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Railroad Bridge Damaged by High Water

On Friday February 6, the Railroad Bridge across the Dungeness River was closed after flood waters knocked loose several of the support pilings along the western walkway portion of the bridge. When it was discovered that the waters were adversely impacting the bridge pilings, Tribal Facilities Manager Bill Laubner and Construction Manager Dave Hartman immediately barricaded both ends of the bridge to prevent cyclists and pedestrians from accessing it.

Six pilings and parts of the trestle connected to the 100-year-old bridge over the Dungeness — washed away by storm waters Friday — were secured Monday to ensure the creosote-treated timbers were not going to float downstream and cause further damage, said Powell Jones, director of the Dungeness River Audubon Center, adjacent to the bridge. Some of the timbers were still partially attached to the bridge, and others were disconnected and threatened to be washed away, reported Jones, adding that the iconic



The pilings below the trestle gave way, and trees fell onto the railing and walkway as well.

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Tribal Citizen/Staff Member/Musician/Artist Trenton Adams



<u>Learn more about STK:</u>

<u>Download songs at: https://www.reverbnation.com/soundtheking</u>

 Check out STK and L3fty's music video "Fork in the Road" at https:// www.youtube.com/watch?
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 Trenton's Graphic Design Company: www.facebook.com/skdesigns

Trenton's STK Facebook Page: https://www.facebook.com/SoundTheKing

Tribal citizen Trenton Adams grew up surrounded by music. As he puts it "being native, music is in my blood." Over the past five years, he has built a following for his Hip Hop sound. As a rapper, he is known as STK (Sound the King). Adams, who has worked in the Tribal government's Maintenance Department for nearly three years, is a multitalented artist who has been reinvesting his earnings into a home recording studio and promotional materials (including a new line of t-shirts), to further his music career and the music he and his friend L3fty (Matt Leftwich) have been making together.

Both solo artists, STK and L3fty have now performed together for over a year, becoming a group act with BattleAxe Warriors and Great NorthWest 360 – tours they only dreamed of being part of – and opening for Kutt Calhoun and Chris Calico.

"Those are two of my favorite rappers," said Adams of Calhoun and Calico. "Opening for them made me feel like I had accomplished my dream. On stage with over 300 people in the audience who knew our songs, chanted them

back at us. It really choked me up to be opening for them."

Adams and Leftwich write their own words, record their own

Adams and Leftwich write their own words, record their own ad libs and hypes (background sounds that add dimension to the music), and record their own music in the recording studio that Adams has built and continues to upgrade. They are currently working on an album called "Our Time," which they hope will be out in a few months.

Meanwhile, their new line of t-shirts is now available, as is their YouTube video called "Fork in the Road," filmed by Jacob Hill of Abnormal Talent in Port Townsend.

All of the artwork for the music is done by Adams, whose graphic design business, SK Designs, is also known locally. He designs logos for local businesses, and all of the promotional materials for his music, including flyers, album covers and more. Adams began doing graphic design work in 2005 when he was finishing up high school at Sequim

High School, Sequim Community School and the Port Angeles Skills Center. Now at age 27, his art and music are coming together, and enabling him to remain an independent artist in control of his own sound, his own "look."

"I have enough determination to go after this," he said. "We like to be independent. I got tired of waiting for other people to get things done. We're not looking for a record deal. We want to do it on our own."

Partnering his artistic and musical skills with Matt's skills in music plus sales and promotion, the two are finding some fame in shows on the Olympic Peninsula as well as Seattle, Everett, Marysville, Bremerton and Silverdale.

"When I reconnected with L3fty in 2005, we began to really take it seriously, and did our first show for Halloween that year," he said. "Our buddy Knothead put us on stage at a time when there was no Hip Hop scene in Sequim. We started from the ground up as an opening act for others, and we have always reached out to other artists who are looking to perform. We still do lots of benefit shows to raise money for things like the food bank. Giving back to the community is important to us," said Adams.

At work, Adams is known as a very quiet guy. He says he's quiet, but not shy. If he has nothing to say, he says nothing. But when he's moved, the words flow. His artistic process drills down to heartfelt emotions. He and Matt listen to the

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overhead steel truss railroad bridge itself is anchored in concrete at both ends and is not considered to be at risk. The bridge, located on Jamestown S'Klallam Tribal property, forms the centerpiece of Railroad Bridge Park and is the only Dungeness River crossing on the Olympic Discovery Trail.

Tribal officials have said the trestle may not be repairable in the short term.

Tribal Chief Operations Officer Annette Nesse contacted the Federal Highways Administration and the Bureau of Indian Affairs to access emergency money to repair and open the bridge as soon as possible. These agencies, however, will only fund repair back to the pre-disaster condition of the structure. The Tribe would much prefer to fully upgrade the trestle/walkway.



High water unearthed and snapped six pilings that held up the walkway over the Dungeness River.

Hansi Hals, Environmental Planning Manager for the Tribe

has contacted the State Recreation and Conservation Office, who has been instrumental in providing funding for other Olympic Discovery Trail and River Center projects. "At this point," said Hals, "we are still in the thinking stage, trying to determine whether it can be repaired to allow some access in the short term, or whether we just need to replace it in the long term."

A 2008 study of the bridge was done by Herrera Environmental Consultants Inc., in conjunction with the woody debris/logjam project undertaken by the Tribe in 2010. The firm determined at that time that the main bridge was very secure, with deeply set concrete-encased pilings. The trestle section to the west was designed to withstand occasional flood plain events, which then recede. It was not designed to withstand a main river channel. In addition, the study stated that a stand of Cottonwood and Alder trees were helping to buffer the trestle pilings from water flow.

Shifting over the years has resulted in more water through the western trestle area than had previously flowed there. In December, a severe storm took out all of those buffering trees, leaving the trestle pilings vulnerable to water damage. Five weeks after that storm, this damage occurred.

"We believe that as the water shifted to under the trestle pilings, it scoured out the substrate that was holding them in place," said Hals.

Dungeness River Bridge is expected to be closed for more than two months. Trail users may detour around the Dungeness bridge area by using the nearby U.S. Highway 101 or Old Olympic Highway bridges. In the meantime, said Jones, the damaged area will be barricaded off to allow people on the eastern half of the bridge to see the new river channel and riparian changes as well as the damage to the western section of the bridge.

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instrumentals provided by their producer, and when the emotions begin to pop, they brainstorm and begin to write and record.

"It's about our lives, our struggles, what we've gone through. It's not fake. We're real, and fans seem to connect with that," he said, adding that even at out of town shows where no one knows them, as soon as they begin to rap, the crowds approach the stage and begin to interact with STK and L3fty.

"When I feel their energy, love and respect, I give it back," he said. "It's an awesome feeling."

In March, the two will go on a five-shows-in-five-days-tour with BattleAxe Warriors from Seattle to Salem. Don't miss their show on March 28th at 7 Cedars Casino, where they will open for Stevie Stone's "Awake the Dead" tour. And you'll have another chance to see them on May 15th with Lil' Flip at The Roadhouse in Port Townsend.

Trenton Adams is the son of Darryle Adams and Tracy Heisler Adams, both of whom work for the Tribe. Darryle is a musician, as is Trenton's brother Tanner.

UW Longhouse Supporting Indian Culture, Education and History

A Message from Our Tribal Chair/CEO W. Ron Allen

Greetings Tribal citizens! This month on March 12-13th, we will be celebrating the Grand Opening of the first phase of the Tribal Longhouse (House of Knowledge) on the University of Washington campus. This is a very exciting event for Indian Country and particularly the First Nations of the Pacific Northwest who send a lot of our students to this highly regarded and international-renowned university.

I and many Tribal leaders in the Northwest have been collaborating with the University of Washington leadership for over 45 years. This is an exciting \$12-plus million dollar project and is very similar (but much larger) than the one we and our sister Tribes on the Olympic Peninsula sponsored with Peninsula College in Port Angeles.

As most in our community are aware, education is a high priority for our Tribe. We provide significant budgetary resources for scholarships, incentive bonuses and learning enrichment grants to support our students and advance their careers.



I mentioned in the past the Longhouse project on the UW campus is one in which I have personal interest, as an Indian student and personal friend, Ryan Wilson (Lakota Sioux – Pine Ridge) urged me to coordinate a meeting (with former UW President Richard McCormick and then Mark Emmert and now Michael Young) to support and advance this project. Back in the beginning, President McCormick appointed Vice-President/Provost Sheila Edwards Lange and me as the Co-Chairs of the Planning Committee and since then Charlotte Cote (BC First Nation – Nuu-chah-nulth,) has become the Co-Chair. There are many others who have contributed to the project including staff David Iyall (Cowlitz), and Tribal leaders like Leonard Forsman (Suquamish) and Patsy Whitefoot (Yakama). Our Project Committee coordinated with an Elder Advisory Committee to advice on the design, name, and appropriate protocols. I'm very proud that Elaine Grinnell, one our Jamestown Elders, is a very active member of that committee on behalf of our community.

This Longhouse has been given a prime location on the prestigious campus and will be a center for American Indian, Alaska Native, Indigenous students, as well as other students who have unique cultural interests, to gather and conduct special events. The project has two components to it: one, the Community Longhouse and two, a learning enrichment center for classes and administrative needs. This project is intended to provide a comfortable Native environment to assist and contribute to the cultural comfort level of our Indian/Indigenous students who often get lost in the large and sometimes overwhelming environment of Universities.

I'm excited that the University has such a commitment to this project and our Indian recruitment to the UW by taking on an aggressive lead in soliciting non-Indian contributions for the first \$6 million on the first phase. On October 25, 2013, we celebrated the breaking ground on this first phase. And now after 17 months of construction, we will be celebrating the Grand Opening of the 1st Phase of the 19,000 square foot project. The Tribes and our students will now have a culturally respected facility that honors our historical presence in the Northwest and compliments the Burke Museum nearby that regularly displays our culture, traditions and history.

The Tribes have stepped up to contribute to this project, including Jamestown, as we did for the Peninsula College's Longhouse. We are now engaged in a fund-raising campaign to name the Great Hall in the Longhouse after our well-respected Northwest leader Billy Frank, Jr. The naming rules of the UW are challenging, meaning that it requires a contribution of \$2.5 million to name any hall after an individual. The good news is we need to generate approximately \$6.5 million for the 2nd Phase and the \$2.5 million can be used for that purpose. Many of us believe that the dedication and leadership that Billy provided the Tribes coming out of the Treaty Wars of the 1960s and 70s and resulting in the "Boldt Decision" that upheld our fishery Treaty rights are compelling reasons for the Northwest Tribes to recognize him as a significant part of our history.

In Washington State, we will now have a House of Knowledge Longhouse at University of Washington, joining those at Evergreen College (the first one) and Peninsula College (the second one). It means we will be pushing the same goal

UW wətəb?altx" Intellectual House Opening Events

Grand Opening of Phase One

Please join the University of Washington to celebrate the Grand Opening of Phase One of the University of Washington's new wəłəb?altxw (Intellectual House)!

March 12th will be the Open House and Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony. March 13th will be a full day event for sharing stories, songs, laughter and friendship. Food and beverages will be served throughout the day.

This gathering commemorates a 45+year dream to build an intellectual and cultural space on campus that acknowledges the importance of Native cultures and histories and honors Coast Salish architectural traditions. The wəłəb?altxw will be a place for people

to learn and share knowledge with one another while working to strengthen the successes of UW Native students.

The UW welcomes people from all tribes to come and share their songs and dances on March 13th. Please contact Dr. Charlotte Coté at clotise@uw.edu or (206) 221-6549 for more information.

When: Thursday, March 12, 2:30pm ~ 4:00pm

Open House and Ribbon-Cutting

Ceremony

When: Friday, March 13, 10:00am ~ 10:00pm

Full Day Celebration
Where: 4249 Whitman Court,
UW Seattle Campus



Traditional Name Pronunciation

The traditional name for wəfəb?altxw – Intellectual House comes from the Lutshootseed language and is phonetically pronounced "wah-sheb-altuh."

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with Washington State University, Western Washington University and the others where we are enrolling many more Indian students and we want our culture present and respected in these institutions of higher learning.

Again, I'm excited about this event and firmly believe we are on a solid path to not only continue our strong educational programs at the Tribal level, but support better cultural environments on university and college campuses to support of our current and future students.

Please do not hesitate to call me at (360) 681-4621 or e-mail me at rallen@jamestowntribe.org, if you have any questions or clarifications.

God Bless,



Crafty Sisters Have Tribal Connections

Anyone who has attended the Tribe's holiday craft fair during the past three years knows that Megan Johnson and her sister Cindy Perryman love to sew and sell their wares. But more recently, along with their aunt Arlene Roberts, they opened Crafty Sisters, a shop in Carlsborg that allows them to sell their sewn and embroidered goods year round. Megan, the wife of Jamestown S'Klallam Tribal citizen and staff member Steve Johnson, also works for the Tribe. She is the Children's Program

Assistant, driving the children to and from the After School Program, and helping with snacks, homework and whatever else the youngsters need during their Monday-through-Friday afternoon program in Blyn. Megan's sister Cindy lives in Aberdeen, and does the embroidery, while Megan sews. Cindy's husband Carl and Arlene's brother Del Yada make beaded jewelry. And Del's son sells the honey from his local hives.

"And Steve tumbles rocks. When we get enough inventory to carry them in the store, we will start to sell those too," said Megan.

The women sew quilts, aprons, hot-and-cold carriers (their big seller), placemats and pillow cases, and they knit hats and scarves. Any of those items, and whatever

Crafty Sisters

253 Joslin Road, Sequim Shop Phone: 360-683-3296 Cell Phone: 360-460-3388 Shop Email: meganj@olypen.com

Hours: 9 a.m.-Noon Monday through Friday



Above, Megan, Cindy (standing) and Arlene at their booth at a craft fair.

else a customer can imagine, can be custom ordered, with or without personalized embroidery.

"Lately, we've been doing a lot of Seahawks stuff," said Megan. "And we did a set of Oregon Ducks pillowcases with the person's name embroidered on them."

The shop is located in the office of Yada Cedar, the business that Megan's father Cliff Yada started in the early 1980s. The business is still open, though demand has slowed.

Tribal Citizenship Meeting Saturday, March 14, 201510 a.m.-2 p.m. Red Cedar Hall Lunch provided; Door prizes!

10:00 a.m. - Blessing, Welcome & Overview, Ron Allen

10:30 a.m. – Administration Department COO Annette Nesse will provide an overview of the Facilities, Housing, Transportation, Sweat Lodge, Property Management, Tamanowas Rock, and Wastewater System Connection with City of Sequim

12:00 p.m. - LUNCH WILL BE SERVED

1:00 p.m. – Accounting – Diane Gange, CFO 1:30 p.m. – 7 Cedars Casino – Jerry Allen, CEO

Questions and Answers

(Department Directors will be in attendance to answer questions)

Conclusion & Summary of Discussion

2:00 p.m. - Meeting Adjourned

The Tribal Election Board will have signature verification forms and a Notary available to complete your voter file!

New Olympic Discovery Trail Segment Funded

The Tribe applied for and was awarded funding from the Washington State Department of Transportation's Transportation Alternatives Program to construct another 0.7 mile segment of the Olympic Discovery Trail on Tribal land between Knapp Road and Diamond Point Road, at the east border of Clallam County. This new section will provide access to many more miles of relatively safe low traffic volume roads and the trail network in Jefferson County to bicycle and pedestrian travelers.

The project consists of: Preliminary engineering; Tribal environmental review and cultural resources survey; construct 0.7 miles of shared use path meeting AASHTO standards up to and including hard-pack gravel; and install directional/informational signage.

The design will accommodate the trail as it passes over Eagle Creek, as restoration of that waterway is in progress by Tribal Natural Resources staff.

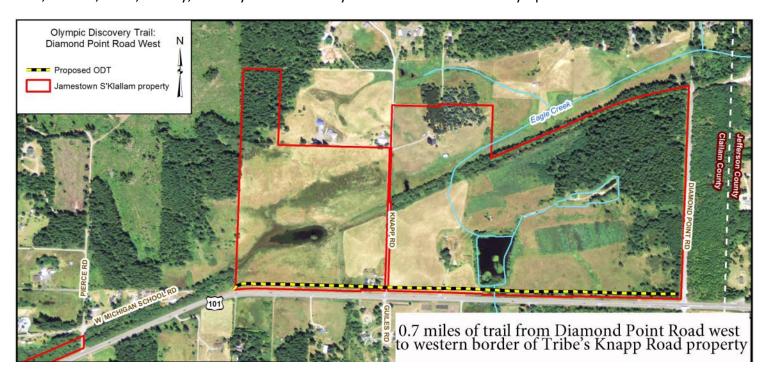
The total cost of the project is \$201,000. The grant will cover the construction costs and the Tribe will pay for the engineering work.

It is expected that construction will begin May of this year.

Funding is pending for an unconstructed segment remaining between Blyn Road and Knapp Road which runs through Tribal and privately owned land and will require acquisition of rights of way in addition to the steps mentioned above.

The Olympic Discovery Trail (ODT) is a shared use path identified in the RTPO Regional Transportation Plan as having multi-modal benefit. The Tribe has previously constructed several other segments of trail in Byn, from Blyn Road (just east of the Tribal Campus) continuing west across the Jimmycomelately Creek and Estuary, and past the old log yard. The trail currently continues all the way west past Lake Crescent. It will ultimately span from Port Townsend through Forks to the Pacific Coast beaches.

The basic concept of the ODT is a 120+ mile non-motorized route from Puget Sound (Port Townsend) to the Pacific (La Push) that links the population centers of the North Olympic Peninsula. The ODT has been, and continues to be designed for a wide user community, including road cyclists, mountain bikers, pedestrians, equestrians, mobility impaired users, and others. The ODT route passes through numerous jurisdictions and enhances connections to tribal, federal, state, county, and city services and systems across the North Olympic Peninsula.





Library Corner

Digital Literacy Classes

presented by the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribal Library, in partnership with Washington State Library and the Gates Foundation.

Marketing & Website Design for Your Small Business

5 sessions: April 9, 16, 23, 30, May 7

6:00pm — 8:00pm Class in the Heron Hall Tribal Library

Come early for 5:45pm refreshments. Please RSVP.

March 21: Make a Cedar Cordage Necklace Noon–4 p.m. in the Jamestown Tribal Library

Taught by Tribal Elder Cathy MacGregor
Cost is \$25; Participants should bring their own
beads (up to ½" in size), for decoration.
RSVP to Tribal Librarian Bonnie Roos at
broos@jamestowntribe.org or
582-5783.



Brown Bag Lunch

Please join us on March 12th at noon in the Heron Hall Library for some

fabulous fun with the local Ukulele group the Ukes of Hazard. They will sing some old time favorites for us and then lead us in some easy to play singalongs. Tune up that stringed instrument hiding in the closet, bring it with you and join us for a lunch time musical treat!



Learn to Make Your Own
Lip Balm and a Tiny Gift
Basket to hold it!
Pot Luck Dinner and
Crafting Event
Wednesday, March 11
5-7 p.m.
Hummingbird Hall

- Taught by Betty Oppenheimer and Pam Stofferahn.
- Cost: \$1 per lip balm tube
- Sponsored by the Jamestown Tribal Library
- Main dishes (carnivorous and vegetarian) provided; please bring a side dish, beverage or dessert to share.
- RSVP to Librarian Bonnie Roos so that we can estimate quantities.
 <u>broos@jamestowntribe.org</u> or 582-5783.

|Did you know? |xčít: "to know"

The Tribal Library has more the 175 videos in VHS format to check out? No VCR? No worries! We also have a VCR you can check out to watch them on.

Search online or come in and look through our great collection of Native American Indian videos today.

I Jamestown Reads Book Club will meet at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday March 26th at Napoli's in 7 Cedars Casino. Join us for a beverage or dinner as we discuss the books you've been reading. We also have multiple copies of a couple of titles available for those who would like to read a book as a group. We hope to see you there!

Library: 360-681-4632 <u>library@jamestowntribe.org</u>
Librarian Bonnie Roos: 360-582-5783 <u>broos@jamestowntribe.org</u>
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Visit the Tribal Library at 1070 Old Blyn Highway in Heron Hall; Open M-F 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Sat. 9 a.m.-4 p.m..

Website: http://library.jamestowntribe.org

Artist Profile: Yukie Adams Closing Her Studio

Yukie Adams, an artist whose work has been popular at Northwest Native Expressions Gallery for more than 15 years, will be closing her studio this summer. Adams has become legally blind and can no longer create the Tlingit-style designs that are her trademark.

Art Buyer Wendy Humphries assures customers that she will be stocking up on Adams' reproduction and limited edition prints before the studio closes. If you have ever wanted to own one of her prints, or are a collector who wants to increase your inventory, do it this year!

The framed prints are of two types – reproduction lithographs of her original silk screened designs, and limited edition silk screened designs. All are reasonably priced between \$34 and \$125.

Yukie Adams was born in Hokkaido, Japan. She studied art history and oil painting at the Musashino Art College. In 1983 she moved to Anchorage, Alaska where she met and married Alaska Tlingit Henry L. Adams. It was then that she began studying Northwest Coast Native arts and culture as a new member of the Tlingit family. She moved to Washington State and studied Northwest Coast Indian Design at the University of Washington under Marvin Oliver.

She has been creating silkscreen prints, paintings and carvings based on the traditions of the Tlingit heritage for more than 25 years. Her works are in public and private collections in the U.S. and in Japan. Don't miss this opportunity to own one of Adams' images!





Northwest Native Expressions Gallery and Gift Shop 1033 Old Blyn Highway, Sequim on the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribal Campus Open 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. daily. Shop online: www.NorthwestNativeExpressions.com

Lower Elwha Klallam Presentations at College

Thursday March 12

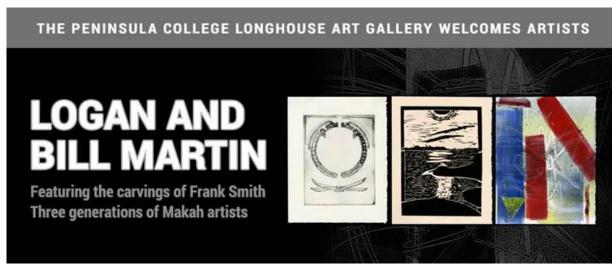
10:30 a.m. - Noon: Cultural Fair, featuring presentations by the Port Angeles High School Klallam Language, history, cultural and natural resources students in the Peninsula College Longhouse.

12:30 p.m. Suzie Bennett, Arlene Wheeler and Frances Charles will tell the story of how ancestral belongings from Tse-whit-zen Village were returned to the Elwha Klallam people, in the Peninsula College Little Theater. Reception in the Longhouse follows.



Are You A Tribal Artist?

The Peninsula College Longhouse Gallery is always looking ahead for exhibit ideas, and they focus on artists who are affiliated with the six Tribes who helped build the Longhouse—the Jamestown and Port Gamble S'Klallam, Lower Elwha Klallam, Makah, Hoh and Quileute Tribes—or art/artifacts about those cultures. If you are interested in exploring how your work could become a future exhibit in the Longhouse Gallery, please contact Betty Oppenheimer at 360-681-3410 or boppenheimer@jamestowntribe.org, or Sadie Crowe, Longhouse Coordinator at 360-417-7992 or scrowe@pencol.edu. To learn more about the gallery, visit http://houseoflearning.pencol.edu.



The current exhibit at the Longhouse Gallery is of works by artist and PC student Logan Martin and his father Bill Martin, as well as Logan's great grandfather's carvings. The father and son create unique contemporary and traditional Makah art. Gallery hours are 1-4 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday.

Find Us on the Web

Websites:

- Tribal Government: <u>www.jamestowntribe.org</u>
- 7 Cedars Resort/Casino: www.7cedarsresort.com
- Tribal Library: http://library.jamestowntribe.org
- Tribal Online Museum: <u>www.tribalmuseum.jamestowntribe.org</u>
- Canoe Family: <u>www.jamestowncanoefamily.com</u>

Facebook Pages:

- Tribal Government: <u>www.facebook.com/JamestownSKlallamTribe</u>
- Tribal Library: www.facebook.com/pages/Jamestown-SKlallam-Library/4689834031
- Wellness Program/Health Department: https://www.facebook.com/JamestownHealthandWellness
- S'Klallam Warriors (Mud Run): https://www.facebook.com/SKlallamWarriors
- S'Klallam Tribal Events and Announcements: https://www.facebook.com/groups/sklallam.events.announcements/

YouTube Channel: Tribal Library: http://www.youtube.com/user/jstlibrary

12th Annual Olympic Birdfest!

Birdfest, April 10-12, 2015: Guided field trips including an Owl Prowl, Dungeness Spit and Recreation Area, Dungeness Bay and 3 Crabs, Bays and Coasts, Sequim Bay and John Wayne Marina, Elwha to Dungeness, a boat cruise in the Strait of Juan de Fuca, silent auction, and a gala banquet are among the many events at various locations throughout the Fest. A complete listing of all BirdFest programs, and registration can be found at www.olympicbirdfest.org or email info@olympicbirdfest.org, or call 360-681-4076.

Our featured speaker is Lynsy Smithson Stanley, deputy director for climate and strategic initiatives for the National Audubon Society. She will speak at the banquet on Saturday night. Her talk is called "Not Your Grandfather's or Nana's Climate Change: A New Path Forward."

Pre-Trip, April 8-9: Join the Birdfest Pre-trip on April 7-9, 2015, two days exploring Neah Bay, a region rarely seen by birders.

Post Trip, April 12-14: Immediately following BirdFest, join us for a three-day, two-night birding cruise of the San Juan Islands, April 12-14, 2015. Cruise registration is accessed separately at www.pugetsoundexpress.com/audubon.



Holden Volunteers Time and Truck for MAC

Tribal citizen Marlin Holden volunteered his time, vehicle and experience to the Sequim Museum and Arts Center when the vintage racing shell needed moving from the boathouse in Port Angeles to Sequim. The cold, north wind wasn't much help when the Sequim group strapped down the 42-foot long cedar boat to the trailer (loaned by Charlie Roberts).

The valuable artifact, loaned by the Peninsula Rowing Club, is the star of the new exhibit "No Ordinary Joe" at the Sequim Museum & Arts Center, honoring Sequim High School Alumni Joe Rantz. This local boy was part of a team of rowers from the University of Washington who won an Olympic Gold Medal against Hitler's German team. This amazing feat can be seen on newsreel



footage at the Museum's website at www.sequimmuseum.com or stop in between 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. Wednesdays through Saturdays at 175 West Cedar Street..

Marlin volunteers whenever he is needed on "Special Projects" at Sequim's Museum when his Sequim High School classmates Judy Reandeau Stipe and Bob Stipe need support.

Are You Prepared for a Dental Emergency?

Thousands of dental emergencies—from injuries to a painful, abscessed tooth—take place every day. Would you know what to do if your child broke a tooth or had a tooth knocked out while playing outdoors? What if you had a bad toothache in the middle of the night and couldn't get to the dentist until the next day? Knowing what to do can lessen the pain and save a tooth that might otherwise be lost.

Keep your dental office phone number and an emergency number where the dentist can be reached after hours with other emergency numbers, such as your family doctor, and fire and police departments. Some families post these numbers on the refrigerator or inside a kitchen cabinet door near the phone. Call the dentist immediately for instructions on how to handle a dental emergency.

- **Toothache:** Rinse the mouth with warm water to clean it out. Gently use dental floss or an interdental cleaner to remove any food or other debris that may be caught between the teeth. Never put aspirin or any other painkiller against the gums near the aching tooth. This could burn gum tissue. If the toothache persists, try to see the dentist. Don't rely on painkillers. They may temporarily relieve pain but your dentist should evaluate the condition.
- **Knocked-out (avulsed) tooth:** Try to find the tooth! This may not be as easy as you think if the injury took place on a playground, basketball court or while skateboarding, so try to stay calm. Hold the tooth by the crown and rinse the root in water if the tooth is dirty. Don't scrub it or remove any attached tissue fragments. If it's possible, gently insert and hold the tooth in its socket while you head to the dentist. If that's not possible, put the tooth in a cup of milk and bring it to the dentist. Time is critical for successful reimplantation, so try to get to your dentist immediately.
- **Broken tooth:** Rinse your mouth with warm water to clean the area. Use cold compresses on the outside of the cheek to help reduce the swelling.
- Tongue or lip bites or wounds: Clean the area gently with a clean cloth and apply cold compresses to reduce any swelling. If the bleeding can't be controlled, go to a hospital emergency room or clinic. You may able to reduce bleeding from the tongue by pulling it forward and using gauze to put pressure on the wound.
- **Objects caught between teeth:** Try to gently remove the object with dental floss. Never use a sharp instrument to remove any object that is stuck between your teeth. If you can't dislodge the object with floss, contact your dentist.
- Possible broken jaw: Apply cold compresses to control swelling. Get to the hospital emergency room immediately.

 "This article was provided by the American Dental Association, and sponsored by the Jamestown Family Dental Clinic

All Aboard for Railroad History 101



Why do the world's railroads have different widths between rails? What is a gandy dancer? How did Shay and Climax locomotives contribute to the rail legacy of Clallam County? Why was the Spruce Railroad a marvel of engineering and fast work but never used for its intended purpose?

Steve Hauff, retired Clallam County engineer and active railroad buff, will answer these and many other questions about railroads in the six-session class, Railroad History 101. In the March 24, 31 and April 7 sessions, Hauff will cover world and U. S. rail history, railroad technology, nomenclature and folklore. The April 14 session will focus on the 30-some railroads of Clallam County, and on April 21, Hauff will discuss the Spruce Railroad and riding the rails today. The

final session on April 28 will allow time for catch up, wrap up and review.

The classes will be 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the Dungeness River Audubon Center, 2151 West Hendrickson Road in Sequim, and are sponsored by the Clallam County Historical Society and the River Center. Cost is \$40 for members of the Clallam County Historical Society, the North Olympic Peninsula Railroaders and the Dungeness River Audubon Center, and \$50 for others. To register, call the River Center at 360-681-4076 or email Tom Butler at recducation@olympus.net. Advance registration is recommended. Make checks payable to Dungeness River Audubon Center and mail to P.O. Box 2450, Sequim, WA 98382. For further information, contact Kathy Monds Estes at the Historical Society at 360-452-2662 or email her at artifact@olypen.com.

News from Tribal Fish and Game

UPCOMING DEADLINES

- Game tags are due March 15, 2015, or the hunter will be fined \$100.00 and lose their hunting privileges for the following hunting season.
- **Subsistence cards expire March 31, 2015**, or the fisher will be fined \$50.00 and shall result in the fisher's forfeiture of subsistence harvest privileges for the subsequent 6 month term.
- Fish tax due as of April 1, 2015. No commercial permits shall be issued for a given year unless and until the
 applicant Tribal fisher has paid all Tribal fish taxes due and all Tribal fines for fishing violations levied during the
 previous seasons.

OTHER NEWS

- Deer, cougar, and elk season is now **closed**. Please refer to the Hunting Regulation for other closures.
- Any Tribal citizen who hunts within the boundaries of an area closed to hunting, as designated by Title 9 of the
 Tribal Code or regulations issued under it, is guilty of an offense. Please ensure you're not hunting on private
 property.
- Citizens are reminded that the Tribe asserts the right to hunt and gather on all open and unclaimed land and private land that is "open" or with permission of owner. If you choose to hunt on "private land" and have permission of the owner, be aware of WDFW's stance on this. Please talk to Anika in Natural Resources, or Enforcement for further information.
- If you participate in commercial clam harvest on the log yard tidelands, ensure you are digging in the area that is open. If you have any questions in regards to boundary lines, contact Ralph at 360-681-4630, or contact Enforcement. For further information on digging in the log yard, refer to the current regulation.
- For openings, emergency closures, and regulations refer to the PNPTC web site (http://www.pnptc.org/ Regulations.html).
- When you are participating in fishing or shell fishing within the Tribe's U&A, it is illegal to use a Washington State fishing license. If you are outside the Tribe's U&A you will need a Washington State fishing license and adhere to Washington State regulations. You are only allowed to use red & white buoys outside of your U&A.
- If you lose gear, ensure you fill out a lost gear form. The form can be downloaded from the PNPTC website, or you can pick one up from the office. If you do not report it, you can be issued a citation.
- All subsistence harvest of fish and shellfish within the Tribe's U&A must be reported on subsistence cards before you leave the harvest area. Please ensure you have your Tribal I.D. and subsistence card on you at all times.

If you have any questions or concerns please don't hesitate to contact us:

Rory Kallappa (Fish & Game Enforcement Manager) cell 360-477-0233, office 360-681-4629. Jason Robbins (Fish & Game Enforcement Officer) cell 360-460-5178, office 360-582-5797.

Nexwsåaye'm Song and Dance

Wednesday, March 18th at 5:30 p.m. Red Cedar Hall



Gather to share songs, dances and stories from the times of our ancestors!

Bring your drums, rattles and voices to share and learn songs and dances together at S'Klallam Intertribal Drumming, Singing and Dancing!

Contributions for the meal would be greatly appreciated! Salads, desserts, water, etc.

Events Calendar - March 2015

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| 1 | 2 | 3 Chair Exercise, page 17 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 8 Daylight Saving Time Begins: Spring Forward! | 9 | 10 | 11 Lip Balm and Gift Basket Class and Dinner, page 8 | 12 Elwha Presentations, page 15 Intellectual — House, page 5 | 13 Elders Luncheon →continues | 14 General Citizenship Meeting |
| 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 Bridgehenge, page 17 | 21 Cordage Necklace, page 8 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 STK at 7 Cedars Casino, page 2 |
| 29 | 30 | 31 | | | | |

Tribal Committee Meeting Schedule

| | Meeting Date/Time/Place | Contact/Phone |
|---------------------|---|---------------------------------|
| Community Network | Fourth Wednesday of January, April, July and October, 5:30 p.m., Social and Community Services Elders' Lounge | Candy Burkhardt 360-681-4625 |
| Culture | 5 p.m., Social and Community Services Elders' Lounge; call for date. | Vickie Carroll 360-681-4659 |
| Elders | Call for date. Social and Community Services Elders' Lounge | Mary Snodgrass 360-681-4637 |
| Enrollment | Call for information. | Jeremy Monson 360-681-4617 |
| Health | Second Tuesday in January, April, July, October, 6:00 PM Jamestown Family Health Center Community Health Conference Room | Cindy Lowe 360- 582-4876 |
| Higher Education | Call for date, 4:30 p.m., Social and Community Services Fish Bowl. | Kim Kettel 360-681-4626 |
| Housing Improvement | First Monday of January, April, July and October at noon in the Elders' Lounge. If the first Monday falls on a holiday it is moved to the second Monday of the month. | Casey Thrush 360-681-3411 |
| Natural Resources | Second Monday of each month, 4 p.m. Community Center Alderwood Room | Anika Kessler 360-681-4624 |



Biscuits & Butter

Coleslaw, Fresh Fruit

Corned Beef & Roast Beef

Cabbage, Baby Carrots, Potatoes

Coffee, Tea, Milk, Juice, Soft Drinks

"The Lucky Four Leaf Clover"



We welcome you to join us for the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe's

Elders Luncheon

Noon on Friday, March 13th Club 7 at 7 Cedars Casino

Meals for American Indian Elders 55 and older plus their spouse are free through our Elders Nutrition Program.

All staff and guests are welcome to join our Elders for lunch for a donation of \$7.50.

So, please come and enjoy a lunch with all our Elders.

Food bank items are always needed, and door prizes and raffle items are always welcome and greatly appreciated!

SAVE THE DATE! <u>Thursday July 9th</u>: Elders' Gathering at 7 Cedars Casino, for Elders from all Tribes.

Celebrate 100th Anniversary of Refuge with Monthly Events

Here is the calendar of events. For more information visit www.dungeness100.com.

A summary of events for Dungeness 100: Celebrating 100 years of "Working for Wildlife" on the Dungeness National Wildlife Refuge

March 14, Saturday 1-3 pm: A presentation about the New Dungeness Light Station by a member of the New Dungeness Light Station Association at the Unitarian Church.

April 18, Saturday 9-11 am: Spring bird walk on the Refuge led by members of the Olympic Peninsula Audubon Society.

May 16, Saturday 1-3 pm: Presentation by the Coastal Watershed Institute at the Dungeness River Audubon Center.

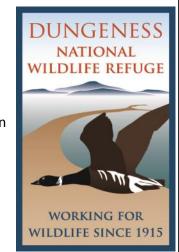
June 20, Saturday 10 am-3 pm: KID'S DAY at the Refuge. Many hands-on activities.

July 18, Saturday 11 am and 2 pm: Geology walks on the Refuge.

August 15, Saturday: Shorebird walk led by members of the Olympic Peninsula Audubon Society. Time will depend on the tides.

September 25-26: Joint celebration of 100 years with the Dungeness River Bridge and Klahane Hike Club as part of the annual Riverfest at the Dungeness River Audubon Center.

November 21, Saturday 9-11 am: Migrating waterfowl walk on the Refuge led by members of the Olympic Peninsula Audubon Society.



Seeking Applicants to Fill Vacancy on the Higher Education Committee

The mission of the Higher Education Committee is to support and assist the Tribal Council and to advance the Tribal Citizenship through the Higher Education Assistance Program. The role of the committee members include:

- Reviewing staff recommendations of student applications;
- Reviewing staff assessments of each student's academic progress each term;
- Recommending modifications to the Tribe's Higher Education Assistance policies and procedures; and
- Assessing institutional and federal financial aid policies, to insure that the Tribe's policies work in tandem with them.

The successful applicant will serve a 3-year term. The letter should include how you see yourself helping this committee achieve its mission.

A letter of interest should be sent to:

Dr. Rob Welch

Director, Social & Community Services

I Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe

1033 Old Blyn Highway

Sequim, WA 98382

Or by email to: rwelch@jamestowntribe.org

Letters of interest will be accepted through April 3, 2015.

Editorial Committee Vacancy

Are you interested in the Tribal Newsletter and its contents?
We have an opening for a Tribal citizen on the Editorial
Committee. This is a staff committee with Tribal citizen
representation. It is a volunteer position with no stipend.
We meet monthly, on the first Tuesday of each month, at
the Tribal campus, to discuss possible newsletter topics,
based on current events and citizen interest.

If you are interested in serving in this capacity, please send a i

letter of interest to: Betty Oppenheimer

Publications Specialist Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe 1033 Old Blyn Highway Sequim, WA 98382

Or by email to boppenheimer@jamestowntribe.org

Job Openings, Apply Online!

Medical Assistant Certified (2 openings)

Jamestown Family Health Clinic, Open until filled.

Dentist, Per Diem

Jamestown Family Dental Clinic, Open until filled

Administrative Assistant/Human Resources Coordinator, Open until filled

Clinic RN

Jamestown Family Health Clinic, Open until filled

Dental Assistant, Per Diem

Jamestown Family Dental Clinic, Open until filled

Please visit http://

<u>jamestowntribe.iapplicants.com</u> for job descriptions and to apply online.

Housing Improvement Program (HIP) Committee Opening

Balancing Tribal citizen need with the \$35,000 per year budget provided by the Bureau of Indian Affairs, the HIP Committee strives to keep Jamestown S'Klallam Tribal citizens in safe, healthy homes. Meeting quarterly, the committee evaluates applicants' income eligibility and project compatibility with the assistance available through the HIP program. Most housing improvement assistance occurs within the Tribe's service area (East Clallam and Jefferson Counties), although occasionally an out-of-area project may be funded.

This opening completes a term that ends Jan. 2016, and may continue for a full, three-year term. Letters of interest must be received by March 13, 2015. Respond to:

Casey Thrush, Housing Program Coordinator Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe 1033 Old Blyn Highway Sequim, WA 98382

Questions? Call Casey at 360-681-3411 or email cthrush@jamestowntribe.org.

Announcements

Elders Chair Exercise

Every Tuesday from 2:30—3:30 p.m.

Jamestown Family Health Center,

upstairs workout room

Open to Jamestown citizens and descendants 55 and older

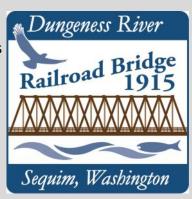
For more information contact Elders Coordinator Mary Snodgrass at msnodgrass@jamestowntribe.org or 360-681-4637



BRIDGEHENGE, when the sun sets directly through Railroad Bridge's 100-year old trestle and trusses, marks the Spring Equinox. Just like Stonehenge in England, our bridge marks the changes in seasons. We'll gather at 7 pm on March 20th in RR

Bridge Park's amphitheater, the "River Stage." Wear layers, bring your cameras and flashlights. Join us to welcome spring and celebrate a special moment in the Bridge's illustrious 100th birthday year! Railroad Bridge Park, 2151 W. Hendrickson Road (360) 681-4076,

www.DungenessRiverCenter.org





<u>Deadlines for Jamestown</u> <u>Higher Education</u> <u>Scholarship Applications:</u>

(for enrolled Tribal Citizens)

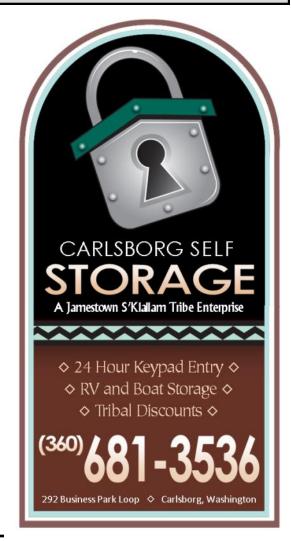
Summer Term Due ~ April 15th
Fall Quarter /Fall Semester ~ June 15th
Winter Quarter/Spring Semester ~ Nov. 15th
Spring Quarter ~ February 15th

For information on Higher Education funding, contact Kim Kettel at 360-681-4626 or kkettel@jamestowntribe.org

Jamestown Family Health Clinic

808 North 5th Ave. Sequim, WA 98382

Phone: 360-683-5900 Hours: Mon. - Fri. 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Sat. 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.





Happy Birthday!

Tribal Council sends birthday wishes to these

Tribal citizens this month!

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|----|---------------------|
| 2 | Roberta Gentry |
| 2 | Sandra Bender |
| 2 | Talia Adams |
| 3 | Kimberly Kardonsky |
| 3 | Michael Becker |
| 4 | Jessica Silva |
| 4 | Leona Cope |
| 4 | Wanda Cullivan |
| 6 | Gordon Arey II |
| 6 | Helen Jarvis |
| 6 | Paul Adams |
| 7 | Diana Lair |
| 7 | Donald Harner-Shore |
| 8 | Donna Reves |
| 8 | Frances Ivelia |
| 9 | Lori Delorm |
| 10 | Pamela Pizzuto |
| 11 | Bruce Johnson |
| 11 | Jessica Creech |
| 11 | Liam Chapman |
| 11 | Victoria Hall |
| 12 | Debra Benson |
| 12 | William Whiting |
| 13 | Cheryl Possinger |
| 13 | David Hopkins |
| 13 | Leeda Lamanna |
| 15 | Anjannette Erickson |
| 15 | Kaitlin Buckmaster |

Vickie Bill

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| 16 | Susan Adams |
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| 18 | Lacey Wilson-Wisner |
| 19 | Janice Goldsmith |
| 19 | Jeffrey Becker |
| 19 | Nicholas Rawley |
| 19 | WilliamAllen |
| 20 | Michael Kardonsky |
| 21 | Dianna Minaker |
| 22 | Aaron Kardonsky |
| 23 | Kyle Adams |
| 25 | Daniel Davis |
| 25 | Gwendolyn Nicholl |
| 28 | Amber Jones |
| 28 | Linda Ruffcorn |
| 29 | Dianna Carvalho |
| 30 | Manley Harner |
| 30 | Vivian Croft |
| 31 | Clarence Tuson |
| 31 | Michael Nordberg |
| 31 | Steven Johnson |
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The deadline for submissions to be included in the following month's issue is the 15th day of the current month.

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