

Jamestown S'Klallam /stə'tí'əm nəx'w's'łáyəm' TRIBAL NEWSLETTER



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Clallam County Sheriff Bill Benedict Retires

After 16 years as Clallam County Sheriff, a time that included creating a partnership between the Clallam County Sheriff's Office (CCSO) and the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe, Sheriff Bill Benedict retired in January.



Above: Jamestown S'Klallam Public Safety and Law Enforcement gifting former Clallam County Sheriff, Bill Benedict, with paddle to celebrate his retirement and thank him for his service.

Our Tribal Chairman Ron Allen thanked him for his service, both to the Tribe and to the larger community. The story of the partnership between the Tribe and the CCSO is an interesting one.

Thirteen years ago, the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe and the Clallam County Sheriff's Office entered an interlocal agreement which initially provided an all-hours sheriff's deputy to patrol Tribal and State lands and have the same authority as Tribal officers and first responders for major crimes.



Above: Picture from 2010 of a Clallam County Sheriff's vehicle showing new partnership with the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe.

To some this may seem like a small feat, however prior to this agreement the criminal jurisdiction on the Tribe's lands was not as easy to navigate as it is on non-Tribal lands due to the 1978 United States Supreme Court case, *Oliphant v. Suquamish Indian Tribe*. This Supreme Court decision disempowered tribal sovereignty by ruling that the tribal courts do not have jurisdiction

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Above: Chairman/CEO, Ron Allen, shaking hands with former Clallam County Sheriff, Bill Benedict



Above: Picture from 2018 ground breaking of JST Public Safety and Law Enforcement Center. From left, tribal police chief Rory Kallappa, tribal council member Theresa Lehman, Craig McClelland of KMB Architects, tribal construction manager Kirk Nelson, tribal council Chairman/CEO Ron Allen, Clallam County Commissioner Mark Ozias, State Rep. Steve Tharinger and former Clallam County Sheriff Bill Benedict. (Keith Thorpe/Peninsula Daily News)

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over non-Natives who commit crimes on tribal lands. Even though the Violence Against Women Reauthorization Act of 2022 affirmed tribal governments' rights to prosecute non-Natives for sexual assault, child abuse, stalking, sex trafficking and assault, there are still crimes that do not fall within tribal jurisdiction. So, this agreement with the Clallam County Sheriff's Office is another level of security to ensure that crimes on the Tribe's lands will be investigated without issue of jurisdictional conflicts.

Fast forward to 2018—the Tribe's built its Public Safety and Justice Center and trained two cross-deputized law enforcement officers for the Tribal community and Blyn area.

The Tribe continuously has been building a public safety infrastructure to practice self-reliance and exercise sovereignty. But these developments could not have been completed without the strong relationship with the Clallam County Sheriff's Office, in which the former Sheriff Bill Benedict played a large role. For the past sixteen years, he has been a leader within Clallam County and a partner with the Tribe's initiatives to have quality public safety services in the community.

On December 17, 2022, Ron Allen, Chairman/CEO, thanked Benedict for his dedicated service to the community and on January 10, 2023, the Jamestown Public Safety and Law Enforcement presented Bill with a paddle made by Tribal citizen Jeremy Monson (Hall/ Adams Family), as a gift of appreciation.

Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission's Video Showcases Tribe's Projects

As stewards of the land, the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe has had many ventures in the past few years. The Northwest Indian Fisheries Commission created a film highlighting the Tribe's restoration and economic development projects that are developed sustainably with a community-centered approach.

To watch this short film overviewing the Tribe's efforts and interviews from Tribal leaders, visit, https://youtu.be/FcFyz0kP_3s.



February is American Heart Month



It's February – American Heart Month – a time when the nation spotlights heart disease, the No. 1 killer of Americans.

President Lyndon B. Johnson, among the millions of people in the country who'd had heart attacks, issued the first proclamation in 1964. Since then, U.S. presidents have annually declared February American Heart Month. This is American Heart Month's 58th year!

Heart disease continues to be the greatest health threat to Americans and is still the leading cause of death worldwide, according to the AHA's Heart Disease and Stroke Statistics – 2022 Update. The AHA's statistics show that every 36 seconds, someone in the United States dies from a cardiovascular disease and that every 3 minutes and 30 seconds, a person dies from a stroke.

In most cases, heart disease is preventable when people adopt a healthy lifestyle, which includes not smoking, maintaining a healthy weight, controlling blood sugar and cholesterol, treating high blood pressure, getting at least 150 minutes of moderate-intensity physical activity a week and getting regular checkups. If you have been delaying care, please set up an appointment with your provider today!

The **Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe** is proud to be in partnership with **Olympic Medical Center** in providing quality healthcare across the Olympic Peninsula, and in fundraising efforts to insure that our local patients have access to state-of-the-art medical technology.

Proud sponsor of OMC Foundation events:

- **The Great Olympic Peninsula Duck Derby**
- **Red, Set, Go Heart Health Luncheon**
- **Festival of Trees**



JAMESTOWN
FAMILY HEALTH CLINIC



Upcoming Holidays

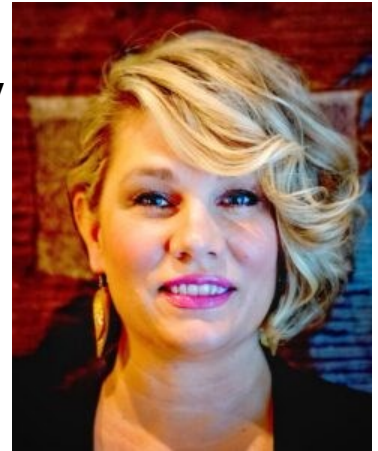
Friday, February 10—Jamestown Recognition Day, Tribal offices **and** clinics closed
Saturday, February 11—Jamestown Recognition Day Observed, Tribal clinics closed
Monday, February 20—Presidents' Day, Tribal offices closed

Jamestown S’Klallam Descendant Elected to Lead Statewide Re-entry Council

From the Washington State Department of Commerce

Janel McFeat Named Executive Director of Washington State Re-entry Council, helping prisoners re-enter society after incarceration

Human rights champion Janel McFeat will lead Washington’s Statewide Re-entry Council beginning Jan. 3. McFeat, who started her social work career in Tacoma and currently serves as strategic planner/program manager for the Port Gamble S’Klallam Tribe’s re-entry program, created a nationally-recognized re-entry program using evidence-based practices and a people-first human dignity model. She is a White House Champion for Change nominee and recipient of the Linda Gabriel Human Rights Award among numerous other honors for her leading work with formerly incarcerated young people, adults and their families.



**Janel McFeat
(Twiggs Family)**

“I believe that the value and importance of the human connection is one of the most powerful tools we have to make communities safer and reduce recidivism. As the executive director of the Statewide Re-entry Council, my focus is to see restorative and humane practices implemented in our prison and jail systems throughout Washington state,” McFeat said.

“Janel’s human-centered focus and lifelong passion for service, coupled with her impressive record as an innovative leader will serve the Re-entry Council well. I’m delighted to welcome her and excited to see the impact of her guidance on this important work,” said Washington State Commerce Director Lisa Brown. As a Jamestown S’Klallam descendant, McFeat credits her great grandmother for her most important lessons learned – the importance of relationships and the art of listening. These led her to become a Restorative Circle Practitioner.

Most recently, as the strategic planner/program manager for the Port Gamble S’Klallam Tribe’s re-entry program, McFeat built relationships and exposed the unfair treatment and disproportional incarceration rate for Native Americans. She developed the Welcome Home program, a nationally-recognized model that serves native and non-native incarcerated individuals. Her team’s work reduced recidivism by over 80% with their target population, earning the Welcome Home program the Champions of Justice Award for its humane work with those coming out of jail.

“I believe when one starts to recognize the trauma in others, real change begins,” said McFeat, a Certified Trauma Informed Trainer. “In this new role, I will work to see the criminal justice systems in Washington become educated in intergenerational and historical trauma to really move into a more humane system.”

McFeat started her social work career in Tacoma where she worked with youth coming out of Echo Glen Children’s Center and releasing to a group home in the heart of the Hilltop neighborhood. She moved into working with domestic violence victims at the Crystal Judson Center (Our Sisters House), later returned to her hometown of Poulsbo and followed her calling to her native roots to work for the Tribe and help those who were behind bars. McFeat received her B.A. in Social Work from Pacific Lutheran University and has 23 years’ experience working with justice-impacted individuals. She consults nationally with groups on best practices for how to implement re-entry human dignity models into their justice systems.

The Washington Legislature created the Statewide Re-entry Council in 2016 to improve public safety and outcomes for individuals re-entering the community. Gov. Jay Inslee appointed 15 members from the community. The executive director is elected by council members and confirmed by the Washington State Senate. To learn more about the council’s activities and services, visit its webpage at <https://www.commerce.wa.gov/about-us/boards-and-commissions/statewide-reentry-council/>.

Children and Youth Programs

A trip to the Dungeness River Nature Center!

Exploring leaves and feathers under a microscope at the River Center

Left to right:
Zahra (Elis/Becker Family)
Racin (Allen Family)
Ryker (Holden Family)
Stella (Lowe Family)



Exploring the Birds of Prey exhibit at the River Center

Zahra Hill (Elis/Becker Family) & Crystal Adams (Hall/Adams Family)

After-school program volunteers needed!



Left to right: Richard, Stella, Crystal, Bowie, Ryker, Cindy (in back) Kaleenah, Zahra, Marley and Racin

Calling all artists, storytellers, weavers and beaders and anyone who would like to share their knowledge with our children and youth. The after-school program is calling for volunteers to come pass on your knowledge to our children and youth.

If interested in volunteering, please contact Stephanie Adams, Youth and Teen Assistant II @ 360-461-2028

yəhúmæct Traditional Foods & Culture Program

Klallam Language

Thanks to our language leaders Mary Norton and Timothy O'Connell III, we will continue Klallam language classes at the Tribe. Join us in person or live on Facebook. Contact Rachel for details.

What: Klallam Language – all levels

When: 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th – Mondays, 5:30 pm—6:30 pm

Where: TFC conference room, 197 Corriea Rd.

You're invited!

You are in for a treat during Klallam Language class on Monday, February 13th! We have restocked and revamped our herbal apothecary and will be making a Happy Heart and Healing Heart tea in time for Valentine's Day. We will also be preparing cookies, similar to last year, where we can write out Klallam sweetheart words! A fun and tasty way to practice our language.

What: Sweethearts Tea and Cookies during Klallam Language

When: Monday, February 13th, 2023

Where: TFC conference room, 197 Corriea Rd.

Intertribal Singing & Dancing

Jamestown hosted our first of the year Intertribal Singing and Dancing with Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe and Port Gamble at Jamestown's Red Cedar Hall. Almost 100 arrived and it was good to be together again. We anticipate switching between the three bands for Intertribal but in the meantime, we will continue our weekly singing and dancing at Red Cedar Hall. Join us in February for a bowl of soup followed by singing & dancing. Bring your rattles, your drums or come and listen to our songs.

What: Jamestown's Song & Dance

When: Wednesday: 8th, 22nd, 5:30 pm—7:00 pm

Where: Red Cedar Hall

q'péct ?i? kwúk'w - Gather & Cook

Thank you Lu Canalas (Hunter Family) for starting off the new year in a good way. Lu prepared Calabaza en tacha, candied pumpkin, and a squash pasta dish on January 24th. We'll share details in next month's newsletter.

We're looking for a February cook. Please contact Emma by February 17th if you are interested in being a guest cook. We ask that the meal include one traditional food item and if the ingredients are unique to your area, we can always work out a substitution. We provide a \$100 thank you stipend plus food supplies. Those interested must have the ability to log into ZOOM to present and guide citizens/descendants through a cooking demonstration unless they choose to cook in the TFC kitchen. We ask that the recipe be applicable to all levels of cooking and that it can be prepared within 1 1/2 - 2 hours.

If you'd like to cook the meal along with us at your home, reserve your ingredient kit by February 21st. Kit pick-up will be Tuesday, February 28th 11am—5:00pm.

If you're not interested in cooking, the TFC kitchen will be open for up to 8 people who are interested in watching staff follow along and cook the meal for everyone in attendance to enjoy together after the camera is off.

What: Gather & Cook

When: February 28th, 2023

Where: TFC building (limited space) or live Facebook

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Clam Dig

Join Eli and crew for our second monthly clam dig of the year Friday February 16, 2023 at 6:00 pm. Come harvest all the clams and oysters you want to eat for the weekend! We will be meeting in the Jamestown Dental Clinic parking lot at 5:00. We have boots, rain gear, buckets and rakes available if needed. If there are any Elders who want shellfish but are unable to harvest, contact Eli Smith or Mackenzie Grinnell by February 14th to harvest for you or if you need digging equipment.

What: Clam Dig

When: February 16th, 6:00pm

Where: Blyn Beach, 1033 Old Blyn Hwy, Sequim (Dental Clinic Parking lot)

Mushrooms

It's been a goal of ours to grow mushrooms and this year is the year that we do it! It's a simple process; we will be cutting down some alder trees near the middle of the month and will let them rest for a couple of weeks, so all the tree functions die. Then we will drill holes and plug them with mushroom mycelium, seeding the logs with mushrooms! That is where we will need everyone's help, drilling holes and plugging them. We will be making some for the community garden and for anyone who comes, they will be able to take a mushroom log home with them at the end of the day. Feel free to drop in any time between 12 pm and 4 pm to see how this is done and lend a hand!

What: Mushroom Plugs

When: 12:00 pm—4:00pm, Wednesday February 22nd 2023

Where: Community Wellness Garden, 182 Marina's Way

Apple Tree Pruning

Winter is the time to prune your fruit trees. If you are interested in learning how to prune or want help, contact Emma at 360-681-3414. We can prune fruit trees through February if we have dry weather.

Community Garden

During the month of February, we will be busy at the community garden! In mid-January, we put down manure on the three sisters and potato beds. Manure must be put in the garden 120 days before you harvest produce. This will provide a nutrient boost for our garden goodies! Over the last couple of years, we have noticed the deer really benefiting from the garden and as much as we enjoy watching the deer, they are eating our produce! We will be adding two rows of beans and peas which will be fenced to protect the plants from the deer. Prep will begin for those rows on February 1st. Contact Emma or Eli if you are interested in helping in the garden, or we welcome those who just show up!



Maple Tapping

Maple Tapping? The sugar maples in Canada aren't the only maples that you can make syrup from. They might have more sugar than others but our Big Leaf Maples have plenty enough. The first step in making maple syrup is tapping the trees. This is a pretty simple process, you drill a hole in a maple tree, insert a spile in the hole (a spile is a small plastic or metal device like a straw that does not let the tree heal as quickly as it

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Jamestown Federal Recognition Day Celebration

Jamestown's 42nd Re-recognition will occur on Saturday February 11th. Citizens will be speaking on the topic "Where is our sovereignty journey leading us in the way of Foods, Families and Water."

Appetizers and socializing begin at 10:30 am, salmon lunch provided after event. RSVP with Rachel.

What: Jamestown Re-recognition Day

When: Saturday, February 11th from 10:30 am—1:30 pm

Where: Dungeness River Nature Center 1943 Hendrickson Rd Sequim, WA 98382



Picture from the 2022 Jamestown Federal Recognition Day Celebration

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usually does) then a bucket is hung from the spile to collect the sap. When the sap first comes out of the tree

it is more water than anything else and is comparable to coconut water in its nutrition. Tapping maple trees only happens in the winter when temperatures are above freezing in the day and below freezing at night. So, over the next couple of months, we will be trying our luck with the maple trees around the Traditional Foods & Culture building. Who knows, maybe one day we will have everyone over for pancakes with homemade syrup! If you want to join our maple syrup making experiment, contact Mackenzie or keep an eye on our Facebook page for the times and dates we are going out.

Join us, whether it's virtually through one of our workshops or in person during one of our outdoor activities. Check out what we are doing on our Facebook page Jamestown S'Klallam yəhúməct Traditional Foods & Culture and leave us a message. We would love to hear from you. yəhúməct – take care of yourself.

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Sponsored By OCVA
Hosted By JSKT Family Services

Save The Date

For Our Next


Healing With
Culture

Women's Group

Thursday,
March 9, 2023

More details to come in a
later announcement

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Dustin, dbrenske@jamestowntribe.org



Tribal Transportation Program Funding Plan



Federal Transportation Funds for the next Five Years for the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe -- DRAFT

Required Notice

Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Office of Tribal Transportation works with JST to administer the Tribal Transportation Program (TTP). The federal Transportation Act distributes funds annually. JST decides on future expenses with a Tribal Transportation Improvement Program (TTIP), a new requirement of JST's relationship with FHWA. All funds below are secure. Some funds are from special grants and will be distributed to partners. Other one-time grants are designated to the special project. For more information, see the Events and Announcement Webpage or contact Wendy Clark-Getzin, TTP Manager, at (360)681-5622 or wclark@jamestowntribe.org.

Per federal requirement, Tribal Council will certify the five-year TTIP in February with opportunities to change or modify when needed.

FHWA TTIP Summary of Projects List		Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe					
Project Name	Construction Year	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	Total
Administration	N/A	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$300,000
Planning	N/A	\$10,400	\$10,400	\$10,400	\$10,400	\$10,400	\$52,000
Maintenance	N/A	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$100,000	\$500,000
Olympic Discovery Trail - Michigan School Road to Old Blyn Highway Segment	2023	\$838,516	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$838,516
Dungeness River Audubon Center Access and Parking Improvements Phase III	2021	\$688,998	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$688,998
Olympic Discovery Trail - Vicinity of Tribal Lands along Old Blyn HWY Segment	2024	\$100,000	\$1,682,501	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,782,501
Olympic Discovery Trail - Dean Creek Bridge Repair	2023	\$146,750	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$146,750
McDonald Creek Bridge Replacement on Old Olympic HWY	2020	\$1,000,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,000,000
CL CNTY PROJECT							
TOTALS BY YEAR		\$2,944,664	\$1,852,901	\$170,400	\$170,400	\$170,400	\$5,308,765

TTIP Fiscal Summary		Jamestown S'Klallam Tribe				
		2023	2024	2025	2026	2027
Estimated Annual TTP Shares		\$465,158.36	\$465,158.36	\$465,158.36	\$465,158.36	\$465,158.36
Additional funds (STP, Safety, Bridge, Other Grants)		\$1,682,308.00	\$1,546,071.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Carryover Funds (from previous FY)		\$851,217.00	\$54,019.36	\$212,347.72	\$507,106.08	\$801,864.44
TOTAL AVAILABLE FUNDS for each year		\$2,998,683.36	\$2,065,248.72	\$677,506.08	\$972,264.44	\$1,267,022.80
Project Totals:		\$2,944,664.00	\$1,852,901.00	\$170,400.00	\$170,400.00	\$170,400.00
Fiscal Year Remainder:		\$54,019.36	\$212,347.72	\$507,106.08	\$801,864.44	\$1,096,622.80

Summary

Total Available TTP Funds	\$6,405,387.80
Total of All Projects on TTIP	\$5,308,765.00

This Draft was prepared as of 1/23/2023.

Editor's Note: As part of the funding requirements a draft funding proposal must be

Attention Tribal Hunters

As of Dec 7th, 2022, hunting tags and DNR gate keys will no longer be issued at the Administration building and instead will be managed through the Justice and Enforcement Center at 110 Sophus Rd. The main point of contact will now be Lisa McAneny, Jamestown Court Clerk/LE Administrative Assistant. If you would like to request hunting tags or DNR gate keys, Lisa is available during regular business hours on Tuesday-Friday. She can be reached at 360-681-5600. If Lisa is unavailable, you can contact Sgt. Robbins at 360-460-5178, Officer Carter at 360-477-3531, or Chief Kallappa at 360-477-0233.

NOTICE:

Any **unused** hunting permit and/or game tag must be returned to the Justice Center (110 Sophus Rd) by **March 15, 2023**.

Come Bird with Us!

Olympic BirdFest

Thursday-Sunday, April 13-16, 2023



Birding Trips with Experts:
in Bays, Estuaries, Mudflats,
Grasslands and Lowland Forests

Cruise around Protection Island

Art & Photography Workshops

Banquet & Raffle
with speaker **Scott Pearson, PhD**,
North Pacific Coast Seabird expert

Add on Excursions:
3-Day San Juan Island Cruise
3-Day Neah Bay Birding Trip

Registration Online:
www.OlympicBirdFest.org

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1943 West Hendrickson Road, Sequim, WA 98382 360-681-4076

LIHEAP Home Energy Assistance Program Available

The 2023 Jamestown **Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)** will begin on January 1, 2023. The program will be available through March 30, 2023. All Jamestown Tribal citizens in our service area who meet the income limit (150% of the federal poverty level) are eligible.

LIHEAP helps keep families safe and healthy through initiatives that assist families with energy costs. LIHEAP provides federally funded assistance to reduce the costs

associated with home energy bills, energy crises, weatherization, and minor energy-related home repairs. The Housing Program mailed out applications on December 15, 2022, to those who have received LIHEAP assistance in the past. If you did not receive an application, please contact Ann Jagger at 360-681-3411 or Lesly DeAngelo at 360-681-4635 to request one.

Homeowners Assistance Funds Applications Available

U.S. Department of Treasury Funds are available for Jamestown S'Klallam Tribal homeowners who have been affected by COVID-19. Eligible expenses include mortgage payments and reinstatement; Homeowner Association fees, liens, and common charges; Insurance reinstatement, flood insurance and late fees; payment of electricity/gas, sewer/garbage and water utility bills; and delinquent property tax payments and foreclosure prevention. To be eligible, you must be a Jamestown Tribal citizen. The home must be your primary residence. Income eligibility is up to 150% of the federal poverty level (\$19,140 for a single person; \$25,860 for two, etc.), and you must complete an application showing how COVID-19 impacted your ability to pay for the costs noted above.

Applications are available from Ann Jagger, ajagger@jamestowntribe.org or 360-681-3411, or Lesly DeAngelo, Ideangelo@jamestowntribe.org or 360-681-4635.

Klallam Word Search

Months: January – June

January: xéwəscí?ánəŋ

February: ča?yé?yəttqáy'č

March: čənšəwi

April: čən'má?əx^w

May: čən' līlu?

June: čən'k^wítšən

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Higher Education Opportunities

Center of American Indian and Minority Health presents



NATIVE AMERICANS INTO MEDICINE

JUNE 20TH-AUGUST 4TH, 2023

- 7-week summer research program for AIAN Undergraduate sophomores and juniors, or seniors
- Stipend and summer housing provided
- Summer Research involving quantitative analysis of youth survey data


Applications due
Friday, March 10th

Questions? Email caimh@d.umn.edu



Fisheries WaterCorps Tribal Internship

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Lacey, WA)



Duties: Biological field sampling, lab, and fish hatchery support
Workstation: Lacey, WA
Duration: 6 months, likely starting in mid-May.

Benefits Include:



- \$600 per week living stipend, insurance, and student loan forbearance
- A \$3,247 education award and a 2-year federal non-competitive hiring status certificate upon successful completion of the internship
- Career building experience and professional development training

Minimum Qualifications:

- Registered Tribal Member
- Age 18-34
- High School Diploma or GED
- Coursework, experience, or a strong interest in Natural Resource Conservation Science

Internship Preview Video: [YouTube Link](#)

For more information and to apply, contact:
Dan Spencer at: Daniel.Spencer@fws.gov



Native Americans Into Medicine

The University of Minnesota's Center of American Indian and Minority Health is hosting a 7-week summer research program for American Indian and Alaska Native undergraduate sophomores, juniors and seniors wishing to pursue medicine. A stipend and housing will be provided. Applications are due Friday, March 10th.

To learn more and to apply, visit <https://med.umn.edu/caimh/college-premed>.

Fisheries WaterCorps Tribal Internship

Interested in fisheries? The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service has an internship opportunity for Native American students! This internship is based in Lacey, WA and will begin in May. Don't miss out on this local opportunity that will include a weekly living stipend and a \$3,247 education award!

To apply, email Dan Spencer at: Daniel.Spencer@fws.gov. Applications are due Friday, February 17.

American Indian Endowed Scholarship Available!

Submit your applications for the 2023-2024 American Indian Endowed Scholarship (AIES) awards. The Washington Student Achievement Council (WSAC) will accept signed and completed applications that are postmarked by March 1, 2023.

To download the application and its instruction materials scan the QR code below or visit <https://wsac.wa.gov/american-indian-endowed-scholarship> and click on "How do I apply?".



Washington Indian Gaming Association Scholarship Application Open!

This year WIGA will award up to \$100,000 for both enrolled members of the WIGA Tribes and Indian students in Washington State. The scholarship may be used to attend two-year and four-year colleges and universities, as well as for advanced degrees. Applications must be completed by March 31, 2023.

To fill out the application, scan the QR code or visit <https://www.washingtonindiangaming.org/scholarships/scholarship-application-2023-24/>

Contact Rosina DePoe by email at deputy@washingtonindiangaming.org.





Library Corner

Construction Update

Hiday Concrete will begin the foundations for the Mechanical pads. T&D is continuing the framing and will be working on the remaining exterior walls and continuing roof framing. Hiday Concrete will begin column cap installation. **Please remember to take extra caution when walking, biking, and driving in this area. Construction Vehicles are actively entering and exiting the project site.**



Learning Our Landscape

February 9, 2023

3:00pm Online

Lyre River — David Brownell, E.D.

A Look at the Lyre - The past 150 years have brought many changes and colorful characters to the Lyre River, home to legendary runs of chum salmon and stands of virgin timber. We will review historic maps, photographs and archival materials documenting the unique history of the Lyre, and the Olympic Peninsula's very own Gettysburg.

<https://library.jamestowntribe.org/home/ProgramsEvents>

or

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87698275538?pwd=WWlpOUdnSkoxQjduZ3hsQ21VWjdLUT09>

Meeting ID: 876 9827 5538

Passcode: 745304

Library Services

Book mobile services — Tribal citizens/descendants/staff can request books, videos, magazines, etc. to be delivered usually on the 2nd Wednesday of each month. If you would like items delivered or picked up, please call 360-681-4632 and leave a message or email library@jamestowntribe.org.

Curbside service — You may browse our collection at <https://library.jamestowntribe.org/home> and click on the red “Search Library Catalog” button. If you remember your log-in information you may reserve items or you can always call/email the Library. If you want something to read/watch but don't really know what, let us know and we can bring you a “grab bag” of items. We have a lot of new books that are just begging to be read.

Research— If you have a question or topic that you need to research, we are happy to help.

If you have any questions or concerns, would like mobile or curbside services, or help with research, please call us at 360-681-4632 or email library@jamestowntribe.org.

New Books!!!

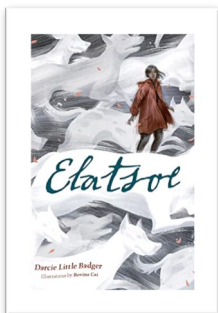
We're so excited to offer you new books to read! These adult, young adult, and juvenile books have all been published in the past three years and some are by regional authors. If you are interested in checking out these or other books from the Tribal Library, just give us a call or email and we'll make it happen! 360-681-4632 or library@jamestowntribe.org.



Firekeeper's Daughter by Angeline Boulley (Chippewa) is an electrifying thriller layered with a rich exploration of the modern Native experience, a reckoning of current and historical injustices, and a powerful celebration of community.



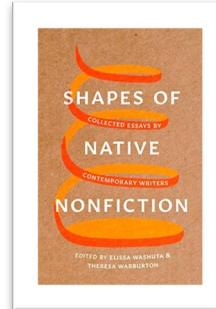
The Only Good Indians by Stephen Graham Jones (Blackfeet) is a dark novel of revenge, cultural identity, and the cost of breaking from tradition.



Elatsoe by Darcie Little Badger (Lipan Apache) A Lipan Apache teen with the ability to raise ghosts travels across Texas to bring the man who killed her cousin to justice.

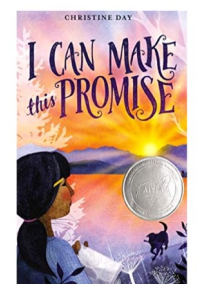


Sea in Winter by Christine Day (Upper Skagit) tells the story of a Native American girl struggling to find her joy again.



Shapes of Native Nonfiction: Collected Essays by Contemporary Writers by Elissa Washuta (Cowlitz) (Editor), Theresa Warburton (Editor) have curated an exciting collection of imaginative,

world-making lyric essays by twenty-seven contemporary Native writers from tribal nations across Turtle Island into a well-crafted basket.



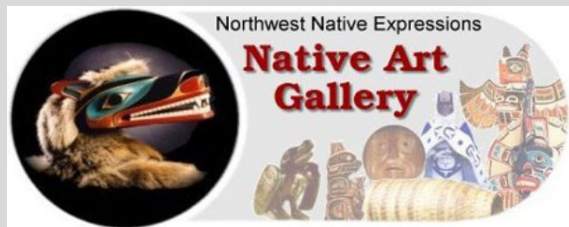
I Can Make This Promise by Christine Day (Upper Skagit) tells the story of a girl who uncovers her family's secrets—and finds her own Native American identity.

IMLS American Rescue Plan Grant

In 2021, the Institute for Museum and Library Services awarded the Tribal Library \$44,722 to catalog the archaeological and artifact collections in storage at the Carlsborg storage facility. To date, we have inventoried items in the artifact storage room, accessioned 20 collections, cataloged 16 documents and 9,760 artifacts. While we still have work to do on this project, we have accomplished a lot!



**Check out our selection of
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Sequim, WA 98382

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We are reaching out in Clallam County to increase awareness and education about working Families Tax Credit, Earned Income Tax Credit and Individual Taxpayer Identification Number eligibility.

In service of our community we are helping to guide you to local resources to assist you through the 2023 tax season while helping answer your questions about programs that could assist you and your family.

Washington State is working to stimulate the local economy, promote racial equity, and support the financial stability and well-being of Washington residents and their families by increasing awareness with outreach activities in your community.

We would be more than happy to speak with you about the above information or the other services we provide at Lutheran Community Services Northwest by contacting us at:

Lutheran Community Services Northwest

2610 S. Francis, Port Angeles, WA 98362

360-461-5911

10 am to 2 pm

FIELD ARTS & EVENTS HALL

OPPORTUNITY FOR NATIVE ARTISTS

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CREATIONS BY THE KLALLAM PEOPLE
LOWER ELWHA KLALLAM TRIBE AND FIELD ARTS & EVENTS HALL
PARTNERSHIP JULY 27 - SEPTEMBER 29, 2023



SUBMISSION DEADLINE APRIL 1, 2023

In the spirit of collaboration, friendship, and education, the Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe and Field Arts & Events Hall invite all interested nəxʷsł'áyəm artists to submit art pieces to our first collaborative art show.

The show will be held in the new gallery space at the Field Arts & Events Hall in downtown Port Angeles and will be on display from July 27 - September 29, 2023.



Artists from the three Klallam bands; Lower Elwha, Jamestown, and Port Gamble are welcome to share their diverse artwork. Art can include carvings, basketry, paintings, prints, photography, graphics, and jewelry. The show will focus on traditional Coast Salish art styles so it can be shared as a learning experience for the audience. The artwork submitted to the show is expected to be available for sale as this is a retail gallery.

For more information please contact:

Roger Fernandes / Lower Elwha

gallery@fieldhallevents.org or call (206) 696-1911

SCS Photo Contest

Citizen and descendant submissions only.
Photo Prompt: What does it mean to be S'Klallam?

Photos can be of yourself, family, other citizens/descendants, scenery of lands and animals, exercising treaty rights, your own artwork, and the like!

We would appreciate if participants sent in a description with their photo, up to 5 sentences maximum.

Please include with your submission: Your name, tribal family, S'Klallam parents and grandparents.

Photos and artwork need to be 16inch x 20inch upon submission. Please do not put in a mat and/or frame.

Up to two submissions per person.

Submissions can be mailed to:

Loni Greninger

Social Services

1033 Old Blyn Hwy, Sequim, WA 98382

Winning photos and artwork will be displayed around the main SCS buildings at 70 and 72 Zaccardo Road, Sequim, WA. Winners will be featured in the Tribal Newsletter and Tribal Facebook page.



Klallam Word Search Key

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Washington State Health Care Authority

Jamestown Family Health Clinic

808 North Fifth Avenue, Sequim, WA 98382
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Hours: Mon.– Fri. 8 a.m.—5 p.m.,
Saturday 10 a.m.–3 p.m. for both routine and
as-needed, face-to-face and telehealth
appointments.

Men's IXG (Strong Cedar Group)

Men's wellness and recovery support
group held in the Blyn Campus Elders
Lounge. For more information,
contact Eric Greninger at 360-681-4625
or egreninger@jamestownTribe.org

Jamestown Healing Clinic

Need help with your substance abuse
disorder? Prospective patients interested
in services from Jamestown Healing
Clinic are encouraged to visit
www.jamestownhealingclinic.org or call
the clinic during business hours at (360)
681-7755.

Are you interested in attending Tribal Council meetings in person or on Zoom?

Contact Ann Sargent at asargent@jamestowntribe.org receive
the date, time, and Zoom meeting address for the next
meeting.

Deadlines for Jamestown Higher Education Scholarships

(for enrolled citizens)

Spring Quarter: February 15

Summer Term: April 15

Fall Quarter/Fall Semester: June 15

Winter Quarter/Fall Semester: November 15

For information on Higher Education funding, contact Higher
Education Coordinator

Morgan Snell at 360-681-4626 or msnell@jamestownTribe.org

Submitting to the Jamestown S'Klallam Tribal Newsletter

If you have a story, a story idea, or an event listing for an
upcoming Tribal newsletter, please contact Communications
and Publications Specialist Jackie Johnson at Office: 360-681-
5629, Cell: 360-809-9071 or Email:
jjohnson@jamestowntribe.org.

Our staff can come to an event to cover it, interview a person to
tell their story, or use your own article or notes to create content
for the newsletter. The deadline is the 15th of each month for the
following month's newsletter (i.e. Jan. 15th for the February
newsletter).

Websites:

Tribal Government: www.jamestownTribe.org
7 Cedars Hotel/Casino: www.7cedars.com
Jamestown Family Health Clinic: <https://jamestownhealth.org>
Jamestown Family Dental Clinic: <https://jamestownfamilydentalclinic.com>
Tribal Library: <http://library.jamestownTribe.org>
Tribal Online Museum: www.tribalmuseum.jamestownTribe.org
Jamestown Healing Campus: www.jamestownhealingclinic.com
Northwest Native Expressions Gallery: NorthwestNativeExpressions.com
Dungeness River Nature Center: www.dungenessrivercenter.org
Kurt Grinnell Aquaculture Scholarship Foundation; www.kurtgrinnellscholarship.org

Facebook Pages:

Tribal Government: www.facebook.com/JamestownSKlallamTribe
Tribal Library: <https://www.facebook.com/Jamestown-SKlallam-Tribal-Library-46893403143461/>
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Children and Youth Programs: <https://www.facebook.com/jsktchildrenandyouth>
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Longhouse Market and Deli: <https://www.facebook.com/LonghouseMarket/>
House of Seven Brothers Restaurant: <https://www.facebook.com/HouseOfSevenBrothers/>
Dungeness River Nature Center: <https://www.facebook.com/dungenessrivernaturecenter>
SCS Client Navigator: <https://www.facebook.com/jamestownnavigator>
Tribal Elders Page: <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100073258483031>

February

Find descriptions and details of these events throughout this newsletter.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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12	13 Klallam Language, Sweetheart cookies and tea, page 6	14 High Tea (see below)	15 Clam Dig, page 7	16 Culture Committee Meeting 12p.m. Clam digging, page 7	17 Elder Luncheon 12p.m.—2p.m.	18
19	20 Presidents' Day, Tribal offices closed	21 Gather and Cook, page 6	22 Mushroom Plugs, page 7 Jamestown Song and Dance, page 6	23	24 Coastal Jam and Port Gamble, see below	25 Stan Purser Powwow at Port Gamble, see below
26	27 Klallam Language, page 6	28 Gather and Cook, page 36				

February 6th, 13th & 27^h - Klallam Language - virtual on Facebook or in person at TFC building. The 13th will include sweetheart cookies with Kallam word, see page 6 for more information.

February 8th—Canoe Family Social – All are welcome to join at 7 Cedars Resort for appetizers 5:30p.m. and **Elder Trip to Suquamish Museum**—Contact Ricky Johnson, (360) 582-6779 for more information.

February 11th—Acknowledging Jamestown's 42nd re-recognition anniversary—All welcome to hear where Jamestown's sovereignty is headed with Family/Food/Water. Salmon meal to follow. Dungeness River Nature Center, 10:30a.m.—1:30p.m.

February 14th—High Tea— fun event with the Elders and Children's Program. There will be cookies and treats along with various types of tea from the local tea shops. Bags will be provided to take some teas home with you.

February 16th - Quarterly Culture Meeting— All welcome— TFC building, 12p.m., also we have the 2nd clam dig of the year— see page 7.

February 22nd - Jamestown Song and Dance—see page 6

February 24th – Coastal Jam—At Port Gamble, dinner at 5p.m., singing to follow

February 25th—Stan Purser Powwow—At Port Gamble, Grand Entry at 4p.m.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

February Birthdays

1	Jesse Reeves	15	Jonna Lawler
1	Mark Becker	17	Anita Russell
3	Emma Barrell	18	Ruth Roath
4	Joseph Hall	18	Deborah Hutsell
4	Joel Schmitt	19	Mark Cullivan
5	Weston Lickiss	19	Valerie Kardonsky
5	William Anderson	20	Nathaniel Olson
6	Timothy Wilsie	20	Alexander Gaschk
6	Patrick Moore	21	John Adams
6	John Williams	21	Nicolas Ulowitz
6	Danielle Dressel	22	Devin Peterson
7	Michelle Jimmy	22	Dawn Buoncristiani
7	Ryan Reuter	22	Candace Munger
7	Walter Reyes	22	Leslie Prince
7	Michael Patsey	22	Jody Allen
8	Dolores McConaghy	22	Caitlyn Hensley
8	Jessica Reeves	24	Brandi Lapointe
8	William Brown	26	Cheyenne Tyler
9	Douglas Piltz	27	Wallace Norton
9	Jo Matheny	27	Cody Holden
10	Russel Buckmaster	27	Timothy Hilerman
11	Madison Eisenhour	28	Sandra Johnson
12	April Davis	28	Cameron Fairchild
13	Duane Niatum	28	Mark Reuter
13	Mary Ann Maher	29	Renee Hoerath

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Cedars at Dungeness Golf Course	360-447-6826
Child Advocacy Center	360-681-5601
Double Eagle/Stymie's Lounge	360-683-3331
Dungeness River Nature Center	360-681-4076
Economic Development Authority	360-683-2025
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Jamestown Excavating	360-683-4586
Jamestown Family Health Clinic	360-683-5900
Jamestown Healing Clinic	360-681-7755
Jamestown Land Survey	360-681-4586
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