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# Puyallup Tribal News

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# Primary Election Results

Puyallup Tribal News Staff

On April 1, more than 700 Tribal members took to the polls to cast their votes for two open seats for the 2023 Puyallup Tribal Council Primary Election. Eleven Puyallup members candidates ran for their chance to be a part of Tribal government history as they hoped to advance one step closer for an opportunity to serve on Tribal Council for a three-year term. With many members voting by absentee ballots, hundreds of others came down to Chief Leschi Schools.

Many Tribal members brought their kids to show the importance of voting. In recent years, election day has formed a sense of community, and members come and hang out and eat meals provided by food trucks from some candidates.

The election committee had an opportunity to test out a new voting machine and provided members with cookies and cupcakes after voting. Overall, the election had a great turnout, and to the right are the vote totals for the candidates.

The top four move on the General Election happening later this June:

|                              |            |
|------------------------------|------------|
| <b>JAMES JIM JIM RIDEOUT</b> | <b>371</b> |
| <b>MONICA MILLER</b>         | <b>332</b> |
| <b>DARYLE BARNES</b>         | <b>136</b> |
| <b>PHILLIP DILLON</b>        | <b>88</b>  |
| <b>FRANK EARL SR</b>         | <b>115</b> |
| <b>TALLON SATIACUM</b>       | <b>4</b>   |
| <b>DELORES ANCHETA</b>       | <b>124</b> |
| <b>TESHAY FIRETHUNDER</b>    | <b>43</b>  |
| <b>PAULA SASTICUM</b>        | <b>52</b>  |
| <b>MARK BRIDGES</b>          | <b>26</b>  |
| <b>MERRILEE SATIACUM</b>     | <b>117</b> |



## IMPORTANT DATES

**Friday, May 5**

**Deadline for absentee ballot request:** must be received in the Election Board's mailbox by 9 a.m.

**Saturday, June 3**

**Absentee Ballots:** must be received in the Election Board's mailbox by 8 a.m.

**GENERAL ELECTION:** 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. at Chief Leschi School, 5625 52nd St. East, Puyallup.

**Friday, June 9**

**Courtesy mail-out of election count.**

**More Information**

**For election related questions,** please email ElectionBoard@PuyallupTribe-nsn.gov or write to 1625 E. 72nd St. Ste 700-PMB 149, Tacoma, WA 98404.

## The Puyallup Tribal News is offering paid advertisements for Tribal Council candidates during the 2023 election season.

**Here's how it works:**

- Submit payment of \$150 for a half-page ad or \$300 for a full-page ad to the Accounting Department. The price will pay for an ad to run once.
- Accounting will send proof of payment to the news staff.
- Communications staff will not design your ad.
- Send a PDF of your ready-to-publish ad to news@puyalluptribe-nsn.gov. The ad will not be placed into the paper until proof of payment is received from Accounting.
- **Ad sizes:** Full page is 10.25 inches by 16 inches at 300 pixels/inch. Half page is 10.25 inches by 8 inches at 300 pixels/inch.

Ads must be submitted **by 5 p.m.** on the following dates:

- **May 10** for the June edition, which is scheduled to be mailed to Tribal Members on May 24.

Ads will be displayed in alphabetical order by last name in the paper.

Candidates will have a chance to view a proof of their ad before it is published.

Out of fairness to all candidates and voters, **ADS RECEIVED AFTER THE DEADLINE OR WITHOUT VERIFIED PAYMENT WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

## ELECTIONS BOARD

### Important Deadlines

- Absentee Ballot request form deadline **3/2/2023**
- Primary Election **4/1/2023**
- Absentee Ballot request form deadline **5/5/2023**
- General Election **6/3/2023**

### Election Board Members:

- Ashley Howard
- Lindsay LaPointe-Nicks
- Janet Dillon
- Edmonda Moore-Cook
- Nadine Dillon
- Theresa Sportsman
- Angela Tate

### Alternates

- Anita Gail Dillon
- Armando Wilson
- Andrea Lewis
- John Strickler
- Terri Williams

### Election Board Contact:

- ElectionBoard@PuyallupTribe-nsn.gov

### Code Highlights:

- **9.12.080 Eligible voters.**
  - ◇ (b) All eligible persons must be prepared to offer proper identification in order to vote in a Tribal election. Proper identification includes any form of identification issued by the Puyallup Tribe, a state driver's license, state identification card, student identification card, federal identification card(s), medical identification card, military ID, or an employer identification card.
- **9.12.110 Declaration of candidacy.**
  - ◇ All persons desiring to run for membership on the Tribal Council or for other elected Tribal office shall file a notice of candidacy in writing with the Secretary of the Puyallup Tribal Council no later than 12:00 p.m. of the 45th calendar day before the day scheduled for the primary election. Each candidate shall file on his or her own behalf and cannot be nominated by another person. Lists of the candidates for the respective office shall then be posted by the Secretary of the Tribal Council in at least three public places within the Reservation not less than 10 calendar days before the day scheduled for the primary election.
- **9.12.210 Electioneering and politicking.**
  - ◇ (a) No person shall perform any electioneering or politicking up to seven calendar days before the primary election day or general election day within the designated "no campaign" zone or obstruct the entries thereto or prevent anyone from freely entering or leaving the polling place or building. The "no campaign" zone shall be recommended by the Election Board, approved by the Tribal Council and signs will be posted at the boundary of the "no campaign" zone.
  - ◇ (b) No person shall engage in politicking on Tribally owned or operated property during regular business hours as defined by each Tribal entity. If no regular hours are posted or specifically defined by the Tribal entity then the assumed hours of operation will be Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tribally owned property includes the premises of the Puyallup Tribal Housing Authority, Chief Leschi School, Puyallup Tribal Youth Center, Puyallup Tribal Health Authority, other Tribally owned businesses, buildings, or entities, and any rights-of-way maintained by the Tribe or any other locations designated by the Tribal Council.
    - » (1) Tribally owned property shall not be interpreted to mean individual Tribal members living on any Tribal trust property.
    - » (2) Politicking on Tribal property may be permitted after regular business hours at Tribally owned properties that are commonly used for public gatherings, so long as all usual procedures for reserving and utilizing such property are followed.
    - » (3) Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be issued a citation by Puyallup Tribal Law Enforcement or referred to the Prosecutor's Office.
    - » (4) Standard sized bumper stickers may be placed on personal vehicles without violating this section.
- **9.12.280 Absentee ballot request.**
  - ◇ (a) Each absentee voter shall be issued one absentee ballot, provided he or she mails a signed written request addressed to the Election Committee's post office box. Requests shall be on a form provided by the Election Board.
  - ◇ (b) Each request shall include a valid return address. If no return address is included with the absentee ballot request, an absentee ballot shall not be provided. The Election Board shall not be responsible for a voter's failure to provide a valid mailing address.
  - ◇ (c) Absentee ballot requests must be received no later than 9 a.m. on the date designated by the Election Board in its notice of election. The date designated by the Election Board shall be set at least 15 calendar days before the election is called. All requests shall remain in the designated post office box until 9 a.m. of the date designated by the Board. The absentee ballot requests will then be collected by a minimum of four members of the Election Board. All mailed requests received in the post office box after 9 a.m. on the date as specified by the Board shall be void.
- **9.12.340 Wrongful conduct.**
  - ◇ The following activities are prohibited and may be punishable as a criminal offense under PTC 5.12.1340 and also may result in other charges:
  - ◇ (a) To give or promise any money or other remuneration to any person for the purpose of influencing that person's vote at any Tribal election, except it shall not be unlawful for any candidate to provide transportation to the polling place for any voter unless such transportation is conditioned upon securing a vote;
  - ◇ (b) To force, threaten, deceive, bribe or coerce another voter, either directly or indirectly, to influence a person's vote in any election;
  - ◇ (c) To threaten a voter or a voter's family member will or may suffer financial, employment-related, bodily or other injury to influence that person's vote in any election;
  - ◇ (d) To threaten an employee with dismissal from employment, reduction in pay, disciplinary action, loss of seniority, transfer, or less favorable working conditions, for the purpose of influencing such employee's vote in any election;
  - ◇ (e) To influence or attempt to influence an Election Board member, Law Enforcement Officer in the performance of his/her official duties by means of bribery, force, threat, or promise of any nature;
  - ◇ (f) To sign any name other than the voter's own to an absentee ballot, except in a circumstance where he/she signs for a person in the presence of and at the specific request of such person who is incapable of signing his/her own name because of physical infirmity; or
  - ◇ (g) To submit more than one ballot per election for the same voter.





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## Tribe Fisheries Program helps prepare for the worst-case scenario from recent blaze

Puyallup Tribal News Staff

The worst-case scenario was averted when it comes to the recent fire aboard the F/V Kodiak Enterprise on Hyelbos Waterway. The vessel, which is owned by Trident Seafoods, caught on fire on April 8 and remained ablaze for six days as first responders from unified command attempted to put it out.

The Puyallup Tribe's Fisheries Program was called in to help prepare for a catastrophic possibility: that the inferno could cause the boat to rupture or sink, releasing 55,000 gallons of diesel fuel into Commencement Bay.



"We were asked to come in and explain to the powers that be, the responders, what our concerns were related to habitat and potential habitat injuries," Fisheries Program Director Russ Ladley explained.

"So, we identified those areas and put a priority list together of boom deployment areas," he said. "Fortunately, we did not have to go into that mode. It sounds like things have worked out for the better thus far. There were some small amounts of what was guessed to be hydraulic fluid, but it was within the containment zone."

Puyallup Tribal Council released a statement promising to monitor the situation for potential impacts on fisheries. "Many of our Tribal members' livelihoods depend on good harvests," it read. However, Ladley did not anticipate that this year's harvest would be greatly impacted by the emergency.

"Of course, we're concerned about emissions from the fire," he said. "Some of that material falls on the water and then poses a long-term threat to marine life. What that is exactly, we may never know."

### **Original Statement from Puyallup Tribal Council regarding Kodiak Enterprise fishing boat fire from April 10, 2023.**

Our emergency management and fisheries experts have joined governments' unified response to the Kodiak Enterprise fire. We are glad the crew aboard the vessel when the fire began evacuated safely.

We are monitoring the situation and impacts to our fisheries. Many of our Tribal Members' livelihoods depend on good harvests.

There are no reports of leaks into the water, but we are concerned that there is

no way to prevent them from happening. We also are concerned about air quality impacts to residents who live nearby, the risks of particulates falling into the water and access to waterways. The active and open geoduck harvest has been directly impacted, and other long-awaited fisheries openings including crabs and prawns are due in the coming days.

Many people put enormous effort over many years into cleaning up these waters. This is the second boat fire in this location in two years. We appreciate the efforts of

the Coast Guard and brave first responders and of the unified command that continues to manage the situation. Safety measures must be strong enough to prevent these incidents from happening at all.

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Watch over yourselves well.

With gratitude,  
Your Puyallup Tribal Council



# House of Respect celebrates St. Patrick's Day

Puyallup Tribal News Staff

On March 17, Puyallup Tribe Elders gathered at House of Respect for a St. Patrick's Day-themed luncheon and raffle, during which eight won buffalo skulls that were harvested by the Tribe's Hunting & Wildlife Department. We raise our hands in honor of the sacred buffalos that gave their lives to nourish our people. It was great to see everyone laughing and having a joyous time together! We can't wait to see you all again at the next one. A special thanks to the House of Respect staff for all their great work in making this possible.







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Puyallup Tribe Cultural Center



# Camas Gathering

MAY 6TH, MAY 9TH & MAY 17TH

REGISTRATION AND  
INFORMATION LINK BELOW:

<https://fs10.formsite.com/ss3HCQ/f2p0yymm73/index>

# Puyallup Canoe Family

Paddle Practice and Cultural Sharing

When: 10:00 am select Sundays

Where: dx<sup>m</sup>lallai - Canoe Landing

'Place where to come to shore'

3702 Marine View Dr.

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Canoe Awakening Ceremony

Sunday, May 7, 2023

Elder Circle, Traditional Teachings

Paddle Practice and Cultural Sharing

Sunday, May 21, 2023

Stick Game

Sunday, June 4, 2023

Raffia and Pine Needle Coil Baskets

Sunday, June 11, 2023

How to Garden Tips

Sunday, June 25, 2023

Scavenger Hunt

Sunday, July 9, 2023

Health and Fitness

Sunday, July 16, 2023

Rock and Basket

Come get on the canoe, learn the protocols for being on the canoe and the water. Learn water safety. Make give away items.

Bring a towel, sun screen, hat and a change of clothes.

Practice our Songs and Dances as we prepare for protocol at the annual Canoe Journey, Paddle to Muckleshoot, July 31 to August 6, 2023.

Contact Angeline Totus at 253-320-8361 Clinton McCloud at 253-278-8393



Puyallup Tribe Cultural Center



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|   |  |                                       | 18                                     | CULTURE NIGHT<br>Cultural Center<br>5:30P.M-7:00P.M       |   | CAMAS HARVEST<br>9:00A.M-2:00P.M |
| 7<br>CANOE AWAKENING<br>Canoe Landing<br>11:00A.M-3:00P.M | 8  | 9<br>CAMAS HARVEST<br>9:00A.M-2:00P.M | 10                                     | 11<br>CULTURE NIGHT<br>Cultural Center<br>5:30P.M-7:00P.M | 12  | 13                               |
| 14  | 15   | 16                                    | 17<br>CAMAS HARVEST<br>9:00A.M-2:00P.M | 18<br>CULTURE NIGHT<br>Cultural Center<br>5:30P.M-7:00P.M | 19<br>Culture attending<br>CLS Culture Day                          | 20                               |
| 21<br>CANOE Practice<br>Canoe Landing<br>11:00A.M-3:00P.M | 22   | 23                                    | 24                                     | 25  | 26<br>Honoring our<br>Ancestors Day<br>Office Closed<br>at 12:00p.m | 27                               |
| 28  | 29<br>Honoring our<br>Ancestors Day<br>Office Closed | 30                                    | 31                                     |   |   |                                  |

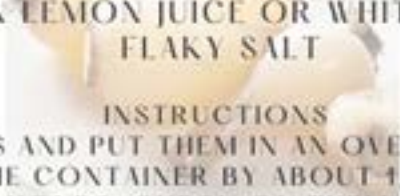


Amber Stephens (Squally) is a game designer and Puyallup Tribal artist based in Tacoma. She has been learning and practicing Salish art since 2010 and continues to branch out into multiple mediums such as: painting, digital design, hide tanning, jewelry, beading, woodworking, printmaking, and weaving.

"sčədadx" in a cedar basket' was drawn to honor the Salmon we catch and the waters where we catch the Salmon from."

Twice Baked Camas

- INGREDIENTS
- 1/2 POUND BLUE CAMAS BULBS, ABOUT A DOZEN
  - 1 TABLESPOON OLIVE OIL
  - 1 TABLESPOON LEMON JUICE OR WHITE WINE VINEGAR
  - FLAKY SALT



INSTRUCTIONS

REMOVE THE PAPERY SHEATH OFF THE BULBS AND PUT THEM IN AN OVENPROOF CONTAINER WITH A LID. POUR IN JUST ENOUGH WATER TO COVER THE BOTTOM OF THE CONTAINER BY ABOUT 1/4 INCH OR SO. COVER THE CONTAINER AND BAKE THE CAMAS BULBS AT 220-230 DEGREES FOR 12 HOURS. CHECK ON THEM AFTER 8 HOURS OR SO. YOU WANT THEM TO LOOK ANYTHING FROM PALE GOLD TO FULL GOLDEN.

SLICE THE BULBS INTO RINGS AND LIGHTLY DUST THEM WITH FINE SALT. SAUTE THEM IN OLIVE OIL, BUTTER OR SOME OTHER FAT UNTIL THEY BROWN. THEY WILL BE A LITTLE STICKY, SO KEEP THE PAN MOVING FOR THE FIRST MINUTE OR SO TO PREVENT THE BULBS FROM STICKING TO THE PAN. KEEP AN EYE ON THEM, AS THE SUGARS IN THE CAMAS WILL CARAMELIZE FAST.

TO FINISH, TOSS WITH THE LEMON JUICE AND DUST WITH THE FLAKY SALT. EAT AT ONCE.

CAMAS NEEDS TO BE COOKED SLOWLY AND FOR A LONG TIME BEFORE YOU DO ANYTHING ELSE WITH IT. IF YOU SKIP THIS STEP, ALL THE INULIN IN THE BULB WILL STILL BE PRESENT. SLOW, MOIST COOKING BREAKS THE INULIN DOWN INTO FRUCTOSE. COOK THE BULBS AT 220 DEGREES FOR 12 HOURS TO GET TO A POINT WHERE THE BULBS WERE STILL SAVORY, BUT WITH A HINT OF SWEETNESS LIKE A PARSNIP.

YOUR STORIES  
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Help us fill these pages with your stories

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT • OBITUARY • FAMILY REUNION PHOTO

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

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

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WATCH OVER YOURSELVES WELL.

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







Alice “Snookie” Guenther Armadarez

Miss You So Much!!

Always thinking of you.

We all love you.

Your little Brother

Milton Guenther, USN Ret.



# #1 Ranked Free-ride Snowboarder in the PNW gets invite to the North American Championship

Puyallup Tribal member Devon Bryan has been competing in freeride snowboarding since he was 10 years old. The International Freeskiers & Snowboarders Association (IFSA) is the junior and feeder program for the Freeride World Tour (FWT). The FWT is a competitive freerider’s ultimate goal and can compete in this event once they are 18.

Devon had a busy and fabulous competitive season this year traveling and riding in three regional and three national competitions, while maintaining a 3.0 or higher GPA at Tacoma Online. Devon placed No. 1 in the Pacific Northwest region. Based on his competitive rankings, Devon qualified for the 2023 North American Championships (NorAms)! The NorAms was held in Golden BC during April at the Kicking Horse Mountain Resort. The IFSA NorAm Championship is an invite only event for the top ranked IFSA junior athletes aged 12 to 18 in the Western Hemisphere. The IFSA will invite the top 175 competitors out of over 3,000 IFSA junior athletes in North America. After a tough competition, our very own Devon is ranked No. 6 in all of North America. The NorAm rankings then determine who advances to the Freeride Junior World Championships (FJWC) in Europe.

Freeriding is a lesser known style of snowboarding and skiing that uses natural terrain as a competitive field. A freerider typically has first aid, avalanche and mountain terrain safety training. Freeriders drop in from the mountain tops and navigate through nature using



natural challenges like chutes, drops, cliffs, and trees to perform jumps and tricks. These riders showcase their best skill and creativity on a chosen line down the mountain. Freeriding does not use artificial obstacles such as kickers, ramps, rails or halfpipes. A freerider descends a predetermined section of a mountain

while judges rank them on line choice, degree of difficulty, style and control.

Devon wants to thank all of his supporters! He is stoked and will proudly represent his Tribe and the Pacific Northwest region in this event! Congratulations and keep shredding!





## Mary Elizabeth Miles Frank

Written by Lorelei Frank Evans and Cathy T. Tougaw

**HISTORY:** This information is about our mother, Mary Miles Frank, who was the director of the first Puyallup Tribal Museum. In order to talk about the original Puyallup Tribal Museum and how our Mother was involved in its conception, it's important to understand who Mary Miles Frank was.

Mary was born on August 19, 1933 and raised at Franks Landing in Nisqually Washington. Her parents were Rose Fredericks and David Miles, Sr. Mary had seven children, Steve Miles, Lorelei Frank Evans, Mitchell Frank, David Miles, Cathy Tougaw, Bruce Frank, Pamela Burr and numerous Grandchildren, Great Grandchildren and Great-great Grandchild. Mary Miles Frank passed away on October 1, 2009.

Mary was a warrior woman who fought for Indian Fishing rights most of her life on the Nisqually River along with Billie Frank Jr., and so many warrior women and men that it's impossible to name them all. In the '60s, Mary's home was the command base for many of the native men and women that were fighting for fishing rights on the Puyallup River. Many of them would eat, bathe and rest before going back down to the river to continue their fight. Some of them were armed and risked their safety and freedom for what they believed in. We must never forget these brave native men and women who fought for tribal rights to ensure a future for our people. We must honor those who sacrifice so much so we can have a better life.

When the Puyallup Tribe took possession of the Cascadia Building in the 1970s and set up the tribal government administration, Mary Frank and Judy Wright worked together researching the history of the Puyallup Tribe, and they developed a plan and received a grant for the implementation of a museum at the tribal building. In the late 1970s, the first Puyallup Tribal Museum was open to the public. Judy Wright and Mary Frank collected artifacts, pictures and stories from many of the tribal elders at the time. When the museum opened, Judy Wright became the director of Historic Preservation and Mary Miles Frank became the director of the first Puyallup Tribal Museum. Mary was a dedicated employee of the Puyallup Tribe of Indians for over thirty years as the Museum Director. She was also appointed by the Puyallup Tribal Council on the Housing Authority Board of Directors, Election Committee and numerous other committee and boards.

Many tribal members would visit Mary at the museum searching for information on their family tree and culture and history of the Puyallup Tribe. Mary also had an abundance of knowledge of native natural medicine and would bring princess pine, to the tribe for tribal members with certain medical problems. Mary always took time for anyone who would come into the museum searching for answers about our culture, history and language. She believe that it was important for future generations to never forget who we are as Puyallup Tribal people.

Mary also taught people, on her own time, who were interested in Chinook Jargon, which was the universal language of some of the tribes in the area. She also taught basket weaving, beading, making baby boards and so much more.

I was so impressed by the Historic Preservation staff, Connie McCloud and the Cultural Department and the wonderful speech by Chairman, Bill Sterud and Councilman, Fred Dillon, in honoring our Mother, Mary Miles Frank and Judy Wright at the new mini museum launched. I also wanted to thank our cousins, Norma Eagle Speaker and family for their words and memories in honoring our mother. I look forward to the opening of the large museum in the next year or so. We thank all of you for the excellent job honoring these two great women.



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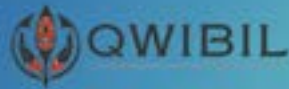


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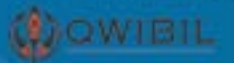


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*This study has been reviewed and approved for human subject participation by WSU Institutional Review Board. IRB Number: 17748.*



## Tribal Veterans Upcoming Events

By Michael Sisson, Tribal Veterans Representative

On Memorial Day, May 29, at 10 a.m., the Puyallup Tribal Veterans will be holding a Memorial Day Ceremony at the Puyallup Tribal Veterans Memorial, which is located in front of the Puyallup Tribal Health Authority. There will be a rifle salute, the playing of "Taps," a presentation of a wreath, as well as the reading of the names of Puyallup Tribal Veterans who have crossed over.



Following the Ceremony, lunch will be provided at the Tacoma Emerald Queen Casino and Hotel, in the Conference Rooms located beyond the Hotel Front Desk at 2920 East R Street; Tacoma, WA 98404.

The Puyallup Tribal Veterans Committee is in the process of collecting names for a lottery/drawing to attend the ninth Annual National Gathering of American Indian Veterans, which will be held at Cantigny Park in Wheaton, Ill. from July 21 to 23. This three-day event honors veterans and military personnel of all cultures, eras and branches in a Native way. Watch entertaining performances from cultural groups and participate in powwow-style dancing with other veterans. If approved, this will be the ninth year the Puyallup Tribal Council has allowed Puyallup Tribal Veterans to attend this annual event that celebrates and remembers the untold story of American Indian people's contribution to the military. The Tribal Veterans Committee would like to offer attendance to all other Puyallup Tribal Veterans who have not had the opportunity to attend this event in the past.

**9th Annual**  
**National Gathering of American Indians:**  
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More will be revealed regarding this event as the information becomes available. You can also check it out online at [www.tricksterculturalcenter.org/national-gathering-2023](http://www.tricksterculturalcenter.org/national-gathering-2023).

Should you be interested in carrying the Colors for Grand Entry as well as participating in the other Gathering festivities, please submit your request in writing no later than June 6, to Puyallup Tribe of Indians; ATTN: Tribal Veterans Representative; 3009 East Portland Avenue; Tacoma, WA 98404.

The uniform for these events will be black trousers, black shoes, long sleeve white shirt, our tan Tribal Veterans ball cap and the Pendleton Grateful Nation Vest that we wear to all Tribal veteran events (below).



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## Hepatitis C Screening and Treatment

By Joshua Wright, DO



Greetings, from PTHA! Did you know that American Indian/ Alaska Natives (AI/ AN) have the highest rates of Hepatitis C when compared to any other ethnic group? Not only that, but AI/AN individuals are 2.7 times more likely to die from Hepatitis C than non-Hispanic whites? While this is certainly scary, PTHA is proud to remind our community that we have the resources to identify those affected AND treat!

transfusion before 1990.

- Most of those affected do NOT have symptoms, but some symptoms include feeling tired, nauseous, achy, and/or have a poor appetite.
- This virus can stick around for many years, damaging your liver; over time, some may notice their skin or eyes appearing yellow, legs swelling, and feeling short of breath or confused.

PTHA offers patients hepatitis C screening at our lab with a simple blood test. If it is positive, we have you return for some additional blood work (it can all be done at the same time); some may also need a quick ultrasound of the liver. Once we have this information, we speak with specialists who recommend the correct treatment. We are excited to say that PTHA can obtain the medicines and offer treatment in a familiar setting, here at your clinic!

Please remember we are here for ALL the health and wellness needs of our Tribal Community. We look forward to seeing you soon!

### FACTS:

- Hepatitis C is a virus that can be caught several ways including sharing needles, razors, toothbrushes, unregulated tattooing, being born to an HCV-infected mother, or even having a blood



## Changing Seasons, Worsening Allergies

By Matthew Shoemaker, DO

As we begin to see the seasons change, many people will also begin to notice a change in their well-being. Allergy season is approaching. Allergens in the environment – both outside and indoors – can cause your immune system to overreact, leading to inflammation that causes some annoying and persistent symptoms. Allergies can start at any time in life, and some people may not know that the symptoms they are experiencing are allergies.



stuffy or runny nose.

- Fluid draining out of your nose can leave either through your nostrils or down the back of your throat, leading to irritation of both. If you have this “postnasal drip” feeling in your throat, you may experience a cough or hoarse voice.
- Inflammation and swelling in the affected tissue can lead to fluid buildup in areas in your face that you can’t see, leading to sinus pressure around your nose and eyes.

### TREATMENT

The most useful treatment for allergies is removal or avoidance of whatever you are sensitive to.

- At home, this may involve cleaning more regularly to reduce the amount of dust, dust mites, and animal dander present, especially on carpet and upholstery which these allergens love to attach to.
- Wash your sheets and pillowcases regularly using hot or warm water, and encase pillows and mattresses with covers that are impenetrable to allergens.
- Vacuum your carpet at least once per week, ideally using a vacuum cleaner with a HEPA filter.

- Air purifiers with HEPA filters are helpful in ridding the air of allergens that you would otherwise breathe in.
- In addition, decreasing humidity in your house can lower the amount of dust mites present. If you suffer from a dry nose, you should use saline nasal spray and lower the temperature of your house instead of using a room humidifier.

When this is not enough to control your allergies, you may want to start talking to your doctor about options for medication. There are many effective non-drowsy oral allergy medications, called antihistamines, that your doctor may recommend for relief. There are also nasal sprays that have proven to be effective even in severe cases of allergies.

If you are experiencing these symptoms and are hoping to stay well this season, be sure to speak to your doctor during your next appointment to address your allergies. And keep in mind that you can take steps to minimize these symptoms even within your own home.

### SYMPTOMS

Symptoms can strike fast. Some of the most common symptoms could include:

- Uncontrollable sneezing, difficulty breathing through your nose, and a





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## May is Mental Health Awareness Month

Mental Health America's 2023 campaign is focused on how surroundings impact mental health, calling for individuals to look around, look within. They are looking specifically to address safe and stable housing, healthy home environments, neighborhoods and towns, and the outdoors and nature. This focus mirrors our same values protecting that which is sacred, healthy family systems, sense of community, and connection to nature. Take time to reflect on these values for your children's wellbeing and your own Mental Health.

### 4 EASY MENTAL HEALTH SELF-CARE TIPS FOR THE BIPOC COMMUNITY

**Why Self-Care?**  
Self-care is not always highlighted within BIPOC communities. However, self-care - and prioritizing you - can be a powerful mental health tool for fostering mental well-being. It encourages you to prioritize your needs and find practices that support your personal and mental wellness.

**TIP 1: Unplug**  
Make time to unplug and change your social media routine. Taking a break from social media can help reduce the "ups and downs" one can feel when scrolling through feeds. It's ok to take a needed break!

**TIP 2: Acknowledge the Feelings**  
Self-care is a necessary response to trauma. Therefore, don't run from your emotions. There is extreme strength in taking the time to feel and process the feelings.

**TIP 3: Set Healthy Boundaries**  
It's ok to say "no." Just because you can do something, doesn't mean you must. You deserve to put yourself first. Choose you!

**TIP 4: Speak Affirmations**  
Speaking positive words and phrases out loud can help uplift and encourage yourself. As a mental health tool, words of affirmations can help create healing spaces and add to your confidence.

Check out these helpful resources to learn more about BIPOC Communities and self-care. For more information visit [www.adaa.org](http://www.adaa.org)

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### 5 REASONS WHY THERAPY IS IMPORTANT FOR BIPOC COMMUNITIES

**You Can Work on Relationships With Others**  
Therapy can change how you interact with people in your life and even give you a new perspective on how to positively engage with others.

**You Can Process Racial Trauma**  
Therapy allows you to unpack, discuss and process the impact that racial trauma plays in your life. Be sure that your therapist has cultural competence and has experience in this area.

**You Can Better Understand Your Thoughts and Emotions**  
Therapy gives you the chance to explore confusing or uncomfortable thoughts and emotions.

**You Can Learn New Coping Skills**  
Therapy can help identify major stressors in life and teach you how to manage them in a healthy way.

**You Can Improve Productivity Long-term**  
Therapy can provide you with tools and techniques that can be used in real-world situations.

**RESOURCES**  
Check out these helpful resources from ADAA to learn more about different types of therapy. To learn more about therapy, anxiety and depression, visit [www.adaa.org](http://www.adaa.org)

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### The Importance of Heritage and Mental Health in Native and Indigenous Communities

Many people within these communities embrace a shared group identity that is formed by one's relationship to the community and also to the land and one's ancestors. The Native American and Indigenous communities are familiar with how these shared experiences of genocide, colonization, and alienation can impact mental health if not properly addressed.

**Words Matter**  
Both communities share deep traumas that have been passed along for generations. However, the words "depressed" and "anxious" are absent from some native languages. Instead, alternative expressions and terms such as "ghost sickness" or "heartbreak syndrome" are often used.

**Spiritual Healers**  
There is a lack of willingness to access care within the community because many indigenous people feel stigmatized, ignored, and discriminated by non-indigenous providers. Therefore, indigenous patients with anxiety and depression may seek help from other sources including traditional and spiritual healers instead of conventional mental health counseling.

**Interconnectedness**  
Mental health is directly related to interconnectedness. Many tribal cultures embrace the notion of interconnectedness balancing the mind, body, and spirit. This highlights how one's well-being is entwined with cultural identity, family, and a connection to the past.

**Mental Health Care**  
Federally recognized tribes are provided health and educational resources through a government agency called Indian Health Service. However, the community still has less accessibility to hospitals, health clinics or contract health services provided by the IHS and other tribal health programs because of the rural and often isolated locations of the communities.

**Resources**  
Check out these helpful resources to learn more about the Native and Indigenous community, and additional support for anxiety and depression. For more information visit [www.adaa.org](http://www.adaa.org)

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**JOB TITLE: ELDERS SERVICES - DIRECTOR OF NURSING**

**Department: Elder Services**

**Closes: When filled**

Responsible for planning, organizing, developing and directing the overall functions of the Assisted Living Facility in accordance with current Tribal, federal, state and local standards governing long-term care facilities, and as may be directed by Executive Director, ensuring that the highest degree of quality care will be provided to the residents at all times. Focusing on high resident satisfaction and quality resident care/services. Ensures compliance with applicable policies and procedures, and ensures smooth operation of The Residence through staff development and employee satisfaction. Must be organized, dedicated RN with great leadership skills.

**JOB TITLE: GELC TEACHER - LEAD**

**Department: Grand View Early Learning Center**

**Closes: When filled**

Plans and executes an early care education program in accordance with the center's educational goals and philosophy to positively guide children's behavior and development and to create a safe, healthy, and culturally appropriate learning environment for young children. Creates and plans developmentally appropriate learning experiences in the areas of cognitive, gross and fine motor, social and self-help, emotional, and communication skills.

**JOB TITLE: CHILDREN'S SERVICES - ADMIN ASSISTANT**

**Department: Children's Services**

**Closes: When filled**

Provides administrative support to a large department that acts as the primary point of contact for the community and supports the Sr. Administrative Assistant. Responsible for knowing the responsibilities of the various programs operating within the department in order to accurately direct clients to needed services. Assists the department by providing day-to-day administrative, clerical and support functions to the department by performing a variety of routine moderate to complex duties which require the use of good judgment to successfully complete those duties.

**JOB TITLE: PORT OF TACOMA - SEASONAL MAINTENANCE**

**Department: Port of Tacoma**

**Closes: May 31**

Responsible for assisting the Building & Grounds staff in the Maintenance Department with performing grounds work to include, but not limited to: maintaining right-of-ways, tops of banks, vegetation and storm water features. Duties include removing invasive vegetation such as blackberry, Scotch Broom, Butterfly Bush and Japanese Knotweed; maintaining native species and grasses; routine removal of sediment; snail eradication; and assisting

with pruning/cutting trees, shrubs and grass by mechanical or hand-held devices. This is a great opportunity to learn about the different areas within a Maintenance department specific to ports. These positions are expected to last up to three (3) months.

All applicants must thoroughly complete a Port of Tacoma application online at <https://governmentjobs.com/careers/portoftacoma> and upload a resume to be considered for this opportunity.

**JOB TITLE: PORT OF TACOMA - ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**

**Department: Port of Tacoma**

**Closes: When filled**

Responsible for performing a wide variety of paraprofessional, administrative, and technical functions. Requires a combination of both independent and team-based work to complete administrative tasks which at times may be sensitive and confidential in nature. Located in and primarily supports the Maintenance department. Support for additional departments may occur as needed.

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**JOB TITLE: TGL - EQUIPMENT OPERATOR**

**Department: Tahoma Global Logistics (TGL)**

**Closes: When filled**

Tahoma Global Logistics (TGL) is seeking qualified candidates for our Equipment Operator position at our port facility located in Tacoma. Equipment Operators utilize a variety of heavy lifting equipment to lift/transport cargo and equipment, stack cargo and load out from trailer to ground/ ground to trailer. This work is performed using equipment such as or similar to forklifts, top handlers, and side handlers. Must be skilled in the efficient the use of this equipment and have a strong focus on safe operations at all times.

**FOR QUESTIONS AND HOW TO APPLY:**

Please submit resume to [deborah@marineviewventures.com](mailto:deborah@marineviewventures.com)

**JOB TITLE: TGL - CONTAINER REPAIR TECHNICIAN**

**Department: Tahoma Global Logistics (TGL)**

**Closes: When filled**

Tahoma Global Logistics (TGL) is seeking qualified candidates for our Container Repair Technician position at our port facility located in Tacoma. This position will work to support the success of the maintenance and repair department. Will perform inspections, plan, and perform repair work to containers.

**FOR QUESTIONS AND HOW TO APPLY:**

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**JOB TITLE: RECEPTIONIST/OFFICE ASSISTANT**

**Department: Tahoma Global Logistics (TGL)**

**Closes: When filled**

Tahoma Global Logistics (TGL) is seeking qualified candidates for our Receptionist / Office Assistant position at our main office in Fife. Office assistants provide support services to assigned business unit(s)/supervisor(s) in areas such as front desk lobby/reception, front desk phone, accounting, sales, and maintenance/repair. Assist with data entry, creating and maintaining reports, and accounting functions such as accounts receivable and accounts payable. Will assist with various administrative services and departmental projects as assigned.

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**JOB TITLE: HUMAN RESOURCES SR. GENERALIST - COMPENSATION & PROJECTS**

**Department: Human Resources**

**Closes: When filled**

Assists the Executive Director, Assistant Executive Director and Senior Generalists in the day-to-day operations of the HR Department while focusing primarily on Compensation.

**JOB TITLE: CHILDREN'S SERVICES DIRECTOR**

**Department: Children's services**

**Closes: When filled**

Coordinates direct services to children and families. Provides oversight in the management of the Puyallup Tribe of Indians Child Placement Agency and related components, i.e. Family Preservation Services, Independent Living Services and Masters Level oversight for CWS. Oversees the CPS program within the Children's Services department. Balances the need to make decisions that are in the best interests of Tribal children with facilitating reunification efforts for Tribal families.

**JOB TITLE: POLICE OFFICER**

**Department: Law Enforcement**

**Closes: When filled**

**SALARY: Entry - \$39.75/hour; Lateral - \$42.14/hour + benefits**

Responsible for the enforcement of all tribal laws and regulations which shall include both land and marine areas which are under tribal jurisdiction. The police officer should possess understanding of sovereignty, tribal regulations and the need for their enforcement.

**JOB TITLE: CHILDREN'S SERVICES CASE MANAGER - FAMILY VOL. SRVC**

**Department: Children's Services**

**Closes: When filled**

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



**JOB TITLE: SENIOR ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**

**Department: CHILDREN'S SERVICES**

**Closes: When filled**

This is a senior level position within a large department that assists the department by providing day-to-day administrative, clerical and support functions to the leadership team by performing a variety of moderate to complex duties which require the use of good judgment, organizational skills and time management to successfully complete those duties. The position acts as the primary point of contact for other Tribal departments. The position is responsible for ensuring that the operations within the Children's Services Department run smoothly. Responsible for the planning and coordination of various community events throughout the year. Position provides back-up support to Administrative Assistant including back up coverage for the front desk.

**JOB TITLE: ACTIVITIES COORDINATOR/ TRANSPORT**

**Department: Tiny Homes**

**Closes: When Filled**

Under the general direction of the director, is responsible for coordinating the activities, planning and organizing individual and group activities to meet the cultural, social, emotional, intellectual, and spiritual needs of Tiny Home residents. Provides transportation services for residents to and from appointments, events, etc.

**JOB TITLE: ACCOUNTING INTERN**

**Closes: When Filled**

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

**Successful applicants must be:**

- Currently enrolled in a two-or four-year accredited college or vocational school;
- Pursuing a degree in accounting, business, or related field;
- Maintaining a GPA of at least 2.5;
- Have at least a beginner knowledge of Microsoft Word and Excel; and have basic math, 10-key, and communication skills.

**JOB TITLE: SHELTER HOUSE ATTENDANT**

**Department: Community Domestic Violence Advocacy Program**

**Closes: When filled**

Provides security, care giving, emotional support, transportation, craft making, some cooking and light housekeeping for residents at the Domestic Violence Shelter. Must be willing to work any shift assigned.

**JOB TITLE: REALTY SPECIALIST**

**Department: Fee to Trust**

**Closes: When filled**

Oversees coordination of the fee to trust process. Maintains file systems, works with title companies, land surveyors, and environmental consultants to help prepare federal requirements for the timely processing of fee property to trust status. Works as part of a team to facilitate fee to trust conversions with the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) and related agencies involved in the Trust Process.

**JOB TITLE: ELDERS CNA**

**Department: House of Respect Residences/ Elders Wellness Center**

**Closes: When filled**

**Salary: CNA - \$23.15/hour + benefits**

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

**JOB TITLE: ELDER SERVICES**

**HOME COMPANION**

**Department: Elders Care Services**

**Closes: When filled**

Provides meal preparation, light housekeeping, essential shopping trips with the Elder and transports Elder to health related appointments. Promotes the health of the Elder by assisting them to adhere to prescribed medications, and diet and exercise plans to do in their homes as outlined by a home support care plan. May be required to become a nursing assistant certified (NAC) within six months after first day of employment. Must be fully vaccinated for COVID-19.

**JOB TITLE: FINANCE MANAGER**

**Department: Finance and Business**

**Closes: When filled**

Assists the Finance Director and Tribal Financial Officer (TFO) by providing operational and financial analysis of the Tribe's governmental and business operations.

**JOB TITLE: EXTENDED SUPPORT SERVICES CASEWORKER**

**Department: Children's Services**

**Closes: When filled**

Develops, implements, and evaluates permanency case plans for families within Children's Services. Completes Guardianship/ Adoption reports and home studies to achieve permanency for children in PTCS care with PTCS recommendation for permanency. Maintains the case post permanency for 30 days to 6 months depending on the case needs. Completes monthly health and safety visits, assists guardianship/adoptive families and children during the transition with services such as child care and any other pertinent supportive services within the Tribe. Provides on-going and long-term assistance to children and families in permanent placements and adoption by assessing the needs of the families

and providing resources and tools to preserve and sustain children in permanency. Assists with children remaining connected to their family and culture throughout and after permanency is achieved.

**JOB TITLE: CPS INVESTIGATOR**

**Department: Children's Services**

**Closes: When filled**

Conducts investigations of cases involving allegations of abuse and neglect of Indian Children within the Puyallup Tribal Jurisdiction as mandated by the Child and Family Protection Code of the Puyallup Tribe of Indians. Initiates life-changing decisions based solely on the best interest of the children.

**JOB TITLE: CHILD WELFARE CASEWORKER**

**Department: Children's Services**

**Closes: When filled**

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

**JOB TITLE: COURT CLERK LEVEL I AND COURT CLERK LEVEL II**

**Department: Tribal Court**

**Closes: When filled**

Provides clerical support and records management for operation of the Tribal Court, and support services for the Chief Court Clerk, Court Administrator, Chief Judge, Associate Judges, and Pro Tempore Judges.

**JOB TITLE: TRIBAL COURT ASSOCIATE JUDGE**

**Department: Tribal Court**

**Closes: When filled**

Serves as hearing judge for the Puyallup Tribal Court in accordance with the tribal Judicial Administrative Code. Term is three years from the date of appointment by the Tribal Council. May be reappointed at the expiration of a term in the discretion of the Tribal Council.

**JOB TITLE: CORRECTIONS OFFICER**

**Department: Law Enforcement**

**Closes: When filled**

**Salary: \$28.59/hour + benefits**

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

**JOB TITLE: ON CALL SECURITY OFFICER**

**Department: Public Safety**

**Closes: Open continuously**

Responsible for protection and security of the Puyallup Tribal buildings and property.



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Reports all incidents in writing to the Assistant Director and any criminal activity to both the Assistant Director and the Puyallup Tribal Police Department.

**EMERGENCY HIRE - PUYALLUP TRIBAL MEMBERS**

**Closes: Open continuously**

Apply if you would like to be considered for emergency hire openings. Emergency hires are positions that need to be filled temporarily

on an expedited basis. When an emergency hire becomes available, a list of candidates who meet the education and experience requirements for the position will be sent to the hiring manager for consideration. You will be contacted if selected.

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

**Closes: Open continuously**

This program provides 240 hours of full-time/

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

## How To Apply

Apply online at <https://usr58.dayforcehcm.com/CandidatePortal/en-US/ptoiaid> or visit the Puyallup Tribe's website at [www.puyalluptribe-nsn.gov/](http://www.puyalluptribe-nsn.gov/) and select "Employment" at the top of the page.

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

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## ELDER ABUSE

### Emotional/Behavioral Signs



Increased fear or anxiety.



Isolation from friends or family.



Unusual changes in behavior or sleep.



Withdrawal from normal activities.

## ELDER ABUSE

### Financial Signs



Fraudulent signatures on financial documents.



Unpaid bills.



Unusual or sudden changes in spending patterns, will, or other financial documents.



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# Program gives Tribal members hands-on trade experience

By Matt Vaughan, Puyallup Tribal News

The Iron Workers Apprenticeship program offers opportunities for those interested in making a career in the trades. Eric Sanchez, Assistant Training Coordinator, recently processed 14 applicants who, after successfully completing a four-week course, will get direct entry into an apprenticeship and their very first dispatch for a job with iron workers. Applicants will go through an intake including a written test of general knowledge followed by hands-on skills including rebar packing, knots, and rebar ties. After completion of all the stations, the scores will be tallied to see who will be admitted to the program. The most recent class started on April 3 and is being taught by Ryan Rivers.

“We don’t care who you are, what your background is, if you got heart and can do the work, we want you,” explains Jack Laher, Apprenticeship Coordinator for Iron Workers Local #86. Previously, he was an instructor, where he met Nisqually tribal member Derek Youckton who was in his first-year apprenticeship course at the time. The recent federal infrastructure package has brought lots of work to the area, mainly on tribal lands. Working with TERO was a natural fit for expanding the apprenticeship program. Laher and Youckton want to help get out the word about this opportunity for tribal members to create a secure future for themselves and their families. Once the four-year apprenticeship program is completed, they will become journeymen, all the while building their pension and getting excellent health insurance benefits.

Isaac Bennett likes to work with his hands, stay active, and stay outside. He began the Pre-Apprenticeship Program in 2020 and is now a Third Year Apprentice at Local 86. He recommends this path to those who don’t know what to do after high school and as a viable alternative to college. His hard work is being rewarded with good pay and benefits, allowing him to achieve financial stability. He’s proud to be contributing to the economic growth that depends on iron workers. As he explained it: any concrete structure has rebar, any building over 3 stories has structural steel. Another important element to Bennett is the sense of community among iron workers. As he puts it, “everyone has your back” and no one



judges you. If you are willing to work hard, iron workers will take you in and take care of you. He highly recommends the program, which is open to all tribal members.

For more information about the program and the next application date, contact the Puyallup Tribal Employment Rights Office at (253) 573-7800.



# The Puyallup Tribe breaks ground on a brand new Tribal Administration building

By Tim Kelly, Puyallup Tribal News

About 100 people turned out on a cold Friday morning for a ceremony held for Tribal community members and employees on March 24. Heritage Manager Connie McCloud gave a blessing, and the Culture Department sang. Then Tribal Councilmembers shared their thoughts about the site's history, the new building's importance and how it represents the Tribes growth. Noting the decades since administrative functions took place out of trailer space.

Chairman Bill Sterud and other councilmembers noted that the old Cascadia center, once Cushman Indian Hospital, once towered over the area. The Tribe occupied Cascadia in the 1970s and used it for administration until it was torn down and replaced by modern facilities.

The four-story, 95,000-square-foot administration building is the first phase of redevelopment for the 17.6-acre site of the former Emerald Queen casino tents in Tacoma. It is scheduled to be completed in 2024 and include a four-story parking garage. Plans for future phases include a museum and an entertainment district.

"With this new building, we are excited for the future of our Tribe and the future of this area," said the Puyallup Tribal Council, the Tribe's governing body, before the groundbreaking. "This new administration building gives our membership and employees an exceptional location for business."

Wright Runstad & Company is the Tribe's development manager for the project. Freiheit Architecture designed the building, and JTM Construction, whose clients include Evergreen Health and Tacoma Art Museum, is the builder.

The new Tribal administration building is the latest in a series of economic development initiatives the Tribe has launched since 2020, when it opened its new \$400 million Emerald Queen Casino in Tacoma. In 2021, the Tribe announced a partnership with Amazon on a sort center, opened the EQC hotel in Tacoma, launched the BetMGM @ EQC sportsbook and opened a fourth Commencement



Bay Cannabis store. In 2022, the Tribe announced partnerships with Kenmore Air to operate a seaplane service and with celebrity chef Roy Yamaguchi to open

a Native-inspired international cuisine waterfront restaurant. Earlier this year, the Tribe launched its own international logistics company, Tahoma Global Logistics.



# Puyallup Tribe well-represented at Daffodil Parade

Puyallup Tribal News Staff

The morning of April 1 got off to a chilly start, but at least the clouds parted in time for the 90th annual Daffodil Parade to kick off in downtown Tacoma. Bagpipes and the thunderous rumble of drumming filled the air as high school bands, bloom-covered floats, marching soldiers, sports cars and even local activist Kwabia Amoah-Forson's bright-blue Peace Bus streamed down Pacific Avenue.

The Puyallup Tribe was a title sponsor of this year's event and well-represented in the parade by Council Chairman Bill Sterud, who waved at revelers from a convertible yellow Mustang; Tribal Elders, who cruised along on a freshly decorated float that won the award for Best Use of Daffodils; and Chief Leschi High School's Kayliana Young, who hitched a ride on the Daffodil Royal Court float with her fellow princesses.

Sterud could not recall the first time he served as a grand marshal in the parade, but he said he always has a good time. "It's definitely a good community event for all the participants and all the people that want to bring their kids," he said. "It's like the reawakening of spring. Things smell better. They look better. You get some beautiful days. It kind of kicks things off."







## Boxing returns to EQC

Puyallup Tribal News Staff

Live boxing returned to the Emerald Queen Casino for the first time since 2020 on April 7, and the Event Center was packed with excited fight fans who cheered on seven big bouts. Columbian pugilist Brandon Valdes (top photos, black trunks) won the title bout to capture the World Boxing Association (WBA) Fedebol featherweight title.

Coming up, the Event Center has the **Lalas Burlesque Show** (May 12), **Musiq Soulchild** (June 2), **America** (June 25) and **Three Dog Night** (September, TBD).



**Visit [www.emeraldqueen.com](http://www.emeraldqueen.com) to learn more and reserve seats today**

## 2023 CALL FOR ARTWORK

This is a call for artwork submissions for the 31st year of the Salmon Homecoming Alliance Event happening at Pier 62 on the Seattle waterfront in September.

Our theme this year is "Together We Keep Our Salmon Legacy." A salmon MUST play a prominent role in the artwork

submitted. Your artwork, if selected, will be featured on all our t-shirts, on our website and other selected printed materials. Deadline is July 1 or sooner.

Please submit a clear picture of your piece to [shcacoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:shcacoordinator@gmail.com).

**Compensation:**

- A \$500.00 stipend will be paid for the original signed piece. If your piece is

digital we require a signed copy on a minimum size paper of 20 x 15

- The artist will retain the right to make copies (numbered) for additional profit
- The artist will be given a free vendor space at the event

If you are an artist and have further questions please contact the Event Coordinator, Linda James-Laville, at [shcacoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:shcacoordinator@gmail.com).



**pedq<sup>w</sup>ubačid – 'Time of rainbow'**

Did you know that July is Puyallup Pride month?

Puyallup Pride is the month of July, and we want to celebrate our 2SLGBTQIA+ community members.

Volunteers are needed to join the working group to help plan our Pride events. We are meeting Tuesdays.

Please email [Pride@puyalluptribe-nsn.gov](mailto:Pride@puyalluptribe-nsn.gov) for more information.



# Historic Preservation unveils new Mini-Museum

Puyallup Tribal News Staff

The new Puyallup Tribal Mini-Museum opened on March 31 with a ceremonial dance and blessing. Tribal members gathered to honor the spirit of the ancestors through the artifacts on display in the museum. Emotion filled the room as everyone embraced this joyous day, sharing a deep sense of Puyallup pride and connectedness to ancestors, relatives and each other.

Heritage Division Manager Connie McCloud reminded everyone that the things brought into the museum have a spirit, a voice that tells us who we are and who we came from.

Chairman Bill Sterud said the exhibits will help make sure our history is not forgotten, that it will be carried with us every day-by this and the next generations. He wanted everyone to walk around and enjoy the exhibits, to feel good about themselves and their heritage. It was noted that there will never again be a time where our children will not have a place to learn about their history.

The Historic Preservation Department thanked everyone who helped make this event happen and who participated in the activities. The celebration ended with a cedar branch cleansing and blessing of the walkway.

The museum exhibits tell only part of the story, this being a pilot project leading to a bigger and more permanent Tribal museum space. They represent a steppingstone on a continual process of reclaiming tribal history and returning artifacts to tribal lands.

The museum is located in the Historic Preservation Department office spaces at the Salish Cancer Center Building, 3700 Pacific Hwy E., Suite 311. Museum hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. from Tuesday to Friday. Free admission for tribal members. Call (253) 573-7965 or email [HistoricPreservation@puyalluptribe-nsn.gov](mailto:HistoricPreservation@puyalluptribe-nsn.gov) to learn more.





# Cultural activities help Re-Entry participants rebound from addiction

By Ernest A. Jasmin, Puyallup Tribal News Editor

Edie Holland fondly recalls making her first drum in third grade. “I think it’s cool that, in our culture, the first thing you make you’re supposed to give to somebody that you love,” says Holland, an enrolled Puyallup Tribal member. “So, I gifted my first drum to my sister. She gifted her first drum to me.”

“So it was a win-win situation,” she adds, grinning broadly. “I still got a drum.”

Tapping back into that childhood joy has helped her rebound from troubled times lately. Holland and some of her newest friends gather around a long table in the basement of the Puyallup Tribe’s Re-Entry house in Fife. They stretch wet deer hide, attach it to wooden frames and stack dozens of freshly made drums on a shelf nearby.

The Re-Entry program helps Tribal members whose lives have been derailed by addiction get back on track. On a recent afternoon, participants are rushing to meet the deadline for 150 drums they plan to give to children who will attend the Gathering of Native Americans spring break camp at Chief Leschi Schools. Holland is newly sober and credits this type of cultural crafting activity with helping her feel centered as she puts her life back together.

“I don’t know if it’s important to everybody else,” Holland says, “but it’s definitely important for me to be able to reconnect with my culture at the same time I’m in recovery.”

Carlos West echoes that sentiment. He wrestled with drugs and alcohol before getting sober in 2009. These days, he works with Re-Entry as a navigator, steering clients toward resources they need to return to normal. Through the program, he has learned to make smudge kits, which he says make him feel more in touch with his heritage.

“It’s connected me to my spirituality on a deeper level,” West says. “In contrast,



Tana Siler (left) and Edie Holland make drums with other participants in the Tribe’s Re-Entry program.



Mona Miller (right) launched the Puyallup Tribe’s Re-Entry program in March 2020.



Re-Entry participants made 150 drums to give to kids who participated in the Gathering of Native Americans spring break camp on April 5 at Chief Leschi Schools.



when we’re out there drinking, using drugs and living that life, we’re completely disconnected from everybody. So, that’s what we offer. We offer connection.”

“What I feel is truly unique about the Tribal Re-Entry program is the cultural piece,” Director Mona Miller says. “Besides the Native American recovery groups, we also involve all of our participants in community events that are going on. Last year, we participated in Canoe Journey. We had participants in the Native American Heritage Day who performed at Mariners games. We do this with the Culture Department. We couldn’t do any of this without them.”

Miller launched the program in March 2020, inspired by author Don Coyhis’ Wellbriety Movement — a recovery program tailored toward Native Americans — and her own past struggles with substance abuse. She got started just in time for most business to grind to a halt due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

“Services still needed to be provided,” she recalls. “So, I worked out of the back of my car. I went to their (clients’) homes to work. I was on the phone a lot. I just kept providing services the best that I could.”

West was Miller’s first hire in December 2021, and her team has since grown to five. She makes a point of hiring people who have been successful in overcoming their own struggles. “I want to have a team that’s built on personal experience and empower them — give them opportunities that they normally wouldn’t get anywhere else,” she says.

Danny Leonard, for example, went from being a client to working for Re-Entry as a peer specialist. “I’ve been sober for just under two years,” he says. “This was part of my transition. I’m just here to try to give back to my people. That’s pretty much my reward, seeing people reach their goals and get some sanity back in their life.”

Navigators and peer counselors help beneficiaries obtain resources that are necessary to stabilize program participants’ lives — everything from job leads to help getting a driver’s license reinstated.

“The first couple of barriers they usually have is they don’t have housing. So we’re able to help with that,” Re-Entry Navigator Samantha “Jo Jo” Pettibon says. “This program is something I wish I had when I first got sober, because we really help people so they can focus on their recovery.”

Re-Entry is also a place where people recovering from addiction can go for other types of support. Meetings take place at the group’s headquarters on Mondays and Thursdays with meals served beforehand. The participants end with singing and drumming. Holland says the support and camaraderie have become central to her social life.

“I’m a lot more positive now. I’m a lot more open,” Holland says. “It just warms my heart ... to see the newcomers that are coming from the treatment center. Every time I come, I always see people that I know, and it’s just great. It’s a great program.”

**The Puyallup Tribe’s Re-Entry program holds addiction recovery support meetings at 5:15 p.m. on Mondays and Thursdays at 1501 Alexander Ave. E., in Fife. Contact Mona Miller at (253) 355-8927 or email [mona.miller@puyalluptribe.com](mailto:mona.miller@puyalluptribe.com)-nsn.gov to learn more about the program.**



# UWT opens new exhibit with Puyallup Tribal land acknowledgement

By Ernest A. Jasmin, Puyallup Tribal News editor

Members of the Puyallup Tribe visited the University of Washington Tacoma on April 10 to help unveil a new historical exhibit and Tribal land acknowledgment plaque that are on display near the entrance of the university's recently opened Milgard Hall.

"Tacoma Timber History" traces the harvesting of lumber in this region back to the Puyallup Tribe's centuries-long reliance on cedar to make everything from baskets and clothing to the longhouses that Tribal members lived in.

UWT Professor and former Chancellor Mark Pagano led efforts to construct the exhibit, working with Puyallup Tribe Heritage Division Manager Connie McCloud and local historian Michael Sullivan.

The display includes historical photos, illustrations, maps, paddles carved by Michael "Muck" Hall, of the Tribe's Cultural Center, and research by "The People of Cascadia: Pacific Northwest Native American History" author Heidi Bohan.

McCloud spoke at the unveiling event and members of the Language Program and Culture Department blessed the exhibit, performing and dancing to the songs "Floor Blessing" and "Honor Song."

"Our people had to move those great cedar trees to the sites where our villages were and then to construct a longhouse," McCloud said. "They had that ability to work together to build them, and our long houses would stay for hundreds of years."

McCloud described the time before contact with settlers as an era of prosperity, when local tribes flourished due to an abundance of food and other resources.

"But the railroad changed everything," she said. "It began the removal of our people from our longhouses, and it was not a simple removal. They burned them down. They burned our canoes, and any evidence of our culture, and our people were also moved to other reservations.

"They attempted to remove us completely from our land, that relationship that we had since the beginning of time. Then came the forced removal of children into boarding schools and away from our



families. It was a time of great loss for our people, our culture."

Pagano, Sullivan and UWT Chancellor Sheila Edwards also delivered remarks at

the exhibit's debut. "We're acknowledging the past, but we're also acknowledging the present and the future for what we would like to see here at our university," Edwards said.



# Little Wild Wolves meet the Easter Bunny

Puyallup Tribal News Staff

On April 2, The Little Wild Wolves Youth Center put on an amazing Easter celebration at Chief Leschi Schools. The children enjoyed a range of activities including a bouncy house, face painting, temporary tattoos, balloon artists, pictures with the Easter bunny and an egg hunt. After the kids exhausted themselves in the bouncy house, they were off to enjoy cotton candy, popcorn, and a delicious lunch. For the grand finale, the children raced around the gym and filled their baskets with candy.



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Puyallup Tribal Administrative offices  
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**May 8**  
Salmon Peoples' Day




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(The Day of Remembrance)  
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**May 29**  
(May 26 - Closed 4 hours early)  
Honoring Our Ancestors Day






# Youth Support



For free 24/7 crisis support

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Call, text, or chat 24/7  
Text: NATIVE to 741 741  
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Suicide and Crisis Lifeline  
Dial or Text: 988  
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## Abuse & Sexual Assault

- StrongHearts Native Helpline**  
Call, text, or chat 24/7  
1-844-7NATIVE (762-8483)  
[www.strongheartshelpline.org](http://www.strongheartshelpline.org/)
- RAINN**  
National Sexual Assault Hotline Call  
(24/7): 1-800-656-HOPE  
[www.rainn.org/](http://www.rainn.org/)
- National Teen Dating Abuse Helpline**  
Call (24/7): 1-866-331-9474  
Text: LOVEIS to 22522  
[www.loveisrespect.org](http://www.loveisrespect.org)
- Childhelp National Child Abuse Hotline**  
(24/7): 1-800-4-A-Child (422-4453)

## Drugs, Alcohol & Tobacco

- National Institute on Drug Abuse for Teens**  
Call: 1-800-662-HELP  
[www.nida.nih.gov/research-topics/parents-educators](http://www.nida.nih.gov/research-topics/parents-educators)
- Truth: Smoking, Vaping, and Opioids**  
Text: DITCHVAPE to 88709  
[www.thetruth.com/article>this-is-quitting](http://www.thetruth.com/article>this-is-quitting)
- Get the Facts About Drugs: Just Think Twice**  
Call: 1-855-378-4373  
Text: 55753  
[www.justthinktwice.gov/](http://www.justthinktwice.gov/)
- National Drug Information Treatment & Referral Hotline**  
Call: 1-800-662-4357  
[www.samhsa.gov/find-treatment](http://www.samhsa.gov/find-treatment)

## Mental Health

- Mental Health America**  
Call: 1-800-969-6642  
Text: MHA 741 741  
[www.mhanational.org/](http://www.mhanational.org/)
- Teens Helping Teens**  
Call: 1-800-852-8336  
Text: YLNATIVE to 839 863  
[www.theyouthline.org](http://www.theyouthline.org)
- We R Native: My Mind**  
Text: CARING to 65664  
[www.wenative.org/my-mind](http://www.wenative.org/my-mind)
- National Hotline, Reach Out & Get Help**  
Call: 1-800-448-3000  
Text: VOICE to 20121  
[www.boydstown.org/hotline](http://www.boydstown.org/hotline)
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Call (24/7): 1-866-331-9474  
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[www.loveisrespect.org](http://www.loveisrespect.org)
- That's Not Cool**  
Healthy Relationships, Online & Off  
Call (24/7): 1-866-331-8453
- We R Native: My Relationships**  
[www.wenative.org/my-relationships](http://www.wenative.org/my-relationships)

## Sexual Health

- Planned Parenthood**  
Call: 1-800-230-7526  
Chat: [www.plannedparenthood.org/learn/roo-sexual-health-chatbot](http://www.plannedparenthood.org/learn/roo-sexual-health-chatbot)
- We R Native: Sexual Health**  
Text: SEX to 94449  
[www.wenative.org/ask-your-relatives](http://www.wenative.org/ask-your-relatives)
- I Know Mine**  
[www.iknowmine.org/ask-nurse-lisa](http://www.iknowmine.org/ask-nurse-lisa)
- It's Your Sex Life**  
[www.itsyoursexlife.com](http://www.itsyoursexlife.com)
- Bedsider**  
[www.bedsider.org/](http://www.bedsider.org/)
- Get Yourself Tested #GYT**  
[www.cdc.gov/std/saw/gyt/howtoGYT.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/std/saw/gyt/howtoGYT.htm)



## Sexual Identity - 2SLGBTQ+

- Paths (Re)Membered Project**  
Text: 2SLGBTQ to 94449  
[www.pathsremembered.org/](http://www.pathsremembered.org/)
- Native Youth Sexual Health Network**  
[www.nativeyouthsexualhealth.com/](http://www.nativeyouthsexualhealth.com/)
- The Trevor Project**  
Call (24/7): 1-866-488-7386  
Text: START to 678 678  
[www.thetrevorproject.org/](http://www.thetrevorproject.org/)
- It Gets Better Project**  
[www.itgetsbetter.org/](http://www.itgetsbetter.org/)
- Trans Lifeline**  
Call: 1-877-565-8860  
[www.translifeline.org/](http://www.translifeline.org/)
- Human Trafficking Hotline**  
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Text HELP to 233 733  
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## Bullying

- Stopbullying.gov**  
[www.stopbullying.gov/resources/teens](http://www.stopbullying.gov/resources/teens)
- Cyberbullying**  
[www.cyberbullying.org/resources/students](http://www.cyberbullying.org/resources/students)
- We R Native: Bullying Prevention**  
[www.wenative.org/my-life/life-backs/bullying-prevention](http://www.wenative.org/my-life/life-backs/bullying-prevention)

## Text Message Campaigns

- Text: NATIVE to 94449**  
For health & wellness tips
- Caring Messages - to remind you of how awesome you are!**  
Text: CARING to 65664 (ages 13-24)  
Text: COLLEGE to 65664 (college youth)
- Text: SEX to 94449**  
Get tips and resources to protect your sexual health
- Text: 2SLGBTQ to 94449 or ALLY to 94449**  
Native, Two-Spirit, LGBTQ, #BornSacred
- Text: STEM to 94449**  
For inspiration and motivation on your journey in Health, Technology, Engineering or Math
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For inspiration and motivation to conquer your personal wellness goals and you could win fitness gear or a fidget!!

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## Find Help Near You

- SAMHSA** - Find the treatment center closest to you  
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- Mental Health America** - Find the clinic closest to you  
[www.mhanational.org/find-affiliate](http://www.mhanational.org/find-affiliate)

We ALL need Help...

... at different points in time. Every single one of us! Trust your gut and...

**Share** - any concerns you have

**Talk** - with someone you can trust

**Report** - if you're worried about someone



# Puyallup Nation Public Safety Basic Emergency Supply Kit

### Recommended items to include in your kit:

- Water and non-perishable food for several days (shelf life awareness)
- Extra cell phone battery or charger
- Battery-powered or hand crank radio that can receive
- NOAA Weather Radio tone alerts and extra batteries
- Flashlight and extra batteries
- First aid kit
- Whistle to signal for help
- Dust mask to help filter contaminated air and plastic sheeting and duct tape to shelter-in-place
- Moist towelettes, garbage bags and plastic ties for personal sanitation
- Non-sparking wrench or pliers to turn off utilities
- Can opener (if kit contains canned food)
- Local maps

### Additional items to consider adding to an emergency supply kit:

- Prescription medications and glasses
- Infant formula and diapers
- Pet food, water and supplies for your pet
- Important family documents such as copies of insurance policies
- Identification and bank account records in a portable waterproof container
- Cash and change
- Emergency reference material such as a first aid book or information from [www.ready.gov](http://www.ready.gov)
- Sleeping bag or warm blanket for each person. Consider additional bedding if you live in a cold-weather climate.
- Complete change of clothing including a long sleeve shirt, long pants and sturdy shoes. Consider additional clothing if you live in a cold-weather climate.
- Fire extinguisher
- Matches in a waterproof container
- Feminine supplies, personal hygiene items and hand sanitizer
- Mess kits, paper cups, plates and disposable utensils, paper towels
- Paper and pencil
- Books, games, puzzles or other activities for children



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## Did You Know?

Puyallup Tribal Treatment Center is again offering walk-in assessments every Wednesday at 1pm as well as scheduled appointments every other day of the week.

We have also restarted in-person groups and individual sessions. Feel free to call **PTHA** at: **253-593-0232** to schedule.

**1st Annual Co-Ed Tournament**

**In Honor of Thiy Conway**  
Memorial Day Weekend May 26th - May 28th




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May 23rd, 2007

Remember Thiy Frank Conway

May 21st, 2023  
2 pm Lunch  
5 pm Jam Session



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December 19th, 2021.

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## Fireworks 2023

We are limited to 102 on-site fireworks stands. **Licenses:** \$500, **Refund:** \$100

15 concession stands. **Licenses:** \$400, **Refund:** \$100

*License sales first-come, first-served; refunds if area is cleaned*

**Off-site:** \$400

*All must be over 18 and Puyallup with Tribal ID*

**Vendors:** \$50/day, \$200/season. *Puyallup only.*

Sales for licenses at Administration Building, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day: May 22, 23, 24, 25, and 26.

Drawing and opening date will be posted at license sales

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**For more information:** 253-380-8770 or 253-318-0022



## ARTICLE II – MEMBERSHIP

### Section 1.

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

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

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

For further information please see: Enrollment Code

<http://www.codepublishing.com/WA/puyalluptribe/>

Applications can be placed in our Mailbox in the Mailroom.

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

#### ENROLLMENT STAFF

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# Current Job Opportunities | Pierce County, WA

Apply online at [www.piercecountywa.org/jobs](http://www.piercecountywa.org/jobs)

Summer Gate Attendants - North Lake Tapps and Spanaway Park - Extra Hire  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$18.32 Hour  
Department: Parks and Recreation Services  
Closing Date: Continuous

Medical Examiner Administrative Program Manager 2  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$88,729.60 - \$113,646.00 Year  
Department: Medical Examiner  
Closing Date: Continuous

Medical Examiner Director of Operations  
Job Type: Regular - Other  
Salary: \$126,996.00 - \$171,511.00 Year  
Department: Medical Examiner  
Closing Date: Continuous

Associate Traffic Engineer  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$106,294.00 - \$135,220.00 Year  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Summer Maintenance and Operations Extra Hire Job Opportunity  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$18.00 - \$18.00 Hour  
Department: Facilities Management  
Closing Date: Continuous

Accounting Assistant 2  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$25.91 - \$32.28 Hour  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Right-of-Way Agent 3  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$45.28 - \$58.19 Hour  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Chief of Staff - Pierce County Council  
Job Type: Regular - Other  
Salary: \$133,770.00 - \$214,032.00 Year  
Department: County Council  
Closing Date: Continuous

Parks Specialized Recreation - Camp Counselor Extra Hire  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$17.63 Hour  
Department: Parks and Recreation Services  
Closing Date: June 4, 2023

Accounting Assistant 3 - Customer Billing Services  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$30.19 - \$37.75 Hour  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Administrative Assistant - Clerk of Superior Court

Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$29.62 - \$36.90 Hour  
Department: Clerk of Superior Court  
Closing Date: Continuous

Business Process and Training Specialist  
Job Type: Limited Duration  
Salary: \$68,983.30 - \$87,673.60 Year  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Transportation Project Development Engineer  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$40.18 - \$50.62 Hour  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Water Resources Engineering Manager  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$119,768.00 - \$152,784.00 Year  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Official Court Reporter  
Job Type: Regular - Other  
Salary: \$51.38 - \$51.38 Hour  
Department: Superior Court  
Closing Date: Continuous

Security Controls Mechanic (Facilities Maintenance Mechanic)  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$41.04 - \$41.04 Hour  
Department: Facilities Management  
Closing Date: Continuous

Legal Assistant 3 - Assigned Counsel  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$27.23 - \$34.07 Hour  
Department: Assigned Counsel  
Closing Date: Continuous

Apply in 5 minutes to be a part of Election History - Elections Extra Hire  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$16.00 Hour  
Department: Auditor  
Closing Date: Continuous

Juvenile Detention Officer 1 - Swing Shift  
Job Type: Regular - Other  
Salary: \$23.91 - \$30.00 Hour  
Department: Juvenile Court  
Closing Date: Continuous

Civil Engineer 1 - Maintenance and Operations  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$40.18 - \$50.62 Hour  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Surface Water Management Experience Opportunity for Civil / Environmental Engineer  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$24.71 - \$24.71 Hour  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Parks Maintenance Technician 1 - West and Central Regions  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$25.38 - \$33.84 Hour  
Department: Parks and Recreation Services  
Closing Date: Continuous

ECEAP Classroom Support Staff (Family Educator 1) Seasonal (Limited Duration)  
Job Type: Limited Duration  
Salary: \$16.48 - \$20.79 Hour  
Department: Human Services  
Closing Date: Continuous

Assistant Utility Planner - Planner 2  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$37.90 - \$48.18 Hour  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Specialized Recreation Leader - Incredible Entry-Level Opportunities - Extra Hire  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$19.88 Hour  
Department: Parks and Recreation Services  
Closing Date: Continuous

Parks Room Monitor – South Region - Extra Hire  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$16.50 Hour  
Department: Parks and Recreation Services  
Closing Date: Continuous

Parks Room Monitor – Chambers Creek Park - Extra Hire  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$17.88 Hour  
Department: Parks and Recreation Services  
Closing Date: Continuous

Parks Maintenance/Grounds Technician - Incredible Entry-Level Opportunities - Extra Hire  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$18.00 Hour  
Department: Parks and Recreation Services  
Closing Date: Continuous

Construction Project Manager 3 (Limited Duration ) (Multiple positions)  
Job Type: Limited Duration  
Salary: \$99,850.90 - \$128,697.00 Year  
Department: Facilities Management  
Closing Date: Continuous

Seasonal Maintenance Worker - Up to 6 Months!  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$24.71 - \$24.71 Hour  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Juvenile Youth Transporter - 15 hours per week  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$20.00 - \$20.00 Hour  
Department: Juvenile Court  
Closing Date: Continuous



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Survey and Mapping Assistant Extra Hire  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$24.71 - \$24.71 Hour  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN) - Juvenile Court  
Job Type: Regular - Other  
Salary: \$26.43 - \$34.98 Hour  
Department: Juvenile Court  
Closing Date: Continuous

Youth Ice Hockey Coach - Extra Hire  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$30.00 Hour  
Department: Parks and Recreation Services  
Closing Date: Continuous

Transportation Benefit Cost Engineer  
Job Type: Limited Duration  
Salary: \$45.35 - \$57.42 Hour  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Facilities Maintenance Technician  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$25.38 - \$33.84 Hour  
Department: Facilities Management  
Closing Date: Continuous

Parks Recreation Assistant Extra Hire – South Region  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$17.88 Hour  
Department: Parks and Recreation Services  
Closing Date: Continuous

Legal Assistant 2 - Multiple Positions!  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$25.91 - \$32.28 Hour  
Department: Clerk of Superior Court  
Closing Date: Continuous

Corrections Deputy - Lateral  
Job Type: Civil Service  
Salary: \$34.43 - \$44.60 Hour  
Department: Sheriff - Corrections  
Closing Date: Continuous

Legal Interns - Rule 9 - Assigned Counsel  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$23.00 Hour  
Department: Assigned Counsel  
Closing Date: Continuous

County Attorney 2 - Civil Commitment  
Job Type: Regular - Other  
Salary: \$93,532.40 - \$126,252.00 Year  
Department: Prosecutor  
Closing Date: Continuous

Corrections Deputy - Entry Level  
Job Type: Civil Service  
Salary: \$34.43 - \$44.60 Hour  
Department: Sheriff - Corrections  
Closing Date: Continuous

County Attorney 1 - Misdemeanor  
Job Type: Regular - Other  
Salary: \$73,996.00 - \$98,136.20 Year  
Department: Assigned Counsel  
Closing Date: Continuous

Mental Health Evaluation Specialist - Corrections  
Job Type: Civil Service  
Salary: \$40.20 - \$51.38 Hour  
Department: Sheriff - Corrections  
Closing Date: Continuous

Civil Engineer 2 - Development Engineering  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$45.35 - \$57.42 Hour  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Associate Medical Examiner  
Job Type: Regular - Other  
Salary: \$209,687.00 - \$278,717.00 Year  
Department: Medical Examiner  
Closing Date: Continuous

Juvenile Court Services Program Manager  
Job Type: Regular - Other  
Salary: \$88,729.60 - \$113,646.00 Year  
Department: Juvenile Court  
Closing Date: Continuous

Operational Technology and Electrical Systems Supervisor (SCADA and Control Systems)  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$94,183.40 - \$121,024.00 Year  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Maintenance and Operations Supervisor 1  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$41.04 - \$45.28 Hour  
Department: Facilities Management  
Closing Date: Continuous

Environmental Biologist 2  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$42.66 - \$54.63 Hour  
Department: Planning and Public Works  
Closing Date: Continuous

Case Manager (Medicaid)  
Job Type: Career Service - Full Time  
Salary: \$30.76 - \$38.51 Hour  
Department: Human Services  
Closing Date: Continuous

ECEAP Lunch Aid and Classroom Support-Extra Hire  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$17.01 Hour  
Department: Human Services  
Closing Date: Continuous

Specialized Recreation Intern  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$16.50 Hour  
Department: Parks and Recreation Services  
Closing Date: Continuous

Juvenile Detention Officer 2 - Swing Shift  
Job Type: Regular - Other  
Salary: \$28.32 - \$35.43 Hour  
Department: Juvenile Court  
Closing Date: Continuous

Deputy Sheriff - Entry Level  
Job Type: Civil Service  
Salary: \$39.21 - \$51.89 Hour  
Department: Sheriff - Police Protection  
Closing Date: Continuous

County Attorney 1 - Civil Commitment  
Job Type: Regular - Other  
Salary: \$76,955.90 - \$102,062.00 Year  
Department: Prosecutor  
Closing Date: Continuous

Extra Hire - Forensic Autopsy Technician  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$29.60 - \$35.00 Hour  
Department: Medical Examiner  
Closing Date: Continuous

Deputy Sheriff - Lateral  
Job Type: Civil Service  
Salary: \$39.21 - \$51.89 Hour  
Department: Sheriff - Police Protection  
Closing Date: Continuous

Juvenile Detention Officer - Extra Hire  
Job Type: Extra Hire  
Salary: \$23.91 - \$23.91 Hour  
Department: Juvenile Court  
Closing Date: Continuous

Communications Coordinator - Pierce County Council  
Job Type: Regular - Other  
Salary: \$31.68 - \$39.89 Hour  
Department: County Council  
Closing Date: Continuous

Salary Commission Volunteer Representative  
Job Type: Regular - Other  
Salary: \$0.00 Hour  
Department: Human Resources  
Closing Date: Continuous



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**Puyallup Tribal News – June 2023 – [Issue #401]**  
Wednesday, May 3 – Content due  
Wednesday, May 17 – Sent to print  
Wednesday, May 24 – Newspaper enter mail / paper delivered

**Puyallup Tribal News - August 2023 – [Issue #403]**  
Friday, July 7 – Content due  
Wednesday, July 19 – Sent to print  
Wednesday, July 26 – Newspaper enter mail / paper delivered

**Puyallup Tribal News – July 2023 – [Issue #402]**  
Wednesday, June 7 – Content due  
Wednesday, June 21 – Sent to print  
Wednesday, June 28 – Newspaper enter mail / paper delivered

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Wednesday, Aug. 9 – Content due  
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- Preventing disputes over your assets
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