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## Stan Moses Receives Billy Frank Jr. Leadership Award

The prestigious Billy Frank Leadership Award for 2019 was presented to Muckleshoot's Stanley Moses on March 28, 2019 at a dinner at the Muckleshoot Casino. A packed house, including many, many proud family members, heard moving testimony to his life's work as a warrior fighting for Muckleshoot's treaty fishing rights. Many speakers took the floor to share memories. Attorney Alan Stay, whose personal journey placed him at the center of treaty rights battles since the earliest days of the Fish Wars, led off with this keynote address:

I am pleased to be here to add a few words in honor of Stanley Moses. How to sum up Stanley? I start with quote from Edmund Burke in 1770: "The only thing necessary for the triumph of evil is for good men to do nothing."

Well when it comes to the recognition, protection and advancement of treaty rights, Stanley Moses is NOT a good man who did nothing! He did something and has been doing that something forever. And he still is! I met Stanley in 1974 just after the Boldt decision came down and had the great honor to represent the Muckleshoot Tribe, among other tribes, at a time all working together to turn that decision into more fish.

Stanley is not a noisy person. He leads by his mere presence. In his quiet way, one sees his deep commitment to the Treaty rights struggle. You just want to be in his presence and join in that fight. I can't say when Stan-

ley became one of my heroes. It was not any one bit of advice, or a talk about the case. It was just who Stanley is. I just wanted to walk in his shadow, and still do.

Although quiet, Stanley is a fighter. When Tribes found themselves in court almost weekly for 10 years following the Boldt decision, Stanley was front and center in that decade of struggle, which culminated in the District Court taking the management of the Fishery away from the State and the Supreme Court affirming the treaty right.

Stanley saw early, and better than most, that to truly reap the fruits of the Boldt case and unshackle tribes from the yoke of State interference, tribes would need to revamp and reinvigorate Tribal fisheries management. He set out to prove to Judge Boldt that tribes were truly co-managers.

He fathered the Muckleshoot Fisheries Commission that even today guides the Tribe in the Management of the fishery.

He championed the creation of one of the best, if not the best fishery departments in Indian Country by employing the best of the best of fishery scientists. Stan realized that a Tribe could not be a co-manager and get the state off the tribes' back without good science.

His strategy, mirrored by other forward-thinking tribal leaders, was successful. Today, tribes are true co-managers, and indeed better managers than the state. One of the most important legacies of the



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Boldt decision is the quality of tribal fishery management ushered in by Stanley and like-minded tribal leaders.

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## Muckleshoot Tribal Community Celebrates Earth Day with Reservation Clean-up and Environmental Enhancements

Once again the Planning Commission and its Earth Day Subcommittee put together a collection of activities and events to remind the community and employees of the importance of taking care of the Planet.

In all, 235 employees and members of the community devoted their entire day to raise awareness and make the planet a little greener.

All participants went down to "The Pipeline" to eliminate garbage, debris, and any other non-natural material that has accumulated there since last year's event. This gated preserve deep in the canyon of the White River is special and sacred to the Muckleshoot people, and needs to be treated with care and respect.

In addition to a hearty lunch, participants visited and learned from a few exhibitions at the Sla Hal shed from Sunny Bee Honey Farm, the Hancock Forest People and the Pierce County Conservation District.

After lunch, teams fanned out to places of their choosing to weed, plant, and beautify. Thousands of plants, trees, and shrubs went in the ground and the orchard in the Powwow ground nearly doubled its count with a variety of cherries, peaches, nectarines, apples, and plums.

The Tribal College Berry Garden got a facelift, and the roundabout will show off some new colors in the coming weeks as well. Despite the gloomy weather, a good time was had by all. The only complaint received by the Planning Office following the event was that we should do it three or four times a year instead of just once. Thanks to all, it was a good day!

**The Pollinators: Meet the Mason Bees**



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The national theme via Earth Day Network was "Protect the Species," so in addition to the planting of domesticated fruit trees and traditional plants, special attention was given to "the pollinators." There has been a lot of concern around the world because populations of animals which fertilize flowers are on the decline. Bees have been hit especially hard over the last two decades, and scientists began raising concerns about the planet's ability to produce enough food to feed its occupants in the future.

In an effort to raise awareness, the committee decided to start a Mason Bee Housing Program. Honey Bees are not native to North America; they were brought over by the Europeans for their honey. The continent's original bee inhabitants were the 4,000 species of "solitary bees," which produce neither hive nor honey.

Mason bees are mild-mannered, docile little bees that hatch every spring when the temperature begins to warm. Males and females do that thing that birds and bees do and the male dies shortly thereafter. The female then sets about her work to find a hole in a tree or a log (or one of the classy little houses we set up for them) and lay her eggs.

For each egg she lays she gathers nectar and pollen to place with her baby for food,

then she seals that cell with mud, lays another egg, and gathers more food for that egg. She will lay about a hundred eggs in her 6-8 week life span, and then the cycle begins again.

Ten Mason Bee houses were purchased and installed at key locations on the Reservation, including the Community Gardens, the fruit tree orchard at the Powwow Grounds, and the Schools. All will benefit from these highly efficient little ladies going about their bee business.

It's important to note that Mason Bees are 90% more efficient as pollinators than the honey bee, but are mild-mannered and rarely sting, since they have no hive or honey to defend.

In addition to Mason bees, eight Bat houses were installed to provide safe habitat for the planet's only flying mammals. While many people have an innate fear of bats, they are actually very good at pollinating and at mosquito control. A single bat can consume up to 1,200 mosquitos in an hour, and 10 to 20 bats can occupy a house.

Many people fear that they will get rabies from bats, which is possible, but very, very, rare. Experts agree that the risk is highly over exaggerated. Some common sense will go a long way: Always have your pets vaccinated, and never try to pick up a bat, living or dead. The houses were placed on the fringes of the Powwow grounds to let them gobble up bugs on those warm summer nights.

Again, we want to thank each and every one of you that helped to make Earth Day 2019 a success!

### Muckleshoot Tribal Council Officers for 2019 - 2020

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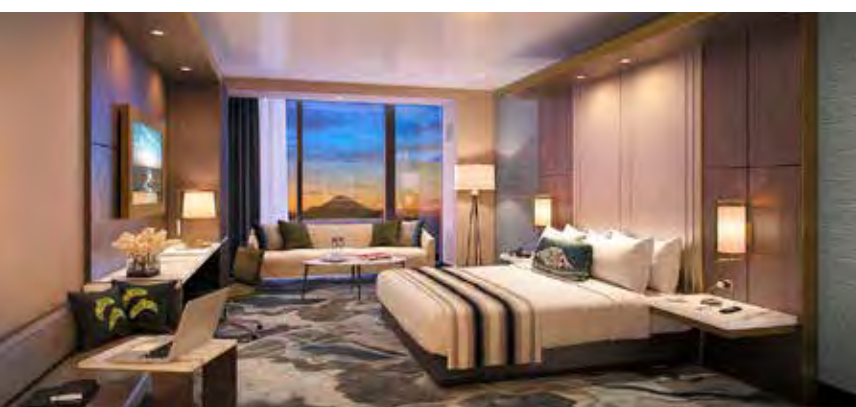
## MIT's New Luxury Resort Hotel!

Details have emerged about the Muckleshoot Tribe's new luxury hotel resort addition to the casino. Anticipated to open in the second quarter of 2021, the 18-story hotel tower will offer sweeping views. Sixty percent of its 400 rooms will look out on panoramic vistas of Mount Rainier, while west-facing rooms will have a view of the Olympic Mountains.

Guests will be able to enjoy an indoor, climate-controlled pool, pamper themselves with signature spa treatments, and other features, according to the release. The hotel will offer a rooftop, fine-dining restaurant and a supervised play area/arcade for children.

The first phase of the project will add a 20,000-square-foot, technologically advanced events center, a trio of fast-casual dining destinations, a high-energy center bar, and more. Additionally, a carefully-curated cultural gallery will celebrate the history and journey of the Tribe.

When the full transformation, including the resort hotel, is completed in 2021, the overall Muckleshoot Indian Casino complex will have increased its capacity to 157,000 square feet of continuous gaming floor space, 29,000 total square feet of event and entertainment space and more than a dozen dining choices.





# CHAIRMAN'S CORNER

## Welcome to "The Chairman's Corner!"

After a historic year at the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe which saw three incumbents re-elected to the office of Muckleshoot Tribal Council and the subsequent appointment of entirely new officers of the Tribal Council across the board – Treasurer, Secretary, Vice Chairman and Chairman – we as Muckleshoot leaders wish to carry the success and momentum forward and into our future.

We want to do so in a transparent way in which we, as Muckleshoot people, all have the ability and opportunity to share in the ownership of that success. It is, after all, the will of the Muckleshoot people that we are each elected to represent.

To this end, contained within each future issue of the Muckleshoot Messenger, expect to find this article, "The Chairman's Corner." This is where we, as Muckleshoot leaders will have an opportunity to directly voice issues important to our community and people which have our direct attention and energies.

The content will consist of important projects under consideration or underway, vital issues facing our tribe or community, impacts being faced by Indian Country, overall... anything which has the ability to impact or is important to our Tribe, people, or community.

The Chairman's Corner will always be prepared and written directly by one of our Muckleshoot leaders with the intent of truly sharing our thoughts, voices and ideas so that our people remain well-informed and knowledgeable of all that we, the elected Muckleshoot leadership, are working for and towards on the Muckleshoot Community's behalf.

It is with great excitement and in a spirit of collaboration and Muckleshoot pride that we move this effort forward into the future! It is also in this spirit that we take the opportunity with the opening edition of, "The Chairman's Corner," to introduce ourselves and express our thanks as the newly-elected Muckleshoot Tribal Council Officers. We look forward to sharing more within next month's issue of Muckleshoot Messenger. Until then, please take care of each other and hold one another up... this is what being family and community is all about:

### Jaison Elkins, Chairman



Thank you to my family, friends, and fellow Tribal Members for your vote of confidence in us. These are exciting times here at Muckleshoot and we look forward to working hard for you all. When we put our hearts and minds together, we can accomplish anything!

### Donny Stevenson, Vice Chairman



Thank you to all who have and continue to support me; especially in my new role as the Vice Chairman of the Tribe. I consider this not only a profound honor; but, a serious responsibility. As a result, let it be clearly stated our work as leaders will continue honoring the will and identity of the Muckleshoot people through service-based elected leadership of the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe, our federally-recognized

sovereign Tribal nation. We will continue ensuring, preserving and protecting Tribal sovereignty through strong and effective self-governance.

Additionally, we will continue engaging a strategic and progressive vision which secures a sustainable future for the Muckleshoot Tribe and people while fulfilling the cultural teachings and tradition which honor the ancestors and our past. I assert the goal of doing so transparently and humbly, leading the Muckleshoot people and Tribe with a good heart, in a good way.

### Jeremy James, Secretary



I am very honored to serve our Tribe as your Tribal Council Secretary. The community has shown me a lot of support and I am truly grateful for that. I am deeply committed to serving our people and looking for new ways to make progress in the best way possible.

Best Wishes,  
Jeremy James

### John Daniels Jr., Treasurer



Thank you, my Warrior Relations for re-electing my Warrior Brothers and I to serve another term on the Muckleshoot Tribal Council. I greatly appreciate the vote of confidence from our Tribal members to continue this important and sacred work of representing our people.

As I begin my 19th year as a Tribal Council member, I will be serving as Treasurer, so I have now served in all four officer positions, including 11 years as Chairman.

The Muckleshoot Tribe is entering a very dynamic period, and we will work together to build upon our past successes and create a future that will honor those who went before us as we bring our culture forward to future generations.

I will do my best to apply the teachings of our past and present elder leaders to fight to protect our rights and bring prosperity in every way possible to our community.

## Moses Receives Billy Frank Jr. Award

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Stanley is a forward thinker. While tribes worked on Phase II to find legal support for the protection of the fish habitat, Stanley saw that the scope of non-Indian habitat destruction would need a two-prong approach: protection of the habitat and the wise use of hatchery programs.

The State insisted that hatchery fish were not subject to the Treaty – a conclusion that would be devastating to not only Muckleshoot but other tribes as well. Stanley applied his leadership to challenge the state on hatchery fish and that issue was joined as part of Phase II.

The Courts agreed with tribes and, for the first time, ruled that the reserved right would extend beyond natural salmon. The hatchery decision was a harbinger of future decisions addressing steelhead and shellfish.

Today, as a result of that court victory and Stanley's wise leadership, Muckleshoot operates two of its own hatcheries, a Net Pen program in cooperation with Suquamish in Elliot Bay, and has secured a new hatchery in Lake Washington. Other tribes have followed suit, with the result that there are more fish for all fishers.

It was not sufficient to increase the fishery resource if Tribal fishers could not get a fair price for their harvest. At the mercy of non-Indian fish buyers, Tribal harvesters often did not earn enough to cover expenses.

To remedy this inequity, Stanley spearheaded the establishment of Muckleshoot Seafood Products. That new tribal enterprise was intended to insure Tribal fishers get a fair price for their harvest. But, more than that, Stanley saw this new economic venture as a way to bring new members into the fishery, thereby assuring the Treaty fishery would continue for future generations.

Stanley has great vision and does not shy away from a fight when needed to advance or protect the Treaty rights, even if the fight might take years to win. Stanley also knows, and has the judgment, to use all the tools at his disposal to succeed, including the art of negotiation.

Water is essential to fish survival. Stanley knew this at a deep, almost visceral, level. But how to assure enough flows for fish on the three main rivers in the home region of the Muckleshoot people? Stanley, along with the Muckleshoot Fish Commission and backed by the Tribal Council, embarked on a series of litigations and negotiations securing fish flows into perpetuity on the Green and White Rivers.

Stanley and the Fish Commission also secured fish flows on the Cedar, and that is a story worth telling. The Cedar River is a central and critical river to the Muckleshoot Tribe, and is also located in the City of Seattle watershed and used for drinking water. The City had a different priority for that water than the tribe.

Stanley started the campaign of the Muckleshoot Tribe to reclaim that Cedar River water for fish and achieve access to the watershed. The fight led by Stanley started in the 1990's, but was not brought to a successful conclusion until 2006. Stanley led the way, never giving up nor backing down. When pre-



Stanley Moses, Muckleshoot Indian Fish Commission leader and treaty rights activist for 50 years, was awarded the Billy Frank Jr. Leadership Award on March 28, 2019.

sented with an offer that was unacceptable, he merely told the city to go away, and take their dam with them. You see, while Stanley has a keen ability to reach agreement, it needs to be the right agreement.

Eventually, the City sought a Habitat Conservation Plan from NMFS – the National Marine Fisheries Service. Stanley orchestrated a plan that amounted to suing NMFS, knowing that the City of Seattle would intervene and would thereby be placed in a position where the Tribe's leverage would be at a maximum.

Stanley's strategy paid off: The city agreed to much better fish flows;

Agreed to forego a part of their water right;

Agreed to construct a new hatchery to enhance the Lake Washington sockeye run – this as mitigation for the blockage of 14 miles of habitat above Landsburg Dam;

Agreed to access to the watershed for multiple treaty purposes;

Established a more cooperative management between the Tribe and City and addressed past damages.

The City learned that the Muckleshoot Tribe, as with all tribes, are truly forever and will not be deterred or deflected from their goals, and that leaders like Stanley are here to stay and will stay until the job is done.

Let me add a footnote to that Cedar River victory: Stanley is not a traveling man. I doubt there is a place anywhere he likes less to be than Washington DC. But Stanley is always ready to go whenever and wherever he is needed.

And to succeed against Seattle he was needed in Washington DC to try and dissuade the Corps of Engineers from supporting the City and to garner support from Interior. He was partially successful, as the Corps listened and embraced much of the Tribe's argument advanced by Stanley at the Pentagon. Interior, always having trouble grappling with its duty as trustee, was a harder nut to crack, but in the end the pieces fell in place and, as noted, the Tribe prevailed.

A word of caution: Whenever a Tribe elects to challenge a state or non-Indian action that is undermining treaty rights it takes a great risk. For a loss could undercut those rights now and forever. The leader chosen to make those decisions to fight or not needs to have judgment – the ability to weigh risks and gains.

Stanley has that judgment. He has the ability to weigh the risks and consistently make the right choice. I have often used the adage "Hogs and pigs: Pigs get

fat, hogs get slaughtered." Well, Stanley knows the difference. He consistently leaves his adversary's plate bare taking what is needed to secure the treaty right, while at the same time intuitively knowing when to stop, thus avoiding any risk to the treaty right.

I have talked about Stanley's fights as a leader in Indian Country and of the Muckleshoot Tribe. But Stanley's fights are not all fought at that level. Like so many Tribal leaders over time, Stanley fought on the shores of the rivers against State brutality. To say he paid his dues is an understatement.

I want to end with a tale I know personally that I think reflects Stanley's character and his instinct not to walk away from a fight. It does not involve fishing, but hunting. In the 1970's Stanley and three Muckleshoot members were ticketed for hunting without a State license.

As the leader looked up to by all, Stanley had several choices:

pay the fine or fight. Unsurprisingly, he and his companions choice to fight – challenging the citation. The case would not have any precedential value, but it was the principle that mattered.

Stanley took a rare move. He demanded a jury trial – a jury made up entirely of non-Indians in a court in Auburn. They went to trial. The jury was seated and that non-Indian jury, after looking at Stanley and his fellow defendants for a few days, and hearing about how important the Treaty right was to these men, voted to acquit them!

I am sure there are other non-Indian juries somewhere who have acquitted Treaty hunters, I just don't know of any. And to add to the victory was the fact Jim Johnson, a powerful adversary and State Attorney General came to town to prosecute the case and lost!

That small case speaks volumes about Stanley – his fearlessness, his willing to fight on principle, and his uncanny ability to read the community, even the non-Indian community, and predict a victory where all others would have seen only defeat.

Stanley, thank you for allowing me to get to know you; to learn from you and to watch you work. I have often said I have never had a bad experience in Indian Country, and knowing you is one of the reasons why. I am honored to be your friend. No one deserves this award more than you – Alan Stay



**TRIBAL SCHOOL STUDENTS VISIT WASHINGTON, DC.** I'm so impressed and incredibly inspired by our young Muckleshoots! MTS High School students met with Congresswoman Kim Schrier, M.D., (first-time Democratic Representative for the 10th Congressional District) and represented the Tribe proudly and impressively... some posing questions that actually even required follow up by our new member of Congress! I'm so very proud of all these kiddos... they sure inspire a whole lot of hope for our Tribe and peoples' future!!! ~ Donny Stevenson



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### Suzette Leslie Elkins

Suzette Leslie Elkins of Auburn passed over on April 10, 2019 at the age of 47. She was born July 6, 1971 to James O. Elkins and Georgiana Starr.

Suzette enjoyed reading, watching her programs on TV, and playing softball. She loved her family, especially caring for her grandchildren.

Suzette was preceded in death by her father, James O. Elkins; son Ronald S. Penn III; brother James P. Elkins; sisters Debra Starr, Ruth Jensen, Dawn Starr and Jean Elkins. She is also preceded in death by her father-in-law and mother-in-law, Ronald and Rebecca Penn, grandparents George and Leona Starr, and numerous other relatives.

She is survived by her significant other, Nick Larios; son Alfred Penn of Auburn; daughters Rayna Penn, Rebecca Elkins-Penn and Pamela Penn, all of Auburn; sisters Naomi Elkins, Christine Moses and Gerri Elkins, all of Auburn, Wilda Elkins of Toppenish and Tina Elkins from Idaho, and four beloved grandchildren.

The funeral service was held on April 15, 2019, a bright sunny day, at the Muckleshoot Shaker Church, followed by burial at New White Lake Cemetery. Services were entrusted to Weeks' Funeral Home. Please sign the online guest book at [www.weeksfuneralhomes.com](http://www.weeksfuneralhomes.com)



### Pamela Mae Thomas-Kirk

Pamela Mae Thomas-Kirk was born to Rose Marie (Edge) Thomas and Henry Ray Thomas on December 21, 1958. She passed away on January 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at Swedish Medical Center First Hill Campus, Seattle, WA.

She attended La Conner Schools and graduated in 1977. After high school she drove the pre-school bus for Swinomish preschoolers. She worked as a hostess for the Swinomish Casino, as a housekeeper for the Channel Lodge and Country Inn in La Conner.

Pam enjoyed traveling to big drum powwows, where she took her sons Jacob and Justin to participate in grass dancing. She also traveled to smokehouse gatherings during the winters. She joined smokehouse in 2012. Pam was a member at the Shaker Church in Muckleshoot and other tribes. She was a community member at Pendleton Round up Tee Pee village, Happy Canyon Indian Pageant cast member and community member of Fort Walla Walla Days.

She enjoyed beading, weaving and shopping, traveling with the elders, trips with her Auntie Shirley in her big green limo. She traveled yearly with her husband Jim on annual tribal canoe journey.

In 2013 she married James "Jim" L. Kirk at Muckleshoot Pentecostal Church on March 10, 2013 and she became a member of the Moses family.

Pamela is survived by her husband James L. Kirk of Muckleshoot; father Henry Thomas; children, sons Wacey Thomas Kirk, Art (Rachel) Billy of Arlington, Jason (Pauline) Billy of Swinomish, Justin (Jolene) Billy of Lummi, Jacob (Julie) Billy of Swinomish, Alvie George of Puyallup, Ronald George of Puyallup, Robert Taylor and daughters Joslin Hoptowit, Jolina Hoptowit, Dee Webb, Amy Webb; siblings, Robert (Linda) Edwards, Linda, Ronnie, Darlene, Theresa, Henry, Darren, Ray Duane Thomas of Saint Michael, Arizona; grandchildren, Carol Ann Kirk, Timine Kirk, Gracia Kirk, Aaliyah Kirk, Caitlyn, Evan, Robin, Ruby Billy, Matt McCulloch and Angelina Jimmy;

Aunt Shelly Cassimere and Della (Howard) Begay; Uncle Bill Burke; niece Sunny Sneatum; nephew Moses Sneatum; numerous cousins, nieces and nephews from Muckleshoot, nephews, Aaron Hines, Travis Williams, Joseph Crawford and Robert Crawford and nieces, Buffy Hines, Mary Hines and Lourie Crawford; brother-in-law Rodney Moses, Brian BJ Moses; sister-in-law Cynthia Moses, Tresha Moses, Martina Moses and Lisa Starr; and cousin Peeps, Mike and Mona Yeager and Bonnie Burke. Cousins Ben, Sue and Phil Charles of Lower Elwha from the Modest family.

She was preceded in death by: her mother Rose M. Thomas, paternal and maternal grandparents, brother Bernard H. Edwards, Yazzi Theodore Thomas; sister Robin Denise Edwards; Aunts and Uncles, Bernard Edge Sr., Theodore Edge Jr., Denise Edge and Andrea Edge; daughters-in-law, Jamie Lee Kirk and Alene Hoptowit and brother-in-law Dennis Moses.

The family thanks everyone who came and supported them at the hospital and all those who sent prayers and continued prayers for the family. There are many others to thank and if we missed you, we've done the best we can during this difficult time.



# In Appreciation

On behalf of the Elkins and Starr Family, I'd like to thank everyone for their kindness and prayers at our time of loss. All the donations, I know, came with love. I appreciate our tribe and how it's grown.

Love & Prayers,

## Duchess & Family

### Joseph Patrick Starr Jr.

Joseph Patrick Starr Jr. loved to feel the weight of a full basket of summer berries in his arms. It was never a burden, his hands stained and rough from picking, the tiring of his arms signaling a day of perfection and hard work, and the sun warmed juice on his tongue a sweet reward.

Born on March 6, 1960 he came into the world on an early spring breeze that ebbed and flowed between a tingling chill and Heaven; same as the day, April 15, 2019, he died 59 years later.

Joe spent most of his life with worn and stained hands. They smelled of the sun and fruit, the waters he fished, the woods in which he hunted, the animals he befriended, of leather and sweat, the tang of phosphorus, and the vanilla of old hymnals.

His hands carried with them the fragrance and wear of a life well lived. And these scents have become the wellspring of his new being - a reverie in the hearts, minds, and olfactory systems of those saying *good-bye for now*.

Joe's father, Joe Moses, and sisters, Jan Starr and Dora Starr, all went ahead to scout the way towards more beautiful and important wonders.

Those left to tell his story, to pick the summer fruits, and say his name fondly at gatherings are his beautiful daughters Dora Faye Watlamet (Brant) and Joselene Precious Starr (Nash); his kind sons Harvey Lee Starr, Joseph William Starr, Veron Cultee, Kanum Cultee, and Lawrence Hatch; his six amazing grandchildren; his loving mother Bernadine Nappier; his brother George Starr; and numerous cousins, aunts, uncles, and lifelong friends.

The April wind is curling through the trees, singing a song only Joe can hear, and it says *welcome home*.



MUCKLESHOOT INDIAN TRIBE

## COMMUNITY GARDEN

**Muckleshoot Tribal Members, the Community Garden is going to be opening March 18th! Planter box sign-up starts March 18th at Building Maintenance (38805 172nd Ave SE) First Come, First Serve!**

- 3/18 - 1st Round Sign-up: Participants may reserve 1 planter box
- 4/1 - 2nd Round Sign-up: Remaining planter boxes may be signed up to be reserved

For questions, please call: (253)285-4063 or email: [sarah.burk@muckleshoot.nsn.us](mailto:sarah.burk@muckleshoot.nsn.us)  
 We can help garden as needed!

**Thank you! We hope to see you soon!**

## UPDATE

### Free Red Cedar & Douglas Fir Trees

Free Red Cedar and Douglas Fir Tree Starters for Muckleshoot Tribal Members

Building Maintenance will deliver and plant for **All Muckleshoot Tribal Members 18 years old and older**. Tree recipients are responsible for watering.

Trees may be picked up during business hours Monday through Friday 7am - 4pm at Building Maintenance | 38805 172nd Avenue SE By Old Ball Fields and Sla Hal Shed

For delivery or additional information, call (253)285-4063

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Light refreshments will be served prior to the ceremony.


Please contact Tony Gonzales @ (253) 876-3296 or Jesse McDaniel III @ (253) 876-3297 with any questions.



*Please join us for a Memorial Celebration for*

## Marvin Starr Sr

### "Cubby"



May 25, 2019 10:00am  
 at New White Lake Cemetery,  
 1599 Dogwood St. SE, Auburn, WA  
 for the Blessing of the headstone.

*Dinner, give away and celebration to follow at*  
 Muckleshoot Pentecostal Church  
 39731 Auburn Enumclaw Rd. SE  
 Auburn, WA 98092



# 2019 Racing Meet Opens at Emerald Downs

## Indian Relay Racing June 14-16

The Emerald Downs 2019 season is underway and continues through September 22<sup>nd</sup>. All Tribal Members receive free admission every race day. Just show your Tribal ID at the admission gates. Racing will be conducted on Fridays starting May 10th at 6:30 p.m., every Saturday at 2 p.m. through June 8 and at 5 p.m. starting June 15th, and every Sunday at 2 p.m. The lone Wednesday race day is on July 3rd with a 5 p.m. post time followed by the annual Fireworks spectacular. There are many exciting promotional events, including Indian Relay Racing on June 14-16. There's also plenty of free parking at the track. For more information visit [emeralddowns.com](http://emeralddowns.com).

## Muckleshoot Behavioral Health's Equine Program reaches a new high!

Muckleshoot Sya-Ya Vice-President and Blue Barn Youth Work Training Program worker **Briana Arvizu** just earned a major equestrian award. She was named Donida Farm Equestrian Center's **2018-2019 Series Highpoint Champion!** To earn a highpoint championship she competed in a series of horse shows and earned the most points for her age group (13-17).

This year's competition was extremely challenging; she entered the finals show 17 points behind the first place rider. Briana went on to outride the leader by earning 27 points in one show!

"I am overwhelmed by the innate equestrian talent of these kids!" Muckleshoot's Equine Specialist Kelly Ferguson said, adding that, "Briana has a gift that needs to be cultivated, and that's what

I'm here to help with!"

The Muckleshoot Equine Program has created their model based on Medicine Wheel teachings and incorporates many Native equestrian traditions. We hope to continue to grow our presence in the community through the healing powers of the horse.

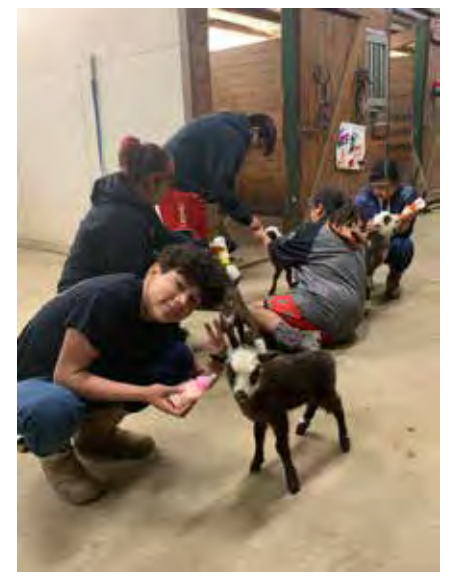
The youth on our *Ride and Shine* team recently had the opportunity to visit El Dorado Farms on the Enumclaw Plateau. Owner Nina Hagen shared her knowledge and educated our youth on different facets of the Thoroughbred Racing industry.

In other news, on April 12<sup>th</sup>

Family and Youth Services hosted a Spring Fair at the Blue Barn. We had a massive turn out and the community seemed to enjoy the petting zoo and riding demonstrations. Byron Lloyd brought his beautifully crafted regalia to share with the public. Byron helped recreate a picture of Tamicka riding Appaloosa gelding Just-a-Maid (Justin) that was taken in 2011.

For more information on the Sya-Ya 4-H Club and Equine Services please contact Kelly Ferguson at Muckleshoot Behavioral Health, Family and Youth Services.

~ Submitted by Kelly Ferguson



We have baby lambs!

### El Dorado Farm



Muckleshoot Equine Group at famed El Dorado Farm



Mackenzie getting acquainted with a foal



Shane holding stallion, Abraaj



Briana and Kiana with baby horse foal



Our baby sheep!



Briana



Getting a little study help.

### Byron & Tamicka



Tamicka in 2011



Byron and Tamicka 2019



Tamicka with Byron's beaded horse regalia

### Donida Farm



Briana with her grand prize ribbon



# TRIBAL COUNCIL SWEARING-IN CEREMONY

Tuesday, April 2, 2019 ~ Tribal Council Chamber

PHOTOS BY JOHN LOFTUS

CONGRATULATIONS TO JAISON ELKINS, MIKE JERRY SR. & JOHN DANIELS JR., who were sworn in to new 3-year terms on the Muckleshoot Tribal Council on Tuesday, April 2. All three were re-elected in the January 21 Tribal Election, the first time this has happened since 2001.



# 2019 Fireworks Ordinance Update

The Tribe recently amended the Fireworks Control Ordinance which regulates the sale of fireworks on the Reservation. The changes in the Ordinance are effective immediately and therefore will govern the sale of fireworks during the upcoming 2019 fireworks season. This article is intended to help get the word out that there are a number of important changes to the Ordinance. This article only summarizes the most impactful changes to tribal fireworks regulations. Therefore if you will be engaged in the fireworks business on the Reservation, you are strongly urged to carefully read this article, as well as the new 2019 version of the Fireworks Control Ordinance so that you are familiar with all of the changes in the Ordinance. It is important to remember that fireworks businesses must comply with all applicable laws.

**Impactful Change #1:** While open for business, fifty percent (50%) or more of the persons working a stand must qualify as “native persons” as defined in the Ordinance. **All native persons working at a stand must be prepared to present official tribal enrollment identification as proof of their native status.** Stands which are not in compliance with these requirements may, in addition to any other lawful penalties, be required to immediately close by the Commission or its enforcement agent until proof of compliance is established.

**Impactful Change #2:** **If your fireworks stand is operated (controlled or supervised) by a non-native person then that stand must be no more than 16 feet in length.** For stands operated by a native person, the maximum length is now 90 feet.

**Impactful Change #3:** Enrolled Muckleshoot stand operators have always been limited to operating only a single fireworks stand. This year the Tribe has clarified that this one stand limitation applies to all operators. This means that **no one may operate more than one fireworks stand.** If you hire someone to operate your fireworks stand then no one else may hire that same person to run another stand. If you will be transferring or sharing your responsibilities as a temporary fireworks stand operator then, when you apply for fireworks stand permit, you will be required to provide contact information and tribal affiliation for your associated operators.

## Muckleshoot Tribal Gaming Agency announces Employees of the Quarter

*Congratulations to the following Muckleshoot Tribal Gaming Agency Team Members for being selected as Team Member(s) of the Quarter for Q1 of 2019!*

### Cris Newborn

Cris Newborn, Enforcement Agent for the Muckleshoot Tribal Gaming Agency was selected as one of our Team Members of Quarter for quarter 1. She is being recognized for being self-accountable and never afraid of admitting a mistake. She talks straight and has the ability to do so without angering people. She’s committed to helping out others, no matter what the task and she wants to see them succeed. She was the Itrak report leader for quarter 1. She presented a “needs to know” case for a license review and did an exceptional job. She’s an ideal team member who consistently goes above and beyond. We want to congratulate Cris for being selected as one of our TGA Team

Members of the Quarter!

### Lana Gerstner

Lana Gerstner, Surveillance Observer for the Muckleshoot Tribal Gaming Agency was selected as or other Team Member of the Quarter for quarter 1. She is being recognized for the love, enthusiasm and passion she shows for her duties, her job, and the Agency. She always goes the extra mile and she has an excellent work ethic. She’s always willing to assist others in obtaining information and conducting reviews. She communicates very well, both internally and externally. She maintained her (always) positive attitude, even through a very challenging quarter. These are all outstanding contributions which we truly appreciate. We want to congratulate Lana for being selected as one of our TGA Team Members of the Quarter!



## ‘Overcoming Obstacles’ theme of casino’s Tribal Development Program event

“Obstacles don’t have to stop you. If you run into a wall, don’t turn around and give up. Figure out how to climb it, go through it, or work around it” – Michael Jordan.

“Overcoming Obstacles” was the theme of the Muckleshoot Casino’s Tribal Development Program’s March LEAD event. Occurring once every quarter, LEAD events strive to celebrate the spirit of success with themes that inspire its participants and give them the fuel elevate their motivation and keep their momentum high.

Tribal Development held this year’s first quarter LEAD event on Friday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019 and to drive the theme of overcoming obstacles, the program hosted guest speaker, Gregory Marks – a Washington state born actor and philanthropist. Marks shared with the program and its participants his story of drug abuse, poverty, homelessness and personal tragedies. He entrapped his audience with the truth of his struggles and how he consciously decided to overcome his own obstacles and rose to not only live out his life-long dream of being an actor, but then used his story and his influence to become a pillar of strength and inspiration for his community. Marks concluded his presentation by giving the participants a personal screening of his movie, *Shift Paradigm* – a film which demonstrates that everyone has their own story and their own struggles.

Following Marks, the program and its participants proceeded to build their morale with a spirited afternoon of laser tag! A friendly competition of *Capture the Flag*

was held between four teams. Prizes were given for first, second, third and fourth place. Perhaps, however, the free-for-all matches were the most popular. It seems that the best feeling of competition was created when *one* was against *all!* For those who needed a break from the laser tag games, there were board game activities and an art project where attendees were asked to draw something that

inspires them on a small three by three canvas tile, which the Tribal Development Program will later compile together to create a collage of inspiration.

The spirit of motivation is alive and well within the Tribal Development Program. The success of this year’s first quarter LEAD event only provides motivation to make the next LEAD event just as inspiring.

## CANOE FAMILY PREPARES FOR PADDLE TO LUMMI

The Muckleshoot Canoe Family has awakened its canoes and begun practicing in earnest for this year’s Tribal Canoe Journey. Our canoes will be departing from Squaxin Island on July 16 and working their way up the coastline, landing on July 24 on the beach of this year’s host, the Lummi Nation. The South Sound canoe contingent will land at Alki Beach on July 18 and will be hosted at Muckleshoot that night. There is still time to get involved!

We always need pullers, but there are many other ways to help – ground crew, cook’s helpers, or just helping to make giveaway items for when Muckleshoot takes the floor at Lummi. Canoe practice takes place every Sunday at different locations – often Alki. Call us at the Culture Program for more information. Just tell them you’re interested in participating in this year’s Tribal Canoe Journey. For more information call 253-939-3311 and ask for the Culture Program.



# OUTDOOR MOVIES

JUNE 11TH (TUES) HOTEL TRANSYLVANIA 3	120min airtime 9:30pm
JUNE 14TH (FRI) FREE WILLY 2	98min airtime 9:30pm
JUNE 18TH (TUES) SPITIT STALLION OF THE CIMARRON	85min 9:30pm
JUNE 21ST (FRI) MARY POPPINS RETURNS	130min airtime 9:30pm
JUNE 25TH (TUES) OVER THE HEDGE	83min airtime 9:30pm
JUNE 28TH (FRI) THE NEXT KARATE KID	104min airtime 9:30pm
JULY 2ND (TUES) MADAGASCAR 3	93min airtime 9:30pm
JULY 9TH (TUES) THE INCREDIBLES 2	118min airtime 9:30pm
JULY 16TH (TUES) A LEAGUE OF THEIR OWN	128min airtime 9:30pm
JULY 23RD (TUES) SNOW WHITE AND THE SEVEN DWARFS	83min airtime 9:20pm
JULY 30TH (TUES) WARRIOR	139min airtime 9:00pm
AUGUST 1ST (THURS) RALPH BREAKS THE INTERNET	112min airtime 9:00pm
AUGUST 6TH (TUES) AQUAMAN	143min airtime 9:00pm
AUGUST 8TH (THURS) SMALL FOOT	96min airtime 8:45pm
AUGUST 13TH (TUES) CREED II	117min airtime 8:45pm
AUGUST 15TH (THURS) THE LITTLE MERMAID	83min airtime 8:40pm
AUGUST 20TH (TUES) JURASSIC WORLD FALLEN KINGDOM	129min airtime 8:30pm
AUGUST 24th (SAT) HOW TO TRAIN YOUR DRAGON THE HIDDEN WORLD	110min 8:30pm
AUGUST 27TH (TUES) WONDER PARK	86min airtime 8:20pm
AUGUST 29TH (THURS) DUMBO	130min airtime 8:15pm

**Muckleshoot Ball Fields**, Each Movie to start at Dusk. Estimated time above  
 Snacks will be available for Cash Only purchases. Open to the public, everyone welcome.  
 Bring your blankets, chairs, air beds. Each Movie is Free, bring your family & friends

Frankie Lezard 253-876-3342 Frankie.lezard@muckleshoot.nsn.us

# Easter Weekend Stickgame Tourney 2019

JOHN LOFTUS PHOTOS



EASTER EGGS & JELLY BEANS & CHOCOLATE & GUMMIES & FAMILY

## MUCKLESHOOT

EASTER WEEKEND

# Stickgame

TO BE HELD ON  
**APRIL 19 TO  
 APRIL 21, 2019**  
 TO BE HELD AT  
**WHITE RIVER  
 AMPHITHEATRE**  
 (PARKING AREA)  
 40601 AUBURN  
 ENUMCLAW ROAD  
 AUBURN, WASHINGTON  
 98002

SATURDAY MAIN TOURNAMENT  
 OPEN TO ALL AGES/ 3-5 PLAYERS/  
 \$100 ENTRY  
 REGISTRATION OPENS SATURDAY 12PM  
 CLOSES 2PM SHARP  
 1ST-4TH WINNERS WILL GET JACKETS!!!  
 1ST PLACE: \$20,000  
 2ND PLACE: \$15,000  
 3RD PLACE: \$10,000  
 4TH PLACE: \$5,000  
 TWO CONSOLATIONS OF \$2,500

Small text at the bottom of the poster includes: "SPECIAL THANKS TO...", "SUPPORTING SPONSORS...", "OFFICIAL STICKGAME...", "SCHEDULE...", "FOR MORE INFORMATION...", "MUCKLESHOOT COMMUNITY..."



# Tomanamus silviculture crew gets fire training

The Tomanamus Silviculture Crew – a/k/a “The Devils Club” – completed their Basic Wildland Firefighter 2 training on July 19. This training was sponsored by the Orting Valley Fire and Rescue Department.

Four days of classroom instruction were followed by a one-day field exercise. Topics covered during the training were fire weather, fire behavior, line safety, fire operations, Incident Command System (ICS) and fire shelter use.

The students then took this training and participated in a prescribed fire, to mitigate hazardous fuels, on the Lincoln Tree Farm near Graham Wa.

Over 80 professional firefighters from nine different agencies in the Puget Sound area participated. They also constructed hand line, ignited logging slash piles, mopped up burn areas, put in hose lays from forest fire engines and helped with the evacuation of a simulated fire line injury.

Our crew is now trained to protect the Tomanamus Forest from wildfire threats, and once they have a sponsor for their “Red Cards” they will be available for dispatch in the area. The other SSCII employees on the Roads Crew will go for their equipment operator “Blue Card” training next month.



Back Row l-r: Derek Summers, David Aganza, Deshawn Ross-Jansen, Dontae Bronson-Johnson, Isaias Ortega-Huezo, Jeffery Laverdure Jr., Tyler Waits, O’Neil Davis. Front Row: Benjamin Abella, Dustino Cabanas-Oliver



## Be prepared for wildland fire season

With the Wildland fire season already beginning in some areas in Washington State, some of us may have to begin worrying about the new predicted smoke patterns that we will all be breathing in whether we like it or not.

See the attached chart for AQI (Air Quality Information). The information will be broadcast throughout the spring/summer when the wildland fire smoke

reaches our communities or the places you will be vacationing to.

Become familiar with the language so you will know what to expect so that you can help your Elder, Child or Pet protect themselves from this extreme predicted smoky condition that is hazardous to all of our health in one way or another.

There will be periodic messages from your local broadcasting net-

work or your favorite social media outlet.

Stay indoors if at all possible, follow your local Public Health department directions for related messages for more information on this important subject.

Stay Safe, Stay Prepared, Stay Informed!  
Ada McDaniel, MA- ENVC  
MIT EM Director  
253-876-3247

## Air Quality Index - A Guide to Air Quality and Your Health

### What do the AQI values mean? (Air Quality Index)

The purpose of the AQI is to help you understand what local air quality means to your health. To make it easier to understand, the AQI is divided into six levels of health concern:

Air Quality Index (AQI) Values	Levels of Health Concern	Colors
When the AQI is in this range:	...air quality conditions are:	...as symbolized by this color:
0 - 50	Good	Green
51 - 100	Moderate	Yellow
101 - 150	Unhealthy for Sensitive Groups	Orange
151 - 200	Unhealthy	Red
201 - 300	Very Unhealthy	Purple
301 - 500	Hazardous	Maroon

### Why is air quality important?

Local air quality affects how you live and breathe. Like the weather, it can change from day to day or even hour to hour. The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and your local air quality agency have been working to make information about outdoor air quality as easy to find and understand as weather forecasts. A key tool in this effort is the Air Quality Index, or AQI. EPA and local officials use the AQI to provide simple information about your local air quality, how unhealthy air may affect you, and how you can protect your health.

### What is the AQI?

The AQI is an index for reporting daily air quality. It tells you how clean or unhealthy your air is, and what associated health effects might be a concern. The AQI focuses on health effects you may experience within a few hours or days after breathing unhealthy air. The AQI is calculated for four major air pollutants regulated by the Clean Air Act: ground level ozone, particle pollution, carbon monoxide, and sulfur dioxide. For each of these pollutants, EPA has established national air quality standards to protect public health. EPA is currently reviewing the national air quality standard for nitrogen dioxide. If the standard is revised, the AQI will be revised as well.



Please come, each and everyone, to enjoy HAPPINESS, LOVE and LAUGHTER  
Come celebrate OUR MOTHER, Auntie, Grandmother, Friend...

## VIRGINIA CROSS' 80th BIRTHDAY

along with all of our family's JUNE BIRTHDAYS!!

POTLUCK STYLE, those that can provide, please bring a dish, pop, ice, hotdogs, hamburgers, chips, etc. Otherwise, just come with all your joy and happiness and share with us.

Bring all your tables, chairs, canopies, there is a big playground there, too, for all the kids...

Game Farm Park, Big Picnic Shelter  
June 16, 2019 ~ 4 pm to dusk

Please all come and enjoy, each & everyone!!



# Grant Timentwa Honored at Farewell Luncheon

Tribal staff and many friends recently bid a fond farewell to longtime MIT employee Grant Timentwa. A Colville member, Grant has been the brains behind the Tribe's GIS – Geographic Information System – Program for the past 12 years, making it into one of the best in Indian Country. He won a national award in his field last year, and now he's gotten hired away by the company that makes the GIS Software, the California-based ESRI Corporation.

Grant's moccasins will be hard ones to fill here at Muckleshoot – not just for the GIS Program, but for the big role he played in the community. Grant has been a real mainstay of the MIT Pow Wow Program for many years, playing a major role in the growth and popularity of our annual celebrations. His skills as an emcee often brought him to center stage as well, not just at pow wows, but all types of events, including the MIT Elders Luncheon and Tribal School Potlatch just to name a few.

His good friend through both pow wow and as an office neighbor, Madrienne Salgado White, gifted him a Pendleton blanket to begin his farewell luncheon. After that, people got up to speak, sharing heartfelt words of appreciation for his generosity and the selfless role he's played during his time here. There was a handshake line, and then Joseph Martin sang an honoring song, with Grant joining in at the end in to make the final few verses a duet. It was very touching and beautiful.

We wish Grant all the best in the future and hope that he won't be a stranger here at Muckleshoot, where he's been such a respected and valued member of the community.



**EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBERS**  
FOR FIRE, MEDICAL, OR POLICE EMERGENCIES CALL 911 FIRST

- **TRIBAL GOVERNMENT BUILDING — AFTER HOURS EMERGENCY LINE (4PM — 7AM)**  
(253) 561-1297
- **GENERATOR — ELDER AND TRIBAL GOVERNMENT BUILDING EMERGENCY LINE**  
Gregorio (253) 409-3885 | Brook (253)736-3891
- **SECURITY EMERGENCY LINE FOR EMERGENCIES, CALL 911 FIRST THEN SECURITY**  
(253) 261-7707
- **TRIBAL HOUSING EMERGENCY LINE**  
(253) 261-0779
- **PUBLIC WORKS EMERGENCY LINE**  
(253) 876-3030
- **EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**  
Ada McDaniel (253) 261-0779

**FAMILY TREE BOOK BEING UPDATED!**

The Muckleshoot Family Tree is being updated! The last edition was 2008. If you have family that was not included in the last book, please notify Pat Noel Fleming at pnflem@comcast.net with name, parents' names and family's they belong to. I am also at the Philip Star Building on some Thursdays with Kerri Marquez. ~ Pat Noel Fleming

**15th ANNUAL SAVE THE DATE!**  
Native Women's Leadership Forum and Enduring Spirit Honoring Luncheon

**May 16-17, 2019**  
Great Wolf Lodge  
www.enduringspirit.org for more information

**Muckleshoot Child and Family Services (MCFS)**

**Contact Information for the MCFS Program**

**Address:**  
1220 "M" Street SE  
Auburn, WA 98002

**Main Phone:** 253-833-8782  
**Fax:** 253-876-3095

**CPS Intake Hotline for afterhours Call of Concern report of neglect/abuse:**  
1-866-ENDHARM (363-4276)

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(206) 370-1034  
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Office hours are the first Wednesday of every month at the Philip Starr Building, Office #283.

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◆ ARTISTS BUSINESS TRAINING ◆

**MAY 18, 2019**  
**9:00 AM - 4:00 PM**  
**CHEHALIS TRIBAL COMMUNITY CENTER**  
**OAKVILLE, WA**

CONTACT: DIANA @ 360-709-1631 OR EMAIL: DPICKERNELL@CHEHALIS.ORG

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

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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 statements... 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

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- CALL 1-800-562-3022 EXT 15616
- ONLINE <https://www.waproviderone.org/client>
- COME INTO THE MUCKLESHOOT MANAGED CARE DEPARTMENT!

17500 SE 392ND ST AUBURN WA 98092  
253-939-6648

### AMY CASTANEDA WINS 2019 BIGGEST LOSER CHALLENGE

The biggest loser 2019 is... Amy Castaneda!!! Amy won \$1,000 for her hard work. Congratulations Amy, and all of the rest of the biggest losers. All of the people listed below lost in the double digits. Hard work pays off!

All participants will receive a tee shirt and a water bottle. Stop by today to collect your prizes -- you are all winners!

### CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR BIGGEST LOSER TOP 3

- 1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE - AMY CASTANEDA
- 2<sup>ND</sup> PLACE - JON HAMILTON
- 3<sup>RD</sup> PLACE - BEAU BENT

### SPECIAL RECOGNITION TO

- 4<sup>TH</sup> PLACE - ABDEAN SMITH
- 5<sup>TH</sup> PLACE - SERGIO CASTANEDA
- 6<sup>TH</sup> PLACE - ANTONIO CABANAS
- 7<sup>TH</sup> PLACE - REGINA RUBAL
- 8<sup>TH</sup> PLACE - JOY OLES
- 9<sup>TH</sup> PLACE - DIANA DEA
- 10<sup>TH</sup> PLACE - MICHELLE GUENTHER

**BIG SHOUT OUT TO ALL ALL OF OUR BIGGEST LOSERS SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!**

## Muckleshoot Health & Wellness Center Hours

### Monday-Friday

- Gym 6:00am – 9pm
- Sauna & Steam Room 6:00am – 8:30pm
- Pool 6:00am – 8:30pm
- Daycare 9:00am – 8:45pm

### Saturday

- Gym 8:00am – 5pm
- Sauna & Steam Room 8:00am – 4:45pm
- Pool 8am – 4:45pm
- Daycare Closed

## Medicare 101

Why do I need Medicare when I turn 65 yrs. old?  
What does Medicare pay for?

#### Part A (Hospital Insurance)

Helps cover:

- Inpatient hospital stays
- Skilled nursing facility care

#### Part B (Medical Insurance)

Helps cover:

- Services from Doctors and other health care Providers
- Outpatient medical visits
- Durable medical equipment (like wheelchairs, hospital beds, and medical supplies)
- Preventative services (screenings, shots & Wellness)

**Come in to learn more about Medicare coverages**

Muckleshoot Health & Wellness Center  
Managed Care Department  
17500 SE 392nd Street  
Auburn, WA 98092

#### Part D (Prescription Drug coverage)

Helps Cover:

- Costs of Prescription Drugs/Medications



## Muckleshoot Health & Wellness Center

17500 SE 392nd Street, Auburn, WA 98092  
Main Line: (253) 939-6648

DEPARTMENT:	PHONE:	HOURS:
Behavioral Health Mental Health & Chemical Dependency	(253) 804-8752	8:00am – 5:00pm
Community Health/CHR's	(253) 939-6648	8:00am – 5:00pm Closed Lunch: 12:00p-1:00p
Dental Clinic	(253) 939-2131	8:00am – 5:00pm Closed Lunch: 12:00p-1:00p
Family & Youth BH Services Youth Mental Health & Chemical Dependency	(253) 333-3605	8:00am – 6:00pm
Medical Clinic	(253) 939-6648	8:00am – 5:00pm Closed Lunch: 12:00p-1:00p
MEIHSS Elders In-Home Support Services	(253) 876-3050	8:00am – 5:00pm Closed Lunch: 12:00p-1:00p
Optical Clinic	(253) 735-2020	8:00am – 5:00pm Closed Lunch: 12:00p-1:00p
Pharmacy	(253) 333-3618	8:00am – 6:00pm Lobby Closed 5:00p-6:00p Walk-Up window open 5:00p-6:00p
PRC formally named CHS Purchase Orders	(253) 939-6648	8:00am – 5:00pm Closed Lunch: 12:00p-1:00p
Recovery House	(253) 333-3629	24 hours
Registration Department	(253) 939-6648	8:00am – 5:00pm Closed Lunch: 12:00p-1:00p
Wellness Center	(253) 333-3616	
Gym Hours		Monday – Friday 6:00am – 9:00pm Saturday 8:00am – 5:00pm
Pool Hours		Monday – Friday 6:00am – 8:30pm Saturday 8:00am – 4:30pm
WIC Office	(253) 939-6648	Thursdays ONLY 8:00am – 4:30pm Closed Lunch: 12:00p-1:00p

**ALL DEPARTMENTS ARE CLOSED ON SUNDAYS**

## Pregnancy & Labor Support

*Continuous Support When You Need It Most*

What is a Pregnancy & Labor Support Specialist? They are women trained to provide continuous physical, emotional and informational support to a pregnant woman and her family during labor, birth and the days and weeks after the birth, while honoring their birth preferences. Pregnancy & Labor Support Specialists are a return to the tradition of women being surrounded and cared for by other women during childbirth. These services are a resource for both the laboring woman and the family and can help the birth family participate more fully in the process.

### How Can Participating In The Program Help You?

#### Our Pregnancy and Labor Support Specialists:

- Help create a birth plan to help you navigate through your pregnancy and review your birth preferences.
- Provide emotional support by helping with relaxation techniques, encouraging a positive attitude, guiding you through rough moments and encouraging both you and your family during labor and delivery.
- Provide basic Childbirth Education.
- Stay with you throughout labor and birth, providing uninterrupted support to you and your family.
- Provide physical support by suggesting positions and strategies to enhance labor progress and/or minimize discomfort.
- Educate you during long or difficult labors and can offer suggestions and encouragement to help you cope during your labor progress.
- Work with the medical and nursing staff by providing continuous care and support from the minute you enter the hospital through the first hours after birth.
- Assist with breastfeeding.

To register for this program, or for more information, please contact the HWC Medical Clinic at 253-939-6648.

\* You must be PRC (formerly CHS) eligible to utilize this service.

**FREE DIAPER BAG FILLED WITH BABY SUPPLIES & PACK-N-PLAY FOR PARTICIPATING IN THE PROGRAM!!!**

# Awakening the Canoes & 1<sup>st</sup> Canoe Practice

ALKI BEACH, SEATTLE ~ SUNDAY, APRIL 14, 2019

PHOTOS BY JOHN LOFTUS





## Are You Prepared for a Dental Emergency?

### GUIDELINES FOR MOST COMMON DENTAL EMERGENCIES

**Toothache:** Rinse your mouth gently with warm water to clean it out. Never put an aspirin tablet or any other pain reliever against the gums near the aching tooth. This won't relieve the discomfort and could burn your gum tissue, adding to the problem. Take a recommended dose of pain reliever, ibuprofen (Advil) is best, with a full glass of water. Don't rely on pain relievers long-term. You may be temporarily more comfortable, but the problem won't fix itself. Contact the dental clinic as soon as possible for help.



**Knocked-out tooth:** First, stay calm and try to find the tooth! This may take a bit of looking, as these emergencies often occur while on a playground, a basketball court or while biking or skateboarding. Rinse the tooth off gently with water, without any scrubbing or use of a toothbrush. Keep the tooth wet in a cup of milk. There is a chance that these teeth can be successfully splinted back in place and will function as normal. Time is of the essence, so contact the dental clinic as soon as possible.

**Broken tooth:** Rinse your mouth gently with warm water to clean it out. The tooth will likely be sensitive to hot and cold, so covering it with a wet piece of gauze or facial tissue will keep you more comfortable. Contact the dental clinic as soon as possible.



**Facial, tongue or lip wounds:** Clean the area gently with a clean damp washcloth and apply cold compresses to reduce swelling. A good cold compress is a baggie of ice wrapped in a cloth, applied repeatedly for 15 minutes on and 15 minutes off for the first few hours. Facial wounds can sometimes bleed a lot. Apply direct pressure to the wound with a clean cloth to slow and stop any bleeding, but you should go to the emergency room if the bleeding continues or concerns you. If it ever feels like your teeth don't fit or close together normally after any facial impact or injury, this could be from a broken jaw. You should go to the emergency room immediately.

**Objects stuck between teeth:** The most common culprits are popcorn husks! Try to gently remove the object with dental floss. Never use a pin or other sharp instrument to try to remove the object. If you can't get the object out, contact the dental clinic and we will help you.

### A temporary or permanent crown comes off:

The tooth will likely be sensitive to hot and cold. Place a small dab of drugstore denture adhesive or Vaseline in the crown and set it back on the tooth. This should control any sensitivity and keep the crown in place, but be very careful to avoid chewing on the tooth or the crown could come back off. Contact the dental clinic as soon as possible to have the crown recemented properly.

Our goal in the dental clinic is always to keep you comfortable, whether you are having a dental emergency or not. Feel free to call us anytime with any dental questions you may have (253-939-2131). You should always call the dental clinic immediately for instructions on how to handle any dental emergency during weekday business hours.



Are you having a rough day? Have you been feeling down for a while? It can be difficult to reach out, but talking to someone can help.

**You are not alone.**

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- Trained in suicide prevention

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Behavioral Health Program at (253)804-8752  
King County Crisis Line after hours at (206)461-3222



### Feathered Healing Circle

The Feathered Healing Circle is now having people call who need AA or NA meetings. Please call me to arrange a time and date for meeting. These meetings will also be on journey this year going to Lummi and Alcatraz. So just let me know you need a meeting. I will travel within Auburn area. Call Cynthia Lozier, 253-218-5542



**Relative & Foster Care Program**

We Need YOUR Help to become a Licensed & Loving Safe Home for OUR CHILDREN

**Foster a Child**

MIT Children & Family Services

MCFS Office Location: 38017 172nd Street SE, Auburn WA 98002  
Foster Licensor: Trudi Moses 253-876-3397 Cell: 253-880-6968  
MCFS Main: 253-833-8782  
Director: Cynthia Orie 253-876-3396

**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

**SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION**

IF YOU ARE NEEDING A REPLACEMENT:  
- MEDICARE CARD  
- SOCIAL SECURITY CARD  
- MEDICARE BENEFIT LETTER

THERE ARE TWO SOCIAL SECURITY OFFICE LOCATIONS THAT MAY BE ABLE TO ASSIST YOU.

<b>KENT</b> 321 RAMSEY WAY SUITE# 401 HOURS OF OPERATION: MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM WEDNESDAY 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM	<b>PUYALLUP</b> 811 S HILL PARK DR HOURS OF OPERATION: MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM WEDNESDAY 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM
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MAIN SOCIAL SECURITY PHONE NUMBER: 1-800-772-1213

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In an Emergency call: 9-1-1

## Child Find Screening

**What is a Child Find Screening?**

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

- Large muscle development
- 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 376 <sup>th</sup> St Auburn WA 98092 253-931-6709 Ext 3700	Marty Laronal Support Services Manager Muckleshoot Early Childhood Education Center 15599 SE 376 <sup>th</sup> St Auburn, WA 98092 253-876-3056 Ext 3922
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## FENTANYL WARNING

**Fentanyl** is causing an increasing number of **deaths** in King County.

Most drugs can be cut with **fentanyl**.

**Fentanyl** has been found locally in fake oxycodone pills & in white and blue powders.



Drugs pictured here were found at overdose death scenes in King County and tested positive for fentanyl.

Public Health  
Seattle & King County

## HOW TO AVOID OVERDOSE



**DO NOT USE ALONE**



**START WITH A SMALL AMOUNT**  
Fentanyl is a potent drug about 100 times more powerful than other opioids.



**WATCH AND WAIT BEFORE THE NEXT PERSON USES**



**HAVE NALOXONE READY**  
You can get Naloxone at the Needle Exchange.



**AN OPIOID OVERDOSE IS A MEDICAL EMERGENCY. CALL 911 RIGHT AWAY**  
Washington's Good Samaritan Law helps protect you.

**TREATMENT WORKS**  
Call the Recovery Hotline at 1-866-789-1511  
Or visit [www.stopoverdose.org](http://www.stopoverdose.org)

<b>MUCKLESHOOT WELLNESS CENTER</b>		
GYM HOURS: MONDAY-FRIDAY 6AM - 9PM / SATURDAY 8AM - 5PM		
POOL HOURS: MONDAY - FRIDAY 6AM - 8:30PM / SATURDAY 8AM - 4:30PM		
Days	12 pm	6pm
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>Fighter Fit</b> Boxing/Conditioning Class <b>Yoga</b> Stretching & Conditioning Class	<b>Ninja Warrior</b> Obstacle Course
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>ABC Circuit</b> Strength & Conditioning	<b>Step Class</b> Cardio using steps and incorporates music and dance
	<b>Spin</b> Cycle Class with Spin Bikes	
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>Fighter Fit</b> Boxing/Conditioning Class <b>Yoga</b> Stretching & Conditioning Class	<b>Follow the Leader</b> Can be anything
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>Step Class</b> Cardio using steps and incorporates music and dance	<b>Ninja Warrior</b> Obstacle Course
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Movestrong</b> Circuit Training on the Movestrong equipment <b>ABC Circuit</b> Strength & Conditioning	<b>Movestrong</b> Circuit Training on the Movestrong equipment
<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>Spin</b> Cycle Class with Spin Bikes	<b>Brazilian Jiu Jitsu</b>

### 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 questions regarding Needle Exchange services at 253-804-8752

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

Muckleshoot Behavioral Health Program

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**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

## SCAM ALERT!

- THE NEW MEDICARE CARDS HAS BEEN MAILED SO BEWARE OF SCAM OR PHISHING CALLS.
- MEDICARE WILL NEVER CALL UNINVITED TO ASK FOR PERSONAL INFORMATION OR ANY INFORMATION REGARDING YOUR NEW OR OLD MEDICARE CARD.
- IF SOMEONE CALLS ASKING FOR ANY INFORMATION REGARDING YOUR MEDICARE CARD... **PLEASE HANG UP!**
- YOU CAN REPORT ANY SUSPICIOUS PHONE CALLS DIRECTLY TO THE SOCIAL SECURITY FRAUD HOTLINE AT PH #1-800 -269-0271

MANAGED CARE DEPARTMENT  
MUCKLESHOOT HEALTH & WELLNESS CENTER  
PH: 253-939-6648

### Healing with Horses Group

Come Join The Horses 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

Muckleshoot Behavioral Health  
June 17, 18, 19 & 20, 2019  
9:00am - 4:00pm

## Recovery Coach Academy

Transformed People...  
... Transform People

LUNCH WILL BE SERVED

At the Muckleshoot Housing Training Facility  
Skopabsh Village, 38130 158th Ave. SE Auburn, WA

Gain an understanding of how to best help your community members to enter into the recovery process.

Any Questions or to Sign Up  
Contact Julia Joyce at Behavioral Health (253)804-8752

New Time!!!

The Healing Circle is open to all Muckleshoot Community Members to gain education on:

- Addiction.
- Grief & loss.
- Problem gambling.
- Trauma.

And to have an opportunity to share openly.

**Location**

- 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 group.

### Muckleshoot Behavioral Health Healing Circle

Mondays 12:00pm-1:30pm

# Neuropathy and Diabetes

by Colet Bennett, RN – Diabetes Nurse



Diabetic neuropathy is a type of nerve damage that can occur in patients with diabetes. Symptoms of diabetic neuropathy may range from pain and numbness in legs and feet to problems with digestive system, urinary tract, blood vessels and heart depending on the affected nerves. High blood sugar (glucose) can injure nerves throughout the body.

There are more than 200,000 cases per year diagnosed in the U.S. Although Diabetic neuropathy can't be cured and can become chronic - lasting for years (or lifelong), it may be prevented or slowed through monitored blood sugar control and a healthy lifestyle. If diagnosed, treatment includes managing blood sugar and sometimes using medications to control symptoms.

Signs and symptoms of neuropathy may include:

- Numbness or reduced ability to feel pain or temperature changes
- A tingling or burning sensation
- Sharp pains or cramps
- Increased sensitivity to touch
- Muscle weakness
- Difficulty rising from a sitting

- position
- Problems controlling body temperature
- Changes in the way your eyes adjust from light to dark
- Difficulty focusing
- Loss of reflexes, especially in the ankle
- Loss of balance and coordination

These signs and symptoms don't always mean there is nerve damage. They can however be a sign of another condition that requires medical care. Early diagnosis and treatment of any health condition offers the best chance for controlling diabetes and preventing future problems.

If you have any questions talk to your Primary Care Provider on your next routine visit @ Muckleshoot Medical Clinic and Community Health Program.

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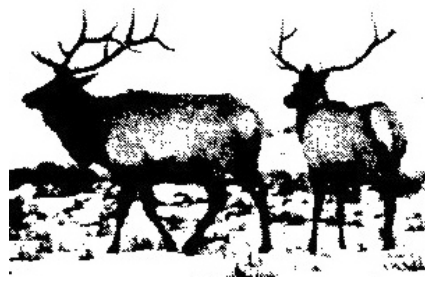
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Style your frames with our fashionable mirror colors, which adapt to any light.

Inquire within at:  
**Muckleshoot Optical**  
 Muckleshoot Health and Wellness Center  
 Direct Line 253-735-2020 • Monday-Friday 8:00am – 5:00pm. Closed daily 12:00-1:00 pm for lunch



## Muckleshoot's 2019 Keta Creek Fishing Derbies

The Keta Creek Fishing Derbies are a summer time family oriented events for Tribal Members and their families. These trout fishing opportunities offer breakfast, lunch, snacks, fun and games for all ages. Bait, fishing tackle (supplies are limited), ice, and fish bags provided. Fun games and other events may be added as well.

Date/Time	Event
<b>June 15, 2019</b> 8:30-2pm	<b>KIDS DERBY</b> Fishing for kids 12 and under. Pee-Wee's Pond. Fishing prizes for kids and door prizes for adults.
<b>August 10, 2019</b> 8:30-2pm	<b>FAMILY DERBY</b> All ages fishing. Family oriented prizes, and door prizes for adults.

**WHEN:** Saturday June 15

**TIME:** Breakfast—8:30am  
Fishing—10am to noon  
Lunch—12:30am

**Location:** 39900-212th Ave SE Auburn

**This event is for MUCKLESHOOT TRIBAL MEMBERS and their families only. We will serve breakfast, lunch, snacks, and plenty of fun for all. Bait, limited tackle for kids, ice, and fish bags are provided. Fish cleaning facilities are available. Be sure to dress for the weather!**

# BIGGEST LOSER HALFTIME REPORT

ANYONE CAN JOIN IN

Final weigh-ins count as first weigh-ins for anybody already in this competition.

New contestants weigh in next week

Now! ☺

THERE WILL BE NEW TEAMS AND IT WILL BE RANDOM AND THE SLATE WILL BE WIPE CLEAN CAN PURPLE COBRAS WIN TWICE?

## COMPETITION ENDS ??/??/2019

**HOW TO WIN THIS HALF**

1. Accountability – Every day you work out at the Wellness, you obtain a point.
2. Weight loss- Every pound you lose equals a point. 1 pound = 1 point
3. Next Level- Every time you let us assist you in your journey, you obtain a point. Get pushed to the next level in classes or One on One's with our trainers.
4. Weekly challenges will also earn you a point as long as you complete them.

# Muckleshoot Wellness Center Swimming Lessons

Days/Times	Monday/Wednesday	Tuesday/Thursday
10:30am - 12pm	Adult/Private	Adult/Private
1pm - 2:30	Parent Child/Level Pre. 1 & 2	Level Pre. 1 & 2/Parent Child
3pm - 4:30pm	Level 3 and 4	Level 1 and 2
5:30pm - 6:30pm	Level 1 and 2	Level 3 and 4
6:30pm - 7pm	Level 5 and 6	Level 1 and 2

Name of Participant(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Age(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Adult/Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Notes for Instructor: \_\_\_\_\_

Not sure what level to sign up for? Come to the pool for an evaluation, or ask our Lifeguards.

Please select the class that works best for you below. This Session will be October 22nd - November 15th

Times and levels may vary depending on registration.

___ 1 pm -1:30 pm Parent Child M/W	___ 1 pm - 1:30 am Pre. 1 and 2 T/H
___ 1:30 pm - 2 pm Parent Child M/W	___ 1:30 pm - 2 pm Pre. 1 and 2 T/H
___ 2 pm - 2:30 pm Pre 1 and Pre 2 M/W	___ 2 pm - 2:30 pm Parent Child T/H
___ 3 pm - 3:30 pm Level 3 and 4 M/W	___ 3 pm - 3:30 pm Level 1 and 2 T/H
___ 3:30 pm - 4 pm Level 3 and 4 M/W	___ 3:30 pm - 4 pm Level 1 and 2 T/H
___ 4 pm - 4:30 pm Level 3 and 4 M/W	___ 4 pm - 4:30 pm Level 1 and 2 T/H
___ 5:30 pm - 6 pm Level 1 and 2 M/W	___ 5:30 pm - 6 pm Level 3 and 4 T/H
___ 6 pm - 6:30 pm Level 1 and 2 M/W	___ 6 pm - 6:30 pm Level 1 and 2 T/H
___ 6:30 pm - 7 pm Level 5 and 6 M/W	___ 6:30 pm - 7 pm Level 1 and 2 T/H

For questions more Information please contact  
 Amelia Merrill @ (253) 333-3616, ext 3709 or amelia.merrill@Muckleshoot-Health.com

Be a shining star!

*May is National Foster Care Month*  
*Now is the time to get involved*

## APPLY FOR YOUR FOSTER CARE LICENSE

Through MCFS

WHEN: May 22nd at Noon – 50 mins. Session

WHERE: Muckleshoot Wellness – Cedar Room

WHAT TO BRING: Questions about Foster Care & appetite

TOPICS: Eligibility, What is Foster Care, & Process

PLEASE SIGN UP: Jackie Hernandez, 253-876-2808

## PENTECOSTAL NEWS



LEFT, MIDDLE: Andre Jackson came from southern California to speak for three days and pray with those who needed prayer. BELOW, BOTTOM: The last Sunday of each month is a special youth service at the Pentecostal church. This month the special speaker was Gregory from the Garcia family.



Lord, we thank you for blessing our beloved Father Pat! Lord please continue to pour out your grace upon him and thank you Saint Kateri for assisting us when we needed your help. Glory be to the Father, Son and Holy Spirit. Amen. (photo taken by E. Buena-Douglas)



Carpenter John Jackson puts finishing touches on the restroom being built behind the old Catholic church. One of the oldest buildings in King County, it was originally known as St. Claire's Mission Chapel.



**SHAKER BAPTISMS.** Here are some of the more than 60 who were baptized at the Shaker Church on Easter Sunday.

**RELIGIOUS CONTACTS**  
Please feel free to suggest additions

**Muckleshoot Indian Shaker Church**

Dennis Anderson Sr., Minister  
Sandy Heddrick, Assistant Minister  
Theresa Jerry, 1st Elder  
Lee Stafford, 2nd Elder  
Thadious Lozier, 3rd Elder  
Trudi Moses, Secretary/Treasurer  
Carl "Bud" Moses, Traveling Missionary

**Muckleshoot Pentecostal Church**  
Rev. Kenny Williams, Pastor

**Sweat Lodge**  
Doug Moses, 425-301-60811

St. Leo The Great  
**Catholic Mass**

Tacoma Kateri Circle of St. Leo Church  
710 South 13th Street  
Tacoma 98405

Catholic (Native) Mass with Father Patrick J. Twohy  
1:30 pm every Sunday

Circle meetings 2nd and 4th Sunday  
Potluck every 3rd Sunday

www.katericircle.com  
Facebook: Tacoma Kateri Circle

**Muckleshoot Pentecostal Church**  
Kenny Williams, Pastor

**SCHEDULE**

Sunday	10:00 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

Please come join us for  
**MASS & Catechism**  
At the Muckleshoot Catholic church

Catechism starts at 3:00pm  
Mass starts at 5:00pm  
As always, enjoy a nice dinner with us and Father Pat Twohy after Mass  
For more info, please contact me at  
Tara.Vasquez@muckleshoot.nsn.us  
Or by phone at (253)347-6937

# Muckleshoot Celebrates Earth Day

Photos by Sean Daniels, Silas Miller & many others



## Mason Bee Houses





# Muckleshoot Elders Luncheon 2019

April 30, 2019 ~ Puyallup Fairgrounds

JOHN LOFTUS PHOTOS

It was an honor to welcome elders from near and far to our Annual Elder's Luncheon! I'd like to thank Councilmember Virginia Cross, the Elders Committee, the staff and volunteers for making all this possible!

Special thanks to our Pow Wow Royalty for representing us in a beautiful and good way. Thanks to all the cooks for preparing the delicious meal, and thank you to the Tribal School students and the Canoe Family for the song and dance.

Next year's luncheon will be at our new state-of-the-art Conference Center!

*Jaision Elkins*  
Tribal Chairman



## MUCKLESHOOT POLICE REPORT



Those subjects listed as "arrested" or "arrested via citation" means there is enough evidence for the police to prefer charges but have not been convicted.

**Weekly Recap -April 2019**

4/02/2019	0800 Hours	C19011842	2100 BLK/Auburn Way S	Vehicle Recovery
A man came to the Muckleshoot substation to report his wallet stolen. The vehicle was occupied by two males and a female. After reviewing video surveillance the male driver and female were placed under arrest. The female was arrested and booked on her warrant. The male driver was booked on possession of a stolen vehicle.				
4/2/2019	1158 Hours	C19012550	39000 BLK/172 <sup>nd</sup> Ave SE	Larceny
A deputy contacted a man at the Phillip Starr to report his wallet stolen. When deputies conducted their investigation they found the man wallet in the same room he left it.				
4/06/2019	1848 Hours	C19013248	17500 BLK/SE 408 <sup>th</sup> ST	Burglary
A man flagged down a deputy to report a burglary at his friend's house. He said his friend was out of town and was unable to make a formal report.				
4/07/2019	0143 Hours	C19013280	17100 BLK/SE 392 <sup>nd</sup> ST	Warrant
A deputy contacted a man at the Phillip Starr with several misdemeanor warrants. He was placed under arrest and booked into SCORE jail.				
4/08/2019	0800 Hours	C19013394	39900 BLK/175 <sup>th</sup> LN SE	Larceny
A contractor called 911 to report a theft at one of the residential building sites. Someone stole some tools and building materials overnight.				
4/08/2019	0939 Hours	C19013412	39200 BLK/180 <sup>th</sup> Ave SE	Residential Contact
A man was contacted and arrested for felony threats towards the Muckleshoot Tribal Counsel. He was later booked into RJC.				
4/08/2019	0848 Hours	C19013538	2200 BLK/22 <sup>nd</sup> ST SE	Warrant
Detectives contacted and arrested a fugitive on the run with two felony warrants. He was arrested and booked into RJC.				
4/09/2019	0953 Hours	C19013557	2100 BLK/Auburn Way S.	Warrant
A male was contacted and arrested on his felony warrant. He was also charged with possession of drug para-				

4/09/2019	2058 Hours	C19013644	Auburn Way S./Poplar ST SE	Traffic Stop
A man was pulled over for driving with expired plates. He also had a suspended driver's license. When his name was ran with dispatch it returned with a warrant attached. The man was placed under arrest and later booked into SCORE Jail.				
4/10/2019	2207 Hours	C19013812	40100 BLK/HWY 164	Reckless Driving
A deputy tried to stop a reckless vehicle that was driving on the highway with no lights on. By the time the deputy made a U-turn he was unable to locate the vehicle.				
4/11/2019	1018 Hours	C19013878	2100 BLK/Auburn Way S	Suspicious Circumstances
A man with a felony warrant tried to flee from deputies when he was contacted at the Muckleshoot Bingo Hall. He was later caught and transported to RJC and booked on his warrant.				
4/12/2019	0818 Hours	C19013995	2100 BLK/Auburn Way S	Vehicle Recovery
Deputies recovered an occupied stolen vehicle in the parking lot of the Muckleshoot Bingo Hall. Two of the three suspects had court orders against each other. There were also drugs founds in the vehicle. Deputies notified the registered owner of the vehicle. The male and female were booked into jail on multiple charges.				
4/12/2019	1033 Hours	C19014014	39800 BLK/175 <sup>th</sup> LN. SE	Warrant
Deputies contacted and arrested a female who had a felony warrant. She gave several fake names but deputies were able to figure out her true identity. She was later transported and booked into RJC.				
4/13/2019	1437 Hours	C19014155	40900 BLK/176 <sup>th</sup> Way SE	Mental Complaint
Deputies assisted a female who was having a mental health crisis. They called for aid and she was transported to the nearest hospital for a mental health evaluation.				
4/15/2019	1626 Hours	C19014426	38000 BLK/158 <sup>th</sup> Ave SE	Medical Assist
Deputies and medics responded to a residence who had an unresponsive male inside. They administered first aid but were unable to revive him. The medical examiner was notified along with the deceased relatives.				
4/15/2019	2226 Hours	C19014460	2100 BLK/Auburn Way S	Warrant
Deputies contacted a male in who had a misdemeanor warrant out for his arrest. He also was driving car that he failed to register within 45 days. The man was placed under arrest and booked into King County jail.				
4/16/2019	0836 Hours	C19014498	Dogwood Dr. SE/18 <sup>th</sup> ST SE	Warrant

4/17/2019	0049 Hours	C19014619	38000 BLK/158 <sup>th</sup> Ave SE	Warrant
A homeowner called in a suspicious vehicle that was occupied by a female with a felony warrant. The female was placed under arrest and booked into King County jail.				
4/17/2019	1615 Hours	C19014572	39600 BLK/175 LN SE	Suicide Attempt
Deputies responded to an attempted suicide detail involving a female juvenile. The female said she didn't want to live anymore and wanted to kill herself. Deputies called for aid and had the female involuntary treated at the nearest hospital.				
4/18/2019	1957 Hours	C19014877	40900 BLK/Hwy 164	Warrant
A female driver was stopped for having a front plate on her vehicle. When the deputy ran her name with dispatch he learned she had a warrant and her license was DWLS 2 <sup>nd</sup> . The female was placed under arrest and later booked into Enumclaw jail. She was also cited for DWLS 2 <sup>nd</sup> .				
4/19/2019	1907 Hours	C19014910	Auburn Way S/Fir ST SE	Warrant
A deputy contacted a male who had an assault warrant out for his arrest. He was placed under arrest and later transported and booked into SCORE jail.				
4/22/2019	1253 Hours	C19015348	SE 408 <sup>th</sup> /Hwy 164	Warrant
A deputy stopped a vehicle for multiple traffic violations. When he made contact he realized there was meth and drug paraphernalia inside the car. He also learned that all three occupants had warrants out for their arrest. Two of the three had felony warrants. They were placed under arrest and later booked into SCORE jail. The vehicle was seized and impounded.				
4/23/2019	2304 Hours	C19015599	SE 392 <sup>nd</sup> ST/Hwy 164	Warrant
A deputy performed a traffic stop after observing some drug activity involving a vehicle. When he contacted the driver he learned that he had a felony warrant out for his arrest. The driver was taken into custody and booked on his warrant.				
4/24/2019	0839 Hours	C19015643	2100 BLK/Auburn Way S	Warrant
A deputy contacted a male who was associated with a suspicious vehicle at the Muckleshoot Bingo Hall. The male was contacted and arrested on his felony warrants. Deputies also confiscated several guns and a large amount of heroin. The suspect was later transported and booked into jail.				

**BECOME A CHILD CARE PROVIDER!**

*Do you love children? Have extra time on your hands?  
Want to make some money? Have a clean background?*

If you answered yes, we have the program for you; help our tribal families with childcare by becoming an approved childcare provider.

**How to become a family, friend, or neighbor provider:**

Visit the Muckleshoot CCDF program at the Muckleshoot Early Childhood Education Center, located on the Tribal School Campus (15599 SE 376th St Auburn, WA 98092) and request a CCDF Home Provider Application.

Fill out the application completely and attach all required documentation including a copy of your first aid/CPR card, a valid picture ID, background check questionnaire & forms, completed W-9 form, and a copy of your social security card (front and back.)

Submit completed application to the Muckleshoot CCDF office (must have original application – no faxed applications accepted.)

A CCDF representative will contact you within three business days to notify you about the status of your application review and/or to coordinate pre-screening. Once pre-screening requirements are met, a home-health, and safety inspection will be performed at the residence where childcare will take place.

Upon a cleared inspection you will be eligible to care for approved Muckleshoot CCDF Families.

**Contact:** Monalisa Mendoza, CCDF  
(Monday – Friday 8:00am – 4:00pm)  
**Phone:** (253) 876-3056 \* 3915  
**Email:** Monalisa.mendoza@muckleshoot.nsn.us

**EXCLUDED FROM MUCKLESHOOT RESERVATION**

The individuals pictured here have been legally excluded from the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation. If you see any of them on the reservation please call 911 and report the sighting to the Muckleshoot Police Department.



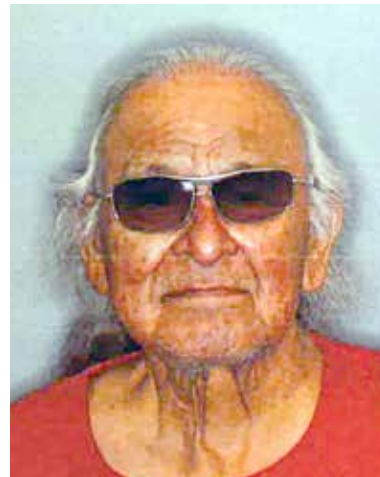
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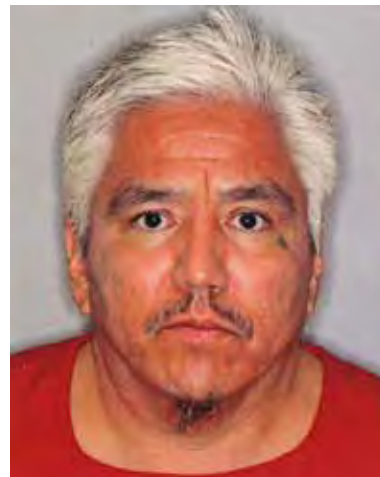
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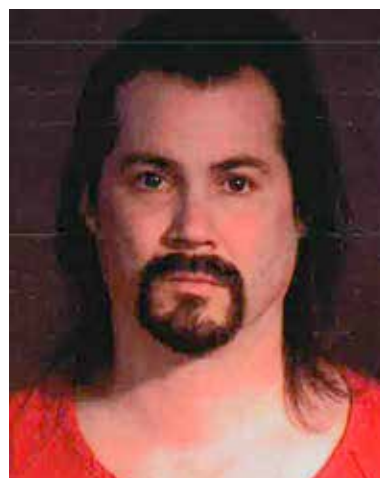
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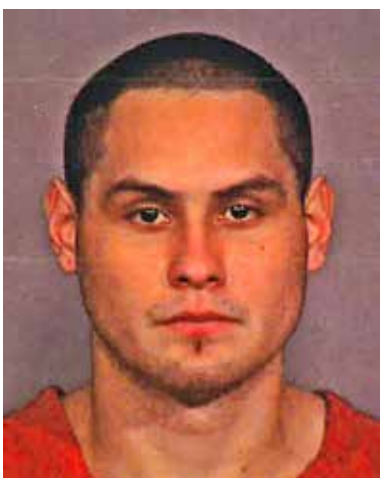
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**\$45,000 Housing Assistance Program – Increased to \$90,000 per Tribal Member**

The Tribe's commitment to providing housing opportunities to its members is once again exemplified with recent policy changes to the \$45,000 Grant Program. Tribal Council recently approved that the \$45,000 Grant Program be increased to \$90,000 per Tribal member. These funds can be used for home ownership activities including down payment, mortgage reduction, home improvements, self-help and safe housing repairs. In addition, the Tribal Housing Ordinance has been updated to allow Muckleshoot enrolled couples to each utilize their \$90,000 grant towards eligible program services for a total Grant of \$180,000. *\$20,000 of each member's assistance shall be reserved exclusively for safe housing repairs.*

**ELIGIBILITY:**

**Muckleshoot Tribal Enrollment:** Applicant must be a Muckleshoot Tribal member at least eighteen (18) years of age and enrolled in the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe for a minimum of five (5) years or be enrolled in the Muckleshoot Indian Tribe and have resided within the Muckleshoot Reservation their entire life.

**Proof of Ownership:** Applicants must provide proof of ownership for the assisted property and utilize the home as their primary residence.

**Proof of Insurance:** Applicants must provide proof that the assisted property is covered by an insurance policy or sign a Homeowners Insurance Acknowledgment.

**Release of Information:** Applicants must sign a Release of Information to allow the Muckleshoot Housing Authority to obtain and verify information relative to eligibility for assistance.

**Residency/Payback Agreement:** Applicants, including any additional parties with ownership of the assisted property, must sign a Residency Payback Agreement agreeing to payback terms and refinance restrictions during a five (5) year payback period.

**Please contact our office with any questions or for further assistance with applying for this program.**

Muckleshoot Housing Authority | 38037 158<sup>th</sup> Ave SE | Auburn, WA 98092 | (253) 833-7616

**Muckleshoot Tribal Court of Justice  
In and for the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation  
Auburn, Washington**

Case No.: MUC-CJ-10/18-142  
**NOTICE OF CUSTODY HEARING**  
**JUNE 11, 2019 AT 11:30 AM**  
**IN RE THE CUSTODY OF:**  
R-R-R  
DOB: 11/13/15  
P-R  
DOB: 03/02/2018  
**CANDIDO RODRIGUEZ LUJAN** Petitioner/Father  
**MELANIE ROSS** Respondent/Mother

To: CANDIDO RODRIGUEZ LUJAN, Petitioner/Father  
MELANIE ROSS, Respondent/Mother  
JOSH WILLIAMS, Attorney for Father

YOU AND EACH OF YOU will please take NOTICE that a CUSTODY HEARING has been scheduled for TUESDAY the 11<sup>th</sup> DAY OF JUNE, 2019 at 11:30 AM in the Muckleshoot Tribal Court of Justice located at the legal building at 39015 172<sup>nd</sup> Avenue SE, Auburn, WA 98092.

The purpose of this hearing is to hear testimony and present evidence as to the youth regarding custody, child support and visitation.

The parents of the youth are each entitled to have someone represent them at this hearing at your own expense – meaning that they will be solely responsible for any fees charged by the person.

Your failure to appear may result in a default judgment being entered against you without notice. A default judgment is one where the petitioner is entitled to what he/she asked for in the petition.

If you have any questions regarding the nature of this hearing or the location of the Court, please call the Court Clerk- 253-876-3203.

DATED this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2019.  
/s/ Julia R. Brown  
OFFICE OF THE MIT COURT CLERK

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

Case No.: MUC-CIV-04/19-043  
**NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION OF TRUST FUNDS**  
**Hearing: Tuesday, MAY 21, 2019 @ 10:30A.M.**  
**IN RE THE TRUST OF:**  
K.C.  
DOB: 11/25/2010

TO: COREY CROSS, Petitioner

YOU AND EACH OF YOU will please take notice that a HEARING ON PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION OF TRUST FUNDS will take place on Tuesday, MAY 21, 2019 @ 10:30 A.M., in the Muckleshoot Tribal Court of Justice, located on the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation, Auburn, Washington.

The purpose of this hearing is for the petitioner or any person making a claim to the estate shall have the burden of showing by a preponderance of the evidence their contribution to the care of welfare of the deceased.

If you have any questions regarding the nature of this hearing or the location of the Court, please contact the Court Clerk at (253) 876-3203.

Dated this Monday, April 22, 2019  
/s/ Julia R. Brown  
COURT CLERK / ADMINISTRATOR

**Attention Muckleshoot Tribal Members and Community Members:**

**The Muckleshoot Gaming Commission has reviewed the list of patrons barred from the Casino and Bingo Hall and has lifted many of these barrings. To see if your barring has been lifted, please call 253-804-4444 Ext. 1428**

**Free Legal Services for Low Income Native Americans and Alaska Natives**

**Are you facing an issue in school? Do you need help with your attendance or performance in school? We can help!**

The **Native American Unit at Northwest Justice Project** provides free civil (non-criminal) legal services to eligible Native American / Alaska Native students and their families in Washington. Cina Littlebird at the Native American Unit is available to provide advice and representation to Native American youth and their families in civil legal matters that can impact the student's attendance or performance in school.

**Cina can work with you on (among other things):**

- **Education matters** including:
  - o Expulsion, suspension, & truancy
  - o Discriminatory discipline
  - o Special education & learning disabilities
  - o Parents' rights
  - o Other situations impacting a student's ability to participate in school
- **Foster & homeless student issues**
- **Health matters** including denial of health care services or assistance in obtaining mental health services
- **Housing problems** such as evictions, discrimination, or deposit issues
- **Public benefits matters** including applying for, denial of, or reduction of public benefits

To find out if Cina or the Native American Unit can help you, contact Cina at [cina.littlebird@nwjustice.org](mailto:cina.littlebird@nwjustice.org) or (206) 464-1519 ext. 0919.

**What is Northwest Justice Project?**

The Northwest Justice Project (NJP) is a statewide non-profit organization with 13 offices in Washington State that provides free civil legal services to low-income people. NJP's mission is to secure justice through high quality legal advocacy that promotes the long-term well-being of low-income individuals, families, and communities.



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**NOTICE OF PETITION FOR NAME CHANGE**

Case No. MUC-NC-02/19-014  
 PETITIONER: Josephine Edwards, on behalf of herself, DOB: 04/04/1970

Any person who may have an objection to this name change may file a notice of objection with the Muckleshoot Tribal Court 39015 172<sup>nd</sup> Ave SE, Auburn, Washington on or before the hearing scheduled for Tuesday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, 2019 at 10:00AM.

**Muckleshoot tribal court of justice  
 In and for the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation  
 Auburn, WA 98092**

Case No.: MUC-PO-01/19-010  
**NOTICE OF FACT FINDING HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROTECTION  
 IN RE THE PROTECTION OF:**

**J.S.**  
 DOB: 09/04/1968  
**VS**  
**MANUEL MARTINEZ**  
 DOB: 10/04/1990

**TO:** J. S., Protected person  
 MANUEL MARTINEZ, Respondent  
 DORRY PETERSON/MONYCA WHITE, Tribal Prosecutor  
 ANDREW SIMMONS/MARGARET CARSON, APS

YOU AND EACH OF YOU will please take notice that a FACT FINDING Hearing regarding the above-mentioned petitioner has been scheduled for THURSDAY the 30<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2019, AT 10:30 A.M., in the Muckleshoot Tribal Court of Justice located at 39015 172<sup>nd</sup> Avenue SE, Auburn, WA 98092.

The purpose of this hearing is to: 1) Hear testimony on the facts of the case; 2) to determine whether or not there is CLEAR AND CONVINCING EVIDENCE that an order of protection should not be entered;

All interested parties are entitled to have someone represent them as this hearing at their own expense-meaning that they will be solely responsible for any fees charged by the person.

Failure to answer or respond may result in a default judgment being entered against you without a notice. A default judgment is one where the petitioner is entitled to what he/she asked for in the petition. If you or your spokesperson files a Notice of Appearance with the court, you are entitled to notice before a default judgment may be entered.

If you have any questions regarding the nature of this hearing or the location of the court, please call the Court Clerk at 253-876-3203.

Dated this 16<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2019  
 /s/ Julia R. Brown  
 MUCKLESHOOT TRIBAL COURT

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

Case No.: MUC-CIV-04/19-041, 042  
**NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION OF TRUST FUNDS**  
 Hearing: Tuesday, MAY 21, 2019 @ 10:30A.M.  
 IN RE THE TRUST OF:

**X.C.**  
 DOB: 09/03/2012  
**K.C.**  
 DOB: 01/30/2018

**TO:** ELENA CROSS, Petitioner

YOU AND EACH OF YOU will please take notice that a HEARING ON PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION OF TRUST FUNDS will take place on Tuesday, MAY 21, 2019 @ 10:30 A.M., in the Muckleshoot Tribal Court of Justice, located on the Muckleshoot Indian Reservation, Auburn, Washington.

The purpose of this hearing is for the petitioner or any person making a claim to the estate shall have the burden of showing by a preponderance of the evidence their contribution to the care of welfare of the deceased.

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Dated this Monday, April 22, 2019  
 /s/ Julia R. Brown  
 COURT CLERK / ADMINISTRATOR

**Free Legal Services for Native American  
 Victims of Domestic Violence and Other Crimes**

Northwest Justice Project's Coordinated Legal Education Assistance and Referral program (CLEAR) has new services available for Native American crime victims through the CLEAR-CV-Native American Program.

An NJP attorney is available to provide advice, brief services and referrals in civil (non-criminal) legal matters stemming from the client's experience as a crime victim.

**Examples of legal problems include:**

- Family Law** matters such as divorce, custody and protection orders involving domestic violence or sexual assault, especially when the case is in tribal court or the client believes it should be in tribal court; or when tribal court orders are not enforced.
- Health** matters including denial of health care services or assistance in obtaining mental health services to deal with victimization
- Housing** problems such as evictions or needing to break a lease due to a crime in the home
- Economic security** issues such as medical bills, utility access and other consumer problems caused by an assault, abuse, or fraud.
- Other** legal problems resulting from being a victim of crime

If you are a Native American crime victim seeking legal assistance, ask a tribal service provider or a staff member of an organization that serves Native Americans for a referral. Social services staff or tribal advocates refer clients to the CLEAR-CV-Native American program by sending a referral form.

**Questions?** Contact Jennifer Yogi at jennifery@nwjustice.org or (206) 464-1519 ext. 0921

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**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:	85% Median Monthly Income	100% Median Monthly Income (MIT Members Only)
1	\$0-\$4,484	\$4,485-\$5,275
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](mailto:Vanessa.simmons@muckleshoot.nsn.us)  
 Located at the Muckleshoot Early Childhood Education Center, 15599 SE 376<sup>th</sup> St, Auburn, WA 98092

**Tomanamus Forest taking applications  
 for Summer Stewardship Youth Corps**

**Program:** Muckleshoot Federal Corp. Stewardship Youth Corps  
**Position:** Youth Crew member  
**Pay:** \$13.50/hr; work week is 40 hours; 4 days/ week 10hrs/ day.  
**Location:** Tomanamus Forest  
**Duration:** June 17 to August 22, 2019 (Dates subject to change)

**GENERAL DIRECTIVE:** The program purpose is to provide positive work experience for Muckleshoot youth in the fields of Forest engineering, Forestry, Fisheries and Wildlife from a working forest perspective during summer break.

**SCOPE:** Program is setup to provide a pathway for learning life skills, teamwork, land stewardship, and natural resource skills on the job. Primary goals for the participants are to promote exposure to the woods, challenging self-preconceptions, and presenting job possibilities for Muckleshoot youth who may wish to follow a natural resource career path.

**DUTIES:** Student will work on a variety of projects including riparian enhancement, eradicate invasive & noxious weeds, maintaining roads and ditches, repair & rebuild campsites, trails, and community day event sites, and improve wildlife habitat. Preserve MFC lands, environment and enhance safety on the property. Forestry field experiences with forest industry professionals. Maintain safe practices at all times. Other duties as assigned

- REQUIREMENTS:**
- Must be 16-20 years old, or enrolled in high school/ University/College and provide tribal ID for program eligibility.
  - Must have a safety orientated mindset.
  - Looking for students who enjoy the outdoors and have a passion for nature.
  - Students must be comfortable with working in the woods and being exposed to changing weather and difficult environmental working conditions.
  - Be willing and able to work hard and participate in most work projects.
  - Team player, be able to understand and work with other's needs and with different personalities.

**HOW TO APPLY:** Interviews will be **May 15 & 16, 9 AM to 4 PM** at the Muckleshoot Tribal College. Please bring a resume, unofficial transcript, and a copy of Tribal ID to the interview, or email to: [acbrown@hnr.org](mailto:acbrown@hnr.org)

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

Case No.: MUC-J-11/17-187  
**NOTICE OF FACT FINDING HEARING**

**IN RE THE WELFARE OF:**  
**B. J.**  
 DOB: (08/11/2010)  
 An Indian Child/Children

**TO:** CARLOS PEREZ, FATHER  
 VICKEY MURRAY, MCFE CASE MANAGER  
 DORRY PETERSON, PROSECUTOR

YOU AND EACH OF YOU will please take notice that a FACT FINDING Hearing regarding the above-mentioned youth has been scheduled for **TUESDAY the 11<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2019, AT 1:00 PM** in the Muckleshoot Tribal Court of Justice located at 39015 172<sup>nd</sup> Avenue SE, Auburn, WA 98092.

The purpose of this hearing is to: 1) Hear testimony on the facts of the case; 2) to determine whether or not there is CLEAR AND CONVINCING EVIDENCE that the youths are YOUTH IN NEED OF CARE, and in need of Tribal Court supervision as wards of this court; 3) whether out-of-home placement of the youth is necessary and 4) any other action necessary for the youth's best interest; 5) whether filings were timely and appropriate.

You may pick up a copy of MCFE Case Manager's Court Report from the court clerk's office three working days prior to the hearing. Pursuant to Section 12.A.03.070; Title 12, a Petition for Fact-finding must be filed within fifteen days of the Preliminary Inquiry and sent to all parties. The Parties shall be notified of the hearing at least (10) days prior to the hearing. The Fact-Finding hearing must be conducted within 40 days after the Petition for Fact-Finding is filed or the conclusion of the Preliminary Inquiry, whichever comes last, pursuant to Section 12.A.03.080, Title 12 of the Youth Codes.

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

If a party fails to appear the Court may, in his or her absence, take legal custody of the child, make the child a ward of the Court, and take any other action that is authorized by law.

If you have any questions regarding the nature of this hearing or the location of the court, please call the Court Clerk at 253-876-3203.

Dated this 24<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2019  
 /s/ Julia R. Brown  
 COURT CLERK / ADMINISTRATOR

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**Brush Clearing Service**

Muckleshoot Tribal Members that are **18 years of age or older** can receive brush clearing service from Building Maintenance with mechanical equipment or our eco-friendly alternative, goats.



Brush Clearing Service Forms are available at the Elders Center Front Desk and Building Maintenance. For inquiries, call (253)285-4063



## EVENTS CALENDAR

May 4 May 4 May 18 May 27 June 6-8 June 11 June 15 June 21-23 June 22 June 26 June 28 July 5 July 13 July 18 July 26-28 August 3 August 10 August 22 August 16-18	<b>Super Hero Brunch</b> Sla Hal Shed/Ballfields 11:30am - 1:30pm <b>Community Dance</b> Sla Hal Shed/Ballfields 7pm - 11pm <b>Youth 3on3 Basketball Tournament</b> MTS 9am - 6pm <b>Memorial Day Dinner</b> MTS 4pm <b>Community Carnival</b> Location TBD <b>First Outdoor Movie</b> <b>Fishing Derby</b> <b>Veterans Pow Wow</b> <b>Veterans Memorial Park Grand Opening</b> <b>Honoring our Graduates Event</b> Event Fields 4pm-8pm <b>First Salmon Dinner</b> MTS <b>Summer Bash</b> Sla Hal Shed/Ballfields 4pm - 8pm <b>Princess Brunch</b> Sla Hal Shed/Ballfields 11:30pm - 1:30pm <b>Canoe Hosting</b> Alki Beach <b>Sobriety PowWow</b> <b>Swap Meet</b> Sla Hal Shed/Ballfields 11pm - 2pm <b>Fishing Derby</b> <b>Back to School Bash</b> Event Fields 4pm - 8pm <b>Skopabsh PowWow</b>
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SUBMIT YOUR ITEMS FOR  
 THE EVENTS CALENDAR!!  
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Attention:

## Muckleshoot Tribal Members

*The Water, Sewer & Garbage Assistance Program has now been extended to King and Pierce Counties.*

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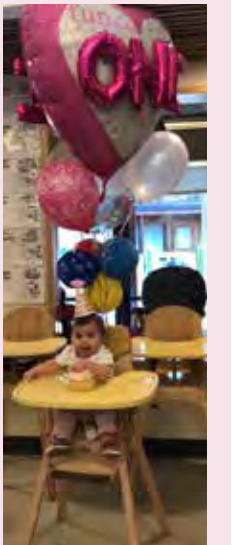
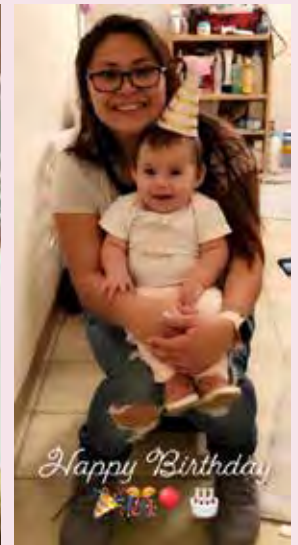


## Emmet Reign Daniels

Proud Parents James Daniels and Linh Thach, with Big Sister Chendi, welcome Emmet Reign Daniels. He arrived on his "Due Date," April 4, 2019 at 11:48am, weighing 8lb 9oz, Length 21" long.



Emmet Reign Daniels arrived on his "Due Date": April 4, 2019 at 11:48am

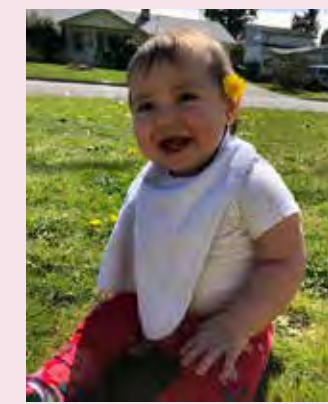


March 1st, 2019

## Happy 1st Birthday Xyleena "Mammas"

Mom loves you bunches, I hope you had a birthday to remember

Love,  
Mom, Brother Harlyn, & Sister Erickah



The Edwards-Boure Family of Suquamish, Easter 2019: Ryan, Sherrena, Braylen, Genevieve, and Alden



These pictures are Kiana and Della Dominick and Jonathan Sampson JR at the Enumclaw Pow Wow. They dance for the People who can't dance and dance in prayer for all in need.

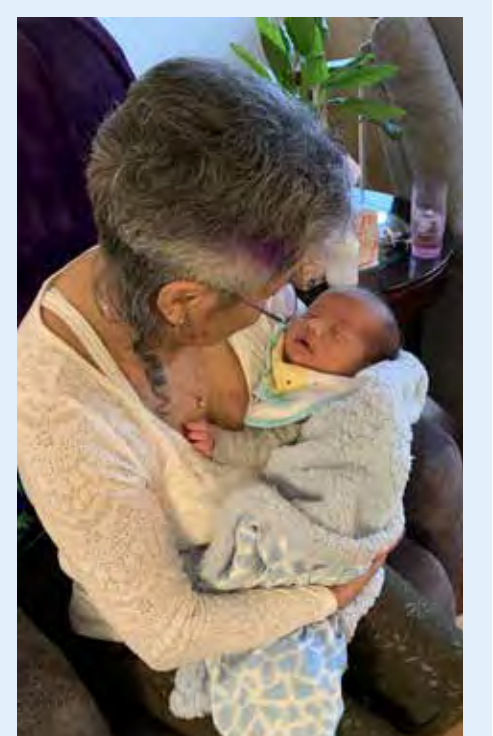
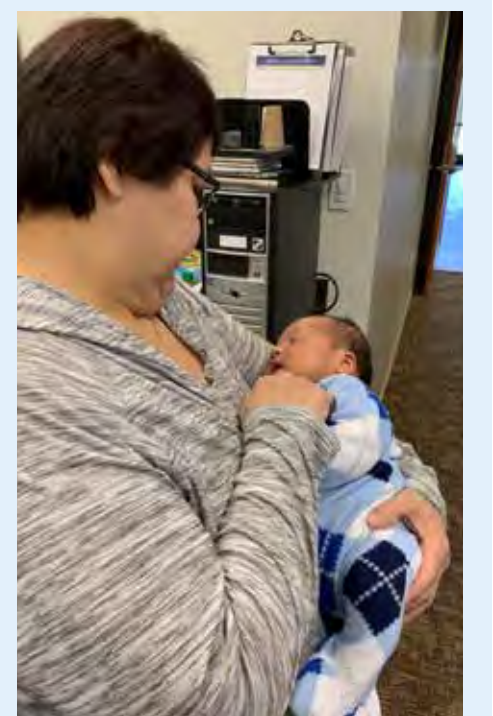
## Joshua J. Diaz

Born 2/7/19 @11:41pm to Adrienne & Nick Diaz weighing 7lbs 10.3oz 18.7in  
Joshua was Just 19min away from sharing his birthday with his brother Charles 2/8!



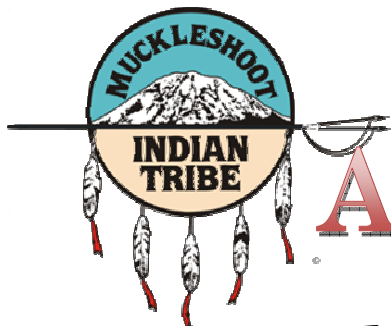
## Proud grandparents of Joshua Diaz:

Rocky Oliver & Tina Moses, Gladys & Jorge Diaz  
And Great Grandma Wilma "tweet" Cabanas Oliver



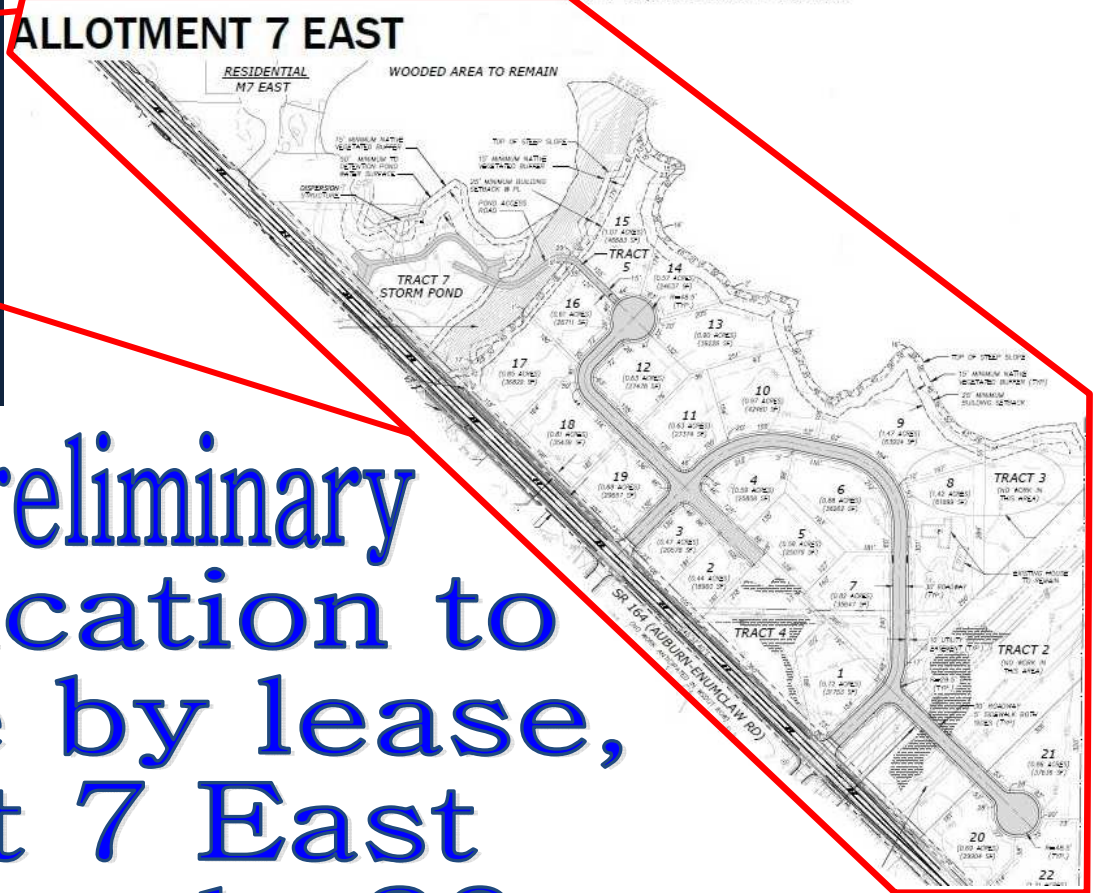
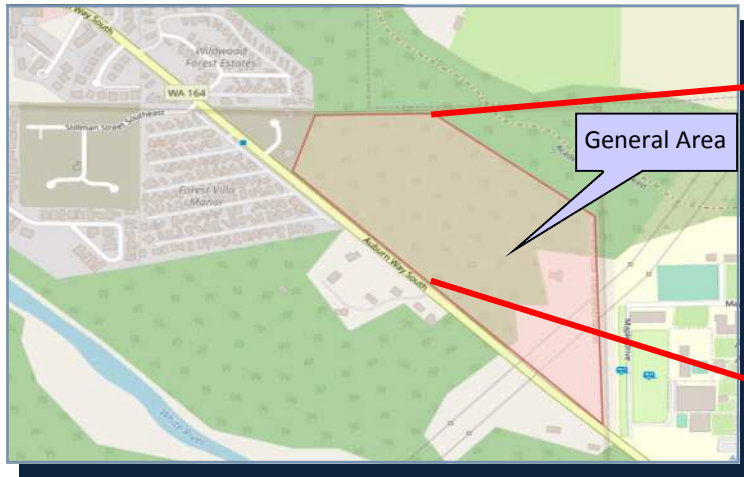
# Planning Department

## Subdivision Preliminary Plat



# ALLOTMENT 7 EAST

# PUBLIC MEETING



**For:** Review of Preliminary Plat application to subdivide by lease, Allotment 7 East approximately 30 acres, into 22 single-family residential lots.

**When:** Wednesday, June 19, 2019

**Where:** Philip Starr Building,  
Cougar Conference Room

**Time:** 1 pm

This is an open meeting & the public is invited to attend and offer written or verbal comments

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