

# Duu Lhlan Wee-ya'

Duu Lhlan Wee-ya', "not many words" or "in so many words," is mailed to Lincoln and Tillamook County Tribal members each month. Information includes youth activities, events, meetings, program updates and more.



## Public Information Department

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**April 2016**

## Cultural/Education Programming for Siletz Tribal Members (Youth and Family Activities)

### April

- April 4 – Siletz area language class at Tribal Community Center, 5-7 p.m.
- April 7 – Dentalium stringing class at Tribal Community Center, 5-7 p.m.
- April 14 – Family Literacy Night Season Finale at Tribal Community Center, 5-7 p.m. **Open to entire Siletz community.**
- April 20 – Pow-wow dance class at Tribal Community Center, 5-7 p.m.
- April 28 – Salmon-cooking sticks class at Tribal Community Center, 5-7 p.m.

### May

- May 12 – Maple bark class at Tribal Community Center, 5-7 p.m.
- May 26 – Cattail mat class at Tribal Community Center, 5-7 p.m.

### Hazel Sticks (k'vn)

Tribal members interested in gathering hazel sticks to make Siletz baskets should send their contact info to [budl@ctsi.nsn.us](mailto:budl@ctsi.nsn.us) or call 541-444-8320 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1320.

Hazel bark will begin slipping sometime in April or May. Because of the changing weather, we will notify people who send their contact info in when the time is right to pick and peel hazel.

### Nuu-wee-ya' (our words)

Introduction to the Athabaskan language

Open to Tribal members of all ages

April 4 • 6-8 p.m.  
Siletz Tribal Community Center

This language class will be dedicated to the Feather Dance and will include Feather Dance practice as part of the class.

For more information, contact Bud Lane at the Siletz Cultural Department at 541-444-8320 or e-mail [budl@ctsi.nsn.us](mailto:budl@ctsi.nsn.us).

### Elders Council Meeting

April 9 • 1-4 p.m.

Chinook Winds Golf Resort

Siletz Elder potlucks are held monthly at 6 p.m. on the Monday before the regularly scheduled Elders meeting. Please bring a potluck dish you would like to share.

For more information, call the Elders Program at 800-922-1399, ext. 1261, or 541-444-8261.

## Tipi Drawing

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll #: \_\_\_\_\_

For Siletz Tribal members to use during the Nesika Illahee Pow-Wow on Aug 12-14, 2016. One entry per household. Must be a Siletz Tribal member to enter.

Deadline for entries is June 17, 2016. Name will be drawn soon after the deadline.

Return the form to Siletz Pow-Wow, Attn: Tipi Drawing, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549.

Note: You do not win the tipi. The drawing is only for a stay in the tipi over pow-wow weekend.

## 2016-2017 Siletz Royalty Applications

Applications are being accepted for 2016-2017 Miss Siletz, Junior Miss Siletz and Little Miss Siletz.

Applications must be turned in to the Pow-Wow Committee no later than June 3, 2016.

Applications can be sent to Siletz Pow-Wow Committee, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549.

Applications can be downloaded from the Tribal website located under the pow-wow tab.

If you have any questions, contact Buddy Lane at 800-922-1399, ext. 1230, or 541-444-8230; or [buddyl@ctsi.nsn.us](mailto:buddyl@ctsi.nsn.us).

## Nesting Restrictions Aid Western Snowy Plover Recovery

REEDSPORT, Ore. – Beachgoers are urged to help in recovery efforts of the threatened Western snowy plover by respecting nesting areas and beach restrictions through Sept. 15.

Plovers, a small shorebird, nest on open sand along Oregon's beaches. During nesting season, they can become frightened easily by human disturbances and abandon their eggs.

"We're making great strides in reversing the downward slide of this species," said Cindy Burns, Siuslaw National Forest wildlife biologist. "It takes everyone's efforts, so we hope people will do their part in sharing the beach this nesting season."

Plovers are small and well-camouflaged and can be easily harmed by vehicles and dogs, often inadvertently. Last year, plover monitors discovered tracks from an off-highway vehicle that had traversed across a closed area and crushed a nesting adult and its chicks.

Nesting areas are delineated by ropes and sign posts. Maps and signage at trailheads and parking lots also will alert visitors of nearby nesting areas.

Nesting areas are closed to all entrance. In addition, the dry sand surrounding the nesting areas are closed to the public.

During nesting season, some activities also are restricted on the adjacent wet sand. Hiking and horseback riding, however, are permitted on all wet sand.

The following activities are prohibited around nesting enclosures and their beaches:

- 🔑 Camping
- 🔑 Bicycling
- 🔑 Hiking and horseback riding (permitted on wet sand only)
- 🔑 Kite flying
- 🔑 Riding motorized vehicles of any kind
- 🔑 Walking dogs on or off leash

All restricted beach areas have nearby beaches that permit dogs on leash and kites. Oregon State Parks

maintains online maps of dog-accessible beaches during shorebird nesting seasons at [oregonstateparks.org](http://oregonstateparks.org).

The Western snowy plover is a federally protected shorebird. Nesting areas within the Siuslaw National Forest include:

- 🔑 Baker/Sutton beaches
- 🔑 Siltcoos estuary south to within ½ mile of Sparrow Park Road, which includes:
  - 🔑 Oregon Dunes day use beach
  - 🔑 Tahkenitch Creek estuary
- 🔑 Ten Mile Creek estuary, starting from ¼ mile south of the Doug-

las/Coos county line to the Coast Guard South OHV Trail

Habitat loss from invasive European beachgrass, plus human disturbances, including litter and discarded food scraps that attract predators, have contributed to the birds' decline.

Part of the Siuslaw National Forest and its partners' dunes restoration strategy is aimed at removing European beachgrass near nesting areas to improve habitat conditions.

More information can be found on the Siuslaw website at [fs.usda.gov/siuslaw](http://fs.usda.gov/siuslaw).

### "Listen to Her" Town Hall

Join the **Women's Foundation of Oregon's** tour stop in **Newport, Oregon**. The "Listen to Her" town hall will be fun and interactive. At the event, you'll be able to share your experiences (about what it's like to be a woman in Lincoln Co.) in many different ways—through real-time polling, anonymous write-in sheets, break-out discussion groups and a storytelling booth.

What the Women's Foundation hears from women on the "Listen to Her" tour will become a major part of the upcoming *Comprehensive Report on Women and Girls in Oregon*, and that report will be shared with decision-makers all over the state.

#### Please join the Listen to Her tour's town hall on:

- **DATE:** **Tuesday, April 5, 2016**
- **TIME:** **7 to 8:30 pm**
- **LOCATION:** **Samaritan Center for Health Education**  
**740 SW 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Newport**

All women and girls are invited to attend, so please invite your family, friends and coworkers to come too!

(Light dinner, childcare and Spanish interpretation provided)

*Come share your story!*



<https://womensfoundationforegon.org/>

## General Council Meeting

May 7, 2016 • 1 p.m.

Siletz Tribal Community Center  
Siletz, Oregon

Call to Order  
Invocation  
Flag Salute  
Roll Call

Approval of Agenda  
Approval of Minutes

Tribal Council Committee Reports

Tribal Members' Concerns

Chairman's Report

Announcements

Adjourn

## 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration Set for Logsdan Community Club

Members of the Logsdan Community Club are delighted to announce a birthday celebration honoring Almina Brantner and the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of her birth.

The party for the much-loved longtime resident of the Logsdan area begins at 5 p.m. on April 9, followed by the regular monthly potluck. Family and friends of Brantner and residents of the Logsdan area are invited to join in the celebration.

The Logsdan Community Club is a non-profit that donates a portion of its profits back to the community, including the Siletz Valley Volunteer Firefighters.

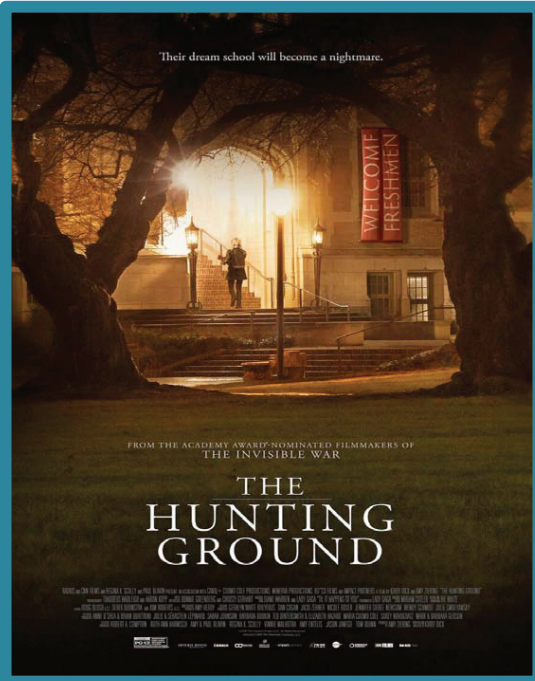
Located at the junction of the Logsdan/Siletz Highway and Moonshine Park Road, the Logsdan Community Center is situated on a historic site where the local school once sat. Today's facility, built in the 1980s, is available to rent and is a wonderful location for local gatherings, including weddings, family reunions, memorials and other celebrations.

The facility also houses a commercial kitchen for cottage industry entrepreneurs who market home-canned goods and is a designated emergency shelter.

Rental rates for events are reduced for individuals who become members of the Logsdan Community Club. The cost to join is \$25.

For more information, contact Teresa Simmons at 541-557-1695 or logsden1@gmail.com.

**CTSI Jobs – Employment information is available at [ctsi.nsn.us](http://ctsi.nsn.us).**



## What is it? A film that addresses

different aspects of sexual assault in the context and environment of college campuses and institutions.

## Who should attend?

Men, and women 17 and older who want to learn more about activism and awareness around the topics of the film. Children are welcome from age 14-16 with a parent in attendance.

## What to expect?

A viewing of the film followed by a talking and advocates available for relief.

**Pizza and other light refreshments will be provided !!**

**Where:** Tribal Community Center  
**When:** April 11<sup>th</sup> 6:00pm-9pm (includes Welcome, Film Viewing and Talking Circle)

R.S.V.P with Kimberly Lane at 541-444-9679 by April 10th

Hosted by:



## Apply now for Siletz Tribal Head Start's 2016-2017 school year

It's time to apply for your child to attend the Siletz Tribal Head Start program for our upcoming 2016-2017 school year.

If your child will be age 3 or 4 as of Sept. 1, 2016, he/she is eligible to enroll in the Siletz Tribal Head Start program. Call us at 800-922-1399 or 541-444-2532 and ask for Head Start to request an application.

**There are new enrollment requirements** that all Head Start programs must meet.

All Head Start programs are now required to conduct either a face-to-face or telephone interview with all applicants to verify the information on their child's application. So when you return your application, we will be calling to verify the information with you.

This new requirement must be met before we can select your child for enrollment into our program.

If we are unable to reach you, we will leave a detailed message asking you to call us back. Please call us back as soon as possible so we can finish processing your child's enrollment application.

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This is a mandatory requirement we must meet and we are unable to enroll any child until we complete this verification process.

If you have questions about our program, call either number above and ask for Head Start.

### Election Board Application

Tribal members interested in serving on the Election Board are encouraged to fill out this form and return to Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians, Attn: Executive Secretary to Tribal Council, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549; or fax 541-444-8325.

The Election Board consists of three regular board members and one alternate board member.

Applications for consideration will be accepted through June 30, 2016.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Roll No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: Day ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Evening ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

### USDA Distribution Dates for April in Siletz

Monday	April 4	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Tuesday	April 5	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Wednesday	April 6	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Thursday	April 7	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Friday	April 8	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

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### CEDARR

**Community Efforts  
Demonstrating the Ability  
to Rebuild and Restore**

#### Mission Statement

*Working together as a whole community, we will utilize our resources to eradicate and prevent the use of all illegal drugs, underage drinking and abusive use of alcohol, delinquency and community violence.*

**April 6 • Noon**

**Siletz Community Health Clinic  
200 Gwee-Shut Road, Siletz**

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