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# Tribal Council members, planning staff speak at Tideflats Steering Committee meeting

By Hailey Palmer, Puyallup Tribal News

The City of Tacoma Tideflats Steering Committee met in July to discuss planning and land use for tideflats in the surrounding area.

The committee includes two representatives from the City of Tacoma, City of Fife, Pierce County, the Port of Tacoma and the Puyallup Tribe, with Chairman Bill Sterud and Councilwoman Annette Bryan as its representatives.

The committee will eventually present a recommendation for land use to the City of Tacoma Planning Commission and City Council.

At its July 11 meeting, the committee discussed key areas within the tideflats and land use concepts for those areas, which include the Puyallup River and parts of the port.

Chairman Sterud and Councilwoman Bryan argued against any uses of land that would involve liquefied natural gas or methanol plants, and anything else with a chemical or fossil fuel-oriented use, leading to some differentiation on opinion between the Tribe and Port of Tacoma.



From left facing the camera are Chairman Bill Sterud, Planning and Land Use Director Andrew Strobel and Chairwoman Annette Bryan.

Chairman Sterud said the river had been grossly mistreated over many years. "We'll do what we have to do to make sure our river is protected," Chairman Sterud said.

Puyallup Tribe Planning and Land Use Director Andrew Strobel said the Tribe is thinking about protecting not only its cultural resources, but also fish and other natural resources in any future development.

"Is the future of the Tribe's reservation going to be a more sustainable and supportive future for its members is what we're looking at," he said.

Councilwoman Bryan shared with the committee that now is a good opportunity to right some wrongs of the past in how Puyallup Tribal land has been treated.

"Anything we put here has a consequence," Councilwoman Bryan said.

The committee's next meeting will primarily focus on transportation in the areas with a goal of making a final recommendation to the City of Tacoma Planning Commission in October.

More information on the committee can be found at www.cityoftacoma.org/government/city\_departments/planning\_and\_development\_services/planning\_services/current\_initiatives\_and\_projects/tideflats\_subarea\_plan.

Photo by Hailey Palmer

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### Councilwoman Bryan visits China, returns with fresh ideas for Puyallup Tribe

By Puyallup Tribal News Staff

In China, half a world away from the Puyallup Reservation, Councilwoman Annette Bryan found striking cultural similarities and possibilities for the future.

She went in late June and early July as part of a 10-day visit to mark the 30th anniversary of the Sister City relationship between Tacoma and Fuzhou. Mayor Victoria Woodards led the delegation and extended an invitation to Tribal Council to participate. The Council sent Councilwoman Bryan to represent the Tribe. Other attendees included city officials and students from Tacoma.

"It was a real honor for the city to include us," she said, noting the Tribe's people were the first to inhabit what is now the city of Tacoma. "It recognizes how far we've come in our relationship that the city would think to invite us to participate in its trip."

Sister cities are communities in different countries that have formal agreements to partner on such topics as business, trade and cultural exchanges.

Fuzhou and Tacoma have been Sister Cities since 1994. Fuzhou is a coastal city of more than 7 million people that was a port on the ancient Maritime Silk Road and today has scenery and cultural attractions such as temples and museums that draw millions of tourists a year. Fuzhou donated the Fuzhou Ting in Tacoma Chinese Reconciliation Park through the Sister City partnership. Other collaborations include dragon boat race competitions, educational exchanges between local schools in each city and the 2015 visit of President Xi Jinping to Lincoln High School.

During the "fast-paced" visit,
Councilwoman Bryan said she toured port
and industrial facilities, something she was
especially interested in given the potential
of the Tribe's port property for international
trade. Council, she said, is looking to
develop mutually beneficial relationships
to further its economic development goals.
Along the way, she gifted necklaces she'd
made on the 15-hour flight, knowing she
wouldn't be able to sleep.

She also gave a speech to Chinese officials to thank them for their hospitality and introduce them to the Tribe.





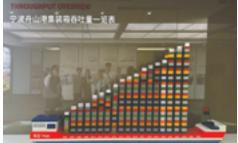




















"I wanted them to know Tribes are sovereign nations, recognized in the U.S. by treaties," she said, "and that while we share space with the city (of Tacoma), we're not constituents, we're elected officials."

She then focused on economic development, including the Tribe's manufacturing and warehousing capabilities and its port property as well as shellfish operations and geoduck harvesting.

"I thought the timing was good because we're trying to develop our port and customers," she said. "This was a good start."

It was the hot season, and Councilwoman Bryan recalled extreme humidity, long hours and packed agendas.

The delegation's hosts, who were friendly themselves, would not allow them to interact with local populations. The people they did get to interact with, she said, seemed to genuinely care about their cities. She also made some observations on her own.

"Not a lot of people were out during the day," she said. "At night, when it wasn't hot out, you'd see a lot of people walking on sidewalks or riding on scooters, doing their errands like getting groceries. There were lots of scooters, with different colors.

I learned the people on scooters with yellow helmets were delivery people. If you needed a pair of socks or a suitcase, you'd go on an app and someone with a yellow helmet would deliver it to you."

The delegates couldn't download the apps, and they had a hard time using credit cards.

"I was also shocked that I couldn't use my social media," Councilwoman Bryan said. "They have a lot of restrictions on what people can access and utilize."

The delegation spent a lot of time traveling together, she said, and they shared their experiences along the way and compared Tacoma to cities they visited.

"The technology there is just incredible," she said, recalling a city with driverless buses.

A high-speed train to a port, highway beautification projects and a visit to a dump site that extracts gas for power and fertilizer from refuse were other highlights, as was a river cleanup effort.

"I was impressed," said Councilwoman Bryan, whose background includes work as an air quality monitor and 10 years at the Environmental Protection Agency.

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The trip also included planting a friendship tree and an excursion to Beijing and the Great Wall of China. She hadn't expected to visit the wall and found the high heat and high steps daunting.

"It was like the stairs at the Stadium Bowl," she said, referring to Stadium High School.

The delegates' visit to Beijing coincided with one from Tacoma students.

"My favorite part of the experience was the culture," Councilwoman Bryan said. "I found a lot of similarities to their culture. They're very spiritual people. ... I visited tings and prayed in their temples. I was very interested in their spiritual and cultural way of being."

Inside one museum, she said she saw cedar clothing that "looked almost identical to ours." She also tried a variety of local food, such as pork belly. Some of it was unexpected.

"The soup tasted really good," she said. "Someone said, 'That's eel,' and I quit eating it."

One of her most memorable experiences came toward the end of the journey, when the American delegation was waiting in the airport. Tired and sore from the fast-paced traveling, she said, they were stretching and apologizing to their guide.

"She said, 'This is what we do," Bryan recalled. The guide demonstrated moves like pulling an imaginary arrow and letting it go and described exercises she performed to get the body and mind moving at the start of a day.

"It was beautiful," Bryan said. "That was one of my favorite exchanges."

The visit came about 25 years after the Tribe sent a canoe family to Fuzhou. Connie McCloud, who today is the Tribe's Heritage Division Manager, was part of that delegation.

"In some ways, we've had a relationship in the past," Councilwoman Bryan said. "This may be a way for us to renew the cultural sharing."

The idea of "sister cities" goes back at least to 1931, when Toledo, Ohio, and Toledo,

Spain, formalized a relationship between the cities. President Eisenhower caused the creation of Sister Cities International in 1956, and today the local organization, Tacoma Sister Cities, has relationships with 15 other cities around the world, including Kitakyushu, Japan, and Brovary, Ukraine.

The 6th U.S.-China Sister Cities Summit was slated for July 18-19, after the Puyallup Tribal News goes to press, and Councilwoman Bryan said the Tribe will reciprocate some of the hospitality she found in Fuzhou.

Councilwoman Bryan said it's possible for the Tribe to establish its own Sister City relationships. She said Tribal Council would have to carefully consider the idea before pursuing it.

For more information about Sister Cities, visit SisterCitiesTacoma.org or SisterCities.org.

Photos courtesy of Annette Bryan

### Chairman Sterud speaks to World Affairs Council of Tacoma

By Hailey Palmer, Puyallup Tribal News

Puyallup Tribal Council Chairman Bill Sterud was the featured guest of the World Affairs Council of Tacoma and the Asia Pacific Cultural Center Thursday, June 27, at the World Affairs Council's 2024 Summer Social held at the Museum of Glass.

He spoke about the Tribe's history and its current and future economic development.

"We're still here and we'll always be here," Sterud said. "Our people have had a tough go, but there's always been this heart, this strength, there's always been this love for all people."

Chairman Sterud touched on the Tribe's efforts to take back and protect its land.

"This is our home and we're going to fight for the Puyallup River," he said.

Looking ahead to the Tribe's future, Sterud talked about what the Tribe is



Moderator Arthur DeLong listens as Chairman Sterud speaks.

doing today to ensure promising futures for future generations.

"We've got the Emerald Queen Casinos, Marine View Ventures, we've got gas stations, AMES International. ... we partnered with Amazon for a distribution center," he said. "We've got a new restaurant over on Ruston Way. ... We're open for business. We're open for clean business. We're open for a future, not just for my people, but all peoples. ... This is the Puyallup Reservation."

Photos by Tim Kelly



After the event, the Chairman took a moment for a photo with Lua Pritchard, executive director of the Asia Pacific Cultural Center, who made the invitation for his appearance.

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Heritage Div. Manager



**Angeline Totus** 

Director



Clinton McCloud

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#### MON. AUGUST 12

- Opening Blessing
- GONA: Belonging/Mastery
- · Energizer/Icebreaker
- Guest Speaker Lunch
- · Passport Activities

#### 1699 Benbow Dr. East Graham, WA 98339 TUE. AUGUST 13

Puyallup Tribe Wolf Camp

- Opening Blessing
- Generosity Day 10:30 TO 12 NOON GONA: Interdependence

**MED, AUGUST 14 (HALF DAY)** 

- · Energizer/Icebreaker
- Guest Speaker
- Lunch
- Passport Activities

#### The events are coordinated effort between the:

At-Risk Youth Outreach, Chief Leschi School, Children of the River Child Advacacy Center Children Services, Community Domestic Violence Advacacy, Community Family Services, Cultural Center, Grandview Early Learning Center, Housing Program, Kwawachee Counseling Center, Language, Puyallup Tribe Health Authority, Re-Entry Program, Around Program and Youth Center

#### OPEN TO ALL COMMUNITY MEMBERS

All ages are welcome to this event. This a family oriented event and children must be accompanied by a Parent or Guardian for all 3 days.

We ask that you provide your own transportation to this event for all 3 days. If you are not feeling well, join us next time.

> PLEASE CONTACT: MARSHA: 253-337-8549

## HUCKLEBERRY

August





PUYALLUP CULTURE HAS SET UP RESERVATIONS AT

CISPUS LEARNING CENTER CAMP SITE, 2142 CISPUS RD, RANDLE, WA 98377 The campsite will provide showers, garbage dump and bathrooms.

Breakfast, lunch and dinner will also be provided. There will be daily culture activities.

We ask that you provide your own transportation, Camping gear and huckleberry baskets/buckets.

We will follow all COVID-19 precautions, If you are not feeling well, join us next time. REGISTRATION ELIGIBILITY

- Puyallup Tribal Members.
- · Tribal members of other tribes who reside in Pierce, Thurston & King County.
- · Community members who reside on the Puvallup Reservation.
- Youth must be accompanied by parent and/or guardian at all times.

email Contact: Culturalcenter@PuyallupTribe-nsn.gov

THIS IS A DRUG, ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND VIOLENCE FREE EVENT

LANDING JULY 31,2024 PROTOCOL AUGUST 1-5, 2024 POWER PADDLE TO PUYALLUP **YOUTH CANOE JOURNEY 2024** 

Canoe Landing: 4224 Marine View Drive Tacoma, WA 98422

Camping: 3509 East 72nd St. Tacoma WA 98404



### **June Elders Luncheon**

By Puyallup Tribal News Staff

Summertime has arrived and that was plenty evident at the House of Respect for June's Elders Luncheon.

June's Honored Elder was Frank Moxley Griese, who was blanketed and honored with a cedar hat. (See page 24.)

Elders were treated to live music and a great meal before things wrapped up with a raffle.

In addition to the usual cash prizes, the raffle fit in with the summertime theme, with prizes that included patio furniture, a smoker and more, going to some lucky winners.

Photos by Hailey Palmer



























#### PUYALLUP TRIBE'S COMMUNITY CANCER COMMITTEE



## Puyallup Tribe's Community Cancer Committee

Would like Tribal Members to share their own journey with cancer within their family.

If you would like to share your story, please email it to:

Joanne.webb@puyalluptribe-nsn.gov

Or mail or drop it off at:

### Puyallup Tribal Admin Building

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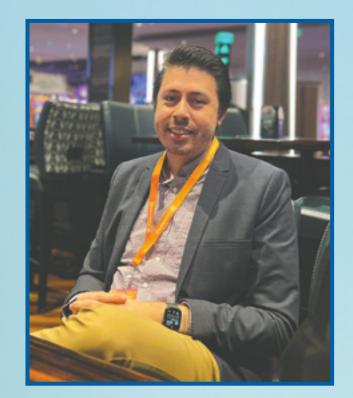
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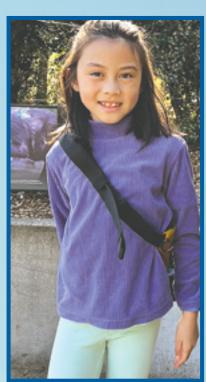
May the joy that you have spread in the past come back to you on your August birthdays!

Wishing Miguel and his daughter a very Happy Birthday.

Love from William & Eugena (Dad/Grandpa and Mom/Grandma)

*Photos by E. Buena-Douglas* 







#### **PUYALLUP TRIBAL COMMERCIAL DIVE HARVESTERS ANNOUNCEMENT**

"Drug screens are required for Puyallup Tribal commercial dive harvesters during the month of August 2024. Please see the Puyallup Tribe Shellfish Department website or the following link further details: https://www.puyalluptribe-nsn.gov/ member-services/tribal-naturalresources/shellfish/#drug-testing"

### Help us fill these pages with your stories and good news

- BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT
- OBITUARY
- FAMILY REUNION PHOTO

This section is for Puyallup Tribal Members to share news, in their own words and photos.

Birthday greetings, classified "for sale" ads and staff shout-outs are encouraged, too.

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### **NETS FOR SALE**



New monofilament nets for sale. Various sizes and depths are available.

Contact Jim Siddle at 253-777-6385

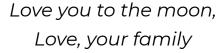
#### EMAIL YOUR STORIES TO NEWS@PUYALLUPTRIBE-NSN.GOV.

Do you have an education success story thanks to the Higher Education Department at the Puyallup Tribe? We want to highlight your accomplishments! Submit your story to <a href="mailto:news@puyalluptribe-nsn.gov">news@puyalluptribe-nsn.gov</a>.

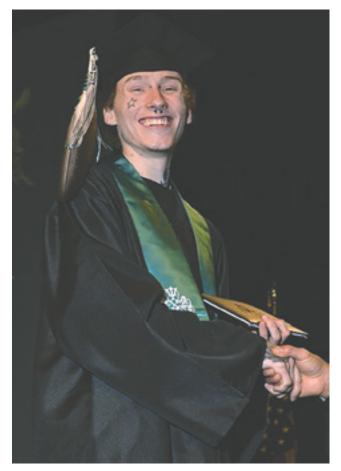


### Congratulations on your graduation, Devon Bryan! We are so very proud of you! Sky is the limit!



















### Dear God,

In the presence of this new life, we are reminded of the countless blessings you have already bestowed on Miguel and Noemi Douglas as they welcomed their son, Spencer E. Douglas, on Jan. 21, 2024. He has already



brought tremendous joy and laughter to his big sisters Isabella and Mirabelle. As his grandparents, words cannot express the gratitude we have for this little boy who is 5 months old now!

Love William & Eugena Douglas

Photo taken by Miguel Douglas

#### **ACTIVITIES AND UPCOMING EVENTS**

## Tribal Veterans Reflect on D-Day 80th Anniversary

By Michael Sisson,
Puyallup Tribal Veterans Representative

Last month, two Puyallup Tribal Veterans attended the 80th Anniversary of D-Day celebrations in Normandy, France. Following are their thoughts regarding this event.

Rodney Sisson, Interim Vice Chairman of the Puyallup Tribal Veterans Committee shares these thoughts.

The hallowed grounds of Normandy hold the untold stories of countless heroes. Among them are 38 Native American soldiers, their bravery etched in the annals of D-Day.



Twenty-nine of these warriors lie in the Normandy American Cemetery at Omaha Beach. Each grave marked by a simple white cross. They came from diverse Tribes across the United States, each with their unique customs and traditions. Yet, they fought as one, united in their mission to liberate Europe from the clutches of tyranny. Their legacy is a testament to the enduring spirit of Native American warriors, their courage echoing through the ages.



Nine more Native American heroes found eternal rest at the Brittany American Cemetery. Like their comrades at Omaha, their stories are tales of bravery, resilience and unwavering dedication. They were scouts, code talkers, medics and infantrymen. Like those of their brethren at Omaha, their sacrifices should never be forgotten.



Eighty years after D-Day, the story of these fallen heroes was brought to the forefront by Charles Norman Shay, a Penobscot Indian from Maine and a veteran of the 1st Infantry Division who served as a combat medic on Omaha Beach. Marie-Pascale Legrand and Charles Shay were instrumental in organizing a commemoration for the 29 Native Americans buried at the Normandy American Cemetery. Their efforts helped to shed light on the often overlooked contributions of Native American soldiers during World War II.

Shay's own story is one of courage and resilience. As a medic, he braved the relentless onslaught of enemy fire to save the lives of countless soldiers. His bravery earned him the Silver Star and the French Legion of Honor. Yet, despite his heroic actions, Shay remained humble, always emphasizing the collective effort of his fellow soldiers.



The story of the fallen Native American soldiers of D-Day, as highlighted by Shay, is a testament to the enduring spirit of these Native warriors. Their sacrifices, though made decades ago, continue to inspire and remind us of the high cost of freedom.

The 38 Native American heroes who rest in the hallowed grounds of Normandy are a testament to the unwavering courage and dedication of these warriors.

I would like to thank Tribal Council for allowing us to go and honor the Native American heroes.

Clarence Tougaw, Chairman of the Puyallup Tribal Veterans Committee shares these thoughts.

Our trip to France for the 80th Anniversary of D-Day will always remain near and dear to my heart. Given the opportunity by our Tribal Council to make this trip was a life-changing experience. I witnessed and participated in some events that I had never seen before or even knew they existed.

It was also a time to make new friends and visit with some prior acquaintances. The most special times were listening to a few of the veterans talk about their time in the military and afterward. After listening to those stories and then walking on those same beaches imagining what they saw and went through brought me to tears. I will be forever grateful to those veterans.

Photos by Rodney Sisson

### FIND US ON FACEBOOK UNDER PUYALLUP TRIBAL VETERANS

#### CHILDREN OF THE RIVER CHILD ADVOCACY CENTER

It is the CRCAC's responsibility to educate the community/service providers. We must understand and educate ourselves on child sexual abuse and prevention. Let's explain why body safety is important and why it is important in supporting and teaching correct names of body parts because it reinforces the myth of "stranger danger." We must heal our families and keep our children safe. Thus, we are educating the community so you can teach your children the importance of body safety. Lastly, we must understand that "stranger danger" is important to educate, but it is most important to understand most children and families know the predator. Please keep reading for further information on this topic.

Knowing the correct names of our body parts helps keep children safe from sexual abuse that is most often perpetrated by a family member and not a stranger.

Our children's boundaries and safety are important to us! Most children who experience abuse are abused by someone they know (and usually trust), NOT by a stranger. The community can support keeping our children safe by focusing on where kids are unsafe. Statistically, the majority of children and teen victims know the perpetrator who is from their family and social groups. Empowering a child by giving them the tools that help them stay safe from within their family and social groups begins by teaching body safety rules. Debunking stranger danger myths is accomplished by teaching children to talk about safe and unsafe touching, and correct names for their body parts, so that they may help keep their bodies safe from everyone!

Healing our community means that we prevent sexual abuse of our children, and nurture and protect our children. Helping our spirits release the fear, shame and hurt is necessary to continue growing stronger and more resilient! Increasing the use of the real vocabulary of body parts creates body safety for our children's sacred bodies. Demonstrating that we value a child's whole self and we do not keep secrets about bodies empowers children to have ownership of their bodies, helps them to live in the light and know that we know that they are sacred. The whole community is watching and protecting our

My body is my body and it belongs to me!

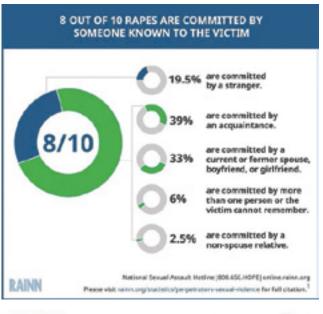
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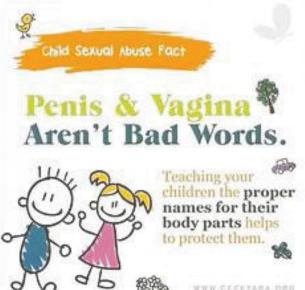
children. It is safe to protect one's self. You belong, you are safe and it is safe to report.

#### The reasons children don't tell include:

- **1.** Feelings of guilt, shame and self-blame which leaves children vulnerable to the manipulation tactics of the perpetrator.
- 2. Fear: Children don't disclose as they will be blamed for the abuse. Since the perpetrator is often a family member or someone important in the child's life the perpetrator may use threats of abandonment, rejection or tell the child that their family may break apart.
- **3.** Lack of understanding: The child may be unaware that what happened to them is wrong or inappropriate due to their age and level of development. The perpetrator can manipulate them into believing this is a game or normal behavior.
- **4.** Relationship with the perpetrator: Most perpetrators are family and friends and in one-third of the cases the abuser is another minor.
- **5.** Gender: Child sexual assault is one of the most underreported crimes, and male survivors are less likely to disclose than females due to gender-based stereotypes.

Using the correct body part vocabulary helps a child feel safe to report to a safe person and helps the safe person





understand what the child is talking about. Using code or pet names for body parts also communicates that one's body parts and any discussion around it is a secret. The message that bodies are something to be ashamed of is received and can be internalized. "If we can't talk about our bodies, then I can't talk about when something is wrong that involves my body either." These secrets keep children vulnerable to experiencing further abuse and create further trauma preventing community healing. This makes it very difficult for a child to report, to get help and for our community to protect and keep them safe. "Whether it is an elbow, an eyeball or a vagina, it's a part of their body and they have a right to set their body boundaries. But it all starts with empowerment." (childsafetypledge.org, n.d)

Child sexual abuse is difficult to talk about, talk about it anyway. Teaching our community to speak correct names of body parts helps normalize this speaking for our children. Speaking the correct names of body parts invites our children to speak the language of body safety.

Table 1. Differences Between Child Sexual Abuse And Adult Rape.				
	Child Sexual Abuse	Adult Sexual Assault		
Timing of Disclosure	Usually gradual/longitudinal over weeks, months, years	Often acute		
Perpetrator Characteristics	Often a trusted caregiver known to the child and family	Often a stranger or a date		
Physical Force	Uncommon, as perpetrator gradually manipulates the child's trust and strives to avoid discovery of the abuse	Often violent		

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## That's a wrap to the 2023-24 school year!

Thank you for another great school year, Warriors! We hope you are having an amazing summer! We look forward to welcoming you all back in September!





### Chief Leschi Schools celebrates this year's retirees

Congratulations to our Chief Leschi Schools retirees! We thank you for your years of service and dedication to our students, staff and community! From left, Kathy Herring, our senior human resources manager worked at CLS for 8 years. Willie Stewart Sr., our director of student services worked at CLS for five years. Mimi Lampert, a science and math instructional coach worked at CLS for seven years. (Not pictured) Bob Pollock, a campus bus driver worked at CLS for 10 years. Each of you has significantly impacted our community and educational environment. All retirees were honored at our last circle of the school year and presented with blankets.



### **Chief Leschi campus improvements**

In an ongoing commitment to improve the Chief Leschi Schools campus for staff, students and guests, the following projects will be taking place over the summer:

- Installation of a new heating, ventilation, and air conditioning system in all buildings. Installation of a new soccer pitch in partnership with the Sounders RAVE Foundation and FIFA.
- Elementary Playground cover and new preschool playground.
- From now through the end of August, the Chief Leschi Schools campus will be closed and unavailable for facility rentals. The campus will be an active construction zone for the duration of the summer. This closure will allow contractors on site to work efficiently and effectively without disrupting the academic calendar. More updates will be provided to the community throughout the project.

### 2024-25 school year enrollment

Enrollment and re-enrollment for the 2024-25 school year is open! To complete an application, please visit our enrollment webpage by scanning the QR code or visit the enrollment office. If you should need assistance, please contact the enrollment department at 253-445-6000, ext. 3190.



#### **WRAP AROUND PROGRAM**





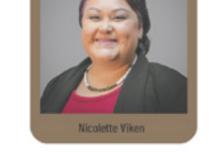






Our mission is to empower individuals

### Eligibility:







Wrap Around can assist in locating and obtaining a wide array of resources including:



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Employment



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Transportation



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Managing of Your Home



Furniture



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Education



Legal Issues



Collaboration with Multiple Social Services Programs

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## Catch up on well-child visits and recommended vaccinations

Is your child up-to-date on well-child visits and vaccines? It's time to get back on track for school, childcare and beyond!

#### Well-child visits

Childhood is a time of rapid growth and change. Well-child visits most often occur when your child is developing the fastest. Well-child visits are important for many reasons, including: tracking growth and developmental milestones, discussing any concerns about your child's health and getting scheduled vaccinations to prevent illnesses. These visits are the perfect time to ask questions and discuss any concerns you may have.

#### **Vaccines**

Vaccines are the most important tools available for preventing diseases.

Vaccinations not only protect children from developing a potentially serious illness, but also protect the community by reducing the spread of infectious diseases.

### Schedule for well-child visits and vaccines

- The first week visit (3 to 5 days old)
- 1 month
- 2 months
- 4 months
- 6 months
- 9 months
- 12 months
- 12 months
- 18 months
- 2 years (24 months)
- 2 1/2 years (30 months)
- 3 years, and each year until age 21

You have the power to keep your child healthy. To schedule a well-child visit, please call 253-593-0232.



### Help us grow. Tell us how we're doing.

Do you have feedback for us?

- Email: PatientFeedback@eptha.com
- Visit our website: eptha.com/contact-us
- Call us: 253-593-0326

Let us know what we do well and where we could use some improvement. We value your input!



### Need help reaching your health and wellness goals?

#### **PTHA CAN HELP**

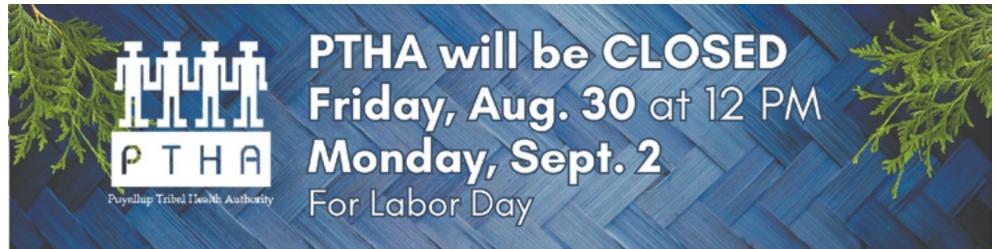
The Full Circle Wellness Program at PTHA is designed to help you reach your health and wellness goals. Our program is tailored to each individual and is based on creating a balanced lifestyle.

We focus on creating healthy habits through:

- Nutrition
- Physical activity
- Health and wellness coaching
- Mentoring

We work with you to create a unique action plan aligned with your core values that fits your lifestyle and needs. We provide resources and support to help you achieve your goals and live your best life. Through our program, we strive to empower individuals to become their own health advocates, creating a positive and sustainable lifestyle. Give us a call for more information at 253-593-0232.





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### JOB TITLE: ASSISTANT PROSECUTOR/

#### **PRESENTING OFFICER**

**DEPARTMENT: Prosecutor's Office** 

**CLOSES: WHEN FILLED** 

Responsible for planning, organizing and directing assigned activities of the Prosecutor's Office and serves as the Assistant Prosecutor/ Presenting Officer for the Tribe.

### JOB TITLE: GUARDIAN AD LITEM Department: Tribal Court Closes: WHEN FILLED

Represents the best interests of the person for whom the GAL is appointed (Client). An officer of the court; must maintain independence, conduct him/herself professionally, avoid conflicts of interest and maintain ethical standards, treat all parties with respect, become informed about the case, timely inform the court of relevant information, limit duties to those ordered by the court, inform individuals about his/her role in the case, maintain the parties' privacy, perform duties in a timely manner, maintain documentation and keep accurate records.

### JOB TITLE: CORRECTIONS OFFICER Department: Law Enforcement Closes: July 25

Provides care and custody of inmates and maintains order and discipline among the inmates within the Puyallup Tribal Restorative Correctional Facility, a minimum-security facility, by enforcing the standards, rules and regulations governing the operations of the detention/correctional facility and programs, and the confinement, safety, health and protection of inmates.

### JOB TITLE: COMMUNITY EVENTS OPERATION COORDINATOR

### Department: Administration Closes: WHEN FILLED

Responsible for providing a high level of positive customer service, coordination and support to the Community Events Department by building positive, professional relationships with clients, coworkers, Tribal staff, community partners and vendors. This position requires multi-tasking and timely completion of tasks in coordination and collaboration with the Director by delivering/pick-up, and on-site set-up/teardown of weekend events.

### JOB TITLE: CHILD WELFARE CASEWORKER LEVEL 1-3

### Department: Children's Services/Indian Child

#### Closes: WHEN FILLED

Develop, implement and evaluate case plans for families who are working with Puyallup Tribe Children Services. Facilitates family reunification or other permanent placement planning as deemed necessary by the Tribal Court. Initiates life-changing decisions based solely on the best interest of the children.

#### JOB TITLE: CAP COORDINATOR

#### **Department: Crisis Assistance Program**

Closes: Aug. 2

Provides program assistance to eligible Puyallup Tribal Members.

#### JOB TITLE: EVENT ASSISTANT

#### **Department: Administration**

**Closes: WHEN FILLED** 

Responsible for assisting the Community
Events Planner and Assistant Coordinator
with office and event duties for Tribal
Community and Administration events, as
assigned. Expected to assist with various event
planning assignments timely and accurately.
Responsible for reception duties in the
office, as well as inventory of event materials.
Expected to be available on nights and
weekends for events.

### JOB TITLE: SECURITY OFFICER – ON CALL Department: Public Safety

**Closes: WHEN FILLED** 

Responsible for protection and security of the Puyallup Tribal buildings and property. Reports all incidents in writing to the Assistant Director and any criminal activity to both the Assistant Director and the Puyallup Tribal Police Department.

### JOB TITLE: TRIBAL HOUSING RESIDENT SERVICES SPECIALIST

### Department: PTOI Properties Tribal Housing Closes: WHEN FILLED

Responsible for implementing admissions and occupancy policies for Puyallup Tribal Housing Department, and all other applicable codes, regulations and policies, and for providing training and counseling to residents. Inputs data into electronic data systems and prepares reports to management.

### JOB TITLE: MAINTENANCE – OUTDOOR Department: Grandview Early Learning Center Closes: WHEN FILLED

Assists with the general maintenance and custodial duties for the Grandview Early Learning Center. Cleans and routinely maintains building and associated grounds. Ensures that the physical environment is safe and healthy for the care of young children.

### JOB TITLE: COMPLIANCE SPECIALIST Department: Tribal Gaming Regulatory Office Closes: WHEN FILLED

Assists in the daily compliance duties performed by the Tribal Gaming Regulatory Office. Performs various duties to ensure that the gaming operation complies with the requirements of all federal, state, and Tribal regulations as they apply to Class II and Class III gaming.

### JOB TITLE: POLICE OFFICER - HOUSING Department: Law Enforcement Closes: WHEN FILLED

Closes: WHEN FILLED

Responsible for the enforcement of all Tribal laws and regulations which shall include both land and marine areas which are under Tribal jurisdiction. Should possess understanding of sovereignty, Tribal regulations and the need for their enforcement.

### JOB TITLE: ELDERS SERVICES – COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSE

### **Department: Elders Services**

**Closes: WHEN FILLED** 

Responsible to assist with planning, organizing, developing and directing the day-to-day operations in the Elders community

department. The employee is responsible for assessments, care coordination, advocacy, telephone triage, development of care plans and related duties. Responsible to provide nursing care for Elders as approved by supervisor. This position will share after hours on-call services.

### JOB TITLE: TAX AND LICENSE COMPLIANCE OFFICER

### Department: Business Tax and License Closes: WHEN FILLED

Enforces Puyallup Tribal tax and business laws; monitors the administration and enforcement of licensing, record keeping, inspection, auditing, taxation of Tribal businesses and other assigned regulatory duties.

### JOB TITLE: ELDERS - LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE (LPN)

**DEPARTMENT: Elders Services** 

Closes: WHEN FILLED

### Salary: \$32.24/hr. + Benefits; eligible for increase to \$33.37/hr. after 90 days

The Puyallup Tribe is currently seeking an LPN for the beautiful 20-bed House of Respect Residences assisted living facility. Works under the direction of the executive director and the director of nursing. Participates in the planning, implementation and evaluation of nursing care within the objectives, standards, and policies of the department and within the parameters of his/her scope of practice for Elders residing in the House of Respect. Cooperates with the members of the nursing and healthcare team.

### JOB TITLE: ON-CALL LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE (LPN)

### Department: Elders Services Closes: WHEN FILLED

Participates in the planning, implementation and evaluation of nursing care within the objectives, standards, and policies of the department and within the parameters of his/her scope of practice for Elders residing in the House of Respect. Cooperates with the

#### **JOB TITLE: ELDERS CNA**

#### **Department: House of Respect Residences/**

members of the nursing and healthcare team.

Elders Wellness Center Closes: WHEN FILLED

### Salary: CNA - \$23.84/hr. + Benefits; eligible for increase to \$24.67/hr. after 90 days

Provides personal care, in-home meal preparation, light housekeeping, and assistance with ADLs and vital signs to the Tribal Elders in the Residence assisted living or in the home. Must be fully vaccinated for COVID-19.

### JOB TITLE: ASSISTED LIVING ADMINISTRATOR

#### **DEPARTMENT: Elders services**

**CLOSES: WHEN FILLED** 

Provides leadership and direction for the dayto-day operations. Contributes to the safety, and the physical, social, emotional and spiritual wellbeing of the residents. Provides quality patient care in accordance with the established policies and procedures of PTOI, as well as in compliance and/or meets the Tribal, federal,

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state and local regulations. Ensures quality of care, resident rights, effective staffing and fiscal stability.

### JOB TITLE: CARE STAFF COORDINATOR Department: Elders Services Closes: WHEN FILLED

Ensures adequate staffing levels to provide excellent personal care of the Elders residing in The Residence assisted living community as well as in their own personal homes.

Provides scheduling, oversight and assistance

### JOB TITLE: TRIBAL COURT-STATE LIAISON Department: Children's Services/Indian Child Welfare (ICW)

#### **Closes: WHEN FILLED**

for Elder CNAs.

Serves and collaborates with the Puyallup Tribe of Indians, the State Department of Children, Youth Families (DCYF), as well as with Child Protective Service (CPS) and other Tribal social service agencies regarding dependency of Puyallup children served outside of Puyallup Tribe Children Services (PTCS) and Puyallup Tribal Court. Provides Puyallup Tribe's Indian Child Welfare (ICW) Attorney(s) with updated information and services, as necessary.

#### **JOB TITLE: CASE AID**

### Department: Children's Services/Indian Child Welfare (ICW)

#### **Closes: WHEN FILLED**

Provides visitation and transportation services for families and children being reunified by the Puyallup Tribal Court System and assists in providing support to Case Workers, CPS and Foster Home Licensors where needed.

### JOB TITLE: EXTENDED SUPPORT SERVICES CASEWORKER

### Department: Children's Services/Indian Child Welfare (ICW)

#### Closes: WHEN FILLED

Develops, implements and evaluates permanency case plans for families within Children's Services. Completes Guardianship/ Adoption reports and home studies to achieve permanency for a child in PTCS care with PTCS recommendation for permanency. Maintains the case post permanency for 30 days to six months depending on case needs. Completes monthly health and safety visits, assists guardianship/ adoptive families and children during the transition with services such as child care and any other pertinent supportive services within the Tribe. Provides ongoing and long-term assistance to children and families in permanent placements and adoption by assessing the needs of the families and providing resources and tools to preserve and sustain children in permanency. Assists with children remaining connected to their family and culture throughout and after permanency is achieved.

#### JOB TITLE: CASE MANAGER - FAMILY VOL. SRVC Department: Children's Services/Indian Child Welfare (ICW)

### Closes: WHEN FILLED

Develops, implements and evaluates case plans to enrolled Puyallup Tribal children who are found to be children in need of care through the Puyallup Tribal Court. Facilitates family reunification or other permanent placement planning as deemed necessary by the Tribal Court. Initiates life-changing decisions based solely on the best interest of the children.

#### **JOB TITLE: ASSISTANT DIRECTOR**

### Department: Children's Services/Indian Child Welfare (ICW)

#### **Closes: WHEN FILLED**

Works with the Children's Services Director to ensure proper supervision of Children's Services staff and tasks. Directly oversees staff in Child Protective Services (CPS), Child Welfare Services (CWS), Family Voluntary Services (FVS) units and Independent Living Skills (ILS). Supports the department's philosophy of balancing the need to make decisions that are in the best interests of Tribal children with facilitating reunification efforts for Tribal families. Promotes staff in providing active efforts for children to safely remain in home and provide ongoing active efforts toward reunification.

#### JOB TITLE: ACCOUNTING INTERN

#### **Closes: WHEN FILLED**

The Tribal Administration HR Department is looking for Puyallup Tribal Members interested in taking part in a paid Internship Program in the Accounting Department working with DAP Services, Inc. Duties will be dependent upon previous work experience and level of schooling received. This is a part-time, 10-29 hours per week program, and will be flexible to adjust for class schedules and study needs.

### EMERGENCY HIRE - PUYALLUP TRIBAL MEMBERS

#### **Closes: Open Continuously**

Apply if you would like to be considered for emergency hire openings. Emergency hires are positions that need to be filled temporarily on an expedited basis. When an emergency hire becomes available, a list of candidates who meet the education and experience requirements for the position will be sent to the hiring manager for consideration. You will be contacted if selected.

### WORK FORCE DEVELOPMENT 240 HOURS - PUYALLUP TRIBAL MEMBERS

#### **Closes: Open Continuously**

This program provides 240 hours of full-time/part-time employment to Puyallup Tribal Members paid at the recognized minimum wage. During this time, members develop job skills and employment history to help improve their eligibility for permanent full-time jobs within the Tribe or other Tribal entities. A WFD Case Manager will contact you after you apply.

#### **CEDAR WELLNESS CENTER JOBS**

#### RN-NURSING SUPERVISOR

TO APPLY: https://cw.bamboohr.com/careers/25

MEDICAL ASSISTANT/FRONT DESK
TO APPLY: https://cw.bamboohr.com/careers/29

MEDICAL ASSISTANT/PHLEBOTOMIST TO APPLY: https://cw.bamboohr.com/careers/30

MEDICAL ASSISTANT/PATIENT NAVIGATOR
TO APPLY: https://cw.bamboohr.com/careers/31

#### LICENSED THERAPIST

TO APPLY: https://cw.bamboohr.com/careers/33

### SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER PROFESSIONAL/

TRAINEE

TO APPLY: https://cw.bamboohr.com/careers/34

#### CONCIERGE/SECURITY GUARD

TO APPLY: https://cw.bamboohr.com/careers/37

#### LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE (LPN)

TO APPLY: https://cw.bamboohr.com/careers/28

#### **TAHOMA GLOBAL LOGISTICS (TGL) JOBS**

We provide diverse supply chain solutions and services which leverage the Puyallup Indian Tribe's properties in and around the Port of Tacoma.

**HOW TO APPLY:** Please apply at: https://apply.jobappnetwork.com/tahomaglobal/en

#### JOB TITLE: WELDER (FULL TIME)

### Department: Tahoma Global Logistics (TGL) Closes: WHEN FILLED

Skilled welder looking to contribute your expertise to a dynamic team environment and make a meaningful impact within the logistics industry.

#### **PUYALLUP TRIBAL ENTERPRISES (PTE) JOBS**

### SUBMIT APPLICATION ONLINE AT: https://

apply.jobappnetwork.com/puyallup-tribalenterprises/en

### JOB TITLE: ACCOUNTING SPECIALIST Department: Puyallup Tribal Enterprises Closes: WHEN FILLED

Responsible for the processing and maintenance of accounts payable, accounts receivable and other bookkeeping functions.

### JOB TITLE: SENIOR CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNTANT

### Department: Puyallup Tribal Enterprises Closes: WHEN FILLED

Must have experience in all aspects of general construction accounting, and will be primarily responsible for managing construction costs, preparing financial reports and overseeing construction projects from start to finish. This position has oversight of all accounting functions related to TCS's construction company, such as accounts payable, accounts receivable, payroll support and general ledger.

### JOB TITLE: CASHIER/SALES ASSOCIATE (PART TIME)

### Department: Puyallup Tribal Enterprises Closes: WHEN FILLED

Works directly with each customer to ensure that they have the perfect guest experience. This includes making sure we have clean, well-stocked stores when they arrive, cheerfully assisting them throughout their visit, then efficiently ringing up their sales.

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### JOB TITLE: MARINA ASSOCIATE (PART TIME) Department: Puyallup Tribal Enterprises Closes: WHEN FILLED

Located at Chinook Landing Marina. Help secure and protect all of the Marina's property. Keep all of our operations and equipment in great working order. Our team takes great pride in the exceptional care and services that they provide to all of our tenants and guests. We would love to hear from you if you have a positive attitude, great customer service skills and flexible work hours.

### JOB TITLE: CAR WASH ASSOCIATE (PART TIME) Department: Puyallup Tribal Enterprises Closes: WHEN FILLED

Work as part of a team to provide the perfect guest experience to every one of our customers, both in our car wash and in our retail store. Making sure we have a sparkling clean car wash and store, and that we operate efficiently to help our guests get in and out quickly! Requires energetic, talented people who enjoy customer service at a fast pace.

### JOB TITLE: MAINTENANCE ASSOCIATE Department: Puyallup Tribal Enterprises Closes: WHEN FILLED

Helps perform all of our routine facilities and equipment maintenance, cleaning and repair work at all of our business locations. Prioritize making sure that our sites look great and are functioning safely and properly for our employees and customers. May also assist with remodel/construction projects as needed.

#### **WOVEN SEAFOOD AND CHOPHOUSE**

Please see the live links below for team member positions and to apply.

Lead Host Person: https://jobs.dayforcehcm.com/en-US/chi/CANDIDATEPORTAL/jobs/47678

Host Person: https://jobs.dayforcehcm.com/en-US/chi/CANDIDATEPORTAL/jobs/47686

Busser: https://jobs.dayforcehcm.com/en-US/chi/CANDIDATEPORTAL/jobs/47682

Server: https://jobs.dayforcehcm.com/en-US/chi/CANDIDATEPORTAL/jobs/47690

F & B Supervisor: https://jobs.dayforcehcm.com/en-US/chi/CANDIDATEPORTAL/jobs/46411

Prep Cook: https://jobs.dayforcehcm.com/en-US/chi/CANDIDATEPORTAL/jobs/47405

Line Cook: https://jobs.dayforcehcm.com/en-US/chi/CANDIDATEPORTAL/jobs/47409

Food Runner: https://jobs.dayforcehcm.com/en-US/chi/CANDIDATEPORTAL/jobs/47301

### **How To Apply**

Apply online at https://usr58. dayforcehcm.com/CandidatePortal/en-US/ptoiad or visit the Puyallup Tribe's website at www.puyalluptribe-nsn.gov/ and select "Employment" at the top of the page.

If you have any questions about the online application, please call 253-573-7863 or email jobs@ puyalluptribe-nsn.gov.

#### **ADULT SERVICES**

### 1423 E 29th St, Suite 336, Tacoma, WA 98404 AdultProtectiveServices@puyalluptribe-nsn.gov | 253-382-6380















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# PUYALLUP TRIBE OF INDIANS COMMUNITY FAMILY SERVICES & RE-ENTRY PROGRAM



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### WHAT IS RE-ENTRY SERVICES?

The Puyallup Tribal Re-Entry Services Program is a culturally-based program that empowers individuals that are faced with unmet needs as they re-enter back into tribal communities. Our mission is to guide, uplift and in-spire all individuals so that they may begin their healing

### **SERVICES WE PROVIDE**

- DIRECT PRE/POST RELEASE SUPPORT
- LIFE SKILL EDUCATION
- COGNITIVE BEHAVIOR SKILLS
- PEER TO PEER MENTORSHIP
- ASSIST WITH PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION
- ASSIST WITH REGAINING DRIVER'S LICENSE
- SOBER LIVING HOUSING ASSISTANCE
- ASSIST IN CONNECTING TO OTHER TRIBAL SOCIAL SERVICE ENTITIES SUCH AS: EMPLOYMENT, EDUCATION, TREATMENT, MENTAL HEALTH, CULTURAL AND RECOVERY ACTIVITIES.

#### WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR RE-ENTRY SERVICES?

IF YOU ARE A PUYALLUP TRIBAL MEMBER, A PUYALLUP TRIBAL FAMILY MEMBER, A MEMBER OF A FEDERALLY RECOGNIZED TRIBE AND ARE RELEASING FROM INCARCERATION OR COMPLETING A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT PROGRAM, YOU ARE ELIGIBLE FOR RE-ENTRY SERVICES.

## MEET OUR NEW RE-ENTRY & CFS SENIOR ADMIN

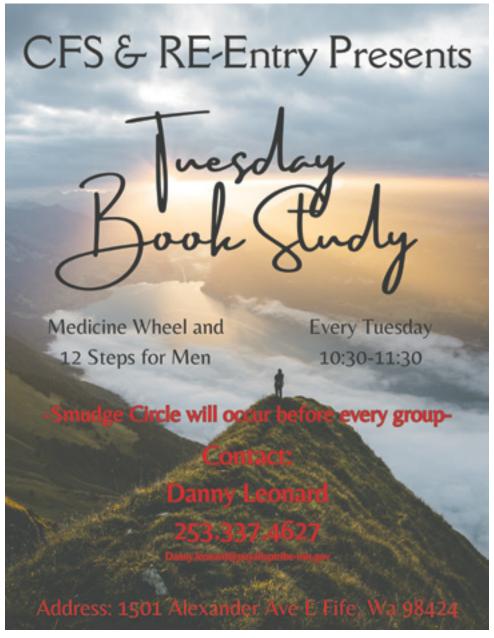


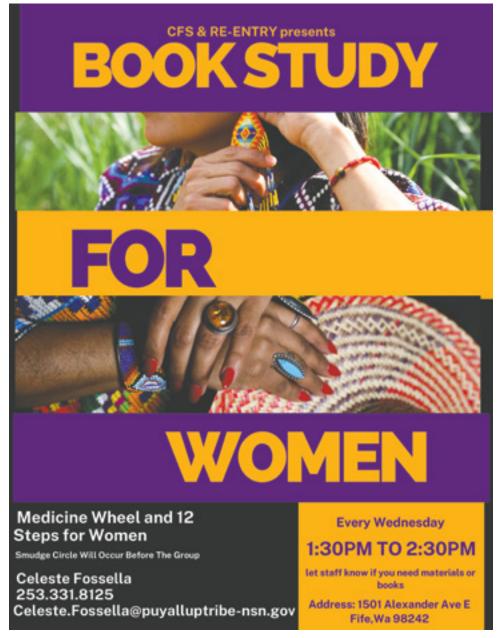
### **TROY WARD**

We're excited to onboard our new Senior Administrative Assistant. Troy will be the first friendly face you see and hear if you ever stop by or call. He Is a Puyallup Tribal Member and is excited to be helping his community members in need on any level, as well as learn as much as he can about his Native American culture and heritage.

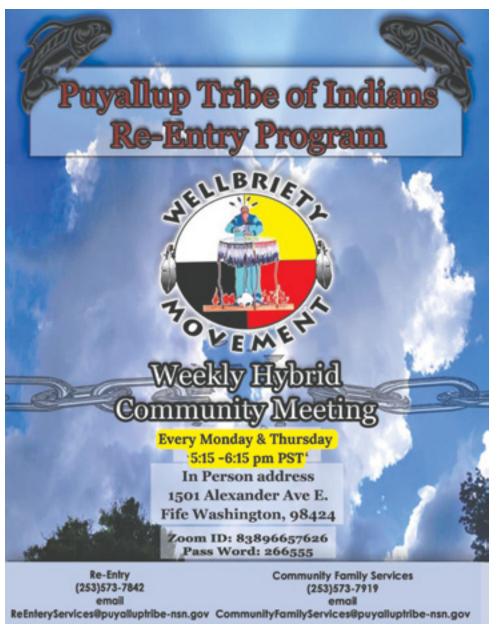








#### **REENTRY SERVICES**





#### **GRANDVIEW EARLY LEARNING CENTER**

### GRANDVIEW EARLY LEARNING CENTER August Summer Program 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				Canoe Journey / Lake 10:00-3:30	2 Bowling 10:00-3:30	3
4	5 Canoe Journey /Lake 10:00-3:30	6 WG- Wool Weaving/ loom Work/Headbands 10:30-1pm/ park	7 Wild Wolves Sports Nets 9:30-4:00	8 Wild Wolves Nature Scavenger Hunt 9:30-4:00	9 Lake Tapps 10:00-3:30	10
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18	WG-Cedar Basket/paint shells 10:30-1pm/ park	20 WG- Cedar Basket/ Paint Shells 10:30-1pm/ park	21 Owens Beach 10:00-3:00	22 @GELC/Park 10:00-3:00	23 Skating 10:00-3:00	24
25	WG- Cedar Bracelets/ necklaces 10:30-1pm/ park	WG- Cedar Bracelets/ necklaces 10:30-1pm/ park	28 Lake Tapps 10:00-3:00	29 @GELC/Park 10:00-3:00	30 Lake Tapps 10:00-3:00	31

Winner's Gym



Field Trip



Wild Wolves Camp



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## Tribe opens Woven Seafood & Chophouse

By Hailey Palmer, Puyallup Tribal News

The sounds of drumming and singing filled the air at the Ruston Way waterfront Tuesday, July 9, as a ribbon-cutting ceremony for the Tribe's new restaurant, Woven Seafood & Chophouse, was held.

Heritage Division Manager Connie McCloud delivered a blessing and prayer before Puyallup Tribal Council Chairman Bill Sterud, Council members Annette Bryan, James Rideout, Anna Bean and Fred Dillon, and chef Roy Yamaguchi shared remarks.

Each council member touched on the significance of the restaurant opening and the Tribe's efforts to reclaim its land, notably through the Puyallup Tribe of Indians Land Into Trust Act, which passed earlier this year after testimony from Council members Bryan and Rideout and added 17 acres of the Tribe's land into trust.

"This was more than a two-year process and Tribal Council was working really hard with our congressional delegation and lobbyists in Washington, D.C., and the federal agencies to get this property into trust," Councilwoman Bryan said.

The Bureau of Indian Affairs initially refused to put the property into trust without a congressional act because of previous contamination on the land, Councilwoman Bryan said.

"We worked really, really hard to explain to members of congress that this land was not contaminated by us, it was taken from us, and then contaminated, and then we had to buy it back at top dollar," she said. "It was really important that we go and educate members of congress. I testified on the Senate side and the Senate passed the bill, and (Councilman Rideout) testified on the House side, the House passed the bill and the president signed it into law."

The ribbon-cutting ceremony followed an exclusive first taste of the menu for Puyallup Tribal members Sunday, July 7, and a soft opening Monday, July 8.

The restaurant door handles are carved paddles featuring Coast Salish art by Puyallup Tribal member and artist Nick Earl.

The restaurant is now open for business and reservations can be made at eatwoven.com.

Here is a summary of what each council member and Yamaguchi said.



On the cover, Puyallup Tribal Council and Chef Roy Yamaguchi celebrate the opening of Woven Seafood & Chophouse with a ribboncutting. The Culture Department, with Tribal Council members Annette Bryan and Anna Bean, pictured here, pose for a photo before performing song, dance and drumming at the ribbon-cutting ceremony.

#### **Chairman Bill Sterud**

"Two acres of our land right here. For thousands of years this was our village site right here. Then, it got stolen, taken away, but we made a commitment to get as much of our land, our village, back. It did take a while, but it's going to happen. ...

This little piece of property – two acres – is part of our economic development plan that we'll be using and moving forward with. ... When you go on in there and look at our restaurant it'll blow you away, taste the food, it'll blow you away."

#### **Annette Bryan**

"This is really exciting. I just want to thank Matt (Wadhwani) and his whole team. ...
Former councilman Tim Reynon, he was part of laying the foundation for this, and our ancestors who laid the foundation for this all the way along and we're just so grateful today. To Roy Yamaguchi and your team, the food in Hawaii was magical, I think the food here is even better. Tacoma, you're in for a real treat."

#### **James Rideout**

"I want to give thanks to all of our Elders. I said this morning that 55-plus years ago we weren't even a Tribe. If it wasn't for that perseverance, that consistency, that thought and that mindset of actually wanting a future for us and that future is now. I want to thank the membership for putting us in a position to do something like this. Without your decision, these decisions wouldn't be made here today. ... We're the next generation preparing for the generation after that. That is important. ... For us to have our ancestors behind us ... we'll look out there and see our ancestors on that water. It overwhelms me with happiness that we're all doing this together."

#### Anna Bean

"It's a beautiful time at the Puyallup Tribe. We've been reclaiming for some time not only our songs, dances and language, and now we are in the process of taking our land back. It's a beautiful time to be a part of the Puyallup Tribe as is every day. I'm thankful you all have made it today. Thank

you to Puyallup Tribal Enterprises for all of the work and hours getting everything done to make today possible. This is a part of plan, a strategic plan by many that aren't here today. I want to thank our ancestors and our Elders that are here today. A lot of them have paved the way for us to be standing in front of you and I'm grateful to every single one of you for allowing us to walk in your footsteps, showing us the pathway to where we can take this a little bit further than we've gone."

#### **Fred Dillon**

"I'm overwhelmed by joy, happiness and pride. We're getting our land back here. This is our ancestral land we've always had, and we're reclaiming it again. I want to thank and put my hands up to our Elders that are here. I look forward to the future because this is what we're leaving behind. Our job always as Tribal leaders is to protect and preserve what we have now. We come from a time where we didn't have much, and look at the Puyallup Tribe now. We're here. We're here now, and we're leaving something for the future."

#### Roy Yamaguchi

"It was important to me not just to have a restaurant here, but it was important to have a restaurant where we can tie in bringing cultures together. That's why the name of this restaurant is Woven. We want to weave the cultures through everything that involves life. ... Coming up with something special, especially for the Puyallup Tribe members, to me I felt that would be an incredible thing to accomplish."

Scan the QR code or go to facebook.com/ PuyallupTribeOfIndians to watch the event video.



Photos by Hailey Palmer, Frank Griese, and Tim Kelly

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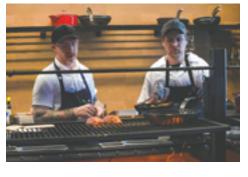








































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## Frank Moxley Griese recognized as Honored Elder for June

By Hailey Palmer, Puyallup Tribal News

A senior Puyallup Tribal member is recognized as the Honored Elder each month at the Elders Luncheon.

Frank Moxley Griese became the latest Puyallup Tribal Elder to be honored on June 21 as he was blanketed by Puyallup Tribal Council member Monica Miller and Executive Director of the Elders Wellness Center Vernetta Miller.

Griese was also gifted a cedar fedora hat and will have his photo placed on the wall at the House of Respect along with other Honored Elders from the past.

Each Honored Elder also records a video in which they talk about their lives and experiences. Here is Griese's story in his own words.

"I'm a Puyallup Tribal Elder. I work for the Puyallup Tribe and I've been around here for quite a while. I've watched the Tribe grow immensely and it's a very exciting time in my life to see that kind of thing. (I'm) always hoping that the Tribe does better and they're doing excellent at this point in time.

"I was born here in Tacoma, but at a very young age I went to Thurston County. My mother fell out of a car in a car accident and died of an aneurysm when I was 2 years old. I lived with my father for a while, but he didn't really know how to raise up a small baby, so I was given to one of my sisters. This was in the late 50s, early 60s, and the Salmon Wars were beginning to happen throughout the Tribes in the Northwest. Individual families were involved in this and they would be going in and out of jail, in and out of hospitals, it was a very tumultuous time for Tribes.

"A lot of the time I would be taken from one family and they'd give me to another family. They would say, 'Can you take care of Moxley because we're not really sure what's going to be happening in the next couple of days,' knowing there was probably going to be a struggle on the river or someone would be in jail and they would have to figure out how to get them out of jail or the hospital.

"I stayed with a woman down there named Hazel Griese who later became my adopted mother. She was very good



friends with the Nisqually Tribe down there, and because of her friendship, one of the Nisqually Elders, Billy Frank's mother, Angeline Frank, who is my grandmother, asked Hazel, 'Could you watch over Moxley because we're in some very hard times right now.' So, Hazel said, 'OK, I'll take care of him,' and mind you I was only about 2 and a half years old.

"Her kids were grown, left home and had lives, and she took on this little baby, so the rest of my life I lived there.

"As a young child I got to have the best of the Elders' knowledge. They trained me, taught me and showed me about things.

"When I went to Hazel Griese and Ray Griese they had three kids – two sons and a daughter. In my own biological family, I have four sisters and two brothers. Unfortunately, most of them have passed on by now, but I didn't really spend much time with them because of the situation at the time.

"When I was a little boy, we grew up there down in Thurston County, one of our big excitements was fishing. I had a group of friends in high school that would come down to our house for two reasons: on the weekend before my dad came home my mom would bake, so they'd show up to get the bread, fresh rolls, all this stuff, and the other reason they'd show up is to go fishing with us.

"We'd all go fishing and there'd be like 10 of us – 10 kids and my mom. I'd ask my friend, 'Who's the best fisherman you've ever met,' and he'd go, 'Best fisherman I ever knew was your mom, Hazel Griese.' That's the kind of woman she was. She wasn't the type of woman to be so involved with flowers and all that. She wanted to be out in nature, hiking, fishing or on a river. She was a very unique person and I'd give anything that's good about me, I got it from that woman.



"When I got out of college at (Tacoma Community College) I was unsatisfied with what I had learned. On a whim, someone said, 'You know what you should be? A hairdresser, you've got the personality.' So, I said OK.

"Me and my very best friend, Luis, we enrolled in hairdressing school. During our time in hairdressing school we had a competition because we were pretty good, I guess. One of the competitions in Vancouver, Canada, was sponsored by Vidal Sassoon Corporation and their artistic director came up to us and said, 'You know what, how would you like to come up to the academy and be trained by Vidal Sassoon?' I jumped on that and turned out the academy was in London, England. They sent us there, we stayed there for over a year, trained with the Sassoon Corporation, came back to Seattle, opened several salons. ... We traveled extensively doing platform artistry.

"I kind of had the idea that I should start doing more photography, so I started shooting more with the camera. I found more enjoyment in that than I did standing behind a chair and doing that anymore.

"As things progressed, I went to college and learned more about the camera, but it wasn't taking me where I wanted to go, so I went back to college and started taking broadcast production. Then, I started taking motion picture production – I went to Evergreen State for that.

"When I finally grew up and came out of all that I worked for the Mariners. I was the instant replay guy for the Mariners. I would be down on the field and was the (parabolic microphone) guy. I also got to work with the Huskies – my home was Husky Stadium, so that was a great time in my life.

"And then, as luck would have it, I bought this little, cheap camera one time and went down to a powwow on the waterfront. ... I started shooting primarily in Indian Country because it was a hit.

"I worked for ABC Sports, Northwest Indian News which was a Native American news network out of Bellingham, so that gave

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me the opportunity to travel throughout the reservations all over Washington, Oregon and Idaho.

"I also did work for Puyallup. I'd come in and bid on projects they were proposing, and at one point I had heard about a big project and wanted to get in the door. I walked in and got an appointment with Council. They brought me in and at that time Herman Dillon was our Chairman. Herman sat at one end of the table and he said, 'Well, Frank, what are you doing in here?' and I said 'I see that we're going to be having some construction done and I'd like to put a proposal in.'

"I felt fairly confident I was in good shape on that and he said, 'You don't need to do that,' and I thought, 'Oh no, someone got ahead of me.' "He goes, 'Frank, how long have you been shooting for us?' and I go, 'I don't know, off and on for 10 years.' He said, 'I put a motion on the floor right now to make Frank Griese our video production person for the Puyallup Tribe of Indians.' Everyone voted and I became who I am now. I grew up to be a videographer of the Puyallup Tribe and I've never looked back.

"This has been a great experience. ...
During the time I've done this I've got to
watch the growth of this Tribe from the
ground up.

"It is one of my favorite things to look back and see all of the things I've captured, but the people make the Puyallup Tribe. One day, you might be talking to a 102-year-old Elder or we might be talking to someone in Fisheries. The Tribe is on the move so strong right now you just never know who you're going to be interviewing or talking with. That's the exciting part – being on the ground level of the Tribe on its move.

"Right now, I'm married and I have a daughter Angelique, or as everyone else calls her, Angel. I have grandchildren – my grandson, Dominic, my granddaughter, Samantha, and Samantha has blessed me with five great-grandchildren. I'm enjoying the family element.

"I think the future is what you make it. There's no real set-in-stone guideline. It's what you make it. My future, I'm not done yet. I always tell people I'm going to drive this puppy until the wheels fall off it and that's the way I'm going."

Photos by Hailey Palmer

## Gunfire detection sensors to be installed around reservation

By Hailey Palmer, Puyallup Tribal News

Parts of Portland Avenue and a portion of Tacoma's Eastside will soon have sensors installed that are designed to detect gunfire.

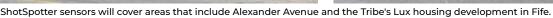
The Puyallup Tribal Police Department was awarded grant money to install ShotSpotter. The system will cover two square miles on the Tribe's reservation.

"Obviously, our reservation is bigger than that, so my decision was to hit the Eastside core of Tacoma – the Portland Avenue core – and to hit as much as we could in Fife, including the Lux housing development and up through 12th and Alexander," said Tribal Police Chief Joe Duenas. "We tried to cover as many Puyallup Tribal properties as we could."

The sensors can be attached to streetlights and will be visible in plain sight.

ShotSpotter's sensors are triggered by sound. If the system classifies a sound as a gunshot, it sends the data to a ShotSpotter review center. If gunfire is confirmed, police and dispatch centers are alerted. The entire process takes less than 60 seconds, according to SoundThinking, the company behind ShotSpotter.





"ShotSpotter technology triangulates and helps discover where shots are being fired within the reservation boundaries," Duenas said. "This technology will determine if it's a firearm or firework. It will send the information directly to our police officers on their cell phones in their cars and on their computers. Our officers will be able to respond immediately to the area."

Partnering with cities and police since 1997, ShotSpotter is used in more than 160 cities nationwide and has led to a 48% reduction in shootings in a Cincinnati neighborhood, a 33% reduction in gun violence injuries in Greenville, North Carolina, and a 36% reduction in homicides year-over-year in Pittsburgh, according to data from SoundThinking.

Duenas said he hopes having ShotSpotter installed will help curb the problem of residents not calling the police when they hear gunfire.

"There's a lot of shots fired in Tacoma and a lot of people aren't calling 911 anymore,"



he said. "Sometimes, there's a lag in the time of people calling our dispatch, and sometimes they just don't call because I think a lot of people have heard shots fired in this community for a long time."

After the system has been in place for some time, Tribal Police plan to further collaborate with the cities of Tacoma and Fife, and share the data it gathers from the sensors.

Duenas said he hopes to see ShotSpotter installed this summer and see it serve as another device Tribal Police can utilize to enhance safety around the reservation like the body cameras officers started wearing a few years ago.

"It's just one more tool to help us better respond to and assist victims of crime," Duenas said. "I would love to see it make our community, our reservation, safer. Any reduction (in crime) would be great."

Photos by Hailey Palmer

### Grandview Early Learning Center celebrates language teachers

By Hillary Cagey, Puyallup Tribal News

Grandview Early Learning Center hosted a vibrant language celebration on Thursday, July 27, honoring three teachers who recently achieved their language certifications.

The event was filled with excitement as the center recognized the accomplishments of April Villegas and Cynthia LaPlante, who received Level I certifications, and Lenissa Grover, who attained a Level II certification.

The festivities included engaging activities for the little learners, such as bubbles, basketball, soccer and lively songs. Delicious treats added to the joyous atmosphere.

Photos by Hillary Cagey













## Puyallup Tribe raises Pride Flag

By Hailey Palmer, Puyallup Tribal News

The Puyallup Tribal Pride Flag was raised June 28 at the Tribal Administration building to celebrate Pride Month and the LGBTQIA2 community. It marked the fifth time the Tribe has raised the flag.

Members of the Puyallup Tribal community watched as the Culture Department drummed and sang following a blessing and prayer from Heritage Division Manager Connie McCloud.

Puyallup Tribal Council Chairman Bill Sterud delivered remarks before the flag was raised by Araquin Boome.

"We were the first Tribe in the nation to begin this," Chairman Sterud said. "We've always been known as a welcoming and generous people. ... It's a welcoming to all people."

Photos by Hailey Palmer

















### Puyallup Tribal Health Authority welcomes new resident doctors

By Hillary Cagey, Puyallup Tribal News

The Puyallup Tribal Health Authority celebrated a momentous occasion as it welcomed four resident doctors to its medical team Wednesday, June 26.

Dr. Supreet Ghumman, Dr. Alec Joshongeva-Petersen (Hopi Tribe), Dr. Shelby Koch (Choctaw Nation) and Dr. Alexandria McLearen (Chevak Native Village Qissunamiut Tribe) were welcomed with a hearty breakfast at the Spirit House.

Guest speakers included PTHA
Executive Director David Tonemah and
Clinical Director Dr. William Chythlook,
who emphasized the importance of
collaboration and community engagement.

Each new resident received a custom beaded stethoscope before officially starting their journey with PTHA.

Photos by Hillary Cagey







### Puyallup Tribal Health Authority celebrates graduating medical residents

By Puyallup Tribal News Staff

Medical residents at the Puyallup Tribal Health Authority wrapped up their threeyear residencies and celebrated at Slahal Steakhouse in June.

Each graduating doctor had the opportunity to share words with their families, colleagues and PTHA staff.

The event began with a blessing from Heritage Division Manager Connie McCloud, and included drumming and singing from the Culture Department.

Each resident was blanketed and also given four more blankets to give to individuals of their choosing.

Photos by Hailey Palmer

















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## Puyallup Tribe donates more than \$400,000 to 37 local organizations

By Puyallup Tribal News Staff

The Puyallup Tribe Charity Trust Board and Puyallup Tribal Council have awarded 37 local organizations a combined \$400,120.

Representatives of more than 30 nonprofit and charitable organizations were greeted and thanked by members of the Puyallup Tribal Council as they arrived for the June 20 celebration at the Emerald Queen Event Center in Tacoma. Tribal Council delivered remarks recognizing recipients and all attendees gathered for a group photo.

"It's great to see all the different charities and the happiness they have," said Chairman Bill Sterud. "I know running a charity is not easy, it's a lot of big work."

The donations are funded from 2023 Emerald Queen Casino revenue as part of an agreement with the state of Washington that includes additional contributions for smoking cessation and problem gambling programs, and for impact costs paid to local governments for such things as fire and police services.

The Puyallup Tribe has donated more than \$24 million to hundreds of local organizations through its Charity Trust Board since 2012. The Puyallup Tribal Council has donated millions more out of its own budget to help community organizations that don't qualify for Charity Trust Board funding, such as Maui United Way, which received \$30,000 in 2023 to assist with wildfire relief efforts.

Casino operations are also the single biggest revenue source for the Puyallup Tribe's government. They pay for comprehensive services to the Tribe's Membership, including children's services, housing, educational support, emergency assistance and funeral services. In the past two years, the Tribe has embarked on an ambitious economic diversification program that will not only strengthen its economic base to bring security for future generations but bring more jobs to the region.



Members of the Puyallup Tribal Council pose for a picture on June 20 at the Emerald Queen Event Center in Tacoma with representatives of organizations that received donations from the Charity Trust Board. Councilmembers (seated in front, left to right) are Chairman Bill Sterud and Fred Dillon. (Not pictured: Vice Chairwoman Sylvia Miller, Annette Bryan, James Rideout, Anna Bean and Monica Miller.)

#### The Charity Trust Board has awarded donations to the following organizations:

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American Red Cross	Northwest Furniture Bank
Birthday Dreams	Northwest Gang Investigators Association
Camp Korey	Orting Senior Center
Cancer Lifeline	People for Animal Care & Kindness
Clover Park Technical College Foundation	Retreat Home
Collar of Hope	Ronald McDonald House Charities of
Community Lifeling of Mason County	Western Washington
Community Lifeline of Mason County	Sabala International Center
Crohn's and Colitis Foundation	Sabala International Center
Cromm's and Contis i Canadation	Sahale Outdoors
DuPont Historical Society	
-	Sarvey Wildlife Care Center
Elma High School Girls Softball Boosters	
	Step by Step Family Support Center
Exodus Housing	
	Sunshine Physically Challenged
Golden 22 Foundation	Foundation
Graham Senior Center	Tacoma Mountain Rescue
Greater Tacoma Community Foundation	Tacoma Pierce County Chaplaincy
Humane Society for Tacoma & Pierce County	Tacoma Public Schools Indian Education Program
International Youth Fellowship	Tacoma Rescue Mission
Jags Fastpitch Booster Club	The Whole Horse Place
Jubilee Women's Center	Washington State Business & Professional

Qualifying organizations are encouraged to apply for a donation with preference given to projects that demonstrate benefits or services to Natives as part of their service population.

**Women's Foundation** 

**YMCA Pierce and Kitsap Counties** 

Learn more about the Charity Trust Board and how to apply for a grant at puyalluptribe-nsn.gov/member-services/general-services/charity-trust-board-gaming-advisory-commission/.

Mineral Food Bank



### 45th Annual



### PUYALLUP TRIBAL LABOR DAY POWWOW

Aug. 30 – Sept. 1

Chief Leschi Schools 5625 52nd St. E., Puyallup, WA 98371

MC's: Clifton Goodwill, Pasqua Sask and Herb Augustine, Ethete, WY. • Arena Directors: Solomon "Skunk" Scabby Robe
Asst. Arena Director: Nugget Bull Bear, Siksika Nation, Alberta • Head Man Dancer: Redsky Chimburas, Lapwai, ID. – Men's Old Style
Grass Special – Plumes Only • Head Woman Dancer: Dezi Tootoosis, Poundmaker, Sk. – Women's Fancy Iron Women's Special
Head Drum Judge: Collin Chief from Warm Springs, OR. • Head Dance Judge: Jonna Brady, New Town, ND.

ALL COUNTS TABULATIONS!

### Prize Money

#### GOLDEN AGE 65+

1st place: \$1,000 2nd place: \$800 3rd place: \$600 4th place: \$400 5th place: \$200

#### **GOLDEN AGE 55+**

1st place: \$1,000 2nd place: \$800 3rd place: \$600 4th place: \$400 5th place: \$200

#### SR. ADULT 35-54

1st place: \$1,000 2nd place: \$800 3rd place: \$600 4th place: \$400 5th place: \$200

### JR. ADULT 18-34

1st place: \$1,000 2nd place: \$800 3rd place: \$600 4th place: \$400 5th place: \$200

#### TEEN 13-17

1st place: \$500 2nd place: \$450 3rd place: \$400 4th place: \$200

#### JUNIOR 6-12

1st place: \$300 2nd place: \$200 3rd place: \$150 4th place: \$100

#### COMMITTEE SPECIALS

Mens Old Style Grass, Men's Fancy, Women's Old Style Jingle, Women's Fancy, Men's Chicken, Owl Dance

1st place: \$1,000 2nd place: \$800 3rd place: \$600 4th place: \$400

#### DRUM CONTEST

Prize Money TBA

The Puyallup Tribe is not liable for theft, accident or injury. No alcohol or drugs permitted on grounds!

No Dogs! No Bikes! No Skateboards! Children must be accompanied by an adult.

24 Hour Security/Enforcement by Puyallup Tribal Police.



For More Information Call: Puyallup Tribe at (253) 405-2962 Arts & Crafts - TEXT or call Lydia at (253) 229-7150

### \*\*\* NOTICE \*\*\*

TO: PUYALLUP TRIBAL ELDERS

FROM: PUYALLUP TRIBAL COUNCIL

July 24, 2024 DATE:

**Elders Reconsideration Hearing Committee** SUBJECT:

(55 years and older)

The Tribal Council is posting notice for Two (2) regular positions. The Committee members will serve a three (3) year term and will be paid stipends for attendance and participation at meetings.

Purpose: When an applicant is denied enrollment, a notice of hearing on reconsideration is scheduled. The Elders Reconsideration Hearing Panel meets, reviews information and holds hearings per the Enrollment Code-Title 1 Chapter 1.04 Subchapter 5

Members on this Committee will need to be familiar with the Tribal Code Title 1 General Provisions, Chapter 1.04 Euroliment Code, Subchapter 5 and the Committees, Commissions, and Boards Regulation, Policy and Procedures Manual (Resolution No. 120607). You may request a copy of both the Code and Regulation Manual to review. The code may also be viewed from the Tribe's website at: <a href="http://www.puyallup-">http://www.puyallup-</a> tribe.com/ look under Tribal Laws.

> If interested please submit your name by the deadline of August 22, 2024 No later than 5:00 p.m.

Applicant must apply in person at the Council offices reception desk at: Puyallup Tribal Admin Building 3009 East Portland Avenue, Tacoma, WA 98404

### \*\*\* NOTICE \*\*\*

Puyallup Tribal Members TO:

FROM: Puyallup Tribal Council

July 24, 2024 DATE:

SUBJECT: Fisheries Commission

The Tribal Council is posting notice to fill three (3) regular positions and two (2) Alternate positions. The Commission members will be paid stipends for attendance and participation at Commission Meetings.

Purpose: The Commission shall be responsible for the implementation of this Code. Administration and management of this Code may be delegated to the Puyallup Tribal Fisheries Management Division by the Commission as it deems necessary. The Commission shall also propose annual and emergency regulations and amendments of this Code to the Tribal Council for its approval.

#### Commission

- Dan Sandstrom
- Roslyn McCloud
- Vacancy
- Vacancy
- Vacancy

#### Alternates:

- Vacancy
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Members on this Commission need to be familiar with Title 12 Fish and Wildlife No. 1Fisheries Monagement Code and the Committees, Commissions, and Boards Regulation, Policy and Procedures Monad (Resolution No. 120607). You may request a copy of both the Code and Regulation Manual to

If interested please submit your name by the deadline of August 22, 2024 no later than 5:00 pm

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### \* \* \* NOTICE \* \* \*

TO: PUYALLUP TRIBAL MEMBERS

FROM: PUYALLUP TRIBAL COUNCIL

DATE: July 24, 2024

SUBJECT: **Enrollment Review Committee** 

(Elders age 55 years and older)

Tribal Council is posting notice for two (2) Alternate positions on this Committee. The committee members will be paid stipends for attendance and participation at meetings.

Purpose: Review enrollment applications and enrollment appeals, for the same enrollment applicant. Members of this committee is to be paid a stipend for committee meetings attended in accordance with the Puyallup Tribe's Committee, Commission and Board Rules and Policies. The Tribal Council shall appoint the members of the Committee, each of whom shall serve at the Tribal Council's discretion.

#### **Enrollment Review Committee**

Wilma Taraya Nancy Games Angeline Totus Elsie Thomas Denita Searles Alternates

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Members on this Board need to be familiar with the Enrollment Code and the Committees, Commissions, and Boards Regulations, You may request a copy to review.

If interested please submit your name by the deadline of August 22, 2024 no later than 5:00 p.m.

Applicant must apply in person at the Council offices reception desk at: Puyallup Tribal Admin Building

3009 East Portland Avenue, Tacoma, WA 98404

### \*\*\*\*\*NOTICE\*\*\*\*

Parents or Guardians, of Chief Leschi School Students

FROM: Puyallup Tribal Council

DATE: June 24, 2024

Chief Leschi Schools- Council Elected

School Board

Tribal Council is posting notice for one (1) Tribal Member regular position and Two (2) Tribal Member alternate positions. Those selected will serve up to a three (3) year term or until their child is no longer an enrolled student. Board Members will be paid a stipend for meetings held once a month.

Purpose: The Chief Leschi School Board is primarily responsible for setting direction; establishing policy and responding to the community in the area of governance. The superintendent, as chief executive officer, serves as the educational leader of the school and is responsible for the administration and implementation of board direction and policies.

#### Requirements:

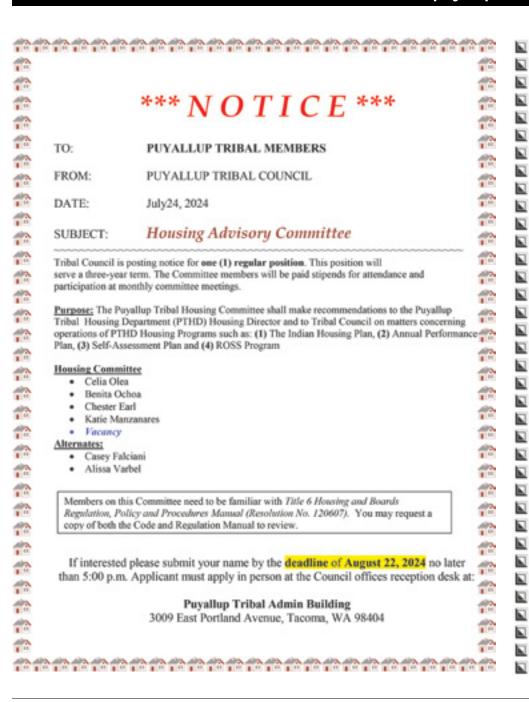
- · Must have a child enrolled/re-enrolled in Chief Leschi 2024/2025 school year
- Cannot be an employee of Chief Leschi Schools
- · Cannot serve on this Board with a spouse Sign a disclosure statement
- · Sign a Code of Conduct Form

If interested please submit your name by the deadline of August 22, 2024 no later than 5:00 pm.

Applicant must apply in person with JoAnne Webb at the:

Puyallup Tribal Admin Building (Administration) 3009 East Portland Avenue, Tacoma, WA 98404 From 8:00am - 5:00pm (Lunch 12:00-1:00)

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TO: PUYALLUP TRIBAL MEMBERS

FROM: PUYALLUP TRIBAL COUNCIL

DATE: July 24, 2024

SUBJECT: Gaming Advisory Commission/

Charitable Trust Board

Tribal Council is posting notice to fill **two (2) regular positions and two (2) Alternate positions**. This member will serve a three (3) year term. Commission members are paid stipends for attendance and participation at Commission Meetings.

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Purpose: Meet monthly with the Director of the Tribal Gaming Regulatory Office for updates on gaming activities conducted within the exterior boundaries of the Reservation. They prepare and recommend to Council such regulations governing the conduct of gaming activities as it deems necessary and desirable in order that such gaming shall conform to the requirements of this chapter, and in order that such gaming produce the maximum amount of net revenues for the Tribe consonant with the dignity of the Tribe and the general welfare of the people.

#### Gaming Advisory Commission (Code - Title 13)

- Don Coats
- Elsie Thomas Nancy Games
- Vacancy
- Vacancy
   Vacancy

### Alternates: • Vacancy

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Members on this Commission will need to be familiar with Tribal Code Title 13 Gaming and the Commisses, Commissions, and Boards Regulation, Policy and Procedures Manual (Resolution No. 120607). You may request a copy of both the Code and Regulation Manual to review. The code may also be viewed from the Tribe's website at <a href="http://www.psysallup-tribe.com/">http://www.psysallup-tribe.com/</a> look under Tribal Laws.

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### **WSDOT** updates

Submitted by the Washington State
Department of Transportation

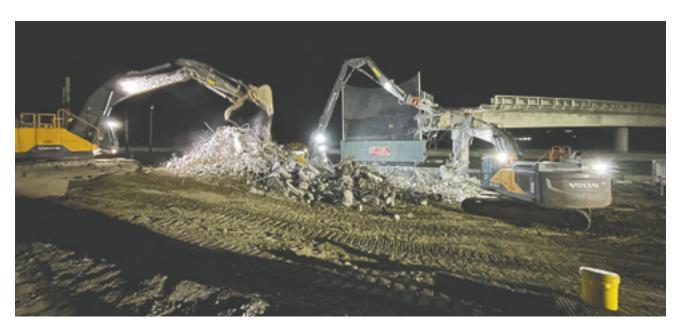
The Washington State Department of Transportation is busy with state Route 167 completion project construction this summer. Here's a snapshot of what's coming:

#### I-5 closure

WSDOT will close Interstate 5 overnight in both directions between state Route 18 and 54th Ave. E. over four weekends later this year. These closures are necessary to set girders for a new bridge that will carry the future state Route 167 Expressway over I-5 and to demolish the old 70th Ave. bridge. The weekend closures will occur Friday nights to Saturday mornings and Saturday nights to Sunday mornings. I-5 will be open during the day. Access to local businesses and residents will be available via state Route 99, but travelers should expect delays. Once the final dates are selected, WSDOT will share that information widely.

#### Hylebos Creek and Surprise Lake Tributary

Crews have been working in Hylebos Creek along state Route 99. This summer, they are creating over half a mile of new stream channels that will realign the



stream so that it flows under recently constructed bridges. Before any work can begin, WSDOT must ensure all fish are safely removed from the work zone and relocated to a different area of the creek where they will not be affected. This process, known as de-fishing, is crucial to protect the ecosystem. Crews are only permitted to work in the streams during designated fish windows, which are between June 15 and Sept. 15, depending on the stream location.

#### Partial demolition of 70th Ave. bridge

The decommissioned 70th Ave. E. bridge over I-5 was replaced by the new Wapato Way East bridge in 2021. In early July, crews began removing a 75-foot section of the old bridge, which is in the way of the future I-5/state Route 167 diverging diamond

interchange and adjacent to the Hylebos Creek riparian restoration project area. Crews also began building a temporary road to move material in and out of the work zone. Crews will remove the remaining portion of the 70th Ave. bridge during the full closure of I-5 later this year.

#### Summer events

WSDOT is hosting a booth at several local events throughout the summer. These events have been excellent opportunities to meet the project team and ask questions. In Pierce County, you can find WSDOT's state Route 167 team at two upcoming events:

Milton Days – Aug. 17

Fife Harvest Festival – Oct. 5

### Puyallup Tribe of Indians Set Aside Housing Assistance Program

#### **OPEN APPLICATION FOR FY 2024**

Mortgage and Rental Assistance will be on the Tribal Website September 3, 2024 at 8 AM and ending October 25, 2024, at 4:00 PM.

APPLICATIONS AND REQUIRED DOCUMENTS MUST BE SUBMITTED ONLINE BEFORE THE DEADLINE

#### **Mission Statement**

The mission of the Puyallup Tribal Set Aside Housing Program is to serve the Puyallup Tribal Community by promoting a higher standard of living conditions by providing members assistance in obtaining and maintaining quality and affordable housing as well as programs to encourage homeownership and offer relief from related hardships.

#### **Services Provided**

The Set Aside Housing Program provides housing assistance to more than 750 Puyallup Tribal Member Families each year.

Mortgage Assistance (Open Applications online are available September 3, 2024 through October 25, 2024)

• \$750.00 a month for 36 months

Rental Assistance (Open Applications are available online September 3, 2024 through October 25, 2024)

• \$450.00 a month for 36 months

#### **Eligibility Requirements:**

- Must be enrolled member of the Puyallup Tribe 18 and older
- Must live within the Set Aside Service Area: Pierce, King, or Thurston County or within 50 miles of the reservation boundary (Elders 70 years and older can apply if they live within Western Washington).
- Assistance can only be used for the applicants' primary residence
- Assistance is for one tribal member per household and/or address with the exception of Down Payments

#### **Documents Required:**

All documents must be submitted with the following with your on-line application.

- 1. Current Tribal I.D. front and back
- 2. Current Mortgage Statement showing that you are not delinquent in your mortgage payment
- 3. Rental Agreement showing that you are not delinquent in your rental payment.
- **4.** If you have not recently received Set Aside Housing Assistance or CAP with your current Property Manager/Landlord, you may need to have them fill out a W9. You can complete the application and submit it online even without the W9. Staff will contact you regarding the W9 after reviewing your application.
- 5. Vouchers are limited and there is no guarantee that everyone who applies will receive assistance.
- **6.** Priority status goes to Elders 55 years and older, First-time applicants, Disabled Tribal Members 45 years and older, Veterans and Tribal Members with a disabled child. All other applicants will be according to the date of application.
- 7. Applicants will receive a Notice of approval or denial after Open Application closes and after staff has processed all applications and certify eligibility around the middle of November 2024.
- 8. The first payment on newly awarded vouchers will be December 1, 2024.
- 9. Incomplete online applications will note be accepted. All required documents must be submitted by the application deadline.
- 10. Applicants are required to read the policies and note on the on-line application that you understand the policies and procedures. Please Note: Policies are subject to change during the course of the year and are approved by the Tribal Council.
- 11. When a participant is terminated from any Set Aside Housing Assistance Programs will NOT be eligible to participate in any of the Puyallup Tribe Set Aside Housing Assistance for a period of three years from the termination date and additionally, the obligation of the participant to repay any debt owed shall remain in effect. Participants with a debt are encouraged to set up an agreement to repay the funds owed.

It is a pleasure to provide housing assistance to our Puyallup Tribal Families. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to get in touch with the following:

Sophia Ocasio Ford, Administrative Assistant, regarding open application questions (253) 680-7932 - Email: Sophia.Ford@PuyallupTribe-nsn.gov

Roy Kenyon, Resource Specialist, regarding open application questions (253) 382-6121 - Email: Roy.Kenyon@PuyallupTribe-nsn.gov

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#### IN THE COURT OF THE PUYALLUP TRIBE OF INDIANS FOR THE PUYALLUP INDIAN RESERVATION TACOMA, WASHINGTON

In The Estate of:

BENJAMIN NAZARIO ROSAS-STRICKLER, JR.,

Deceased.

No. PUY-CV-PR-2024-0026

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

#### PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

The above Court has appointed JOHN STRICKLER as Administrator of Decedent's Estate. At the time of death, Decedent resided at 1408 N 1<sup>st</sup> Ave, Kelso, WA 98626. Any person having a claim against the Decedent must present the claim: (1) before the time when the claim would be barred by any applicable statute of limitations, and (2) in the manner provided in Puyallup Tribal Codes 8.04.340, by (a) filing the original of the claim with the foregoing Court, and (b) by serving on or mailing to the Administrator's attorney a copy of the claim at the address indicated below. The claim must be presented by the <a href="https://link.ps.doi.org/link.ps.10">https://link.ps.doi.org/link.ps.

SIGNED this 24th day of June 2024.

Dawn M. Keller, WSBA# 58336, PTB# 518 Attorney for Estate/Administrator

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#### IN THE COURT OF THE PUYALLUP TRIBE OF INDIANS FOR THE PUYALLUP INDIAN RESERVATION TACOMA, WASHINGTON

In The Estate of:

LYLE CONWAY, DOB: 01/31/1937,

Deceased.

No. PUY-CV-PR-2023-0126 NOTICE TO CREDITORS

#### PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

The above Court has appointed Lyle Shawn Conway Personal Representative of Decedent's Estate. Decedent resided at 7511 Valley Avenue E, Fife WA 98424. Any person having a claim against the Decedent must present the claim: (1) before the time when the claim would be barred by any applicable statute of limitations, and (2) in the manner provided in Puyallup Tribal Codes 8.04.340, by (a) filing the original of the claim with the foregoing Court, and (b) by serving on or mailing to the Administrator's attorney a copy of the claim at the address indicated below. The claim must be presented by the <a href="https://linearch.nie.org/li

SIGNED this 1st day of May 2024.

Dawn M. Keller, WSBA# 58336, PTB# 518 Attorney for Estate

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#### IN THE COURT OF THE PUYALLUP TRIBE OF INDIANS FOR THE PUYALLUP INDIAN RESERVATION TACOMA, WASHINGTON

In The Estate of:

SYLVIA ANN CARRILLO,

Deceased.

No. PUY-CV-PR-2023-0121

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

#### PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

The above Court has appointed Jennifer Carrillo as Administrator of Decedent's Estate. Decedent resided at 3516 50th Street Court E, Puyallup, WA 98405. Any person having a claim against the Decedent must present the claim: (1) before the time when the claim would be barred by any applicable statute of limitations, and (2) in the manner provided in Puyallup Tribal Codes 8.04.340, by (a) filing the original of the claim with the foregoing Court, and (b) by serving on or mailing to the Administrator's attorney a copy of the claim at the address indicated below. The claim must be presented by the <a href="https://doi.org/10.1001/jeas.2001.00">https://doi.org/10.1001/jeas.2001.00</a> after this Notice as provided in Puyallup Tribal Codes 8.04.340 is mailed/served or three (3) months after the date of first publication of this Notice. If the claim is not presented within this time period, the claim will be forever barred except as provided in Puyallup Tribal Codes. This bar is effective for claims against both the Decedent's probate and non-probate assets.

SIGNED this 4th day of June 2024.

Dawn M. Keller, WSBA# 58336, PTB# 518 Attorney for Estate

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#### IN THE COURT OF THE PUYALLUP TRIBE OF INDIANS FOR THE PUYALLUP INDIAN RESERVATION TACOMA, WASHINGTON

In The Estate of:

ELOISE ACKARET, DOB: 02/03/1932,

Deceased.

No. PUY-CV-PR-2024-0021 NOTICE TO CREDITORS

#### PLEASE TAKE NOTICE

The above Court has appointed Debbie Ackaret and John Ackaret as Administrator of Decedent's Estate. Decedent resided at 2158 North 160th Street, Shoreline WA 98133. Any person having a claim against the Decedent must present the claim: (1) before the time when the claim would be barred by any applicable statute of limitations, and (2) in the manner provided in Puyallup Tribal Codes 8.04.340, by (a) filing the original of the claim with the foregoing Court, and (b) by serving on or mailing to the Administrator's attorney a copy of the claim at the address indicated below. The claim must be presented by the <u>later</u> of thirty (30) days after this *Notice* as provided in Puyallup Tribal Codes 8.04.340 is mailed/served or three (3) months after the date of first publication of this *Notice*. If the claim is not presented within this time period, the claim will be forever barred except as provided in Puyallup Tribal Codes. This bar is effective for claims against both the Decedent's probate and non-probate assets.

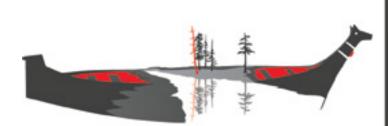
SIGNED this 30th day of April 2024.

Dawn M. Keller, WSBA# 58336, PTB# 518 Attorney for Estate

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**LANDING: July 31, 2024** 

PROTOCOL: August 1 - 5, 2024

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(253)533-0330

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TIAUNA.BILL@PUYALLUPTRIBE-NSN.GOV

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### ARTICLE II - MEMBERSHIP

### Section 1.

The membership of the Puyallup Tribe shall consist of each individual who is not enrolled as a member in any other Indian nation, tribe, band, pueblo, village, corporation or rancheria and who satisfies either of the following requirements:

- (a) Each person whose name appears on the roll of the Puyallup Tribe approved in 1929;
   and
- (b) Each person at least one of whose parents, at the time of the person's birth, was an enrolled member of the Puyallup Tribe;
  - (i) Provided, however, that after the effective date of Amendment Number XIII to this Constitution (amending this Article II), a person who otherwise qualifies under this subsection shall be eligible only if application for enrollment is made within one calendar year after his or her birth; and
  - (ii) Provided, further, that in the case of a person actually unaware of his/her Puyallup ancestry by reason of adoption or other circumstances, the time deadline contained in proviso number (i), above, shall be deemed satisfied if that individual makes application for membership within ninety (90) days after becoming aware of his/her Puyallup ancestry.

Membership under this Article shall not be deemed automatic but shall be effective only upon compliance with enrollment procedures then in effect including action by the Tribal Council confirming an individual's eligibility and enrollment.

For further information please see: Enrollment Code

http://ww.codepublishing.com/WA/puyalluptribe/

Applications can be placed in our Mailbox in the Mailroom.

- 1. Application with tribal parent signature
- ORIGINAL State Certified Birth Certificate (Will be kept in the applicants file)
- Copy of Social Security Card is required but not when submitting application. But will need a copy as soon as you receive it.

#### **ENROLLMENT STAFF**

Barbara Richards, Director
Stella John, Assistant Director
Norma EagleSpeaker, Enrollment Program Coordinator
Michael Flores, Enrollment Office ID Clerk
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(253) 573-7849 enrollment@puyalluptribe-nsn.gov

### Puyallup Tribe of Indians 2023-2024 Enrollment Meeting schedule

Deadline for documentation to be received.

**Meeting Date** 

August 2, 2024

August 7, 2024

September 6, 2024

September 11, 2024

If you have any questions please feel free to email Enrollment@puyalluptribe-nsn.gov or call 253-573-7849 Created by Enrollment office staff & meeting dates may be subject to change Puyallup Tribal News - September 2024 – [Issue #416]

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