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Winnebago Warriors Reach Tempe for this year's NABI



The Winnebago Boy's headed for Tempe, Arizona earlier this week to participate in this year's Native American Basketball Invitational. The Warriors young team will take on the best of Indian Country. Pictured l to r: Seth Sheridan, B.J. Proctor, Lorde Kearnes, Willy Wingett, Jeriah Grey Owl, Drew Parker, and Ed Payer, Jr.. The young Warriors played their first game on Monday and continued pool play throughout the week. GBB! (picture courtesy of Janelle DeCora)

SYEP Participants Tour HoChunk, Inc. Subsidiaries



Participants of the Winnebago Tribal 'Summer Youth Employment Program' recently toured a number of HoChunk, Inc's subsidiaries in and around Winnebago. Here the participants visited Rock River Manufacturing the tribal corporations Tobacco Products Manufacturing subsidiary. Earlier in the day SYEP participants visited nearby Sioux City, Iowa and the HoChunk Centre, home to a number of subsidiaries like; Blue Earth Marketing, HoChunk Capital, Sweet Water Café and the Winnebago Tribe's Step-Up Program. Participants were treated to lunch during their charter bus tour of the tribe's Economic Development Corporations businesses, and tour sponsor Willy Bass exclaimed, "It was a good experience for the kids, they were engaged in the tour and were impressed with what they saw today."

Indianz.com... Mark Trahan: Republican health care bill threatens jobs in Indian Country

By Mark Trahan

I am not sure of the exact year. It probably happened around 1996. That's when the Indian Health Service became the single largest employer in Indian Country.

This makes sense when you think about it: Indian health was once a small (unappreciated) division of the Bureau of Indian Affairs. But by 1996 the agency's budget was larger than the BIA's — and there were likely more workers. The administration estimates that next year the BIA will have some 6,770 full-time employees (a decrease of 241) while the Indian Health Service will have more than 15,119 employees (including 1,928 uniformed Public Health Service officers).

Big numbers, right? But that reflects what is happening with health care generally. Google "region's top employers" and it's common to see clinics, hospital systems, and university medical centers as any region's largest employer.

"Employment of healthcare occupations is projected to grow 19 percent from 2014 to 2024, much faster than the average for all occupations, adding about 2.3 million new jobs," reports the Bureau of Labor Statistics. "Healthcare occupations will add more jobs than any other group of occupations. This growth is expected due to an aging population and because federal health insurance reform should increase the

number of individuals who have access to health insurance."

But here's the thing: Many of these health care jobs are dismissed as "low wage." The BLS calls these health care support jobs and the median income (or half pay more and half pay less) as \$27,910 which is lower than the median annual wage for all occupations in the economy. The list of support jobs would include Community Health Representatives (long a staple in Indian Country), medical record keeping and coding jobs, as well as different kinds of medical technicians. But what's considered low wage in the general population, and in cities, can be a good gig in a rural, tribal community. Alaska is a prime example. More than half of Medicaid spending serves rural constituents, three times more than the national average. Medicaid covers two-thirds of all American Indian and Alaska Native children and more than one in four, or 28%, of American Indian and Alaska Native adults. The Urban Institute estimates that the kind of block grants found in the Senate's Better Care Reconciliation Act would cost the state \$590 million in federal funding — a number that would decline even sharper after 2025. The job losses would be substantial.

This is another reason why the House and Senate plans to roll back the Af-

fordable Care Act (and the destruction of Medicaid as part of the deal) are so important to the Indian health system. The Senate plan especially reverses decades of Medicaid growth. That's no good for patients (as I have reported before here and here) but it also will cost Indian Country jobs.

Medicaid directly accounts for 24 percent of IHS' workforce, but even that is short of the kinds of jobs that serve tribal communities. It does not include school-based programs. Or those private companies that bill Medicaid for transportation of patients or other patient services. Same story for jobs that stem from medical coding, accounting and third-party billing services.

Across the country, Medicaid is a major job creator for women, supporting at least 3 million direct jobs. According to a report by the National Women's Law Center: "When Medicaid pays for a health service—a visit with a health professional, a laboratory test, a hospital stay, a home health visit—this payment supports the facility, agency, or medical practice that delivers the service, and the individuals who provide this care receive compensation as well. Women's high participation in the health care industry, which em-

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Bago Bits...



Aaron Winshut (Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs) recently signed his Letter of Intent to play basketball for Little Priest Tribal College for the 2017-2018 school year. Aaron is a graduate of Madras High School out of Oregon.



New "Now Entering Native America" sign welcomes visitors to the Winnebago Reservation on the north entrance of the rez.



Manape & D'Von with Coach Jeff participated in the Native All-Star Select TOP 50 at Haskell Indian Nations University last weekend. The boys both started for their team and won. GBB!



The Winnebago Tribe's town Buffalo herd added a number of calves this spring, here are two of them.



Last Monday was the first day for the Winnebago Farmer's Market in Winnebago. Details are sketchy, but we'll let you know when the next Market will take place.



The 12-plex has been up and in use for over 20 years, it's been under renovation since the beginning of Spring weather. HuJope and the boys are nearing completion of the siding and continue work on the interior.



The Snow Cone Man, Steven Kearnes, has been at it for the last week. His \$2 snow cones are the sweetest deal in town on a hot summer day.

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Thoughts from the North Forty... *By Lance Morgan*



After years of efforts, we finally acquired the 40 acres to the north of the Ho-Chunk Village. The Ho-Chunk Village is about 13 years old and has been a huge success. When it was being discussed, it was mocked a little locally and people didn't have a lot of faith that it would be successful. I can't really blame them though. Small towns are slowly dying across rural America and reservation towns are notoriously hard to develop.

In just the Ho-Chunk Village, we have built a total of 106 housing units, including 60 apartment units, 26 single family homes, 10 townhouses and duplexes, and 10 elder units. We have room for another 8 houses and approximately 30 more townhouses and other multi-family units.

Our communities median age is somewhere around age 21. This means that we will have a fast growing population once our very young population starts having kids. We need about 100 to 150 housing units right now in our community and we will create another 15 to 20 households a year for the foreseeable future.

Despite the astounding fact that the Tribe has added 240 new housing units in the last 23 years to our community, housing is still the number one need when you ask people in our community. Given our current demand for housing and the growing population, we will almost assuredly FAIL to meet the entire demand.

The Tribe has authorized Ho-Chunk, Inc. to use some of its dividend to build 100 housing units over a five-year period and we are about half way to our goal, but all it will do is relieve pressure, not eliminate it. Buying the 40 acres north of the Ho-Chunk Village is just one step. We still need to design it and pay for all the infrastructure, which

could easily cost a few million dollars. We could also expand the Ho-Chunk Village to the east. After the dust from the Cobell buy back settles, the Tribe will likely own the majority of the land directly east of the Ho-Chunk Village. We could partition some portion of that land to create perhaps another 20 acres for housing development. Also, as part of a complicated land transfer deal to acquire the north 40, we also acquired another 20 acres just east of town and about 1/2 mile north of the Ho-Chunk Center. We also have been applying for funding to complete the streets for the 38 lots that are not finished at Thunder Way south of town.

If you add all of these up, we will have enough land (80 acres) to build another 300 plus housing units, but this will take a lot of money (approximately \$60 million to complete) and will likely take close to 20 years to finish. Winnebago's population could easily exceed 3000 by this point.

We have the makings of a strong plan to address our housing demand, but we still need more capital to make that happen. The 100 house plan is a bold stroke, but it only slows down the pain. I think we as a Tribe should come together and make a hard choice to prioritize housing even more and make some choices about how we spend the tribe's resources.

I once wrote that if we never had a per capita payment that every family on the reservation could have a new home. I know we love getting that \$299 during the holidays, but that costs \$1.6 million dollars, which could be used to provide for our people's housing needs. We have spent approximately \$35 million on per capita payments and I can't remember anything substantial that I did with the money—I certainly didn't buy a new house with it. I wish we could make the choice that helps the most people put a high-quality roof over their family's heads instead of the annual run down to the tribe and get angry until the council decides to give away \$1.6 million, instead of building another 10 to 20 housing units. It just seems so selfish and short sighted. We are Indians. We are supposed to think about the next generation. Instead we demand a handout, which is a complete leftover from the poverty imposed on us by the federal government and the dependency mindset it introduced into our culture. So do yourself a favor: demand a house instead of \$299 and put faith in our tribal leaders to make it happen.

Contact me at hochunk@aol.com

JESUS OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN OUTREACH



Pastor Ricky Jacob

"In Jesus, the Victory is Won!"

This week we celebrate the victory that is ours through Jesus. We do so in a special way as we host the children of our community at our 24th annual Vacation Bible School. Truth be told we celebrate Jesus victory over sin, death and the Evil one (a.k.a. the Devil, Satan, the Slander and Father of lies) each and every Sunday. Why on Sunday, that was the day of the week that Jesus, the Son of God, rose victorious from the tomb.

The key Bible verse of the week is "Thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ" from Paul's first letter to those sanctified and called to be holy in Corinth, together with all those everywhere who call on the name of our Lord Jesus Christ [1st Corinthians 15:57]. I pray that includes you too!

Vacation Bible School is two hours packed with songs, crafts, snacks, Bible stories and fun! We thank God for the volunteers from our community, who assist in leading the groups, and sharing the love of Jesus. We are blessed again this year to have a group of brothers and sisters in Christ assist us from Redeemer Lutheran Church, Lincoln; as well as one of Kim's grade school classmate and her daughter who traveled again from New Haven, Indiana to help with this celebration.

Our first Bible story on Monday got us ready to hear about Jesus' victory for us. This Bible story takes place in the Old Testament city of Jericho, where the walls came tumbling done through the power of God's promises (Joshua 6:1-

20). God gave His people the victory! On Tuesday our Bible story also got us ready to hear about Jesus' victory for us. Our Bible story for that day was about an Old Testament king named Hezekiah, who ruled over God's people (2nd Kings 18-19). Hezekiah taught us that we have nothing to fear. Why? Because "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble" (Psalm 46:1).

On day three we heard about another Old Testament king, whose name was Josiah. Through Josiah God showed us that His Word is very powerful, able to do amazing things, and that "every Word of God proves true" (Proverbs 30:5).

On Thursday we heard about Jesus coming in to Jerusalem on Palm Sunday, in order to suffer and die for our sins. Here came our great athlete, who won the contest for us! Here came our great soldier and champion! He has given us the victory in battle!

Finally, the last day of Vacation Bible School we heard the good news of God's greatest victory! Jesus rose from the dead on Easter Sunday! Death is defeated! Satan loses the battle. Each and every person who believes in Him receives forgiveness of sins and everlasting life! The victory has been won!

All together, we had a very important week of celebration together. "Thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ" [1st Corinthians 15:57]. Yes, "Thanks be to God, who makes you the winner through faith in our Lord Jesus Christ!"

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provide this care receive compensation as well. Women's high participation in the health care industry, which employs more than 22.8% of all women in the workforce, means that Medicaid disproportionately creates jobs for women."

I don't have a breakdown for these jobs in Indian Country, but from personal experience I would bet the numbers are similar if not higher.

Senate debate begins again next week

The Senate, of course, still does not have consensus about a bill to replace the Affordable Care Act. Majority Leader Mitch McConnell suggested this week that Republicans might need to try another direction because "no action is not an alternative." The Associated Press quoted the senator saying: "If my side is unable to agree on an adequate replacement, then some kind of action with regard to private health insurance markets must occur." That plan would require votes from Democrats and would likely include a compromise.

Other senators, including Paul Rand, have proposed repealing all of the Affordable Care Act without a replacement,

basically putting that off for another day. That would be particularly troubling for Indian Country because a full repeal would likely include the Indian Health Care Improvement Act. But that, too, is complicated by Senate rules. A full repeal would need 60 votes unless that legislation was framed narrowly around budget issues.

But Republican leaders have not given up. The new story they are telling is that 22 million people would "choose" to not carry health insurance. It's a freedom thing. But that does not square with the destruction of Medicaid. And the jobs that public insurance program has created.

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15,158 employees

at Indian Health Service; 3,699 employees are listed as "reimbursable" by Medicaid.

Medicaid is about health care ... and jobs

- The U.S. Indian Health Service is the largest single employer in Indian Country with 15,158 employees. There are 3,699 employees considered as "reimbursable" from Medicaid programs.
- Medicaid's impact goes far beyond health programs. Many schools, for example, use Medicaid funding for disability, nutrition and other health-related programs creating administrative and other jobs.
- Medicaid-related transportation for IHS patients to contract health facilities.
- Across the country Medicaid supports 3 million health sector jobs held by women.
- According to data from the Bureau of Labor Statistics, healthcare and social assistance jobs grew some 30% faster in the 24 states that implemented Medicaid expansion.

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Sources: Congressional budget justification for Indian Health Service, fy 2017, Centers for Medicaid and Medicare, National Women's Law Center, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation.

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The Dream of More

Affordable Housing in Winnebago... Now A Reality

New homes with mortgages for \$500 a month? Seems impossible. However, that was the challenge given to Ho-Chunk, Inc. by the Winnebago Tribal Council. After thinking creatively and researching options, Ho-Chunk, Inc. has met the affordable housing challenge with Thunder Way; two modern single-family homes with mortgages at \$500 a month.

*Thunder Way
Ranch Model Home*



*Thunder Way
2-Story Model
Home*



Thunder Way Homes

Ho-Chunk, Inc. CEO Lance Morgan explained how costs were kept low saying, “The homes at Thunder Way are built on lots provided by the Tribal Housing Authority, so that was a huge savings to the final price of the home. Since we’re building on trust land, there is no property tax ongoing for the homeowner. Furthermore, Ho-Chunk, Inc. has declined any profits from any of the houses, which also helps keep the price down. Finally, the Tribe is using Ho-Chunk, Inc. dividends to provide down payment assistance. These combined elements help us keep the price of each house down to our \$500 a month mortgage goal.”

Currently, there are two home styles available. The first style is a 2-story home with a kitchen-dining area, living room, and ¾ bath on the main level, and 3 bedrooms and a full bath upstairs. The second style is a ranch home with 2 bedrooms and bath on both the main and lower level, along with a full walk-out basement to an outside deck.

“We’re using simple open contemporary-style plans to create more flexible spaces,” Morgan said. “Either style home can be fitted with additional amenities, like a garage, however that would push the mortgage rate above the targeted \$500 per month.”

Morgan is quick to point out, “These are quality built homes; however, they will feature mortgages well below the market price in the region. We are trying to fill a missing niche on our reservation. Right now, we have higher-end homes for purchase, and lots of low income housing. These new Thunder Way homes are somewhere in-between, offering Tribal members the dream of home ownership at a low price.”

The initial Thunder Way plan started with four lots, with two already sold. There is the potential for 30 homes in all.

Thunder Way homes are being built by BluStone Homes, a Ho-Chunk, Inc. company specializing in customized homes. To design your own Thunder Way home, call Qui Qui St. Cyr at 402-215-8062.

Other Winnebago Housing

Other housing projects right now include the construction of a modern 4-plex in Ho-Chunk Village. These 2-story townhomes feature a contemporary style with a modern kitchen and pantry, living room/dining area, and bathroom on the main floor, along with large storage areas. The upstairs floor plan features the added luxury of two bedrooms with their own en suite bathrooms. Each townhome also features an on-site garage. On the lower level of each of the townhomes, there is a one-bedroom apartment available for rent.

The success of Ho-Chunk Village has been recognized by several national media and a variety of organizations over the years. Last year, Ho-Chunk, Inc. received the Harvard Honoring Nations Award for the success of the Village. Harvard officials have just announced that they will be working with Google Earth to develop a 360-degree street view of the Village for Google.

For more information about housing opportunities in Ho-Chunk Village, please contact Qui Qui St. Cyr at 402-215-8062.



Ho-Chunk Village Townhouses

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On behalf of the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska

We would like to congratulate the town of Winnebago on winning the best host community for this year's BRAN (Bicycle Ride Across Nebraska)! Each participant in BRAN gets one vote on who they think the best host community was for 2017, after the votes were counted, Winnebago, Nebraska had the most votes. Congratulations! We hope that every community member shares in this proud achievement. For winning this prestigious award the BRAN organization will give \$6,000 in educational scholarships for the Winnebago youth planning on going to college for the 2018-2019 academic year. The Winnebago Tribal Council would like to thank all those that volunteered their time, effort, and resources. This could not have been possible or successful without your help and support:

- Winnebago Public Schools staff and Transportation Department
- Title VII Dance Troupe & Sacred Voices
- HoChunk Community Development Corporation Staff
- HoChunk Inc. Staff & Interns
- HoChunk Renaissance
- WTN Planning & Development Department
- WTN Facilities Department
- WTN Physical Resources
- Wildlife & Parks
- WTN Summer youth workers
- WTN Emergency Management
- WTN Health Department
- Winnavegas Casino & Resort
- Native Star Casino
- Village of Winnebago
- Little Priest Tribal College
- and All of the food and art market vendors

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Course Code	SC	Course Title	Credits	Time	Days	Instructor	Room
Academic Foundations							
AFED 0115	01	Pre-Algebra	3	10:30-11:45 am	MW	J. Wingert	Elk 111
AFED 0135	01	Elementary Algebra*	3	1:30-2:45 pm	TR	J. Wingert	Elk 110
AFED 0155	01	Intermediate Algebra*	3	12:00-1:15 pm	MW	J. Wingert	Elk 110
AFED 0175	01	Pre-Composition Skills	4	12:30-2:30 pm	TR	G. Thompson	Elk 111
General Education							
BIOS 1010	01	General Biology	4	11:30-12:45 pm	MW	A. Martyn	Bear 211
BIOS 1010L	01	General Biology Lab		1:00-3:00 pm	M	A. Martyn	Bear 203
BIOS 1010L	02	General Biology Lab		1:00-3:00 pm	W	A. Martyn	Bear 203
CSIT 1100	09	Practical Computer Applications	3	9:00-12:00 pm	R	A. Leu	Elk 111
EDUC 1150	01	College Success	3	9:00-10:15 am	MW	L. Erickson	Bear 211
EDUC 1150	01	College Success	3	5:30-6:45 p.m.	MW	B. Redleaf	Bear 202
ENGL 0100	01	Writing Lab	3	1:00-2:15 pm	TBD	G. Thompson	TBD
ENGL 1010	01	English Composition I*	3	1:30-2:45 pm	MW	G. Thompson	Bear 211
ENGL 2110	09	Intro. to Literature*	3	9:00-10:15 am	MW	G. Thompson	Elk 111
HCKS 1600	01	HoChunk Language I	4	9:00-11:00 am	MW	TBD	
HIST 2010	09	American History I	3	5:30-8:30 pm	W	G. Bartels	Bear 211
MATH 1150	01	College Algebra*	3	10:30-11:45 am	TR	J. Wingert	Elk 111
MUSC 1010	01	Introduction to Music	3	5:00-8:00 pm	T	B. Luther	Elk 113
POLS 1000	01	American Government	3	2:45-4:00 pm	TR	G. Bartels	Elk 110
PSCI 1050	01	Physical Science	4	12:00-1:15 pm	TR	A. Martyn	Bear 211
PSCI 1050L	02	Physical Science Lab		1:30-3:30 pm	T	A. Martyn	Bear 203
PSCI 1050L	02	Physical Science Lab		1:30-3:30 pm	R	A. Martyn	Bear 203
SOCI 1010	01	Introduction to Sociology	3	10:30-11:45 am	TR	G. Bartels	Elk 110
SPCH 1110	01	Public Speaking	3	4:30-5:45 pm	TR	S. Brasch	Elk 110
SPCH 1110	08	Public Speaking	3	Closed Enrollment		S. Brasch	WPS
SOCI 2150	01	Issues of Unity & Diversity	3	2:30-3:45 pm	MW	G. Bartels	Elk 110
Business							
ACCT 1200	01	Accounting I	3	5:30-8:30 pm	R	TBD	Bear 202
BSAD 1050	01	Introduction to Business	3	4:00-5:15 pm	MW	Sandra Francis	Elk 111
BSAD 1050	02	Introduction to Business	3	5:30-8:30 pm	T	Maunka Morgan	Elk 111
BSAD 2100	01	Business Law I	3	5:30-8:30 pm	M	Sheila Corbine	Bear 211
BSAD 1200	01	Personal Finance	3	1:00-2:15 pm	MW	Sandra Francis	Elk 111
ECON 2120	01	Principles of Microeconomics	3	4:00-5:15 pm	TR	TBD	Bear 202
Education							
ECED/EDUC 1060	09	Observation Assessment and Guidance	3	3:30-4:45 pm	MW	K. Ocran	Educare
ECED 1110	01	Infant Toddler Development	3	10:00-11:15 am	MW	K. Ocran	Elk 110
ECED 1220	01	Pre Practicum	1	1:30-2:30pm	M	K. Ocran	Elk 110
ECED 1521	01	Infant Practicum*	1	9:00-10:00 am	F	K. Ocran	Elk 110
ECED 1522	01	Toddler Practicum*	1	10:00-11:00 am	F	K. Ocran	Elk 110
EDUC 1800	01	School Experience and Practicum I	2	9:00-9:50 am	MW	K. Ocran	ELK 110
EDUC 1100	09	Intro to Early Childhood Education	3	3:30-4:45pm	TR	K. Ocran	Educare
EDUC 2100	01	Human Growth and Development	3	9:00-10:15 am	TR	K. Ocran	Elk 110

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BIOS 2100L	02	Human Anatomy/Physiology I Lab		5:30-6:45 pm	MW	M. Shine	Bear 203
BIOS 1150	01	Introduction to Environmental Science	4	5:00-6:15 pm	TR	A. Martyn	Bear 211
BIOS 1150L	02	Introduction to Environmental Lab		6:30-8:30 pm	T	A. Martyn	Bear 203
CHEM 1150	01	Intro to General Chemistry	4	9:00-10:15 am	TR	J. Woodard	Bear 211
CHEM 1150L	02	Intro to General Chemistry Lab		10:30-12:30 pm	T	J. Woodard	Bear 203
Native American Studies							
NATV 1900	02	Exploring Historical Trauma II	3	9:30-10:45 am	MW	C. Kitcheyan	Hawk 2
NATV 1150	01	Native American Film	3	2:30-3:45 pm	MW	C. Kitcheyan	Hawk 2
NATV 2500	01	Native American History I	3	10:30-11:45 am	TR	C. Kitcheyan	Hawk 2
NATV 2510	01	Contemporary Native American Issues	3	2:30-3:45 pm	TR	C. Kitcheyan	Hawk 2

***Prerequisites**
 + Cross Referenced courses
 ** Prerequisites & Cross referenced courses

Codes for Class Days: M=Monday, T=Tuesday, W=Wednesday, R=Thursday, F=Friday
Codes for Rooms: Bear = Bear Clan Building, Buff = Buffalo Clan Building, Elk = Elk Clan Building
 Hawk = Hawk Clan Building, HCC = HoChunk Centre in Sioux City, WPS = Winnebago Public School

Codes for Section Numbers:
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 08 = Dual Credit for High School
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August 8 th , 2017	Tuesday	List of Candidates Posted
August 9 th , 2017	Wednesday	Send Ballots to Automated Election Services- Primary
August 25 th , 2017	Friday	Deadline for Absentee Ballot Requests
August 28 th , 2017	Monday	Absentee Ballots Mailed Out - Primary
September 5th, 2017	Tuesday	PRIMARY ELECTION
September 6 th , 2017	Wednesday	Post Top Six (6) Candidates
September 6 th , 2017 <i>Special Tribal Council Meeting</i>	Wednesday	Approve Enrollment & Adoption Requests
September 7 th , 2017	Thursday	Send Ballots to Automated Election Services- Regular
September 22 nd , 2017	Friday	Deadline for Absentee Ballot Requests
September 25 th , 2017	Monday	Absentee Ballots Mailed Out - Regular
October 3rd, 2017	Tuesday	REGULAR ELECTION
October 4 th , 2017	Wednesday	Notification of Newly Elected Members Oath of Office
		Re-Organizational Meeting of New Tribal Council Members

Tribal Council Approval: 04/19/2017

News from Housing...

All WHDC tenants a reminder to please check your mail regularly as important notices will be sent via mail if we do not hand-deliver them plus Housekeeping inspection letters are sent out weekly. Resident Services send out Housekeeping Inspect. letters well over a week before the inspection is to take place.

With the month of July upon us and a lot of our tenants expecting out-of-town visitors for Pow Wow we are reminding those with pets to keep them secured either on a chain or in a kennel. With extra people comes more garbage and the WHDC has already been receiving a lot of complaints of unleashed dogs tearing up garbage. We have been lenient if the pets are well-cared for and not creating a nuisance to neighbors, but these complaints are increasing so will be have to be dealt with according to WHDC policy. Please be respectful of your neighbors, treat them as you would like to be treated.

WHDC DWELLING LEASE;
Page 10. Section 12. TERMINATION OF LEASE

The WHDC shall not terminate or refuse to renew this Lease other than for serious or repeated violation of material terms of this Lease and shall include but shall not be limited to the following:

2. Nonpayment of rent or other charges due under this Lease (utilities and maintenance).
3. Repeated late payment of rent.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. JFJ17-033BC
The People of the Winnebago Tribe
In the Interest of:
L. (DOB 11-27-2006)
R. L. (DOB 12-10-2007)
To: BOBBI MEDINA, Mother
VINCENT WALKER, Father

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. JFJ17-033A
The People of the Winnebago Tribe
In the Interest of:
G. P. (DOB 2-23-2005)
To: LISA PEREZ, Mother
COREY POORBEAR, Father

You are hereby notified that a hearing for Initial Appearance concerning the above referred minor individual(s) in case no. JFJ17-033BC has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 22ND day of AUGUST, 2017 at the hour of 11:00 A.M.

You are hereby notified that a hearing for Initial Appearance concerning the above referred minor individual(s) in case no. JFJ17-033A has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 22ND day of AUGUST, 2017 at the hour of 11:00 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. CV15-060
In the Matter of the Custody Petition of:
KANDYCE GRANT
vs.
SOLOMON GRANT
To: KANDYCE HORN,

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. CV17-098
In the Matter of the Divorce Petition of:
GEOFFREY FRAZIER
vs
JADE HARDEN
To: JADE HARDEN:

You are hereby notified that a Custody petition has been filed and a hearing to review the ex parte order concerning the above referred Individual(s) in case no. CV15-060 has been scheduled will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 14TH day of SEPTEMBER, 2017 at the hour of 10:30 A.M.

You are hereby notified that a Divorce petition has been filed and a hearing concerning the above referred Case No. CV17-098 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 14TH day of SEPTEMBER, 2017 at the hour of 10:00 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. CV17-091
In the Matter of the Guardianship Petition of:
LORNA SNAKE,
In Re:
C. S. (DOB 08-07-2009)
TO: ABIGAIL SNAKE, Mother
MAURICIO FLORES, Putative
Father

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. CV17-099
In the Matter of the Guardianship Petition of:
DAWN SNAKE,
In Re:
H. S. (DOB 11-10-2015)
TO: TAMMY HUFFMAN, Mother
DAVID SNOW, Father

ALL OTHER POTENTIAL FATHERS
You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed for Guardianship and a hearing concerning the above referred Individual(s) in Case No. CV17-091 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 22ND day of AUGUST, 2017 at the hour of 10:00 A.M.

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed for Guardianship and a hearing concerning the above referred Individual(s) in Case No. CV17-099 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 12TH day of SEPTEMBER, 2017 at the hour of 9:00 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. CV17-097
In the Matter of the Name Change Petition of:
BRITTANY ALEXIA FOURCLOUD
to BRITTANY ALEXIA TYNDALL
To: ANY INTERESTED PARTIES

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. CV17-083
In the Matter of the Guardianship Petition of:
LISA PAYER,
In Re:
S. H. (DOB 05-26-2016)
TO: JENNIFER DREW, Mother
UNKNOWN, Father

You are hereby notified that a petition for Name Change has been filed and a hearing concerning the above referred Individual in case no. CV17-097 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 31ST day of AUGUST, 2017 at the hour of 9:00 A.M.

You are hereby notified that a petition has been filed for Guardianship and a hearing concerning the above referred Individual(s) in Case No. CV17-083 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 8TH day of AUGUST, 2017 at the hour of 11:00 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. CV17-088
In the Matter of the Name Change Petition of:
MAXIMINO MATILDA CORTES LAMERE
to JOSUE MANUAL LAMERE
To: ANY INTERESTED PARTIES

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. JFJ17-032
The People of the Winnebago Tribe
In the Interest of:
J. K. (DOB 4-8-2015)
To: STORMY KNUDSEN, Mother
CODY CHILSON, Putative
Father and ALL OTHER POTENTIAL FATHERS

You are hereby notified that a hearing for Initial Appearance concerning the above referred minor individual(s) in case no. JFJ17-032 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 29TH day of AUGUST, 2017 at the hour of 10:30 A.M.



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Community News



WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We are conducting a survey this year to residents of Winnebago. We will be going door to door in the community starting Wednesday, July 12th through Wednesday, July 19th during the daytime and early evening. Our summer interns will be conducting the survey and we really need your input.

The survey will only take 5-10 minutes but your feedback is very important to us.

As a thank you, we will be providing a 2017 commemorative t-shirt to each adult who completes the survey.

The interns will be asking the survey questions so you don't need to fill anything out. All answers are confidential and will only be used to provide a total response.

We are also conducting a survey at Pow-wow to non-resident Tribal members. But we really would like to get the resident surveys completed before Pow-wow.

We look forward to your participation. Results will be published in the Winnebago Indian News in August. Thanks for your help.



Now Accepting Notice of Intent *CORRECTION*

For the 2017 Tribal Elections

Primary Elections | Tuesday September 5, 2017

~~Primary Elections | Tuesday September 7, 2017~~

Regular Elections | Tuesday October 3, 2017

Qualification of Candidates

- Be twenty-five years of age or over and a qualified voter.
- Be a resident of the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska, defined as having a physical presence within the reservation for six consecutive months immediately preceding the date of election.
- Be an enrolled member of the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska.
- Not have been convicted, terminated, removed or resigned from any tribal position for reasons of theft, stealing, misappropriation of funds, embezzlement, conversion or any related offense from the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska.

How to Apply:

1. Must meet all qualifications for candidacy
2. Submit your completed declaration for Notice of Intent located in the Tribal Admin Office, Blackhawk Community Center
3. Submit your fee of \$50 or a Petition in lieu of the fee containing at least 50 signatures of persons eligible to vote in the 2017 Primary Election stating that they support your candidacy for office; this form is located in the Tribal Admin Office

PLEASE MAKE MONEY ORDERS PAYABLE TO THE WINNEBAGO TRIBE OF NEBRASKA

Submissions are due by 4:30 p.m. CST on Monday August 7, 2017

CONTACT

KRISTEN WHITEBEAVER 402-878-3106 or

TERESA LITTLEGEORGE 402-878-3136 or

TYRESHA WOLFE 402-878-3100

Monday through Friday Business Hours 8:00am – 4:30PM

SUICIDE IN INDIAN COUNTRY PART 2

People may not show any signs of the intent to kill themselves before they die by suicide. But there are behaviors that may indicate a person is at risk for killing themselves, and it is important to be aware of warning signs and risk factors. If you notice any warning signs for suicide, starting a conversation with the person may save their life.

Learn to recognize the warning signs:

Hopelessness; feeling like there is no way out

Anxiety, agitation, sleeplessness, or mood swings

Feeling like there is no reason to live

Rage or anger

Engaging in risky activities

Increasing alcohol or drug abuse

Withdrawing from family and friends

The presence of any of the following signs requires immediate attention:

Thinking about hurting or killing themselves

Looking for ways to die

Talking about death, dying, or suicide

Self-destructive or risk taking behavior, especially when it involves alcohol, drugs, or weapons

Resources:

Recognizing and Responding to Suicide Risk in Primary Care (RRSR-PC)

Veterans Crisis Line

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline

As someone who has lost my loved one to suicide, I am grateful if we can delete the words "COMMITTED" suicide from our vocabulary. My son did NOT commit a crime or a sin. He was only struggling with the pain inside his head and his mental health was in question. We need to start addressing mental health the very same way as we do with physical health. 1-800-273-8255 (TALK), 1-402-878-2911, After Hours # 1-712-259-3263.

SUICIDE IN INDIAN COUNTRY PART 3

Ask the Question

Ask directly about suicide. Ask the question in such a way that is natural and flows over the course of the conversation. Ask the question in a way that gives you a "yes" or "no" answer. Don't wait to ask the question when the person is halfway out the door. Asking directly and using the word "suicide" establishes that you and the at-risk person are talking about the same thing, and lets them know you are not afraid to talk about it. Ask:

"Are you thinking about killing yourself?"

or

"Are you thinking about ending your life?"

How NOT to Ask the Question

"You're not thinking about killing yourself, are you?"

Do not ask the question as though you are looking for a "no" answer. Asking the question in this manner tells the person that although you assume they are suicidal, you want and will accept a denial.

Validate the Person's Experience:

Talk openly

Don't panic

Be willing to listen and allow emotional expression

Recognize that the situation is serious

Don't pass judgement

Reassure that help is available

Don't promise secrecy

Don't leave the person alone

Get Help

Share available resources with the person. Be willing to make the call, or take part in the call to the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at 1-800-273-8255 (TALK). The toll-free confidential Lifeline is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Winnebago Behavioral Health 1-402-878-2911, After Hours Crisis # 1-712-259-3263

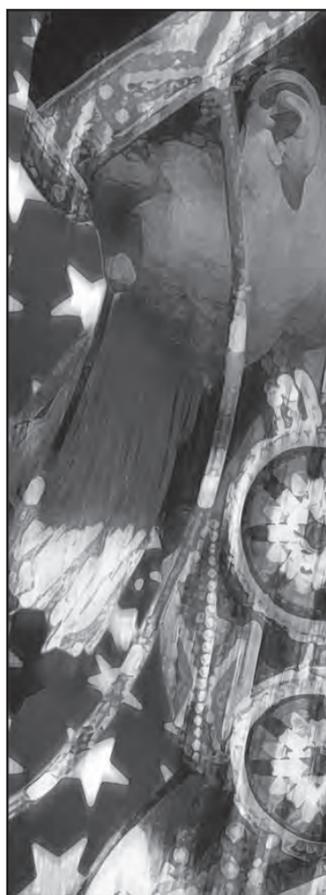
A message from the Winnebago Powwow Committee

Please refrain from marking out campsites at the Winnebago Veteran's Memorial Park (Powwow Grounds). All current stakes and markings will be removed as the WTN Facilities and Physical Resources Department will be prepping and mowing the grounds.

The grounds will be ready on Thursday, July 20th, at 8:30 am (Depending on weather). We ask and appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

Masthead Scene

Everything that was in bloom not long ago is bearing fruit or vegetables. Here the apple tree at the Neola Walker Building has got some good sized apples on it. My Grandson Willy Bass reported he tasted some of his own cucumbers last week, I wouldn't know because I didn't get any. And HCI Farms this past week held it's first Farmer's Market in downtown Winnebago. I should be like Hayna Griz at Powwow time and give anyone who brings me some of their fresh produce a shout-out.



You're Invited

**Rock River Manufacturing
Open House & Tour**

**Friday July 28th 10am - 12pm
509 Reuben Snake Ave.**



**HO-CHUNK
TRADING GROUP**

Brunch & refreshments provided
Door prizes awarded

News from the Dental Clinic...

The Winnebago Dental Clinic will be installing a Mobile Dental Clinic Office at the Winnebago Schools next week.

This medical trailer will be used by the Dental Clinic and other Health Departments to better deliver care to our children at the Public Schools and St. Augustines School children.

Look for pictures in the next WIN.

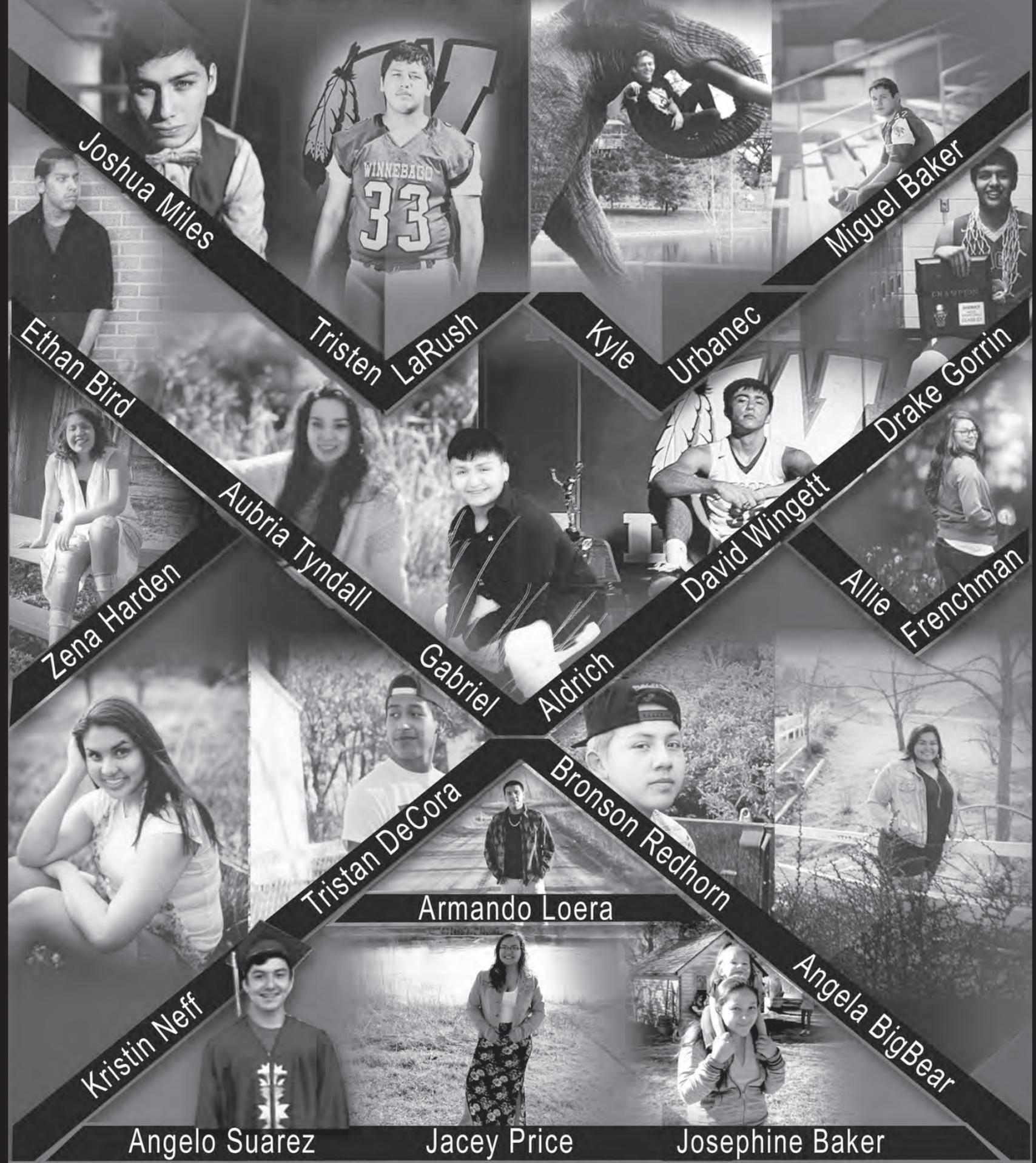
Reminder from Winnebago Public Schools

All 7-12th graders that plan to participate in Athletics this School Year please plan on getting athletic physicals completed as soon as possible. It won't be long before August is here.

New Deadline !!! for Winnebago Newspaper July 21

Winnebago High School

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE WINNEBAGO PUBLIC SCHOOL CLASS OF 2017!



HO-CHUNK, INC. HONORS CLASS OF 2017'S TOP STUDENTS

Ho-Chunk, Inc. had a reception honoring Winnebago Public School's 2017 Senior Valedictorian and Salutatorian – the top students representing Winnebago's Senior Class of 2017.

Angelo Suarez—Valedictorian

Angelo has excelled in football, track, wrestling, student council, speech, one-act plays and participated on the technical crew for the school musical.

As an incoming freshman at the University of Nebraska at Lincoln, Angelo will be majoring in agricultural science with an ultimate goal of becoming a veterinarian. Angelo was also the recipient of a leadership scholarship from UNL, a JOM book scholarship, a Winnebago Teacher's Association scholarship and The Susan G. Buffett Foundation Scholarship.

left to right: Valedictorian Angelo Suarez, and Salutatorian Gabriel Aldrich are presented with their gift cards by Ann Marie Downes



Gabriel Alexander Aldrich—Salutatorian

This year's Salutatorian is Gabriel Alexander Aldrich. Gabriel previously attended Walthill High School before moving to Winnebago prior to his junior year. As motivated by success as he is talented, Gabriel received a \$10,000 acting scholarship to Morningside College, but turned it down to attend the University of Nebraska at Lincoln in the Fall. Although Gabriel has not picked a major yet, he is interested in competitive speaking, one-act plays, musical productions, film production and digital music.

At a reception held on May 20th, Ho-Chunk, Inc. awarded both exemplary students with a \$600 gift card good for electronics and computer equipment from All Native Solutions, a subsidiary of Ho-Chunk, Inc. Ho-Chunk, Inc. COO Annette Hamilton said, "We're very pleased these students performed so well during their years in the Winnebago Public School system. These two young men have become a wonderful influence and inspiration on the other students in their school, and we look forward to watching their progress while they're in college."



Community News

Introducing...

Winnebago Community Engagement VISTA

Greetings to you:
I am Monica Whitewater, my HoChunk (Winnebago) name is Machupiwinga (Good Feather). I am a member of the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska, and a AmeriCorps VISTA member. My job title is the Winnebago Community Engagement VISTA.

The importance of restoring traditional ceremonies and ancestral wisdom is an essential aspect of community partnerships. It is crucial to our existence as the first people of this continent.

My grandfather was Stanford Whitewater Sr., one of our last traditional elders. As a young woman I spent a lot of time with him. Today, I realize how valuable those teachings are.

Since, 2008 I have been a certified Motherhood Is Sacred (MIS) facilitator. As a MIS facilitator I have seen first hand what our people need. Through MIS we encourage, uplift and help one another to realize what we are capable of. Much of our traditional cultural teachings are what we teach in MIS.

With my knowledge of our traditional teachings, a MIS facilitator and now as a VISTA member, I feel well informed that the basic principles (for all cultures) have changed and we need to get back to our good old fashioned values. The social media has not been supportive of family and/or community engagement.

As a mother, grandmother, auntie, sister and a friend I feel my life learned

qualifications is knowledge learned from experience. I feel fully capable and have a clear vision to the goals of my VISTA position.

Many resources are already in place, however, all of our people need to feel they are welcomed, wanted and needed.

I do feel our strengths outweigh our challenges. We hope to develop a directory for tracking, identifying resources, and the needs of the people (what is working...or not, why?).

My work as an AmeriCorps Vista will give our community the opportunity to build human capital using our traditional cultural values.

The Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska's goal is to provide knowledge, opportunities for parents and children to realize their full potential, untapped abilities, increased understanding of the Winnebago Tribe culture and heritage while addressing the skills and education background to solve the poverty and educational issues facing Tribal members. The VISTA project will seek to increase student academic engagement, attendance and provide job training and skills development for job placement for parents/guardians and students. VISTA members will contribute to achieving the goals of the project by performing activities such as developing and implementing community and afterschool activities, job skill training, financial literacy programs.

Contact information: Monica Whitewater Email: monica.whitewater@winnebago-tribe.com Phone#: (712)253-3785

Family and Parenting Development VISTA

My name is Jessica and I am serving as the Family and Parenting Development VISTA, with AmeriCorps for the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska.

My duties include developing a year of family events oriented toward specific age groups and toward the community. I will first be focusing my time on researching what family events are in Winnebago, and other nearby Native American reservations, and cities have to offer. Hopefully these family events will become by the community and will continue to live through the community for years.

In addition, I will be creating age specific parenting classes that address topics currently seen as barriers to a child's learning and development, which will include culture and behavior indicators. These classes will be offered to an array of parents and parents to be. To make these classes possible, I will be researching the best practices for each age group of the child/children of these parents. Hopefully, these

classes increase self-sufficiency in parents and inspiration and determination in the children.

I am a Communications senior and mother ready to change the world! I will be serving the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska through the AmeriCorps VISTA program to help strengthen the Family and Parenting programs. Since the age of ten, I have dedicated a substantial amount of time to veterans, youth, and to those experiencing homelessness. I have served as the Assistant Director at Florida Atlantic University's Students Advocating Volunteer Involvement program and am notable for receiving FAU's 2015 - 2016 Emerging Leader Award. I hope to one day become a Engagement Specialist or Volunteer Coordinator with a nonprofit concentrated in alleviating poverty. Currently, I reside with my three month old daughter Logan.

To get into contact with Jessica please call: 712.253.3785 or email her at jessica.wilkerson@winnebago-tribe.com



HoChunk Women spectate other dancers at our Annual Celebration

HoChunk Renaissance
The Official Language Program of the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska
Weekly Language Publication

H̄nagijišere n̄ā?
• (h(ee)-nah-gee-jee-shay-rday n(ah)) •

Can you help me?

H̄aḥa'o!

• (h(ah)-h(ah)'-oh) •

Yes!

N̄igijite n̄ā?

• (n(ee)-gee-jee-day n(ah)) •

Can I help you?

Ka'. P̄i warageḥ, n̄uḥige ha'u tuxuruk šaḥ.

• (kah' p(ee) wah-rdah-gay-n(ah) n(oo)-n(ee)-gay hah'(oo) too-xoo-rdook sh(ah)-n(ah)) •

No. You mean well but, I am capable.

Notes:

Changing the last a of "h̄aḥa'q to o" makes this an empathic yes!



Junior Boys from powwows past

July 27-30, 2017

Men's, Women & COED Divisions

All Indian Plus two (must present tribal Id)

ASA Rules (3 HR limit)

\$200 entry fee *Registration Deadline July 21st*

\$1000 payout for 1st place (for Men's and COED division)

2nd and 3rd place payout based on number of teams

Contact: [Allison DeCora](mailto:Allison.DeCora@winnebago-tribe.com) at 712-301-7045 or [Josh Taylor](mailto:Josh.Taylor@winnebago-tribe.com) at 712-898-1575

HOME COMING CELEBRATION SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT @ LAND OF WELLNESS



HOME COMING CELEBRATION HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT @ LAND OF WELLNESS

July 29th, 2017

11:00 A.M. start

\$20 per team

Payout based on number of teams

Contact: [Allison DeCora](mailto:Allison.DeCora@winnebago-tribe.com) @ 712-301-7045



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151ST ANNUAL WINNEBAGO POW-WOW

WILDERNESS WALK / RUN

SATURDAY JULY 29TH, 2017

- 1 MILE FUN WALK
- 5K WALK/RUN
- 7 MILE RUN

VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK

1 1/4 MILES EAST OF WINNEBAGO, NEBRASKA

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE ANNUAL WILDERNESS WALK/RUN!

Registration begins at 7am
Event starts at 7:45am
*Pre Registration Recommended



FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT THE WHIRLING THUNDER WELLNESS PROGRAM AT 402.878.3148

VISIT US AT WWW.WHIRLINGTHUNDER.ORG

Community News



All contest points begin
Thursday at 1pm Grand Entry

Flag Raising Ceremony
6:00 am Daily

151st WINNEBAGO Homecoming Celebration

"Commemorating the return of War Chief Little Priest and the Company "A" Fort Omaha Scouts, 34th Nebraska Volunteers"

July 27-30, 2017

Located at the scenic Veteran's Memorial Park, in Winnebago, Nebraska

Host Drums:

Bearskin Singers
Haylushka

MCs:

Chris Grezlik
Boye Ladd

Arena Directors:

Pete Snowball Sr.
Gentry St. Cyr

Head Man:

James Morris

Head Woman:

Agnes Warner

Drum Judges:

Hokie Clairmont
Cheevers Toppah

Invited Drums:

Blacklodge
Thunder Hill

Grand Entries:

Thursday 1pm & 7pm
Friday 1 pm & 7 pm
Saturday 1 pm & 7pm
Sunday 1pm

Registration:

Opens July 27th at 10am
Closes July 28th at 8pm

Admission:

\$5 Weekend Pass

Free:

Ages: 0-6 years
Sr. Citizens 55+
Veterans w/ Military ID
Winnebago Tribal Members
(Must have tribal ID)

Free Camping

Must register at front gate



Absolutely NO Alcohol, Drugs or Firearms permitted inside Veteran's Memorial Park. 24 Hour Security is provided. The Powwow Committee is not responsible for accidents, thefts, contest specials, and illness or injury that occurs during competition singing and dancing.

Honor/Color Guard Winnebago Veteran's Association
LaMere/Greencrow/Rice American Legion Post #363

Dance Contest

Golden Age Men (55+) Combined
Golden Age Women (55+) Combined
\$1000, \$800, \$600, \$400

Adult Men (18-34 & 35-54)
Northern Traditional, Southern Straight, Grass, Fancy
\$1000, \$800, \$600, \$400

Adult Women (18-34 & 35-54)
Northern Traditional, Southern Buckskin/Cloth, Fancy, Jingle,
Hocak Applique
\$1000, \$800, \$600, \$400

Teen Boys & Teen Girls (13-17)
Traditional, Fancy, Grass, Jingle, Hocak Applique
\$400, \$300, \$200, \$100

Jr. Boys & Jr. Girls (7-12)
Traditional, Fancy, Grass, Jingle, Hocak Applique
\$250 \$200, \$150, \$100

Tiny Tots in Full Regalia
(Must register/Must be walking to 6yrs)

Dance Specials

Little Priest Tribal College
"Battle of the Bustles"
Men's Fancy Special 18+
\$700, \$500, \$300

Herman Logan Memorial
Men's Fancy Dance Special 18+
\$1000 in Cash & Prizes (TBD)

Agnes Warner Head Women Special
Iron Woman Hocak Applique 18+
\$1000 Winner Take All

Jr. Girls Fancy Shawl Special (7-12 yrs)
Outgoing Jr. Miss Nebraska Winnebago - Jacie Walker
\$300 + Sweatshirt, \$200, \$100

Hocak Applique Special "Dance off for a Champion"
Outgoing Sr. Miss Nebraska Winnebago - Taylor Clairmont
Teen (13-18 yrs) vs. Women (19-34 yrs)
Each age group - 1st, 2nd, 3rd Cash Prizes



Sr. Miss Winnebago
Taylor Clairmont



Jr. Miss Winnebago
Jacie Walker

Drum Contest

(Minimum of 8 registered singers)
Northern/Southern Combined
\$12,000, \$10,000, \$8,000,
\$6,000, \$4,000, \$3,000
Drum Split \$10,000

Saturday Wilderness Run

Register at 7 am - Run/Walk at 8am
7M, 5K Walk/Run & 1Mile Fun Walk
402-878-3148

All Veterans Welcome
All Color Guards
Welcome

For more information:

Craig "Tunny" Cleveland-Chairman: 402-922-3918
Tyren Wolfe-Vice Chairman: 712-259-7434
Tiffani Warner: 402-922-1938
Joseph LittleGeorge: 712-898-0323
William "Bill" Decora: whdecora17@gmail.com
Joi Long: joi_long@hotmail.com

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