

FMES Indians Win! Hopi Elementary Athletic League Varsity Boys Cross Country Championship October 12, 2023



Pictured above are the First Mesa Elementary School Varsity Boys Cross Country Team Champions of the HEAL Cross Country Finals. Photo courtesy of Chelsea Sahmea-Howato

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SHARING HOPI COVID-19 STORIES

An oral history project that provides context, discussions, and perspective to how Covid-19 has affected our Hopi communities...*learn more on pg. 2*

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Hopivewat Learning Center



Kykotsmovi, Ariz. - October 4, 2023 Hopivewat Learning Center (HLC) is excited to announce we have received a grant from Arizona Humanities to aid in presenting HLC's Hopi COVID Oral History Project to the Hopi community. HLC will host 3 screenings of "Hopi COVID Stories". A mini documentary series made with Hopi community members discussing experiences of adaptation, resilience, and anguish. Led by the Hopivewat staff, the screenings will engage the community in a discussion about the importance of documenting our own experiences and histories.

HLC received \$5,000 in funds to support this community-based project that provides context, discussions, and perspective to issues. Through funding from AZ Humanities, HLC aims to make these films extensively available to Hopi members and to use them to launch important discussions about historical representation and

resilience. Through the humanities we explore human experience, the stories and ideas that help us reflect upon who we are as individuals and as members of a society.

"Hopi is an oral history speaking culture and these histories will echo through generations to provide guidance and encourage them carry on in hard times just as our ancestors did through sickness" Colleen Lucero, Hopivewat Managing Director.

The interviews will be shared locally within the Hopi Communities in October 2023 made possible with support from the Arizona Humanities. For more information you can email staff at Hopivewat@gmail.com and visit our website at Hopivewat.org. Askwali! Kwak kwai!

Hopivewat Learning Center is a home for preserving, sharing, learning, and teaching "navoti" and language "lavayi", perpetuating the survival of Hopivewat (Hopi cultural ways) for all.

The Hopi Wildlife & Ecosystems Management Program



**WOOD HARVEST
HART RANCH
ENROLLED HOPI TRIBAL MEMBERS ONLY**

**Saturday & Sunday
November 18th & 19th, 2023
December 9th & 10th, 2023**

**Last vehicle Checked-In at 2:00 P.M.
NO EXCEPTIONS!!!**

DIRECTIONS:

From Flagstaff:

From Flagstaff the Hart Ranch is approximately 20 miles east on I-40. Exit at the Twin Arrows Exit (Exit 219).

From Winslow:

From Winslow the Hart Ranch is approximately 40 miles west on I-40. Exit at the Twin Arrows Exit (Exit 219).

Harvesting sites are located approximately 5.5 miles south of exit. WEMP staff will be stationed at the Main Entrance to check you in and direct you to the different sites.

ITEMS TO BRING:

Your Tribal Enrollment Card and/or ID.
A spare tire, tools, chain saw, lunch and plenty of water.

**** NOTE ****

A Special Hopi Tribal Wood Hauling Permit will be issued to you at the main entrance before you leave the Hart Ranch.

For more information, you may contact the Hopi Wildlife & Ecosystems Management Program at (928) 734-3673



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OCTOBER is NATIONAL FIRE PREVENTION MONTH

Submitted by: Kevin Dennis, Structural Firefighter - Department of Public Safety

Kykotsmovi, Ariz. – October 1, 2023 October is National Fire Prevention Month and that means it's time for us all to take the precautionary steps to prevent dangerous and life-threatening fires.

This is a time to focus on the safety measures we can take to prevent fires from occurring in our homes and communities. It's a time to educate ourselves on the potential hazards of fire and to take the necessary steps to help ensure that our homes and communities are safe from the devastating effects of fire.

Today's fires grow quickly and produce extreme heat and deadly smoke that limits the time occupants have to escape a residential house fire to two minutes before they are overcome by the toxic smoke, lack of oxygen, and unable to escape; the best option for escaping a residential fire is to have a home fire escape plan where every family member is prepared to react quickly and calmly in a real fire situation by establishing two routes out of every room to exit the home within two minutes or less; and the best home fire survival tip is to close all doors between you and the toxic smoke and fire to add minutes to your escape plan.

Having working smoke alarms in every bedroom and outside sleeping areas on each level of your home, working carbon monoxide detectors on each level, and closing bedroom doors when sleeping can cut a family's risk of dying in a home fire in half.

Everyone is encouraged to protect their homes and families by practicing simple fire prevention measures daily. These measures encompass attentive cooking, safe use of home heating equipment, and appropriate placement of flammable materials.

October is Fire Prevention Month. As the weather turns colder we start using heaters, fireplaces and candles more. Fires can spread very quickly through a home, leaving occupants with roughly two minutes to escape safely, once the smoke detector alarms sound.

Why is Fire Prevention Month in October?

The National Fire Protection Association founded National Fire Prevention Week in 1922. The observance takes place the week of October 9th, commemorating the date of the Great Chicago Fire in 1871. The fire spread through homes killing over 300 citizens and leaving thousands of people homeless.

As we observe Fire Prevention Month, we are reminded of the hazards and dangers of fire and are encouraged to promote safety consciousness as a positive preventive approach. Knowledge of fire prevention and safety precautions will keep us safe; vigilance and caution are paramount.

To reduce ignition hazards. – To ensure safe emergency evacuation of occupants. – To allow for quick emergency response. Work areas, aisles, walkways, stairways, and equipment should be kept clear of loose materials, trash, scraps, etc. "Fire deaths can be prevented by implementing and practicing an escape plan in the home increases the chance of survival. Every year, we see tragic losses of life that don't have to happen, and that can be avoided by following a few basic safety rules."

- **NEVER leave cooking unattended**
- **Make sure all smoke detectors are properly working. Have a fire extinguisher readily available.**
- **Clean chimney's before starting stoves**
- **Keep matches and all flammables out of reach from children**
- **Have an escape plan for your home**

HOPI TRIBAL COUNCIL

4th Quarter Session

September, 2023

MONTH OF OCTOBER 2023 AGENDA

- I. CALL TO ORDER**
- II. CERTIFICATIONS OF COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES AND APPOINTED OFFICIALS**
- III. ROLL CALL**
- IV. INVOCATION / PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- V. ANNOUNCEMENTS / RECOGNITION OF DIGNITARIES OR GUESTS**
- VI. CORRESPONDENCE**
- VII. CALENDAR PLANNING**
- VIII. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
- IX. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**
- X. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

1. Discussion and possible action - Letter dated by September 19, 2022 RE: Survey conducted by Hopi Elections Office from Dale Siquah, Tribal Council Representative, First Mesa Consolidated Villages – Tabled

2. Action Item #090-2022 – Intergovernmental Agreement between State of Arizona and the Hopi Tribe – Author/Donovan Gomez, Transit Administrator, Hopi Senom Transit – Tabled

3. Letter dated May 23, 2023 from Edison Tu'tsi, Chairman, Hopi Tribe Economic Development Corporation, Re: Auditor requires the Tribal Treasurer sign and return the Debt Confirmation Letter - Rosa Honani, Council Representative, Village of Sipaulovi

XI. NEW BUSINESS

1. Action Item #070-2023 – Authorize transfer of an estimated \$5.7 million of expenditures, from the Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) to the American Rescue Plan State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund (FRF) – Jim Davis, Director, Office of Financial Management

2. Action Item #087-2023 – To approve the Moenkopi Development Corporation (MDC) forbearance on its Hopi Loan payments as a temporary measure until MDC pays off the PNC Loan and secures the Tuuvi Travel Center Property – Author/William Charley, Council Representative, Upper Village of Moenkopi (Author changed per UVM's Request) *Time certain – Thursday, October 5, 2023, 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

3. Action Item #092-2023 – to have Hopi Tribal Council approve the continued use of the Insurance Revolving Account to pay the Commercial Insurance services for the Hopi Tribe – Nada Talayumptewa, Treasurer, Hopi Tribe

4. Action Item #093-2023 – To renew a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between the Hopi Tribe (Tribe) and Northern Arizona University (Library) – Stewart B. Koiumptewa, Program Manager, Cultural Preservation Office *Time certain – Tuesday, October 3, 2023, 10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

5. Action Item #094-2023 – To approve a Hopi Tribal Council Resolution in support of the newly established Baaj Nwaavjo I'tah Kukveni Grand Canyon National Monument – Stewart B. Koiumptewa, Program Manager, Cultural Preservation Office *Time certain – Tuesday, October 3, 2023, 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

6. Action Item #095-2023 – Hopi Department of Transportation – Requesting to extend Resolution H-073-2023 on Revocable Permit – Michael Lomayaktewa,

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Director, Hopi Department of Transportation

7. Action Item #096-2023 – Update Enrollment Revolving Account as required by H-072-2023 – Lamar Ke-evama, Director, Enrollment Office

8. Action Item #097-2023 – Rec-ommend approval of Enrollment applications – Lamar Keevama, Director, Enrollment Office

9. Action Item #098-2023 – To pro-tect the Chaco Canyon “Yufquyvi” as a historic and sacred landscape by supporting Public Land Order No. 7923; the creation of a ten-mile buffer restricting new oil and gas production for a period of twenty years. – Timothy L. Nuvangyaoma, Chairman, Hopi Tribe *Time certain – Monday, October 2, 2023 at 1:00 p.m.

10. Action Item #099-2023 – Yuwehloo Pahki Community is requesting of Hopi Tribal Council to approve home land assignments for individuals.

11. Action Item #100-2023 – Yuwehloo Pahki Community is requesting of Hopi Tribal Council to approve a special land use as-signment for the community.

12. Presentation on the Tribal Monitor Program – on behalf of WestLand and the Hopi Tribe, Office of Cultural Preservation – Leroy Shingoitewa and Avi Buckles, Westland Resources, Inc., Engineering and Environ-mental Consultants *Time certain – Wednesday, October 4, 2023, 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

13. Letter dated August 21, 2023 from Representative Dale Sin-quah – request the subject “Bu-reau of Indian Affairs Sanctions”

be placed on the September 2023 agenda for discussion and pos-sible action – Wallace Youvella, Jr., Council Representative, First Mesa Consolidated Village *Time certain, Wednesday, October 4, 2023, 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

14. Letter dated September 13, 2023 from Clyde Quotswisiwma – in reference to the vacant posi-tion of the Hopi Tribal Registrar and three board member position of the Hopi Election Board for discussion and possible action – Raymond Namoki, Council Rep-resentative, Village of Sipaulovi

15. Letter from Alfred Lo-maquahu – Letter of Interest for the position of the Hopi Tribal Elections Registrar for discussion and possible action – Raymond Namoki, Council Representative, Village of Sipaulovi

XII. REPORTS

1. Office of the Chairman
2. Office of the Vice Chairman
3. Office of Tribal Secretary – Report on Administrative Oversight of Program Depts.

4. Office of the Treasurer – Introduc-tion of Mr. Gerald Cusick, Risk Admin-istrator

5. Office of the General Counsel – Na-vajo Nation v. DOI Update

*Time certain, Tuesday, October 3, 2023 at 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

6. Land Commission
7. Water/Energy Committee
8. Transportation Committee
9. Law & Order Committee
10. Investment Committee
11. Health/Education Committee
12. Pandemic Recovery Committee –

Written Programmatic Report

XIII. ADJOURNMENT

*Hopi Tribal Council may go into Executive Session on any agenda item

**Time Certain Requests

PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT

Hopi Tribal Enrollment Closure for Staff Training

Submitted by: Hopi Tribal Enrollment Staff

Kykotsmovi, Ariz. - September 28, 2023 This announce-ment shall serve as notification that the **Hopi Enrollment Office will be CLOSED October 23rd through October 27th** for Staff Development Training. No services will be provided during this time. Regular office hours and services will re-sume Monday, October 30th. Questions may be directed to the Enrollment Office at: (928) 734-3152.

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PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT

SAVE THE DATE

**FOR HOPI VILLAGES & COMMUNITY MEMBERS
PRESENTATION ON**

**FY 2024 GENERAL FUND BUDGET RECOMMENDATION
BY HOPI TRIBAL BUDGET OVERSIGHT TEAM**

The Hopi Tribe’s Budget Oversight Team (BOT) will be hosting a presentation for the Hopi & Tewa People on the recommended Fiscal Year 2024 General Fund proposed budget. This is an open forum for the People to provide input and recommendations during the presentation sessions at the locations, dates and times listed below:

Moenkopi Villages (Upper and Lower):

Upper Moenkopi Community Center—October 16, 2023, 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm.

Third Mesa Villages (Bacavi, Hotevilla, Kykotsmovi and Orayvi)

Bacavi Community Center—October 18, 2023, 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm.

Second Mesa Villages (Sipaulovi, Mishungnovi and Shungopavi)

Sipaulovi Elderly/Youth Center—October 19, 2023, 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm.

First Mesa Consolidated Villages (Walpi, Sichomovi, Tewa, & Yuwehloo Pahki)

Tewa Village Community Center, October 24, 2023, 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm.

While the Hopi Tribe still observes COVID protocols, face masks are optional to wear. For more details on session, please call (928) 734-3461. Thank you.

Hopi Tribe Department of Health and Human Services Covid-19 Emergency Response

Submitted by: Joyce Hamilton, Director - DHHS

Kykotsmovi, Ariz. - October 13, 2023 The days of long warm summer nights are long gone; as we move into the Fall and Winter seasons the immediate self-care we can give ourselves and our loved ones the message of taking necessary precautions against infectious diseases such as the flu, common cold and COVID. COVID viruses continue to be transmitted via close contact with someone with the virus. Data from the Hopi Health Care Center indicate a substantial decline in COVID-19 positive cases; what is not reflected in the Hopi Health Care Center weekly surveillance report are home COVID-19 test kits results. The COVID-19 home test kits have revealed positive cases which are then referred to the HHCC Public Health Nursing Department to provide care and guidance for the individual and their family. Recommendations to prepare for protection against the flu, common cold and COVID-19:

1. Everyone 6 months and older, regardless of current vaccination status, should get an updated COVID-19 vaccine.
2. People with cold like symptoms should still masks and get tested for COVID-19.
3. Those with confirmed or suspected COVID-19 should continue to follow current guidelines for isolation including staying home and wearing a mask around others for at least 5 days after their symptoms started or after a positive test if no symptoms.
4. Those exposed to COVID-19 should continue to follow recommendations including wearing a mask around others, monitoring for symptoms, and getting tested at least 5 days after last exposure.
5. People may choose to wear a mast at any time based on personal preference, but may be required in other places by local authorities (i.e., individual villages, businesses, and schools.)
6. Those that are concerned they may be at risk for serve disease, should talk to their health care provider about additional prevention actions.

Frequently asked questions:

How do I know if I have all my vaccinations up to date?

Your question on vaccinations would be best answered at the medical facility where you receive services. For example; you medical receive services at Hopi Health Care Center; the Public Health Nursing office can answer your vaccination questions such as last Flu vaccination and COVID-19 vaccination.

Where can I get vaccinated for the Flu or COVID-19?

The Hopi Health Care Center allows members to walk-in for vaccinations during operating hours. Operating hours for a walk-in vaccination is 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday; Wednesday from 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Where can I get a COVID-19 home test kit?

You can contact the Hopi Community Health Representative (CHR) program for a COVID-19 home test kit. A CHR will follow-up with you two business days to follow-up on test results. All COVID-19 positive tests are referred to the Public Health Nursing department for medical advice and guidance.

Are there FREE masks available on Hopi Reservation?

Yes, the Hopi CHR program has face masks for the community and is available Monday – Friday during normal business hours from 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

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Is the Hopi Tribe Executive Order lifted?

Hopi Tribe Executive Order No. 001-2023 remains in place. The Executive Order lifted the Face Mask Mandate; wearing of face masks is optional except in the case of a COVID-19 positive, the recommendation is wearing a face mask until symptoms clear.

How does the Executive Order impact me?

- Vulnerable Individuals can resume public interactions, but should practice social distancing wearing face masks, and minimizing exposure to social settings where distancing may not be practical, unless precautionary measures are observed.
- Employees can resume UNRESTRICTED STAFFING of worksites, Businesses must be able to demonstrate engineered workplace settings that build in social distancing and protections for staff.
- Specific Type of Employee – VISITS TO SENIOR CARE FACILITIES AND HOSPITALS can resume. Those who interact with residents and patients must be diligent regarding hygiene. LARGE GATHERINGS (e.g., eating out, sporting, ceremonies) may operate under limited social distancing protocols and sanitation protocols.
- WELLNESS CENTER GYM can remain open if they follow standard sanitation protocols and make SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS (i.e. hours or programs specifically for high risk individuals)

The Hopi CHR program can be reached at (928)737-6342 and the Hopi Health Care Center Public Health Nursing department can be reached at (928)737-6257 for questions on vaccination clinic dates and times.

We offer available space for obituaries, and they are always free.
If you plan on publishing an obituary call or email today
Call: 928-734-3281 or email: rl@hopi.nsn.us

Hopi Heals in September National “Recovery Month”

By: Bernadean Kachinhongva, HSAPC Mentor

Kykotsmovi, Ariz. - September 29, 2023 The month of September is National “Recovery Month.” The HOPI Substance Abuse Prevention Center (HSAPC) looks forward to this month each year. It’s a time to celebrate an individual and the community’s personal growth in recovery. The month-long recognition is designed to educate people on issues surrounding mental health, substance use disorders, chronic illnesses and other ailments. It’s also meant to provide support to family members, friends; who support and love those in recovery from substance abuse and/or behavioral addiction disorders.

National “Recovery Month” started in 1989 under the name “Treatment Works!” It was intended as a way to honor the work of addiction professionals, therapists, physicians, nurses, mental health professionals, drug/recovery counselors, rehabilitation staff, etc., who work in those areas. It is observed in the United States promoting and supporting new, evidence-based recovery and treatment modalities and HSAPC encourages those in need to start and continue recovery. Everyone’s journey is different, and we are all in this together.

The HOPI Substance Abuse Prevention Center celebrated recovery month by hosting several events throughout September 2023. We started with A Fall Planting event on Friday September 1, 2023. Next up was an annual Highway Clean-Up event on Friday September 8, 2023. Thereafter, we joined a collaborative Hopi National Recovery & Suicide Prevention Month Celebration (a fun run/walk in the evening) event with Hopi Behavioral Health Services on Tuesday September 26, 2023 at the Peace Academic Center (old Mission School) in Kykotsmovi, Ariz. The finale event “Hand-drum Recovery Celebration” event was held on Friday September 29, 2023 at the KUYI parking lot area in Second Mesa, Ariz. HSAPC also will also held a fundraising food sale during the event. All HSAPC events welcomed volunteers, and are drug/substance free. As a grant recipient of the Arizona’s Governor’s Office of Youth, Faith, and Family’s - Trauma Informed Substance Abuse Prevention Program (funds provided through SAM-HSA), the HSAPC staff receive trauma informed care training and utilize strategies in our services. HSAPC mentors help individuals work through their physical, mental, emotional and spiritual healing journey. “We believe in honoring ourselves by living an honest, sober, balanced life.” Healing begins with you!

HSAPC mentors provide one to one mentoring services for youth and adults, group classes, community presentations, supportive programs for local schools, and cognitive restructuring for a positive recovery journey. As a non-profit organization HSAPC services are free of charge. We encourage all who are in their recovery journey to take it one day at a time; sometimes it’s one moment at a time. If you feel comfortable reaching out to HSAPC mentors, call 928-734-0300.

You can also call Hopi Behavioral Health Services at 928-737-6300 to schedule an appointment, or call your local Behavioral Health facility.

Roll UP
your sleeve
to help

THE HOPI TRIBE

To bring
DOWN
our numbers

Making sure that you and your family are protected with the most recent bivalent vaccine can help us reduce the number of cases of COVID-19



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PRESS RELEASE

Contact: Sergeant Glenn Singer
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Email: GSinger@hopi.nsn.us

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Hopi Law Enforcement Services Officer Involved Shooting

Polacca, AZ – (September 30, 2023) On September 30, 2023, around 12:40 AM, Hopi Law Enforcement Officers were dispatched to a noise disturbance incident in the First Mesa Villages. While conducting the investigation, both the suspect and officer discharged their firearms. First aid was immediately rendered to the suspect and officer and they were later transported to the hospital in stable condition.

The Federal Bureau of Investigations (FBI), Bureau of Indian Affairs Criminal Investigations are assisting with the investigation. This is active investigation and the identities of the suspect and the officer involved will not be disclosed at this point. There are no threats to the community at this time.

If you have any information regarding this incident, contact Hopi Law Enforcement Services at 928-734-7340.

Hopi Tribe Pandemic Recovery Committee Announcement

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Submitted by Racheal Povatah, HTPRC Secretary

Kykotsmovi, Ariz.-September 26, 2023 The Hopi Tribe Pandemic Recovery Committee (HTPRC) is announcing job opportunities to work with this Committee in the procurement and payment activities related to initiatives funded by the State & Local Fiscal Recovery Fund (FRF).

The following positions will help with the financial distribution of funds: **Accounting Specialist and Accounts Payable Tech I**

You may find the applications on the Hopi Tribe webpage: www.hopi-nsn.gov

General Welfare Emergency Assistance Program (GWEAP) and Homeowner Assistance Fund (HAF) Applications **ARE NOT** available at this time.

- Announcements will be made through different media: Hopi Tribe webpage; <https://www.hopi-nsn.gov> Hopi Tribe Pandemic Recovery Committee, Hopi Tutuveni, FMCV The Crier, KUYI Hopi Radio and Navaho Hopi Observer

Questions can be directed to Racheal Povatah, HTPRC Secretary @ 928.734.3392 or RPovatah@hopi.nsn.us or Mark Talayumptewa, HTPRC Chairman at Mark.csa@kykotsmovi.com.

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Hopi Tribe Head Start Public Service Announcement

Today, The Hopi Tribe Head Start Program announced its sponsorship of the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Child and Adult Care Food Program administered by the Arizona Department of Education, Community Nutrition Programs. Meals will be made available to enrolled participants at no separate charge without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability. Household income determines the amount of money institutions will be reimbursed to provide meals to enrolled participants. The income-eligibility guidelines listed below are used to determine the amount of reimbursement.

Household Size	FREE			REDUCED-PRICE		
	Yearly Income	Monthly Income	Weekly Income	Yearly Income	Monthly Income	Weekly Income
1	\$18,954	\$1,580	\$365	\$26,973	\$2,248	\$519
2	\$25,636	\$2,137	\$493	\$36,482	\$3,041	\$702
3	\$32,318	\$2,694	\$622	\$45,991	\$3,833	\$885
4	\$39,000	\$3,250	\$750	\$55,500	\$4,625	\$1,068
5	\$45,682	\$3,807	\$879	\$65,009	\$5,418	\$1,251
6	\$52,364	\$4,364	\$1,007	\$74,518	\$6,210	\$1,434
7	\$59,046	\$4,921	\$1,136	\$84,027	\$7,003	\$1,616
8	\$65,728	\$5,478	\$1,264	\$93,536	\$7,795	\$1,799
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Meals will be provided at the site(s) listed below:

Site Name: All Head Start Program Center	Site Name:
Site Address: 1 Main St. P.O. Box 123	Site Address:
City, Zip Code: Kykotsmovi, AZ 86039	City, Zip Code:
Phone Number: (928) 734-3512	Phone Number:

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LEGALS

IN THE HOPI TRIAL COURT
KEAMS CANYON, ARIZONA

In the Matter of the Change of Name Of:) No. 2023-CV-0054
No Name Honani)
To) NOTICE OF PUBLICATION
Gwendolyn Honani) OF CHANGE OF NAME

Notice is hereby given that Gwendolyn Honani has petitioned the court for the change of name, from:

No Name Honani to Gwendolyn Honani

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 12th day of September, 2023.

Margene Pauck
Clerk of the Court

LEGALS

IN THE HOPI TRIBAL COURT
KEAMS CANYON, ARIZONA

HOPI TRIBAL COURT
KEAMS CANYON, ARIZONA
2023 OCT -9 PM 3:27

Marissa Calnimptewa-Weaver,)
Petitioner,) NO: 2023-CV-0051
V)
Ruben Kaye,) CIVIL SUMMONS
Respondent,) AND
NOTICE TO APPEAR

TO: Ruben Kaye,

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT A PETITION FOR PROTECTION ORDER AND MOTION FOR TEMPORARY PROTECTION ORDER, HAS BEEN FILED (A COPY THE PETITION CAN BE OBTAINED AT THE HOPI TRIBAL COURT.)

YOU ARE ORDERED TO APPEAR FOR A HEARING AT THE HOPI TRIBAL COURT ON THE PETITION FOR A PROTECTION ORDER ON November 16, 2023 at 1:30 p.m. COURT ROOM II, KEAMS CANYON, ARIZONA.

IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR AT THE HEARING, THE COURT WILL WAIVE YOUR PRESENCE AND PROCEED WITH THE HEARING.

DATED THIS 09TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2023.

Belina Harvey
CLERK OF THE COURT

HOPILAVIT - EVERYDAY WORDS

K Y E S M I S M U Y A W A G N A S T
A W F T U M A L A Y A B D Z T I I U
N I U J U T P A L A Q N X O K J V T
S I N S P J P C R U A P M I T K A U
U K A D I L T O V N W O K N U H Q Q
L I Y F T V M A I D I I N W U F O A
M Y T I A A A P U Y S G G I Q A P Y
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N A N O A P O V A U O A H T Y I O W
G W U H K O A I K K H J U P T I T A
W K T O T A K A L O G O T U A H R Y
I O P T S U Q P I P K A S T N I H U
T U W I Y T A B I N I W A N P H A M
A N X I K A V O N A Q O P Q O L J A
V M U Y T A L A R I K I S T A A N A
U Y B O Q E H I I H I K O Q V O O Y
N H O P I I Q A T S I N O S A U P K

HOPI WORDS

Kyesmismuyaw - December

Wiiki'yma - Guide (Singular)

Tuwi'yta - Able (skillful)

Pö'i'yta - Debt (Have)

Sivaqöppö - Heater

Yuki'at - Accomplishment

Öqala - Determined

Hopiiqatsi - Hopi Way of Life

Tukopna - Accuse

Alögö - Different

Nü'okwa - Kind Hearted

Hintsakpi - Activity

Hötsiwa - Doorway

Ngahu - Medicine

Pu'ason - Afterward

Hiihiko - Drink

Muytala - Moon Light

Qe'ti - Back out of

Nan'ip - Each (of two)

Tömö - Season (Winter)

Novaki - Bakery

Tutuqayiw - Education

Nuvati - Snowed

Tuptsiwni - Belief

Töövü - Ember

Nawini - Suggestion

Kwusiva - Bring

Tumal'aya - Employee

Tsangaw - Thank Goodness

Päato - Burst

Tunatya - Endeavor

Kyaamuya - Winter (Solstice)

Pitanakts - Cap/Hat

Naatsiki - Factionalize

Hihiiyà - Wow!

Sikiki - Car (Auto)

Qöppö - Fire place

Kansulmongwi - Chairman

Saavu - Fire wood

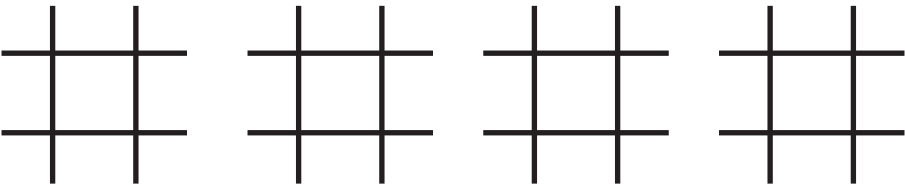
Namora - Choice

Tuuqayta - Fluent

Iyoho'ti - Cold (Weather)

Qalaptu - Get Over (Recover)

TICK-TACK-TOE



VETERANS FIELD GUIDE TO GOVERNMENT SHUTDOWN

As of October 1, 2023



The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) is committed to provide quality, consistent care and services to Veterans, families, Caregivers, and Survivors. VA's mission allows no exception to this standard even when operations are limited by the absence of appropriations (commonly known as a "Government shutdown").



SERVICES TO VETERANS NOT IMPACTED:



VA Medical Centers, Outpatient Clinics, and Vet Centers will be open.



VA benefits will continue to be processed and delivered, including compensation, pension, education, and housing benefits.



Burials will continue at VA national cemeteries. Applications for headstones, markers, and burial benefits processing will continue.



The Board of Veterans' Appeals will continue decisions on Veterans' cases.



VA Contact Centers (1-800-MyVA411) and the Veterans Crisis Line (Dial 988, Press 1) are open 24/7.



HAVE A QUESTION? CALL US!

The one number all Veterans, their families, caregivers, and survivors can use to access VA resources 24 hours-a-day, 365 days-a-year.

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SERVICES TO VETERANS IMPACTED:



VA will not provide veteran career counseling or transition assistance program activities.



VA education benefits contact center (GI Bill Hotline: 1-888-GIBILL-1 or 1-888-442-4551) will be closed.



VA benefits regional offices will be closed.



Public affairs and outreach to Veterans will cease.



No grounds maintenance or placement of permanent headstones at VA cemeteries.

Applications for pre-need burial at VA cemeteries will not be processed.

No printing of new Presidential Memorial Certificates.



No outreach to state, county, tribal, municipal, faith-based, and community-based partners by VA Central Office.

In the event of a prolonged shutdown, VA will continue to review and update its plan in conjunction with the applicable legal requirements and circumstances. Please visit www.whitehouse.gov/omb/ or www.VA.gov for updated information.

VA



U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs


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Virtual Presentation

Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA)

Hopi Vocational Rehabilitation Program (HVRP)

Wednesday,
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October 25, 2023
5:30 PM

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November 29, 2023
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ZOOM

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