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TC Breaks Ground On Care Facility

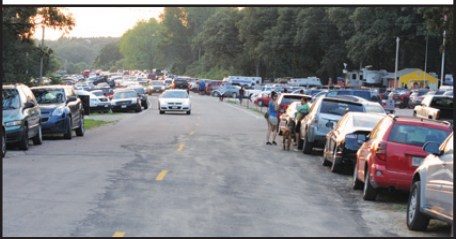


The Winnebago Tribal Council on Saturday, July 29th broke ground on the Winnebago Long Term Care Facility. Construction of the new facility is scheduled to begin on November 1st, 2017 and is scheduled to begin occupation a year later. Since the summer of 2016 the Winnebago Tribal Council has been planning on the new facility working through many steps to get to this point. A number of locations were considered throughout the year along with a number of designs. The final product will be featured in the next issue of the WIN. Pictured are members of the Winnebago Tribal Council with Executive staff that have played a role in the planning of the new facility; Issac Smith, Coly Brown, Sharon Frenchman, Victoria Kitcheyan, Vincent Bass, Kenn Mallory, Frank White, DSGW Rep, and Ron Nohr. (l to r)

Bago Bits...



WHS Wrestling team stand-outs attend Huskers Wrestling Camp last week to up their game.



Winnebago Powwow packed um in for the 151st year.



WHS Class of 65 & 69 represented by Jan Alberts & Prosper Waukon. More pic inside this issue.



The Wilderness Walk/Run at this years Powwow was a hit with all the running enthusiasts.



Phyllis was busy with her staff all day Friday of Powwow distributing Clothing Allowances.



The girls 10 and under team from Winnebago captured the Championship at the Sioux City Softball Leagues.



The WIN Staff enjoying some Flowers Island Buffet after a big meeting.



Local Water Protector and activist, Michelle Free-LaMere recruiting new support from Teresa Sharpback in Lincoln, opposing the Keystone XL Pipeline.

Water Protectors Honored at Winnebago Powwow



On Sunday of the 151st Annual Homecoming Celebration the Powwow was brought to a halt as the Winnebago Tribe honored the Water Protectors from the Standing Rock Reservation. Winnebago Warrior, Aric "Dusty" Armell invited the Global Environmental group to the Powwow, and asked that the Winnebago be allowed to Honor them. The group put up camp near the Veteran's Memorial Park and spent the entire 4 days Celebrating with the Winnebago. The honoring consisted of testimonials and an honor song sung by the Standing Horse drum, "Mni Wiconi" "Water is Life."

In Victory For Standing Rock Sioux Tribe, Court Finds That Approval Of Dakota Access Pipeline Violated The Law

Courtesy-Native American Staff

The Standing Rock Sioux Tribe won a significant victory this week in its fight to protect the Tribe's drinking water and ancestral lands from the Dakota Access pipeline.

A federal judge ruled that the federal permits authorizing the pipeline to cross the Missouri River just upstream of the Standing Rock reservation, which were hastily issued by the Trump administration just days after the inauguration, violated the law in certain critical respects.

In a 91-page decision, Judge James Boasberg wrote.

"the Court agrees that [the Corps] did not adequately consider the impacts of an oil spill on fishing rights, hunting rights, or environmental justice, or the degree to which the pipeline's effects are likely to be highly controversial."

The Court did not determine whether pipeline operations should be shut off and has requested additional briefing on the subject and a status conference next week.

"This is a major victory for the Tribe

and we commend the courts for upholding the law and doing the right thing," said Standing Rock Sioux Chairman Dave Archambault II in a recent statement. "The previous administration painstakingly considered the impacts of this pipeline, and President Trump hastily dismissed these careful environmental considerations in favor of political and personal interests. We applaud the courts for protecting our laws and regulations from undue political influence and will ask the Court to shut down pipeline operations immediately."

The Tribe's inspiring and courageous fight has attracted international attention and drawn the support of hundreds of tribes around the nation.

The Tribe is represented by the non-profit environmental law firm Earthjustice, which filed a lawsuit challenging the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers for issuing a permit for the pipeline construction in violation of several environmental laws.

"This decision marks an important turning point. Until now, the rights of

the Standing Rock Sioux Tribe have been disregarded by the builders of the Dakota Access Pipeline and the Trump administration—prompting a well-deserved global outcry," said Earthjustice attorney Jan Hasselman. "The federal courts have stepped in where our political systems have failed to protect the rights of Native communities."

The Court ruled against the Tribe on several other issues, finding that the reversal allowing the pipeline complied with the law in some respects.

The \$3.8 billion pipeline project, also known as Bakken Oil Pipeline, extends 1,168 miles across North Dakota, South Dakota, Iowa, and Illinois, crossing through communities, farms, tribal land, sensitive natural areas and wildlife habitat.

The pipeline would carry up to 570,000 barrels a day of crude oil from the Bakken oil fields in North Dakota to Illinois where it links with another pipeline that will transport the oil to terminals and refineries along the Gulf of Mexico.

Indianz.com... Indian Health Service patients warned of exposure to HIV and other diseases



Thursday, August 3, 2017

Patients at a troubled Indian Health Service hospital in Nebraska may have been exposed to HIV and other serious diseases.

The Omaha Tribe and the Winnebago Tribe are urging anyone who

received services from the podiatry clinic at the Omaha-Winnebago Hospital to be tested for hepatitis B virus, hepatitis C virus, and human immunodeficiency virus (HIV). The potential exposures occurred between April 17 and June 2 and are being attributed to improperly sterilized equipment, The Sioux City Journal reported.

According to the paper, a consultant for AB Staffing Solutions, a firm that was hired to provide services at the hospital, was fired and the podiatry clinic has been closed. The Center for Disease Control and Prevention is now investigating, the paper said.

Two summer ago, the hospital lost

certification from the Centers for Medicaid and Medicare Service after placing patients in repeated danger, leading to several deaths. The IHS has been unable to say when the facility will get back on track.

Read More on the Story: Winnebago clinic patients may have been exposed to HIV, hepatitis (The Sioux City Journal 8/3) Omaha-Winnebago hospital clinic patients possibly exposed to hepatitis, HIV (KTIV 8/2)

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2016 YEAR IN REVIEW



Ho-Chunk, Inc. President and CEO Lance Morgan said 2016 was a solid year for Ho-Chunk, Inc., "It was the third best year in our 22-year history."



\$9.5 Million Net Profits
\$218.6 Million Revenue

Morgan added that both government contracting divisions continued to do well. He said "Our tobacco factory, tobacco distribution, tobacco importation, and retail store operations all operate under Ho-Chunk Trading Group. Both the retail stores and tobacco importation are doing well. The tobacco continues to face challenges with various legal and regulatory issues being pushed by our competitors and their deep ties to the state governments."

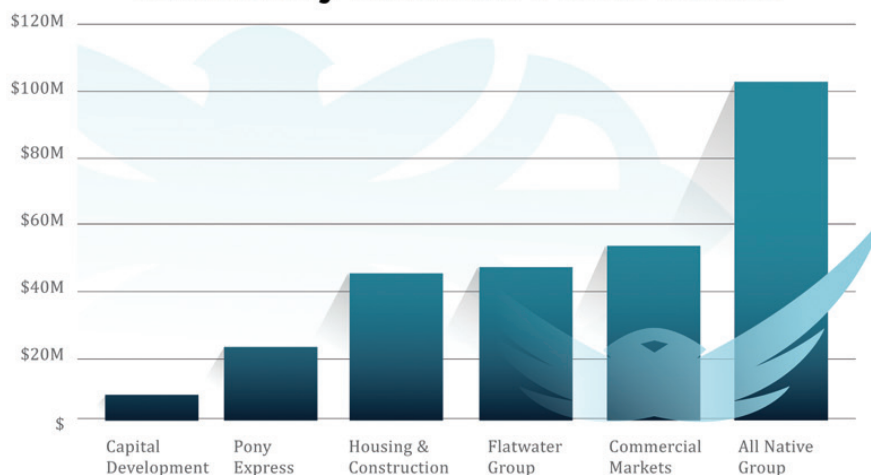
He said because of struggles with the government, Ho-Chunk, Inc. made the strategic decision two years ago to invest capital in local and regional real estate developments as a way of creating long-term revenue. Ho-Chunk Capital was born out of this decision and has been actively working on a variety of projects that are starting to create significant revenue. In addition, these projects have kept Ho-Chunk, Inc.'s construction divisions busy, along with their other government, commercial and housing projects.



Annette Hamilton, Vice President & COO said Ho-Chunk, Inc.'s subsidiary companies had another great year of providing a diverse range of revenue streams for the corporation. Their combined efforts produced a very profitable 2016, with All Native Group again leading the way, adding, "This is an accomplishment considering it was a challenging year from an operational perspective, as many of our subsidiaries faced regulatory and governmental hurdles. We found ways to meet these challenges head on, devising strategies to overcome immediate and long-term threats."

SUBSIDIARY PROGRESS

Subsidiary Revenue Performance



Hamilton said all our subsidiaries' efforts benefit the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska with a higher dividend, as well increase the corporation's overall assets. She said, "Both enable Ho-Chunk, Inc. to continue to fulfill our mission of helping the Tribe achieve economic self-sufficiency. Our employees are committed to our mission and work hard every day knowing the impact it has."

COMMUNITY PROGRESS

Ho-Chunk, Inc., working together with the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska, continued to focus on investing in our community. 2016 was a great year on many fronts:

EDUCATION DEVELOPMENT – Our Academic Development Program provides students the opportunity to attend academic camps, college visits and other educational events. The Higher Education Program provides scholarships to candidates to attend college, junior college, or technical college. To date, Ho-Chunk, Inc. has awarded 30 scholarships to Winnebago students.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT – In 2016, our Internship Program celebrated 22 years of providing valuable career development opportunities for over 100 Tribal college students. It was also a hallmark year for hiring and/or promoting 82 Tribal members into all levels of jobs within the corporation.

DOWN PAYMENT ASSISTANCE – We continue to donate \$150,000 per year to the Ho-Chunk Community Development Corporation, the non-profit we started 15 years ago to help find supplemental capital to build our community. The \$1.8 million we've donated so far has been used to raise almost \$50 million for Winnebago. The Down Payment Assistance Fund helps families get the jump start they need to own their own home. In 2016, 7 families were assisted in the dream of homeownership with \$395,000 in down payment funds.

HO-CHUNK VILLAGE – 2016 was another year of growth in the Village. The 27-unit Warrior Apartments opened with 1, 2, and 3 bedroom apartment homes for Tribal members. The Live/Work Building also opened with 7 modern 1 and 2 bedroom apartments and much needed office and retail space for the community. In addition, 3 new single-family homes were built, with 9 more homes and a 4-plex condominium/apartment complex under construction for 2017.

HO-CHUNK VILLAGE EXPANSION – 40 acres were purchased for the expansion of Ho-Chunk Village with the potential to build up to 40 more homes and 3 additional apartment and/or townhome buildings.

Morgan said, "When you run any company, you have to think big and you have to think very small sometimes, too. We are pretty good at understanding our big issues and implementing large plans targeted at the problems. We are also getting much better at the details of how to grow our company and our community in a way that balances our version of capitalism with our inherent desire to share our success across a broad spectrum of our membership. My goal is not to be the best capitalist corporation ever. My goal is to be a world class Tribal company, and successfully manage all of the complications that such a goal includes."



To view the 2016 Annual Report, please visit www.hochunkinc.com

Winnebago News

Thoughts from a Renewable Future...

By Lance Morgan



For the last ten years, we have slowly been adding solar and wind power to Winnebago. When we started I thought wind was going to be the way to go, but wind is primarily funded using tax credits. The tribe is tax exempt and we can't easily use tax credits, so we try and focus on grants to help make the projects financially feasible.

After putting in some test windmills and a few solar panels, we decided solar was the way to go. The windmills are too expensive to maintain, so we have decided to really push solar. Over the last 5 years, we have added solar to our corporate office and then to some of our buildings in the Ho-Chunk Village. I also got fired up and personally bought some for my house in Winnebago. The tribe and tribal college even got into the act and added some to the police and fire department facility, and one of the college's building.

We have approximately 500 solar panels installed throughout the town, making us one of the largest solar installations in Nebraska. But you haven't seen anything yet! Several months ago, the U.S. Department of Energy put out a request for tribes to apply for some grants, which would provide up to 50 percent of the cost of any new projects. Ho-Chunk, Inc. with the critical help of HCCDC applied for a large-scale grant and a smaller scale one. Approximately 90 tribal projects

applied and there were less than 20 tribes awarded. We actually got the grant for both the large and small-scale project. Starting soon, we will add approximately 1000 more solar panels throughout our community.

We are lucky to get these grants. One of the key factors in getting the grant was the corporate structure and reputation of Ho-Chunk, Inc. and the Winnebago Tribe. I suspect our new president may not prioritize renewable energy going forward, so these grants might be hard to come by in the near future.

We will add solar panels to several more buildings in the Ho-Chunk Village, including some for the tribal elders housing, which should help with their electric bill. We will also install solar panels at the tribal college, the tribal senior citizens building, and the tribal veterans building at the pow-wow grounds. Since we have extra panels, we will also install some ground based solar panels just north of the Pony Express in an empty field where we just installed the Now Entering Native America sign. I think the sign and the solar panels in the field behind it will really send a cool and positive message about who we are and what kind of community they are entering.

Both the college and tribe will provide some matching amounts, but Ho-Chunk, Inc. will be the primary source of matching funds. We believe that after factoring in the grants that we will get about a 10 percent return on our investment. The return is nice, but that really isn't why I am so into the idea of renewable energy. Someone asked me about the solar on my house, I always tell people that the return on my investment is just ok, but mostly I just like driving up to my house and looking at the panels because it makes me feel good.

So I am hoping our example will help push more people in our community and in the surrounding area to use more renewable energy. At the very least, I think it will make us feel good knowing we are starting down a sustainable path for our little corner of the planet.

Contact me at hochunk@aol.com

JESUS OUR SAVIOR LUTHERAN OUTREACH



Pastor Ricky Jacob

"I Have a Dream!"

One of the most memorable speeches of the 20th Century was delivered on August 28th, 1963. It was entitled "I Have a Dream" and was delivered to over 250,000 civil rights supporters from the steps of the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C. It was proclaimed by American civil rights activist Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. during the March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom, in which he calls for an end to racism in the United States and called for civil and economic rights.

About two-thirds of the way through his speech, Dr Martin Luther King Jr. spoke these words: "I say to you today, my friends, so even though we face the difficulties of today and tomorrow, I still have a dream.

It is a dream deeply rooted in the American dream. I have a dream that one day this nation will rise up and live out the true meaning of its creed: "We hold these truths to be self-evident; that all men are created equal."

Yes, this was a powerful speech that has some basis of truth found in the Sacred Word of God; as both male and female were created in the image of God. As noted above, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. was a civil rights activist, dealing with earthly matters and not spiritual matters.

I wonder if this was a dream from God. Was it a dream at all, or merely wishful thinking? Is this type of preaching or speech delivering, what Jeremiah was railing against when he proclaimed?

"I have heard what the prophets say who prophesy lies in my name. They say, 'I had a dream! I had a dream!' How long will this continue in the hearts of these lying prophets, who prophesy the delusions of their own minds? They think the dreams they tell one another will make my people forget my name, just as their fathers forgot my name through Baal worship. Let the prophet who has a dream tell his dream, but

let the one who has my word speak it faithfully. [Jeremiah 23:25-28a NIV]

Put another way, who is one to believe? Jeremiah was warning against prophets who said what people wanted to hear. These were not prophets of God; rather they led people away from God.

We tend to want to believe what others say, especially when it is in agreement of what we think or believe. We tend to seek people out who are like minded, while avoiding those whom we disagree with. We listen to spiritual leaders who say what we want to hear even if it is in direction opposition to what Creator God has proclaimed.

So, how is one to know who are the true prophets? The true prophet or preacher of God says what God has said. In other words, he does not add to or take away from God's Sacred Word.

How are you to know if he is speaking what Creator God has said? Have you taken the time to read God's Sacred Word? Have you prayed to the Teacher of all things that His Spirit would open your ears to hear what He has said? Have you asked the Holy Spirit to open your mind to understand and to see Jesus for who He truly is and what He has done for you?

The very night that Jesus rose from the dead, he said to two of his disciples, "These are my words that I spoke to you while I was still with you, that everything written about me in the Law of Moses and the Prophets and the Psalms must be fulfilled." Then [Jesus] opened their minds to understand the Scriptures, and said to them, "Thus it is written, that the Christ should suffer and on the third day rise from the dead, and that repentance and forgiveness of sins should be proclaimed in his name to all nations, beginning from Jerusalem. You are witnesses of these things." [Luke 24:44-48 ESV]

Crime Stoppers Reward Program

A standing reward \$400 is offered through the Winnebago Tribe for the first person that provides information necessary for the arrest and conviction of any persons damaging and/or vandalizing tribal property.

You must provide documentation of the conviction from the Tribal Court in order to receive the reward.

Submit all documentation to the Winnebago Tribal Office.

Masthead Scene

The 151st Annual Homecoming Celebration was lit with over 450 registered dancers that tried to fill the Veteran's Memorial Park's beautiful Powwow Arena. This shot courtesy of Ken Lewis has made its rounds on facebook and is a contender for next years powwow poster, we'll have to see if it can be topped.

Letter to the Editor...

Anger Over Loss of Per Cap

To Winnebago Tribe Editor,

Two years ago no per cap. That is a right, our getting one. The Council gave it to Lance Morgan. Last year we got part of one. The rest they give to Lance Morgan.

This year, the third year, it sounds like they, Council, are going to give our per cap to Lance Morgan again.

Article in the Winnebago Indian News, "Message from the Presidents Office at Little Priest Tribal College." There are 232 enrolled Winnebago tribal members who owe at L.P.T.C. He is going to go to Tribal Court to garnish per cap and wages.

L.P.T.C. President is Maunka Morgan. Changing a name that sounds like "Mauna" to me is very disrespectful and sacrilegious.

Thanks, this is my opinion.

Pat Greyhair
Maxiska

In Loving Memory...

Bette Scott



Winnebago, Neb.

Bette (Whitebeaver) Scott, 86, of Winnebago, passed away Monday, July 31, 2017, at her home.

Services were held at the Ho-Chunk Community Center in Winnebago, with Reva DeCora overseeing arrangements. Burial took place at the Winnebago Cemetery.

Bette (Whitebeaver) Scott was born on April 14, 1931, in Winnebago, to Charles and Agnes (Hinman) Whitebeaver. She was a graduate of Winnebago Public School. Bette attended Cook Christian Training Center in Phoenix, Ariz., where she met and married Timothy Scott. Bette went to nursing school and did her clinicals at Cleveland Clinic. She worked as a Winnebago CHR for 30 years.

She served on the Winnebago Gaming Commission and was a previous member of the Winnebago Tribal Council. In 1972,

Bette participated in the Trail of Broken Treaties takeover of the Bureau of Indian Affairs in Washington, D.C.

She was a member of the Winnebago Reformed Church. Bette enjoyed reading, watching the Food Network, going to bingo, and watching her grandchildren dance at pow-wows.

Survivors include her children, Karen Scott, Kim (Pierre) Scott, and Kee (Gerald) Pond of Winnebago; grandchildren, Aaron Castilla, Emmy and Marlon Scott of Winnebago, and Sharon and Jake Pond of Lincoln, Neb.; and a sister, Dorothy McGuire of Lorain, Ohio.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Charles and Agnes Whitebeaver; her husband, Timothy Scott; three brothers, Charles, Reuben and Wilber Whitebeaver; and four sisters, Mae, Joyce, Mary and Lydia Whitebeaver.

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News Around Winnebago

Sr. Miss Nebraska Winnebago 2017/18

Greetings relatives I'm very honored to have been selected Sr. Miss Nebraska Winnebago 2017/2018. My name is Savannah M'Lynn Chamberlain, my hokak name is Maxi Ska inga White Cloud woman. I'm from the buffalo clan. My parents are Brian and Sharon (Redhorn) Chamberlain. My Grandparents are Keith Chamberlain and Jennifer Kearnes, the late Stanford Whitewater Jr. and Winona Redhorn. I have 4 brothers Jerome and Durell, Jarrod and Christopher and one sister Winona.



I will be going into my second year at Haskell Indian Nations University, majoring in Media Communications and Business. I also play volleyball there as a right side hitter. My passions are playing volleyball and dancing at powwows. I enjoy reading, working out, hanging with friends, listening to music and being with family.

I will always put my best efforts in while representing our people. I'm humbled at this opportunity and will tell people about our last war chief Little Priest and why we celebrate. I will also be reminded why I dance, I'll be doing it for those who no longer can. MaOna bless us all.

Jr. Miss Nebraska Winnebago

Asia Rave



Hi, my name is Asia Rave. I am the new Jr. Miss Nebraska Winnebago. I'm 14 years old and I live in Black River Falls, Wisconsin. I am a member of the bear clan. My father is Jeriah Rave Sr. and my mother is Michelle Rave.

I play multiple sports including wrestling, volleyball, basketball, softball and track. I went to the Wisconsin State wrestling meet three years in a row and was a State champion 2 years. I was a runner up one of the years.

I went to nationals for wrestling and placed 3rd in a high school bracket down in Oklahoma City.

I am proud to be the 2017 Winnebago Powwow Jr. Princess, and I will represent the Winnebago People well.



St. Augustines, & Winnebago Public Schools
August 16th

Educare & Little Priest Tribal College
August 21st

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

ATTENTION!
all Winnebago Tribal members and all HoChunk people of Minnesota!

HoChunk Renaissance will be selling our NEW "Hōc̣ak Hoi't'e Ra" Language Books at the HoChunk Nation District 5 office in St. Paul, Minnesota
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HoChunk Greetings

ENGLISH:
I greet you all! My name is _____. I belong to the _____ clan. (Non-HoChunk use: I am a _____.) I am from _____. I am _____ years old. My mother is _____. My father is _____. My grandmother is _____. My grandfather is _____.
How are you all today? (sitting)
I am _____ (mood).

HOCHUNK:
Hin̄karagina! _____ ga h̄gairena. _____ yāk̄karac wā'ūa je na. (Non-HoChunk use: _____ hiza wā'ūaje na.) _____ eja howawaji na. Mā _____ wā'ūa je na _____ ga hi'ūni ha na _____ ga hi'āc ha na. _____ ga hikoroke ha na. _____ ga hicoke ha na.
Hāp te'e jānisge hašanaḡwi?
_____ ha'ū hanihena.

We use a reflexive pronoun to refer back to the speaker **i** (person speaking) me or refer to the person spoken to **ni** (person spoken to) you

i : me
Ni : you

Introduce yourself with the verb **hige** (call)
_____ ga h̄gaire na. They call me _____. (my name is)

Jagu hin̄gaire? What do they call You?

You can also introduce yourself by saying:
_____ ga wā'ūa je na. I am _____

We use **je** when we are standing. _____ ga wā'ūa je na.

Use **naḡ** when sitting. _____ ga wa'ūnaḡ šana.

HO-CHUNK, INC. NAMES COMMUNITY IMPACT AND ENGAGEMENT VICE PRESIDENT



Ann Marie Bledsoe Downes has been named Vice President, Community Impact and Engagement, announced Lance Morgan, Ho-Chunk, Inc. President and CEO.

In her role, Bledsoe Downes will interact with all areas of the corporation, focusing on how the numerous Ho-Chunk, Inc. divisions impact and engage with the local Winnebago community. She will also assist in the development of local housing initiatives and job creation opportunities, working closely with both Ho-Chunk, Inc. and Tribal leaders. Her goal is to more firmly connect Ho-Chunk, Inc. efforts with Winnebago community needs.

"We are fortunate to have Ann Marie join our team. She brings not only her experience working in Washington, D.C. on matters vital to Native Americans, but her passion for her people, the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska. Ann Marie will be able to identify needs within our community, recommend solutions, and expertly find the resources as well as the best way to implement them," said Morgan.

Bledsoe Downes said, "Beyond the community development work, I hope to utilize the lessons learned and skills developed during my time in Washington, D.C. in a way that will help the company grow and respond to increasing competition and threats. I was blessed to be able to work in the past for my Tribe in education, and I'm really excited to now come home and serve my Tribe by focusing on the area of economic development."

Prior to joining Ho-Chunk, Inc., Bledsoe Downes served as Deputy Assistant Secretary for Policy and Economic Development for the Department of Interior, Office of the Assistant Secretary – Indian Affairs. She has also been Acting Director of the Bureau of Indian Education - Department of Interior, President of Little Priest Tribal College in Winnebago, as well as various positions at the Sandra Day O'Connor College of Law Indian Legal Program at Arizona State University, National Native American Bar Association, and State of Arizona – Governor's Office, and Hoopa Valley Tribal Gaming Commission.

An enrolled member of the Winnebago Tribe of Nebraska, Bledsoe Downes earned her B.A. in Social Sciences Education from Wayne State College in Wayne, Nebraska and her Juris Doctorate from Arizona State University in Tempe, Arizona.

SUICIDE IN INDIAN COUNTRY PART 4

Suicide Warning Signs

- Talking about wanting to die or wanting to kill themselves
- Looking for a way to kill themselves, like searching online, or actually buying a gun
- Talking about feeling hopeless or having no reason to live
- Talking about feeling trapped or in unbearable pain
- Talking about being a burden to others
- Increasing the use of alcohol or drugs
- Acting anxious or agitated; behaving recklessly
- Sleeping too little or too much
- Withdrawing or isolating themselves
- Showing rage or talking about seeking revenge
- Extreme mood swings

Let the person know that you are willing to go with them to see a professional when they are ready. If you feel the situation is critical, take the person to the closest Emergency Room or call 9-1-1. Do not put yourself in danger; if at any time during the process you are concerned about your own safety, or that the person may harm others, call 9-1-1.

Never negotiate with a person who has a gun, call 9-1-1 and leave the area.

Means restriction is VERY important in keeping our loved ones safe. If they are showing signs of suicide, please remove any guns, getting gun locks or removing pills. Someone who is self-harming, such as cutting themselves, is NOT necessarily in danger of killing themselves. They would rather feel the pain of self-harm than the pain going on inside their brains. Please reach out the counselors at the Behavioral Health unit of the hospital 1-402-878-2911 or the After Hours Crisis # 1-712-259-3263 or 1-800-273-8255 (TALK).

Total Solar Eclipse 2017: When, Where and How to See It (Safely)

What is a total solar eclipse?

A total solar eclipse occurs when the disk of the moon appears to completely cover the disk of the sun in the sky. The fact that total solar eclipses occur at all is a quirk of cosmic geometry. The moon orbits an average of 239,000 miles (385,000 kilometers) from Earth — just the right distance to seem the same size in the sky as the much-larger sun. However, these heavenly bodies line up only about once every 18 months.

Outside the path of totality, skywatchers in the continental U.S. and other nearby areas will see a partial solar eclipse, in which the moon appears to take a bite out of the sun's disk. Two to five solar eclipses occur each year on average, but total solar eclipses happen just once every 18 months or so.

What will I see during a total solar eclipse?

During a total solar eclipse, the disk of the moon blocks out the last sliver of light from the sun, and the sun's outer atmosphere, the corona, becomes visible. The corona is far from an indistinct haze; skywatchers report seeing great jets and ribbons of light, twisting and curling out into the sky.

"It brings people to tears," Rick Fienberg, a spokesperson for the American Astronomical Society (AAS), told Space.com of the experience. "It makes people's jaw drop."

During totality, the area inside the moon's shadow is cloaked in twilight — a very strange feeling to experience in the middle of the day. Just before and just after totality, observers can see this cloak of darkness moving toward them across the landscape, and then moving away.

These effects are not visible during a partial solar eclipse, so skywatchers are encouraged to see if they are inside the path of totality during the total eclipse.

From what locations will the total solar eclipse be visible?

The path of totality for the Aug. 21, 2017, total solar eclipse is about 70 miles wide and stretches from Oregon to South Carolina. It passes through Idaho, Wyoming, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Illinois, Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia, North Carolina and South Carolina.

You can use this interactive map from NASA to zoom in on the path and find out the exact locations from which it will be visible.

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Community News

WINNEBAGO TRIBAL COUNCIL

PRIMARY & REGULAR ELECTION SCHEDULE SEPTEMBER 5th, 2017 & OCTOBER 3rd, 2017

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

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. JFJ17-039
The People of the Winnebago Tribe
In the Interest of:
C. F. H. (DOB 4-24-2004)
ROBIN BEAR, Guardian

To: POTENTIAL FATHERS,

You are hereby notified that a hearing for Initial Appearance concerning the above referred minor individual(s) in case no. JFJ17-039 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 10TH day of OCTOBER, 2017 at the hour of 9:00 A.M.

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

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.

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,

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 and 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.

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

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.

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

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.

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

You are hereby notified that a petition for Name Change has been filed and a hearing concerning the above referred Individual in case no. CV17-088 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 17TH day of AUGUST, 2017 at the hour of 11:00 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. JFJ17-038B

The People of the Winnebago Tribe
In the Interest of:
D. V. (DOB 05-30-2010)

To: WAYLON VARGAS,

You are hereby notified that a hearing for Initial Appearance concerning the above referred minor individual(s) in case no. JFJ17-038B has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 10TH day of OCTOBER, 2017 at the hour of 11:00 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. JFJ17-041
The People of the Winnebago Tribe
In the Interest of:
T. C. (DOB 02-27-2007)
ALVINA CHILSON, Mother

To: POTENTIAL FATHERS,

You are hereby notified that a hearing for Initial Appearance concerning the above referred minor individual(s) in case no. JFJ17-039 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 10TH day of OCTOBER, 2017 at the hour of 9:30 A.M.

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. JFJ17-033A 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. CV17-098
In the Matter of the Divorce Petition of:
GEOFFREY FRAZIER
vs
JADE HARDEN
To: JADE HARDEN:

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. CV17-099
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

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. 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.

**New Deadline !!
for
Winnebago
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August 18**

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. JFJ17-036D
The People of the Winnebago Tribe
In the Interest of:
R. G. (DOB 06-11-2000)

To: JEREMIAH BIGFIRE,

You are hereby notified that a hearing for Initial Appearance concerning the above referred minor individual(s) in case no. JFJ17-036D has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 10TH day of OCTOBER, 2017 at the hour of 10:30 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. JFJ17-028B
The People of the Winnebago Tribe
In the Interest of:
A. H. (DOB 06-08-2011)
STEPHANIE HARLAN, Mother
To: ALL POTENTIAL FATHERS

You are hereby notified that a hearing for Initial Appearance concerning the above referred minor individual(s) in case no. JFJ17-028B has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 21st day of NOVEMBER, 2017 at the hour of 11:00 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. CV17-102
In the Matter of the Name Change Petition of:
KAI TRUNG DINH
to KAI KEKOA SLOWMAN

To: TRUNG NHUT DINH, Father
ANY INTERESTED PARTIES

You are hereby notified that a petition for Name Change has been filed and a hearing concerning the above referred Individual in case no. CV17-102 has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 28TH day of SEPTEMBER, 2017 at the hour of 9:30 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. JFJ17-038A
The People of the Winnebago Tribe
In the Interest of:
L. T. (DOB 01-13-2009)
To: VICTOR TYNDALL,

You are hereby notified that a hearing for Initial Appearance concerning the above referred minor individual(s) in case no. JFJ17-038A has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 10TH day of OCTOBER, 2017 at the hour of 11:00 A.M.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice of Hearing
Case No. JFJ17-038CD
The People of the Winnebago Tribe
In the Interest of:
C. B. (DOB 01-15-2014)
C. B. (DOB 08/03/2015)

To: CHRISTIAN BROWNRIGG,

You are hereby notified that a hearing for Initial Appearance concerning the above referred minor individual(s) in case no. JFJ17-038CD has been scheduled and will be heard in the Winnebago Tribal Court of Winnebago, Nebraska on the 10TH day of OCTOBER, 2017 at the hour of 11:00 A.M.

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4th Place	Isabelle Shuckahosee
3rd Place	Desia
2nd Place	Tatum Burgess
1st Place	Dianna Funmaker

Jr Girls Fancy

4th Place	Zeara Kapayou
3rd Place	Jacie Walker
2nd Place	Mimike Dolezal
1st Place	Keya Drapeau

Jr Girls Jingle

4th Place	Nadalia Payer
3rd Place	Anhinga Delgado
2nd Place	Rhiana Spoonhunter
1st Place	Caden Smith

Jr Girls HoCak Applique

4th Place	Tasheena King
3rd Place	Caly Wolf Leader
2nd Place	Elicia Leonard
1st Place	Aman Funmaker

Jr Boys Traditional (7-12)

4th Place	Lucus Decorah
3rd Place	Payton Roberts
2nd Place	Elia Leonard
1st Place	Aison Funmaker

Jr Boys Fancy

4th Place	Kune Sheridan
3rd Place	Lucas Cleveland
2nd Place	Levi Cleveland
1st Place	Adlai Cleveland

Jr Boys grass

4th Place	Hunter Lee Delgado
3rd Place	Cael Youngbear
2nd Place	Dayven Clairmont
1st Place	Ross Ike

Teen Girls Traditional (13-17)

4th Place	Tessa Diamond
3rd Place	Hayden Parker
2nd Place	Reyna Brinegar
1st Place	Kyleigh Merrick

Teen Girls Fancy

4th Place	Aurellia Payer
3rd Place	Jaysa Rasmussen
2nd Place	Alex Zephier
1st Place	Sally Whitewing

Teen Girls Jingle

4th Place	Nuh Tahnee Pelkey
3rd Place	Alexandria Decorah
2nd Place	Lorena Brinegar
1st Place	Lily Smith

Teen Girls HoCak Applique

4th Place	Isabel Earth
3rd Place	Calista Stumblingbear
2nd Place	Shaundiin Long
1st Place	Elizha Leonard

Teen Boys Traditional (13-17)

4th Place	Jamisen Wolfleader
3rd Place	Elijah Bear Leonard
2nd Place	DJ Scott
1st Place	Floyd King

Teen Boys Fancy

4th Place	
3rd Place	David Cleveland
2nd Place	Buster Cleveland
1st Place	Knowee Patts

Teen Boys Grass

4th Place	Coly Rose
3rd Place	Ronald Painter
2nd Place	Jack Cleveland
1st Place	Tyrone Green

Jr Womens HoCak Applique

4th Place	Delicia Payer
3rd Place	Gaby Brinegar
2nd Place	Taylor Clairmont
1st Place	Brittney Pelkey

Jr Womens Northern Traditional

4th Place	Sherrie Marland
3rd Place	Sadie Jefferson
2nd Place	Trista Free
1st Place	Lena Nells

Jr Womens Southern Buckskin/Cloth

4th Place	Raven Morgan
3rd Place	Mychael Grant
2nd Place	Erica Pretty Eagle Moore
1st Place	Cassie Kitcheyan

Jr Womens Jingle

4th Place	Anissa Clairmont
3rd Place	Heleyna Brinegar
2nd Place	Emmalee Clairmont
1st Place	Cheyenne Hindsley

Jr Womens Fancy

4th Place	Mariah St Cyr
3rd Place	Shandiin Jack
2nd Place	Tylynn Broncho
1st Place	Mimi Sauksavath

Jr Mens Northern Traditional (18-34)

4th Place	Bobby Morris
3rd Place	Bud Grant
2nd Place	Donovan Haury
1st Place	Triston Lasley

Jr Mens Southern Straight

4th Place	Michael Grant Jr.
3rd Place	Marshall Funmaker
2nd Place	Talone Satepauhoodle
1st Place	Terranec Todome

Jr Mens Grass

4th Place	Alex Pelkey
3rd Place	Justis Wolfleader
2nd Place	Lorenzo Marcus Elwood
1st Place	Luke Cloud

Jr Mens Fancy

4th Place	Graham Primeaux
3rd Place	Terrance Cleveland
2nd Place	David Cleveland
1st Place	Delano Cleveland

Sr Womens HoCak Applique (35-54)

4th Place	
3rd Place	Angelina Hindsley
2nd Place	Autumn White
1st Place	Heather Cloud

Sr Womens Northern Traditional

4th Place	Rachael Falcon
3rd Place	Rhonda Kameska
2nd Place	Tarissa Spoonhunter
1st Place	Maria Garcia

Sr Womens Southern Buckskin/Cloth

4th Place	Lynette Satepauhoodle
3rd Place	Stefanie Clairmont
2nd Place	Brigette Morris
1st Place	Dyanni Hamilton

Sr Womens Jingle

4th Place	Cindy Littlefeather
3rd Place	Jenny Wilkie
2nd Place	Cepa C. G. Two Eagle
1st Place	Candice Johnson

Sr. Womens Fancy

4th Place	Carol Grant
3rd Place	Alison Saunsoci
2nd Place	Amelia Whitewater
1st Place	Barbara Whitehead O'Rourke

Sr Mens Northern Traditional (35-54)

4th Place	Dustin Lovejoy
3rd Place	Dylan Prescott
2nd Place	Orlando Ike
1st Place	Galen Drapeau

Sr Mens Southern Straight

4th Place	Michael Grant Sr
3rd Place	Matthew Sheka Sr
2nd Place	Gerwin Coochise
1st Place	Juaquin Hamilton

Sr Mens Grass

4th Place	Dan Prescott
3rd Place	Al Childs
2nd Place	Haga Cleveland
1st Place	Todd Ike

Sr Mens Fancy

4th Place	
3rd Place	
2nd Place	Mike Scheiblofen
1st Place	Henry McClellan

Golden Age Women Combined (55 & over)

4th Place	Charisse Spoonhunter
3rd Place	Betty Green Crow
2nd Place	Thelma Whitewater
1st Place	Angela Toineeta

Golden Age Men Combined (55 & over)

4th Place	Marlin Spoonhunter
3rd Place	Dennis Youngbear
2nd Place	William Hindsley
1st Place	Paul Cloud

Drum Contest

7th Place	HoCak Station
6th Place	Eagle Feather
5th Place	MoTown
4th Place	Bad Nation
3rd Place	White Tail Boyz
2nd Place	Standing Horse
1st Place	Southern Boyz

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You can also check out our state-by-state guide to find out which major cities and prime locations will fall inside the path of totality. You may also want to attend one of the many eclipse parties and organized events taking place around the path of totality.

When will the total solar eclipse occur, and how long will it last?

The timing of the total solar eclipse and its duration both depend on where you are inside the path of totality.

At most, the moon will completely cover the disk of the sun for 2 minutes and 40 seconds. That's about how long totality will last for observers positioned anywhere along the center of the path of totality. As you move toward the edge of the path, the duration of totality will decrease. People standing at the very edge of the path may observe totality for only a few seconds.

The chart below lists the moment of mid-totality and the duration of totality for a handful of cities that lie close to the center of the path. Data from NASA.

	Eclipse Begins	Totality Begins	Totality Ends	Eclipse Ends
Lincoln, NE	11:37 a.m.	01:04 p.m.	02:29 p.m.	01:02 p.m.

Because the shadow of the moon will move from west to east, totality will occur later in the day the farther east you travel. Use the NASA interactive eclipse map to find out exactly when totality will occur and how long it will last in the location where you plan to observe the eclipse. Just click on a spot on the map, and an informational box will appear with specific times.

Do I need any equipment to view the eclipse?

Anyone planning to view the total solar eclipse of 2017 should get a pair of solar viewing glasses. These protective shades make it possible for observers to look directly at the sun before and after totality. The following four companies sell eclipse glasses that meet the international standard (ISO 12312-2) recommended by NASA, the AAS and other scientific organizations: Rainbow Symphony, American Paper Optics, Thousand Oaks Optical and TSE 17.

Sunglasses cannot be used in place of solar viewing glasses.

New Deadline !!!
for Winnebago Newspaper August 18

WHS 2017 ANNUAL ALUMNI BANQUET HELD "CHRISTMAS IN JULY"

Last Wednesday, July 26th, the 66th Annual Winnebago Alumni Association Banquet, "Christmas in July," was held at the new Cardinal Conference Center in South Sioux City, with 71 in attendance.

Honor classes on the 7's from as far back as 1957 were celebrated, plus the 25-year class of 1992. The 50-year class had the most classmates present, including Kendall Olson, Gene Stout, Don McGhee, and Andy Olson.

It was a great evening, with vocal and instrumental entertainment provided by two very talented future graduates of 2018, Laura Neff and Raommi Bird, plus a music video presentation of Native Voices by the Winnebago N'we Jinan Artists, which both girls had shared a huge part in.

Alums enjoyed a glimpse of the school as it is today via "LipDub video 2016-2017" taking them on a wonderful musical tour of the school.

Jacie Price, a recent graduate of 2017, happened to have her dad, James, on hand as she was surprised by being crowned "2017 Queen of the Banquet" flanked by classmates, Kyle Urbanec and Ethan Bird.

Ethan Bird assisted in with the Annual Memorial Candle Lighting Roll Call, honoring classmates who have passed in recent years.

Special recognition was given to all new seniors, while those present shared their future plans and favorite high school memories.

Ninety-one-and-a-half year old Emmett McGhee, father of seven WHS graduates, made his 66th banquet of 66, having yet to miss even one!

The annual all-you-can-eat meal was shared, and the business meeting brought lots of laughs throughout the room, led by President, Jerome Vavra, class of 1955.

Pattie Wroth Valladolid, class of 1951, generously decorated the tables with Christmas gifts she donated.

As the night closed, everyone walked away with prizes from the annual end-less raffle.

Anyone interested in attending next year can expect the banquet to again be held on the Wednesday night before the start of Pow-Wow, intended to better accommodate those traveling from a distance who would like to attend both.

A special thank you to the younger graduates and students, and all others who contributed toward making this year's event a smash hit.

Come join the fun! If you would like more information or would like to volunteer for next year's celebration, please contact Recording Secretary, Darlaka McGhee-Mahon, at 712.259.2111.



L-R: 50 Year Class of 1967; Kendall Olson, Don McGhee, Marian Holstein (also in attendance from this class and not shown were Gene Stout and Andy Olson)



Ninety-one year old Emmett McGhee attends his 66th Alumni Banquet Celebration of all 66 that have been held since the banquet began after WWII.



L-R: 2017 New Graduates; Kyle Urbanec, Jacey Price, Ethan Bird



Senior 2017, Ethan Bird assists with "Memorial Candle Lighting Ceremony" as Lloyd Stansberry remembers a loved one.

New Deadline !!! for Winnebago Newspaper August 18

Friendly Reminders from The Winnebago Housing & Development Commission

Please, Tenants with pets, be considerate of your neighbors. Keep your dogs on a leash when walking them, on a chain strong enough to hold them in the yard and far enough away from foot traffic of young children and service workers in the neighborhood. Senior complex tenants keep the area clean of feces, your outside areas are so close together and small that odors permeate quickly and are offensive in the heat. We appreciate your cooperation on this.

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Pages 3 & 4;

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Section c. Failure to report changes and/or Misrepresentation: The Resident agrees to report full and accurate information concerning the income of each family member, the family size, and accurate information concerning any deductions from the family income in accordance with Section 4 (A) and (B).

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Dawn M. Snake, Resident Services.

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Community News

Powwow 3 on 3 Basketball Results...

The Boys and Girls Club of Winnebago held a Youth 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament on Sunday of Pow Wow. It was a good turnout.

The Club would like to thank Winnebago Housing for providing us with a generator and paying for the portable restrooms. Thanks to Sandy "Sandman" Scott for helping with setup and letting us use his PA system and MCing the tourney. Also thanks to WPS for letting us use the courts, and another thanks to Allie Frenchman for volunteering her own time to help ref. Thanks to all the out of town players who showed up.

The one thing that was upsetting was that there was very few local kids that signed up, and the tourney could've been bigger. Parents are always asking for events and activities for their kids and when we have them they don't get them involved or be involved themselves. This has been a problem in the past not just for the club, other programs as well. That being said it was still a great turnout. Thanks again to everybody who helped.

Treivan Bear, Unit Director



4th-6th Grade Boys Champs: Jonny, Kevin, Caden, Kaylou



High school Boys Champions: Big Ballers



Jr. High Boys Champs: Native Elite



High school Runner Up: Z02



Jr. High Boys Runner Up: Jalen and two other guys.



High school Girls Runner Up: BAHK



High School Girls 3 point Champ: Bailey



Jr. High Boys 3 Point Champ: Kellen



Jr. High Girls Champions: Scrubs



Jr. High Girls 3 Point Contestants & Champion: Natasha



Jr. High Girls Runner up: Natasha, Isabelle, Keisha

MORE SOLAR & WIND ENERGY TO POWER *Winnebago!*

Ho-Chunk, Inc. has been awarded two grants totaling \$789,000 for tribal renewable energy projects by the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) Office of Indian Energy Policy and Programs. The plans are to install 1000 solar panels in 13 sites across the Reservation that will generate over 300kw of solar power, effectively reducing energy bills by about \$40,000 a year. Both grants require matching funds from Ho-Chunk, Inc., which allows for even more energy efficiency and clean energy options on the Winnebago Reservation.

Lance Morgan, President and CEO said, "Winnebago is going solar! These grants are really a big deal for the whole community. Ho-Chunk, Inc. has always been committed to finding ways to be less dependent on traditional electric and gas energy for our operations. Over the years, we have saved thousands of dollars with solar projects on many of our buildings in Ho-Chunk Village. However, these new grants will allow us to make a greater impact with energy savings across the Reservation."

Morgan believes this will make the Winnebago community have one of the largest renewable energy infrastructures in the state of Nebraska.

Ho-Chunk, Inc. identified opportunities on the Reservation for solar and wind systems and submitted the grant applications in December. In June, they were notified they received 2 out of 13 national awards from the DOE. Currently, Ho-Chunk, Inc. is working with Nebraska Renewable Energy Systems for the multiple projects on the Reservation that will be covered by the grant money and the matching funds from Ho-Chunk, Inc.

The proposed renewable energy projects will benefit:

WINNEBAGO COMMUNITY

- Wind Turbine replacement and long-term monitoring for Little Priest Tribal College.
- Solar panel installation on Woodland Trails building. It is anticipated to offset 65% of electrical energy consumption.
- Solar panel installation at Ho-Chunk Renaissance.
- Solar panel installation on the Tribal Planning building to 100% offset the total electrical usage.

WINNEBAGO ELDERS

- Solar panel installation on the 10 Senior Duplex units in Ho-Chunk Village. This will help offset the cost of electricity to these units.
- Solar panel installation on the Winnebago Senior Citizen Center for a 23% offset of electrical consumption.

VETERANS

- Solar Panels installed on the Veteran's Building at the Tribal Pow Wow Grounds to 100% offset the total electrical usage during the Annual Homecoming Celebration.

HO-CHUNK, INC.

- Solar panel installation on Rock River Manufacturing building, with an expected 16% energy cost offset.
- 416 Solar Panel Farm located on the parcel of land near Pony Express and Titan Motors. It is expected to offset 75% of the total retail energy usage.
- Solar panel array installation on the Live/Work Building in Ho-Chunk Village. This is an all-electric building and the anticipated energy cost offset is 29%.
- Expansion of the solar panel array installed in 2010 on the HCI Distribution building for increased energy creation.
- Heritage Foods in Walthill solar panel array installation to help offset the rising electrical costs.



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