

SECTION 2: Health & Wellness



Spring Break Camp: Days filled With Culture and Challenges!!!

April showers bring... fun in the rain during spring break!!!!

Submitted by Devin Whiteaker

From April 11th-13th, Family and Youth Services sponsored a camp in conjunction with Canoe Family, Fisheries, Tribal Historian, and Camp Long. They were chaperoned by Silas Miller, Roger Brown, SieglindeParker, CDP, and Devin Whiteaker, CDP. The main focus was connecting youth to culture while incorporating prevention activities in real time and providing opportunity to face challenges.

We began our journey at Duwamish Hill in Seattle on April 11th. Here, youth learned about the history of the area, the cultural significance of the hill, traditional plants and foods, and Muckleshoot's vital participation on building the park.

From there, we met Will Bill Jr. and the Canoe Family down at Alki beach for lunch and for some, their first experience on a canoe. Will and crew were instrumental in providing the history and cultural significance of Alki/Pudget Sound, canoe and water safety, and then an incredible paddle in Elliot Bay. The youth paddled with pride in the rain and focused on trying to stay together as they powered through the water while getting to enjoy song and laughter.

Our camp was based at Camp Long in West Seattle where we slept in cabins and were able to enjoy amenities such as showers which were much needed after a long day in the rain and cold. Our first night ended after a hot meal; hide in sneak in the woods, and laughter around a fire.

On April 12, we headed out early in the morning to make our way over to Vashon to meet Warren King George, Tribal Historian and Karl Madplume, Shellfish Technician on Muckleshoot's shellfish bed property. Here the youth were able to enjoy the beach and the woods during low tide before we were almost rained out. With some quick improvisation, we were able to get a fire going to cook hot dogs while listening to Warren and Karl speak to the history of the shellfish beds as well as the significance of ensuring traditional foods to tribal members. It was great to watch the youth absorb this vast wealth of knowledge!

On our last day of the trip, the youth participated in a low ropes challenge course facilitated by a Camp Long instructor. Here the youth learned healthy ways to communicate, problem solve, and work together to solve and overcome the challenges that were set before them. Pictures speak for themselves on this one!!!

Huge shout-out to all the youth who participated!! It was incredible to see you go through that experience.

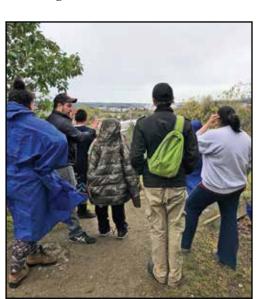




Seattle skyline



Canoe landing





Prepping for rain



Junior Ranger





Look over there!



Launch time

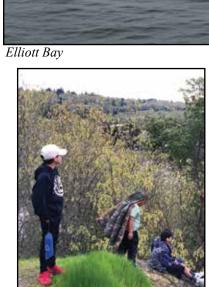
Duwamish Hill







Team activity



The scout

instruction time



Orca watch





Web of Life



Rope swing



Stepping stones



Deep thoughts

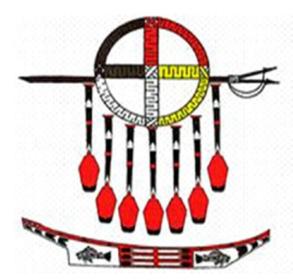


Pedro

Vashon Island



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ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING MORE ACTIVE IN **HELPING YOUR COMMUNITY?**

WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP FAMILY OR FRIENDS RECOV-ER FROM DRUG/ALCOHOL USE?

WOULD YOU LIKE TO LEARN HOW TO BE A MENTOR TO OTHERS?

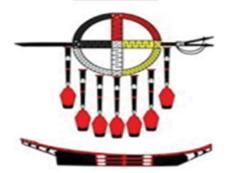
If you answered YES! To any of these questions, Behavioral Health Program can provide you with the necessary training to become a Recovery Coach so you can mentor people who are seeking recovery.

The only prerequisites to be a Recovery Coach are the desire to help your community and the ability to attend required training to certify you as a Recovery Coach . The next training starts on July 6, 2018 and will run for five consecutive Fridays 9am—2pm.

For more information, stop by Behavioral Health, call Julia or Aaron at (253)804-8752 or email your interest to Julia.smiley@muckleshoothealth.com.



Muckleshoot behavioral health



PROBLEM GAMBLING RESOURCES

Muckleshoot Resources Behavioral Health Gambling Outreach Julia Joyce, MA, CDP is available Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 8am-5pm (253)804-8752 x3200

Call and setup an informational session Local Gamblers Anonymous Meetings Winner's Circle—Wednesday at 5:30pm, MIT Family Outreach Center Tuesday & Friday Noon, South King County Alano Club Tuesday 7:00pm, Crossway Church, 209 M St NE, Auburn Friday 7:00pm, VRFA HQ, 1101 D St NE, Auburn Sunday 6:30pm, New Hope Baptist Church, 14024 Stewart Rd, Sumner/Pacific

> State/National Resources Washington State Gambling Helpline 1-800-547-6133



Want Your Medical Bills Paid Quicker?

If you are getting statements from a doctor, hospital, x-ray, ambulance, lab and you received a PO number from CHS.

If you have insurance and got a PO number from CHS, please bring in the EOB, paper from your insurance stating how they processed/paid your bill.

Please bring the statement(s) and anything from your insurance to the CHS office, so we can pay your medical bills faster.

Many times, your doctor does not send the CHS office your bills, then you keep getting state-

ments... bring anything in that you get for your bills if you got a PO number. The CHS office can't pay a bill if we don't have it.

Thank you CHS Team (253) 939-6648

MUCKLESHOOT SOBRIETY POW WOW

Natives On A Wellness Path

July 27, 28 & 29, 2018

GRAND ENTRY:

Fri, July 27-7:00pm Sat, July 28-1:00pm & 7:00pm Sun, July 29-1:00pm Daily Grand Entry Points Taken.

LOCATION:

Muckleshoot Pow Wow Grounds Auburn, Washington

HEAD STAFF:

Host Drum:

Black Otter, Standoff Alberta

Master of Ceremonies:

Anthony Blue Horse

Randy Vendiola

Arena Director:

Merlin Kicking Women Whipman:

Reuben Twin

DANCE CONTEST CATEGORIES

Men's Golden Age Combined (65+ & over) - 1st Place: \$800, 2nd: \$600, 3rd: \$500, 4th: \$400 Women's Golden Age Combined (65+ & over) - 1st Place: \$800, 2nd: \$600, 3rd: \$500, 4th: \$400

- Sr. Men's Traditional, Fancy, Grass (50-64 yrs) - 1st Place: \$800, 2nd: \$600, 3rd: \$500, 4th: \$400 Sr. Women's Traditional, Jingle, Fancy (50-64 yrs)
- 1st Place: \$800, 2nd: \$600, 3rd: \$500, 4th: \$400 Jr. Men's Traditional, Fancy, Grass (18-49 yrs) - 1st Place: \$800, 2nd: \$600, 3rd: \$500, 4th: \$400
- Jr. Women's Traditional, Jingle, Fancy (18-49 yrs) - 1st Place: \$800, 2nd: \$600, 3rd: \$500, 4th: \$400 Teen Boys Traditional, Fancy, Grass (13-17 yrs)
- 1st Place: \$400, 2nd: \$350, 3rd: \$300, 4th: \$250 Teen Girls Traditional, Jingle, Fancy (13-17 yrs) - 1st Place: \$400, 2nd: \$350, 3rd: \$300, 4th: \$250 Jr. Boys Traditional, Fancy, Grass (6-12 yrs)
- 1st Place: \$300, 2nd: \$250, 3rd: \$200, 4th: \$150 Jr. Girls Traditional, Jingle, Fancy (6-12 yrs)
- 1st Place: \$300, 2nd: \$250, 3rd: \$200, 4th: \$150 Tiny Tots (5 & under) No Contest, paid by session

SPECIALS

- Men & Women Fancy Ironman Special - 1st Place: \$600, 2nd: \$400, 3rd: \$200 Family Team Dance
- 1st Place: \$600, 2nd: \$400, 3rd: \$200
- Men's Round Bustle Special - 1st Place: \$600, 2nd: \$400, 3rd: \$200

Attention All Contest Participants:

All Dancers and Singers are required to have a Social Security Numbers (SSN) or Social Insurance Number (SIN). U.S. Citizen and fill out additional paperwork.

Committee of this event is not responsible for accidents, injuries, short funded travelers, stolen, lost articles or damage to personal property.

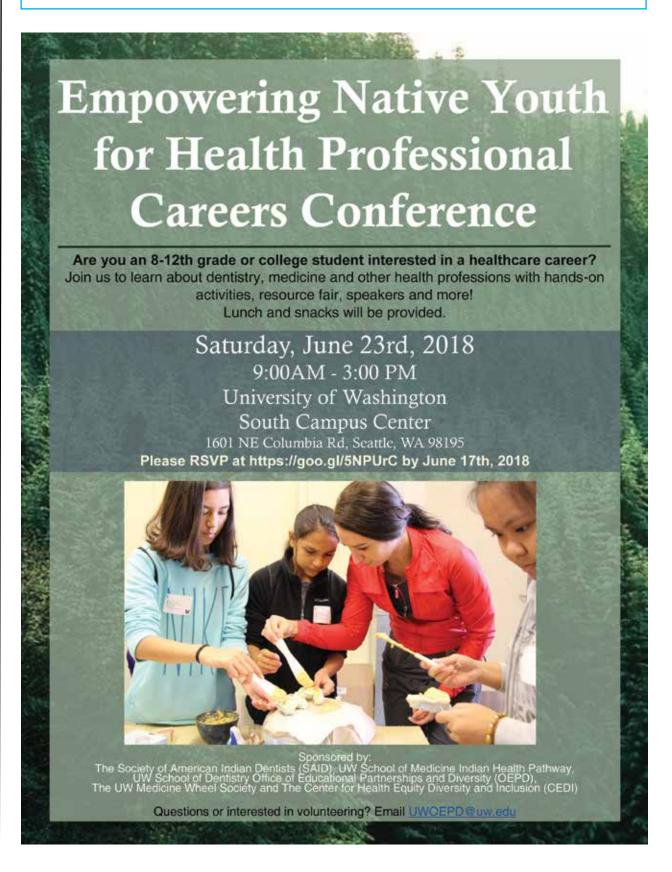
No Pets will be allowed. Absolutely No Drugs or Alcohol Allowed.

EVERYONE WELCOME!

**CLEAN & SOBER CO-ED SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT, Muckleshoot Ballfield For more tournament information , contact Flo Starr 253-876-3214

For Pow Wow information, contact Lisa Elkins 253-939-6648 or Mike Starr 253-329-4360







Big Thank you To Our Tribe for Our Support Center!!!

Thank you Muckleshoot Indian Tribe!! Paying it forward at our support center. Sharing our hopes, trials and Tribulations daily. We also have Step work on Wednesday nights. There is a wonderful Ambiance of hope for our future and our children. Luckily we have great leaders @ our support Center. Charlotte Williams, Emily Montez, Frances Price and Tony Rutherford. Thank you for opening a way guys. Love you all.

Thank you for my Recovery. Easier to raise healthy children than fix broken adults. Learning to be a better person will benefit my son and future generations.

Meetings are held Monday thru Sat @ Noon & 7 PM. Wednesday step work held @ 7 PM. Thanks once again from grateful Tribal Member.

Vanessa Simmons & Loren Simmons-Barr





What are Needle Exchanges and why do we have them?

Muckleshoot Behavioral Health

What: Needle Exchanges are a non-judgmental space where injection drug users can receive clean needles and safe injection supplies. Other services are also offered such as overdose prevention education and referrals to medical care and treatment services if requested.

Why: NEEDLE EXCHANGES SAVE LIVES!!!

By offering Needle Exchange Services it takes injection needles off of the streets and out of the community.

It offers safe injection equipment so that IV drug users can prevent the spread of blood borne diseases such as HIV and Hepatitis C which can be eventually fatal

It offers Overdose Prevention and Education so that drug users in this community are not dying from overdoses.

When: Muckleshoot Behavioral Health is now offering Needle Exchange

Services starting January 22nd, 2016

Where: Exchange services are offered through a mobile site that operates every
Friday from 2-4pm outside of Cedar Village in the Old Smoke Shop parking

lot in the HWC Outreach Van.

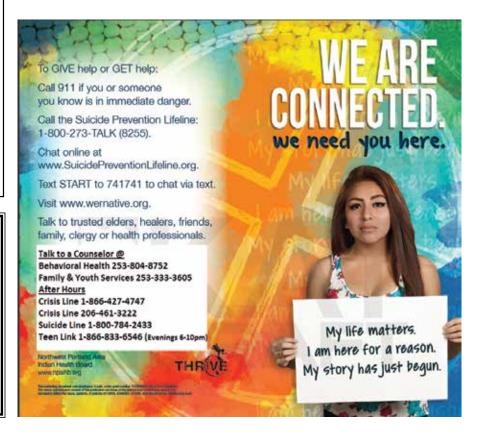
Contact: Carol VanConett at Behavioral Health with any questionsregarding Needle Exchange services at 253-804-8752



NOTICE:

The Feathered Healing Circle will meet on Wednesday at 5:00 PM – Cynthia Lozier





Native Community Helpers

Muckleshoot Behavioral Health Program is Recruiting Community

Members to be Trained as Native Community Helpers



As a Native Community Helper You Will Receive:

- Training in Suicide Prevention and Drug & Alcohol Addiction
- Learn the warning signs of suicide and how to respond to potentially save a life
- Ongoing support from Behavioral Health Program

You Will Become Part of an Important Community-Wide Effort!
It's Easy To Sign Up And Receive More Information To Become A
Native Community Helper:

Just Provide Your Name And A Contact Number One Of These Ways:

Call Muckleshoot Behavioral Health Program: (253) 804-8752

Or

Send a Text to: (253) 740-4586

Or

Click or Go To the Link Below:

http://surveyanyplace.com/s/qtxbejby



Child Find Screening

What is a Child Find Screening?

Screening is a **free** check of your child's development-including:

- Large muscle development
 Fire hand accordination (fine)
- Eye-hand coordination (fine motor skills)
- Communication
- Concepts
- Personal-social skills, self help skills
- academic skills



What is the purpose of a Child Find Screening?

The purpose of the screen is to identify any factors that may interfere with your child's learning, growth, and development. The screening is also provided to help parents identify their child's strengths and weaknesses and provide home suggestions.

What happens during a Child Find Screening?

During the screening, your young child may stack small blocks, cut with a scissors, draw, count, name colors, jump, and have fun! For older children and teens it may include academic, social and emotional, communication screening. Following the screening, a trained professional will talk with you about the results of the screening. You will have the opportunity to ask any questions about your child's development. You may be given home suggestions, referred on for further testing, or be scheduled to have skills rechecked at a later date. The screening process usually takes about 45 minutes.

Who is eligible to be screened?

Any child, from birth through 21, whose family or care givers would like more information about their child's development. All school districts within Washington State have Child Find screenings available. If your family is living in a temporary situation, you may contact the district where you are staying to attend a screening.

Where can I go for screening?

For more information and to schedule a screening, please contact:

Muckleshoot Tribal School Helen Feiger Student Support Services Coordinator 15209 SE 376th St Auburn WA 98092 253-931-6709 Ext 3700 Marty Laronal Support Services Manager Muckleshoot Early Childhood Education Center 15599 SE 376th St Auburn, WA 98092 253-876-3056 Ext 3922



16-Week

Anger Management Class

Open to Join Anytime!

Every Thursday

1:30pm-3:00pm

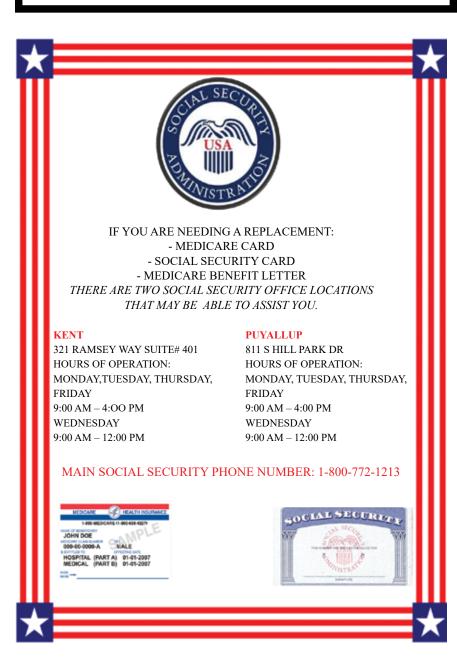
Facilitated by: Dr. Sarlak

Meets Court Requirements

For questions or more information, contact:

Muckleshoot Behavioral Health Program

(253) 804-8752





Healing with Horses Group



Every Wednesday, 1-3pm

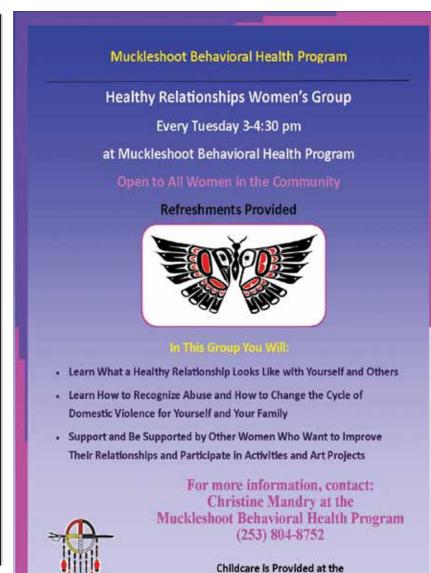
Spend healing time with Horses at the Blue Barn

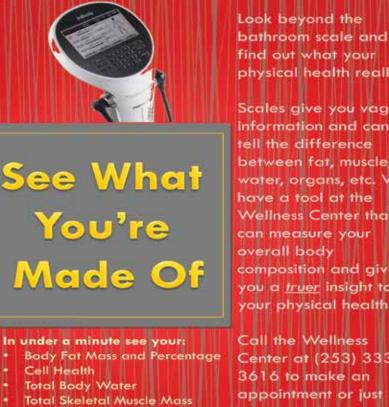
Open to join any time. Just show up! All Community Members Welcome

Blue Barn: 38122 180th Ave. SE, Auburn 98092



For more info, contact: Karyn Cross-Sarabia @ the Behavioral Health Program: (253) 804-8752





find out what your physical health really is Scales give you vague information and cannot tell the difference between fat, muscle water, organs, etc. We have a tool at the Wellness Center that can measure your overall body composition and give you a <u>truer</u> insight to your physical health Call the Wellness Center at (253) 333 3616 to make an

Health and Wellness Center

come on in! Segmental Lean and Fat

SICK AND DON'T WANT TO WAIT LONG HOURS IN A HOSPITAL E.R.?

There are local Urgent Care Medical Centers that can help you.

Sore Throat, Ear Ache, Ankle Injury, Upper Respiratory Infections: These are just a few of the conditions they can help you with. They can also do lab work and x-rays, if needed.

If you decide to go after 5:00pm or on the weekend, CHS does consider this as an emergency room visit.

You must call CHS office for PO numbers within 72 hours/3 days of being seen.

CHS OFFICE - 253-939-6648

If you are too sick to call, a family member or friend can call for you.

SOME URGENT CARE CENTERS YOU CAN CALL TO CHECK THE WAIT TIME

MULTICARE URGENT CARE - AUBURN 202 Cross Street SE | Phone: 253-876-8111

Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:00am – 7:30pm Saturday & Sunday, 8:00am - 3:30pm

MULTICARE URGENT CARE - KENT

222 State Ave N | Phone: 253-372-7788 Hours: Monday - Friday, 9:00am - 8:30pm Saturday & Sunday, 9:00am - 4:30pm

MULTICARE URGENT CARE - COVINGTON

17700 SE 272nd St @ Wax Road | Phone: 253-372-7020 Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 7:30pm Saturday & Sunday, 8:00am - 5:30pm

VALLEY MEDICAL CENTER – COVINGTON

27500 168th Place SE | Phone: 253-395-2006 Hours: Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 8:00pm Saturday & Sunday, 8:00am - 4:00pm

09/01/15 MI URGENT CARE NOTICE









Location

The Healing Circle

leshoot Community

Members to gain

education on:

Addiction,

Grief & loss,

Problem gambling,

Trauma, And to have an

opportunity to

share openly.

- Muckleshoot Health & Wellness Center **Family and Youth Services** 17500 SE 392nd St Auburn, WA 98092
- Please contact Julia or Aaron at 253-804-8752 with any questions
- No sign up necessary, this is a drop-in







When should you sign up for

1st Month

birthday;

B4

Medicare: You can sign up for Medicare 3 months before or 3 months after your 65th Visit the Health &

2nd Month 3rd Month

- Or if your employer sponsored health insurance ends due to retirement;
- If you are currently covered by an employer sponsored health insurance you may not have to sign up for Medicare until that coverage ends;
- You should check with your employer to see if they require you to sign up for Medicare when you turn 65 years old;



Your

Birthday

Month

Wellness

Center's

Managed Care

Department at

17500 SE 392nd

Street

Auburn, WA

PH # 253-939-

5th Month 6th Month 7th Month

What is Medicare Health Insurance?

Original Medicare has 2 parts:

- Medicare Part A—covers inpatient hospital, skilled nursing facility hospice & home health care;
- 2. Medicare Part B—covers outpatient medical care, including doctor visits, durable medical equipment, lab tests, and preventative services.
- + NOTE: If you don't sign up for Medicare Part B when you're first eligible you will have to pay a "Late Enrollment Penalty" for as long as you have Part B.

Health & Wellness Center Program Hours

	Pharmacy	Wellness Center	*Shuttle Service
Monday 7-9 pm	8-6 pm	7 am-9 pm	9-9 pm
Tuesday 7-9 pm	8-6 pm	7 am-9 pm	9-9 pm
Wednesday 7-9 pm	9-6 pm	7 am-9 pm	9-9 pm
Thursday 7-9 pm	8-6 pm	7 am-9 pm	9-9 pm
Friday 7-9 pm	8-6 pm	7 am-9 pm	9-9 pm
Saturday		- 8 am-7 pm	10-2 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	(253) 804-8752	Open		
(Mental Health & Chemical Dep)				
Family & Youth BH Services	(253) 333-3605	Open		
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) 735-2020	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 Sat 10-2 pm		
Wellness Center	(253) 333-3616	Open Sat 10-2 pm		
WIC Thurs Only 8-4:30 (253) 939-6648 12:00-1:0		12:00-1:00		





Do you need assistance with your child care expenses?

Are you?

- Employed
- Enrolled in educational courses
- > In job training
- Or participating in job search activities

Is your child(ren)?

- > 12 years of age or younger
- > Enrolled in a federally recognized tribe or a descendant (parent must be enrolled) of a federally recognized tribe

Child care is based upon your family size and monthly income that is at or below 85% of King County's median income (100% for Muckleshoot Tribal Members). You may qualify, if your family's monthly income falls below the following income range;

Family Size:		100% Median Monthly Income (MIT Members Only)
	Monthly Income	(MIT Members Only)
1 _	\$0-\$4,484	\$4,485- \$5,27 <u>5</u>
2 _	\$0- \$5,121	\$5,122- \$6,025
3 _	\$0- \$5,759	\$5,760- \$6,775
4 _	\$0- \$6,396	\$6,397-\$7,525
5 _	\$0- \$6,913	\$6,914- \$8,133
6 _	\$0- \$7,423	\$7,424- \$8,733
7 _	\$0- \$7,933	\$7,934- \$9,333
8 _	\$0- \$8,443	\$8,444- \$9,933

To apply or if you have any questions contact the Muckleshoot CCDF Program at (253) 876-3056 or Vanessa Simmons at (253) 876-3016

Email: Vanessa.simmons@muckleshoot.nsn.us

Located at the Muckleshoot Early Childhood Education Center, 15599 SE 376th St, Auburn, WA 98092

HOUSING/SHELTER RESOURCES

Catholic Community Services - Home & Arise

Men's Shelters

Phone contact: (253) 854-0077 Ext: 2

Locations: St. Anthony's Church, 314 S 4th St., Renton, WA, 98057 OR Kent Family Center, 1229 W Smith St, Kent, WA, 98032

Coordinates two case-managed shelter programs for men, ages 18 and older. Shelters hosted by congregations in Kent and Renton; average stays of 6-12 months. No fees. Please call ahead.

Renton In-take (walk-in only): Tu & Th, 1-3pm.

Kent In-take (walk-in only): M & W, 1-3pm & 5-7pm; Tues & Th, 3-5pm.

Union Gospel Mission - Hope Place Shelter for Single Women, Women with children

Phone contact: (206) 628-2008

Location: 3802 S Othello St, Seattle 98118

Provides shelter for women, with or without children. Includes mandatory spiritual activities. No fees. CALL for screening. M-F 8:30-9am. **Catholic Community Services**

Single Men & Women's Shelter

Phone contact: (253) 572-0131

Location: 1142 Court E Tacoma Ave S, Tacoma, WA, 98402

Provides a safe place where men and women experiencing homelessness can get a good night's sleep, respect, and begin a process of generating income and

Multi-Service Center

Family Shelter (Moms, Dads, & Kids)

Phone contact: (253) 854-3437 Ext: 104

Location: 515 W Harrison St, Kent, WA, 98032

Emergency shelter for homeless families with children, ages 17 and younger; priority for families of 4+.All families may apply. LEAVE A MSG. AT LEAST TWICE PER WEEK until call is returned.

Auburn Youth Resources

Youth Shelter

Phone contact: (253) 833-5666

Location: 816 F Street Southeast, Auburn, WA 98002

Provides shelter for homeless youth, ages 10 through 17, in south King County. Written parental consent required for 72-plus hour stay. Sliding scale fees, may be free. Call for screening: 24 hours daily.

YWCA - South King County

Family Shelter (Moms, Dads, & Kids)

Phone contact: (425) 255-1201

Location: Families housed in independent apartment units in Kent. Renton and Auburn areas. Call for availability. Leave a message DAILY, until call is returned.24-hour voicemail



Muckleshoot Health & Wellness Center Cancer Walk

June 14, 2018

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B7 June 20, 2018 MUCKLESHOOT MESSENGER

Mother's Day Luncheon Friday, May 11, 2018 ~ Cougar Room

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"PULLING TOGETHER" SHOWN IN SEATTLE

SEATTLE – An award-winning feature-length documentary film made by the Muckleshoot Tribe 15 years ago was seen by a new set of eyes recently in Seattle. Pulling Together, a cinema verite, "as-it-happened" style account of the Muckleshoot Canoe Family's second voyage in 2003 was very well received at its Beacon Hill Meaningful Movies showing on May 8, and highly praised in a discussion circle afterwards.

Many people say that Pulling Together is one of the best canoe films because it is character-driven and not instructional in its approach. The characters themselves are the story, and although they start out being a collection of individuals, and as they face many challenges along the way, they truly become a family by the time the grand landing takes place at Tulalip.

Camels, Ostriches & Zebras at Emerald Downs

On May 20, Emerald Downs was filled to near-capacity. You would've thought the biggest horse race of the year was to be

run that day; but, actually, the people weren't there to see horses at all. They were there to see jockeys race on the backs of camels, ostriches and zebras. The races were chaotic and entertaining, evoking lots of laughs, and left fans looking forward to more of the same next year.















MUCKLESHOOT MESSENGER

June 20, 2018 B8

MEMORIAL DAY DINNER 2018

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