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Powmuya
February

*The Cleansing
Moon*

**HOPI
CALENDAR**

Kyaamuya-	Dec.
Paamuya-	Jan.
Powamuya-	Feb.
Osomuya-	Mar.
Kwiyamuya-	April
Hakitonmuya-	May
Wukouyismuya-	Jun.
Kyelmuya-	July
Paamuya-	Aug.
Nasanmuya-	Sep.
Angakmuya-	Oct.
Kelmuya -	Nov.

**This Month
In Hopi
History**

- Feb. 4 - Ancestors of Navajos arrived in the Southwest in the 15th Century.
- Feb. 24 - Hopi Pottery was found as far away as Verde Valley, Chinle Valley, and Southern Arizona
- A.D. 500 - Pottery and weaving were developed by A.D. 500
- A.D. 900-1000 Plazas and kivas like those of present Hopi construction were made.

**February 19
is a National
Holiday. Tribal
Offices will be
closed**

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Hopi Tribe Inaugurates Chairman Nuvangyaoma and Vice Chairman Tenakhongva



Chief Judge Karen Pennington administers the Oath of Office for Hopi Chairman Timothy L. Nuvangyaoma as Judge Delford Leslie looks on.



Judge Delford Leslie administers Oath of Office for Vice Chairman Clark W. Tenakhongva

Louella Nahsonhoya
Hopi Tutuveni

Several hundred community residents as well as dignitaries from Tribes, State and Federal governments were in attendance at the Inaugural Ceremonies held for Hopi Chairman Timothy L. Nuvangyaoma and Vice Chairman Clark W. Tenakhongva at the Veterans Memorial Center on January 19.

Although a formal swearing in ceremony was held on December 1, 2017 at which time Chairman Nuvangyaoma and Vice Chairman Tenakhongva were sworn into office to preside over the Hopi Tribal Council, inaugural activities were delayed and scheduled for Jan 19 at the Veterans Center to allow more people to attend and participate. The swearing in ceremony at the Hopi Tribal Council Chamber on December 1 was filled to capacity and many were left standing outside unable to attend the event.

Vice Chairman Clark Tenakhongva ad-

ressed the audience reflecting on current and pending issues. Tenakhongva vowed to uphold his responsibilities to the Hopi people for the next four years during his term as Vice Chairman of the Hopi Tribe. Tenakhongva also focused his inaugural address on military personnel; including active soldiers, veterans and the Hopi Code Talkers. Tenakhongva talked about how they fought for, not only the Hopi people, but freedom for all Americans. Tenakhongva stressed the importance of learning, maintaining and protecting the Hopi language. “The Hopi language is what identifies us as Hopi people,” said Tenakhongva.

Chairman Timothy L. Nuvangyaoma, begin his inaugural address by thanking the people for electing and voting him into office. He also thanked his family and his mother Gladys Sosnewa, who he referred to as “the First Mother.” He talked about a woman’s role in society and the importance of a woman in Hopi culture.

Chairman Nuvangyaoma also reflected on the current and urgent priorities of the Hopi Tribe. Nuvangyaoma said he is learning daily about pending and mounting priorities, which are all very important and must be dealt with immediately.

Nuvangyaoma acknowledged and focused the Youth who were present. He talked about their potentials to emerge as future leaders of the Hopi Tribe. He recognized those students of local elementary and junior high schools who ran for Student Council positions at their schools; but did not get enough votes to serve on their school councils, as well as those that were elected to serve on their school council. He encouraged the students to continue to strive for the best and not to give up.

After the formal inauguration was complete, entertainment was provided by two local school dance groups and a meal was served for everyone in attendance.

See Photos on P 4

HEEF Silent Auction Returns

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
Hopi Education Endowment Fund
Contact: Ryan Tafoya 928-734-2275

On Friday, March 2nd, the Hopi Education Endowment Fund (HEEF) will reintroduce one of their more popular and successful fundraising events, the *HEEF Silent Auction*. The event will take place in Phoenix from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. at the Inter Tribal Council of Arizona (2214 N. Central Ave.) and will feature entertainment, traditional Hopi foods, a raffle, T-shirt sales, and of course, unique and exquisite Hopi/Native American art pieces up for bid.

The silent auction is great opportunity for local and non-local artists to invest in the Hopi community while also being able to promote their artwork to a larger audience. Previous HEEF silent auction events attracted nationwide patrons of Hopi/Native American art, Hopi/Native American artisans, and friends of Hopi in support of HEEF’s efforts for the education of the Hopi people.

Multiple sponsors have committed to support the event including *SRP (Salt River Projects)*, *APS (Arizona Public Service)*, *Patricia Ryan & Terri Hall*, *GoalBusters Consulting*,

Northern Arizona University, *Arizona State University*, the *University of Arizona*, *Walker & Armstrong*, the *Hopi Tribe Economic Development Corporation*, and *AMERIND Risk*. “I’m looking forward to hosting wonderful event which wouldn’t be possible without the generous support we’ve received from our sponsors,” HEEF Resource Development Manager, Justin Hongeva stated. “It’s exciting to be bringing back an event that was so beneficial to our fundraising efforts.”

Also supporting the event are a number of artists and individuals. The silent auction and raffle will include a unique variety of art creations from Mavasta Honyouti, Jonah Hill, Arvin Fredericks, Dan Namingha, Carol L. Lujan, Diane R. Martinez, Melanie David, Gwen Settalla, Wallace Lomakema, Iva Honyestewa, Monica Nuvamsa, Valerie Nuvayestewa, Donna Humetewa Kaye, Marilyn Ray, Robert Crying Redbear, J.D. Roybal, Harrison Begay, B. Yazz, and Robert Redbird.

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Hopi 3 Canyon Ranches presents check to Hopi Tribe



L-R: Vice Chairman Clark W. Tenakhongva, DNR Director Clayton Honymptewa, Hopi Three Canyon Ranch employee Bernard Nasevaema, H3CR General Manager Pat Browning and Assistant General Manager Janice Lewis

Louella Nahsonhoya
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Hopi Three Canyon Ranch (H3CR) General Manager Patrick Browning presented a dividend check to the Hopi Tribal Council in the amount of \$200,000.00 on January 11. According to H3CR, the check is a, non-required, strictly voluntary, donation to the Hopi Tribe’s General Fund account. The check will be H3CR’s fourth donation check to the Hopi Tribe since becoming an LLC, and independent of the Hopi Tribe Economic Development Corporation (HTEDC). H3CR’s donations have now totaled \$500,000.

H3CR informed the Tribal Council that, besides the substantial donation checks they have pre-

sented to the Tribe for the past four years, they have also provided programs, jobs and special donations going directly to the Hopi Economy. This totals to nearly half a million dollars per year!

“It is vitally important that all Hopi understand that the New Lands are not simply laying fallow but are indeed generating impressive income and benefits for Hopi,” said Ranch Staff. “The Ranches are doing extremely well and we are committed to continually striving to assure you, that the New Lands are being managed to the “fullest, with best usage” in a profitable and sustainable manner by H3CR. The H3CR staff have been working diligently with the

Hopi Tribe’s Attorneys to provide vital information necessary for the Water Rights case. They have spent several days going over actual sites that are pertinent to their position and have toured all Ranch land units including the 26 Bar in Springerville. They have even gone to the effort and expense to re-activate one irrigation water ditch that had been abandoned years ago to insure we would still be able count this water source in the final tally.”

Assistant General Manager Janice Lewis, Cow Boss Bill Wilson and Accounting/Administrator Rennia Smith accompanied Browning during his presentation to the Hopi Tribal Council.

Hopi Tribal Council Agenda

First Quarter Session - January 22, 2017

(December 1, 2017 Amendment #4)

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. CERTIFICATION OF TRIBAL COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES

III. ROLL CALL

IV. INVOCATION/PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

V. ANNOUNCEMENTS

VI. CORRESPONDENCE

VII. CALENDAR PLANNING

VIII. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

IX. APPROVAL OF AGENDA - December 6, 2017

- January 8, 2018

X. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. **Action Item 004-2018** – To approve establishment of Hopi Business Community Development Financial Institution – Author/Stephen Puhr, Executive Director, Hopi Tribe Economic Development Corporation – **TABLED**

2. Discussion - Letter of December 6, 2017 from Hopi Environmental Protection Office (HEPO) re: EPA and programmatic issues only - **TABLED**

XI. NEW BUSINESS

1. **Action Item 009-2018** – To approve completed Enrollment Applications for Hopi Membership – Author/Mary L. Polacca, Director, Office of Enrollment

2. **Action Item 010-2018** – To approve Hopi Tribal Relinquishment of a minor – Author/Mary L. Polacca, Director, Office of Enrollment

3. **Action Item 011-2018** – To procure 2018 General Liability, Property and Casualty Insurance Policies – Author/Edgar Shupla, Director, Office of Facilities & Risk Management Services

4. **Action Item 013-2018** – Hopi Tribal Council’s action to remove an adult for dual enrollment from the Hopi Tribal Membership Roll – Author/Mary L. Polacca, Director, Office of Enrollment (**To be determined after Hearing of Inquiry on 01/23/18**)

5. **Action Item 014-2018** – To approve establishment of a dispute resolution board and appointment of two members in accordance with the Settlement Agreement in the case captioned Benally. Kaye, Case No. 05-17041 (9 Cir. Ct. App.)–Author/Theresa Thin Elk, General Counsel, Office of General Counsel

6. Investment Training and Report on Rockefeller Investment**(1/24/18 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.)

7. Hearing of Inquiry to determine whether to dis-enroll an Adult member from the Hopi Tribe Membership Roll for dual enrollment–**Time Certain–January 23, 2018 @ 10:00 a.m.

8. Update - Benally vs. Kaye Court motion –1/23/18 @ 2:30 p.m.

9. Discussion with General Counsel Thin Elk re: Letter dated December 15, 2017 from Wes Corbin, Executive Director, Hopi Tribal Housing Authority

10. Discussion: September 24, 2017 Memorandum from Vice Chairman Alfred Lomahquahu, Jr., re: Appointment of Executive Director–Lamar Keevama, Tribal Council Representative, Bacavi Village –**Reschedule**

11. Update on Tribe’s Organizational Structure –Lines of Authority (to be addressed first week of February 2018)

XII.REPORTS-(1 hr. time allotted) * Required

1. Office of the Chairman*

2. Office of the Vice Chairman*

3. Office of Tribal Secretary*

4. Office of the Treasurer*

5. General Counsel*

6. Office of the Executive Director*

7. Land Commission*

8. Water/Energy Committee*

9. Transportation Committee*

10. Law Enforcement Committee*

11. Office of Revenue Commission*

12. Investment Committee*

13. Health/Education Committee*

XIII.ADJOURNMENT

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. January 04, 05, 06, 07, 25, 26, 27, 28, 2016 – **APPROVED**

2. February 03, 04, 22, 23, 24, 25, 2016 – **APPROVED**

COMPLETED ITEMS

1. **Action Item 121-2017** – To approve and accept the SMART FY 2017 Support for Adam Walsh Act Implementation Grant Program funding award – Author/Virgil Pinto, Chief Ranger, Hopi Resources Enforcement Services - **APPROVED**

2. **Action Item 001-2018** – To approve 2018 – 2022 Grazing Allocations for Hopi HPL Permittees – Author/Priscilla Pavatea, Director, Office of Range Management - **APPROVED**

3. **Action Item 002-2018** – To investment funds from the Albin Estate into the Hopi Education Endowment Investment Portfolio to grow the funds and be utilized for future education programs for Hopi children – Author/David Talayumtewa, Chairman, Health & Education Committee - **APPROVED**

4. **Action Item 003-2018** – To approve the release of balance of escrow account established for Antelope Mesa rentals to First Mesa Consolidated Villages – Author/Wallace Youvella, Sr., Tribal Council Representative, First Mesa Consolidated Village - **APPROVED**

5. **Action Item 005-2018** – To approve the 2017 Water Rate Amendment to Coal Mining Lease No. 14-20-0450-5743 between the Hopi Tribe and Peabody Western Coal Company – Author/Theresa Thin Elk, General Counsel, Office of General Counsel - **APPROVED**

6. **Action Item 006-2018** – To approve disenrollment of dual enrollment of a Hopi Tribal Member – Author/Mary L. Polacca – **APPROVED**

7. **Action Item 007-2018** – Amendment No. 1 to Attorney Contract between the Hopi Tribe and Verrin Kewenvoyouma Law, PLLC - Author/Theresa Thin Elk, General Counsel, Office of General Counsel - **APPROVED**

8. ****Action Item 008-2018** – To approve Hopi Tribal Relinquishment of a minor – Author/Mary L. Polacca, Director, Office of Enrollment – (Time Certain Request for 1/9/18) – **APPROVED**

9. **Action Item 012-2018** – Contract for Legal Representation of Indigent Indian Defendants between the Hopi Tribe and Antol & Hance, P.C. – Author/Karen Pennington, Chief Judge, Hopi Tribal Court - **APPROVED**

10. Tribal Secretary - Interviews - 12/7/17 – 1:00 – 5:00 pm - **COMPLETE**

11. Tribal Treasurer – Interviews - 12/8/17 – 9:00 – 10:30 am - **COMPLETE**

12. Sergeant-at-Arms - Interviews - 12/8/17 – 10:30 - 12:00 noon – **COMPLETE**

13. Deputy Revenue Commissioner - Interviews - 12/8/17 - 4:00 – 5:00 pm - **COMPLETE**

14. Hopi Tribal Council Appointments to Committees/Commission and Boards - **COMPLETE**

15. Discussion re: programmatic issues/concerns with Virgil Pinto, Chief Ranger, Hopi Resource Enforcement Services and Priscilla Pavatea, Director, Office of Range Management - **COMPLETE**

16. Chief Revenue Commissioner & Deputy Revenue Commissioners – Interviews - 12/8/17 @ 1:00 – 4:00 pm – **COMPLETE**

17. Update on Navajo Generating Station and to meet new Tribal Council – Peabody Energy Representatives - 12/7/17 @ 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon - **COMPLETE**

18. Review of Tribal Council protocols, procedures and Resolutions - **COMPLETE**

19. Discussion: November 29, 2017 E-mail from the General Counsel re: response from the Election Board in response to the Certified questions posed to them - **COMPLETE**

20. Discussion: Draft Personnel Policies and Procedures – Lisa Pawwinnee, Director, Office of Human Resources - **COMPLETE**

21. Discussion: Report from Abandoned Mine Lands Program – Norman Honie Jr. - **COMPLETE**

22. Discussion Re: formation of a Task Team that will amend the Rules of Order –Hopi Tribal Council - **COMPLETE**

23. Update on Land Settlement Discussion – Craig Andrews, Member, Land Commission - 12/18/17 @ 9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. - **COMPLETE**

24. Update on LCR Litigation - Wallace Youvella, Sr., Member, Water/Energy Committee - 12/18/17 @ 1:30 – 3:30 p.m. – **COMPLETE**

25. Certification of Officers – **COMPLETE**

26. Discussion: October 10, 2017 Letter from Louella Nahsonhoya, Director, Tutuveni, requesting direction on how to proceed with enforcing Resolution H-040-2017 - **COMPLETE**

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36. Hopi Education Endowment Fund Annual Report – LuAnn Leonard, Director, Hopi Education Endowment Fund - **COMPLETE**

37. Report on Trust Settlement Case – Theresa Thin Elk, General Counsel, Office of General Counsel - 12/06/17 – 9:00 am – 11:00 am – **COMPLETE**

38. Introduction of Lori Piestewa American Legion Post #80 2017 – 2018 Royalty – Eugene Talas, Manager, Hopi Veterans Services - **COMPLETE**

39. ****Time Certain Request for Discussion** – 12/18/17 Letter re: Negotiation of Salary for Tribal Treasurer position – Wilfred Gaseoma, Treasurer, Office of Treasurer – **COMPLETE**

40. ****Time Certain Request to Update on Bears Ears Monument** – Representatives from Native American Rights Fund (1/10/18) - **COMPLETE**

41. ****Discussion re: Challenge filed in 2017 election** – Theresa Thin Elk, General Council, Office of General Counsel - **COMPLETE**

42. Appointment of Sipaulovi Tribal Council Representatives to Committees Listing– **COMPLETE**

43. To address Letter of December 12, 2017 from the Hopi Election Board re: advertisement of three (3) Election Board seats– **COMPLETE**

REPORTS – COMPLETED

1. Office of Tribal Secretary *- **COMPLETE** Written – 2017 4th Quarter report

2. ****Report on 2017 Hopi Three Canyon Ranch, Ranch Activities/ presentation of annual dividend check and artwork by Hopi Artist Dennis Numkena (Deceased) – Patrick Browning, Hopi Three Canyon Ranch - COMPLETE**

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The Hopi Tribal Council announces the following vacancies:

Two (2) Hopi Election Board member positions and one (1) alternate position, until filled.
Interested individuals must submit a Letter of Interest to the Office of Tribal Secretary.

Any questions may be directed to the Secretary’s office at 928-734-3131.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

In the January 17, 2018 edition of the Hopi Tutuveni, in the article entitled “Hopi Elections, Chairman Nuvangyaoma, former Chairman Honanie - What We Know and Don’t Know,” the article reports that “Nuvangyaoma was convicted for aggravated drunk driving in Maricopa County in 1994, 1998, 2000 and 2006.”

Because Herman Honanie (Honanie) and I believe that the information reported by the Tutuveni regarding the 2006 conviction needs to be corrected and clarified, I write this letter.

First, Article IV, Section 9 of the recently amended Hopi Constitution states “[a] candidate [for Hopi Chairman] must not have been convicted of a felony ... within ten (10) years of candidacy.”

On November 20, 2007, which is within ten years from the date Nuvangyaoma ran for Chairman in both the primary election (September 14, 2017) and general election (November 9, 2017), Timothy Nuvangyaoma was “convicted” of Aggravated Driving While Under the Influence of Liquor with two prior felony convictions,” a Class 4 Felony. He was sentenced and served an eight (8) year prison sentence in the Arizona Department of Corrections (ADOT). According to the ADOT website, Nuvangyaoma, who was convicted under the name Timothy Nuvangyaome (spelled with an “e” at the end of his name), served an 8 year prison sentence beginning December 2007. He was released from the Arizona Department of Correction in 2014.

Under Arizona state law, a person is “convicted” of a felony on the date they enter a guilty plea to the charge pursuant to a plea agreement. Although the Agg. DUI was committed on August 24, 2006, he was not “convicted” of the crime until November 20, 2007, the date he entered a guilty plea to the charge. Until such time as a person enters a guilty plea, he is only considered to be “charged” with an offense. He is not “convicted” until he stands before a judge and pleads guilty.

Thus, according to the two lawsuits filed by Herman Honanie in the Hopi Tribal Court, Nuvangyaoma was “convicted” of Agg. DUI, a class 4 felony, on November 20, 2007, which is within ten years of the date of his candidacy for Chairman.

It will be left to the Hopi Tribal Court to decide whether Honanie’s appeal and civil complaint have any merit.

Sincerely yours,
Gary LaRance, Attorney for Herman Honanie

Editor,

Congratulations to the newly elected Hopi Tribal Council Chairman and Vice Chairman. I hope that your time in office will be productive to the Hopi and Tewa community.

You have inherited another challenging job. First of all, you will need to address a major question passed on to you by the outgoing Chairman, Herman Honanie. Actually, it is not a difficult question to answer as the Hopi/Tewa community has twice voted through referendum to stay out of the gambling business. To me to pass this issue on to the new administration was a less than courageous act, a cowardly act. It also revealed once more the lack of respect for our people’s decisions. This act reminded me of the time we were denied an election to fill the vacancies left when then Chairman Ben Nuvamsa and Vice Chairman Todd Honyaoma resigned from their respective positions.

My hope is that Mr. Tim Nuvangyaoma and Mr. Clark Tenakhongva will be more respectful of our feelings and decisions and can encourage and influence a tribal council to be more respectful. I have noted that individuals who denied our right to vote in the past are again on the council.

/s/ Elgean Joshevama

CORRECTION

In the January 17, 2018 issue of the Hopi Tutuveni, there was an error in the article by the Tutuveni Editorial Board titled “*Hopi Elections, Chairman Nuvangyaoma, former Chairman Honanie - What We Know and Don't Know*.”

The article did not accurately reflect the story by the Associated Press (AP). It should have read “the years are tied to the traffic stops or arrests, not the convictions.”

In our haste to get the information out to our Hopi community, we failed to make the distinction.

We take our responsibility to report facts and stories accurately, we apologize for this error. The AP story we referenced can be found online at the address below:

<https://www.usnews.com/news/best-states/arizona/articles/2017-12-20/former-hopi-chairman-challenges-eligibility-of-successor>

By the Hopi Tutuveni Editorial Board

HEEF from P1

Several individuals and organizations have also donated to the silent auction from their personal collections including Stephanie Parker, Carol Pederson, Jaquelyn Slotkin, and the Hopi Health Dept.

HEEF Executive Director, LuAnn Leonard said, “The silent auction would not be possible without art and the HEEF is very grateful to artists for their creations and also people who donated from their own collections. We invite all to join us as this is their chance to not only get a piece of unique native art, but to also support Hopi students and the Hopi community.”

Funds raised by the auction will go directly into the HEEF investment account to support Hopi educational programs and provide funding for Hopi college students via the Hopi Tribe Grants & Scholarships Program. The event is open to the public with no entry fee required. For more information on the auction including donating artwork or purchasing raffle tickets, visit www.hopieducationfund.org, call 928-734-2275, or email heef@hopieducationfund.org. The HEEF is a 7871 (a) charitable non-profit organization and all donations are tax-deductible. ###

Significant collection of Hopi Basketry Donated to Arizona State Museum

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE **Darlene F. Lizarraga**
Director of Marketing

(University of Arizona, Tucson)—It is with deep gratitude that the Arizona State Museum (ASM) announces it has received a significant donation of 208 Hopi baskets from Judith W. and Andrew D. Finger (pictured on page 2), residents of Dallas, Texas and Santa Fe, New Mexico.

“The Finger collection is as meticulously documented as it was lovingly assembled,” said ASM Director Dr. Patrick D. Lyons. “These baskets are outstanding in terms of their research and teaching value. Each embodies Hopi traditions, stories, iconography, and technology. At ASM they will be preserved and made available for the edification and enjoyment of current and future generations. As a student of Hopi culture myself, I am thrilled by the possibilities for research, exhibits, and public programs.”

The 177 wicker, 29 coiled, and 3 plaited baskets join and enhance ASM’s existing collection—designated an American Treasure and given the moniker “Woven Wonders” in 2006 as the world’s largest, most comprehensive, and best documented assemblage of American Indian basketry.

“Donated personal collections are the foundation of ASM’s more than 4,000 historic and contemporary baskets,” explained Diane Dittmore, curator of ethnological collections. “Added to more than 30,000 examples of ancient basketry and fiber art, ASM’s holdings are unparalleled. The new arrivals, like most of ASM’s collections, are accessible for research, study, and exhibit. The Finger Collection enhances ASM’s ability to illustrate the many facets and beauty of Hopi culture.”

The Fingers first began collecting Hopi baskets in 1988 while vacationing in Santa Fe. They lived in Cleve-

land then. “Our first wicker plaque depicted *Taawakatsina*, Sun Katsina,” explained Mrs. Finger. “This piece appealed to us on two levels—the use of faces in art forms has always intrigued us, and the sun image brought welcome warmth to our Cleveland winters. It also introduced us to a world of artistic creativity, fashioned by Hopi basket makers. Wherever we traveled and whenever there was an auction or show, we searched for Hopi wicker plaques. Over the years, with the help of John Kania of the Kania Ferrin Gallery, Santa Fe, NM, our collection grew, and we refined its focus, concentrating on plaques with katsina imagery woven roughly a century ago.”

The Fingers curated a traveling exhibit, in cooperation with the Grace Hudson Museum and Sun House in Ukiah, CA, and authored the accompanying book, *Circles of Life: Katsina Imagery in Hopi Basketry*. ASM hosted the exhibit in 2009.

“Hopi baskets can be appreciated on many levels,” said Mr. Finger. “Viewers can admire them as works of art and marvel at the talents of their makers. They can identify a katsina image and recognize the integral part katsinam play in Hopi life. They can understand the importance of basketry in sustaining Hopi traditions. Through this donation we hope that future generations will always have a window into the Hopi people’s rich culture and history.”

Integral to the daily and ceremonial lives of the Hopi, their baskets are among the most appreciated and sought-after art forms of the U.S. Southwest. Third Mesa basket weavers are renowned for their wicker work, while Second Mesa basket weavers specialize in coiling. Both techniques can depict katsinam. Archaeological research tells

us that the katsina religion dates back at least to the 14th century. Many aficionados of Native American art are familiar with katsina dolls, the carved representations of Hopi spirit helpers created from cottonwood root. Appreciating katsina iconography provides a glimpse into understanding, to the extent it is possible or appropriate, the complex social constructs, history, and enduring traditions of the Hopi people.

The Fingers previously have donated ceramic vessels to ASM.

About the Arizona State Museum

ASM’s collections, exhibits, and programs focus on the Southwest’s ancient cultures and their modern successors. Established by the Arizona territorial legislature in 1893, ASM is the oldest and largest anthropology museum in the region and the nation’s largest and busiest state-run archaeological curation facility. ASM cares for some of the world’s most significant collections representing the peoples of the U.S. Southwest and northern Mexico. Among the museum’s vast and varied collections (more than 3 million objects) is a comprehensive assemblage of American Indian basketry. With more than 35,000 specimens, the collection includes not only baskets, but cordage, mats, sandals, and many other fiber items representative of the major basket-making culture groups of North America, dating from 8,000 years ago to the present. Since its founding in 1893, ASM’s collections have been available for exhibit, research, and teaching. The vast collections, which grow at a brisk annual pace, are consulted on a regular basis by researchers, educators, and artists who seek new knowledge to broaden the foundation for the understanding and appreciation of the 13,000-year cultural continuum in this region. ###

Hopi Tutuveni Submission Guidelines

The Hopi Tutuveni wants to hear from you! We welcome the submission of articles, press releases, letters to the editor and guest editorials. If you have questions or would like additional information, please contact the Managing Editor, Louella Nahsonhoya, at (928) 734-3282.

ARTICLES:

The Hopi Tutuveni welcomes original articles reporting on local, state and national news items of interest to readers. We are especially interested in articles reporting on events and activities involving members of the Hopi Tribe. Submissions must include complete contact information, including author’s name, mailing address, telephone number or email address. *All articles must be submitted electronically as a Word document.* The Managing Editor reserves the right to edit articles for style, length and clarity. If significant editing is required, the Managing Editor will communicate with the author prior to publication.

PRESS RELEASES:

The Tutuveni welcomes press releases from local, state and national organizations, agencies, departments and programs. *Press releases must be submitted electronically as a Word document.* All submissions will be reviewed by the Managing Editor and returned to the author if significant editing is required. Press Releases must be submitted on official letterhead with complete contact information, including name, telephone number or email address. The Tutuveni publishes press releases as a public service and does not guarantee that all submissions will be published.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR:

Letters to the editor provide an opportunity for private individuals to respond to articles published by the Tutuveni or to share opinions about issues impacting the Hopi community. Letters should not exceed 300 words and must include complete contact information, including the full name of the author, address, phone number or email address. Anonymous letters and letters written under pseudonyms will not be published. The Tutuveni Editorial Board reviews all letters to the editor and reserves the right not to publish letters it considers to be highly sensitive or potentially offensive to readers, or that may be libelous or slanderous in nature. *Electronic submissions preferred.*

GUEST EDITORIAL:

Guest Editorials provide an opportunity for individuals to raise awareness or express an opinion about an issue of relevance to the Hopi community. Unlike a Letter to the Editor, Guest Editorials should express an opinion or provide a perspective based on expertise, research or firsthand knowledge. These pieces are generally longer in length (500-700 words) and topical in nature. We welcome submissions on a broad range of topics, but are especially interested in editorials addressing current issues and events impacting the Hopi community. Guest editorials must be submitted electronically as a Word document and include the full name of the author, address, phone number or email address. Original submissions are preferred; however, if submitting work previously published it is the author’s responsibility to obtain permission from the original publisher. The Tutuveni Editorial Board reviews all guest editorials and selects for publication those that fit within the editorial calendar or are most relevant to readers.

SUBMISSION PROCESS:

Please email press releases, articles, and guest editorials as a Word document to the Managing Editor, Louella Nahsonhoya, at Nahsonhoya@hopi.nsn.us. Letters to the Editor may be submitted electronically by email, but may also be submitted in-person at the Tutuveni Office or by regular postal mail. If sending by mail, please address your letter to Louella Nahsonhoya, The Tutuveni, P.O. Box 123, Kykotsmovi, AZ 86039.

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HOPI TUTUVENI EDITORIAL BOARD:

Dr. Angela Gonzales
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Curtis Honanie

Photos from Inauguration



Chairman Nuvangyaoma and Vice Chairman give a victory salute and pledge to work for the Hopi people.



At the Inaugural Activities, the National Anthem was sung by Renee Mahkewa.



Family relatives of Chairman Timothy L. Nuvangyaoma



Children and grandchildren of Vice Chairman Clark W. Tenakhongva

**Hop to Drop
Child Abuse Awareness
Easter Event**

**Saturday, March 24, 2018 ~ 11am
Hopi Day School, Kykotsmovi, AZ**

- Youth Easter Egg Hunt
- Food
- Activities/ Games
- Face Painting
- Music
- Prizes

**FREE EVENT
FOR EVERYONE!**

For more information, contact Hopi Behavioral Health Services at (928) 737-6300

**9TH ANNUAL
HOPI ARTS & CULTURAL FESTIVAL
SEPTEMBER 2018
Heritage Square, Downtown Flagstaff**

POSTER CONTEST

The Hopi Tribe Economic Development Corporation would like to invite Hopi artists to submit art for our poster contest for 2018 festival.

The winning poster artist will be selected as our featured artist for 2018 festival.

The winning Artist will receive the following:

- Booth at festival paid in full
- 2 night paid accommodations for festival week-end
- 10 copies of winning poster and 4 printed T-shirts

Poster Contest deadline entry is March 30, 2018 @ 5:00 P.M.
Entry must be an original and 11 x 17 (no larger than 11x17)

A waiver will be required for each entry when entry is received
Entry can be dropped off at the office or mailed to:
**Hopi Tribe Economic Development Corporation
5200 E. Cortland Blvd., Sta. E200-7
FLAGSTAFF, ARIZONA 86004**

Looking forward to another successful festival!

For more information contact Lisa Taleyumtewa at (928) 522-8676, or e-mail lisa.taleyumtewa@htedo.net.
Proceeds from festival to benefit Hopi education
Sponsored By The Hopi Tribe Economic Development Corporation

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Do you have blurred vision and difficulty seeing at night? Do bright bright colors seem dull? If declining vision is limiting your lifestyle then it's time to get checked for cataracts. Let us provide you with the education you need to make the best choice for your eyes.

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HOPI SENOM TRANSIT
PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION AT YOUR SERVICE



HOPI SENOM TRANSIT RIDERSHIP SURVEY 2018





- Complete and Turn in this Survey by
February 16, 2018, for a Drawing for a
Free 10-Ride Transit Pass!**
- NAME:** _____
- PHONE:** _____

Hopi Senom Transit (928) 734-3232

HOPI SENOM TRANSIT SCHEDULE & FARES



TUBA CITY - KYKOTSMOVI			HOPI - WINSLOW			KEAMS CANYON - KYKOTSMOVI			KYKOTSMOVI - FLAGSTAFF		
	AM	PM		AM	PM		AM	PM		AM	PM
LEGACY	6:25	3:25	HOPI PD	6:00	2:00	KEAMS STORE	6:20	3:20	HOPI	8:00	1:00
BASHAS	6:30	3:30	CIRCLE M	6:05	2:05	NPC/HHS		3:25	SAND SPRING	8:35	1:35
TCRHCC		3:35	HHCC	6:10	2:10	HOPI PD	6:28	3:28	TOLANI LAKE	8:38	1:38
HONAHNI	6:35	3:40	SECOND MESA	6:20	2:20	CIRCLE M	6:35	3:35	LEUPP	8:50	1:50
MOENCOPI	6:38	3:44	SIPAULOV	6:22	2:22	PONSI HALL	6:40	3:40	STAR SCHOOL	9:10	2:10
COALMINE	6:55	4:05	SEBA DALKAI	6:45	2:45	POST OFFICE	6:45	3:45	KACHINA	9:40	2:40
DINNEBITO	7:20	4:30	CEDAR SPRINGS	6:50	2:50	TALASHIE'S	6:53	3:53	GREYHOUND	10:00	3:00
HOTEVILLA	7:25	4:35	DILCON	7:00	3:00	HHCC	6:58	3:58		AM	PM
OLD ORAIBI	7:30	4:39	R-87 & N-15	7:10	3:10	SHUPLA'S	7:01	4:01	GREYHOUND	10:20	3:20
KYKOTSMOVI	7:35	4:42	NPC / DES	7:45	3:45	SIPAULOV	7:05	4:05	STAR SCHOOL	10:50	3:50
HOPI	7:40	4:45	WIHCC	7:50	3:50	MISHONGNOVI	7:10	4:10	LEUPP	11:10	4:10
	AM	PM	WALMART	7:55	3:55	NAMINGHA	7:15	4:15	TOLANI LAKE	11:20	4:20
HOPI	8:10	5:10	SAFEWAY	8:00	4:00	HCC	7:25	4:25	SAND SPRING	11:25	4:25
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			HHCC	10:05	6:06	HHCC	8:53	5:53			
			CIRCLE M	10:10	6:25	TALASHIE'S	9:00	6:00			
			HOPI PD	10:30	6:30	POST OFFICE	9:05	6:05			
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HPD	9:20	6:20									
NPC/HHS	9:25	6:25									
KEAMS STORE	9:35	6:35									

FARE- LOCAL ROUTE \$1.00

MY BOOKKEEPING PLACE
TAX SERVICE
Open for the 2018 Tax Season

Located in Kykotsmovi Village on the south side of the road between the Post Office the Hopi Day School.

For the 2018 tax season, the PATH Act passed by Congress in 2016 is still in effect. The law requires taxpayers to show proof of filing status, dependent residence and Native American enrollment status.

Please bring the following when you come to our office:

-Identification Card (State or Tribal document)
-Birth Certificates for yourself and dependents
-Social Security Cards for yourself and dependents
-Tribal Enrollment Cards or Certification of Indian Blood (CIB)
-School Enrollment Verification Letters for dependent(s)
-Immunization Document showing name and address for dependent
-Other: Guardianship, Court Documents, etc.

We encourage you to make an appointment to schedule a convenient day and time.

Office Hours:
Monday thru Friday 9am - 6pm
Saturday, 9am – 1pm
CLOSED ON SUNDAYS

Telephone (928) 734-5049
Cell Number (928) 606-2231

Hopi Credit Association (HCA)
seeks experienced non-profit
Executive Director

HCA is a non-profit lending organization founded in 1952 and is a Certified Native Community Development Financial Institute (CDFI) located on the Hopi Indian Reservation in northern Arizona. HCA provides loans for Hopi members in consumer, business, home construction & home improvement, and financial education services - all intended to promote personal, community and economic growth.
The Executive Director directs the overall operations of the HCA, assuring quality control over all aspects of operations, ensuring financial soundness of the organization, compliance with HCA’s policies and procedures, and professional delivery of products and services in line with its Mission.
To view the full Position Description and download the job application please log on to www.hopi-nsn.gov/hopi-credit-association and forward both application and resume to wayne@hopicredit.us or mail to Hopi Credit Association, P.O. Box 1259, Keams Canyon, AZ 86034.

Hopi Cultural Center
Employment Opportunity

The Hopi Cultural Center has an opening for a full time server. Experience in the restaurant environment is preferred. Must be able to work flexible hours and like working with the public. To apply please pick up an application at the Cultural Center.

Hopi Credit Association (HCA)
Employment Opportunity

POSITION: Accountant
SALARY RANGE: 47
CLOSING DATE:
Open Until Filled

Submit application, resume, including names of three (3) references to Wayne Taylor at wayne@hopicredit.us by February 10, 2017 at 5 pm. The application can be found at www.hopi-nsn.gov/hopi-credit-association.

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For information call:
928-734-3282

Interested in learning hands-on natural Building?



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NATURAL BUILDING INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

WE’RE ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR OUR 2018 BUILD SEMESTER!
The Deadline to Apply is March 2nd, 2018

Semester Schedule:
April 2nd – September 28th, 2018

STUDENT INTERNS WILL:
• Gain Hands-On experience under the guidance of our team of building professionals
• Experience the entire process of building a home from the foundation to finish.
• Learn traditional building techniques such as: Sandstone Masonry, Round Wood Carpentry, Adobe Floors, Earthen Plastering and much more!
• Learn conventional and Natural Building Techniques.
• Become part of an amazing building team!

REQUIREMENTS:
• All Applicants must be 18 years of age or older.
• Must commit to the entire semester.
• Must be able to lift 30 pounds and be physically capable of performing strenuous work for 40 hours/week.
• Must have a reliable transportation.
• Must have a superb work ethic, maintain a great attitude, be willing to work in a team setting in variable weather conditions.

FEES AND COMPENSATION:
This educational opportunity is offered free of cost to participants.
Applicants accepted into the internship will receive a monthly food stipend.

APPLICATION PROCESS: Apply online at: www.hopitutskwa.org

For more information please contact:
Jacobco Marcus – Program Director
Cell: (928) 225-6023/office (928) 734-0309
email: jacobco@hopitutskwapermaculture.com

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

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1. Elementary Teacher
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5. Art Teacher
6. Gifted & Talented Teacher

CLASSIFIED

Bus Driver
Inventory Technician
One-On-One Care Assistant


All positions are required to undergo an intensive background check.
Full-time positions will receive full benefits to include employee paid Medical, Dental Vision & 401 (k). To obtain employment application and position description log on to www.smds.k12.az.us. Questions or inquires please contact:

Janet Lamson, Human Resource Technician
(928) 737-2571 ext. 4212

SY 2017-2018


HOPi JUNIOR/SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL
POB 337, Keams Canyon, AZ 86034
P-(928) 738-5111 | F-(928) 738-5333 | www.hjshs.org

POST DATE: 1/17/2018



Vacancy Announcement

For inquiries or employment applications call LaRae Humeyestewa 928-738-1504 or email: lhumeystewa@hjshs.org



Position	Qualifications	Experience	Classification	TERM
Auto Mechanic Teacher	Bachelors or Master’s degree in Education. State of Arizona Career and Technical Education Certification (6-12)	Related experience	Certified 10 month contract	OUF
Junior High Math Teacher	Bachelors or Master’s degree in Education. State of Arizona Teaching Certification (6-12)	related experience	Certified 10 month contract	OUF
Junior High Social Studies Teacher	Bachelors or Master’s degree in Education. State of Arizona Teaching Certification (6-12).	related experience	Certified 10 month contract	OUF
Bus Driver	High School Diploma/GED Valid AZ Commercial Driver’s License with required endorsements Bus Driver Certification card	related experience	Classified 10 month contract	Continuously
On-call Substitute Teachers \$105.00 a day	High School Diploma/GED AA degree/60 college credits	related experience	On-Call	Continuously
Exceptional Education Teacher	Bachelors or Master’s degree in Education. State of AZ Teaching Certification in Special Education	related experience	Certified 10 month contract	11/27/17 To OUF
High School Educational Aide	High School Diploma/GED AA degree/60 college credits	related experience	Classified 10 month contract	1/11/18 To 1/30/18
Security Officer	High School Diploma/GED	related experience	Classified 10 month contract	1/11/18 To 1/30/18
Junior High Language Arts Teacher	Bachelors or Master’s degree in Education. State of AZ Teaching Certification in Special Education	related experience	Certified 10 month contract	1/11/18 To OUF

Reasons to choose Hopi Jr./Sr. High School

- Opportunity to learn about Hopi and Native American Culture and traditions
- Opportunity to challenge Native American students with College and Career Readiness
- Competitive salary schedule to other Arizona schools
- Excellent Medical, Dental, Vision and Life Insurance benefit package
- Athletic coaching opportunities
- Teacher Housing provided at low rental rate; Walking distance to work
- After 3 years’ school pays student loan forgiveness of \$15,000 (SPED ONLY)

Employment requirements:

- Valid Arizona Driver’s license.
- Suitability for employment must be established with a background investigation.
- Required certifications

INDIAN PREFERENCE IS CONSIDERED

Approved: 1/17/18-Dr. Berbeco, Superintendent

Hopi Veterans Services

“Let Us Assist You”

By: Eugene Talas, Manager
Hopi Veterans Services

We encourage Hopi Veterans, Widows and/or Family members to visit or telephone our office for assistance and/or referrals with any of the following:

- Apply for Veterans Affairs (VA) Compensation and Pension Benefits.
- Enroll for VA Health Benefits.
- Enroll for transportation to VA medical appointments.
- Apply for Widows/Dependents VA benefits.
- Burial Assistance, to include requesting military honors, US Flag presentations headstones.
- Obtain DD Form 214 (discharge document) and/or replacement service medals.
- Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) referral assistance or counseling.
- VA Native American Home Loan information.
- VA Substance Abuse Treatment Facilities.

- Register for Agent Orange or Gulf War Syndrome exposures.

For these services, bring a copy of your DD Form 214, Discharge Document, (or similar document) and copy of your Hopi Tribal Enrollment Form or Card.
Main office located in the H.O.P.I. Cancer Support Services building at Kykotsmovi, AZ.
Office hours are 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (MST), Monday through Friday, excluding Tribal declared holidays.
Contact us at (928) 734-3461/3462 or email us at: ETalas@hopi.nsn.us
For specific information from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs please call 1-800-827-1000 or if you have internet access go to www.va.gov.

“PUTTING HOPI & TEWA
VETERANS FIRST”

Welding training opportunity available to Native American Veterans

Wounded Warriors Family Support has partnered with United Auto Workers and Ford Motor Company, to offer a Veterans Welding Training Program.
This program is specifically for Purple Heart Recipients, however if we do not have enough Purple Heart Recipient submissions, the program is extended to Honorable Discharged Veterans.
*The training is offer at no cost or use of benefits to the Veterans.
Veterans can obtain up to six

certifications through the American Welding Society.

- Shield Metal Arc Welding (SMAW or Stick)
- Gas Metal Arc Welding (GMAW or MIG)
- Gas Tungsten Arc Welding (GTAW or TIG)
- Oxy-acetylene welding, cutting and brazing (stick)
- Plasma cutting
- Brazing and soldering

COURSE DATES:
Course commences 9April 2018 and graduates 18 May 2018.
Course commences 20 May 2018 and graduates 29 June 2018
Course commences 1 Oct 2018 and graduates 9 Nov 2018
LOGISTICS:
1. Location of Training, Technical Training Center, 25500 Outer Drive, Lincoln Park, MI
2. Hours of Operations are 6:30am to 4:30pm
3. Training hrs: 7am-3pm

4. United Auto Workers and Ford Motor Company covers the cost of the Welding Training Program.
5. Breakfast and Lunch Monday through Friday
6. WWFS, covers the following:
A. Transportation from home of residences to Detroit Michigan
B. Dual Loading at the Lincoln Park, MI, Marriott, Hotel.
C. Weekly perdiem check in the amount of \$100.00 dollars for local participants and \$200.00

dollars for out of town/State participants.
D.Upon graduation, transportation from Detroit Michigan to home of residences.

If you have any Purple Heart Recipients or any Veteran with an Honorable Discharge interested on attending the Veterans Welding Training Program, have them go to the below link and submit their online application.

Hopi Tribe
Navajo County, Arizona
**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
FOR A&E SERVICES**

The Hopi Tribe’s Hopi Emergency Medical Services (EMS) is requesting proposals from qualified A&E firms to complete A/E services building design for an Emergency Medical Services Substation.

This project is located in Kykotsmovi, AZ at the Pawiki Site on the Hopi reservation. The site is off State Route 264, along BIA Route 2 at approximately milepost 46.7. The awarded firm will enter into a Standard form of Agreement with the Hopi Tribe to perform the requested services.

The awarded firm will be responsible for the fee proposal which shall include the Hopi Office of Revenue Commission (ORC) required business license fee to conduct business on the Hopi reservation and the applicable 3% TERO fee for construction activities. This Request for Proposal is open to both Indian and Non-Indian firms.

Pre-Proposal Site Meeting:

A **MANDATORY** Pre-Proposal mtg will be conducted on Friday Feb. 09, 2018 at 1 P.M. (MST) at the Wellness Center Conference room at the Hopi Tribal Wellness Center located in Kykotsmovi, AZ. Following the meeting, a **MANDATORY Site Visit** will be held at the proposed Pawiki Site. A letter of interest and to request the proposal documents are to be directed to Olivia Dennis, Hopi EMS Project Manager, by email at Odennis@hopi.nsn.us.

Proposal Due Date:

The RSQ shall be clearly marked: “Westside EMS Substation Project: Planning and Engineering RSQ.” Submit one (1) original and (4) four copies no later than 4 p.m. MST on Tuesday February 23, 2018 to Cheryl Tootsie, Procurement Supervisor, Hopi Tribe – Office of Finance P.O. Box 123 Kykotsmovi, AZ 86039. Allow sufficient time for mail delivery to ensure receipt by due date and time. Late, facsimiles or emailed proposals will **NOT** be considered.

**Hopi Health Care Center
Renovation project
RFQ 018-2017**

The Hopi Tribe located in Kykotsmovi, Arizona is requesting Qualifications from firms to provide Architectural -Engineering design services inclusive of project designs, construction plans, specifications, commissioning and construction phase services for proposed renovation and expansion to the existing Hopi Health Care Center facility, located in Polacca, AZ.

The health care programs and services affected by this project are the Outpatient clinic, the level-V Emergency Department, Pharmacy, Laboratory, and Administrative programs. The preliminary gross size of the renovation is 1,212 Department Gross Square Meters (DGSM) of existing space and 1,012 DGSM of new construction. The total building gross square meters is 2,989, including building circulation and major mechanical space.

A digital packet of the Request for Qualifications may be obtained at the Hopi Tribe, Office of Financial Management upon receipt of a nonrefundable \$50 fee. All complete qualification proposals must be received at The Hopi Tribe PO Box 123 Kykotsmovi, AZ 86039, attention Cheryl Tootsie, Contracting Officer, 928-734-3000, x3351, CTootsie@Hopi.nsn.us, no later than 3:00 PM MST, on Tuesday February 20, 2018. The Hopi Tribe reserves the right to reject any or all Request for Qualifications received.

**IN THE HOPI CHILDREN’S COURT,
HOPI JURISDICTION
KEAMS CANYON, ARIZONA**

In the matter of the guardianship of: Chaca, K. R. DOB: 01/29/2000, Navasie, D. J. DOB: 04/16/2005, Navasie, K. DOB: 11/03/2006, Nez, A. L. DOB: 05/13/2009; Nez, Jr., J. L. DOB: 01/15/2011; Nez, T. W. DOB: 04/21/2012 Minor Children, The Hopi Tribe, and Hopi Tribe Social Services Program, Petitioners, AND CONCERNING: Karen Mansfield and Jeremy Nez, Sr., Parents/Respondents.

Case No. 2016-CC-0001 - NOTICE BY PUBLICATION OF FILING OF THE PETITION FOR PERMANENT GUARDIANSHIP AND NOTICE OF HEARING.

**THE HOPI TRIBE TO:
JEREMY LINDBERG NEZ, SR., biological parent of the minor children, A. L. NEZ, and T. W. NEZ:**

THE ABOVE-NAMED PETITIONERS have filed a Petition for Permanent Guardianship as to the A. L. Nez and T.W. Nez the above-named minor children, respectively, in the Hopi Children’s Court, bearing case No. 2016-CC-0001.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that said Petition for Permanent Guardianship is set for an Initial Appearance Guardianship/Status Review Hearing on the **25th day of January 2018, at 08:30 A.M.** in the Hopi Children’s Courtroom II, Keams Canyon, Arizona 86034, for the purpose of determining whether Mr. Jeremy Nez, Sr., Parent/Respondent named above, will contest or is contesting the allegations contained in the Petition. If the Petition is being contested, Respondent shall file a response to the Petition with the Hopi Children’s Court within **twenty (20)** calendar days from date of publication. Your response must be filed with the Clerk of the Hopi Children’s Court, at the address provided herein, and a copy of your response provided or mailed to the Office of the Prosecutor/Presenting Officer at the address provided immediately below.

A **COPY** of the Petition for Permanent Guardianship may be obtained by submitting a written request to: The Office of the Hopi Prosecutor, P.O. Box 306, Keams Canyon, Arizona 86034; telephone number (928) 738-2245 or 738-2246; fax number (928) 738-2203.

FAILURE TO APPEAR at the Initial Appearance Guardianship/Status Reviewing Hearing, or to otherwise notify the Court in writing of good cause for inability to appear prior to the date of the hearing, will result in default judgment being entered against Parent/Respondent. This means that the parent’s rights to legal and physical custody of the children may be vested with the Hopi Tribe Social Services Program.

Respectfully Submitted this 20th day of December, 2017.

HOPI CHILDREN’S COURT
/s/ Imalene Polingyumptewa, Court Clerk
P.O. Box 156 Keams Canyon, Arizona 86034
Telephone: (928) 738-5171

**“PUTTING HOPI & TEWA
VETERANS FIRST”**

**IN THE HOPI CHILDREN’S COURT,
HOPI JURISDICTION
KEAMS CANYON, ARIZONA**

In the matter of: Castillo, L. DOB: 10/26/2016, Minor Child, AND CONCERNING: Phylinda Selina and Patrick Castillo, Jr., Parents.

Case No. 2017-CC-0034 - NOTICE BY PUBLICATION OF FILING OF MINOR-IN-NEED-OF-CARE PETITION.

THE HOPI TRIBE TO PATRICK CASTILLO, JR., parent of the minor child named above; AND TO ANY INTERESTED PERSONS (family or relatives of minor):

THE HOPI TRIBE, pursuant to Hopi Children’s Code, Chapter III, § C. 1.b., has filed a Minor-In-Need-of-Care Petition as to L. Castillo, a Minor Child, in the Hopi Children’s Court bearing Case No. 2017-CC-0034.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to PATRICK CASTILLO, JR., biological parent of the minor child named above and/or any interested persons (family or relatives of minor) who may be contesting the allegations in the Minor-In-Need-of-Care Petition shall file a response to the Petition with the Hopi Children’s Court within **twenty (20)** calendar days from date of publication. Your response must be filed with the Clerk of the Hopi Children’s Court, Post Office Box 156, Keams Canyon, Arizona 86034; and a copy of your response provided or mailed to the Office of the Prosecutor/Presenting Officer at the address provided.

A **COPY** of the Minor-In-Need-of-Care Petition may be obtained by submitting a written request to: The Office of the Hopi Prosecutor, P.O. Box 306, Keams Canyon, Arizona 86034.

FAILURE to respond will result in the Court rendering judgment for what the Petition demands and that you have waived your rights and have admitted the allegations in the Petition. This means that your right to legal and physical custody of the minor child may be vested with the Hopi Child Protection Services/ Hopi Tribe Social Services Program.

Respectfully Submitted this 16th day of January, 2018.
HOPI CHILDREN’S COURT
/s/ Imalene Polingyumptewa, Court Clerk
P.O. Box 156 Keams Canyon, Arizona 86034
Telephone: (928) 738-5171

**IN THE HOPI
TRIAL COURT
KEAMS CANYON, ARIZONA**

In the Matter of the Change of Name Of: **Farron Naka’waywisa**. Hopi Tribal Census Number: 1610-286

CASE NO. 2017-CV-0080

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF CHANGE OF NAME

Notice is hereby given that **Farron Naka’waywisa** has petitioned the Court for the change of name from: **FARRON NAKA’WAYWISA TO FARRON NAKYA’WYWISA**.

Any party seeking to intervene in said proceeding, must file an appropriate pleading with the Hopi Trial Court no later than twenty (20) days after the publication of this notice. Dated this 27th day of June, 2017.

/s/ Imalene Polingyumptewa, Deputy Court Clerk

**APOLOGY LETTER
(Court Mandated)**

January 18, 2018

To the Hopi People,

I am writing this letter of apology/forgiveness for my actions I have committed 15 to 25 years ago.

I have made my amends and rehabilitated my life for the better future.

Thank you. Sincerely,
Wilbur Seweingyawma Jr.

**Environmental expo-
sures services**

VA has resources for Veterans who may have been exposed to certain environmental hazards during their military service. These include:

- Agent Orange
- Airborne Hazards and Open Burn Pits
- Depleted Uranium
- Gulf War-related exposures
- Ionizing Radiation
- Toxic Embedded Fragments

To obtain more information about each of these hazards and/or to schedule an appointment, you can call Phillip Cyr, Environmental Coordinator, Prescott VA Medical Center, at (928) 445-4860, extension 6436.

Or you can contact Hopi Veterans Services at (928) 734-3461 or 3462 for assistance on these programs and services. Our office is located in the H.O.P.I. Cancer Support Services

Secretary Zinke approves the Shawnee Tribe’s Fee-to-Trust application for a Gaming Facility

Project will bring in \$30M in annual revenue and create 200 permanent jobs

US Department of the Interior
NEWS RELEASE

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla. — At a signing ceremony today, U.S. Secretary of the Interior Ryan Zinke approved the Shawnee Tribe’s application to put 102.98 acres of land in Guymon, Texas County, Oklahoma, into federal Indian trust status for gaming. The Shawnee Tribe proposes to develop a 42,309-square foot gaming facility on the site comprised of a 20,206-square foot gaming floor, a restaurant, retail space, and office spaces for the Shawnee Tribe Gaming Commission. When completed, the project is expected to generate a \$30 million annual impact for the local economy, including creating 200 permanent jobs. The federally recognized tribe, landless for well over 160 years, is headquartered in Miami, Okla., and has approximately 2,500 members.

“One of my top priorities for the Department of the Interior is to make tribal sovereignty meaningful, and that includes providing the basis for tribes to build and strengthen their economies,” **Secretary Zinke said.** “This gaming facility will create 200 jobs and bring in \$30 million annually to the Tribe.”

“I want to thank Secretary Zinke for approving the Shawnee Tribe’s application to put land into trust, which will provide the Shawnee people with their first land base in well over a century,” **said Shawnee Tribe Chief Ron Sparkman.** “We’ve worked hard to set ourselves on the path to a better future, and this project will help us achieve our goals of tribal self-sufficiency through economic progress.”

“It is fitting we follow the acknowledgement by Congress to offer the Shawnee Tribe the ability to self-determination and self-governance by allowing economic development opportunities,” **said Governor Mary Fallin.** “I concur with the secretary of the interior’s determination that the Shawnee Tribe’s proposal will provide economic development to the Guymon and surrounding area. This will also benefit the Shawnee Tribe in helping it develop a funding source as it works toward self-determination and self-governance.”

“Federally recognized tribes should be able thrive and serve as steadfast contributors to our economy, and I am confident that the Shawnee Tribe will do so with their proposal,” **said Congressman Tom Cole.** “I’d like to thank Secretary Zinke for leading this effort, and for being at the forefront of recognizing self-governance and sovereignty among Native American tribes. Indian Country has been successful in exercising its sovereignty through its enterprises and this proposal is a clear example of that right.”

“I congratulate Chief Sparkman, the Shawnee tribal council, and tribal members for achieving this important goal,”

said John Tahsuda, Interior’s principal deputy assistant secretary for Indian Affairs. “Their efforts to create greater economic prosperity for themselves and their future generations, combined with the approval of their fee-to-trust application, underscore the Secretary’s determination that tribal sovereignty must mean something.”

The Tribe’s application was considered under the Secretary’s authority to acquire the land in trust for it under the Shawnee Status Act of 2000 through the Indian Reorganization Act of 1934.

The application met the Department’s requirements for placing land into trust for gaming, despite the proposed site’s location being approximately 370 miles west of the Tribe’s headquarters in Ottawa County, and the Department received comments in support of the proposed project.


Oklahoma Governor Mary Fallin, concurring with the Department’s positive two-part determination on the application, called for the expedient acquisition of the site into trust. Local officials supporting the application include a Texas County commissioner and the mayor of Guymon.

It was also supported by several Oklahoma tribes including the Cherokee Nation, the Eastern Shawnee Tribe, the Miami Tribe, the Modoc Tribe, the Ottawa Tribe of Oklahoma, the Peoria Tribe of Indians, the Quapaw Tribe, the Seneca-Cayuga Nation, and the Wyandotte Nation.


Until the Secretary’s approval of its land-into-trust for gaming application, the Shawnee Tribe had been landless since the mid-19th century, when the 1854 Treaty of Washington terminated the Tribe’s 1.6 million-acre reservation in Kansas, which had been created under earlier treaties, allotted approximately 200,000 acres to individual Indians, and opened the majority of the remaining lands to non-Indian settlement. In 1869, the United States relocated the Shawnee tribal members in Kansas, known as the Loyal Shawnee because of their service to the Union during the Civil War, to present-day Oklahoma, but did not provide the tribe with its own land base.

In 2000, Congress passed the Shawnee Status Act which reaffirmed the Tribe’s federal recognition status. That act also confirmed the Tribe’s eligibility to have land acquired in trust, but prohibits it from acquiring trust land within the jurisdiction of the Cherokee Nation or any other tribe without its consent. The Cherokee Nation’s constitution prohibits it from consenting to any action that would diminish its jurisdiction.

Because of the act’s limitations, the only place the Shawnee Tribe can effectively acquire trust land is in the Oklahoma Panhandle. ###



Youth Internship Opportunities
WITH Hopi Cultural Preservation Office



The Hopi Cultural Preservation Office is pleased to announce internship opportunities for Hopi and Tewa youth ages 18 to 26 (must be a high school graduate). The HCPO is embarking on a 3 year project that will involve fieldwork, archival research, interaction with elders, and skill building in the natural and cultural resources. Possible tasks may include the following:

- Attend planning meetings and conference calls to become oriented with project goals.
- Help develop questions for oral interviews and place-based field interviews.
- Participate in oral history interviews and fieldwork.
- Help create a bibliography of relevant sources available at HCPO archives.
- Use Hopi Dictionary to contribute to a list in Hopi of plants, minerals, animals, and other resources that may be identified during the project.
- Help develop a table of archaeological sites in the project area, with site descriptions.
- Assist with additional project-related tasks as determined by the Internship Coordinator or HCPO Staff.

Internship applications can be submitted year round. A letter of interest is all that is required to apply followed by an interview. Please include a one page letter providing your name, contact information, age and reasons for interest in this program and how working with the Hopi Cultural Preservation Office will benefit you. ***

For more information about this project or to apply, please contact Stewart Koyiyumptewa at skoyiyumptewa@hopi.nsn.us, 928-734-3615 or Joel Nicholas at jnicholas@hopi.nsn.us or 928-734-3618.

"Heartfelt Love for Our Heroes"

Valentine's Day

2018 Military Care Package Drive


The Lori Piestewa Post #80 Royalty is sponsoring a military care package drive for our Hopi men and women serving on Active Duty in the U.S. Armed Forces. As a morale booster and to bring a little “home” to the service members, the Royalty are collecting items for care packages to be mailed before Valentine’s Day on February 14, 2018. They seek donations of the recommended list of items:

- Homa (corn meal) or bear root.
- Pinons, parched corn, crushed red chili.
- Personalized Valentines Day cards, especially from children.
- DVDs, CDs, to include Hopi Music.
- Cookies, chips, pretzels, nuts, candy, gum, energy bars.
- Packets of Hopi tea, coffee, cocoa, tea bags, Kool-Aid.
- Toothbrush & paste, dental floss, cotton swabs, disposal razors.
- Pocket size lip balm, hand sanitizers and packaged baby wipes.
- Gloves, stocking caps, socks.
- Books, magazines, newspapers, crossword puzzles.
- Notepaper, envelopes, pens, pencils, stamps, AA batteries.
- Card games, small board games, Frisbees.
- No liquids please.

We encourage the Hopi People, local schools and Tribal programs or entities to join in the care package drive by donating today.

We wish all our Military Service Members a Happy Valentine’s Day with “Heartfelt Love for our Heroes”, as we send our prayers for their safe return home to their families.

Bring your donated items to Hopi Veterans Services no later than February 1, 2018. For questions or details please call (928) 734-3461 or 3462.



National Institutes of Health/National Institute of Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Diseases (NIH/NIDDK) Short-Term Research Experience for Underrepresented Persons (STEP-UP)

The STEP-UP Program provides hands-on summer research experience for high students interested in exploring research careers.

Program Highlights

- 8 to 10 weeks of full-time research experience
- Students receive a summer research stipend
- Students are paired with experienced research mentors
- Students are encouraged to choose a research institution and/or mentor at their hometown or within commuting distance of their residence. Students are not required to relocate in order to conduct their summer research.
- Students receive training in the responsible conduct of research
- All-paid travel expenses to the Annual STEP-UP Research Symposium in Bethesda, MD.
- Students will present a formal oral and poster presentation depending on your grade level.

The STEP-UP program is a federally funded program managed and supported by the Office of Minority Health Research Coordination (OMHRC) in the National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney (NIDDK) at the National Institutes of Health (NIH). The overall goal of STEP-UP is to build and sustain a biomedical, behavioral, clinical and social science research

pipeline focused on NIDDK’s core mission areas of diabetes, endocrinology and metabolic diseases; digestive diseases and nutrition; kidney, urologic and hematologic diseases.

Eligibility Requirements

- U.S. Citizen, non-citizen national, or permanent legal resident of U.S.- affiliated territory
- High school **junior** or **senior** (at the time of application, this year)
- Must meet one or more of the following criteria:
 - Part of an underrepresented racial or ethnic group (**American Indian/ Alaska Native**).
 - Disadvantage as defined by annual family income
 - **First generation** in family to attend college
 - Diagnosed with a disability limiting one or more major life activities

Principal Investigator: Dr. Carolee Dodge-Francis
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American Indian Research & Education Center (AIREC)
Apply here at: <http://stepup.niddk.nih.gov/Register.aspx>
Apply October 15, 2017 through February 15, 2018