



Art display goes 'Native Pop' on the Paseo

By Patricia Smith and Rosemary Stephens

There were more than fireworks popping the weekend of July 4. Native Pop opened its month long art show July 1, featuring 11 Native artists at the Paseo Plunge Art Gallery in Oklahoma City.

"We have been putting this project together for quite awhile. Every piece of art is unique and has its own story, as well as all of the artists in attendance are very talented and have their own individual style," Brent Learned, organizer said.

Native Pop featured a variety of work including murals, film, photography, fashion, aerosol and more. The artists featured in this art show include Gregg Deal, Pyramid lake Paiute, Bunky Echo-Hawk, Pawnee/Yakama, Joshua Garrett, Seminole/Creek/Kiowa, Steven Grounds, Navajo/Euchee/Creek/Seminole, NiCole Hatfield, Comanche/Kiowa, Brent Learned, Cheyenne/Arapaho, Dallin Maybee, Northern Arapaho/Seneca, Ryan Red Cord, Osage and Debra Yepa-Pappan, Jemez Pueblo/Korean.

"It's not the quote-unquote Indian art most collectors think of," Learned said. "Native American artwork is always evolving. As we change

so do our cultures and so does our art. This show is a reflection on all of that."

During the opening reception, Grounds created a live art piece on the balcony outside of the Paseo Plunge, seemingly moving to the resounding beat of music in the background. The crowd watched as the painting came to life with each spray of the aerosol paint Grounds has become famous for using.

Native Pop on the Paseo will be on display through July 28 at the Paseo Plunge Art Gallery located at 3010 Paseo Street in Oklahoma City. There will be a final closing event of the display held from 6 p.m. - 10 p.m. on July 28.

"This art event is one to visit at least two or three times to truly appreciate and take in all of its culture, historical relevance and contemporary presence. These talented artists have accomplished and connected through their phenomenal artwork a seamless merge of the Native American past to present day, and future generations to come."

For more information visit www.paseoplunge.com.

(See pg. 5 for more photos of artwork from Native Pop)



NIYC holds annual meeting in New Mexico

By Robin Noyes
Contributing Writer

The National Indian Youth Council (NIYC) convenes every year in Albuquerque, N.M. to focus on and discuss Native American issues. The council is the second oldest Native American organization in the United States and has had a long and effective existence.

What started primarily as a civil rights organization, they secured fishing rights back to the Native peoples of the Northwest, the NIYC then moved on to environmental concerns in the 1970s. They brought attention to contamination issues for tribes living in and around uranium and coal mining and the adverse effects on people. Since then the NIYC has gone on to find ways to support Native American students to be more autonomous, and in more recent years to aid in helping all Native Americans on a variety of issues. It all began after youths became disillusioned with their tribal leaders beginning their dissent from those tribal leaders during an all Indian Conference in Chicago in 1961.

The youths began to join together and formed a temporary group called the 'Chicago Conference Youth Council.' However later that year in 1961, after the conference closed, the group re-convened in Gallup, N.M. and it was there that the NIYC became established.

During the 'Red Power' era, a lot of Native American issues were coming to the forefront in many parts of the nation. The NIYC planned a protest that was attended by 5,000 people

Sports complex project comes under fire

By Rosemary Stephens, Editor-in-Chief

(CONCHO, OK) After eight years of planning the Cheyenne & Arapaho tribes' R.E.Sp.E.C.T. Program is a yard away from the winning touchdown ... a state of the art sports complex.

Getting that last yard into the end zone will depend on a majority vote of Cheyenne & Arapaho citizens at an upcoming special Tribal Council meeting scheduled for Saturday, 10 a.m., July 30 at the Clinton Community Center in Clinton, Okla.

The sports complex will be a 16,868 square foot gymnasium, activity center, along with a conference center area, administrative office areas and concession area.

It will house a regulation size basketball court, that converts into two separate courts, male and female locker rooms including showers and roll out seating to accommodate over 400 spectators.

James Reveles, caseworker for Indian Child Welfare services and volunteer basketball coach is hopeful the sports complex will become a reality

for his daughter and other youth. Reveles became involved with R.E.Sp.E.C.T. when his 13-year-old daughter Jaylin took an interest in basketball, and soon got her friends and relatives involved, which evolved into organized team practices.

"The practices were usually held wherever we could find an open court which usually meant out in the elements on an asphalt or cement court. You know our Native kids are athletes, natural born athletes and we just make do with what we have, but we need something here something for our kids," Reveles said. "The new complex will be open to everyone and the tribe could utilize it for so much more. It would keep the kids inside and off the streets, wellness activities to keep them healthy, and a place to educate our youth and elders on healthy lifestyles and living alcohol and drug free. It's not just for basketball or just for a select few ... it would benefit the whole community,"

R.E.Sp.E.C.T. is the pseudonym for Recreation, Exercise, Sports for Elders and Children of the Tribe. The program was introduced in 2006, recently celebrating it's 10-year anniversary. The program has hosted monthly elder day outings, elder Christmas events, basketball tournaments, sponsors the tribal Youth Council, the annual SummerFest, activities at powwows, youth incentive trips and much more over a 10 year span.

"We've waited a long time for something like this to come along. The new complex will give kids some place positive to go, the elders who take part in the monthly get togethers will be able to meet in the new building and it would house several outreach and wellness programs designed for all ages ... the opportunities would be limitless," Reggie Island, R.E.Sp.E.C.T. Director said.

Opposing the construction of the sports complex is a group of tribal members, primarily 55 and over who make the argument that outlying service

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Native owned businesses continue to grow in US

By Rosemary Stephens, Editor-in-Chief

Many successful business owners know networking is an invaluable tool.

The 2016 Reservation Economic Summit (RES) Oklahoma regional summit created the perfect environment to build those networks.

The National Center for American Indian Enterprise Development (NCAIED) in collaboration with the Cherokee Nation hosted a four-day business summit July 11-14 at the Hard Rock Casino and Hotel in Catoosa, Okla. Like NCAIED's national RES event, the regional summit provided opportunities to build relationships with business leaders in and out of Indian Country, included an American Indian Business Trade Show, a Buy Native Procurement Matchmaking Expo and an Interactive Access to Capital Fair. All focused on building Native owned businesses.

"Our theme for RES Oklahoma is 'Sustaining Economic Momentum.' As you participate in RES Oklahoma, I encourage you to discuss, reflect and strategize with colleagues on ways we can further empower our communities by 'Sustaining Economic Momentum,'" Gary Davis, NCAIED President/CEO wrote in his welcome address.

The summit kick started the week on Monday, July 11 with an Entrepreneurship Boot Camp. A series of four 90-minute hands on, inter-

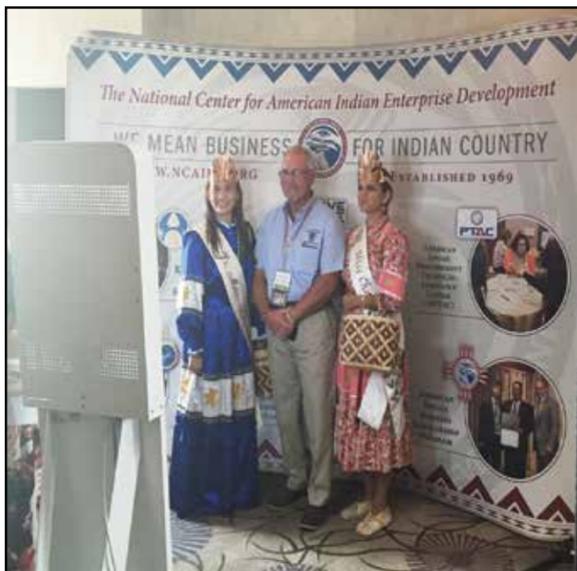
active learning based workshops. Attendees learned the 'nuts and bolts' of planning, launching and managing the early stages of a new enterprise and worked in teams to develop a model business in real time.

The NCAIED is a 501 (c) (3) non-profit organization with over 40 years of assisting Native American tribes and their entrepreneurs with business and economic development. In their 40 years, they have evolved into the largest national Indian specific business organization in the nation.

NCAIED provides management and technical assistance to Tribal and individually owned Indian businesses throughout the country. They serve as a training and resource center for Native entrepreneurs, producing tradeshows and fundraising events to advance economic development across Indian Country and expand domestic and global economic development opportunities.

"This is our first time at RES. It is our opportunity to get our name out there, possibly work with other Native American owned companies and build relationships and networking," Ray Rector, mechanical engineer with Cheyenne Technical Services out of Tonkawa, Okla. said.

A new feature offered by NCAIED is the implementation of Native Edge, an online business develop-



As guests enter the welcoming reception for the 2016 RES Economic Summit they are greeted by Cherokee Nation's Senior Princess Ja-Li-Si Pitman and Junior Princess Madison Whitekiller. (Photo by Rosemary Stephens)

ment and training ecosystem providing Indian Country with many opportunities. Native Edge offers video training, job searches, finding employees, the ability to discover corporate and federal procurements, a Native Business Directory and marketing tools. Native Edge can be logged into from any laptop or smart phone device.

The American Indian Art Market held daily featured many hand crafted items from many Native artists from across the U.S.

For more information about NCAIED, please visit www.ncaied.com. For Native Edge visit www.NativeEdge.com.



Mechanical engineer Ray Rector, Cheyenne Technical Services attended his first RES event hoping to network with other Native owned businesses.

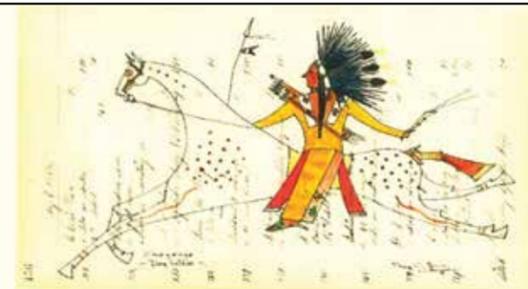
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SPF (Strategic Prevention Framework) through Youth Surveys

- 1 in 5 EIGHTH GRADE STUDENTS STATED THEY HAD USED ALCOHOL in the last 30 days
- 1 in 3 TENTH GRADE STUDENTS STATED THEY HAD USED ALCOHOL in the last 30 days
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OVER 85% OF TRIBAL YOUTH WHO COMPLETED SURVEYS INDICATED SOCIAL INTERACTION WITH OTHER YOUTH/ELDERS AND HAVING SOMEWHERE TO "HANG OUT" WOULD PREVENT BEING TEMPTED TO DRINK AND/OR USE DRUGS

THINK ABOUT THAT FOR A MOMENT!
OVER 85 PERCENT OF OUR YOUTH ARE
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GYM TIMELINE:

- Oct. 1, 2005 Resolution #111508STC-005 authorizes/endorse the R.E.Sp.E.C.T. Program
- Nov. 15, 2008 Resolution approved for support from Tribal Council to use funds for gym facility
- 2012 Tribes were awarded Chesapeake Settlement, R.E.Sp.E.C.T. requested \$2 million for gym and was approved.
- Jan. 2014 RFQ's were sent out to potential builders for facility
- March 2014 Selection committee interviewed 8 companies for facility construction project
- April 2014 Redstone was selected for Design-Build Part A of Contract
- April 22, 2014 Initial kick off meeting with Redstone
- April 2014 - Aug. 2014 Monthly design meetings
- Nov. 2015 100% design complete (Part A), Resolution sent to Legislature for approval for Part B of contract
- Jan. 2016 Legislature added item on agenda to Repeal Part A of contract
- Feb. 2016 Legislature passed 6-2 to repeal Part A of contract
- Feb. 2016 Governor executes veto of repeal of Part A
- March 2016 Legislature's vote to override Governor veto fails
- May 2016 Legislature passes Part B (appropriation of funds) of contract

Support Progress - Support Our Youth

Special Tribal Council Meeting - 10 a.m. Saturday, July 30 - Clinton Community Center

Obesity epidemic in Indian Country awareness

The Association of American Indian Physicians (AAIP) created this media campaign to raise awareness of the obesity epidemic in Indian Country. This toolkit, which includes posters and videos campaign materials, is designed to be both informative and humorous. AAIP conducted a focus group with Native youth that resulted in the tone of this campaign. The focus group participants said our message would be better received if the approach made the audience aware of the obesity epidemic in Indian Country, but also created a smile or laugh in the process.

According to the Center for Disease Control, obesity rates in America have tripled in the past 30 years and one in every three children in the United States is obese. Those numbers are even more astronomical for American Indian and Alaska Natives – where our citizens are 1.6 times as likely to be obese. A separate national study of 4-year-olds shows that tribal youth are twice as likely to be obese as their peers.

These are troubling numbers and to bring awareness to the issue, we created a media campaign that we hope will be both something that will be shared via social media, in addition to tribal healthcare facilities. We

hope this message is fun and educational but also accessible and reaches tribal citizens on the media outlets they use daily.

There are changes we can make to prevent the chronic diseases and mortality rates associated with obesity. The campaign offers some ideas about creating better access for healthy eating and exercise.

Creating real changes that are systemic, environmental, and policy driven will improve and extend the lives of treasured elders and growing children. We must address the obesity issue head-on and replicate successful programs that build environments conducive to physical activity and increase access to nutritious food.

We hope the toolkit and media campaign, which was conceptualized by Oklahoma-based Buffalo Nickel Creative, is something people will share and that these messages encourage healthier food choices for families at the local level, build physical activity into everyday life and inspire community members to work with tribal leaders to generate policies that promote these ideas.

For more information or to order the AAIP's anti-obesity media campaign toolkit, visit www.aaip.org or call (405) 946-7072.



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Legislative News

June Regular Session

The regular session for June was held on Saturday, June 11, 2016. The following bills were passed:

No bills were passed out of respect for the Arapaho Sundance, this Legislative session is hereby adjourned with the understanding that Special Legislative sessions will be called as necessary.

According to the Constitution, the Governor may call Special Sessions of the Legislature. There were Special Sessions held on June 2 and June 22 during the month of June. The following bills were passed:

A Resolution to approve the submission of the ICDBG FY 2016 grant application to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to Construct the Concho Head Start Center, signed by Governor Hamilton on June 3, 2016.

A Resolution to approve the Contract with Midwest Engineering & Testing Corporation, signed by Governor Hamilton on June 3, 2016.

A Resolution Supporting the BIA Tribal Climate Resilience Program Project.

A Resolution Authorizing Governor Hamilton to sign the Contract for Bill's Paving.

A Resolution Approving Contract with Bowtie Advisors.

A Resolution to Approve the Purchase of Real Estate Property 1304 Skyview Dr., El Reno, Okla.

Hearing	Desc	C1	C2	C3	C4	A1	A2	A3	A4
June 2	Hearing/Concho	*	*	*			*	*	
June 2	Special Session/Concho	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
June 7	Hearing/Concho	*		*		*			
June 11	Regular Session/Concho	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
June 21	Hearing/Concho			*				*	
June 22	Special Session/Concho	*	*	*	*		*	*	*

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A Resolution to Approve the contract with FlyingOut Roofing.

A Resolution to Approve the Contract with Dirty Deeds.

A Resolution to Approve an Addendum with United Mechanical.

A Resolution to Approve the Contract for Diamond Game Enterprises, Inc.

According to the Legislative Pay Act passed November 2015, any Legislator who doesn't attend a Legislative session, either Special or Regular, does not get paid for one week. In the month of June 2016 there was one Legislator who forfeited pay for one week.

Please contact your legislator or the legislative clerk for additional information. The Legislative Clerk Assistant is Andrea De Leon, 405-422-7777 or contact her by email at amain@c-a-tribes.org.

A look into pain management

Clinton Service Unit's New Interdisciplinary Rehabilitation Team for Chronic Pain Management

Clinton Service Unit's (CSU) new Pain Management Program (PMP) continues to grow week-by-week. The program uses an interdisciplinary approach to treat chronic pain, including: physical therapy, chiropractor, massage therapy, behavioral health, nutrition, pharmacy and the primary care provider. These disciplines all work cohesively together with one goal in mind, to help those patients who are suffering from chronic pain.

"Patients who are attending the PMP have been very excited to have a program specifically geared toward their needs," said Susan Rose,

physical therapy supervisor. "Regardless of the diagnosis, we strive to help improve our patient's quality of life."

"I went from taking multiple doses of medication daily to reducing my doses in half," said Dena Myers, PMP patient. "I feel better and no longer feel as if I'm in a haze from being medicated. I feel so much better and don't hurt nearly as much!"

Physical therapy works with patients to put together a functional goal and develop a treatment plan to help return the patient to their prior level of function. This evidence-based approach educates the patient on movement and teaches exercises, stretch-

es, behavior and biomechanical modifications, and techniques to help decrease pain, increase strength, range of motion, endurance, balance, walking abilities, and functional activities.

Physical therapy also offers manual therapy such as electrical stimulation, moist heat, cryotherapy (ice), ultrasound, and iontophoresis to assist in lowering levels of pain.

Massage therapy is used to reduce pain caused by muscle tension through stretching and manipulating the muscles to help elongate them. It helps to increase the circulations of blood and deliver nutrients to area worked on.

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can help patients to increase mobility and decrease soreness during recovery time," said Rose.

"Since beginning the physical therapy and massage therapy services I am more active in my daily activities," said Linda Rhoads, PMP patient. "Although I know I will probably never be completely pain free, I feel the utilization of both therapies have helped me deal with the pain and be relieved from tension I have suffered since the surgeries on my spine and knee."

The use of chiropractic care is aimed to re-align and provide skeletal stabilization to reduce pain.

"The chiropractor eval-

SCHOOL CLOTHING FUNDS

- For the 2016-2017 School Year, Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes School Clothing Program (SCP) will provide supplemental funds in a ONE(1) time disbursement to all approved Cheyenne-Arapaho Enrolled Members who are between the ages 3 (Sept. 1) and 17 (by 8/15/2016, Per Capita adult verification date) and who are enrolled in Head Start through High School.
- Applications will be available on C&A Website and in Education Department across from the receptionist desk.
- PARENTS & GUARDIANS- if there is a change in address or child custody please contact Enrollment and submit custody documents with your SCP application

Funding Amounts: PreK-5th grade= \$150
6th-8th grade= \$175
9th-17 yrs old= \$200

Applications will be accepted from July 15-October 28, 2016

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The Longest Walk: Activism and Legislation in Indian Country

By April Chee, National Museum of the American Indian

Since 1978, American Indian activists have used protest marches across the United States to call attention to issues of great concern to their nations and communities. April Chee (Navajo) traces the history of the Longest Walk movement and reports on the Longest Walk V, which will reach Washington, D.C., on July 15.

The first Longest Walk, in 1978, was a 3,000-mile march across the United States to bring attention to the rights of Native people in the United States and to protest 11 anti-Indian bills introduced in Congress that threatened treaty rights. Emphasizing the walk as a peaceful spiritual protest, thousands of Native activists, allies, and community members gathered together to support the movement. After a ceremony on Alcatraz Island, the group began their walk with thousands of people taking part. By July 15, an estimated 2,000 people walked into Washington, D.C. They stayed in the capital for the following week to ensure that their voices were heard and to conduct workshops to educate others about Native people, bringing together members of dif-

ferent Native nations to share knowledge and experience.

This historic movement attracted support from every walk of life. A notable picture from the Longest Walk (below) includes prominent Native and non-Native activists. The Longest Walk was deemed successful in reasserting treaty rights and bringing attention to Native issues. Ultimately, not one of the 11 bills before Congress was passed.

Since the original Longest Walk, there have been four additional major walks. The Longest Walk II, in 2008, called attention to environmental rights and the protection of sacred sites. In 2011 the Longest Walk III: Reversing Diabetes focused on the health of Indigenous peoples and working against diabetes, a disease that many Native people struggle to combat. In 2013 the Longest Walk IV: Return to Alcatraz was unique in that it began in Washington, D.C., and ended at Alcatraz. This walk focused on reaffirming Native sovereignty in the United States, recognizing that we are still nations with inherent rights to govern ourselves.

This ongoing march for Native rights has a direct

correlation to the standing of Native people in the United States. From the occupation of Alcatraz in 1969 to 1971 to the Apache-Stronghold today, Native people have a record of contemporary activism directly affecting legislation. Protecting who we are as Native people in the United States, however, oftentimes requires more than appeals to government. Honoring our ancestor's sacrifices means protecting our land, our water, our languages, our cultures, our women, our children, who we are as Native people. Time and time again, Native communities have banded together to take action to defend these inherent, sovereign rights.

The Longest Walk V: Declaring War on Drug Abuse and Domestic Violence will reach the Lincoln Memorial



Dennis Banks (Ojibwe) meeting with members of the Lumbee and Tuscarora tribes on the Longest Walk V. June 2016, Robeson County, North Carolina. (Courtesy photo)

in Washington, D.C., on July 15.

April Chee (Navajo) is *Tábqáhi* (Waters Edge Clan) born for Naakaii Dine'é (Mexican People) from Coalmine, New Mexico. April is pursuing a bachelor's degree in Native

American Studies at the University of New Mexico and will graduate in fall 2016. She was selected as a Smithsonian intern for the summer of 2016 and is working in the Public Affairs Office of the National Museum of the American Indian.

Native Film Series to show 'Healing the Warrior's Heart'



Healing the Warrior's Heart presents a Native American perspective on military service and sheds new light on PTSD by examining the emotional trauma of war through the prism of Native American tradition and ceremony.

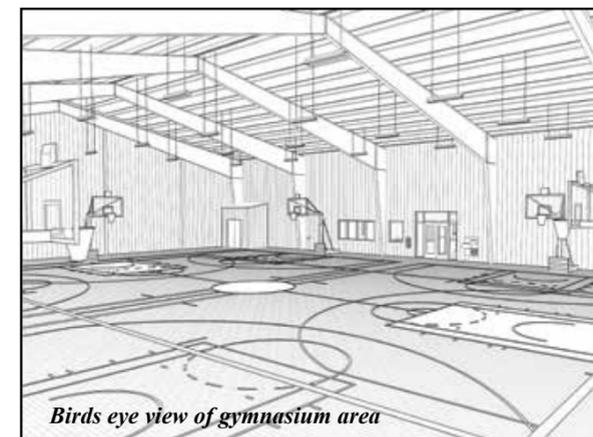
Tribal cultures have long understood that helping warriors heal emotionally is key to maintaining a healthy community, and for centuries they have used healing songs and ceremonies to cleanse them of war.

The Native Film Series will show at the historic El Morro Theatre in downtown Gallup, N.M. and feature a variety of award-winning films created by Native Americans.

Healing the Warrior's Heart will be one of many documentaries being shown at the fourth annual Native Film Series happening Aug. 12-13 in Gallup, N.M. The event takes place during the 94th annual Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial.

Sports complex

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Birds eye view of gymnasium area

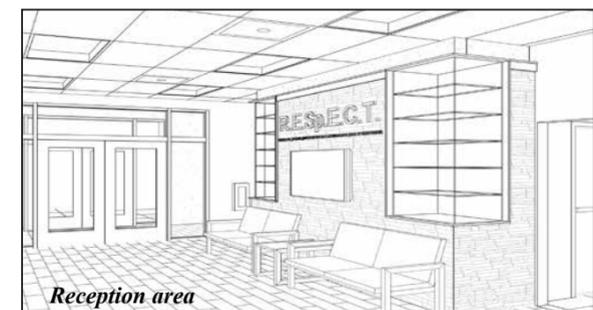
areas of the tribes need new facilities built and some are solely against the project due to the remaining cost of completing the sports complex.

The remaining cost of approximately \$1.8 million to be expended from tax revenues was authorized by the Sixth Legislature on May 14, 2016 with a vote of 6 to 1 in favor of completing Phase B construction of the sports complex.

According to information provided by the Cheyenne &

Arapaho Johnson O'Malley program, the sports complex would directly impact over 607 families in the surrounding area and over 650 Native American youth in the El Reno Public School System. The Concho, District 2 area has a tribal population of over 2,300 tribal members.

Currently, there is a R.E.Sp.E.C.T. gymnasium located in Clinton, Okla., housed within the Cheyenne & Arapaho Housing Authority building and a gymnasium in Canton, Okla.



Reception area

Strategies for Working with Youth in Indian Country

July 18-20, 2016 in Las Vegas, Nev. For more information or to register visit www.falmouthinstitute.com.

Understanding the Indian Self-Determination Act-Contracting and Compacting Under P.L. 93-638

July 20-21, 2016 at the Platinum Hotel in Las Vegas, Nev. For more information or to register visit www.falmouthinstitute.com.

The 2016 National UNITY Conference

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Federal Grants and Contract Accounting for Tribal Organizations

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Fundamentals of Grant Writing

July 28-29, 2016 at the Platinum Hotel in Las Vegas, Nev. For more information or to register visit www.falmouthinstitute.com.

The Association of American Indian Physician's 45th annual National Health Conference

Aug. 11-14, 2016 at the Marriott in Oakland, Calif. For more information or to register visit www.aaip.org.

Authority, Roles and Duties of the Tribal Gaming Commission

Aug. 16-18, 2016 at the Embassy Suites in Las Vegas, Nev. For more information or to register visit www.falmouthinstitute.com.

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Aug. 23-24, 2016 at the Sheraton Albuquerque Airport in Albuquerque, N.M. For more information or to register visit www.falmouthinstitute.com.

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CALLING ALL NATIVE ARTISTS

The Substance Abuse's Methamphetamine and Suicide Prevention Initiative and Strategic Prevention Framework-Tribal Incentive Grant Programs cordially invite all Native Americans ages 9 and up to participate in our "Tradition Not Addiction" art contest that will be held in conjunction with The Oklahoma Indian Nations Pow-Wow/Summerfest Activities. All participants are encouraged (but not required) to incorporate a message of prevention (any form of substance abuse and suicide) in their submissions if possible. Our Programs utilize the belief that "Culture is Prevention." This contest is just one of the many testaments that our traditions can eradicate addictions and restore our people to a wholesome, healthy, and spiritual lifestyle. We welcome all to join us in advocating the message of "Tradition Not Addiction." Hahou!

Tradition Not Addiction ART CONTEST

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2nd Place: \$200	2nd Place: \$200	2nd Place: \$200	
3rd Place: \$100	3rd Place: \$100	3rd Place: \$100	

Category: Cultural Items			
Age: 9-12 years	Age: 13-17 years	Age: 18 + years	
1st Place: \$300	1st Place: \$300	1st Place: \$300	
2nd Place: \$200	2nd Place: \$200	2nd Place: \$200	
3rd Place: \$100	3rd Place: \$100	3rd Place: \$100	

Category: Graphics/Photography			
Age: 9-12 years	Age: 13-17 years	Age: 18 + years	
1st Place: \$300	1st Place: \$300	1st Place: \$300	
2nd Place: \$200	2nd Place: \$200	2nd Place: \$200	
3rd Place: \$100	3rd Place: \$100	3rd Place: \$100	

Category: Painting/Drawing			
Age: 9-12 years	Age: 13-17 years	Age: 18 + years	
1st Place: \$300	1st Place: \$300	1st Place: \$300	
2nd Place: \$200	2nd Place: \$200	2nd Place: \$200	
3rd Place: \$100	3rd Place: \$100	3rd Place: \$100	

Funded by: Substance Abuse Program's Methamphetamine and Suicide Prevention Initiative

Deadline for Art Work submission is Wednesday, August 3rd, by 5:00 pm @ the Tribal Health Board Office, Bldg 1, Concho, OK — (the Old Agency Building)

Winners will be announced Saturday, August 6th at the Tribal Health Fair at 11:30am Concho Community Hall.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT THIS CONTEST AND TO PICK UP REGISTRATION FORM

Please contact 405-422-7659 SPF-TIG, 405-422-7695 HB, or 580-331-2370, MSPI

BRIEFS AT A GLANCE

NATIVE POP ON THE PASEO



Above left-Steven Grounds creating a live paint during the Native Pop opening reception.
 Above right-Ground's 'Ribbon Dancer' painting.
 Right-Portrait of John Trudell by Bunky Echo-Hawk.
 Bottom right-Bunky Echo-Hawk holds up his beaded N7 medallion. Echo-Hawk is the designer for Nike's N7 products.
 Bottom left-Brent Learned pictured with Mischell Harrah outside the Paseo Plunge Art Gallery in OKC.
 (All Photos by Patricia Smith)



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Kevin Gover
 Director
 National Museum of the American Indian

cordially invite Native veterans and community members to a discussion about the National Native American Veterans Memorial

**Tuesday, July 19, 2016
 12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.**

**Ramada at Bricktown Hotel & Convention Center
 Grand Ball Room
 2001 E. Reno Ave
 Oklahoma City, OK 73117**

The National Museum of the American Indian has been authorized by Congress to create a memorial honoring the service of Native Americans in the Armed Forces of the United States.

Led by the Honorable Ben Nighthorse Campbell (Northern Cheyenne) and the Honorable Jefferson Keel, Lieutenant Governor of the Chickasaw Nation, the memorial advisory committee welcomes your ideas for this important project.

Please contact Caressa James (cjames@c-a-tribes.org or 405.422.7734) or Gina Ward (wardgi@si.edu or 202.633.6621) with any questions about this event.
www.AmericanIndian.si.edu

NIYC

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making it the largest InterTribal protest to date. Protesters and organizers gave speeches while traditional dancers danced on the steps of the capitol and one group held a war dance in front of the governor's mansion. It was declared the beginning of a new era of the history of Native Americans.

The NIYC went on to be involved with the 'Poor People's Campaign' alongside African-American civil rights organizations and participated in the 'Trail of Broken Treaties.'

The Trail of Broken

Treaties was to gain awareness and attention for tribal sovereignty. It was one of the first time all nations united together as one for a cause.

Since that time in their long history the NIYC has remained active and has helped to improve public education systems, job training and has guided in the education of the general public about Native American issues.

One of the longest standing members of the NIYC is Viola Hatch who has been a board member going on 36 years. She recalled the day she was

elected to the board.

"It was a very hot day and we were in Mes-calero, New Mexico. We drove way up high into the mountains to have our meeting. We drove so high on the mountain there was snow on the ground. We met in a tee-pee that time but over the years we have met on many different reservations. One time we went to Hawaii for our NIYC meeting and helped the Native Hawaiians with their educational and legal issues," Hatch said.

Since the beginning NIYC strives to bring

awareness to Native American issues and helping others in their mission to 'provide and ensure that every Native American person has an equal opportunity to participate, excel and become a viable member and asset to his/her community.'

By providing access to education, health care, social service, employment, housing, leadership in government and economic development this will insure their dignity and self-respect.

For more information on the NIYC and its affiliates call 505-247-2551.

POWWOWS & EVENTS

CALENDAR

El Reno Indian Baptist Church Vacation Bible School
6 p.m., July 18-20, 2016 for children ages 4 through 12 at the El Reno Indian Baptist Church, 109 East Arapaho Street in El Reno, Okla.

Clinton Health Screening
11 a.m. - 3 p.m., July 20 at the Clinton Community Center. Door prizes and a light lunch will be served.

Oklahoma Indian Legal Services (OILS) Will Preparation Clinic
10 a.m. - 3 p.m. July 21, 2016 at the Rollin Haag Native American Church in Concho, Okla.
You must have an appointment to meet with an attorney. Call Norma to schedule your appointment at 800-658-1497.

Graduation Dance for Jonah Lobaugh and Darryan Sleeper
July 23, 2016 at the Concho Community Center in Concho, Okla. Gourd dance at 3 p.m., supper at 5 p.m.
MC TBA, HS Guy Hicks Jr., HMD Lowell Nibbes, HLD Judy Jensen, HTBD Christian Wassana, HTGD Ariana Long, HLB Jaden Plentybears, HLG Tina Ortiz and AD Billy Youngbird.
Jonah and Darryan's great-grandparents are the late Stanley and Pearl Sleeper. For more information contact James Sleeper at 405-201-2854.

Oklahoma Indian Nations Powwow
Aug. 5-7, 2016 at the Concho Powwow Grounds in Concho, Okla. For more information or for vendor information call 405-422-7919.

Barefoot Powwow
Sept. 16-18, 2016 at the Barefoot Park in Canton, Okla.
MC Eugene Blackbear Jr and Edmond Nevaquaya, HS Richard Deer and Michael Whitecloud, AD James Daukei, HMD Joe Bointy, HLD Edwina Whiteman, HGD Henry Hunter, HLG Aleigha Raquel Littlethunder, HLB Keaton Toehay Tartsah, Honored Veeteran Sheldon Sankey, USMC and Sidney Jackson, USMC, Honored Princesses Nelsie Redbird-Senior Princess and Miya Guzman, Junior Princess. Honored Flags, Friday, Bill Gould, USMC, Saturday, Roy Bullcoming, Cheyenne Chief, US Army, Sunday, Alfrich Heap of Birds, Cheyenne Chief, USMC.
For more information call Barbara Walter at 580-791-2156 or Dwight Whitefuffalo at 580-791-0882.

2016 Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes Johnson O'Malley Back to School Supplies and Backpack Distribution

July 19th Geary Community Hall 11 am-3 pm for Geary Schools	Thomas Schools
July 20th Concho Community Hall 11 am-3 pm for Darlington, Calumet & Kingfisher Schools	Aug 2nd Elk City Library 11 am-3 pm for Elk City Schools
July 21st Concho Community Hall 3 pm-6 pm for Darlington, Calumet & Kingfisher Schools	Aug 3rd Hammon Community Hall 11 am-3 pm for Hammon Schools
July 25th Yukon HS Cheer Room (westside of H.S.) 11 am-3 pm for Yukon Schools	Aug 4th Enid Library Great Room 11 am-3 pm for Enid Schools
July 26th Yukon HS Cheer Room (westside of H.S.) 3 pm-6 pm for Yukon Schools	Aug 4th Woodward Library Conference Room 1:30 pm-3:30 pm for Woodward, Fargo, Sharon-Mutual Schools
July 27th Watonga Community Hall 11 am-3 pm for Watonga Schools	Aug 8th Canton Community Hall 11 am-3 pm for Canton Schools
July 28th Watonga Community Hall 3 pm-6 pm for Watonga Schools	Aug 9th Clinton Community Hall 11 am-3 pm for Clinton, Arapaho & W'ford Schools
July 29th Mustang Community Center Room C & D 3 pm-6:30 pm for Mustang Schools (Mustang Pool reserved from 6:30 pm-8:30 pm)	Aug 10th Clinton Community Hall 3 pm-6 pm for Clinton, Arapaho & Weatherford Schools
Aug 1st Thomas TYP Building 11 am-3 pm for	Aug 11th Seiling Community Hall 11 am-3 pm for Seiling Schools

27th Annual Oklahoma Indian Nation Pow-Wow

August 5, 6 & 7, 2016 ~ Concho, OK

Sr. Miss Jr. Miss Little Miss

Kaitlynn Cavaditto Santana Moquino Ella Snow Lehi

Color Guard:
Buddy Bond

Masters of Ceremonies:
Manny King
Burl Buffalomeat

Head Gourd Dance Singer:
TBA

Head War Dance Singer:
TBA

Head Man Gourd Dancer:
Deswood Koshiway

Head Lady Gourd Dancer:
Tonah Yarholer




NATIONAL ENDOWMENT FOR THE ARTS



Elder of the Year
Viola Sutton Hatch

Health Fair

Saturday - August 6th
Concho Community Hall
10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Sponsored by R.E.Sp.E.C.T. & Dept. of Health

HONORED FLAGS

Friday
William Blackowl, Sr.
US Army

Saturday
John Homer Seger
US Army

Sunday
Irvin "Toby" Goodblanket
US Army

5 K Buffalo Run & Fun Walk

Saturday ~ Registration @ 7:00 a.m.
@ Lucky Star Casino Parking Lot
Run/Walk starts @ 8:00 a.m.
Free Water & Fruit for Participants
Contact Info: (405) 422-7585 or 201-7255
Sponsored by the R.E.Sp.E.C.T. Program

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ANNUAL SUMMERFEST
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Sunday Morning Worship Service
Provided by El Reno Indian Baptist Church
11:00 a.m.
OIN Pow-wow Grounds

FOOD VENDORS
\$350 ~ Weekend

Security & Law Enforcement Provided

No Drugs or Alcohol

OIN Pow-Wow Committee & Cheyenne-Arapaho Tribes are not responsible for accidents!

Oklahoma Indian nation contest categories

Tiny Tots (Must make Friday Grand Entry).....	Ages 6 & Under
Juniors (Must make Friday Grand Entry).....	Ages 7-16
Adults (Must make 2 Grand Entries).....	Ages 17-49
Golden Age (Must make 2 Grand Entries.....)	Ages 50 & Over

Saturday & Sunday Afternoon Gourd Dance Sessions will be held at the Concho Community Hall

DANCE SCHEDULE

Friday: Gourd Dance @ 6:00 p.m.
Grand Entry @ 8:00 p.m.

Saturday: Gourd Dance @ 2:00 p.m.
Grand Entry @ 7:00 p.m.

Sunday: Gourd Dance @ 2:00 p.m.
Grand Entry @ 7:00 p.m.

Specials to be held during Afternoon Gourd Dance Sessions only. No Specials after Grand Entry.

OIN Committee would like to thank the following: C & A Tribes, Culture & Heritage Program, Oklahoma Arts Council, Executive Office, Economic Development Program & Workcrew, Legislative Branch, Lucky Star Casino, R.E.Sp.E.C.T. Program, El Reno Indian Baptist Church, OEMA and all the Volunteers who helped make this year's celebration a success. Ha-Ho!

Tiny Tot Girls Contest

Friday Night

In Honor of OIN Little Miss
Ella Snow Lehi

Little Girls Jingle Dress Contest

Ages 4-7 years old

Friday - August 5th

~ 1st, 2nd & 3rd Places ~

1st Place: Cash Prize, Blanket, Bike & New Jingle Dress

In honor of Khloe Knoxsah's 5th Birthday
Sponsored by Family

Junior Girl's Buckskin Dress Contest

Friday Night

In Honor of OIN Junior Princess
Santana Moquino

49 Contest

Winner Take All

Saturday Night

Sponsored by OIN Pow-Wow Committee

DRUM CONTEST

~ Saturday & Sunday ~
Sponsored by Lucky Star Casino

Virginia "Tunie" Woods Memorial Contest
~ Saturday ~

Men's Traditional

1st Place: \$200, Pendleton & Horse
2 Consolation Prizes
Sponsored by Family

Elder's Prettiest Shawl Contest

Elder's 55 years & up

SUNDAY NIGHT

Sponsored by R.E.Sp.E.C.T. Program

Special Men's Grass Dance Contest

Sunday Night

In Honor of Maddox Miles
\$500, \$300, \$200

Happy Birthday To You



Happy Birthday Adriana "Arianasaurus" Benton - 6
July 28 and
Ariauna "Baglady" Benton - 5
July 12
We LOVE you both so much and wish nothing but the best for you two.
Love all your family



Happy 1st Birthday Avalon
Our Precious Angel We love you to the moon and back!
Your mommy, daddy, Bubba and all your family



Happy 11th Birthday Miklyn Christine!
Love, mom, dad, papa, Isaiah and Aden



Happy Belated Father's Day Love all your girls



Happy Belated Father's Day Chris and Matthew Love mom



Lanæ Ben representing her tribes at the June 8th-11th Native American Baseball Invitational (NABI) in Phoenix, Ariz.

The Shiprock Angels from New Mexico placed fourth in the the Single A Division in the semi-finals.

Sheldon Ben (12u Coach) is an enrolled tribal member of the Cheyenne and Arapaho tribes. Lanæ Ben is a descendant of the Cheyenne and Arapaho tribes and an enrolled of the Navajo Nation. She currently plays 13 and under baseball with the boys also playing softball in Farmington, N.M. called the 505 Dirtbags who also travel the four corners area for tournaments. Hopefully we get to see her play at NABI for softball next year.

Congratulations Lanæ-keep up the great work!
Love your family



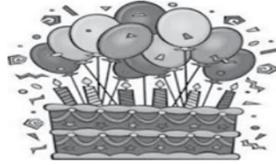
Retirement dinner for Mr. Craig Moore, NPS, Sand Creek site, Colorado. With much respect and honor to Craig Moore for his knowledge of our genealogy over 30 years of research.

Standing (L-R) Louella Old Bear, Ida Hoffman, Craig Moore, Carol Whiteskunk, Mary Youngbull at the retirement dinner on June 16.



Happy 1st Birthday to Rhian Leigh Campbell July 20th and Happy 3rd Birthday to Jasmine Marie Campbell July 16th!

Our precious and beautiful princesses, Love you both, from your father Ryan and mother Vanessa, your brothers Adham and Cadience, your grandma Myra and papa Frank, your grandma Karen and papa Raymond, your uncles Zachary, Kial and the rest of your family.



Welcome Eliana Abigail Willey



Proud Parents Russell and Jazmine would like to announce their new joy, Eliana Abigail Willey.

She was born July 5, 2016 at 12:54 hrs at Yukon Intergritis Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs. 1 oz, and was 18 & 3/4 inches long.

We are so grateful to God and give Him all the glory for our beautiful blessing!

In Loving Memory



Lorenzo Douglas Rednose "Moomch Moehnestoo-hu" entered this life on April 12, 1945 and left this life on Feb. 26, 2016.

A short memorial of a dear soldier has gone on and went to answer his call. He fought the battle and he lost, but didn't lose at all. God has welcomed him home. To be sure God is fair. We will miss him, but we all know that he has gone on home to be with extended family members. No more pain, hurt, worries or sorrows. God has taken his hand and said come with me.

With tearful eyes we watched and saw you pass away.

Lorenzo served in the Armed Forces, serving during the Viet Nam war. We were so grateful for his return from war to be with family and loved ones as a whole person. God blessed him in a good way and we will be forever grateful for both individual veterans and the Nation as a whole to begin healing from the Viet Nam war.

Lorenzo was one of many Native American veterans who represented all tribes. He was Southern Cheyenne and proud of who he was.

Moomch, as I knew him, was a very compassionate man. He was a loyal husband and was often able to say a few things about Army life, but many things he would

not say aloud or tell of, as he was sad and hurt about things that had happened during that war. Many times he would choke back tears thinking about his past military life that led him to alcohol problems. He was bitter, discontented and unable to adjust to life back home. Who could blame him?

When they returned home from serving their country there was no National show of gratitude. He said they were either ignored or spit upon. Shouted at and called vicious names like so many of our war veterans who returned from Viet Nam. There are things he tried to forget so he could try to begin to heal.

What he was grateful for was his Cheyenne ways, his culture and his heritage and ceremonies, such as Sundance. Those are the things that helped him when he was called upon to help with those areas, and the Native American Church.

Moomch was able to help himself get stronger, take better care of himself, even when he was homeless and living on the street. Many times Moomch had a special code of veteran to veteran when he met another veterans. There was always a handshake with him wherever he went.

We would attend powwows, parades, NAC gatherings, and maybe it was the way he always spit-shined his shoes, but it always made him smile and happy to be alive.

I am so glad I met Moomch when I did. I knew Moomch about six years before he asked me for my hand in marriage. We got married on June 8, 2002 and I am glad to have had a part in his life. Time was short, but I gave

him a home. He loved to plant big gardens and fruit trees and he loved to make frybread. Moomch was diagnosed with cancer about seven years ago, but he always prayed every morning with his Bible. He braved the pain and hurt and we did our best to enjoy our short life together. I am glad I was able to help him with his battle against cancer when things got really bad.

Moomch was diagnosed with terminal cancer and given six months, at best. His last dying wish was for family to come to Nevada to our home and visit him. His wish was answered when his nieces came and visited with him. This made Moomch so happy and he was ready to go home.

Moomch passed away the very next morning after his visit with his nieces. We will all miss him very much.

I would like to thank the Cheyenne and Arapaho Burial Program for all their kindness and help.

We held a traditional all night Wake service for Moomch and many, many thanks to George and Eleanor Akeen for presiding over the funeral and wake services.

Thank you Robert Woods for the paint ceremony of Moomch. Also thanks to the drum group, color guard and for the use of the Concho Community Center. More thank yous for the food and prayers, the words of comfort, the songs that were offered and all the kindnesses.

Moomch was the best, loyal husband, father, grandfather, brother and friend to all who knew him.

Thank you from the bottom of my heart.

Aleena Rednose



Doty Lumpmouth, Jr. was born on April 1, 1920 SW of Geary, OK to Custer and Lucille (Yellowman) Lumpmouth. He passed away on June 19, 2016 at his home in Rib Lake, Wisconsin. Doty graduated from Geary High School and served in the US Army during WW II in the 89th Division, 9th Army 353 ISD Infantry. He lived in Chicago, IL, while in Chicago, he worked as a police officer, and later moved to Phillips, WI, lived in Clinton, OK, and has been in Rib Lake since October 15. He worked as a mailman, retiring in January of 1986. He married Rosie Fletcher, and later married Julia Marinko. He was a member of Clinton American Legion Post # 401, DAV of Chicago, IL, and the NRA. Doty's Arapaho name was "Short Man".

Survivors Include: his daughter, Margaret Lumpmouth of Albuquerque, NM, adopted daughter, Priscilla Bencti, his granddaughter, Junior Lumpmouth of Albuquerque, NM, great grandchild, Nicholas Alex Lumpmouth, III, as well as many nieces, nephews, children, grandchildren, other relatives and friends.



Frances Mariam (Bull) Garcia, passed from this life late Saturday, June 18, 2016 in Oklahoma City. She was born on February 13, 1950 in Fonda to Edward John Bull and Elizabeth (Black) Bull. She was raised in the Fonda and Seiling area, attending Seiling High School. She worked for a time as a nurse's aide. Frances married Harry Garcia, Sr. in 1993. She became a dedicated mother and wife, and spent most of her time caring for her family. Frances became a Christian in 2013 when she was baptized by Pastor Rick Mercer along with her daughter Bianca at the Seventh Day Adventist Church in Woodward.

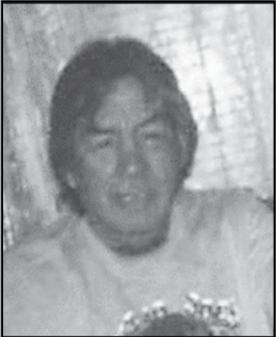
Frances was preceded in death by her parents Edward and Elizabeth Bull; two sisters, Virginia Kaye Flores and Mary Belle Contreras;

a brother, Merlin Ray Bull, two brother in laws, John Tapia, and Richard Love and her grandson "Little Bear" Garcia, and granddaughter, Precious Sanchez.

Frances leaves behind a host of loving family including her children, Marvin Garcia and wife Ann, Angelica Ladezma Garcia, Edwardie Garcia, Larisha Diana Sanchez and husband Martin, Bianca Iryne Garcia, Harry Garcia Jr. "Honey", and Tasha Amelia Martinez; twenty seven grandchildren; six great-grandchildren with another on the way; five siblings, Ervin Charles Bull and wife Bernice, Edwina Mae Bull and companion Luciano Romero, Diana Cassio and husband Rafael, Minnie Ann Tapia, and Darlene Love; as well as a large extended family of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives, and friends.

A traditional Cheyenne Wake was held June 24 at the C-1 Community Building in Seiling. Funeral Services on June 25 at the Elm Grove Community Church in Chester, Okla. with Orville White, Gerald Panana, and George Akeen, Jr. presiding. Burial followed at the Cantonment Cemetery.

In Loving Memory



Frank Whiteshield Feb. 28, 1951 June 14, 2016

Wake services were held for Frank Whiteshield on June 21 at the Clinton Community Center in Clinton, Okla.

Graveside services were held June 22 at the Clinton Indian Cemetery.



Krystal Marie Heap of Birds Jan. 26, 1983 June 10, 2016

Wake services were held for Krystal Marie Heap of Birds on June 15 at the Concho Community Center in Concho, Okla.

Funeral services were held June 16 at the same venue, followed by an Interment at the Concho Indian Cemetery.



Irene Phyllis Standing Water June 11, 1945 June 24, 2016

An all night Wake services was held for Irene Phyllis Standing Water on June 29 at the Clinton Indian Baptist Church in Clinton, Okla.

Funeral services were held June 30 at the Clinton Community Center, followed by an Interment at the Clinton Indian Cemetery.

In Loving Memory

Dwight Riggs
March 4, 1954 - July 2, 2016

Wake Service
Wednesday, July 6, 2016
7 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Clinton Indian Baptist Church
1822 Dunn St.
Clinton, OK

Funeral Service
Thursday, July 7, 2016
11 a.m.
Clinton First Baptist Church
900 Frisco Ave.

Interment
Clinton City Cemetery

Elisee Lee Funeral Home, Clinton, OK (580) 333-1313

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Qualifications:
Transit driver must possess, or be willing to attend various training programs to gain, a CPR and First Aid certification. Must pass a pre-employment drug screening process and subject to random drug testing. Be able to prove lifting a minimum of 50 pounds, with no physical barriers from doing so. Must possess the ability to communicate effectively to patrons and superiors any findings, incidents, activities, and daily responsibilities. At a minimum, the transit driver must possess a high school diploma and possible completion of a commercial driving training program and defensive driving program. Experience may be acceptable to be equivalent.

Qualifications:
High school graduate or GED certified. Typing and computer skills desired. Must have valid Oklahoma state driver's license. Food Handler's licensing preferred within 90 days of employment. CPR/First Aide/AED Certified preferred within 90 days of employment. Cheyenne-Arapaho preference. Must be dependable and be punctual to work.

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CANTON HEAD
START**

If interested please contact Shelene Washington Whiteshirt, Canton Center Supervisor at 580-442-4233 or contact the Personnel Department at 405-422-7498.

**PT Records Clerk
Records Management
Closing: Until Filled**

Qualifications:
High school diploma or GED certification required. Vocational training and/or college hours in office administration, records management is helpful. Knowledge of computer software, experience with database programs, phone and communications skills. Ability to work in a professional manner. Must possess a current and valid Oklahoma driver's license and have reliable transportation. Must be able to lift 50 lbs.

SALARY: Negotiable

**Department of Social Services
LIHEAP COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

The Department of Social Services would like to invite you to the LIHEAP Community Outreach Event. Food Assistance, LIHEAP Assistance, and Portable Floor Fans, will be provided to those who qualify for services.

When and Where:

- July 12th: Kingfisher Memorial Library 11am-2pm
- July 14th: Canton Community Hall 11am-2pm
- August 2nd: Hammon Community Hall 11am-2pm
- August 4th: Clinton Community Hall 11am-2pm
- August 9th: Geary Community Hall 11am-2pm
- August 11th: El Reno Carnegie Library 11am-2pm

Please call the Social Services Office at 405-422-7476 for any questions.

Congratulations JOM Honor Students

The Cheyenne & Arapaho Tribes Johnson O'Malley Honor Club Students for the month of June received a Wal-Mart gift card and an Honor Club t-shirt.

These students are enrolled tribal students. The JOM Program is very pleased in honoring our students. For more information about the Tribes Honor Club Program please contact our JOM Program staff at 405-422-7658 or 405-422-7566.

- Nathan Edward Alba – As & Bs and Perfect Attendance, Award Amount \$50
- Raymond Frost – As/Bs 1st Semester, A's 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$75
- Treyla Bence – As 1st Semester, Honor Society, Award Amount \$125
- Morgan Coppage – As & Bs 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$25
- Jacen Bear – As 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$50
- Joshua Bear – As & Bs 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$25
- Daniel Thompson – As 1st & 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$100
- Calli Thompson – As 1st & 2nd Semester, Honor Society, Award Amount \$175
- Madelyn Thompson – As & Bs 1st & 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$50

- Taya Whiteshirt – As & Bs 1st & 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$50
- Lauren Whiteshirt – As & Bs 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$25
- Dyani TwoBabies – As & Bs 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$25
- Dyami TwoBabies – As & Bs 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$25
- Amy Dawn TwoBabies – As & Bs 1 Semester, A's 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$75
- Christy WhiteEagle – As & Bs 1st & 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$50
- Trinity Black – As 1st & 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$100
- Eryn RomanNose – As 1st & 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$100
- Carter RomanNose – As & Bs 1st & 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$50
- Evan RomanNose – As & Bs 1st & 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$50
- Bobbi Botone – Honor Society 1st & 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$75
- Caylynn Little – As & Bs 1st & 2nd Semester, Honor Society, Award Amount \$125
- Wastewi K. Black – As & Bs 1st & 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$50
- Aurelia Lakota Black – As & Bs 1st & 2nd Semester, Award Amount \$50

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In The Matter Of The Guardianship Of:)
S.J.L.D.)
DOB: 05-17-11) Case No: PG-2016-0107
N.E.D.)
DOB: 05-07-15)
Minor Children)

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

The Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes to: DAVID LEVI
ROBERTO BALTAZAR

You are hereby notified that LaMonica Davis and Gene Gravett has filed in this Court a Petition For Guardianship Of said persons and/or estates of S.J.L.D. and N.E.D., minor children, and that on July 6th, 2016, the petitioners, LaMonica Davis and Gene Gravett was granted Order Of Temporary Emergency Co-Guardianship of the minor children and that said Petition is hereby set for a Guardianship Hearing to be heard in the Courtroom of said Trial Court of the Cheyenne and Arapaho Tribes, 709 Black Kettle Boulevard, Concho, Oklahoma, on the 2nd day of July, 2016 at 10:00 A.M., at which time you may appear and show cause, if any you have, why said Guardianship should not be granted.

Dated this 6th day of July, 2016.

Flora Wilson, Deputy Court Clerk
Cheyenne and Arapaho Trial Court

Petitioner:
LaMonica Davis
6112 S.E. 149th St.
Moore, OK 73165

Gene Gravett
6112 S.E. 149th St.
Moore, OK 73165

CHEYENNE & ARAPAHO TRIBES

PUBLIC NOTICE

TO: ALL CHEYENNE AND ARAPAHO TRIBAL MEMBERS
(18 YEARS AND OLDER ON OR BEFORE JULY 30th, 2016)

Special Tribal Council Meeting
Saturday July 30th, 2016 @ 10:00 am
Clinton Community Hall – Clinton, OK

In accordance with the Cheyenne & Arapaho Tribes' Constitution, pursuant to Article V, Sec.3 (b) Special Meetings of the Tribal Council may be called by five members of the Legislature or by petition signed by one hundred and fifty Members of the Tribes. All requests for a Special Meeting of the Tribal Council shall be submitted to the Coordinator of the Office of the Tribal Council. Upon receipt of a valid petition, the Coordinator of the Office of the Tribal Council shall call a Special Meeting. The purpose of the Special Meeting shall be indicated in the request for the Special Meeting and no other business shall be conducted at the Special Meeting.

A Special Tribal Council Meeting is being called for on Saturday, July 30th, 2016 @ 10:00am. The Special Tribal Council meeting shall be held at the Clinton Community Hall, Clinton, OK

The purpose of this meeting shall be:

- A Tribal Council Resolution to Repeal Tribal Council Resolution No: 1115085TC-005
- A Tribal Council Resolution to Repeal Legislative Resolution 6L-55-2016-0428-002 Approval of Phase B –Construction and Guaranteed Maximum Price for the RESPECT Gymnasium

In accordance with the Cheyenne & Arapaho Tribes' Constitution, Article V, Sec. 4 (c)The Coordinator shall publish all proposed Resolutions at least thirty days before each Annual Meeting or Special Meeting of the Tribal Council....

Office of the Tribal Council:
Jennifer Wilkinson, Tribal Council Coordinator
P.O. BOX 38, Concho, Okla. 73022
Phone: 405-246-8175

**The Office of the
Tribal Council
Community
Informational
Meetings**

The Office of the Tribal Council is inviting all tribal members to attend a Tribal Council community meeting. All Tribal members from surrounding communities are encouraged to attend. A light meal will be served.

**6 p.m. - July 18
Hammon Community Hall**

**6 p.m. July 21
Concho Community Hall,**

**6 p.m. July 25
Canton Gym**

If you have any questions please feel free to contact the Office of the Tribal Council Coordinator Jennifer Wilkinson at 405-246-8175, 405-246-8730 or 405-422-7430.

GRAND ENTRY 1948

Cheyenne & Arapaho Labor Day Powwow Committee

The Cheyenne & Arapaho Colony Labor Day Powwow Committee is asking for donations and volunteers at their benefit dances. They are currently fundraising and have a long way to go to reach their goal.

“We appreciate all the support and the powwow committee wants to make the annual 105th Cheyenne & Arapaho Labor Day celebration the most excellent one yet.”

Visit www.cheyennearapaho.com or email Cheyenne_Arapaho_powwow@yahoo.com.

Chairman Eddie “High Chief” Henry / 405-618-7798

**Dinner time.
A perfect moment to talk about alcohol.**

For tips on how — and when — to begin the conversation, visit:
www.underagedrinking.samhsa.gov

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Orange Mint Rice Salad

3 oranges
3 cups cooked rice
1/3 cup raisins
1/3 cup fresh mint leaves (optional)
1/2 cup chopped walnuts or peanuts
salt and pepper to taste

Peel and segment two oranges, set aside.
Squeeze juice from remaining orange, set aside.

In a large bowl combine rice, orange segments, raisins, mint and walnuts. Add orange juice, toss well.
Salt and pepper to taste.

Recipe courtesy of USA Rice Federation at www.usarice.com.

El Reno Indian Health Services receives a driveway makeover.

The Cheyenne & Arapaho tribes and the IHS collaborated together, employing all tribal members to make improvements to the El Reno clinic's driveway.

(Photos by Melvin Roman Nose)



Pain management

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uates patients for joint restriction on the premise of structure affecting function," said Rose. "Chiropractors use manipulation, manual therapy techniques, modalities, stretch and exercise to improve joint motion and decrease nerve irritation allowing for functional and postural correction."

"I was nervous and scared to be seen by the chiropractor," said Sandra McCoy, PMP patient. "The ladies in the physical therapy department talked me into having an initial evaluation with Dr. Oyler. After the evaluation I felt so awesome! I have never felt so good in all my life."

The PMP is currently accepting pa-

tients with referrals from their primary care providers through IHS. "We hope to reach an abundance of patients who currently suffer from chronic pain," said Rose. "Our program will develop a plan to specifically fit the needs of each patient and work as hard as we can to help improve our patients' quality of life!"

The vision of the Clinton Service Unit is to provide quality health care services focusing on prevention, restoration and collaborative relationships that are valued and "exceed the needs" of our patients, community and tribal partners.

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EARLY SPECIAL 2 FOR \$10 10AM - 2PM	\$10 LATE NIGHTS \$10 STAR PLAY for ALL 11PM - 2AM	\$10 LATE NIGHTS \$10 STAR PLAY for ALL 11PM - 2AM	SUNDAY FUNDAY COME AND GET \$10 Star Play with 10pts earned Mon-Sun 10AM - 11PM 55+ 10AM - 11PM			
\$50 STAR PLAY HOT SEATS 6PM - 11PM						

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\$1000 CASH GIVEAWAY EVERY DAY IN JULY!

Each location will be giving away cash every day at 10pm!
EARN ENTRIES FROM 3PM - 10PM DAILY IN JULY.
 1 Point Earned = 1 Drawing Entry
POSSIBLE PROGRESSIVE
 In the event the winner of the day does not come forward,
 the cash will roll over into the next day's drawing!
 Must be a Star Card Player. One promo per person, per day. See Player's Club for details.

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Drag Boat Races

JULY 16TH & 17TH
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 FLAGS DROP AT NOON

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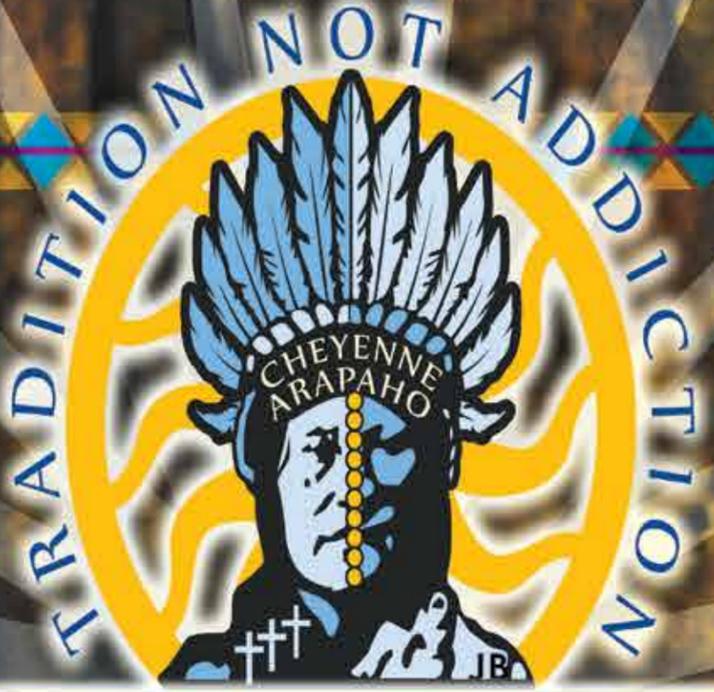
Beach Bag Gift GIVEAWAY!

Every Wednesday in July AT 10AM

First 50 players to earn 50 points will receive a Beach Bag stuffed with prizes!

While supplies last. Must be a Star card member. See Player's Club for details.

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upload a pic to our facebook page with #NOTaSTATISTIC

In 2014:

- 1 in 5 8th grade students
- 1 in 3 10th grade students
- 9 in 20 12 grade students

in Cheyenne and Arapaho tribal counties indicated that they used alcohol in the past 30 days

Source:
2014 Oklahoma Prevention Needs Assessment

YOU can change the stats

Carmen Selene "Pretty Horses" Sankey

18, was awarded "MISS INDIAN OKLAHOMA" during the May 15 pageant put on by the Oklahoma Federation of Indian Women. "This is really an honor," she said. Her platform was about **healthy Native American lifestyles**. Her values which she said are core to who she is and what she wants to convey to others include "**Keeping traditions alive and culture alive, going forward for future generations,**" Sankey said, "**it's important to know who you are.**" The new Miss Indian Oklahoma knows who she is. While attending Lawton MacArthur High School she participated in **varsity basketball, track, and cross country**. She also serves as the **Female Co-President** for the Cheyenne and Arapaho (C&A) Tribal Youth Council, and currently attends Cameron University in Lawton, Oklahoma pursuing a degree in Business Administration.

**PRACTICE THOSE GOOT WAYS
GET INVOLVED IN YOUR CULTURE, SPORTS, AND OTHER POSITIVE ACTIVITIES**