Bishop Paiute Tribe
April 2022 Newsletter

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April 1st-April Fools Day

April 17th-Easter

April 22nd-Earth Day

April 23rd-General Council Meeting

April 30th-Eastern Sierra Fishing Opener

Elders Title VI Nutrition Program

APRIL 2022

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
				1 Pork Pozole W/ Vegetable Condiments Tortilla Chips Apple
4 Turkey Sandwich Lettuce & Tom Cheddar Cheese Carrot & Celery sticks Orange	5 Spaghetti Garden Salad Cottage Cheese w/Pineapple	6 Chili Beans Corn bread Spinach Salad w/Cranberries & Fetta Cheese Banana	7 Mac & Cheese Brussel Sprouts W/ Parmesan Cheese Strawberries	8 Teriyaki Salmon Broccoli & Carrots Brown Rice Honeydew Melon
11 Beef Enchiladas Spanish Rice Corn Yogurt w/ Blackberries	12 Breakfast Burritos w/ eggs, vegetables, & Sausage Orange	13 Goulash w/Mozzarella Cheese Corn Pears	14 Baked Chicken Rice Pilaf Cucumber Salad Tropical Fruit	15 Smoked Brisket Cole Slaw Cornbread Apple
18 Taco Salad w/Wheat Chips Apple Sauce	19 Grilled Ham Scalloped Potatoes Peas & Carrots Wheat Roll Peaches	20 Bacon Lettuce & Tomato Sandwich Snap Peas Fruit w/Jello	21 Fish Sandwich Sweet Potato Fries Tartar Sauce Pears	22 Open Faced Turkey Sandwich Mashed Potatoes Green Beans Cranberries
25 Italian Pasta Salad w/ Salami, Mozzarella, Tomatoes, a Pasta Noodles Pears	26 Beef Stir-Fry W/ Vegetables Chow Mein Noodles Mandarin Oranges	27 Chicken Pot Pie Spinach Salad W/ Black Berries & Feta Cheese Banana	28 Cold Roast Beef Sandwich Cucumber & Tomato Salad Orange	29 Steak Fajitas W/ Bell Peppers and Onions Spanish Rice Fruit Cocktail Bowl

Menu items are reviewed by a Registered Dietitian, items are subject to change without notice, every meal is served with milk unless requested with no milk. For any questions or feedback on the menu please call the Elders Program at (760) 873-3052

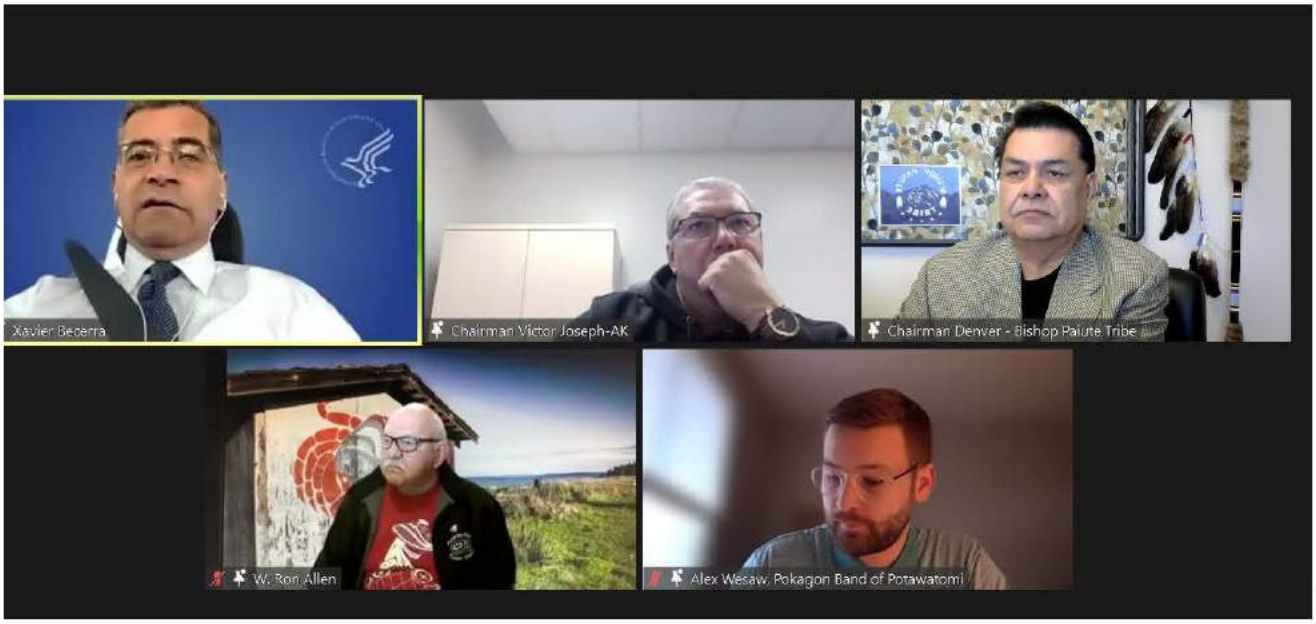
Bishop Tribal Chairman Participates in DHHS National Meetings

Secretary's Tribal Advisory Committee Meeting – March 8-9, 2022

The Secretary's Tribal Advisory Committee (STAC) signals a new level of attention to Government-to-Government relationship between the Department of Human Health Services (DHHS) and Indian Tribal Governments.

The STAC's primary purpose is to seek consensus, exchange views, share information, provide advice and/or recommendations; or facilitate any other interaction related to intergovernmental responsibilities or administration of HHS programs, including those that arise explicitly or implicitly under statute, regulation or Executive Order. This purpose will be accomplished through forums, meetings and conversations between Federal officials and elected Tribal leaders in their official capacity (or their designated employees or national associations with authority to act on their behalf).

The current DHHS Secretary is Xavier Becerra, former California Attorney General and was appointed as the DHHS Cabinet Secretary by President Biden. The STAC includes 11 regional tribal leaders and 5 at-large primary delegates. Chairman Denver has served on the STAC since 2020 as a primary at-large delegate. Today Chairman Denver provided the STAC and Secretary Becerra an overview of his work with the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) Tribal Advisory Committee (TAC) as the current ACF TAC Chairman. Chairman Denver was given time to speak with Secretary Becerra regarding the Indian Child Welfare Act (ICWA).



One of the top priorities of tribal nations to protect the Indian Child Welfare Act which on February 28th the Supreme Court granted review of the Brackeen v. Haaland case. This is the challenge to the Indian Child Welfare Act brought initially by the state of Texas. The case claims ICWA is unconstitutional on a few grounds, most strikingly, based on claims that the law is race based and commandeers states to take certain actions. The case will not be heard this term, so it may be many months before briefs are filed and even longer before the Supreme Court hears argument. But the work to protect ICWA, tribal children and tribal sovereignty is already underway. Chairman Denver requested Secretary to support of ICWA on behalf of tribal nations/communities. Chairman Denver would like to share some of the meetings that he

has attended this past week. He has spent over 30 hours of meeting time to advocate on behalf of the Bishop Paiute Tribe. Attached are meeting agendas to let tribal members understand his commitment to Federal, State and tribal funding through many important federal programs. The ACF Acting Assistant Secretary Jennifer Cannistra, thanked Chairman Denver for all his hard work as Chairman of the ACF TAC.

ACF Tribal Advisory Committee Tri-Annual Meeting – February 23-24, 2022

Chairman Denver facilitated two days of agenda items, which included 12 hours of meeting time for this important ACF national tribal advisory group representing over 574 federally recognized tribes. The ACF TAC's primary purpose is to seek consensus, exchange views, share information, provide advice and/or recommendations; or facilitate any other interaction related to intergovernmental responsibilities or administration of ACF programs, including those that arise explicitly or implicitly under statute, regulation, or Executive Order. This purpose will be accomplished through forums, meetings, and conversations between Federal officials and elected Tribal leaders in their official capacity. Bishop Paiute Tribe has several ACF federal grants including Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF), Pandemic Emergency Assistance Program (PEAF), Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP), Low Income Water Assistance Program (LIWAP), Administration for Native Americans (ANA), American Community Living (ACL) Tribal Elder Nutrition Program, Head Start/Early Head Start Programs, and many tribal COVID-19 grants. The Bishop Paiute Tribes receives over 5 million dollars in federal funding from the above programs.

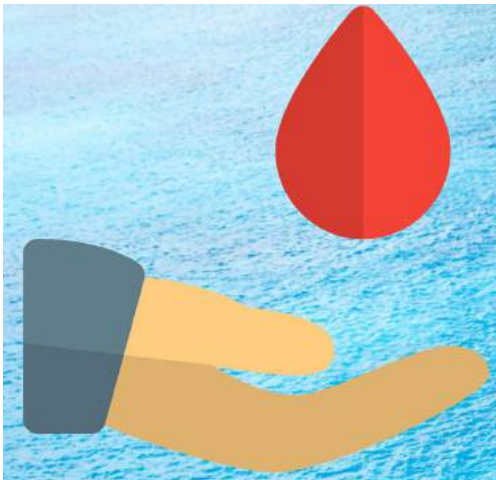
Chairman Denver would like to include some of the meeting agendas to inform tribal members of his commitment as Bishop Paiute Tribal Chairman to continue advocating for many important services needed now and in the future.

World Hemophilia Day 2022

Sunday, April 17th, 2022, Wear Red for World Hemophilia Day

My Name is Raymond Sukwati Garcia, and I am a Bishop Tribal Member. I am Currently 7 Years old and I am in Second Grade. At 9 days old I was diagnosed with Severe Hemophilia A, which is a Bleeding disorder where I am missing Factor 8. My mom gives me my clotting factor 3 times a week at home through my port to prevent me from having any bleeds. On Sunday, April 17th I ask my community to wear red for World Hemophilia Day and show support and bring awareness of Hemophilia and the bleeding disorder community. I would love for you to take a picture and post to social media with the hashtag #worldhemophiliaday.

Hemophilia is a rare Genetic Bleeding Disorder that prevents the blood from clotting normally. People with Hemophilia are missing an important protein needed for clotting blood. People with Hemophilia bleed easily and the bleed takes longer to clot. People with hemophilia can experience internal bleeding and often painful, swollen joints due to bleeding into the joints. There is currently no cure for Hemophilia but there are treatments where Factor is given to replace the missing proteins letting people with Hemophilia live long, healthy, normal lives. Hemophilia affects 1 in 5,000 Male Births, and Raymond is the only one with Hemophilia in Inyo and Mono Counties.



Get to know more about hemophilia !

Q1: Only Males can inherit Hemophilia.

o True o False

Q2: Hemophilia is caused by genetic mutation.

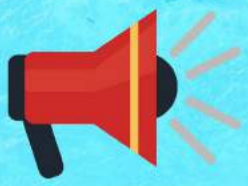
o True o False

Q3: Hemophilia occurs in about 1 of every 5,000 Male births

o True o False

Q4: There is a cure for hemophilia.

o True o False



Q5: People with hemophilia bruise excessively and easily

o True o False

DONT FORGET TO WEAR RED ON APRIL 17TH

Answers : 1-False 2-True 3-True 4-False 5-True

BISHOP PAIUTE TRIBE 2022
ANNUAL ELECTIONS

VACANT SEATS
Two (2) Tribal Council Members
One (1) Toiyabe Board of Directors Representative
One (1) Inter Tribal Council of California Representative

NOMINATION

When: Tuesday, MAY 3rd, 2022
Where: Bishop Tribal Chambers, 50 Tu Su Lane
Time: 10:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.

Any eligible tribal member may be nominated. Any eligible tribal member not nominated who desires to be placed on the ballot as a candidate shall file a "Declaration of Candidacy" no later than May 6th, 2022. Candidate filing fees must be **paid** no later than **May 6th, 2022, by 5:00 p.m.** All eligible candidates must be in good standing with the Tribe (see Bishop Paiute Tribe Election Ordinance on Tribal website for details). **NO REFUNDS** will be made if candidate declines running in election.

Primary Election: Tuesday, June 14, 2022
General Election: Tuesday, July 12, 2022
Polls Open at 7:00 AM and Close at 7:00 PM

VOTERS LIST

Preliminary Voters List: The preliminary voter's list will be posted at the Bishop Paiute Tribal Office on **April 29th, 2022.** Members, whose names do not appear, **MUST REGISTER** to vote by **MAY 16, 2022, by 5:00 pm.** Registration forms are available at the Bishop Paiute Tribal Office 50 Tu Su Lane.

Official Voters List for the Primary and General Elections: The **OFFICIAL VOTERS LIST** will be posted on **May 20, 2022** (no changes will be made after this date) at the Bishop Paiute Tribal Office. This list will be used for the 2022 Primary and General Elections.

Election Day Volunteers needed. Please submit your letter of intent by **May 27th, 2022.**

ABSENTEE BALLOTS

Eligible Voter Sample ballots will be mailed on **May 13, 2022.** **ABSENTEE BALLOTS WILL BE READY FOR PICK- UP OR MAILING ON MAY 23, 2022**To request an absentee ballot please call Erica Stone, Administrative Assistant at (760) 873-3584.

Eligible Voters may request an absentee ballot to vote, and return the absentee ballot to the Tribal Office on the same day or before polls close on Election Day. Absentee ballots for mailing need to be requested no later than **JUNE 2, 2022**. In order to have time for the absentee ballot to be mailed out, and to allow time for the ballot to be received in the mail by **Election Day June 14, 2022**.

OFFICIAL BALLOT
PRIMARY ELECTION
TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 2022

BISHOP TRIBAL CHAMBERS FROM 7:00 A.M. TO 7:00 P.M.

To vote, mark 'X' in box provided. Any other marks will VOID ballot.

BISHOP TRIBAL COUNCIL MEMBERS: VOTE FOR UP TO FIVE (5)

The Five (5) Candidates receiving the highest votes will be placed on the General Election Ballot.

- ☐ *John Doe*
- ☐ *Jane Doe*

TOIYABE INDIAN HEALH PROJECT (Board of Directors): VOTE FOR ONE (1)

- ☐ *John Doe*
- ☐ *Jane Doe*

INTER TRIBAL COUNCIL OF CALIFORNIA REPRESENTATIVE: VOTE FOR ONE (1)

- ☐ *John Doe*
- ☐ *Jane Doe*

SAMPLE

DEFACED BALLOT WILL BE VOIDED

2022 Election

Due to the COVID-19 Pandemic when voting at the Polls you must follow ALL covid guidelines regardless of covid vaccination status .

1. You must wear a mask at all times while in the Tribal Chambers

2. Only eligible voters allowed in the building.

3. Obey the 6 (six) feet markings on the floor.

4. No loitering allowed within 100 ft of polls.

5. Utilize handwashing station and hand sanitizer stations that are available.

THANK YOU!

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BISHOP PAIUTE TRIBE

Technology Expo & Career Fair

"It's a fun and interactive opportunity to learn about the technology industry!" - Deston Rogers

ETHERIC NETWORKS
ULTRA-HIGH-SPEED INTERNET

See what the newest jobs of the future are like in only 10 minutes each

- Try out new jobs with interactive exercises to see which you like best, from creative design to building infrastructure
- Learn about jobs with salaries $75k-$150k per year, flexible hours, benefits, and the option to work from anywhere — no need to leave your community
- Apply for open positions with the Bishop Paiute Tribe on the spot
- FREE food
- FREE admission

WUNUT BUILDING @ 2490 DIAZ LANE
WED, APRIL 6TH from 1PM - 6PM

Owens Valley Paiute Shoshone Cultural Center

National Former POW Recognition Day

YOU ARE NOT FORGOTTEN!

April 9th, National Former Prisoner of War (POW) Recognition Day is a day to honor captured wartime service members who eventually came home. This day commemorates the surrender of up to 80,000 service members to the Imperial Japanese Army at the Bataan Peninsula, Philippines.

Here is just one of the numerous Native American service members who returned home:

Clarence "Ting" Rogers, Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians served with the U.S. Army in the Pacific Campaign during WWII. He was captured by the Japanese in April 1942, and was one of many Americans forced on the Bataan Death March. In 1944 he contracted double pneumonia and his weight dropped to 94 lbs. When the war ended, "Ting" was finally released and recuperated in an Army hospital before being discharged in 1946 at Fort Bragg.

"We're here to honor a remarkable Cherokee...This dear brother suffered more than anyone could possibly imagine." Commander Lew Harding, at "Ting" Rogers Memorial Ballpark Dedication, October 10, 2013.

ADDITIONS TO VETERAN EXHIBIT

Cleveland Bacoch (Bacock)
WWII - U.S. Army

Jacob Bacoch
U.S. Marine Corps

Harry K. Clarke
WWI - U.S. Army

Ralph K. Clarke
Korea -
U.S. Marine Corps

Lance Herrera
U.S. Army

Katrina Martinez
Gulf -
U.S. Marine Corps

We are so very proud of our warriors for their service to our country. If you would like to submit a photo of your veteran and/or active service or update information, please come by the Cultural Center to complete a Photo Submission Form. We would be honored to include your photo in our museum!

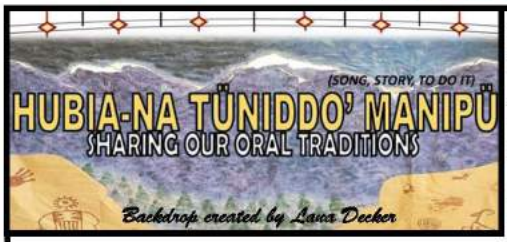
2022 VETERAN ART CHALLENGE

Attention Owens Valley Tribal Artists! The Cultural Center invites you to enter the 2022 Art Challenge to pay tribute to our Native Veterans and the sacrifices they have made!

The theme for 2022 is "**HONOR**". Veterans are proud of their military service in defending our Nation. **Honor** reflects the military value and tradition of answering the call to duty. There is distinct **honor** in serving to protect our way of life and the Constitution of the United States of America. We encourage tribal artists to consider the Veteran history of service to our Nation and the **honor** we owe them for fulling their patriotic duties.

Submission form and guidelines may be picked up at the Cultural Center or emailed to you by calling 760-873-8844.
DEADLINE: May 20, 2022.

Owens Valley Paiute Shoshone Cultural Center



STORYTELLING 2022 RECAP

This event was held March 15th-18th with a week of activities and listening sessions for the community to take part in, near and far! It kicked off with an Activity Bag distribution for local families who signed up in advance and ended with a Completion Bag for those who participated in any of the activities and completed a survey. Along with other incentives, the Completion Bag included a children's book entitled, *Thunder's Hair* and a choice of an adult book; *An American Sunrise* by Joy Harjo, *Legends of the Northern Paiute* as told by Wilson Wewa, and *Voices of the People*, a compilation of associated tribes of Yosemite National Park. We would like to the thank the following for making this event a success:

Billy Barlow, KBPT Radio 96.1 for airing daily book readings and stories by **Bishop Tribal Youth Council, Tamara Skeets, Helen Paulino, Michelle Cozad, Amara Keller, Jaime Meredith, Joseph Sepsey, Glenn Nelson, Jr., and Tara Frank**.

Monty Bengochia, THPO, and Kyndall Noah, OVIWC for sharing local history at virtual Sharing Circle.

Bishop Tribal Family Formation Project

Bishop Tribal Youth Council

Bishop Tribal Historic Preservation Office

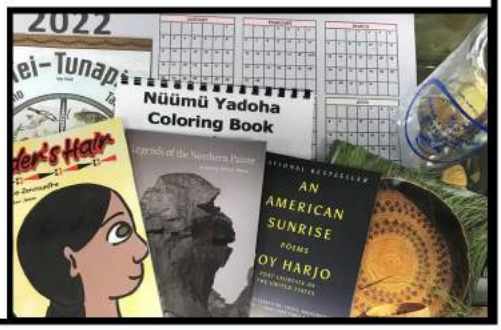
OVCDC Nüümü Yadoha Program

OVCDC Tuniwa Nobi Family Literacy Program

Owens Valley Indian Water Commission

Owens Valley Paiute Shoshone Cultural Center

...and to our tribal community for your participation! SHOUT OUT to the kids for sharing songs during the virtual Sharing Circle: **Maya Stone, Jade Stone, Elden Mitchell, and Darren Delgado, Jr**.! The future of our oral traditions are in good hands!



NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

No April Gift Shop Buying Days: Due to unforeseen circumstances, the C.C will not be holding a Gift Shop Buying Days for the month of April. We will keep you updated on future vending opportunities for the upcoming months. Keep crafting!

No Meetings/Activities inside the Cultural Center: Due to the current GBNA Exhibit, on display through August 2022, we are unable to accept any inside facility requests for meetings/activities. We are happy to host your outside facility requests, contact C.C to schedule your events. .

Annual Spring Market on April 23rd: VENDOR OPPORTUNITY! This event will take place on the front lawn of the Cultural Center. New addition this year will be the Youth Art Market, open to youth 18 and younger. Adult and Youth vendors contact the Cultural Center for more information! Cost for 1 table, and 2 chairs (canopy not included) for an adult is $15, and FREE for youth artists. Flyer to follow! open to the public and to ALL artists!

C.C Clean-up and prep on April 24th: Please join us at the Cultural Center between 10am and 3pm for cleaning and preparing the area for an upcoming Rose Garden Memorial to be held on May 7th. On this day we would like to pay tribute to those community members we lost due to the COVID-19 national pandemic. More information will follow.

Tei-Tuba Tubiji A-Yugwi (Spring Pinenut Blessing) APRIL 2022: Date to be determined and more information to follow! Keep and eye out for the flyer.

APRIL IS NATIONAL POETRY MONTH

For those who received the book entitled, *An American Sunrise* by Poet Laureate, Joy Harjo (Muscogee Creek Nation) at the Cultural Center's Storytelling event, we encourage you to read her poems and take in her words. This book finds blessings in the abundance of her homeland and confronts the site of where her people, and other families, essentially disappeared. Read and get inspired!

Owens Valley Paiute Shoshone Cultural Center

2300 W Line Street, Bishop, CA 93514 I 760-873-8844

April 2022

***SUMMER HOURS OF OPERATION:**

**Effective April 5, 2022. Hours subject to change.*

Monday
CLOSED

Tuesday-Friday
10:00-6:00pm

Saturday-Sunday
10:00am-3:00pm

Following CDC, State, County, and Tribal protocols

For information on current, upcoming events, and activities, follow us on:

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

APRIL WEEKENDS
Demonstrations at the Cultural Center
10:00 am - 3:00 pm

APR 6 & 13
Virtual Workshops: 5 USES FOR YOUR ARTIST PORTFOLIO
12:00 pm-1:00 pm

APR 19
Commodity Food Distribution
8:00 am-11:45 am

APR 23
Spring Market
11:00 am-5:00 pm

NATIVE ARTIST DEMONSTRATIONS

During the month of March the Cultural Center launched weekend demonstrations to showcase the cultural heritage of the Paiute/Shoshone people. Through the Native Cultures Fund this is an opportunity to offer support for our Native Artists and to provide a dedicated space to work on their craft while educating museum visitors. So far, we have showcased Paiute collars, Fandango dresses and a variety of beadwork styles by local talented artists. Museum patrons were able to ask questions that pertained to the artist design and origin. We would like to thank our March Demonstrators Charlene Redner, Troy Watterson, Lynda Charlie, and Fawn Piper for giving their time and sharing their passion and talents.

These demonstrations will continue on weekends through April/May 2022 during museum hours. If you are a member of a Owens Valley Paiute Shoshone tribe and are interested in demonstrating at the Cultural Center, please contact Tamara for more information. Follow us on social media for up to date event information.

USES FOR A SUCCESSFUL ARTIST PORTFOLIO

We would like to announce two upcoming virtual workshops for all artists interested in learning the uses of a professional portfolio. Hosted by the Cultural Center, please join artist, Melissa Melero-Moose, Great Basin Native Artists (GBNA) Founder/Curator at noon on April 6th and 13th to explore the benefits of an exceptional portfolio. It is important that a portfolio tells a compelling story as it is what employers, granting agencies, sponsors, etc. look at to understand your skills, interests and passions. These workshops are FREE, and is made possible by funding through the National Endowment for the Arts. Please contact Michelle Cozad at the Cultural Center for further information.

Ahwanee Williams
Joins
Office of Native American Affairs

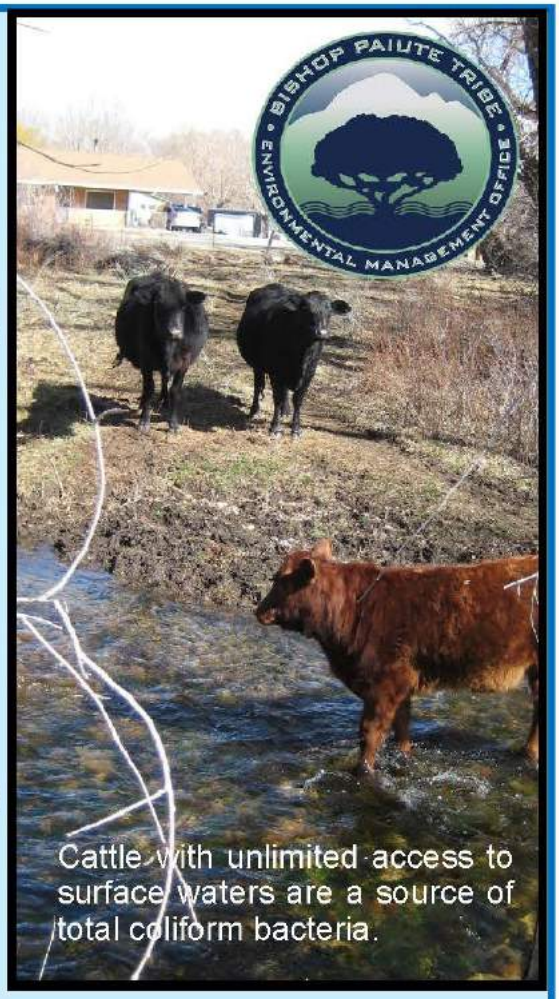
The Bishop Paiute THPO Program would like to share this news from Ira L. Matt, Director of Native American Affairs.

"Hello everyone. Please join me in welcoming ONAA's new Native American Program Assistant, and former ONAA intern, Ahwahnee Williams!!
ONAA is excited to have Ahwahnee return in a part-time status as we continue to advance the interests of Indian Tribes, Native Hawaiians and other Indigenous peoples in the section 106 process. Ahwahnee will be working with ONAA to advance our Native Youth, Climate Change, and Traditional Knowledge initiatives over the next several months. Please see her bio below, Ahwahnee has a tremendous amount of cultural knowledge and experience representing the Tribal perspective and we look forward to the valuable contributions".

Ahwahnee Williams is a citizen of the Bishop Paiute Tribe from central eastern California. Ahwahnee will joining the ACHP in the Office of Native American Affairs as the Native American Program Assistant. Ahwahnee is currently working towards a Bachelor of Arts degree in Tribal Historic Preservation at Salish Kootenai College. Ahwahnee has found her passion for cultural preservation in her studies and through various internships she has participated in. Ahwahnee was a 2021 diversity scholar for the National Trust for Historic Preservation and a 2021 National Council for Preservation Education Intern. Ahwahnee currently resides with her two children on the homelands of the Salish, Kootenai, and Pend d'Oreille people in beautiful northwestern Montana. Ahwahnee looks forward to working with and getting to know each of you.

(Submitted by Ira L. Matt)
Ira L. Matt (Confederated Salish and Kootenai Tribes)
Director | Office of Native American Affairs
Advisory Council on Historic Preservation
202.517.1481 | imatt@achp.gov

Nonpoint Source Pollution is caused by water, in the form of irrigation, rainfall, or snowmelt, moving over and through the ground. As the runoff moves, it picks up and carries away natural and human-made pollutants, that are eventually deposited into lakes, streams, wetlands, coastal waters, and ground waters. Nonpoint source pollution cause far reaching water quality issues affecting drinking water, recreation, fisheries, wildlife, cultural uses, and other designated water uses. ***Nonpoint source pollution is the primary cause of water-quality problems within the United States.***



Cattle with unlimited access to surface waters are a source of total coliform bacteria.

Some Harmful Environmental Effects:

- **Increased bacteria** from range animal manure and pet feces contaminating the water,
- **Human and wildlife health concerns** from toxic substances such as organic and inorganic chemicals, metals, pesticides, household chemicals, gasoline, motor oil, battery acid, roadway salt and other pollutants,
- **Excessive algae growth** and **decreased dissolved oxygen** caused by nitrogen and phosphates from agricultural fertilizers being deposited into waterways, and
- **Decreased clarity** from human activities releasing sediment into streams.

Example Harmful Health Risks:

- **Pollutant contamination** byway of utilizing earthen materials, plants, and/or animals for cultural purposes, e.g. flint napping, pottery making, basket weaving, or using natural paints, dyes, smoke, and smudges.
- **Altered taste, odor, and safe use of public water resources** can occur from excess phosphorus and in high concentrations can cause **digestive issues**.
- **Fever, nausea, and/or stomach cramps** can be caused from ingesting water containing high levels of fecal coliform or *E.coli*.

How You Can Help Control Nonpoint Source Pollution:

- Apply fertilizers and pesticides according to instructions on the label.
- Collect litter and animal waste before they wash into waterways.
- Recycle grass clippings and leaves by mulching or composting. Do not pile or dump into waterways.
- When changing engine oil, take the used oil to a recycling station. Never dump oil into a storm drain, waterway, or onto the ground where it can seep into the groundwater aquifer.
- Direct roof runoff onto a grassed area or into a rain barrel.
- Watch for soil erosion. If you notice sediment entering waterways from a construction site, or have any questions regarding nonpoint source pollution, contact the Tribe's Environmental Management Office at 873-3584.

BISHOP TRIBAL YOUTH COUNCIL

MEETINGS EVERYOTHER SUNDAY IN APRIL

4/3/2022 AND 4/17/2022 AT 4:00 PM AT THE BISHOP INDIAN EDUCATION CENTER 390 NORTH BARLOW LANE BISHOP, CA

JOIN US

Isaac Reno
Male Co-President

Kaytlynn Johnston
Female Co-President

Ben Wagener
Vice President

Ashley Johnston
Treasurer

George Brown
Secretary

Alyssa Reno
Historian

Bishop Tribal Youth Council

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Inspiring Hope. Changing Lives.
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Gift of the MONTH
Arrow Club

APRIL SPRING GETAWAY SET
EARN PTS WEEKLY IN APRIL TO GET THE ENTIRE SET

MONDAYS IN APRIL
MORE POINTS MEANS MORE CASH BACK!
MONDAY 3X POINTS

CLUB MEMBERS EARN 3X'S BONUS POINTS ON MONDAYS IN APRIL

EARN BONUS POINTS ALL DAY BY PLAYING WITH YOUR CARD.

CLUB 55+
FOR PLAYERS 55+ YEARS YOUNG!

WEDNESDAYS IN APRIL
$100 DRAWINGS
EVERY 30 MINS FROM 10 AM TO 1 PM

50% OFF ANY ENTRÉE OR APPETIZER
GOOD FOR BREAKFAST OR LUNCH

EARN 500 SAME-WEEK POINTS TO PARTICIPATE

FISHING POLE GIVEAWAYS
FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS IN APRIL

JUST BE PLAYING AT THE TABLES TO GET SELECTED!
★ EVERY 30 MINS FROM 8 PM TO 10 PM ★

WIN A NEW FISHING POLE WHILE YOU PLAY TABLE GAMES!

$2K IN A DAY CASH GIVEAWAY

FRIDAYS IN APRIL
IT'S ALL ABOUT CASH ON FRIDAYS!

GET SELECTED BY PLAYING WITH YOUR CLUB CARD

$250 HOT SEATS
EVERY 30 MINS FROM 5PM TO 8:30PM

Spring CASH & TECH GIVEAWAY
SATURDAYS IN APRIL

WE'RE GIVING AWAY GREAT TECH PRIZES EVERY HOUR AND $100 CASH EVERY HALF-HOUR!

DRAWINGS EVERY 30 MINS FROM 6PM TO 10PM

EARN ENTRIES ALL WEEK FROM SLOT & TABLE PLAY

SMART WATCHES, WIRELESS HEAD PHONES, LAPTOPS & PADS, TV'S

EASTER'S GOLDEN EGG HUNT
SUN • APRIL 17

PICK A GOLDEN EGG FROM THE CASINO GARDEN TO WIN BIG CASH!

5 EGGS HAVE $500

21 WINNERS

3 HOT SEAT WINNERS
EVERY 30 MINS • 4PM TO 7PM

ALL OTHER EGGS CONTAIN $50 UP TO $250 CASH!

Spring BALLOON BUST
POPPING @ 8PM

THURS • APRIL 21

WIN YOUR SHARE OF OVER $10,000 IN CASH & FREE PLAY!

POST BUST DRAWINGS
$100 WINNER EVERY 15 MINS FROM 9 PM TO 10 PM

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MANAGEMENT RESERVES ALL RIGHTS. MUST BE 21 YEARS OF AGE.

LIHWAP

Low Income Household Water Assistance Program

Need Help Paying Your Water Bill?

LIHWAP is a new program that may be able to assist with your past due and/or current water/sewer bill. LIHWAP is a temporary program to help low-income families pay overdue water bills. You must meet all eligibility guidelines.

CONTACT US

Applications are available at the Social Services building. If you have any questions, contact Pamela Martinez at (760) 873-4414 ext: 2830 or by email pamela.martinez@bishoppaiute.org

Natural Resource Department

BISHOP PAIUTE TRIBE TITLE 6 – ENVIRONMENT CHAPTER

6.4– SOLID AND HAZARDOUS WASTE CODE .

This Code is intended to prohibit the illegal dumping, transportation, storage, and burning of solid waste and establish tribal law regarding acceptable, efficient, cost-effective and legal methods of disposal of solid waste generated within the exterior boundaries of the Bishop Paiute Reservation, or being dumped on the Reservation or affecting the Reservation from an outside source.

It is the purpose of this Code to address the findings for the benefit and protection of the public health, safety, and general welfare of the Bishop Paiute Reservation, its residents, visitors, its animals and plants, and environment.

It is not the intent of this Code to impose unnecessary restrictions on the cultural and customary practices of the people of the Bishop Paiute Tribe.

To see more of this Ordinance Click Here or enter the website below

https://www.bishoppaiutetribe.com/tribal-ordinances/

The Environmental Department will now be enforcing this ordinance and would like the community to read the document. The focus is to assist community members in protecting the health and safety of our Community

April 24th from 9am to 11am at the Cultural Center parking lot there will be Environmental Staff present to answer questions about this Ordinance

Free Car and Trailer Removal

The EMO will be accepting applicants to have derelict vehicles and trailers removed (2 cars per assignment or 1 trailer per assignment) on a first-come-first-serve, while funds last basis—BIA funded project). The project will be accepting applications April 24th at the Cultural Center Parking Lot between 8am to 12pm. Forms will be available to signup for project. Please come in person. This will be the only time to apply for potential removal through July 2022.

If you have any questions about the program please contact The Natural Resources Specialist, Thomas Gustie III @ 760-873-3584 ext. 2130

or Email thomas.gustie@bishoppaiute.org

Natural Resource Department

Just a reminder that applications for the California State Big Game Drawing are available April 15th through June 2nd.

Apply online or at a local sporting goods store.

A letter or printout of an unsuccessful drawing from the State Fish and Wildlife is one of the requirements to apply for the Tribal drawing.

Modifications to the Tahidda Na Koinui-Ti Policy have been made. The Tribal website will soon be updated to show the amended Policy.

One of the important changes to the policy is that ALL Bishop Paiute Tribal Members are eligible to apply

The Tribe would like to get information from our community members, focusing on Hunters in households and future hunters. Please help us get information by filling out this online survey.

You can click on this link, type it in, or scan this QR Code

Tahidda Na Koinui-Ti Survey

https://arcg.is/15bOvq

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Yuhubi Nobi

GAS STATION & MARKET

Gas Station - 24 Hours

Store Hours 6am - 10pm

Deli

Grab - N - Go.

Hours 7am - 3pm

Breakfast - Lunch

Burritos - Sandwich - Salads

Pizza - Ask For Soup Of The Day!

OPEN FOR DINE IN EATING

Ample Parking for Rv's

Propane - Convenience Store

LOWEST GAS PRICES AROUND

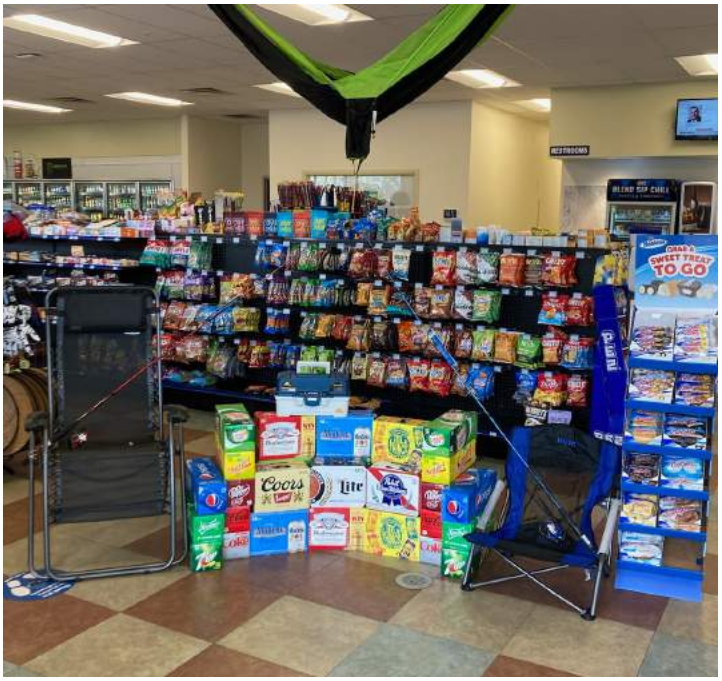
180 N. See Vee Lane, Bishop Ca 93514

Comments Welcome (Box)

Gas station pumps 24 hours (credit/debit cards)

Yuhubi Nobi

GAS STATION & MARKET



Fishing Opener Drawing April 24th

- Two folding chairs
- Two fishing poles
- Tackle
- Enter inside the store

As of April 8th-extended hours Fridays & Saturdays

6am to 12am

YOUTH ART MARKET

VENDOR CALL OUT

Saturday April 23, 2022

11am-5pm

In conjunction with the Cultural Center's Annual Spring Market. We would like to extend a special vending invite to ALL youth artists.

* FREE VENDING FEE FOR YOUTH ONLY
* WE WILL PROVIDE ONE TABLE AND 2 CHAIRS
* 18 YEARS AND YOUNGER
* UNDER 12 MUST HAVE ADULT SUPERVISION
* ALL WORK MUST BE MADE BY YOUTH ARTISTS
* YOUTH WILL BE RESPOSIBLE FOR MAINTAINING THEIR TABLE

We kindly ask that the youth be aware of their items and responsibilities

* MONITOR WILL BE ON SITE FOR SUPERVISION
* DEADLINE TO SIGN UP APRILL 22,2022

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO SIGN UP PLEASE

CONTACT TAMARA @ 760-873-8844

SHOWCASING OUR NATIVE LANGUAGES 2022

VIRTUAL WALK

STARTING APRIL 11TH -APRIL 30TH

Join our virtual walk or take the challenge below. Use #SONL2022 to receive a participation item or text photos to (760) 920-0365.

JOIN THE 20 DAY 22 MINUTES WALK CHALLENEGE

1. Walk 22 Minutes a day in honor of our Language Teachers past, present and future.
2. Each day record yourself walking. Introduce yourself in your language.
3. Every day nominate a different person to join the challenge.

SCAN for Tachi-Yokuts Introduction

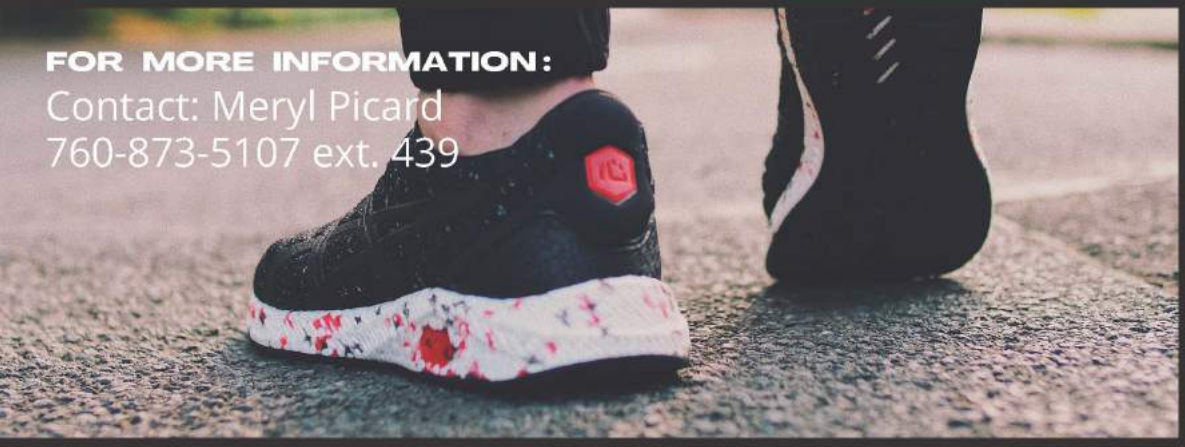
SCAN for Yowlumni Introduction

SCAN for Paiute Introduction

SCAN for Western Mono Introduction

SCAN for Paka'anil Introduction

SCAN for Navajo Introduction



FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Contact: Meryl Picard
760-873-5107 ext. 439

SCAN for Wukchumni Introduction

#SONL2022

Family Formation Showcasing Our Native Languages

April 11, 2022- May 13, 2022

#SONL2022 Family Challenges

Complete Challenges during SONL submit by May 6th

Challenge Rules

1.) Sign-up by scanning the QR code or follow this link
2.) submit 1 challenge per day **https://forms.gle/bqYisHnaHA4XMUnq6**
3.) Submit your challenges by posting on social media with the hashtag #SONL2022 OR send to rpicaso@ovcdc.com by MAY 6, 2022

Earn a spot on our wheel of NAMES! & Chance to Receive

FAMILY GOODIES!

FAMILY CHALLENGES

1. Create a sign with your Tribe or Nations name and strike a pose!
2. Rock your braid or Native BLING!
3. Submit a video/tik tok of a greeting in your language
4. Post a family pic of attending an SONL workshop
5. Post a pic of your family practicing culture
6. Identify 3 things in your language on the virtual walk
7. List 3 SONL presenters from your choice of workshops
8. Post a family picture eating an SONL meal together

Bonus Challenges
*Caption "Family" in your language
* Submit an SONL throwback picture

For more info contact
Rena Picaso or Paula Davila (559) 226-2880
Darrel Garcia (559) 738-8248

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Tuniwa Nobi Program, Bishop Paiute Tribe's Family Formation Program and Bishop TANF Present:

Computer Basics: MicroSoft for Beginners

in this workshop, participants will explore all MicroSoft programs such as Word, Excel and Publisher in order to gain valuable knowledge for future jobs

Date: April 20 & 21, 2022
Time: 2:30pm-4:30pm (both days)
Location: Family Formation Office (may be virtual, depending on COVID restrictions)

Eligibility Criteria: Participants must have one Native American in the home and a current Prevention Application on file.
Open to Bishop and Benton communities.

To sign-up for the workshop, please contact the Bishop TANF Office at (760) 873-5107, Tawni ext 285 or Laura ext 277

FAMILY FORMATION PROJECT

OWENS VALLEY CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTER

HOME SAFETY WORKSHOP

Home Safety Workshop will include topics such as woodstove safety, small hole repair and emergency preparedness for your family

DATE: APRIL 28, 2022

TIME: 2:30PM-4:30PM

LOCATION: WEBEX*

*WEBEX LINK WILL BE SENT TO PARTICIPANTS WHO SIGN-UP FOR WORKSHOP

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA: PARTICIPANTS MUST HAVE ONE NATIVE AMERICAN IN THE HOME AND A CURRENT PREVENTION APPLICATION ON FILE.

FOR QUESTIONS OR TO SIGN-UP, CONTACT THE BISHOP TANF OFFICE AT (760) 873-5107, TAWNI EXT 285 OR LAURA EXT 277

OWENS VALLEY CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTER

Updated Address

If you have changed your address recently, please be sure to complete an Address Change form with the Bishop Paiute Tribe Administration office.

All completed forms will be sent to other needed departments to reassure all departments have updated information for all tribal members.

Thank you for your cooperation

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Resilience Resources for Inyo County

CONTACT
LWILSON@OVCDC.COM
FOR MORE INFO

WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE HELP WITH?

HANG ME ON THE FRIDGE!

Hotlines:

Suicide prevention Hotline: 1-800-273-8255
Crisis Text Line: text "ACES" to 741741
Domestic Violence Hotline: 1-800-799-7233
National Child Abuse Hotline: 1-800-422-4453
Inyo County 24hr Crisis Line: 1-800-841-5011

MENTAL HEALTH & RECOVERY

HHS BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
760-873-6533 WELLNESS CENTER
760-873-8039

TOIYABE FAMILY SERVICES
760-873-6394

ALPINE CENTER
760-873-4357

WELLBRIETY GROUPS
760-873-8464
EXT 242

NORTHSTAR COUNSELING
760-873-6394

PROGRESS HOUSE
760-873-8045

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
760-873-6700

MEDICAL CARE

NORTHERN INYO HOSPITAL
760-873-5811

SOUTHERN INYO HOSPITAL
760-876-5501

RURAL HEALTH CLINIC
BISHOP
760-873-7411
LONE PINE
760-876-1146

TOIYABE
BISHOP
760-873-8464
LONE PINE
760-876-4795

BISHOP COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER
760-784-7020

INYO COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH
760-873-7868

WOMENS CLINIC
BISHOP
760-873-2602

HOUSING

INYO MONO ADVOCATES FOR COMMUNITY ACTION (IMACA)
760-873-8557

WILD IRIS (FOR VICTIMS OF IPV)
760-873-6601

BISHOP PAIUTE TRIBE SOCIAL SERVICES
760-873-4414 EXT. 2800

HHS WELLNESS CENTER (REFERALS ONLY)
760-873-8039

PROGRESS HOUSE
760-873-8045

CA INDIAN LEGAL SERVICES (CILS)
760-648-3075

FOOD

IMACA
760-873-8557

BPT FOOD SOVEREIGNTY
760-873-3584
ELDERS PROGRAM
760-873-3052

SALVATION ARMY
FREE BREAKFAST ON SUNDAYS
760-872-2124

BISHOP UNIFIED METHODIST
760-872-7701

HHS
760-873-5240
HHS WELLNESS CENTER
760-873-8039

OASIS OF GRACE CHURCH
760-920-0350

CHILD & ELDER CARE

ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES
760-873-6364

SENIOR CENTER
760-873-5240

INYO WOMENS INFANTS AND CHILDREN (WIC)
760-872-1885

CHILD PROTECTIVE SERVICES (CPS)
760-872-1727

CHILD CARE CONNECTION
760-873-5123

FIRST 5 INYO
760-873-6453

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

RAVE
760-873-4414
24HR. HOTLINE
760-873-9018

ITCC
760-666-0069

WILD IRIS
760-873-6601
CRISIS LINE
1-877-873-7384

OVCDC
Tribal organization providing temporary assistance, career education, & family literacy
760-873-5107

Disability Services
Kern Regional Center
760-873-7411

Great Steps Ahead
760-872-2270

Inyo-Mono Association for the Handicapped (IMACA)
760-873-8668

Law Enforcement

Bishop Paiute Tribal Police Department
760-873-4477

California Highway Patrol
760-872-5150

Bishop Police Department
760-873-5866

Inyo County Sheriff's Department
760-873-7887

WE COULD ALL USE A LITTLE HELP. THESE ORGANIZATIONS CAN PROVIDE IT.

INYO RESILIENCE COLLABORATIVE

Tribal Administration Department

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BOARD & COMMITTE VACANCIES

TERO Commission- (4) Four Members
Tribal Court Committee- (2) Two Members
Enrollment Committee- (1) One Member
Parent Advisory Committee (PAC)- (1) One Member
Cultural Advisory Committee- (4) Four Members
Tei-nuumu Takawa-du Wellness Committee- (2) Two Members
Tribal Environmental Protection Agency (TEPA) Board- (1) One Member
Constitution Committee- (4) Four Members
Miss Bishop Paiute Tribe Committee- (5) Five Members

~REQUIREMENTS TO APPLY~

MUST BE A BISHOP PAIUTE TRIBAL MEMBER INTERESTED IN SERVING THE TRIBAL COMMUNITY
MUST SUBMIT A LETTER OF INTENT TO THE TRIBAL OFFICE

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