitary Sewer Capital Improvements Plan consists of four main sections. You will also find an executive summary, an introduction, and a whole lot of technical information in some appendixes, but for now we will concentrate on these four main sections.

The first main section describes our Utility District. This includes descriptions of the organizational staff, a description of the area served by the District, and where all the main pipes and pumps are located.

The next section of the document gives our best estimates of how much wastewater the District does handle and how much it might need to handle. In this section we look at how much wastewater we have handled in the past and use some engineering judgment (the technical term for making an educated guess) to determine how much wastewater we need to be plan for in the future.

The third main section builds on the information in the first two sections by looking at how well the District's pipes and pumps are able to handle the amount of wastewater that we have now and what we think we need to plan for in the future.

Finally, the fourth section identifies those improvements that the District needs to be planning for in order to make sure we can maintain an adequate level of service.

So What Did We Find

So if you are wondering what we found out with this plan, we are very happy to pass along some generally very good news.

First, we have discovered that our system does have some problems with high levels of rainwater infiltration. Just this last winter we completed a project with Indian Health Service to address this problem by sealing up some of our most troublesome manholes. How well this project will have addressed those problems and how much rainwater infiltration we continue to have is something we will need to continue monitoring.

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Bookie Mania: MIT acquires interest in social betting game company

The Muckleshoot Tribe has taken a first step into the world of on-line social betting by entering into an agreement to acquire a minority interest in the social betting game company Bookie Mania.

Bookie Mania is a non-gambling, social betting game start-up company that allows players to place virtual wagers on anything such as sports, political campaigns, world events, current affairs, weather or financial markets. Bookie Mania allows players to place bets using virtual currency and acts as a social betting exchange so wagers can be formed between friends.

Bookie Mania's unique concept makes it more than a traditional social betting game in that it is designed for sharing progress with other players and would-be players and challenging them to get involved, thereby creating a viral marketing situation that will fuel growth without a substantial marketing investment.

Because it is not a traditional gambling game Bookie Mania is not subject to restrictions traditionally associated with betting such as licensing requirements, regulation, commissions, compliance and other legal restrictions. This unrestricted social betting model offers tremendous growth opportunities around the globe.

Bookie Mania will premiere globally on Facebook later this year. With almost 900 million members, many of whom love to play on-line games, Facebook is a great launch platform. Following the Facebook launch a rollout on other internet platforms and in multiple languages is planned.

While the tribe's investment in Bookie Mania was relatively minor, the game's potential broad appeal, low production costs, lean overhead and speed to market made it a unique opportunity. The Tribal Council believes a relatively modest investment in Bookie Mania represents a very attractive opportunity to get a foothold in one of the most rapidly expanding global business arenas. Having an equity position in a global social gaming business offers revenue generating opportunities far beyond Washington State.

We are very excited about this new business venture for the Muckleshoot Tribe and will keep the community informed of progress as the business grows and develops.

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position and have carved out tasks that allow him to contribute skillfully and add value to the Fitness Center's quality atmosphere. His work keeps the facility clean during the peak evening hours and allows the Fitness Trainers to focus their attention on consultations and coaching to members.

Lisa James and Patrick Rainey, supervisors at the Wellness Center are giving Joseph this opportunity to learn new skills and live up to his potential. They receive additional support from Trillium Employment Services to help identify job duties for Joseph and to help him learn the job.

Joseph is proud to be earning a paycheck and working in his community. Human Resources staff Anita Pedro, Rita Martin and Florence Starr should be commended for their creativity and following through with their mission statement of creating positive influences in the community.



Muckleshoot Tribal Classic Winner's Circle 2012

KOOKY SALUKI WINS MUCKLESHOOT TRIBAL CLASSIC. Here's a photo of the large group that gathered in the winner's circle at Emerald Downs on Sunday, September 9, to celebrate Kooky Saluki's win in the \$40,000 Muckleshoot Tribal Classic.

Virginia Cross, accompanied by tribal elder and former jockey Tommy McJoe and Miss Skopabsh LaShawna Starr, served as honorary steward for this year's running of one of the state's oldest and most traditional races, formerly known as the Washington Championship.

In the front row, from left to right are Tommy McJoe, jockey Javier Matias, Kooky Saluki's owner, KOMO News anchor Dan Lewis, Virginia Cross, LaShawna Starr and Washington Hall of Fame trainer Jim Penney.

"It's the biggest race I've ever won and the first stakes I've ever won, and I've owned horses for about 10 or 12 years," Lewis said in the winner's circle.

"This is my first time riding him, so I looked at a couple replays and saw that he always tries really hard," Matias said. "As we headed into the stretch I looked back and saw two horses coming. I started to ask him at the quarter-pole and he gave me everything. I am very impressed with his run."

Couldabenthewhisky nosed out Jebrica for second place, and Jebrica finished three-quarters of a length ahead of Our Eagle Boy, a horse closely connected to the family of MIT's Joseph Martin.



KOOKY SALUKI
2012 MUCKLESHOOT TRIBAL CLASSIC WINNER



Muckleshoot Utility District Operations Staff. L to R: Todd Nelson, Jason Van Gilder, Stephen Jowell, Riley Patterson, and Dewey Miller.



The Utility District's Dewey Miller and Riley Patterson service a sewer pump at Lift Station #1.

SEWER PUMPS & PIPES *continued from page 1*

Second, with our Tribe being so proactive in developing infrastructure to support residential home construction, we have built out several areas that are ready for lots of homes but only a couple of homes have been built on them so far. More homes connected to our system leads to more wastewater, and more wastewater generally means we need bigger pumps and pipes. So we need to do some thinking about how many of these empty lots the District needs to plan on serving and how soon we need to be serving homes on those lots.

Finally, our technical assessment shows that our pipelines are sized appropriately to serve us for several years to come, but some of our pump stations are going to need some help.

Our two largest pump stations have served us very well for the last 15 years but they are reaching the end of their service lives. Fortunately, both the Tribal Council and Indian Health Service have recognized this and have each appropriated monies to upgrade these pump stations.

There are also two other pump stations that are scheduled to be improved when the Tribe builds new residential developments in the areas around them.

So the plan tells us that by working on these enhancements and continuing to maintain the components that we have, we anticipate our system will be well suited to serve our community and our environment for several years to come.

How to Find Out More

If you are interested in this subject and want to find out more, please make a point of visiting us at the Utility District Open House on September 27th. We would be very interested to find out your opinions and concerns as they relate to our sanitary sewer system.

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THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT'S UTILITY DISTRICT OPEN HOUSE

We want your input on the District's Sanitary Sewer Capital Improvement Plan

Highlights Include:

- Pizza and light refreshments
- A short presentation on our sewer system plan
- The chance to make your voice heard
- Hanging out with real Engineers and Planners

When: September 27th, 5pm to 6pm

Where: The Cougar Room in the Philip Starr Building

Call the Utility District at 876-2975 if you have any questions.

BERNICE WHITE *continued from page 1*

family, and all that had been so familiar and so dear to her for so long. "She fought a good fight," Valerie recalled, "and when she was ready to go home, she told every one of us individually, 'I want to go home now.' And for some of us, it was more difficult than others, but for a few of us, who saw her struggle, it was okay to let her go."

And then she left. It was Mother's Day. Bernice's work among the people of her tribe that she loved so much was finished, but her legacy will not be forgotten. And now this special place near the mouth of the Duwamish River will honor her memory in perpetuity.

Mike Jerry shared a story about how, during an earlier meeting where this project was being discussed, he explained to Mayor Mike McGinn how the tribal fishermen have names for specific spots all up and down the river.

"How they got named can be kind of a funny story," he'd told the mayor. "Maybe it was for something crazy that happened there, or for someone who had fished there all the time, but I wanted to leave that with them, so they could keep in mind that we do have names all along this river."

Acknowledging that perhaps it was a bit overdue, he nonetheless expressed his gratitude to the City Council for honoring this beloved elder of his tribe.

"It's amazing to be here amongst you to witness and be a part of this," Mike said. "This is truly something great within my lifetime, and so I really appreciate it."

In conclusion, Richard Conlin, a senior member of the City Council who has seen its relationship with the tribe evolve into what it is today, shared some of his thoughts on the significance of the naming of Tribal Elder Bernice White Place.

"To me, it's very rare that we get an opportunity to step back and reflect on what an elder has done for us, and to have that opportunity to recognize them and to say, 'This is a person who has done so much for our community, and for the land around us.'"

The City of Seattle and the Muckleshoot Indian Nation have had a wonderful relationship over a long period of time. We've evolved that relationship. We've worked hard to make sure that it is one of mutually respecting parties that are able to work together successfully.

And I think the fact that we value and really totally respect that relationship is something that's very important to the people of the City of Seattle, and to those of us who have the opportunity to serve on the Seattle City Council.

So, what, to me, feels very important about this is that Bernice White was an extraordinary person – a person of leadership, a person who is an elder that we all can share that respect for. It's very appropriate that we are able to take this opportunity to demonstrate that respect.

It's an honor for us to be able to host you here in our beautiful City Hall in the land that is your heritage, and to be able to make this gesture of respect towards your people. Thank you so much for being here."



Penny Friend Bathum

Penny Friend Bathum, beloved wife, mother, friend and co-worker left us unexpectedly on August 19, 2012, while visiting her mother and family at her hometown of Friendsville, Maryland. Her last day was a very happy one, spent waterskiing at a nearby lake in the beautiful Allegheny Highlands. She shared a warm conversation with her husband Rick back in Enumclaw before retiring that night.



Penny was born in Cumberland, MD on September 29, 1953, the daughter of Amos "Bud" and Bernadine (Devine) Friend, and raised in nearby Friendsville, a town that was founded by her ancestors and where many share her maiden name.

She was a graduate of Frostburg State University and earned a Master's Degree in Social Work from the University of Washington. She served for 15 years as a caseworker for the Muckleshoot Indian Child Welfare program, now Muckleshoot Children and Family Services.

Penny was a remarkable person in many ways. She gave freely of her gifts – her patience, the love and devotion she gave to the children and families of MCFS, and her genuine caring for animals. We will all sincerely miss her presence, her laughter, and all of the assistance she gave to the Muckleshoot Community. Her departure leaves a void in the hearts of those who knew her that only time can heal.

Penny loved animals, big and small, gardening, and her family. She is survived by her husband Rick and sons Willis and Jon Roy. Her funeral and burial took place in Friendsville, and a local celebration of her life was held on September 8, 2012 at Calvary Presbyterian Church in Enumclaw. Good-bye to a Good Friend.

From One of Penny's Co-Workers

Penny Friend Bathum was the kindest, most compassionate person, who loved everyone and every living thing. I saw her pick up injured birds who would fly into the glass of either her or my office window. She would walk outside and pick them up, talk to the injured animal and gently grace their Spirit with her Spirit as she cared for it. One of them she put in Francis's office and forgot it... She had a doctor's appointment and left it there. Remember, Francis? God Bless HER...

I love Penny and feel a deep void at losing her friendship, and love. She truly touched, moved, and inspired so many lives in her short lifetime. Thank you God that you sent her to touch my life with so many wonderful memories as My Sister My Friend

We are Family here and I feel so much love and compassion for all of you. Thank you for touching my life... It's so important to let people know how you feel. I am grateful for each of you in my life. I include you in my prayers always,

Debbie Guerrero, MSW
Muckleshoot Child & Family Services



Mike Jerry and Peachie with photo of Bernice at City Hall.



Bernice White



Bernice White, with sisters Mary and Ethel on her 91st birthday.



Bernice relaxing on her front porch.



Bernice's Retirement Party



Bernice with daughter Yvonne and Grandson both council members.



Muckleshoot Canoe Journey Hosting, August 2006.



Bernice White, Iola Braford and Lorraine Cross in Elders computer class.



Bernice White and some of her many descendants.



Bernice with grandchildren Jenel and Danny.



Bernice White and niece Cathleen Courville.



On sister Mary's 90th birthday, with daughter Valerie assisting (1).



Bernice's grandmother, Eliza Daniels, and mother, Maggie.

**CITY OF SEATTLE
RESOLUTION NO. 30407**

A RESOLUTION providing an honorary designation of 1499 SW Spokane Street as "Tribal Elder Bernice White Place".

WHEREAS, the Duwamish River is the historic fishing ground of the Muckleshoot People and remains an important fishery for the Tribe today; and

WHEREAS, industrial development along the Lower Duwamish Waterway has over the years largely eliminated off-channel habitat used by estuarine species; and

WHEREAS, the restoration of habitat is a critical part of the work under way to restore the Duwamish River; and

WHEREAS, Muckleshoot Tribal Elder Bernice White was a "Keeper of the Flame", making it her life's work to defend her Tribe's treaty rights to take salmon at their "usual and accustomed places," and to preserve and protect tribal sovereignty and culture; and

WHEREAS, Tribal Elder Bernice White served as Tribal Chair and on the Tribal Council at a critical period in the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe's history; and

WHEREAS, towards the end of her life, Bernice remained an important part of the Muckleshoot Tribal Cultural Committee. In May 2009, this Tribal matriarch passed away at the age of 92; and

WHEREAS, the City of Seattle wishes to honor Tribal Elder Bernice White through the naming of an important habitat restoration site on the Duwamish River; and

WHEREAS, the restoration of this site will create a new off-channel inlet and provide refuge and feeding opportunities for out-migrating salmon, juvenile English sole, shorebirds and waders. The restored uplands adjacent to the created inlet will provide food and refuge for a broad range of bird groups; and

WHEREAS, the project will also involve coordination with the Muckleshoot Tribe in establishing goals for fishing net attachments at the site, to help facilitate Tribal fishing rights;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SEATTLE, THE MAYOR CONCURRING, THAT:

Section 1. 1499 SW Spokane Street shall have an honorary designation as "Tribal Elder Bernice White Place."

Section 2. The Council requests that the Seattle Department of Transportation place memorial signs at prominent and appropriate locations, which shall reflect the "Tribal Elder Bernice White Place" honorary designation.

Adopted by the City Council and signed by me in open session in authentication of its adoption this 10th day of September, 2012. *Sally J. Clark*
President of the City Council

Annabelle Brandt Is Honored for 30+ Years on Planning Commission

PHOTOS BY LENNY SNEATLUM

Annabelle Brandt wishes to state that recent reports of her retirement from the Muckleshoot Planning Commission have been greatly exaggerated. The fact that she was honored recently for her 30-plus years of service is just another milestone for her, and although she is now past 90, Annabelle plans on continuing to serve.

When the need for a tribal planning commission arose about 1980, UW experts were called in to help. They suggested that a member of the surrounding non-Native community be included, since the reservation is set up in such a patchwork manner.

The Tribe didn't have to look far to find the perfect person for the job. Annabelle Brandt was already part of the community, and lived right over where the pow wow grounds is now.

Like many elders, she came of age during the Great Depression, a time neighbors helped one another out. Philip Starr would often stop by to bring them a fish, and when they butchered an animal they would likewise share with the Starrs and other tribal neighbors.

So thank you, Annabelle Brandt. Your long and continued service to the Muckleshoot Tribe is warmly appreciated.



Annabelle with fellow Planning Commissioners. Left to right: Mark James, Shirley Taylor, Madrienne Salgado, Charlotte Williams, Kenny Calvert, Annabelle, Michele Rodarte, Marie Starr, Robert Simmons, Merle Barr Sr.



Tribal Council members wrap Annabelle Brandt in Muckleshoot Pendleton blanket. L-R: Virgil Spencer, Marcie Elkins, Charlotte Williams, Virginia Cross, Annabelle, Mark James, Marie Starr.

MISHA AVERILL WINS NATIONAL SPEED SKATING TITLE, QUALIFIES FOR WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS



Misha Averill

PHOTO BY JOHN LOFTUS

We all know that the Muckleshoot Reservation is home to Shianna Moses – already something of a legend in the sport of speed skating – but do you know that we have another world class skater who also happens to be Native American living just a few miles to the south of us?

Misha Averill, a 21-year-old Navajo recently competed in the US Outdoor National Championships, where she qualified to go on to the World Championships in Italy. The Outdoor Nationals consists of nine races, and Misha brought home six medals – five bronze and one silver – which made her the most decorated skater the Senior World Class Ladies Division for 2012, earning her the title of Overall Sprint Champion.

Like most speed skaters, she started young. Misha has been training under coach Vicci King at Tiffany's Skate Inn in Puyallup since she was eight years old. But this young lady is an all-star in academics, too, and will graduate from the University of Washington next June with a double major. And after that? Law school.

"I'm looking at Seattle University Law School," she says, adding that "I kind of want to apply to Stanford, too, just to see what would happen."

Everyone wonders why speed skating, which is popular around the world, isn't an Olympic sport. But that may be about to change. In 2020, it's going to be an exhibition sport. Misha says that's like a trial run to be into the Olympics, and that's how all sports start. After that, if all goes well, it will be included in the 2024 Olympic Games.

"By then, I'll be 28," Misha says, "so I'll still be able to compete. As of right now, I haven't achieved all my goals in roller speed skating... I want to be a world champion, and then an Olympic gold medalist someday."



Vice-President Joe Biden with Tribal Chairman Virginia Cross.



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Thursday, November 8, 2012
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Cassandra Manuelito-Kerkvliet
President, Antioch College
Morning keynote speaker: "Getting a College Education"

Tina Kuckkahn
Director, The Longhouse, Evergreen State College
Afternoon keynote speaker: "Art in Native Education"

Native students, teachers, counselors, and parents are invited to attend this free event. Come learn about what it takes to become a successful college student and participate in workshops, a campus tour and discussions about the college experience.

UWT students, staff, and faculty are invited to attend to learn about tribal cultural ways, Native knowledge, and current challenges in the education of Native people.

For questions, contact Sharon Parker, Assistant Chancellor for Equity and Diversity, at parker07@uw.edu or 253-692-4861.

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Junior Achievement of Washington – The Tribal Leadership Experience

August 6-17, 2012

By Amy Castaneda

First off, I'd like to say WOW, what an eventful two weeks! Over 50 MIT and Tulalip youth (ages 13-18) teamed up to participate in the Junior Achievement program at the Auburn Facility. This is a nonprofit organization that brings the real world to students through hands-on curriculum taught by qualified teachers.

Throughout the program, the kids were able to meet new friends, participate in many team building activities including activities on site and at the movies, bowling and Wild Waves. They also were able to earn up to \$100, and most importantly walk away at the end of the program with knowledge of real life financial situations.

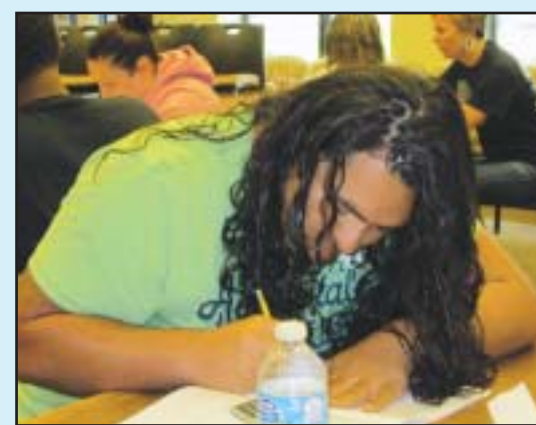
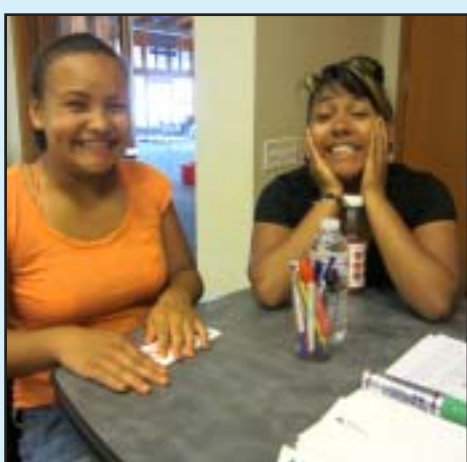
It was an honor and great pleasure to have worked with these bright kids, teachers and chaperones. I would like to give a HUGE thank you to all of them for helping make this year's tribal leadership experience a success!!!

We had many guest speakers that gave great speeches and presentations of their lives, how they got where they are today, the importance of obtaining an education, learning financial literacy, budgeting, saving money and gave the kids wise advice about their trust funds once they receive it.

I believe the messages presented made a vast impact on everyone listening. They were not only inspiring but gave us a better understanding of the struggles and obstacles in life and what we can do to prevent or avoid them. Many thanks to our incredible speakers!

I would also like to thank a few of our Tribal Council members that took time out of their busy schedules to stop in, greet everyone and see what JA is all about! Thank you Kerri Marquez, Marcie Elkins and Charlotte Williams!

With all of this said, I am surely looking forward to what next year's Tribal Leadership Experience brings!





High School Volleyball Gets Underway

High school volleyball is underway with a relatively young team. This will be Muckleshoot Tribal School's fourth high school volleyball season with only two returners. For most girls, the volleyball court will be unfamiliar territory, but they are eager to build new relationships along with refining their volleyball skills.

Players include seniors Carlee Eyle, Kacey Heffington and Vivian Jansen; junior Jenel Hunter; sophomores Leanne Redthunder and Patience Daniels; Freshman LaShawna Starr; and eighth graders Alexis Lozier and Leandra Keeline.

The girls are determined and are working hard during their summer break to be the best they can be. With their competitive game schedule and lack of experience, they strive to come together as a team to be successful. Please come support your high school volleyball team and their journey to success!



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BUS SCHEDULE FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2012-'13

Muckleshoot Tribal School Transportation Department

253-931-6709 ext 3717 or Victoria cell# 253-261-1329 / John cell# 253-985-5959

We are working to better serve our parents/guardians/students. In that effort we would like to provide you with information about your student's bus pick-up and drop-off times. Allow for adjustments the first week of school.

Have your child at the bus stop 5 minutes prior to time

Please allow 5 minutes before or after the scheduled time to allow for traffic or perhaps a delay in picking up or dropping off another student.

Newly enrolled students, if new stop; please allow 3 days for bus routing.

Bus # 1 - Middle School / High School

6:28am/3:12pm 3221-20th St SE
6:32am/3:08pm 3025-21st St SE
6:33am/3:08pm 1730 Ginkgo St SE
6:34am/3:06pm 1625 Hemlock Drive SE
6:35am/3:05pm 1715 Hemlock Drive SE
6:37am/3:03pm 2932 Scenic Drive SE
6:39am/3:01pm 2410-17th Drive SE
6:40am/3:00pm 2429-17th Drive SE
6:41am/2:58pm 2437-17th Drive SE
6:43am/2:56pm 2452-17th Drive SE
6:41am/2:55pm 2458-17th Drive SE
6:45am/2:54pm 3038-16th St SE
6:46am/2:53pm 2815 Skyway Lane SE
6:47am/2:52pm 2709 Skyway Lane SE
6:52am/2:47pm 2430 Forrest Ridge Drive SE
6:53am/2:48pm 2460-24th St SE
6:54am/2:47pm 1408-26th St SE
7:05am/2:46pm 3501 Auburn Way S
7:07am/2:44pm 3611 Auburn Way S
7:09am/2:42pm 4639 Auburn Way S
7:11am/2:40pm 4941 Auburn Way S
7:20am/2:30pm Arrive/Leave School

Bus #1 - Elementary School

7:38am/4:18pm 5424 Auburn Way S
7:52am/4:03pm 2005 Hemlock St SE
7:53am/4:02pm 1730 Ginkgo St SE
7:54am/4:01pm 2025 Ginkgo St SE
7:56am/4:00pm 3025-21st St SE
7:57am/3:59pm 225-21st Place SE
7:59am/3:57pm 2005 Fir St SE
8:00am/3:56pm 2010 Fir St SE
8:02am/3:54pm 3038-16th St SE
8:04am/3:52pm 2715-17th St SE
8:05am/3:53pm 3040-17th St SE
8:06am/3:52pm 2452-17th Drive SE
8:07am/3:51pm 2815 Skyway Lane SE
8:09am/3:49pm 2130 Dogwood Drive SE
8:14am/3:44pm 2455-24th St SE
8:15am/3:43pm 2715-24th St SE
8:15am/3:43pm 2730-24th St SE
8:15am/3:43pm 2720-24th St SE
8:16am/3:42pm 2530-26th St SE
8:22am/3:38pm 4505 Auburn Way S
8:23am/3:37pm 4639 Auburn Way S
8:23am/3:37pm 5636 Auburn Way S
8:30am/3:30pm Arrive/Leave School

Bus #3 - Middle School / High School

6:30am/2:32pm 14429 SE 368th Place
6:31am/2:33pm 14700 SE 368th Place
6:33am/2:38pm 14705 SE 368th Place
6:38am/2:40pm Brown's Corner turn-around
6:42am/2:42pm 5725 Auburn Way S, Panorama Apts
6:45am/2:43pm 37949 Aub/Enclw Rd SE
6:4 am/ 2:44pm 38325 Auburn/Enclw Rd
6:47am/2:45pm 38819 Aub/Enclw Rd SE
6:48am/2:46pm 38911 Aub/Enclw Rd SE
6:50am/2:50pm 38554-161st Drive SE
6:56am/2:55pm 38701-162nd Ct. SE
6:52am/2:57pm 39110-164th Ave SE
6:53am/2:58pm 38703-162 Ct SE

Bus #3 - Middle School / High School

6:53am/2:58pm 38704-162nd Ct SE
6:53am/2:58pm 38707-162nd Ct SE
6:51am/3:01pm 38710-162nd Ct SE
6:50am/3:03pm 38746-160th Drive SE
6:52am/3:08pm 16024 SE 386th Way
6:54am/3:08pm 16104 SE 386th Way
6:55am/3:09pm 16106 SE 386th Way
6:58am/3:09pm 16109 SE 386th Way
7:00am/3:11pm 16214 SE 386th Way
7:01am/3:12pm 16019 SE 385th Court
7:03am/3:14pm 16023 SE 385th Ct
7:05am/3:16pm Skopbash Village (181st)
7:06am/3:17pm Skopbash Village (182nd)
7:08am/3:18pm Skopbash Village (183rd)
7:10am/3:19pm 39208-165th Ave SE
7:12am/3:20pm 39223-165th Place SE
7:20am/2:30pm Arrive/Leave School

Bus # 3 - Elementary

7:58am/3:35pm 14515 SE 368th Place
7:58am/3:35pm 14708 SE 368th Place
8:03am/3:40pm Swan Flats
8:03am/3:40pm Juniper Ct. SE
8:03am/3:40pm Lemon Tree Lane
8:09am/3:45pm 5725 Auburn Wy, Panorama Apts
8:05am/3:47pm 37949 Aub/Enclw Rd SE
8:07am/3:53pm 38701-162nd Ct. SE
8:08am/3:54pm 38704-162nd Ct. SE
8:09am/3:55pm 38707-162nd Ct. SE 8:12 a.m/
8:11am/3:57pm 16109 SE 386th Way
8:12am/3:58pm 16113 SE 386th Way
8:12am/3:58pm 16214 SE 386th Way
8:14am/4:00pm 16216 SE 386th Way
8:15am/4:01pm 38616-160th Drive SE
8:16am/4:02pm 38640-160th Drive SE
8:18am/4:04pm Skopbash Village (181st)
8:19am/4:05pm Skopbash Village (182nd)
8:20am/4:06pm Skopbash Village (183rd)
8:21am/4:08pm 38913 Aub/Enclw Rd SE
8:21am/4:09pm 38819 Aub/Enclw Rd SE
8:21am/4:11pm 16608 SE 393rd St
8:21am/4:11pm 16527 SE 393rd St
8:23am/4:13pm 165th Ave SE
8:22am/4:13pm 165th Place SE
8:30am/3:30pm Arrive/Leave School

Bus # 4 - Middle School / High School

6:18am/3:12pm Cor. of 124th & 316th, Lea Hill
6:20am/3:10pm 12722 SE 312th St, Lea Hill
6:48am/2:58pm 24 "T" St NE
6:55am/2:50pm 335-6th St NE
7:00am/2:45pm Safeway Parking Lot
7:20am/2:30pm Arrive/Leave School

Bus #4 - Kindergarten

Kindergarten parents will be called with information as the students enroll.

Bus #5 - Middle School / High School

6:40am/3:18pm 413th Drive
6:45am/3:13pm 41801-180th Ave SE
6:46am/3:06pm 41207-180th Ave SE
6:47am/3:05pm 41124-180th Ave SE
6:48am/3:00pm 41331-180th Ave SE
6:50am/2:59pm 17627 SE 408th

Bus #5 - Middle School / High School

6:52am/2:58pm 17551-411th Lane SE
6:55am/2:54pm 413th Place
7:00am/2:48pm 17613 SE 400th St
7:02am/2:46pm 174th Lane & 400th St
7:04am/2:44pm 39936 Aub/Enclw Rd SE
7:06am/2:43pm 172nd St & 392nd St
7:07am/2:41pm Pow Wow Grounds gate
7:09am/2:39pm 172nd & Chimney/Canoe Modular
7:10am/2:38pm 172nd St & 387th Place
7:13am/2:35pm 17623 SE 384th St
7:20am/2:30pm Arrive/Leave School

Bus # 5 - Elementary

7:28am/4:25pm 17623 SE 384th St
7:30am/4:23pm 39110-180th Ave SE
7:40am/4:15pm 24212 SE 380th St
8:05am/4:00pm 175th Lane & 400th
8:05am/3:59pm 174th Lane & 400th
8:07am/3:57pm 17627 SE 408th
8:06am/3:56pm 17635-408th St SE
8:09am/3:55pm 17760 SE 413th Place
8:11am/3:53pm 40106-180th Ave SE
8:13pm/3:50pm 41459 Aub/Enclw Rd SE
8:14am/3:49pm 41455 Aub/Enclw Rd SE
8:17am/3:44pm 16904-392nd St SE
8:19am/3:42pm 392nd St & 172nd St
8:21am/3:40pm Pow Wow grounds gate
8:23am/3:38pm 172nd St & Chimney/Canoe Family modular
8:25am/3:36pm 387th Place & 172nd St
3:35pm Youth Facility
8:30am/3:30pm Arrive/Leave School

Bus # 6 - Middle School / High School

6:20am/3:15pm 5003-166th Ave Ct, Lake Tapps
6:30am/3:10pm 908-71st St SE, Lakeland Hills
7:00am/2:38pm 2709 Skyway Lane SE (Wheel chair)
7:20am/2:30pm Arrive/Leave School

Bus # 6 - Elementary

7:35am/4:30pm 10309-177th Ave E, Bonney Lake
7:50am/4:10pm 5718 Olive Ave SE, Lakeland Hills
7:55am/4:05pm 6304 Rebecca Ave SE, Lakeland Hills
8:30am/3:30pm Arrive/Leave School

Bus # 9 - Middle School / High School

6:30am/3:07pm 1911 "C" St SE
6:40am/2:57pm 3846 "D" Place SE
6:47am/2:50pm 2021 "F" St SE
6:49am/2:49pm 1912 "R" St SE
6:50am/2:48pm 1924 "R" St SE
7:06am/2:43pm 5636 Auburn Way S
7:06am/2:43pm 5644 Auburn Way S
7:06am/2:43pm 5646 Auburn Way S
7:08am/2:42pm Juniper Lane/Juniper Ct
7:13am/2:37pm 3515 Orchard Place SE
7:15am/2:35pm 6307-37th Place SE
7:20 am/2:30pm Arrive/Leave School

Bus # 9 - Elementary

7:40am/4:20pm 1324-32nd St NE
7:45am/4:13pm 335-6th St NE
7:53am/4:05pm 970-12th St NE
7:56am/4:02pm 219 "D" St SE
8:00am/3:58pm 2824 "K" St SE
8:07am/3:51pm 1120-37th St SE
8:12am/3:48pm 1820 "R" St SE
8:12am/3:48pm 1824 "R" St SE
8:15am/3:45pm MDCD
8:25am/3:30pm Arrive/Leave School

Bus # 10 - Middle School / High School

6:15am/3:13pm Hwy 410 & Dairy Queen, Bonney Lake
6:40am/3:00pm 3052 Gossard St, Enumclaw
6:45am/2:55pm 320 Chinook Ave, Enumclaw
7:00am/2:40pm 40328-212th Ave SE, Enumclaw
7:20am/2:30pm Arrive/Leave School

Bus # 10 - Kindergarten

7:36am/3:25pm 36926 Aub/Enclw Rd SE
7:37am/3:26pm 36823 Aub/Enclw Rd SE
7:38am/3:38pm 36901 Aub/Enclw Rd SE
7:50am/3:50pm 17551-411th Lane SE
8:30am/3:30pm Arrive/Leave@School

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Any questions please call Transportation @ 253-931-6709 ext 3717...or Victoria cell# 253-261-1329 or John cell# 253-985-5959 THANK YOU!



Muckleshoot Tribal School Varsity Volleyball (Girls) 2012-2013

Table with columns: Day, Date, Opponent, Place, Time. Lists volleyball matches from Sep 11 to Oct 27.

Scholarship Program Updates

On August 10, 2012, the Muckleshoot Tribal Council passed Tribal Council resolution 12-164, "To Approve Guidelines for Provision of Living Expenses for Scholarship Recipients." This resolution will change the way in which living expenses are computed for some students under the Muckleshoot Scholarship Program.

To assist you in understanding if this resolution will affect students, the Financial Aid Division has put together some frequently asked questions about the resolution. The information below should answer your questions. However, if you still have questions or would like further information, the personnel of the Financial Aid Division are always happy to serve you.

Who is affected by Resolution 12-164? The resolution establishes two funding groups in the Scholarship program. Those groups are:

- Residential Students - Students that reside away from their permanent residence for a portion of the year for the sole purpose of attending a qualifying institution...
Commuter Students - Students who live at a permanent residence and commute to attend a qualifying institution.

What are the changes that Commuter Students will experience?

Students previously received funding for separate categories of living expense. Commuter and Part-Time students will now receive a flat rate funding that will be used by the student at their discretion to cover living expenses as needed.

"Amounts for room, board, transportation and child care will be provided for Muckleshoot Tribal members otherwise eligible to receive school aid under the Muckleshoot Scholarship Program who are enrolled students (an enrolled student is one that has been accepted to a qualifying institution under Muckleshoot Scholarship Guidelines, is attending such institution and remains in good standing as a student) as follows:

- 1. Students classified as 'commuter students' (students that live at a permanent residence and commute to attend a qualifying institution) based on an average of estimated living expenses at Washington State public two-year and four-year/graduate institutions.

- voc-tech/associate degree granting institutions \$8,460.00 annually or \$2,115.00 per quarter.
upper division (bachelor degree granting institutions) or graduate \$12,761.00 annually or \$3,190.00 per quarter.
A student enrolled in only on-line classes will be paid as a commuter student, less transportation expenses, at the following rates:
voc-tech/associate degree granting institutions \$6,860.00 annually or \$1,715.00 per quarter
upper division (bachelor degree granting institutions) or graduate \$11,161.00 annually or \$2,790.00 per quarter"

Why was this change needed? The Tribe instituted these changes in order to preserve the long-term integrity of the Scholarship Program and to provide educational opportunity for as many Tribal members as possible who meet the qualification standards of the program.

Remember, if you still have questions about your Muckleshoot Scholarship funding, be sure to contact someone at the Financial Aid Division Office for assistance. Please call 253-876-3378.



Tribal School Hosts Luncheon for Auburn School District Teachers & Administrators

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High school students participate in MTC Early College Program

By Robin Pratt

MUCKLESHOOT – Thirteen Muckleshoot high school students – most of whom were from Enumclaw High School and Muckleshoot Tribal School – had the opportunity this summer to attend the Early College Program at the Muckleshoot Tribal College.

MOST program manager Denise Bill offers this program each summer so students can have an opportunity to experience some of what being in college will be like. Students earn college credit, which can also be converted to high school credit if needed.

This summer, they each had an opportunity to earn college credits in Math or English, P.E., and Digital Design in Adobe Illustrator and Photoshop, all through the Northwest Indian College. The teachers were Randall Creek from MTS for Math, Angelo from MTS for English, Joshua for the digital design, and Robin Pratt for Health/PE and overseeing each days' program.

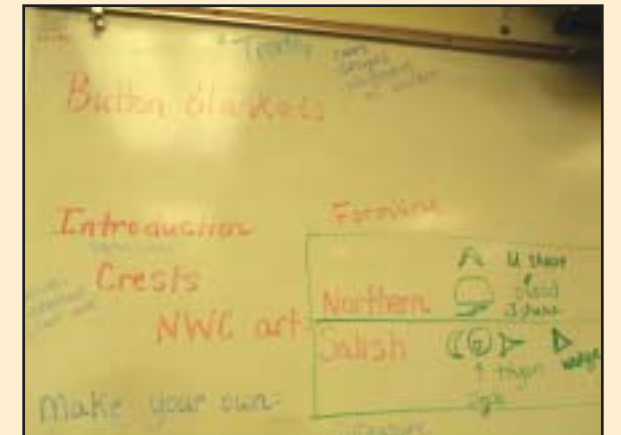
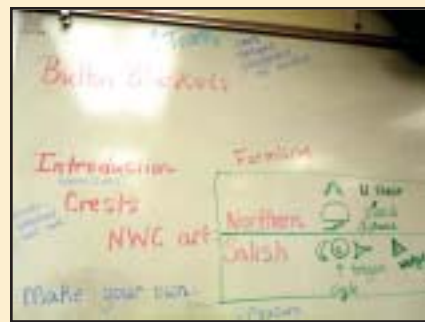
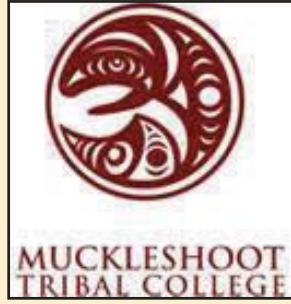
Highlights from this summer's program include college visits to University of Washington, Tacoma; The Evergreen State College, and Green River Community College, Enumclaw campus.

Cultural activities included making miniature button blankets, which are used by SE Alaskan and some Coastal Canadian and Washington tribes. Students also went to the Muckleshoot Canoe Journey landing at Alki Beach and the Puyallup Tribe's canoe journey landing at Dash Point State Park Beach.

For the Digital Design class, students learned how to rasterize and vectorize images from clip art, jpeg files, and more. Each student chose an image to work with that they had custom made into T-shirts that they received on the last day!


The thirteen students were so awesome to work with! All of them were great, but special recognition goes to Kaylee Nelson-Jerry, Olivia Courville, and Jose Sanchez – all had PERFECT ATTENDANCE!!!

The staff at the Tribal College is so supportive, and without the daily support – especially of Janet Emery, and then Michelle Rodarte, Cord Rose, and Renee Lozier – the program just wouldn't be the same or as successful! All the folks at the college seemed to have some part in this program. Thanks to Denise for having this vision, and Wilma Cabanas and (the ECE) so that students can have this awesome opportunity!



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Merry Christmas

Save The Date: December 19, 2012
Muckleshoot Tribal Christmas Dinner & Party

Definition of *BABY*: a) an infant; b) *slang*. Something that is one's special responsibility, achievement, or interest.

Definition of *BROTHER*: A male who has the same parents as another or one parent in common with another.

BABY BROTHERS: A male who has the same parents as another and is something that is one's special responsibility, achievement, or interest.

My Baby Brothers

Born June 8, 1994, I was going to be a big sister and I couldn't ask for more. As I grew older I come to realize they'd be what I'd lived for.

Gemini is the sign of Twins, SDD and JPD, are two of the most precious boys that anyone would ever see.

Growing up was hard at times, because I had not one baby brother to look after but I had two.

Everything is better when it comes in two's – especially when it comes to, "Sister, I love you."

I'm happy to say I was there for almost all of their firsts – first smile, first laugh, first food, first crawl, first step, and these are memories that will remain well kept.

Things were not always easy. We've had the best times, and others not so good, but we managed to get past it, like a family should.

It's crazy to believe, but it's June 8, 2012, my baby brothers are eighteen, and it's their Graduation Day.

I know you miss them – we all do – but know that Gramma and Grampa are always watching over you, so keep making them proud. You know it's them smiling when the sun rays break the clouds.

Not just my baby brothers, but two of the best friends I've ever had, so I should say thank you to our Mom and Dad.

With all that said, I am a proud sister of TWO Graduates of the Class 2012!

– Bettina Brown



MTS Grads, Class of 2012.



Sean, James and Bettina on prom night.



Best Friends



Sean and James dressed for the prom.

MOST PROGRAM I.T. SCHEDULED CLASSES

FALL QUARTER 2012	CLASS BEGINS OCT. 1, 2012
Morning Class 10AM-Noon Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday	A+ (1) Class – 11 SPOTS AVAILABLE
Afternoon Class 1-3PM Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday	Windows 7 – 11 SPOTS AVAILABLE
Evening Class 6-9PM Monday and Wednesday	A+ (2) Class – No Enrollment for this class as it is a roll-over for A+ (1) students.

**** PRE-REQUISITE REQUIRED TO ENROLL IN IT CLASSES;** student must have successfully completed a MOST Office Assistant Training Program OR pass the entry level exam with an 80% or higher.

ENTRY EXAMS ARE GIVEN ON TESTING/TUTORING TIMES NOTED ON THE MOST MONTHLY CALENDAR AND CLASSES ARE FILLED ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED BASIS.

ENROLLMENT IS FREE – OPEN TO ANYONE 18YRS. OLD OR OLDER W/ A HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR G.E.D. CLASSES BEGIN MONDAY, OCTOBER 1ST, 2012

REGISTRATION FOR FALL IT CLASSES WILL OPEN MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH, 2012

For more information contact:
JANET EMERY, DENISE BILL, RONNO LOZIER-BOERS OR Sarah Rogozala
 MOST PROGRAM STAFF BY PHONE @ 253.876.3183 OR EMAIL: JANET.EMERY@MUCKLESHOOT.NSN.US

GED Exam Schedule for Muckleshoot Tribal

If you are partially finished with your 5 tests, you need to finish by 2014 or start all of your tests over

September 26th Wednesday

We are changing the testing day to Wednesdays

Arrive 10 minutes early! You may choose only one test per time frame

- 9:00 Reading, or Social Studies, or Science
- 10:30 Reading, or Social Studies, or Science
- 12:30 Math OR Language Essay
- 2:45 Reading, or Social Studies, or Science

If you are planning on taking 4 tests in one day then do your Essay at 12:30 & do your Math the next testing session

A passing score is a 410; however you need an average of 450 to earn the 2250 points needed for your GED

Prior to taking your first test you must Pre-Register, please ask our GED staff to give you our GED Orientation & Pre-Register before testing day; do not wait until testing day. You must have all of your paperwork completed before entering the testing room. See what you need to bring below.

On testing day you must bring/provide 1) picture ID 2) proof of passing a pre-test @450+ 3) proof of payment 4) under the age of 19 must provide "waiver" form 5) first time testers must have a completed and signed "General Education Development testing" form AND the "State of WA Verification of Eligibility to take GED test" form, completely filled out before testing day.

Please be waiting outside the GED examination door Rm. #207 at least 10 minutes before testing latecomers will not be allowed in the testing room, you will have to come back another time.

Test Scores are available the next day after testing at 1:00 pm, not before. Pick them up in person.

If you have any other questions or concerns please call at 253-876-3183, or Mitzi Judge @ 253-876-3395

For GED tutoring & pre-testing here at MTC contact GED Instructor Alicia Woods at 253-876-3375

For Muckleshoot Tribal Member Scholarship call Marie Marquez 253-876-3382

You may look on line for more information at: www.muckleshoottribalcollege.com
 We are located at 39811 Auburn Enumclaw Road SE, Auburn WA 98092

You may also take your GED test at Green River Community College
 Monday, 9AM – 7PM \$15.00 per test, phone 253-833-9111 x 2652
 12401 Se 320th Auburn, WA 98002, www.greenriver.edu

ATTENTION PER CAPITA DIRECT DEPOSIT

IMPORTANT POINTS TO REMEMBER
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SEPTEMBER 28TH

ATTACH A VOIDED CHECK OR A LETTER FROM THE BANK PLEASE GIVE A PHONE NUMBER OR MESSAGE # IF YOUR ACCOUNT IS CLOSED OR IF YOU ARE CANCELING YOUR DIRECT DEPOSIT CONTACT US ASAP

DIRECT DEPOSIT INFORMATION

YOU MUST TURN IN YOUR DIRECT DEPOSIT FORM BY THE DEADLINE GIVEN FOR NEW BANK ACCOUNTS.

- MAKE SURE YOU HAVE THE CORRECT DIRECT DEPOSIT FORM FOR YOUR AGE GROUP.
- TEENS MUST GET THEIR FORM NOTARIZED OR SIGNED IN FRONT OF A FINANCE EMPLOYEE
- ATTACH A VOIDED CHECK OR A LETTER FROM YOUR BANK SHOWING YOUR ACCOUNT # AND ROUTING #
- PLEASE GIVE A PHONE # OR MESSAGE # TO CONTACT YOU IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS OR ISSUES. IF WE CANNOT CONTACT YOU ABOUT AN ISSUE YOU WILL NOT RECEIVE A DIRECT DEPOSIT UNTIL WE CAN RESOLVE THE MATTER IN QUESTION
- NOTIFY FINANCE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE IF YOUR ACCOUNT HAS BEEN CLOSED OR IT WILL DELAY YOU IN RECEIVING YOUR MONIES

DIRECT DEPOSIT PROCEDURES PROCEDURES FOR CLOSED BANK ACCOUNTS

IF YOUR ACCOUNT WAS CLOSED WHEN WE TRANSFERRED THE FUNDS, FINANCE HAS TO WAIT FOR THE BANK TO SEND US CONFIRMATION THAT THE MONEY DID NOT GO INTO YOUR ACCOUNT AND THAT THE FUNDS WERE RETURNED BACK TO THE TRIBE. ONCE THE TRIBE RECEIVES THE FUNDS A CHECK WILL BE ISSUED TO YOU IN OUR NEXT CHECK SESSION.

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5. Current dental exam
6. Income verification
7. Guardianship papers if applicable

I would love to answer your questions and get you started on the application TODAY!
 For additional information, call Leonie Rodarte at 253-876-2997, or email at leonie.rodarte@muckleshoot.nsn.us.



ATTENTION MIT SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

PLEASE BE AWARE THAT COUNCIL ADOPTED RESOLUTION 11-260

THIS TAX FUND POLICY STATES THAT PARTICIPANTS WHO HAVE ABUSED TAX FUNDS ARE INELIGIBLE FOR FUTURE PARTICIPATION IN THE TRIBAL PROGRAM THAT HAS BEEN ABUSED FOR A PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS AND REPAYMENT OF THE VALUE OF BENEFIT RECEIVED, INCLUDING WITHHOLDING OF THE TRIBAL MEMBER'S PER CAPITA DISTRIBUTION UNTIL REPAYMENT IS MADE.

If a student's GPA is 0.0 and/or the student receives ZERO CREDITS for the module, term, quarter, and/or semester registered, MIT Scholarship funding will cease and the student will become ineligible for a period of 5 years. The student will be required to repay the scholarship (including tuition and fees) issued for the period failed (GPA 0.0 and/or Zero Credits received). Students will be notified, by email or mail to the last current address on file in the Financial Aid Department, of the disqualification and of their appeals rights. It is your responsibility to update the Financial Aid Department of your grades and current address.

Marie Marquez, Financial Aid Director (253) 876-3382
Marie.Marquez@muckleshoot.nsn.us

Sonja Tuilata, Scholarship Program Manger (253) 876-3380
Sonja.Tuilata@muckleshoot.nsn.us

Claudia Miller, Administrative Specialist II (253)876-3318
Claudia.Miller@muckleshoot.nsn.us

For more information please contact the MIT Scholarship Office.
 Office hours: 8:00 am to 5:00 pm
 Fax No. (253) 876-3040

Keta Creek Family Derby 2012

PHOTOS BY TIM SINCLAIR



Muckleshoot Tribal Members -
 Come join us at Keta Creek Hatchery on Saturday Sept 29th. Start the morning off with a hot breakfast at 8:30am. Tribal Members of all ages, and their families, can fish from 10am till noon. The use of treble hooks or snagging of fish is strictly prohibited. We will provide worms, basic tackle, bags, and ice. After fishing, sit and enjoy lunch while we give out prizes for the biggest fish and draw for door prizes. Check out our derby gear and clothing at sale prices.
 Be sure to dress for the weather!

Fall Fishing Classic

September 29th
 Keta Creek Hatchery
 34900 212th Ave SE
 Auburn, WA 98092

MIT is not responsible for injuries, lost or stolen items. Please leave your pets at home.

For more information call Gali @ 876-3178



HEALING HANDS



Enjoy a Therapeutic Massage with penetrating hot packs to relax every aching muscle.

Massage is often used for:

- Headaches/Migraines
- TMJ (Jaw pain)
- Poor Circulation
- Improves mood
- Improves sleep
- Muscle and joint pain
- Pregnancy Massage

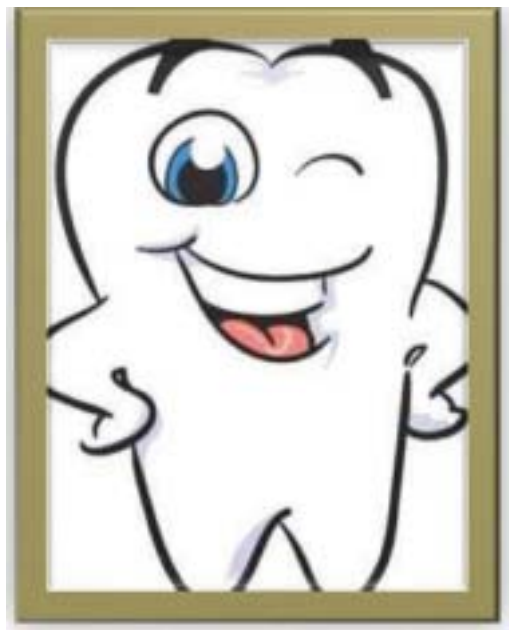
All eligible members are welcome

Muckleshoot Massage Therapy

Mon-Friday 8am-5pm Closed daily 12-1 for lunch 253-939-6648



New Walk In Hours



HWC Dental Clinic

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday at 8am
Wednesday at 1pm

Sick and don't want to wait long hours in a Hospital Emergency Room?

There are local Urgent Care Centers that can help YOU!

Sore throat, ankle injury, ear ache, upper respiratory infections are just few of the things they can help with. They can do lab work and x-rays too, if needed.

Urgent Care Centers:

Multicare Urgent Care, Auburn (253) 876-8111

202 Cross St SE, Auburn

Hours and Times:

Monday - Friday, 8am to 8pm;

Saturday and Sunday, 8am to 4pm

Location: down by Mazatlan Restaurant and Big Foot Java on Aub Way S.

Valley Medical Center Urgent Care, Auburn (253) 395-2005

1000 Auburn Way S, Auburn

Hours and Times: Monday - Friday, 8am to 8pm;

Saturday and Sunday, 8am to 4pm

Location: across the street from Farmer's Market/U-Haul Rental on Aub Way S.

Multicare Urgent Care, Kent (253) 372-7788

222 State Ave N, Kent

Hours and Times:

Monday - Friday, 8am to 8pm;

Saturday and Sunday, 8am to 6pm

If you need to seek medical care after 5:00pm on week days, weekends or when HWC is closed, you may obtain services from these urgent care centers. You must call the CHS Office for a purchase order number within **72 hours or 3 days of being seen**. Please have your insurance information ready to give their front desk staff.

If you are too sick to call, a family member or friend can call for you. Please call CHS (253) 939-6648, if you have any questions.

Cd/urgent care notice 01-30-12

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



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 (253) 804-8752

Massage Therapy *30 min. appointments*

*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
253-939-6648



BACK TO SCHOOL

Back to school checklist:

- ✓ Notebook
- ✓ Pencils
- ✓ Annual Eye Examination

Check with CHS for eligibility and schedule your back to school Eye Examination today at the Muckleshoot Optical. (253)939-6648

MIT HEALTH & WELLNESS CENTER SHUTTLE BUS SERVICE

Effective 07/02/12

Pick-up times are approximate

Monday-Friday Schedule

8am-9 pm

BUS ROUTE REPEATS ITSELF

EVERY HOUR ON THE HOUR

No service between 11:00 a.m. - Noon Monday-Friday

START	END	
1 st Run	Last Run	
8:00 am	8:00pm	Health & Wellness Center
8:05	8:05	Finasee Building
8:10	8:10	Virginia Cross Education Center (5602 Auburn Way S.)
8:15	8:15	Dogwood St SE (Behind Tribal Store)
8:20	8:20	Green Tree Apartments (behind Casino)
8:25	8:25	17 th Street SE
8:30	8:30	N.W. Family Church (Across from Chinook School)
8:40	8:40	Davis Property
8:45	8:45	Skopuloh Village
8:50	8:50	Cedar Village
8:52	8:52	Pentecostal Church
8:54	8:55	Senior Center on 392 nd ST.

Last Scheduled Route begins at 8:00 PM

Saturday Schedule

10am-2 pm

START	END	
10:00 am	1:00pm	Health & Wellness Center
10:10	1:10	Virginia Cross Education Center (5602 Auburn Way S.)
10:15	1:15	Dogwood St SE (Behind Tribal Store)
10:20	1:20	Green Tree Apartments (behind Casino)
10:25	1:25	17 th Street SE
10:30	1:30	N.W. Family Church (Across from Chinook School)
10:40	1:40	Davis Property
10:45	1:45	Skopuloh Village
10:50	1:50	Cedar Village
10:52	1:52	Pentecostal Church

Last Scheduled Route begins at 1:00PM

BUS ROUTE REPEATS ITSELF EVERY HOUR ON THE HOUR

Subject to change during adverse weather and unscheduled service disruption

NEED A "MEETING" TO HELP YOU !! ?

Alcoholics Anonymous -AA & Narcotics Anonymous NA

Meetings on the Rez

Tuesday 12:00-1:00pm A.A.

M.I.T. Recovery House

39225 180th Ave S.E.

Auburn, WA

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

Health & Wellness Center Program Hours

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

*There is no Shuttle/Bus service from 11-12 pm M-F.

Program Name	Phone No.	Closed-Lunch
Main Number to HWC	(253) 939-6648	12:00-1:00
Behavioral Health (Mental Health & Chemical Dep)	(253) 804-8752	Open
Family & Youth BH Services	(253) 333-3605	12:00-1:00
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
Shuttle/Bus Service	(253) 939-6648	11:00-12:00
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 Sept, Oct & Nov 2012

Day	Date	Times Closed	Reason for Closure
Thursday	10/04/12	8-9 am	Monthly All Staff Meeting
Thursday	11/01/12	8-9 am	Monthly All Staff Meeting
Monday	11/12/12	All Day	Veteran's Day Holiday
Wednesday	11/21/12	1-8 pm	Thanksgiving Day Eve Holiday
Thursday	11/22/12	All Day	Thanksgiving Day Holiday
Friday	11/23/12	All Day	Tribal Holiday

"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

Is Heroin Running Your Life? There is help.

Call 253-804-8752

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.

CONTRACT HEALTH SERVICE (CHS) NOTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

CHS OFFICE (253) 939-6648

1. 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).
2. 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).
3. Prior notification does not guarantee CHS 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.

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

Dental Clinic Location & Hours (253) 939-2131

We are located on the 2nd floor of the Health & Wellness Center.

Appointment Times	Emergency Walk In Times
Monday 8:00am-5:00pm	8:00-8:30 am.
Tuesday 8:00am-5:00pm	8:00-8:30 am
Wednesday 9:00am-5:00pm	1:00-1:30 pm
Thursday 8:00am-5:00pm	8:00-8:30 am
Friday 8:00am-5:00pm	8:00-8:30 am
Closed Daily 12:00-1:00pm	

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 MHCW 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.

A Healthy Smile for Your Baby

Brought to you by your team at:
Muckleshoot Health and Wellness Center Dental Clinic

You can prevent Baby Bottle Tooth Decay and your baby can have a happy smile.

If your baby is still using a nighttime bottle with a sugary liquid, your baby may get Baby Bottle Tooth Decay and won't have a healthy smile.

Teach your baby healthier ways to settle down to sleep:

- Rock baby
- Use a mobile or music box
- Use a clean pacifier
- Use a soft toy or blanket

The Facts about Baby Bottle Tooth Decay

What does Baby Bottle Tooth Decay look like?



You may notice this



but it could look like this

Who gets Baby Bottle Tooth Decay?

- Babies around 12 – 18 months old

What causes Baby Bottle Tooth Decay?

- It is most often caused by letting babies fall asleep with a bottle filled with milk, formula, soda pop, juice, or anything other than plain water.

Remember, breaking a habit takes time. Your baby may fuss a bit for a few nights but once the baby quits sleeping with the bottle, the habit is broken.

This was developed through a grant from the Bureau of Maternal and Child Health, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services to the Ohio Department of Health, CDCM002

HWC Dental Clinic Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:00 am – 5:00 pm, Wednesday 9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Walk-In Times: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 8:00 am – 9:00 am, Wednesday 9:00 am – 10:00 am
Phone Number: 253-939-2131

Muckleshoot Elders Complex Monthly Newsletter

September Birthdays

Monti Lozier	09/06	Mary Lou Anderson	09/18
Leroy Anderson	09/06	Carolyn Sloppy	09/19
Randy Ross	09/08	Marlene Cross	09/20
Delbert Starr	09/09	Ralph Lozier	09/21
Rodney Moses	09/10	Ann Daniels	09/21
Dorothy Williams	09/11	Theresa Jerry	09/22
Kathy Crombie	09/11	Elaine Maurice	09/24
Henrietta KingGeorge	09/12	John Loftus	09/27
Franklin Lozier	09/13	Berlinda Adair	09/27
Pat Fleming	09/14	Cathleen Shultz	09/28
Jackie Swanson	09/16	Rodney Courville	09/30
Jeff Calvert	09/18	Mary Baker	09/30



- Bev Courville
- Charlie Sailto
- Christine Purcell
- Debbie Anderson
- Doris Allen
- Doug Moses
- Elaine Sandoval
- Elwood & Sharon Irving
- Jeanne Moses
- Lana James & Martha Zavola
- Linda Romas
- Lorraine Cross
- Margo Pacheco
- Millie Jones
- Pearl Suchan
- Roland & Hazel Black
- Sherene Berry
- Sophie Courville
- Thomas McJoe



Cat Tail

We were able to take a day and head up mountains to gather Cat Tail this week thank you for the time and effort it took with Adult work training program and Lorraine Cross for our Basketweavers to use in the future.

Chronic Disease Self Management Program

The Chronic Disease Self Management Program (CDSMP) is a program that was developed at the University of Stanford in 2006. The purpose of this program is to get the individuals with chronic diseases on a path for a better and healthy life. Gail Farmin, Noreen Milne, and Tony Gonzales were sent to a workshop to become facilitators to pass on the knowledge to help our elders that are willing to change the lifestyle they are in to become healthier by learning how to self – manage their lives. One workshop has been given to our elders back in April of 2012 the individuals we would like to recognize that have made this step are Terri Starr, Carrie Rincon, Marie Johnson, Arlene Martinez.

2012 Canoe Journey

Canoe Journey was another great event we were able to attend than you to all those who joined us in front row seating to be a part of our culture and history for 2012 canoe journey at Squaxin Island.

Elders Breakfast

Muckleshoot Casino, Spice Bay Buffet, September 27 @ 9:00 am. Breakfast is for guests 50+. Please call if you require transportation.

Energy Assistance

Please contact the Resource Center for questions regarding energy and emergency assistance. 253 876-3336

Wood & Kindling

To place an order for a wood delivery, please call Public Works, 253 876-2975.

Transportation Department

Anthony Gonzales can be reached at 253 876-2887 to schedule a transport. Per policy, 24 hour notice will be required to schedule a transport.

Wendy Burdette
Senior Services Manager
253 876-3259

Anthony Gonzales
Transporter
253 876-2887

Tiffany Escalon
Receptionist
253 876-2888

Noreen Milne
Activities Coordinator
253 876-3023

Gail Farmin
Cook
53 876-2882

PHOTOS BY JOHN LOFTUS



You are cordially invited to celebrate with us
Grand Opening
Muckleshoot Elders Complex

September 26, 2012

10:00 am - 2:00 pm

*17800 SE 392nd Street
Auburn, WA 98092*

*Blessing • Ribbon Cutting
Dinner • Entertainment*

*Hosted by
Muckleshoot Tribal Council
Muckleshoot Elders Program
Muckleshoot Tribal Elders*

For Information Contact: 253.876.2888



Muckleshoot's 2012 National Night Out

By Deputy Ron Richs

What is it and what's the purpose? National Night Out is a national program that happens the first Tuesday of August every year. It's an event designed to:

- Heighten crime and drug prevention awareness;
- Generate support for, and participation in, local anticrime programs;
- Strengthen neighborhood spirit and police-community partnership;
- Send a message to criminals letting them know that neighborhoods are organized and fighting back.

This year we decided to hold the event at the Powwow grounds, just across the street from the Health & Wellness Center. There was plenty of food and desserts, water slides for the kids and other entertainment. It was a chance for the community and tribal departments to get to know each other better. The turnout was great and we expect it to be higher next year. At 7:15 PM, our very own Guardian One helicopter landed and the community had a chance to sit inside it and ask our pilots questions.

This event was made possible by partnering with several tribal departments, KCSO departments, and the countless community members who made this such a success.

A special thanks for all of you who showed up to support this very important event. I look forward to seeing you again in August 2013.

Deputy Ron Richs

Muckleshoot Tribal Police – Housing Authority
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(Office) 253-876-3027 / (Fax) 253-735-6473
ronald.richs@kingcounty.gov





GET PREPARED!

A children's National Preparedness Month song written by teachers and students of Parks Elementary School in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Sung to the tune of "She'll Be Comin' Round the Mountain"

Oh, September is the month to get prepared
For emergencies at home or anywhere
So now get your act together
Be prepared for stormy weather.
Oh, September is the month to get prepared.

Know some basic stuff goes in your disaster kit,
So be sure to make a list and don't forget
Make your family plans together
Be prepared for any weather
Oh, September is the month to get prepared.

You need tools and food and water for 3 days.
Also, radio, flashlight batteries for your stay.
Grab your first aid kit and some clothes to wear.
Don't forget your underwear!
Oh, September is the month to get prepared.

Oh, September is the month to get prepared.
You will know just what to do and not be scared.
So let's get our kits together
We're prepared for stormy weather
Cause September is the month to be prepared.



Emergency Survival Kit Word Search

www.ontario.ca/emo

Find and circle the items that should be in your Emergency Survival kit.

water	batteries	whistle
food	candles	first aid kit
clothes	money	radio
flashlight	keys	toilet paper
cards	blankets	medication

P O E M A T W A T E R A R E D D O O F P O E M J G F I
 T A R E D C L O T H E S O E M T H G I L H S A L F V I N A N
 U S D A R C B A T T E R I E S D I E S T S E L D N A C O E
 R S I M Y E N O M R S I M K E Y S D I E S U E M A H N
 T S T E K N A L B E W H I S T L E I E S K D N H B I D O I F O
 T U Y W N U D L B W K N B E L J I F S F I R S T A I D K I T O
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TRIBAL AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS

The Muckleshoot Tribe's Emergency Preparedness Department is actively seeking Tribal Members who would like to represent their families in the cases of emergencies that can happen during a disaster on the Muckleshoot Reservation.

YOU will represent YOUR family or YOUR area and will be a part of a Tribal Member Emergency Operations Team (TMEOT). You will learn how to effectively respond to your area and learn to assist in the recovery efforts of the tribal community. *(age restrictions may apply to certain areas of training)*

You will also:

- ✓ Meet and Train with our Tribal and Local Emergency Management partners
- ✓ Visit other EOC's (Emergency Operations Centers) learn how they operate during an emergency
- ✓ Learn to MAP your Neighborhoods or family Cul De Sacs and neighborhoods
- ✓ Train and become certified in different areas of EP
- ✓ Become a Certified Trainer so that you can teach and train YOUR family and Community
- ✓ Prepare emergency equipment (jump sacks) for your area and for individual use
- ✓ Learn or teach others how to prepare and store foods for long term storage for emergency use
- ✓ Become a Certified HAM radio operator
- ✓ Share your knowledge of EP with your Tribal community and Family members
- ✓ Learn Sheltering Operations and Management
- ✓ Don't wait until it's too late to learn the basics skills of EP, prepare yourself before the event happens!

Contact Ada McDaniel for more information at 253-876-3247.
Or join us September 28th, 2012 at the Philip Starr Cougar Room from 3pm - 6pm to help brainstorm your ideas and begin the process of a Tribal Community Based Emergency Response Team. *Door Prizes, snacks included.*

50 WAYS TO USE PLASTIC TRASH BAGS DURING AN EMERGENCY

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Wear as a poncho 2. Keep feet dry 3. Keeps items dry 4. Store waste when toilets are out of order 5. Use as signal flag 6. Wear as a rain hat 7. Haul and store trash 8. Use for fly screen 9. Use as a ground cloth 10. Use as an arm sling 11. Wear under clothing as an insulator 12. Melt snow 13. Use sections to mix food or drinks | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 14. Use as part of a solar water still 15. Tie ends and inflate for a water life jacket 16. Wear as thermal boots 17. For food storage 18. Transport food 19. Inflate use as a pillow 20. Stuff small portion to make a ball for recreation 21. Use as emergency water bag 22. Use as a sleeping bag 23. Use as a blanket in case of shock 24. Make covered or shade area 25. Use as a tourniquet 26. Use as a body bag | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 27. Use as a triangle bandage 28. Use to tie splints 29. Use as a restricting band 30. Use as a catch basin for rain water 31. Use as patch for leaks 32. Create privacy by tying several dark colored bags to trees or posts 33. Use as a wind break 34. Use as an emergency signal when placed on the ground and stabilized with rocks 35. Use as a vomit bag 36. Use to make smaller bags 37. Use for plates 38. Make a litter cover 39. Use as a wind sock 40. Use as a trail marker 41. Use as a group flag 42. Use to separate dirty items from clean items 43. Use for a backpack 44. Use several for a tent 45. To cover hands and arms as gloves 46. To mark toxic waste areas 47. For an ice bag for swelling and sprains 48. Cut in strips for splint ties |
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Leave the line behind...

Get ready to vote

- Keep your name and address updated with Elections
- Contact Elections if your ballot didn't arrive
- Get the ballot back early

King County votes by mail!

OCT 8

Deadline to update voter information or register to vote

OCT 17

General election ballots mailed

OCT 29

New voter in-person registration deadline

NOV 6

General election day

King County Elections | www.kingcounty.gov/elections | 206-296-VOTE (8683) or 1-800-325-6165

Register to Vote

Upcoming Voter Registration Notice

Monday, October 8, 2012
1:00-5:00 PM

Phillip Starr Building in Cougar Room

- Refreshments • Voter Registration •
- Voter Information •

Double Your Chances at winning

Receive Bonus Raffle Ticket for Grand Prize on November 5, 2012

~*~ Register to Vote or Bring in Voters Card ~*~

October 8, 2012 = 1 Raffle Ticket

~*~ Submit Voting Ballot ~*~

November 5, 2012 = 1 Raffle Ticket

= Two Tickets for Grand Prize Drawing

November 5, 2012 location to be announced

For More Information
call Ada McDaniel at 253.876.3247
or Grant Timentwa at 253.876.3327

Breaking of the Dawn

ARRIVAL OF A NEW DAY

Article and Photos by Margaret Burnett

On August 17-18 the Pentecostal Church provided the venue for a native gathering that brought together members of many tribes: Breaking of the Dawn, Arrival of a New Day. The gathering honored Creator Jesus and included inspiring worship, feasting, and a give-away.

Friday night started with a dinner that featured abundant salmon, followed by a Muckleshoot welcome song led by Doris Allen and Marie Johnson, assisted by the Pentecostal Church choir. Each singer had a red shawl, symbolizing the shed blood of Jesus, and many had their tribal symbol and name on their shawls.

This group was followed by a number of other singers and speakers, with evangelist and drum maker Jerry Chapman acting as emcee. Saturday was a day of honoring many with special gifts, including every tribe that was represented by at least one person, and enjoying worship expressed in singing, drumming and dancing.

Breakfast, lunch, and dinner were served for all who were there. The evening ended with the give-away, which seemed to go on and on; it lasted for over an hour, until all of the many donated items, some of them hand-crafted, had been given away.

Many of the attendees stayed over until Sunday, and the feasting continued with breakfast before Sunday School and lunch after church. Worship was led by Dan Lundy, a Siletz tribal member, and Sacred Ground, part of Messenger Ministries, a ministry to Alaskan natives led by Dan and his wife, LaRita. It gave those who attended the gathering one more chance to join together in drumming, dancing, and singing as worship to God. Jerry Chapman helped with the drumming, and also shared the message.

The day ended with clean up, with many staying to help. All those who stayed until after lunch had the opportunity to take home an abundance of leftover food.



Muckleshoot Pentecostal Church
Kenny Williams, Pastor

SCHEDULE

Sunday	11:00 AM	Church Service
Tuesday	12:00 Noon	Prayer Meeting
Wednesday	6:30 PM	Bible Study
Thursday	12:00 Noon	Support Group Meeting
Thursday	7:00 PM	Spanish (language) Church
Friday	7:00 PM	Prayer Meeting
3rd Saturday	10:00 AM	Prayer Meeting

Marie Solomon, Housing Employee of the Month

Marie Solomon was recently honored as the July 2012 Housing Employee of the month. We would like to congratulate Marie for her outstanding service at MHA.



PHOTO BY JERRY ATANASOV

Marie started with MHA in November 2002 and through the years, her dedication to the tribe and to her position has grown. You can tell that she loves her job and is a committed, hard worker. Marie is an all around team-player who frequently fills in for other finance employees when they are on vacation or out sick.

Thank you Marie for your dedication to the Housing Program.

Ama Tuato'o, Executive Director
Muckleshoot Housing Authority

Welcome to a back to school fun day!!!

Date: Saturday 9/29/2012
Time: 12 pm - 3 pm

Come join us for the fun...

Puppet shows!
Carnival! & Food!



WELCOME HOME! Elaine Sandoval and her family in front of her elders home.

PHOTO BY CHERYL O'BRIEN

MHA Tenant Appreciation Picnic

PHOTOS BY DEPUTY RON RIEHS

On 08-24-12 the Muckleshoot Housing Authority held its annual Tenant Appreciation Picnic. We had tons of activities for the kids and some great Barbeque along with Schwans Ice Cream and Cotton Candy. Thanks to everyone who was able to make this event. We look forward to seeing you again next August!



Big Brothers Big Sisters helps out at Muckleshoot National Night Out

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Puget Sound Native American Initiative at Muckleshoot had fun supporting the Muckleshoot National Night Out with the salmon tent. The Salmon tent was on loan from the United States Department of Agriculture at North Bend Ranger station to the Native American children of the Northwest. Inside children heard North West Coastal stories gifted to Uri Israel, storyteller of Comanche, Cherokee Heritage.



Youth investigates the salmon storytelling tent donated by the USDA for the Muckleshoot National Night Out.

Uri is the Big Brother's Big Sisters of Puget Sound Tribal Match Program. Uri can be reached at 206861-4729 if you would like to volunteer for a year to mentor a Native American Muckleshoot child or youth. In addition she is looking to enroll children whose parents/guardians and children are seeking some fun experiences with a Big Brother or Big Sister for a year.

"Tex" Baker Family Supports Canoe Family



The Family of George "Tex" Baker, Comanche, Cherokee, has donated in his honor a 10 X 20 walled canopy tent and tent weights to the Muckleshoot Tribal Canoe Family.

"Our father loved pow wows and cultural events when he was a youth in Texas and Oklahoma. This gift honors him by supporting the wonderful community and cultural activities being done through Canoe Journey at Muckleshoot," his daughter Uri Israel stated.

Uri is the Tribal Match Coordinator at Muckleshoot for Big Brothers Big Sisters of Puget Sound. If you are interested in volunteering to mentor a Native American child or have a child or children you would like to have a mentor of a Big Brother or Big Sister call Uri at 206 861 4729.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Puget Sound

Perhaps at one of the pow wows this summer you may have noticed the larger white tent with children engaged in art activities. This function has been sponsored by the Big Brothers Big Sisters of Puget Sound Native American Initiative at Muckleshoot. Big Brothers Big Sisters of Puget Sound is working towards building mentorship for Native American youth and children at Muckleshoot.



Val, who created this artwork for the community tent, was mentored by a Big Brother in his youth and later went on to build a couple of canoes and helped restore a 1940's Northwest tribal canoe built from a 1000 year old cedar tree. Val said, "My big brother was a good mentor, very calm. He took me fishing at 3:30 in the mornings. He helped me learn to have confidence in myself and respect others."

Val created the artwork in the Big Brothers Big Sisters of Puget Sound Native American Initiative tent. If you would like to volunteer to mentor a child or youth for a year or have your child be mentored by a Big Brother or Big Sister please call Uri Israel at 206 861 4729.



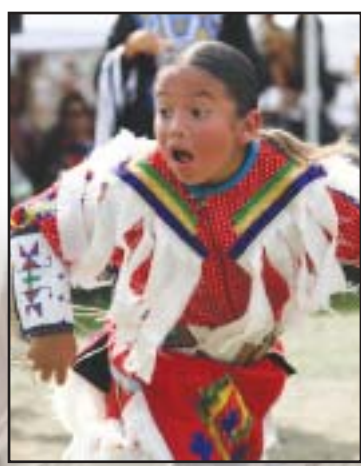
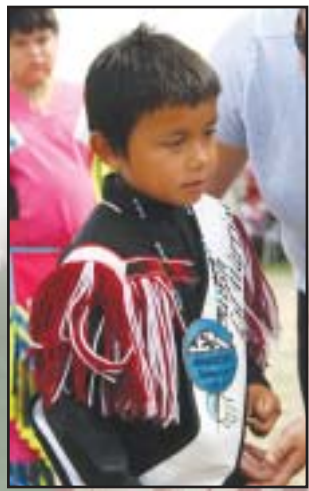
Skopabsh Pow Wow 2012

August 24, 25 & 26, 2012 ~ Muckleshoot Pow Wow Grounds

PHOTOS BY JOHN LOFTUS & CHANTEL O'BRIEN



MUCKLESHOOT SKOPABSH ROYALTY FOR 2012-'13. L-R: Little Miss Skopabsh Leeschelle Rojero, Kiya Sandy Heddrick, Junior Miss Skopabsh Lauryn Courville, Miss Skopabsh LaShawna Starr, Little Warrior Troy WhiteEagle and Warrior John Starr Jr.







MUCKLESHOOT POLICE



Muckleshoot Police August Recap

NOTE: Those subjects listed as "arrested" or "arrested via citation" means there is enough evidence for the police to prefer charges. None have been convicted yet.

08/01/12 2:27 PM 12-179197 Davis Property DV Assault
Kevin Wayne (35) was arrested for "Assault in the Fourth Degree Domestic Violence (DV)." Wayne assaulted an adult female relative by throwing her down and placing his hands around her neck. Wayne was booked into the Regional Justice Center (RJC) Jail.

08/02/12 1:00 AM 12-179682 39000 block 164 AV SE Vandalism
Rebecca Underwood-Elkins (22) was cited for "Malicious Mischief (Vandalism) in the Third Degree." Underwood-Elkins threw a softball through the window of an elder's home. Underwood-Elkins could not be located for booking but was cited (charged.)

08/02/12 6:52 PM 12-180238 Skopabsh Village Trespass
Patricia Rincon (27) was trespassed from all Muckleshoot Tribal Housing Authority property for a period of one year by a deputy at the request of a Housing Authority staff member.

08/02/12 4:39 PM 12-180231 Skopabsh Village Person with a Weapon
An adult male got into a physical fight with another adult male. When the second male took out a bat the first male pulled a black handgun out of his backpack and pointed it at the second male before taking off on foot. After the deputy searched for the first male the second male was gone also, no one wanted to assist the deputy with the investigation.

08/03/12 12:28 PM 12-180916 17600 block SE 413 PL Burglary
A senior male reported the burglary of his storage shed. Taken were two sets of studded tires, a Stihl weed eater, Echo Timerwolf chainsaw and Spraytex Apex Series paint sprayer.

08/03/12 5:30 PM 12-181156 Muckleshoot Deli Assault
Gary Lyons (54) assaulted a senior male in front of a deputy at the Muckleshoot Deli. Lyons hit the senior, threw him to the ground and slammed his head into the sidewalk. Lyons was arrested by the deputy for "Assault in the Fourth Degree" and booked into the King County Jail.

08/04/12 4:00 PM 12-181862 White River Amphitheater Trespass
Jill McCurdy (21), assaulted another adult female, the victim did not wish to assist in prosecution. McCurdy was trespassed for her behavior, after she refused to leave the property after being trespassed she was arrested for "Trespass in the Second Degree" and booked into the King County Jail.

08/04/12 7:30 PM 12-181945 White River Amphitheater Auto Theft
An adult male reported the theft of his silver 2007 Chrysler PT Cruiser from the parking lot during a concert.

08/04/12 11:30 PM 12-182194 17800 block SE 408 ST Juvenile Runaway
A foster mother reported a foster child as a runaway.

08/04/12 11:30 PM 12-182117 37400 block Auburn-Enumclaw RD SE Warrant Arrest
Ricky Apodaca (20) was arrested on a misdemeanor Auburn warrant for "Assault in the Fourth Degree" with a \$5,000 bail. Apodaca was booked into the SCORE Jail on the warrant.

08/06/12 12:10 PM 12-183306 Pow-Wow Grounds Theft
A 6' folding Lifetime table and a wheeled Vaultz tote/chest were reported stolen. The theft occurred during the Sobriety Pow-Wow.

08/07/12 9:30 PM 12-183783 39000 block 164 AV SE Warrant Arrest
Thadious Lozier (21) was arrested on a felony no bail Department Of Corrections (DOC) warrant. Lozier was booked into the Enumclaw Jail.

08/09/12 12:55 AM 12-185660 4900 block Hit and Run
Albert Whiteeagle Jr (27) was arrested via citation for "Hit and Run" after the vehicle he was in was seen going at a high rate of speed by a deputy. In an attempt to get away from the deputy Whiteeagle hit a park car and then hit the deck of a house. The adult male passenger was found hiding in the bushes nearby, Whiteeagle was not located at the time.

08/09/12 2:45 PM 12-186029 41400 block Auburn-Enumclaw RD SE Assault
Edward Heddrick (19) and Collin Harris (19) were arrested via citation for "Assault in the Fourth Degree" after they assaulted an adult male. Neither Heddrick or Harris could be located at the time for booking.

08/10/12 5:11 PM 12-187031 41400 block Auburn-Enumclaw RD SE Robbery
An adult male tribal member is being investigated for the assault and robbery of his adult female girlfriend.

08/11/12 5:45 AM 12-187475 41100 block 180 AV SE Assault
An adult female is being investigated for assaulting another adult female by punching her in the face at a party. The suspect was gone when deputies arrived.

08/13/12 2:54 PM 12-189254 17600 block SE 400 ST Trespass
Cynthia Blanusa (52) was trespassed from all Muckleshoot Housing Authority properties by a deputy at the request of a Housing Authority staff member.

08/13/12 11:00 PM 12-189635 38500 block Auburn-Enumclaw RD SE Burglary
An adult male owner of a vacant house under renovation checked on the house, he found the front door damaged and slightly open. Nothing inside the house was disturbed, the victim thinks the suspect(s) were looking for cooper wire as cooper wire had been stolen from the house in the past.

08/14/12 10:15 AM 12-189912 Muckleshoot Child & Family Services Assault/Vandalism
Carrie Mueller (33) was arrested for two counts of "Assault in the Fourth Degree" and one count of "Vandalism." Mueller assaulted her adult male boyfriend and grabbed and pushed a staff member when they tried to intervene. Mueller broke a clock and a window and put a hole in the drywall. Mueller was booked into the Regional Justice Center (RJC) Jail.

08/16/12 12:30 AM 12-191467 Pow Wow Grounds Fight
A deputy came across a fight at the Pow Wow Grounds on the corner of SE 392 ST and 172 AV SE. The group dispersed when they saw the deputy. A juvenile stayed behind that said they had just been punched but refused to assist the deputy in anyway. The incident was further investigated at multiple locations. It appears the disturbance was a mutual fight between juveniles and young adults, no one wanted to be a victim or assist the deputies.

08/16/12 10:00 AM Muckleshoot Indian Reservation Child Abuse/Neglect
Child Protective Services (CPS) referral of suspicious circumstances involving a child. Details are being kept confidential due to the nature of the case and is still under investigation.

08/16/12 8:00 PM 12-192237 SE 388 ST/160 PL SE Warrant Arrest
Austina Kahama-Luke (18) was arrested on an Enumclaw misdemeanor warrant for "Theft in the Third Degree" with a \$20,000 bail. Kahama-Luke was booked into the Enumclaw Jail.

08/16/12 9:22 PM 12-192296 Skopabsh Village Burglary
An adult female reported that her Kenmore window air conditioner and an Elks clock were stolen from her house.

08/17/12 11:00 AM 12-192698 Cedar Village Threats by Phone
Incesio Bonilla-Vallejo (26) was charged with "Telephone Harassment (DV)" for threatening his adult female ex-girlfriend and her new boyfriend by phone.

08/17/12 12:00 AM 12-193607 Cedar Village Animal Problem
A dog bit a Muckleshoot Housing Authority employee inside the resident's home. The Housing Authority staff had received other reports of the dog acting aggressively. The tenant was told that they would have to get rid of the dog. The resident turned the dog over to King County Animal Control for adoption.

08/18/12 11:30 PM 12-194046 SE 400 ST/172 AV SE Assault
A car was stopped after a witness said a male was being beat in it. There were two adult male brothers and a third adult male in the car. One brother had injuries but would not tell deputies how he got them. The other brother said he did not know how his brother got the injuries. A case report was written for documentation purposes.

08/20/12 10:00 AM 12-194993 Muckleshoot Indian Reservation Rape
A rape case taken by Auburn Police was forwarded to the Sheriff's Office as it happen in the Muckleshoot Police jurisdiction. Details are being kept confidential due to the nature of the case and an ongoing investigation.

08/20/12 10:00 AM Muckleshoot Indian Reservation Sex Offense
CPS referral of an alleged sexual assault. Details are being kept confidential due to the nature of the case and an ongoing investigation.

08/20/12 5:45 PM 12-195345 41100 block 180 AV SE Threats by Phone
A juvenile is receiving threats via text messaging. A deputy has investigated and followed up on the case.

08/29/12 3:03 PM 12-202885 16500 block SE 392 ST Warrant Arrest
Jeffrey Carrillo (31) was arrested on a King County felony warrant for "Child Molestation in the First Degree" with a \$35,000 bail. Carrillo was booked into the Regional Justice Center (RJC) Jail.

08/29/12 3:30 PM 12-203100 16300 block SE 388 ST Burglary
An adult male reported the burglary of his house. A rear window to the house had been smashed, a Craftsman gas lawnmower, Craftsman 18 gallon compressor and green 21cc gas weed eater were stolen.

08/31 12 1:16 AM 12-204238 Skopabsh Village Suspicious Circumstance
An adult female reported that a neighbor called her saying that there were three known subjects in her house while she was not home. When the female returned home the subjects were gone, nothing appeared missing. The female did not want to assist in prosecution for trespassing, she only wanted the incident documented in a police report.

08/31/12 8:30 AM 12-204408 14500 block SE 368 PL Burglary
A new house under construction was burglarized. A new refrigerator, dishwasher and range were stolen.

08/31/12 11:45 AM 12-204566 38000 block 176 AV SE Burglary
A senior female reported the burglary of her house. Taken was a Toshiba Thrive tablet with a 10.1" screen and two jars of coins.

08/31/12 4:04 PM 12-204777 Skopabsh Village Drunkenness
Deputies were called to a house for a party complaint, an extremely intoxicated adult female was contacted. The female ran from deputies and the aid crew trying to treat her. The female ran into the road and into traffic. The female was sent to the hospital for detox due to extreme intoxication level and endangering herself.



THE OLD BOY'S STILL GOT IT! Steve Heddrick, a lifelong logger who's topped many a tree in his day, thought he just might have it in him to do one more. The tree had sentimental value – Janet Emery remembers planting the tree when she was about eight years old, along with sister Michele and brother Frank. But it had to come down. Sandy's new elder home will be built on the site, and they had to make room. Steve did admit to being a bit sore afterwards, but he darn well can still top a tree.

Vice-President Joe Biden with Rosette Andy.

WAYNE LOBEHAN: "The Man" a/k/a "The Bull"!!

Remembering Wayne Morris Lobehan



*Wayne M. Lobehan
1949 - 2011*

Wayne Morris Lobehan was born on August 9, 1949 to Archie and Edna Mary Lobehan in Auburn, Washington, on the Muckleshoot Reservation. Wayne M. Lobehan passed away on March 4, 2011 at the age of 62. Wayne was the second oldest child. His siblings are Lynn WhiteEagle, Archie Lobehan, Brett Lobehan, Bart Lobehan, R.I.P. Nancy Lobehan-Sam.

Wayne was united in marriage to Ellamae WhiteEagle for 46 years. They had nine kids together, five girls and four boys (James WhiteEagle 43, Keith WhiteEagle 41, Denise WhiteEagle 40, R.I.P. Ricky Dwayne WhiteEagle, Scott

McMillan 37, Kristina Lobehan 35, Martha Lobehan 31, Jessie Lobehan 29, Crystal Lobehan 28). Wayne and Ellamae have 24 beautiful grandkids.

Before Wayne built his loving family with Ellamae, he went off to hilocco Boarding School and got his education. Wayne was honorably discharged from the Marines. He had numerous hobbies and talents. When he was younger, Wayne loved listening to and playing music. Back in his younger days, he was in a band and played the guitar. Wayne also wanted to see the world, so he traveled around to a few places like California, Montana, and Oklahoma, but he of course got homesick for the good old Muckleshoot Reservation.

Wayne was a very devoted husband/father. He did all kinds of odd jobs to support his family. He was a logger, tree planter in the mountains. He worked in the fields, picking rhubarb, berries, cut cascada, cedar boughs. Wayne also worked for Muckleshoot Housing back in the early days. He and Ellamae would clean out the houses for new tenants to move in. Wayne also worked for the Auburn School District. He was a supervisor for the Muckleshoot Casino. Wayne was a strong working man and he loved staying busy. Sometimes he would walk back and forth to work if he didn't have a ride. He didn't bitch or complain because he did whatever it took to support his family.

Ellamae and Wayne have so many fond memories together. They of course had some rough hard times like everyone does in life. Both Wayne and Ellamae suffered a lot when they lost their son Ricky D. WhiteEagle at the age of 16 years in 1993. Then they had another tremendous challenge when both lost their mothers a day apart from each other at the Auburn Hospital, where they were both sick with pneumonia flu. It was the roughest time in their lives and they both became alcoholics and got their children taken away from them. Wayne and Ellamae, of course, straightened up and went to treatment and got their kids back.

Wayne started losing his eyesight back in 1997-'98 and found out he was a diabetic. He was really angry for a while, but he didn't give up. Wayne's diabetes did eventually catch up and got worse and he was declared legally blind, but that didn't stop him from going on with life. Wayne grew up on this Muckleshoot Reservation and he remembered the back roads very good, so every morning, he would take his daily walks.

Yes, of course, a lot of us were scared and worried for him for walking, but Wayne was a very hard-headed man who was a true Marine at heart, body, mind and soul. He didn't like to give up. He wasn't ashamed of being a blind alcoholic. He didn't let it slow him down. He still continued going on vacations with the elders, but mostly if the trips were for only a few days because Wayne didn't like being away from his family for too long.

Wayne loved listening to music on his headphones or listening to games on the A.M. station or the weather station. His favorite foods were clam chowder, fish dinner, oysters, meatloaf, potato salad, Chinese food, Mazatlan beans and rice. He enjoyed taking cruises with his family through the valley or up towards the mountains and Bridge to Nowhere.

Wayne loved spending time with whoever came by to his back porch to BS him. He was always laughing and teasing his nephew "A** Man" (Kevin Lobehan). They had their own language of communicating to each other. His favorite sayings were "F*** off!" or "What eva, oh, huh fat a****!"

Wayne M. Lobehan passed away March 4, 2011 at the age of 62. He was born to Archie D. Lobehan and Edna Mary Lobehan in Auburn, Washington on the Muckleshoot Reservation. He was united in marriage to Ella Mae WhiteEagle for 46 years on the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation.

Wayne (The Man) was a hard worker in everything, "back when he was young." That was Alannah Mae Lobehan's saying when she was at the age of seven or eight. Wayne did a lot of different jobs in his lifetime, as a logger, tree planter in the mountains, worked for the tribe doing maintenance work, at housing, the Auburn School District and worked at the casino.

He went away to finish his education at boarding school. He went into the Marines and got an honorable discharge. Wayne also worked in the fields picking rhubarb, berries. When times were hard, he would go cut cascada, to get money for the house. We would cut cedar boughs around Christmas time to make money for our food and our beers. Aye!

We went through so many cars, our station wagon, little blue Pinto, a '56 Chevy blue and white cruise for a while and drive line would fall off. So we didn't get far from the blue house on "368th" Place. Wayne would walk to work when times were hard and we didn't have a car.

My "Honey Butt" was the best husband, dad, grandpa, brother, uncle and friend to all, his favorite saying "Whateva" and Kevin's favorite to his nephew "F*** OFF." He would ask me if Kevin was parked out there and I would tell him yeah. He would holler out to him.

Wayne loved going to the river to set net, and to go down to have a fire burn and have a few cold ones while the kids got wet in the river. He



loved our rides to the mountains, bridge to nowhere! and the rides through the valley and from White River to Green River.

Wayne loved going for his walks on the back road from his place. Morning walks was at 5 or 6 a.m. and his afternoon walks. Sometimes he would walk the early evenings. For some time, we would drop him off up by the Grange Hall. That was when he had good eyesight. I would sit in the car, wait for him to get to the corner. Some cousins and auntie would holler, say hi. Auntie Bena said, "Wayne, what you doing way up here?" "I like walking this far," he told auntie.

Some of our kids would watch for him to get back to house to cross the road with him. One time, he told me he got lost in the berry field not too far from the house. One of the brothers heard him hollering and helped him back to the house. We had orange cones out by the driveway to help him also.



Wayne and Ellamae

ber. Wayne would be sitting out back drinking his coffee and have his beers and listen to his AM/FM cassette radio and listen to his games and weather, old times rock and roll, country music. He knew his way around the house and when I would change his room around and living room, I would lead him to how I set everything up for him.

Wayne loved all his children very much. He would say, "I don't favor 'just one,' I love them all equal." Wayne gave most of them nicknames. His was "The Bull," "The Man." He helped raise, James, his stepson. Keith, our son, helped his dad start the fireplace, and dad had Keith mop the floors. Denise (Emma Lou), our oldest daughter, and their oldest son, Earl Jr., made Wayne great great grandfather to Lillian Moses, great granddaughter. Wayne also raised stepson "Scott" and our son Ricky D. WhiteEagle, deceased at age 16, very much loved and missed also. Kristina went into labor August 16, the day before Elvis the King died and we had Martha Ann, Jessie, Lee and Crystal G. Lobehan, all who are loved very much.

We are proud grandparents of 24 grandkids, age starting at 22 and younger, proud parents of a set of twins, mother Jessie, Wayne, Jr. and Erlinda, Martha and James Banks, four girls and one deceased at birth, "Justin Rose." Jessie has five children, four boys and daughter. Crystal has two boys and girl, "Cassidy Mae." Oh yeah! Scott has all boys, "Harley," Jordan, Chuckie, Skylar. Kristina one boy Ryan and girl Morrissa, "Boo Boo" James by Ricky James Apadoca. And Denise three boys and girl, Thelma Moses. And Wayne also claimed many other children - Amy's twin girls, (Tim) nephew's daughter "Monkey Shoot."

Services were held at Muckleshoot Shaker Church and Weeks Funeral Home in Buckley. The family and myself would like to thank all who helped us through our times of hardships and sorrow, "Peon" from funeral home - Miles Moergeli, and all who helped with our giveaway, Cashier "Jeanie Moses," (Mom) Peach, Smokeshop and cashier Saulina doing candy leis and Hershey's kisses leis, rose pins, hats, pillows, Jeanie and (Mom) Peach for blankets. And Kelly at Wellness Center and Cynthia Lozier. A big thank you for the speakers, gravediggers and the cooks who did a delicious dinner for the family.

If we left anyone out, we thank all who helped the family get through our time of need, the love, support from all in the community and the ones who were there when our dad was in the hospital. He was well taken care of by all who knew him very much. He will be forever in our hearts and forever loved and forever missed, but not forgotten. The Best Spouse, Dad, Brother, Uncle, Friend to all and a very best Grandpa to all his grandchildren. "Rest In Peace." Loved Always and Forever.

P.S. A very much thank you to our daughter, Kristina, for all the help out of the kindness of her heart to be supportive and well blessed with my very much loved spouse, Wayne; and grandson Alex, for being strong for his grandpa when he really got sick to the end. We all loved "Wayne" with all our hearts. Wayne would say, "Where you at, 'Barney?'" - Alex's grandson. We always say the Barney song after singing Happy Birthday! - everyone in the family.

Father, remind me often that "love" is the best medicine in every situation. Dear Lord, may our desire for you be like that of a deer panting for cold, refreshing water. Please don't allow comfort or worldly success to keep us from seeing "You" in every detail of our lives.

Ellie Mae (Peon)

Grandpas...

Have a special place in the heart, loved all grandchildren, remembers first word, first step and crawl, what foods they liked and made a face of what they didn't like. He would rock them in his arms with much pride and joy. But when the kids were born, he would be at home celebrating their new arrival in this world. One of favorite sayings to grandchildren: "Okay, who farted?"

Dad...

There are so many great memories of good times we had when growing up. Even though I'm grown and have a life of my own now, I still cherish the memories of those good times with you. So much of how I live my life and who I am today is a result of your influence. You've always been one of the most important people in my life - and still are.

So, even though we may not spend as much time together as we once did, I want you to know that...

You are always with me,
Right here in my heart . . .
Where you belong . . .
Thick and strong.

Love Always

The Best Darn Times of My Life with Wayne

I really don't know where to start. I have so many special memories of Wayne and myself. We had "tough love" towards each other. Wayne told me he had a crush on me when I lived down on the highway of 164. We had a gift stand up, selling totems, jewelry, Indian arts, etc. He would come down to visit with my brothers, Al, Ben, Bud, Marty. We'd have our teepee up.

Then we moved off the reservation to downtown Seattle - "Georgetown." We had a big house of five bedrooms, two of which were downstairs. Mine was the middle bedroom upstairs, my brothers said to keep an eye on me. We lived behind a tavern and I would get mad because Wayne made it in the bar, but not me. I wasn't old enough yet. But Wayne would catch the bus down to Georgetown, or he would also walk if he had no money, just to be with me. Now you can't say that's not love. He walked for me.

We moved so many times and when he wasn't working, he would come down on the weekends. We shared so much love in our lifetime here. And I'm having such a hard time of losing my love of my life of many years shared together. He bought a car from his paycheck to drive and visit me. He would bring me back to the res, stay a few days at his mom's place, Edna and Archie's.

Yeah, I will say I was so stupid back then, left my sons and daughters, let that ugly booze take over my life, left Wayne, got back together. He took care of the kids. We got our children taken from us because of the alcohol. We had to go to treatments to get them back and we were a family again. We lost our 16 year-old son, Ricky Dwayne WhiteEagle 12-30-93 and both our Moms a day apart in April of 1998 of the pneumonia flu.

So many happy times of our life! We would go on elder trips only if it was for a day or three.

Dad didn't like to be gone from home too long. One thing he loved was going to have "clam chowder," fish dinner Blake Island... went to Reno casinos with daughter Jess, and with Keith to Las Vegas... loved the trip down to the ocean. He would say, "Okay woman, what you doing on block watch," searching out at the beach from hotel window. I would tell him who was walking.

He loved listening to his headphones - that helped pass the time. He was the smart one and I would ask him about a song on the radio, or what that wrestler was, or football player. He said I was the pool "shark" playing with my brothers.

He loved working with Mom, Mother Eagle, with her order of totem poles, sanding, nailing bases on and the wings. He even helped paint them and varnish them and pack them in the boxes. We always had it on "KJR" when working all together having a good time, stop and have a smoke break or beer drink!

We lived in so many different places and had the best of good memories - Midway, Federal Way, a little town before Tacoma, push the boys in the stroller up a hill to grocery store, walk sometimes to motel, get cold soda out of pop machine.

We moved from motel to motel or hotel to live with our children. One of the best memories was when a wind storm came through and we all laid on one big bed hugging and covering each other up to stay warm. When we traveled, all in our little blue Pinto bushed up to get to the store through the snowing and icy weather, we spun around in the Pinto a couple of times at that light by "Brown's Corner" that's 76 now.

Our ride up to the mountains and Crystal Mountain, I said okay, can we turn around now? He didn't like all the snow, sledding around with the kids in our blue and white van.

There are so many happy and sweet memories of Wayne, I could write a book. He will always be and forever in my heart and missed so much, but never forgotten.

My love,

W.M.L.



Amanda Eyle ~ Anthony Chagolla Wedding

August 10, 2012 ~ Rock Creek Gardens



**GREEN RIVER WATERSHED
BEAR PERMIT DRAWING
(6 PERMITS)**



**SEPTEMBER 25TH, 2012
PSB COUGAR ROOM
SIGN IN BY 6PM**
*Hunters are eligible
even if you were drawn for the
Green or Cedar hunt.*

*HUNTERS WITH 2011 FINES OR AN OLD OUTSTANDING
FINE WITH WILDLIFE ARE NOT ELIGIBLE.*

**Cobell Questions?
Landowners/IIM Account Holders**

If you have questions regarding the Cobell Lawsuit or know someone who may have questions/concerns, talk to a well-informed person with the "Garden City Group" (GCG) by calling their toll free number: 1-800-691-6109, or e-mail them at: info@IndianTrust.com

CULTURAL WELLNESS GATHERINGS

AA Meeting

The Foundation Every Tuesday 12-1PM
Muckleshoot Recovery House Lunch Served
39225 180th Ave SE
Auburn Wa. 98092

Feather Healing Circle

39015 172nd Avenue SE Tuesdays 5:00 pm
Auburn, WA

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 9:00 pm

AI-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

**IN THE MUCKLESHOOT TRIBAL COURT OF JUSTICE
YOUTH COURT DIVISION
FOR THE MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN RESERVATION
AUBURN, WASHINGTON**

IN RE THE WELFARE OF:

A. W. Case No.: MUC-J-10/02-090
DOB: 05/28/2002 MUC-J-12/01-070
G. W. MUC-J-12/01-069
DOB: 04/30/1999
K. J. W., JR.
DOB: 10/24/1996
INDIAN CHILDREN NOTICE OF PERMANENT PLAN HEARING

**TO: (MOTHER): AUREA ROSE GONZALES
(FATHER): KEVIN JAMES WAYNE, SR.
(PROSECUTOR): ANNIE HARLAN
(CHILD & FAMILY SERVICES WORKER):
ROSEMARY ANDERSON**

YOU AND EACH OF YOU will please take notice that a Permanent Plan Hearing will take place on Tuesday, 27th day of November, 2012, at 10:00 AM, in the Muckleshoot Tribal Court of Justice, located on the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation, Auburn, Washington.

The purpose of this hearing is to determine a permanent status placement for the child(ren).

The rights of parent(s), guardian(s) or custodian(s) may be affected in the proceeding.

Should any party fail to appear for the hearing after receiving proper notice, the court may make permanency arrangements for the child(ren) and take any other action that is authorized by law, including entering a permanent plan other than return home of the child. At the permanent plan hearing, the court may also consider whether termination of parental rights is in the best interest of the child.

Please refer to Muckleshoot Child and Family Protection Code Sections 12A.04.010 - .020 for further information on the type of action the court may make at a permanent plan hearing.

The parents, guardian and custodian of the youth, are each entitled to have someone represent them at this hearing, but at their own expense-meaning that they will be solely-responsible for any fees charged by that person.

If you have any questions regarding the nature of this hearing or the location of the Court, please contact either the Court Clerk at (253) 876-3203, or the Prosecutor at (425) 774-5808 ext. 108.

Dated this 11 September 2012

/s/Bobbie Jo Norton
BOBBIE JO NORTON
COURT CLERK
PHONE:(253) 876-3203
FAX:(253) 876-2846

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 on-line 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



Catholic Mass
with Father Pat Twohy
**St. Claire's Mission Chapel
Muckleshoot Reservation
3rd Saturdays at 5:00 PM**

ATTENTION MUCKLESHOOT LANDOWNERS:

Reminder to update your address & or phone number when there is a change in services. The Muckleshoot Realty department 253-876-3170 and OST toll free number 1-888-678-6836. This will enable us to provide important notices of meetings and or signing authority. The BIA/OST will contact you if they have issues that need immediate attention such as but not limited to your IIM statements and Probate hearing notices. *Thank you, Realty staff*

**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.

Also see our opening on-line at www.muckleshoot.nsn.us



EVENTS CALENDAR

- September 22 **20th Annual Salmon Homecoming Celebration** - 11-8 pm Waterfront Park, Seattle
 - September 22 **13th Annual Cowlitz Pow Wow**, noon to 10pm, grand entries at 1pm & 7pm; at Toledo High School, 1202 State Route 505, Toledo, WA; new Cowlitz princess will be chosen; Freedom the Eagle and BFF Jeff Guidry will participate in 1pm grand entry.
 - September 23 **Pentecostal Church Special Service** - 11 am service, Rev. and Mrs. Kc Kopaska, Convoy of Hope Ministries
 - September 25 **Bear Permit Drawing** - PSB Cougar Room. Sign in by 6pm
 - September 26 **Grand Opening Muckleshoot Elders Complex** 10am - 2pm
 - September 27 **Public Works Department Utility District Open House** - 5-6 pm at the Cougar Room in the Philip Starr Building. Call 876-2975 for more info.
 - September 28 **Tribal Community-Based Response Team informational meeting**, 3-6pm, Cougar Room, Philip Starr Building. info: Ada McDaniel, 253-876-3247. Door prizes, snacks included.
 - September 29 **Keta Creek Fall Classic**- 8:30 - 2pm at the Keta Creek Hatchery, 34900 212th Ave SE, Auburn, WA 98092 Call Gail at 876-3178 for more information.
 - September 29-30 **Pentecostal Church Special Service** - 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm Carnival, Fresh Paint 4You ministries, Pentecostal Church.
 - October 8 **Register to Vote** - 1-5 pm at the Phillip Starr Building in the Cougar Room. Call Ada McDaniel at 253-876-3247 or Grant Timentwa at 253-876-3327 for more info.
 - October 29 **Muckleshoot Tribal Halloween Party** at Emerald Downs, 6-9 PM. Costume contest photos 6-7:30 PM, Cake Contest entries must be entered by 6:45 PM. See flyer elsewhere in newspaper about rules for cake contest, costume contest categories and prize amounts.
 - November 16 **Muckleshoot Tribal Thanksgiving Dinner**, 6-9 PM @ Pentecostal Church
 - December 17 **SAVE THE DATE! Muckleshoot Tribal Christmas Dinner and Party** - Details coming in future issue of newspaper.
- SUBMIT YOUR ITEMS FOR THE EVENTS CALENDAR!!**
Muckleshoot.Monthly@muckleshoot.nsn.us

PER CAPITA REMINDERS

1. When you turn 13 or 18 during a Per Cap Distribution and you have Direct Deposit you will need to turn in a New Direct Deposit form for your new Age group otherwise we will cancel your Direct Deposit until we receive a new one. Teen Direct Deposit Form (orange) Adult Direct Deposit Form (brown) or Seniors (green)
2. If you want someone else to pick up your Per capita Check you need to fill out an Authorization Form and have it notarized and turn it into Tax fund. We will not accept forms that are not notarized.
3. If you have closed your Bank Account please notify Tax Fund As Soon As Possible so that we can cancel your Direct Deposit. If you wait and we have already send in your Deposit to the Bank you will have to wait until the Bank sends a letter to Tax Fund stating that the deposit did not go through (this can take 1-5 days), then we have to print you a check. This will delay you getting your money in a timely manner.
4. If you or a family member are incarcerated and want to notify Tax Fund of what you would like us to do with your Per Cap (mail, put in someone else's name, hold it or just want someone to pick it up) We require a letter to be mailed to Tax Fund directly from the jail so it is unopened when we receive it. This is the only way Tax Fund will follow the request being made from an incarcerated Tribal Member
5. Things to double check before Per Cap Distribution to make sure Tax Fund and Enrollment has your correct information:
 - Address Change has been updated
 - Your name has changed and you have a Social Security Card showing your new name. Enrollment will need a copy of this before Tax Fund can change in their system.

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.**





Kiana Dominick and her new sister Della Dominick.
Proud Parents Aare Diana Tecumseh and Jorge Dominick.
Della Lynn Josephine Dominick was born on August 13, 2012 .
Beautiful Baby Girls!



My bro's and me together sharing family dinner for brother's b-day. Bro Brad, me, Bro Tyson, Bro Landon, and Bro Max. I would do anything for my bro's, and I know they'd do anything for me. That's what family is about. Proud of you guys, growing up and moving on to better lives and dreams. Love, Sister (Vanessa) Momma to P-nut
Also happy B-day cousin Tyrone M. Simmons. 9/21

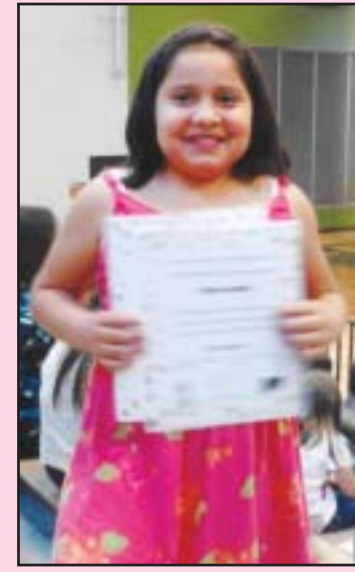
Congratulations Head Start Grad Rand Tres Dobbins!

Anna Marie Bernadine WhiteEagle

Born July 6, 2012
 Weight 7lbs 2oz Length 19.25in.
 Proud Parents: Bradley Albert WhiteEagle & Alexis Mae Gertrude Sam
 Proud Grandparents: Connie Marie Cheek & Bud Albert WhiteEagle; Alex Williams, Angela Sam, William Cheek (deceased)
 Proud Great-Grandparents: Clifford Koontz , Sunny Sam; Anna Young, Carole Allen (deceased) Proud Siblings: Josiah Elijah WhiteEagle, Jewel Leanne Crow
 Aunts/Uncles: Nicky, Veniece, Ricky, Georgia, Theo, Edith, Jared, Alex, Danielle, Jesse
 Cuz sis/bro: Sisika, Angela, Sonny, Bradley, Diego, Makoda, Aiyanna, Jesse, Jared, Anjelikah



HAPPY BIRTHDAY ERIKA JAMES
September 20TH,2012
WE LOVE YOU BABE!
LOVE, LENA LENORA NOEL



Cedar Ray Two Leggins, 1st great-grandson of former Head Start Director Caroline Yellow Robe of Ft. Belknap, MT.

Happy Birthday!
Denise 9/12
Jessie 9/20
Crystal 10/5
Love, Mom

September 24TH, 2012
HAPPY 2ND BIRTHDAY SIERRA'S
LOVE YOU BUNCHES
LOVE, PAPA BAKER & GRANDMA RONETTE

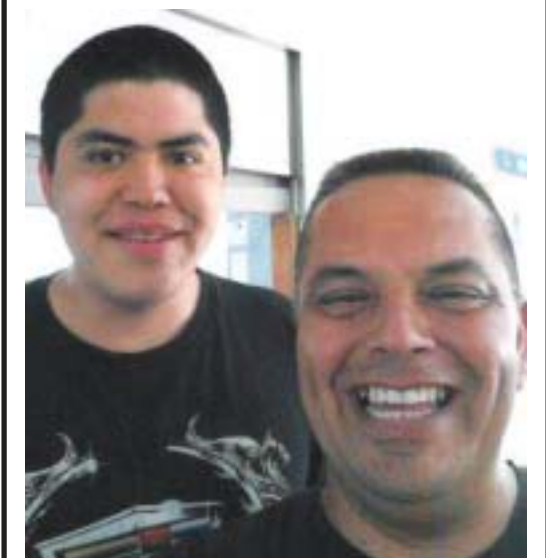


Katherine Arquette and her little sidekick, Opee



Nicholas says "Hello" from Wenatchee
 He would love to hear news from Home. Write:

Nick Johnny Elkins
 Canyon View
 260 North Georgia Avenue
 East Wenatchee, WA 98802



~ Thank you from Mitzi & Nick Sr.



Congatulations 2012 Skopabsh Kiya Sandy Heddricks!

I wanted to share this picture of Emanuel Allen with his Wonderful Smile. This smile is so genuine. Just want to thank him for brightening our day!



HAPPY 2ND BIRTHDAY SIERRA BAKER-LOPEZ
September 24TH, 2012
WE LOVE YOU SO MUCH HONEY

LOVE, LENA LENORA NOEL

From Marena Cross

A few pix from last our lil getaway to the ocean for Rosa's Bday



Jonathan "Chooch" Sampson Jr.
Danced his Feet away at Skopabsh 2012.
His Family is Very Proud of Him.
Good Job, Chooch!



Dahlia Mae Agnes Ulrich
 Born June 30th 2012 @ 10:15pm
 Weight 8lbs 11oz,
 Length 19.5 inches
 Proud Mom & dad Samantha Milne and Dillon Ulrich
 Grandparents: Tim & Noreen Milne and Joe and Sheila Masterson
 Great grandparents: Kenneth & Agnes Ulrich and Willard and Judith Masterson

Birth Announcement
 8/11/12
 Proud Parents Shellee Baker & Johnny Lopez
 Girl Jennie Mae Baker-Lopez
 Proud Grandparents – Ronette Brown & Alex Baker
 Great Grandmas – Virginia Cross, Elaine Baker "Big Gram"



A Fun Day at the River

PHOTOS FROM MARCIE ELKINS

