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TRIBAL HEALTH

Health Center welcomes new physician

By Sacha Smith
THE SOUTHERN UTE DRUM

The newest physician at the Southern Ute Health Center has always had a passion for treating the Native community, and she hopes her expertise and passion will bring positive change to the Health Center.

“My entire career I have focused on Indian health, my mission is to improve health care and wellness for the Native population.”

Reece is Diné, born and raised in Ft. Defiance, AZ. She attended medical school at the University of New Mexico and completed her residency at UC Davis Redding Family Medicine.

She began working primarily with the Native population at Northern Valley Indian Health in Chico, Calif. Reece was there five years before moving home to work at the Ft. Defiance Indian Hospital – where she was the chief of family medicine for the last five years.

When asked what appealed to her most about the Southern Ute job – she had numerous offers – she said something about the Health Center made her feel like she could do the most here.

“I just saw so much potential here,” she said. “The Tribe is very progressive, and I wanted to use my expertise to help this clinic become a high quality facility.”



Damon Toledo/SU Drum

Julianna Reece (right) from Ft. Defiance, AZ has focused her entire career in Indian health. She hopes to bring quality care to members of the community, while networking with other departments in providing the best needs for tribal patients.

Reece will be spending half of her time seeing patients, and the other half as the chief of community health.

When working in community health, she plans to network with various tribal departments to develop a comprehensive quality care plan that caters to the specific needs of the community, she said.

“Quality care is not just going to the doctor; it consists of prevention, management, dealing with illness, as well as general well checks,” Reece said.

Branching out to other departments will help her gain an understanding of the community as well as the culture of the Ute people, she said.

According to Reece, plenty of changes are on the way but patients shouldn't be alarmed.

“There is plenty of room

for improvement, and we'll be making lots of changes, but all the changes are evidence based to improve health care,” she said.

Reece said she understands how important it is to patients to have a permanent provider and she wants the community to know that she is here for the long run.

“I'm not the type to bounce around, I envision myself here permanently,” she said.

On her down time, Reece said you can find her spending time with her two children and her husband.

Reece enjoys the outdoors and lives an active lifestyle. Both Reece and her husband are Cross Fit certified level-one trainers.

Reece began seeing patients at the Health Center earlier this week.

VETERANS AFFAIRS

Veterans discuss health services memorandum

By Damon Toledo
THE SOUTHERN UTE DRUM

The topics of health care and available services for veterans were lively during a U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs meeting held in Towaoc, Colo. on Wednesday, Aug. 20.

Medical Center Directors and Executive Leaders met in the Ute Mountain Ute Casino Convention Center to discuss the benefits of various Indian health centers around the four corners, including updated services that are ensured to benefit the number of native veterans.

Some of these benefits include disability compensation, pensions, life insurance, and behavioral health. It has been the Veterans Affairs established goal to serve the honoring men and women who are America's veterans.

Scott McIntyre, health care consultant for the Southern Ute Indian Tribe, spoke on behalf of the Southern Ute Health Center in regards of the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the U.S. Department of Vet-



Damon Toledo/SU Drum

Tribal veteran, Rod Grove, speaks on behalf of the veterans from the Southern Ute Indian Tribe at the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs meeting in Towaoc, Colo., Wednesday, Aug. 8.

erans Affairs and the U.S. Indian Health Service. The MOU was signed in Dec. 2013 and ensured Veteran

Affairs services were made available at the Southern Ute Health Center, providing a better convenience for local veterans in Ignacio and the surrounding area.

“One of the biggest reasons for the MOU was to make sure that veterans had the availability for [health services],” said McIntyre. “Many of the veterans were going to Albuquerque or Grand Junction which resulted with issues trying to get back and forth. The Southern Ute Indian Tribe has approximately 75 veterans with many who use the Durango outpatient cen-

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Trennie Collins/SU Drum

With approximately 28,000 to 36,000 vehicles moving through the intersection per day, John Cater, Division Administrator, Federal Highway Administration explains how the US 160/ US 550 continuous-flow intersection works and what the perks have been with the \$6.69 million price tag. The ribbon cutting and official opening of the intersection took place on Friday, Aug. 15.

TRANSPORTATION

Grand opening for revamped intersection in Durango

By Sacha Smith
THE SOUTHERN UTE DRUM

The busiest intersection on the Western Slope has been upgraded to improve efficiency and safety.

That's what the overall consensus was at the grand opening of the intersection of US highways 550/160 held Friday, August 15. Colorado Department of Transportation, state officials and Durango town officials attended the opening.

The recently completed continuous-flow intersection is the first of its kind in Col-

orado and was a huge safety improvement, said CDOT Engineer, Mike McVaugh.

McVaugh explained that the \$6.69-million project improved more than just the one intersection.

“This intersection was effecting every intersection's signal time in town,” McVaugh said.

According to McVaugh, by making U.S. 550/160 a CFI intersection, commuters should see an improvement from Santa Rita Park all the way to Ninth Avenue.

Pedestrians and bicyclists were not left out; bike boxes

– that have a radar sensor to detect humans – were installed at the intersection. If the pedestrian is in the box, a signal will go off stopping all traffic allowing the pedestrian time to maneuver through the congested area safely, McVaugh said.

Safety and efficiency aside, the project was also applauded for an all-round successful completion.

“I'm pleased to announce the completion of the project, and that it was completed on time and on budget,” State Transportation Commissioner, Sidney Zink said.

Powder to the People!



Trennie Collins/SU Drum

Floyd Jameson finishes strong as he runs through a cloud of blue dye at the Power to the People dye-versity color run held on Saturday, August 9. The event was sponsored by the Southern Ute Shining Mountain Diabetes Program with help from the Boys & Girls Club of the Southern Ute Indian Tribe, and SunUte Community Center.

SOUTHERN UTE INDIAN TRIBE General Meeting

Friday, August 29, 2014
Sky Ute Casino Event Center
9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Lunch will be provided





IT'S YOUR VOTE • IT'S YOUR TRIBAL COMMUNITY

The Election Board has determined these are the dates for the upcoming 2014 General Election, according to the Constitution and the Election Code.

SOUTHERN UTE GENERAL ELECTION: Friday, November 7, 2014

GENERAL ELECTION RESIDENCY DEADLINE: Friday, August 8, 2014

Constitution; Article IV, Section 5: A candidate shall physically reside within the present exterior boundaries of the Southern Ute Reservation for at least ninety-days (90) preceding the election.

STATEMENT OF INTENTION DEADLINE: Monday, September 8, 2014 by 5 p.m.

Election Code 11-3-101 (3): A Statement of Intention shall be filed with the Election Board not less than sixty-days (60) preceding the date of the General Election.

ELECTION BOARD DECISION REGARDING ELIGIBILITY DEADLINE: Tuesday, September 23, 2014

Election Code 11-3-102 (2): Any decision of the Election Board regarding eligibility shall be made at least forty-five (45) days before the election

NOTICE OF ELECTION: Wednesday, October 8, 2014

Election Code 11-4-102 (1): Election Board shall post notices of the election within the Southern Ute Reservation at least thirty-days (30) before each election.

VOTER REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Wednesday, October 29, 2014 by 5 p.m.

Election Code 11-1-104 (1): Any enrolled Southern Ute Tribal member, 18 years or over, shall register themselves to vote by this date and time to be qualified to vote at the upcoming election. The deadline to do so is seven (7) business days before the election.

ABSENTEE BALLOT REQUEST DEADLINE: Wednesday, October 29, 2014 by 5 p.m.

Election Code 11-5-102 (2): The application, letter, or telephone call requesting an absentee ballot must be received by the Election Board no later than the close of business at least seven (7) business days before the election

EMERGENCY BALLOT REQUEST DEADLINE: Thursday, November 6, 2014 by 5 p.m.

Election Code 11-5-107 (1) (2) (3): A voter may make a written request that the Election Board provide him an emergency absentee ballot if: (a) He will be confined in a hospital or at his place of residence on election day because of events arising after the deadline for absentee ballot requests; or (b) He must be absent from the reservation on election day and the reason for such absence arose after the deadline for absentee ballot requests. The written request shall contain the following: (a) the voter's name and address; (b) The nature of the emergency causing confinement or absence from the reservation; and (c) The voter's signature.

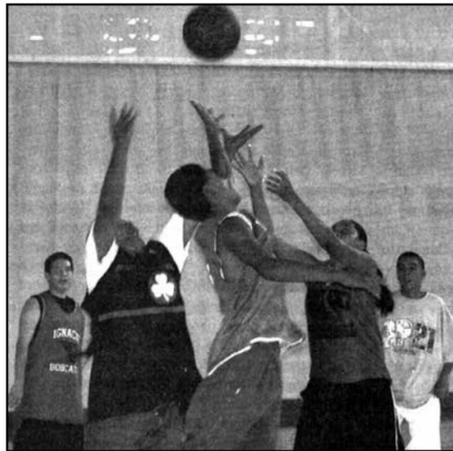
The emergency ballot request must be made before the day of the election. The Election Board shall review emergency requests on a case-by-case basis. If the Election Board determines not to grant the request, the voter shall be promptly notified of the denial and the reason. If the Election Board determines that the request should be granted, the Election Board shall deliver the emergency absentee ballot at its office during regular business hours or, in the case of a medical emergency, at the place where the voter is confined.

GENERAL ELECTION: Friday, November 7, 2014 – 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Constitution; Article IV, Section 1: There shall be annual elections on the first Friday in November.

Questions or concerns, contact our office at 970-563-0100 ext. 2303 or 2305.
Off-Reservation tribal members phone 1-800-772-1236 ext. 2303.
Email is election@southern-ute.nsn.us

MANY MOONS AGO



Beth Santistevan/SU Drum archive

10 years ago

Adriano Buckskin, Anthony "Ace" Ortiz and Angela "AJ" Vigil jump for the rebound as teammates Antonio Herrera and Greg Richards wait at the top of the key. They were participants in a three-on-three basketball tournament held at SunUte Community Center on the last day of the gathering. Ortiz, Vigil and Herrera's team, the Bobcats, took first place.

This photo first appeared in the Aug. 20, 2004, edition of The Southern Ute Drum.



Robert Baker/SU Drum archive

20 years ago

Trash pick up. Sky Ute Lodge and Casino employees help keep the roadside free of debris. The Lodge and Casino adopted a two-mile stretch of Highway 172 just north of the Tribal Campus. Some of the employees had the help of some kids in order the make them aware of the Colorado Program.

This photo first appeared in the Aug. 19, 1994, edition of The Southern Ute Drum.



SU Drum archive

30 years ago

Southern Ute Recreational League tournament winners. Women's Tournament: Sportsmanship – Dulce; 3rd place – Romo Loco; 2nd place – Los Pinos; 1st place – Quick-n-Handi and MVP – Monica Herrera. Men's Tournament: Sportsmanship – Virginia's Lakers; 3rd place – Quick-n-Handi; 2nd place – Candelaria Heights; 1st place – Loleets and MVP – Reginald Howe.

This photo first appeared in the Aug. 24, 1984, edition of The Southern Ute Drum.

LOCAL UPDATE

NEXT VETERANS MEETING

The next scheduled veterans' meeting is Wednesday, Sept. 3 at the Southern Ute Multi-Purpose Facility. For further information Contact Howard D. Richards at 970-563-0100.

So we can get ready for our next season of wood gathering and cutting. Thank you for your cooperation.

FREE ADMISSION FOR TRIBAL MEMBERS TO THE RALLY

Tribal Members attend the 2014 Four Corners Motorcycle Rally for free! All Tribal Members attend for free, just bring your Tribal ID to the gate and receive your weekly armband to attend the FCMR. Thank you and we will see you at the Sky Ute Fairgrounds Thursday, August 28 – Sunday, August 31.

WOODYARD SERVICES UPDATE

This is a friendly reminder from the Southern Ute Woodyard that our lawn care program is ending on September 12. We will not be cutting any more lawns after that date due to the fall and winter months coming up.

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Riding for empowerment



photos Damon Toledo/SU Drum

Horse Empower is an assisted learning and psychotherapy company based out of Durango, Colo. that implements creativity and knowledge through horseback riding. The business is open for everybody and welcomes anyone searching for newer remedies in accomplishing goals and building self-esteem. Elmer Rock (above) from Horse Empower nestles a saddle on "Canyon" for the next rider in line.



The Boys & Girls Club paid a visit to Horse Empower on Tuesday, Aug. 12 and met with the program's frontrunner, Kim Hardesty, who showed members the ropes of horseback riding. Club member, KayDee Washington (right), is prepped and ready to ride.

A discussion in fire safety



Damon Toledo/SU Drum

Randolph (Randy) Mantooth, famed television actor and notable spokesperson, paid a visit to the Sky Ute Casino & Resort on Friday, Aug. 15 to speak about the preventable risks and rehabilitation practices regarding fire safety. Members from the San Juan Fire Department were present as Mantooth discussed the importance of fire safety as well as the risks male and female firefighters may be exposed to. Mantooth, who is of Seminole descent, has been an active spokesperson for both the International Association of Firefighters and Fire Chiefs after inspiration from playing John Gage in the 1970s NBC drama, Emergency! He quotes that he owes his life to all firefighters in the world after a crucial and life-threatening experience he underwent.

SUCCM UPDATE

MUSEUM TO HOLD ARTIST WORKSHOPS

Southern Ute Cultural Center and Museum (SUCCM) to hold artist leadership program (ALP) workshops. The participating artist will present a workshop that is open and free to the public from Aug. 26 through Aug. 28 at SUCCM in the Craft Room. Tuesday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Ledger Art; Wednesday from 1 to 4 p.m., Drum Making; also on that day 4 to 7 p.m. Poetry; Thursday 2 to 5 p.m. Collage Making. For information call Venessa Carel at 970-563-9583.

RALLY VENDOR SPACE AVAILABLE

The Southern Ute Cultural Center and Museum (SUCCM) would like to invite all vendors who would like a space to set up on Saturday, August 30 (Rally Weekend). The indoor space will cost \$10. For information call Venessa Carel at 970-563-9583.

INDIAN TACO SALE DURING RALLY

The Southern Ute Cultural Center and Museum (SUCCM) will be holding an Indian Taco Dinner and Bake Sale on Saturday, August 30, Rally Weekend, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Indian Tacos will be \$8 and all proceeds will benefit our Education Programs. Please come and support the Museum.

TRIBAL FAIR INDIAN TACO SALE

The Southern Ute Cultural Center and Museum (SUCCM) will be holding an Indian Taco Dinner and Bake Sale on Saturday, September 13, Southern Ute Fair Weekend, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Indian Tacos will be \$8 and all proceeds will benefit our Education Programs. Please come and support the Museum.

FREE ARTIST VENDOR SPACE

Southern Ute Cultural Center and Museum (SUCCM) is offering any Native American artist a place to set up and sell their artwork, beadwork, and crafts. We will provide a space to the vendor inside the museum for free. For more information call Venessa Carel at 970-563-9583.

BECOME A FRIEND OF THE MUSEUM

A Friend of the Museum is a rewards program that the Southern Ute Cultural Center and Museum (SUCCM) will be implementing at the beginning of September. This is a free program where we will reward you for coming in to visit us. Ask any of our visitor service employees or call 970-563-9583 for more information on this program.

MOVIES AT THE MUSEUM

Spend Saturdays in October and November at the Museum (SUCCM) will feature "Movies at the Museum" every Saturday afternoon. The first series will be about how Native Americans have been portrayed in the cinema. This will be a great event for the whole family. For information call Venessa Carel at 970-563-9583.

MUSEUM SEEKS BOARD MEMBER

Southern Ute Cultural Center and Museum (SUCCM) is actively seeking a qualified tribal or community member who would be available for regularly scheduled and emergency meetings throughout the year for its Board of Directors. For more information, please call 970-563-9583 during regular business hours. A letter of intent should be submitted in person to SUCCM or by mail at PO Box 737 #95 Ignacio, CO 81137.

CULTURAL UPDATE

SOUTHERN UTE ROYALTY PAGEANT

The Southern Ute Royalty Committee will hold the annual SU Royalty Pageant on August 28 at the Multi-Purpose Building at 7 p.m. Light refreshments will be served.

The following Titles & Age requirements are:

- **Miss Southern Ute:** 16-25 years of age
- **Jr. Miss Southern Ute:** 9-15 years of age
- **Little Miss Southern Ute:** 5-9 years of age
- **Southern Ute Brave:** 5-15 years of age

Contact the SU Royalty Committee at 970-563-0100, ext. 3620 for more information.

TRIBAL MEMBER ARTISTS

The Culture Department is seeking three (3) paintings/artwork that is representative of the culture of the Utes. Artwork can be any medium, must be in full color. Can be of wildlife i.e., elk, deer, bears or horses. Landscapes are also needed i.e., mountains and rivers. Artwork must be original and signed by the artist. Tribal Member artists only, chosen artwork will become the property of the Culture Department and will receive a cash payment. Artwork must measure 10-1/2" X 13-1/2". For more information please contact Joycelyn Dutchie at 970-563-4802 or jdutchie@southernute-nsn.gov. Deadline to submit artwork is August 22.

SOUTHERN UTE ROYALTY PAGEANT

AUGUST 28TH, 2014 @ 7:00PM



Location: Multipurpose Building – Gathering Room

APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE

Please contact the Southern Ute Royalty Committee at 563-0100, ext. 3620 for more information.

Titles and Age requirements:

Miss Southern Ute	16-25 years of age
Jr. Miss Southern Ute	9-15 years of age
Little Miss Southern Ute	5-9 years of age
Southern Ute Brave	5-15 years of age

Basket Making Field Trip



Where: White Mesa

When: Two Day field trip August 26 & 27, 2014

Time: 7 A.M. - 5 P.M

Tuesday August 26- Moab to pick willows we will leave the Culture Department at 7:00A.M and be back at 5:00P.M

Wednesday August 27- White Mesa for basket class, 7:00 A.M. and return???

You can do both or just one trip, space is limited please sign up early.

For more information call the Culture Dept: 970-563-0100, Ext. 3620



TRIBAL HEALTH

Tick awareness study

By Loren Jones
SU NATURAL RESOURCE
ENFORCEMENT DIVISION

The State of Colorado Public Health Veterinarian and BIA health services has recently contacted the Tribe requesting help and assistance with problem ticks. The purpose of this investigation is to see if the Brown Dog Tick is present in Southwest Colorado. The information gathered will be made available to the public for general awareness and disease prevention.

The Brown Dog Tick is one of the most successful parasites in the world. The ticks have been found in a wide variety of environments on nearly every continent. They have spread with humans and their canine companions all over the world. What makes these

bloodsuckers so successful is the fact that they can live out their entire life in the comfort of our homes, though they can also survive outdoors.

So what do they look like? Nothing fancy, unfortunately. As members of the arachnid family they have 8 legs, like spiders and scorpions. They are just a plain brown to reddish-brown tick. They have no patterns or colors that make them stand out or be memorable in any way. Females are 1/8 to 1/4-inch long, while males are a little smaller. When fully engorged, these animals can be as large as 1/2-inch. While these animals prefer to feed on dogs as their host, they can also feed on intermediate hosts, including humans.

The reason for the research in Southwest Colorado is to

see if these ticks are present here, and if so, in what numbers. These ticks have been known to carry various diseases that mostly effect dogs, but also some that can infect humans: Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever being one of the most well known of these illnesses. Recent studies in California have found the ticks to be vectors of the Cat Scratch Virus.

If you happen to find a tick, the state is asking that you catch it for sampling. They can be placed in any tight-capped vial such as an empty medicine bottle. They can be brought in to the Tribal Rangers and Animal Control, or to the Wildlife Office. Please keep an eye out and stay safe out there. We appreciate the help and will let you know as we find out more.

Colors run in Ignacio



photos Trennie Collins/SU Drum

Kids and Adults alike enjoyed the fun and games that were held at the Powder to the People color run, sponsored by the Boys & Girls Club of the Southern Ute Indian Tribe.



Hilda Burch and Ramona Eagle enjoy the Powder to the People color run that was held on Saturday, Aug. 9 at SunUte's Multi Purpose field.

Jennifer Goodtracks smiles big as she gets ready to head through the ambush of people waiting with blue dye at the finish line.

VETERANS DISCUSS HEALTH CARE • FROM PAGE 1

ter but also want to use the Southern Ute Health Center's primary care."

McIntyre added that the Southern Ute Indian Tribe decided to pursue the MOU because it made more sense when taking

care of veterans.

"It makes sense to take care of the membership of Native American vets in your area and provide them another alternative to access care," he said. "We're still reaching out to more veter-

ans ... some who also have an alternative resources such as Blue Cross or other insurances. It's nice to be at home, hear the voice, and see the face you know. I think that's important for us to serve our veterans in that manner."

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Metalheads rock against MS



photos Robert L. Ortiz/SU Drum

Signal 99 of Farmington, N.M. gets the crowd going during the Metalheads Against MS show at the Durango VFW on Saturday, Sept. 8. The show raised money in the ongoing battle against multiple sclerosis (MS). Other bands that played the show were Supergiant, Skull Theory, Morbid Justice, Clooddryve, Powertribe and Elete.



Volunteer Samantha Brown (left) and Missy Bell along with Heidi Vinson-Lewis (not pictured) of MBA Productions and many other volunteers, put the Metalheads Against MS show together and shared in the fun with many of those who attended.

Brothers of metal, Brandon Curley (bass) and Mark Curley (drums) of Signal 99 hold the rhythm section down during their set at the Metalheads Against MS show.

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Elders Services August activities

August 26: Farmington shopping trip van will be leaving at 8:30 a.m.

Trips are subject to change without prior notice. There will need to be 3 or more tribal elder, handicapped or disabled members to attend.

If you have any questions please call the elder services office at 970-563-0156.

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End of summer program BBQ



photos Damon Toledo/SU Drum

Students from the Head Start summer program were treated with an end of the year barbeque on Friday, Aug. 18 as the program concluded. Guests were treated with burgers, beans, potato salad, and an assortment of refreshments.

Ruby Tallbird and Eternity Lucero take a moment from their lunch to pose during the Head Start end-of-summer barbeque celebration.



Ignacio schools remember Lupe



photos Trennie Collins/SU Drum

Juvie Jones, former Ignacio school superintendent, and principal of the Ignacio School District remembers Lupe Alexander, telling attendees about her dedication to the students during the dedication of the new Ignacio Elementary school cafeteria in her name. The cafeteria is now known as Café Lupe.

The family of Lupe Alexander showed their support on Aug. 19 when the Ignacio School District dedicated the Ignacio Elementary school cafeteria in memory of Ms. Alexander for her 40-years of service.



Boys & Girls Club ends summer



photos Damon Toledo/SU Drum

The Boys & Girls Club summer program came to a close as members and families gathered in Ignacio Town Park on Friday, Aug. 15 for a barbeque celebrating the end of the season. Tribal council joined the celebration as they gave thanks to the members and supervisors who continue to keep the club strong. Burgers and hot dogs were served as the members partook in playful activities. David Story (above) gives a smile during the Boys & Girls Club end of the summer barbeque.



Members of Yellow Jacket perform for club members and supervisors as part of the end of the season celebration.

EDUCATION UPDATE

SOCCER/FOOTBALL FIELD RIBBON CUTTING

There will be a Ribbon Cutting Ceremony for Ignacio's new football/soccer field on September 5, before our first home football game. The ceremony will begin at 6 p.m. Please be advise that parking is very limited around the High School because of construction and the entrance to the field will be between the wood shop and the old administration building, now the Ignacio Academy on the alley in front of the VOTECH Building. Hope to see a big participation from our staff and community. GO BOBCATS!

POTENTIAL GED STUDENTS

If you have not received a high school

diploma, but would like to, then you may consider working toward a GED credential. In January of 2014 several major changes to the GED process were instituted that include:

- Entirely new GED test,
- Online completion only,
- Receiving your GED credential better prepares you for entering college.

If you have any questions or need help, call the Adult Education Center and talk with Dr. Jonathan Hunstiger (Adult Education Program Manager) at 970-563-0237.

JOM COMMITTEE MEETING

The next monthly Johnson-O'Malley Committee meeting will be at the Southern Ute Education Building on Monday, Sept. 8 at 5:30 p.m.

MULTI-PURPOSE FACILITY

MULTI-PURPOSE FACILITY/ MEMORIAL CHAPEL/UTE PARK

To Tribal Membership we the staff of the Multipurpose Facility would like to share with you the hours of operation. Open Monday through Fridays, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Requests for weekend events will be Monday through Wednesday. With deadline day on Wednesday at 5 p.m. this will help with staff with coverage for the events. We would also like to invite you to visit us for all your reservation needs. Stop by the Multi-Purpose Facility to reserve a space for your upcoming event. The Multi-

Purpose has a variety of rooms available for booking not to mention a sewing room for all your arts & craft projects. Tribal Elders may call to book room(s) at 970-563-4784, or email multipurpose@southernute-nsn.gov, or stop by the MPF building at 256 Ute Road, Ignacio, Colo. 81137. Employees at the facility are: Manager, Joycelyn Dutchie, Coordinators: Natalie Bravo and Sage Rhode and temporary Coordinator, Jontique Velasco. "We are here to provide the Southern Ute Tribal Membership an all-Inclusive location to hold any social, tribal or personal event at no cost"



Your input is needed! Our club Board of Directors create its vision, plan programs, develop funding and more. We are looking for experienced people who are invested in this community's youth and are excited about being a key component of this organization. There are open positions for tribal or community members with financial and/or leadership experience.

Applications are available at www.bgcsu.org

For more information please contact Mr. Bruce LeClaire, CPO, at (970) 563-0100 x 2694

Become a Member of the Parent Advisory Group

Supporting children's education starts with us the parents.

If interested please contact
Monique Marquez @ 563-0253 ext.2700



Joel Priest/Special to the Drum

Ignacio head coach Lupe Huerta sounds his whistle to put a play into motion during Bobcat Football's practice last Saturday morning at their temporary Ignacio Elementary School base. The 2014 season begins for IHS in 'Zero Week,' August 22nd at Hotchkiss.

IHS FOOTBALL

Bulldogs await 2014 Cats tonight in season opener

By Joel Priest
SPECIAL TO THE DRUM

Just two years after winning the Ohio Class 'B' State Championship, the school's first-ever title, the Mogadore Wildcats suddenly set a still-standing, nearly 60-year-old national prep record when their offensive play-calling put the ball into the air after each of 98 snaps.

Give Ignacio's present-day quarterback, senior Adison Jones, that many chances to pass in a contest and ... who knows? Colorado gridiron records could fall like dominoes.

Fortunately with capable carriers like seniors Miguel 'Mike' Perez and Blaine Mickey, junior Joe Herrera and sophomore Lorenzo 'Woody' Pena all able to share the load in the backfield, Jones likely won't be gunning downfield constantly towards junior targets Nick Herrera and Wyatt Hayes.

But if worse comes to worse, the Bobcats at least have the option in their four-year starter.

Probable to start under center for tonight's season-opening [kickoff time 7 p.m.] opponent, Hotchkiss senior Devan Rupe should make for an interesting counterpart, having thrown for nearly 700 yards and rushed for another 300-plus

(with 14 total touchdowns) last season. The weight placed on the Bulldogs' rushers, however, will be greater than that of the Bobcats'.

Seniors Duncan Turnbull and Alex Smith combined for another 16 of HHS' 26 rushing scores in 2013, while amassing almost 1,300 yards between them — numbers that should come in handy given the fact that leading receivers Chris Allen (26-329, 4 TD) and Hank Edwards (17-269, 3 TD) were both lost to graduation in the spring.

Sophomore kicker Ryan Hafley (11-16 PAT, 0-2 FG) and senior River Panish (6-8 PAT, 0-0 FG) will also return, with Panish having served as the Bulldogs' primary punter and kick-off specialist in addition to racking up a team-third-best 45 tackles [Turnbull led with over 80].

Coming in a low 'Receiving Votes' team in the preseason CHSAA Nowcom Class 1A poll, released Aug. 11, Hotchkiss went 4-2 at home last year with quality wins over 2A Olathe and 1A Monte Vista, and expected romps over 1A's Del Norte and Leadville Lake County (both of which finished 0-9 overall, leading one — DNHS — to drop down into the 1A 8-man ranks).

Eventual State Champi-

ons Paonia dealt them their losses at home, during the regular season, and Burlington in the State Playoffs' first round.

POWER-PACKED

The Southern Peaks Conference will again be a force to fear in 2014. In the aforementioned poll, La Jara Centauri checks in at No. 2 behind only PHS, and MVHS will kick off their slate seated at No. 7. Rounding out the top ten are Limon (3), Buena Vista (4), Loveland Resurrection Christian (5), Burlington (6), Yuma (8), Wray (9) and Cedaredge (10).

FOR THE 'RECORD'

Officially, the national high school pass-attempt mark helped yield a 57-0 Mogadore rout of Atwater (Ohio; now known as Waterloo after a 1968 merger between Atwater and Randolph High Schools) on Nov. 10, 1956. 38 throws were completed, covering 638 yards and producing seven TD's [six by QB Jerry Fitt, who attempted 59 passes].

Not beyond reach, the record was threatened in 2010, and in Ohio, no less, when Canton South fired up 87 passes in a 35-18 loss to in-state Alliance Marlington.



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Summer volunteer coach Heather Danny (right), a setter at Fort Lewis College in Durango, discusses serving techniques with IHS freshman Chasity Bean during last Saturday's practice.

IHS VOLLEYBALL

V'cat varsity finding form

By Joel Priest
SPECIAL TO THE DRUM

Exploding into a celebratory roar after blasting an unlikely kill past much taller teammate Kelly Campbell, junior Chrystianne Valdez showed last Saturday that she'd be one Volleycat who'll particularly have to walk the walk, talk the talk this fall.

"I've worked really hard to get my hits, to get my approach down," she said after exiting IHS' temporary practice home inside Ignacio Middle School, the first week of practices in the book, "and worked so hard on my setting ... because setting does not come naturally to me."

"So I worked hard to be this 'leader,' and I think this year I really need to show it and step up," Valdez said.

For with five newcomers currently seeing time with Thad Cano's first team, all veterans will certainly need to. But like Valdez, Cano also doesn't view the incoming wave of youth as a negative.

"We're going to make mistakes — we're young, you know?" he said. "But it's a good problem to have. I'm really happy with this team; there's a lot of potential here."

Having played 29 matches during a grinding three-week stretch of summer, the 'Cats had ample opportunity to already hone their skills prior to the official Aug. 11 start of the fall season. As well as develop others; Valdez, last year's regular at libero, "got a lot of swing time" according to Cano, and could be an outside hitter this year if Campbell, just a sophomore, and senior Amya Bison defend well the net.

Which would especially come in handy given the unknown future of junior Miel Diaz.

"We may not have her this season," Cano said. "She's still coming off an injury she had late in the club season. Trying to rehab it without surgery — it's her labrum — but we still may not have her."

If not needed in an attacking role, Valdez could remain a back-row specialist and help with replacing the graduated Angela Herrera, in addition to providing a spark from the service line — where most of the Cats, rookies included, have already shown a sharpened knack.

"I feel confident out there being able to do so many things," said Valdez. "It feels amazing."

Setter Cloe Seibel's graduation left the largest vacancy, but Ignacio has had multiple players attempt to step



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Freshman Shoshone Thompson (right) gets to a ball during a rally just before like-minded senior Amya Bison during last Saturday's practice.

into that directorial role. Junior Ellie Seibel saw much action at the position during a nine-match run this summer, and freshman Shoshone Thompson has impressed during the early goings leading into this weekend's Pirate 4 Corners Scrimmages in Pagosa Springs.

Coming in from 3A Bayfield, sophomore Alex Forsythe has also earned reps with the varsity, but will have to sit out the first nine contests under CHSAA's transfer rules.

Sophomore Ryley Webb and freshmen Chasity Bean and Avionne Gomez also presently look to factor into Cano's fast-moving offense.

Working extensively with Melanie Seibel's JV, sophomore Rachel Cooper could again be called upon for varsity play, after having been used regularly in 2013. Junior Jerica Jackson, reduced to a spectator during Week 1 after an unlucky stomp on her right foot from a 1,267-pound heifer, may bring added height to the varsity's front — minus the graduated Cheyenne Cook — if needed.

"Right now, we're so strong. Kelly Campbell has a huge block in the middle, Ellie has a big swing when she gets a great set, Shoshone — our freshman — is a great setter," said Valdez. "We have some good back-row middles, so everything's looking pretty good for us right now."

"This is the soundest team, going in, that I've had," Cano stated.

ABOUT THE SEASON-OPENER

Now in the re-aligned District 1-4A with Zuni, Thoreau, Bloomfield, Shiprock and [Fort] Wingate, as the New Mexico Activities Association moved Farmington, Farmington Piedra Vista and Aztec into its new 1-5A (with Gallup and Gallup Miyamura). Kirtland Central was the only school out of the old 1-4A to remain so classified for 2014.

Under Brian Joe, KC started last year with a thrilling five-game win over Ignacio, but ended the season 7-12 overall and mired in a wicked drought — not winning a single game, let alone a match for nearly all of October (after a five-game loss on the 1st at Shiprock) and the first week of November.

The Lady Broncos, who host IHS Aug. 28 will need to have figured how to replace graduated veterans/captains Keeshawna Ockerman, Marley Max and Sharolyn Begay, and can start with now-junior Georgia Willie and now-senior Morgan Farley.

But change will — and already has — come from the top; KCHS recently chose Nadia Watson (a 2003 graduate) to succeed Joe as leader of Lady Broncos Volleyball. Formerly Begay, Watson is a cousin of Heather Danny, a senior setter at Fort Lewis College who had aided with IHS' Week 1 instructing.

3rd Annual Native American Bowling Tournament

Ignacio, Colorado
September 19-21, 2014
Rolling Thunder Lanes
Sky Ute Casino & Resort

ENTRY FEES

Per Sanctioned Event
(Team, Doubles/Singles)

Adults: \$21
Youths: \$15
All events \$5
All Events: \$5 per category

Categories: (Handicap Youth, Women, Mixed & Open)
For Tournament Rules and Entry Forms check the bowling center website or email
hburch@southernute-nsn.gov

FRIDAY & SATURDAY No Tap both events bowl at 7 pm-sign up by 6pm	<p style="text-align: center;">FRI: 9-PIN NO TAP Mixed DBLES — SAT: 9-PIN NO TAP SINGLES —</p> <p>\$25 entry fee per adult bowler — cash prize \$15 entry fee per youth bowler -USBC scholarship</p>
SATURDAY	<p>ADULTS: DOUBLES/SINGLES 9 AM - 11:30 AM - 2 PM</p>
SATURDAY SUNDAY	<p>YOUTHS: TEAM-DOUBLES/SINGLES 9 AM - 1 PM</p>
SUNDAY	<p>ADULTS: TEAM EVENTS 9 AM - 1 PM</p>

For Tournament Rules, Entry forms (Tournament/No-Tap) or questions contact

Hilda Burch

Phone: 970-946-5175
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E-mail: hburch@southernute-nsn.gov

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In the Legal Name Change of, Ella Marie Joy-Burch, Civil Subject
Case No.: 2014-0050-CV-NC
NOTICE OF LEGAL NAME CHANGE
Notice is hereby given that Ella Marie Joy-Burch filed an application for legal change of name, to be known hereafter as Ella Maria Ramos. As of no person filed an objection to the request, and therefore notice is hereby given that Ella Marie Joy-Burch name shall be and is hereby legally changed to Ella Maria Ramos.

Dated this 15th day of August, 2014.
Scott Moore,
Southern Ute Tribal Judge

In the Legal Name Change of, Calvin Klein Levato, Jr., Civil Subject
Case No.: 2014-0052-CV-NC
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Dated this 30th day of June, 2014
Judge Chantel Cloud,
Southern Ute Tribal Judge

In the Legal Name Change of, Dominika Raven-Marie Joy-Ramos, Civil Subject
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Notice is hereby given that Ella Marie Joy-Burch filed an application on behalf of Dominika Raven-Marie Joy for legal change of name, to be known hereafter as Dominika Raven-Marie Joy-Ramos. As of July 29, 2014 no person filed an objection to the request, and therefore notice is hereby given that Dominika Raven-Marie Joy name shall be and is hereby legally changed to Dominika Raven-Marie Joy-Ramos

Dated this 30th day of June, 2014
Judge Chantel Cloud,
Southern Ute Tribal Judge

In the Legal Name Change of, Faustino Luciano-David Joy, Civil Subject
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Dated this 30th day of June, 2014
Judge Chantel Cloud,
Southern Ute Tribal Judge

COMMUNITY GREETINGS



HAPPY BIRTHDAY SOMER, WOW!!!
We can't believe that you going to be 4 Years old. You are such a blessing We are so proud of you. We all Love You so much.

From Dad, Mom, Jada, Grandma, Auntie and the boys

HAPPY BIRTHDAY MELINDA

Happy birthday Sista, Gamma Mel and Auntie Mel, from your children, grandchildren, neices and nephews and of course your awesome brother and sister. May the new beginning you soght be fruitful and rewarding. We all struggle and we all cope, we choose to either go deeper in pain or seek the light. We are proud of you. Have a great birthday sister.

Love always - Mataya, Adrienne and Avery, Blenda, Asa, OZ, Saph, Alexis, Syre and Angel. Bobby, Miracle, KJ, Keelyn and AhKeem and your guardian angel Alicia.

So Go & Run Free

*So go and run free with the Angels,
Dance around the golden clouds.
For the Lord has chosen you
to be with Him*

*And we should feel nothing but proud.
Although He has taken you from us,
And our pain a life time will last.
Your memory will never escape us,
But make us glad
for the time we did have.
Your face will always be hidden,
Deep inside our hearts.*

*Each precious moment you gave us,
Shall never ever depart us.
So go and run free with the Angels,
As they sing so tenderly.
And please be sure to tell them,
To take good care of you for us.*

*Our love goes with you
& our souls wait to join you.*

Upcoming local events

Aug. 29 - Sept. 1: Four Corners Motorcycle Rally, Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Ignacio

Oct. 13: Cultural Diversity Day (Southern Ute Tribal offices open)

Sept. 1: Southern Ute tribal offices closed (Labor Day)

Oct. 31: Halloween

Sept. 12-14: Southern Ute Tribal Fair & Powwow, Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Ignacio

Nov. 8: Honoring Our Nation's Veterans, location (TBD)

Southern Ute Tribal Fair Picnic



Friday Sept. 12 11:30A.M. - 1:30P.M.
Multi-Purpose Facility Field

For more Information contact Tara Vigil: 563-0100 EXT. 3624

94th Annual Southern Ute Tribal Fair

Friday, Sept. 12 - Sunday, Sept. 14
Contests and events info, pages 7-9

Youth Games



Friday Sept. 12 at 4P.M.
Multi-Purpose Field

Categories (by Age): 4-6; 7-9; 10-12; 13-15; 16-18
Prizes: 1st-5th place CASH PRIZES.
Cracker and watermelon eating, softball and water balloon toss, foot race, and three-legged race.
Male and Female divisions. Southern Ute tribal Members and DIRECT Descendents only!

Contact Sarah Russell (970)-563-5280 and Mckean Walton (970)-769-7745

4th Annual

SEPTEMBER 13th, 2014

Eldred A. Vigil Jr. Memorial Run/Walk

Registration at SunUte Park @ 7:00am

NO ENTRY FEE
5K Run/1K Walk Starts @ 7:30am

Door Prizes

You could be the lucky participants that win!! Snacks Provided



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Aug. 29

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Tribal Fair

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August 22, 2014



94th annual Southern Ute Tribal Fair

Southern Ute Tribal Fair Parade

Fair Theme: "Moache Capota"

Saturday Sept. 13, (times listed below)

Lineup at Catholic Church, Parade will proceed south on Goddard Avenue.

Parade lineup and registration: 8 a.m. at the Catholic Church.

Parade Starts: 10 a.m. from Catholic Church. Parade entries will be judged on adherence to theme.

Categories for Parade Entries:

Floats: All floats will be categorized by either commercial, family or service/organization.

Float prizes: 1st: \$200, 2nd: \$150, 3rd: \$100

(1st-3rd Places awarded in each category except for Chairman's and Executive Officer's Award)

Native Dress (Male/Female): 1st: \$100; 2nd: \$75; 3rd: \$50

Best Native Group: \$200

Best Royalty Float: 1st: Trophy (Must be current title holder)

Car Category: Car prizes: 1st: \$100, 2nd: \$75, 3rd: \$50.

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Chairman's Award: (TBD)

Executive Officer's Award: (TBD)

Horse Category: All ages, first place \$100

-Best Dressed Horse

-Best Dressed Indian Rider: Male & Female

-Best Dressed Cowboy/Cowgirl Rider

Contact: Southern Ute Tribal Health Dept. 970-563-4742

KIDDIE PARADE



Saturday Sept 13

Line up at Catholic Church

Parade will proceed South on Goddard Ave

Parade categories for Kiddie Entries:

Kiddie Parade Prizes: Cash Money 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place

Categories:

-Youth group entry

-Bicycle Entry

-Wagon Entry

-Native: Male /Female

Contact: Southern Ute Tribal Health Dept.

(970)-563-0100

94th Annual Southern Ute Tribal Fair & PowWow

ALL UTE 18 AND OVER TUG-O-WAR CHALLENGE

NO GLOVES OR CLEATS ALLOWED.
2 DIVISIONS (6 WOMEN AND 6 MEN)
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WOMEN'S WINNER TAKE ALL
NO SITTING
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HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT

Saturday, Sept. 13 at 1p.m

Sky Ute fair grounds Infield

Categories: Men & Women; single & Double

Entry Fees: \$5 singles, \$10 Doubles

Prize: All entry fees go toward jackpot, with \$300 added in each category. Payouts awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places.

Contact: Meckean Walton 970-769-7745

Sarah Russell 970-563-5280

JALAPENO Eating Contest

Open to everyone!

Sat. Sept. 13, 2 PM

Sky Ute Fairgrounds • Concert stage

MEN & WOMEN DIVISIONS

BE THE FIRST TO EAT 5



Awesome Prizes!
• Grand Prize
• 1st - 3rd places

Contact
Robert Ortiz
970-563-0100 ext. 2253
or 970-903-0346

Jalapeno Eating Contest "Drummers"
Powwow Special
\$500 winner take all
Sun., Sept. 14, afternoon
Powwow Arena

Under 18 years need parent/guardian signature.
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Contests and events information

TIPI-Raising Contest

Sunday, Sept. 14, 9AM

Sky Ute Fair Grounds Infield

Prizes: Awarded for 1st, 2nd & 3rd place

No Entry Fee! Registration forms will be

OPEN TO ALL NATIVES available for this event. Teams will consist of 3 team members who will erect tipi.

Tipi-Rising Judging Criteria:

- Contestants will use Tribal tipi provided.
- Fastest time to erect tipi.
- Each team will be given 45 min. max.
- Technique of erecting the tipi.
- Each team will have only ONE chance to erect tipi.

Contact: Byron & Etta Frost (970)-947-4061

Shinny Game



Sunday Sept. 14 at 9AM

Sky Ute Fair Grounds North Entrance

Prizes: Traveling Trophy

OPEN TO ALL UTE MEMBERS.

1 Game elimination 25 years and older to start the game.

6 members to a team (10 years & older)

Contact Judy Lansing (970)-749-7716

CHILI CONTEST

Categories: Red or Green

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SALSA CONTEST

Any variety welcome

Contest open to everyone!

No cooking on premises, bring finished chili/salsa.

Burners and electrical cords will be provided.

Bring your own, labled utensils.

Only one entry per person. Judges decisions final!

SUN., SEPT. 14, 2014

Entry turn-in: 10:30 am

Judging: 11:30 am

Sky Ute Fairgrounds, Exhibit Hall

Contact Robert Ortiz

970-563-0100, ext 2253 or 970-903-0346

Greased Pole Climb

Sunday Sept. 14, 11a.m.

Sky Ute Fairgrounds infield

Superintendents: Southern Ute Growth Fund/TMEAC

Categories Individual:

Adult: 13 Years & older, Kids: 12 years and younger.

Team: Adults only 13 years & older.

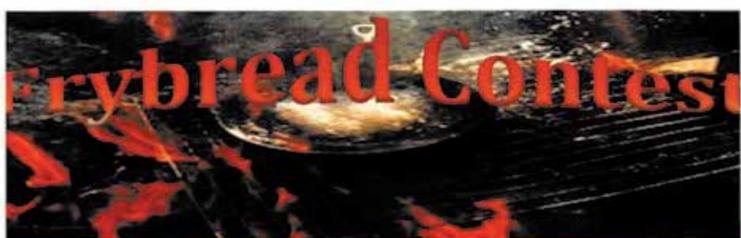
Prizes: Cash Prizes.

Greased pole guidelines:

- All Participants must sign a WAIVER!
- 18 years and younger need a parent/guardian signature
- Team category will consist of 5-persons teams, MUST INCLUDE ONE FEMALE.
- Individual category, reach top of pole for envelope.

Contact Adam Red 970-769-3017

Frybread Contest



Sunday Sept. 14 at 11A.M.

Sky Ute Fairgrounds North Parking Lot

Single category: 15-17 years; 18 & older.

2-team category: 14years & younger.

Prizes for 1st, 2nd, 3rd places (TBD)

Frybread Rules:

- Open to all Native Americans.
- Flour, salt, baking powder, shorting, potholders, etc.
- NO PRE-MADE DOUGH WILL BE ALLOWED!
- Each contestant will be provided with (3) matches to start fire.
- No paper to used to start, no outside help.
- 20- minute time limit: build fire; Prepare Dough; Fry (2) frybreads to be judged on color. Texture and taste.
- NO OUTSIDE INTERFERENCE WITH JUDGES!
- JUDGES' DECISION ARE FINAL!

Contact Lisa Frost (970)-799-2056

Duck Race

Sunday Sept. 14 at 3P.M.



The fastest "ducks" will receive cash payouts. Open to the general public.

"Ducks" may be purchased beginning August 29, and through out the weekend at Fair events and the powwow. The "ducks" will be released from the Bear Dance Bridge and retrieved at the Highway 151 Bridge.

Contact Amy Barry 970-779-3160



REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS SUCAP Web Redesign

This Request for Proposal is an invitation to web designers to submit proposals for the cost of Redesigning Southern Ute Community Action Program's website: sucap.org. SUCAP is a large non-profit offering services from Early Childhood Education, Job Training and Development, Public Transportation, Alcohol Treatment and Recovery programs, Senior Nutrition, and Youth Development. A detailed proposal outline can be obtained at SUCAP Central Administration in person at 285 Lakin Street, Ignacio, CO 81137, via postal mail request, via email

request or fax. Please call 970-563-4517 to request a proposal outline. Respondents who are selected for further consideration will be asked to participate in an interview process. All questions and inquiries regarding this RFP should be directed to: Eileen Wasserbach, Executive Director, 285 Lakin Street/P.O. Box 800, Ignacio, CO 81137. 970-563-4517, ext. 102; Fax: (970) 563-4504, ewasserbach@sucap.org or nrussell@sucap.org *(put in subject line "RFP for Website Redesign") Your response should be received by 4:00 pm Friday, August 29, 2014.

REQUEST FOR BIDS Food service for Southern Ute Royalty Dinner

The Southern Ute Royalty Committee is seeking Bids for the Southern Ute Royalty Dinner to be held on September 13 during the supper break of the Southern Ute Tribal Fair Powwow. Dinner will take place on the east lawn at 5:20 p.m. at the Sky Ute Fairgrounds. The Dinner must feed approximately 600-800 people. The bidder must provide a menu,

drinks, condiments and paper & plastic ware products. Please submit bids to Darlene Frost, Secretary/Treasurer, by contacting her at 970-569-0100, ext. 3620, or Amber Doughty, Chairperson at 970-563-0100, ext. 2344. Deadline to submit Bids will be accepted on August 29, and NO LATER THAN September 4, 2014, at 5 p.m.

REQUEST FOR BIDS Food service for hospitality tent for powwow

The Southern Ute Powwow Committee is seeking bids for the Hospitality Food Tent for the Tribal Fair Powwow. On Saturday, September 13, 2014 a light lunch and a full dinner served and Sunday, September 14, 2014 a full breakfast and a light lunch served. Each meal should be able to serve approximately

100 people. Submit your bids to the Elise Redd, 970-563-4788 or her email at eredd@southernute-nsn.us at Southern Ute Cultural Department. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact Edward Box, III at 970-442-0044 for information. Deadline to submit bids is August 28, 2014

SOUTHERN UTE INDIAN TRIBE - SOCIAL SERVICES Citizen Review Panel

The Southern Ute Indian Tribe is seeking two (2) Southern Ute Tribal Members to serve on the Citizen Review Panel. The Panel reviews complaints arising from and related to cases handled by the Tribe's Division of Social Services and engages in a conflict resolution process. Panel members shall receive compensation at the rate of \$25 per hour for service on the Panel. Applicants must be at least eighteen (18) years of age or older, have demonstrable personal or professional knowledge and experience with children and/or adult protection, have

no convictions for crimes of violence or involving a child victim, is not party to litigation involving the Division, or has had an active welfare case within two years, is not a Division employee. All applicants will be subject to a background investigation. Tribal members interested in serving on the Citizen Review Panel can turn in a letter of intent at the Human Resources Office. The letter should provide specific evidence of his/her qualifications. For detailed information about this volunteer position call Human Resources at 970-563-0100 ext. 2424.

SOUTHERN UTE INDIAN TRIBE Tribal Credit Committee Vacancy

The Southern Ute Tribe Credit Committee has (3) vacancies.

The Credit Committee members must be 18 years old and be an enrolled member of the Tribe. Individuals seeking to serve on the Committee must demonstrate a reputation of personal integrity, dependability, honesty, a strong work ethic, and the ability to perform in a non-biased, confidential and fair manner. They must be familiar with the objectives of the Declaration and must maintain good financial standing with the Tribe. These individuals must also pass a criminal background and reference checks.

The term may be for a three (3) year period. Duties of the Credit Committee:

- Approve loans as required by the Declaration
- Monitor compliance with Declaration
- Monitor approved loan performance
- Make recommendations to Tribal Council on program revisions and updates regarding Committee operations
- Maintain confidentiality, objectivity and fairness in conducting all Committee business
- Hold monthly regular meeting and other special meetings as necessary
- Coordinate the Committee's annual budget with Tribal Credit Staff

All interested Tribal members who would like to serve on the committee are urged to submit a letter of interest to Andi Cook-Hiett in Human Resources.

Ignacio School District – Job announcements

Application/Information: 970-563-0500 ext. 221
Information, job descriptions and application can be found at: www.ignacioschools.org
Ignacio School District is accepting applications for the 2013-2014 school year

District Receptionist

Closing date 8/25/14

Ignacio School District is accepting applications for a District Receptionist.

For Sale

Brand new home on 1.4 acres outside Ignacio b. 1540 sq-ft, 3b/2b. Owner financing available. \$269K. 970-749-6646

For Rent

For rent to Tribal members only. 2 Bedroom, 1 Bath. Available now. \$700 a month plus utilities. Call or text 505-486-9439.

For Sale

Roland KR-500 digital keyboard - dark wood stand and bench. \$400 or best offer. Also sheet/book music from the 40's-90's. Call Marilyn at 970-444-5005.

DO YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW HAVE AN INTEREST IN SERVING ON A BOARD OF DIRECTORS?



WITH YOU... EVERY STEP OF THE WAY

Southern Ute Community Action Programs, Inc. (SUCAP) is looking for community members who are interested in human services, non-profit organizations and would like to be involved in new and exciting initiatives impacting your community.



All residents within the Ignacio 11JT School District and the Southern Ute reservation are eligible to apply.

To pick up an application or to suggest a candidate,

please contact
Naomi Russell at 970-563-4517 – 285 Lakin Street, Ignacio – nrussell@sucap.org

KSUT Board of Directors Vacancy

KSUT Radio is seeking one Southern Ute tribal member to fill a vacancy on its board of directors. This is a non-paid position that requires attending board meetings every month, with additional special meetings as needed. KSUT is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Please send a letter of interest to Rob Rawles at KSUT, P.O. Box 737, Ignacio, CO 81137. Open until filled.

SOUTHERN UTE INDIAN TRIBE Powwow Committee Vacancy

The Southern Ute Indian Tribe has two Powwow committee member vacancies. Candidates must be an enrolled Southern Ute Tribal member, or a Native American community member. Members serve on a voluntary basis. The responsibility of the Southern Ute Indian Tribe Powwow Committee is to nurture and promote a positive image of the Southern Ute Indian Tribe. All interested individuals are to submit a letter of intent to the Personnel Department in the Leonard C. Burch Tribal Administration building. The deadline is September 6, 2014.

SOUTHERN UTE CULTURAL CENTER AND MUSEUM Board of Directors Vacancy

Southern Ute Cultural Center and Museum (SUCCM) is actively seeking a qualified tribal or community member who would be available for regularly scheduled and emergency meetings throughout the year for its Board of Directors. For more information, please call 970-563-9583 during regular business hours. A letter of intent should be submitted in person to SUCCM or by mail at PO Box 737 #95 Ignacio, CO 81137.

LAND FOR SALE Attention tribal members/employees

Get to work in 5 minutes from this 16-irrigated acres on the Southern Ute Indian Tribe reservation, 4 easy miles north from Ignacio, one full irrigation water share from the King Ditch, south sloping land growing hay, average 650 bales one cutting, w/pond, electricity at property line, entirely fenced, private, excellent access road, asking price has been reduced to \$170K but will discount \$5K to Southern Ute Tribal member or Southern Ute Tribal employee for a quick close please call Steve Williams 970-884-1326 or email questions to ljmforever53@gmail.com for more details.

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LABOR DAY WEEKEND - SUNDAY, AUGUST 31, 2014

On Sunday of Rally Weekend, finalists will be drawn every hour from NOON-9PM. At 9:15PM, each of our Ticket To Ride winners from the month will choose one of 14 mini H-D HOG Banks. One lucky winner will be the "king of the road" on a brand new H-D Road King®.

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Southern Ute Growth Fund – Job announcements

Please visit our website at www.sugf.com/jobs.asp to view job details and to apply online.
Human Resources • PO Box 367, Ignacio, CO 81137 • Phone: 970-563-5064 • Job hotline: 970-563-5024
Tribal member employment preference • Must pass pre-employment drug test and background check

Lease Operator II – Red Willow Production Co. Closing date 9/2/14

In Ignacio, Colo., under general direction of the Red Willow Production Foremen, this position manages and maintains field operations to ensure that production proceeds safely and efficiently in compliance with all regulations, and in a manner consistent with Tribal priorities and concerns. Assists in collecting and maintaining accurate data related to operations including production data and equipment data.

Maintenance Tech I – Aka Energy Group Closing date 9/2/14

In Gilcrest, Colo., maintaining equipment at the gas processing plant and field compressor stations safely and efficiently. Contributes to the efficient management of the plant and equipment to meet company goals.

Maintenance Tech II – Aka Energy Group Closing date 9/2/14

In Gilcrest, Colo., maintaining equipment at the gas processing plant and the field compressor stations safely and efficiently. Provide support for engineering projects and oversee third party contractors during maintenance and construction projects. Performs work related to operation, maintenance, and repair of plant and compression equipment, including processing plant equipment, pumps, gas and refrigeration compressors, coolers, electric generation, dehydration equipment, and control systems.

Maintenance Tech III – Aka Energy Group Closing date 9/2/14

In Gilcrest, Colo., maintaining equipment at the gas processing plant and the field compressor stations safely and efficiently. Provide support for engineering projects and oversee third party contractors during maintenance and construction projects. Serve as the primary relief for the maintenance supervisor in his absence. Performs work related to operation, maintenance, and repair of plant and compression equipment, including processing plant equipment, pumps, gas and refrigeration compressors, coolers, electric generation, dehydration equipment, and control systems.

Measurement I – Aka Energy Group Closing date 9/2/14

In Gilcrest, Colo., completing all gas measurement and cathodic protection related activities and work tasks. Performs work related to operation and maintenance of measurement equipment at plant and field facilities, including processing plants, compressors, compressor stations, and dehydration equipment. Maintains and calibrates measurement equipment and facilities.

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Operations Tech I – Aka Energy Group Closing date 9/2/14

In Gilcrest, Colo., operating one or more gas plant processes, including widely diversified job tasks within the same process, in a safe manner; responsible for assisting in shutdown planning. Plant facilities could include gas processing plants, plant compressors, electric generation, dehydration equipment, control systems, treating systems as well as other processes. Facility will be operated as efficiently and profitably as possible.

Operator III – Aka Energy Group Closing date 9/2/14

In Gilcrest, Colo., operating one or more gas plant processes, including widely diversified job tasks within the same process, in a safe manner; responsible for assisting in shutdown planning. Plant facilities could include gas processing plants, plant compressors, electric generation, dehydration equipment, control systems, treating systems as well as other processes.

Operator II – Aka Energy Group Closing date 9/2/14

In Gilcrest, Colo., operating one or more gas plant processes, including widely diversified job tasks within the same process, in a safe manner. Plant facilities could include gas processing plants, plant compressors, electric generation, dehydration equipment, control systems, treating systems as well as other processes.

Royalty Auditor – Department of Energy Closing date 9/12/14

In Ignacio, Colo., performs audits of Southern Ute Tribal oil and gas royalties.

Sky Ute Casino Resort – Job announcements

Visit our website at www.skyutecasino.com to view job openings and apply online.
Human Resources • Phone: 970-563-1311 • PO Box 340, Ignacio, CO 81137
TERO-Native American Preference • All Applicants Welcome • Must pass pre-employment drug test, background check, and qualify for and maintain a Division of Gaming License.

*Beverage Server (On-call) Closing date 8/25/14

Prepare beverages prior to serving and will be required to lift and move up to 60 pounds regularly, including the responsibility of all cash and complimentary transactions. High School diploma/GED. 21 years old+. Related work experience and/or training preferred.

*Bowling and Recreation Shift Manager (Full-time) Closing date 8/25/14

Oversees all operations of the Rolling Thunder Lanes (including pin spotters, all back of house equipment, shoe rental, pinsetters, automatic scoring machines, lanes, personnel, leagues, private events and parties), the Arcade, Party /Billiard room, POS, Miniature Golf, Casino playground and all family activities associated with these venues. 21 years old+. Must have a Bachelor's Degree and a minimum of 2 years experience in industry management (Retail, Entertainment, Hospitality or Restaurant) or Associate's Degree and a minimum of 3 years experience in industry management or High School Diploma /GED and 4 years experience in industry mgmt. Must have extensive knowledge of operations, maintenance, and repair of bowling facilities equipment, including AMF regulatory compliance.

*Craps Dealer (Full-time) Closing date 8/25/14

Deals all craps games while providing a positive guest experience through accurate, prompt, courteous and efficient service. 21 years old+. High School diploma/GED. 1 year experience as a Craps dealer with Dealer School Certification or 3 years experience dealing craps, or Sky Ute Casino Dealer Certificate. Must pass audition.

Fine Dining Busser (Full-time) Closing date 8/25/14

Clears off and sanitizes tables for the next group of guests, disposes of trash and other waste and keeps the restaurant stocked with adequate supplies such as plates, glasses, silverware and napkins. Busser will help cooks, servers, dishwashers and bartenders perform small tasks as needed. 18 years old+. High School diploma/GED. Must have a minimum of 1 year experience in a luxury hotel, resort or fine dining restaurant.

Fine Dining Server (On-call) Closing date 8/25/14

Provides an exceptional fine dining experience by delivering first class guest service of food and beverages to include: taking the order and delivering food and beverage

items. High School diploma/GED. 21 years old+. Minimum 1 year waiter/waitress experience in a luxury hotel, resort or fine dining restaurant. 1 year of cashiering and food service experience. Must be able to demonstrate superior food and wine knowledge. Must have knowledge of service techniques including French Service dining experience.

*Multi-Games Dealer (On-call) Closing date 8/25/14

Deals Blackjack (Class 3), Three Card poker, Roulette and specialty games while providing a positive guest experience through accurate, prompt, courteous, and efficient service. High School Diploma/GED. 6 months Table Games Dealer experience or Dealer School Certification. Must pass audition.

*Poker Dealer (On-call) Closing date 8/25/14

Deals the various games of Class 2 poker while promoting a positive guest experience through accurate, prompt, courteous, and efficient service. High School diploma/GED. 21 years old+ 6 month experience as a poker dealer or Dealer School Certification. Must pass audition.

*Sous Chef (Full-time) Closing date 8/25/14

Directs and supervises food preparation and guest services in the Restaurants, ensures quality and consistency as it relates to food handling, storage, kitchen and restaurant sanitation, food service and presentation in the dining rooms. High School diploma/GED. 21 years old+. Minimum of 3 years kitchen management experience in restaurant and banquet production, and demonstrated knowledge of cost controls and experience management required. Culinary Arts Degree preferred.

*Count Team Manager (Full-time) Closing date 8/28/2014

The Count Manager is responsible for the Count Department that pulls, counts and calculates the daily revenue produced by the gaming revenue departments. The Count Manager directs, motivates, coaches, hires, trains, plans, and ensures safety, security and compliance, while providing technical and professional support to the count team and interdepartmental customers. Must have a High School diploma/GED. 21 years+. Must have 4 years extensive cash handling experience. Must have 3 years Supervisor/Manager experience. Count team experience is preferred.

*Must be at least 21 years old.

Southern Ute Indian Tribe Job announcements

Please refer to the complete job announcements on the Human Resources website at www.southern-ute.nsn.us/jobs. If you need help filling out an online application, please come into the HR office and we are happy to assist you on our applicant computer stations. ALL EMPLOYMENT APPLICATIONS ARE SUBMITTED ONLINE. Applicants and employees, please be sure the HR Department has your current contact information on file. P.O. Box 737 - Ignacio, CO 81137

Phone: 970-563-0100 ext. 2424 • Fax: 970-563-0302
Hotline: 970-563-4777

Human Resources accepts applications for temporary employment on an ongoing basis.

General Ledger/Fixed Assets Manager Closing date 8/29/14

Provides oversight and guidance throughout the fixed assets management and general ledger functions, to include closing the books, assuring consistency and adherence to general accounting rules and regulations and Tribal policies and procedures. Pay grade 22: \$60,320/year.

Human Resources Director Closing date 10/31/14

Under general direction of the Executive Officer, is responsible for management of the Human Resources Department, Employee Benefits Division, and the Risk and Emergency Management Division within the Tribal Organization. Incumbent is responsible for planning activities, overseeing direction of department and establishing an internal evaluation process for the Human Resources Department. Responsibilities include the day-to-day supervision, problem resolution, support, guidance, policy interpretation, and technical assistance to directors, division heads, and supervisors. The Director of Human Resources will identify and train a Southern Ute Tribal Member to assume the position of Director of Human Resources within five years of hire. The training program will follow a written training plan to be developed in conjunction with the Tribe's Executive Officer and other personnel as appropriate

Quichas Apartments For Rent

Two 2BR/2.5 BA apartments for rent. One is available now; one in October. Garage. No Pets. Southern Ute Tribal Member Preference. Must pass credit and background checks and have excellent references from previous landlords. \$473/mo + utilities. Two months' rent as security deposit. Applications are available by email at shey@sugf.com, use the subject line, Quichas Application; or in person at the Three Springs Information Center, 175 Mercado Street, Suite 131, Durango, CO 81301 during working hours – Monday-Friday, 8AM-5PM. All applications must be filled out completely & legibly and returned by 5PM, Friday, September 5, 2014. You must complete a new application even if you have filled one out in the past.

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Power Tribe 2PM-3PM
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Arsenic Kitchen 5PM-6PM
Skull Theory 6:30PM-7:30PM
9 Electric 8PM-9PM

COUNTRY ROCK SUNDAY

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Dave Mensch 4PM-5PM
Delta Sonics 5:30PM-6:30PM
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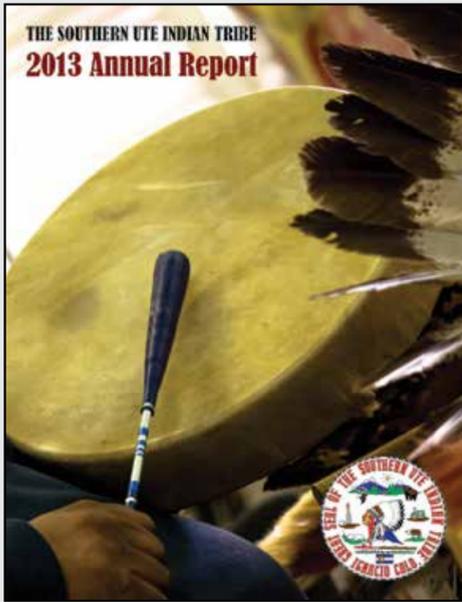
Memorial gets new home



Damon Toledo/SU Drum

The placard honoring Raymond J. DeKay was recently moved to a more appropriate spot. The memorial was moved to the library just under the flag pole so it is more visible and easier take care of, Christopher DeKay, said. The placard used to be located in front of the Legion Hall but when it was sold it never really got seen as much. The memorial pays tribute to Mr. Raymond J. DeKay for his years of service to the military and the community.

2013 annual reports available



Attention Southern Ute tribal members:

The 2013 Southern Ute Indian Tribe's annual report is available for pick up in The Southern Ute Drum office. Tribal members who would like to receive a copy by mail can request for one by contacting the Drum at 970-563-0118, or by email at sudrum@southernute-nsn.gov. An electronic PDF version will also be available for download on the Southern Ute tribal member website <http://www.southernute-nsn.gov/members>.

FIRE RESTRICTIONS

Southern Ute reservation rescinds Stage I fire restrictions

Staff report
SU AGENCY, BIA

Due to recent rain and high relative humidity, Stage I fire restrictions have been rescinded for all trust lands throughout the Southern Ute Indian Reservation. Although the threat of fast developing wildland fire has diminished, people are still

asked to be very cautious and use common sense when encountering or using fire.

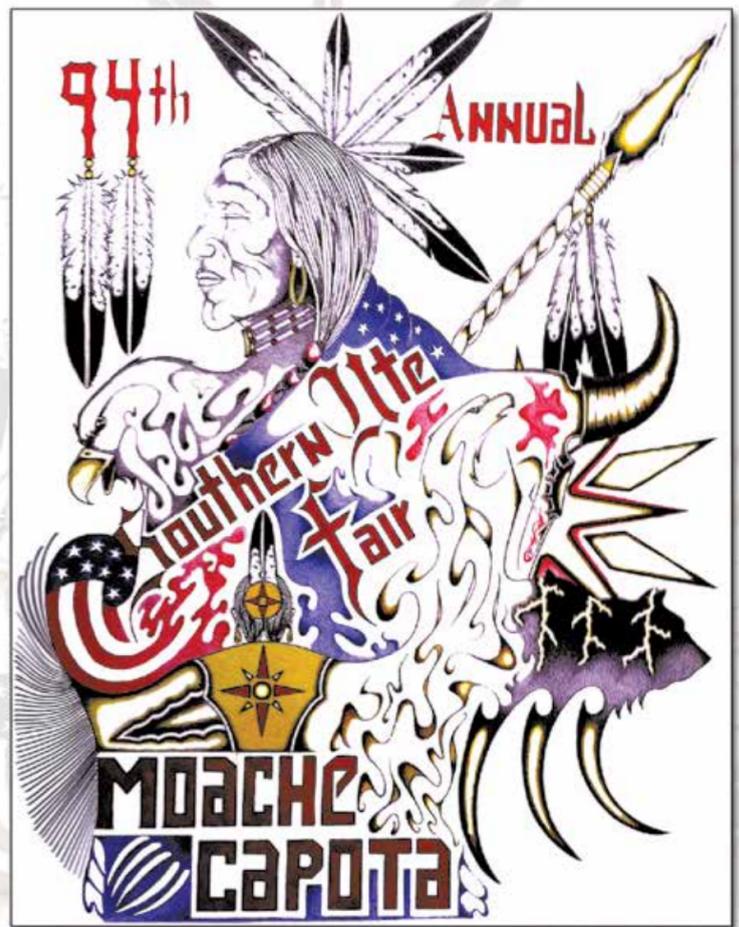
Lighting is forecast to continue throughout the area and residents are encouraged to follow appropriate lighting safety protocol.

Southern Ute Agency Fire Management personnel have responded to 24 wildland fires on the reservation

to date. The largest fire has been 1.0 acre as the rain and humidity have aided in keeping the fires small so far this season.

If you have any further questions, please contact Southern Ute Agency Fire Management at 970-563-4571.

The Restrictions were rescinded effective at 0:01 a.m., July 16, 2014.



Southern Ute Tribal Fair & Powwow

Fair theme: "Moache Capota"
September, 12-14, 2014

Sky Ute Fairgrounds • Southern Ute Indian Reservation • Ignacio, Colo.
Tribal Fair Info: Tara Vigil, Special Events Coordinator 970-563-0100, ext. 3624
Powwow Info: Edward Box III: 970-779-8940, Joyce Dutchie 970-799-2145, Jodie Tahlo 970-769-9174
Arts & Crafts Vendor Info: Dustin Weaver 970-759-0690
Food Vendor Info: Kendra Alexander 970-563-5541
Tribal Fair Logo & Theme: Gabe Peabody

LOCAL IGNACIO WEATHER

Friday, Aug. 22



Partly sunny 76°F

Saturday, Aug. 23



Mostly sunny 78°F

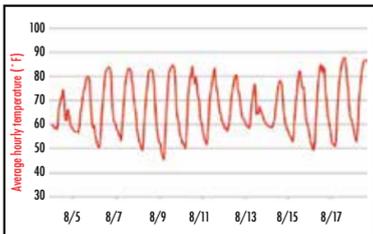
Sunday, Aug. 24



Mostly sunny 82°F

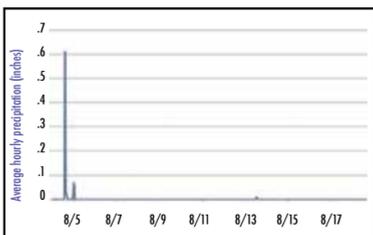


Weather data for August 4 – August 18



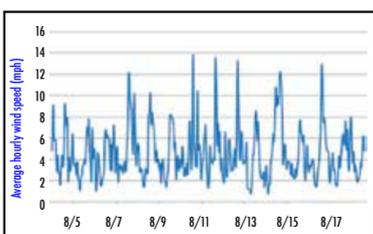
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High 87.6°
Low 45.7°
Average 66.8°
Average last year 64.4°



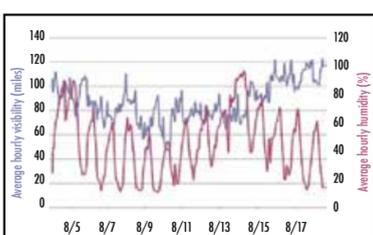
Precipitation

Total .750"
Total last year 0.650"



Wind speed

Average 4.6
Minimum 0.8
Maximum 13.8



Visibility & humidity

Average visibility 87.2
Average humidity 46.0%

Air quality: Good

Air quality descriptor: 50



94TH SOUTHERN UTE FAIR

POWWOW

SEP 12 - 14, 2014

HEAD STAFF

- Master of Ceremonies - Howie Thomson
- Drum Judge - Bart Stevens
- Arena Director - Richard Street
- Northern Drum - Tha Tribe
- Southern Drum - Red Stone
- Gourd Dance Drum - Cozad
- Head Gourd Dancer - Russell Blackbird
- Gourd Dance MC - Gerald Schrock

DRUM CONTEST

Northern	Southern
1st \$10,000	1st \$10,000
2nd \$5,000	2nd \$5,000
3rd \$3,000	3rd \$3,000
4th \$2,000	4th \$2,000

POWWOW INFORMATION

Edward Box III - 970.779.8940
Joyce Dutchie - 970.779.2145
Jody Tahlo - 970.769.9174

CONTEST CATEGORIES

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Senior Age	\$1000	\$800	\$600	-
Golden Age	\$1000	\$800	\$600	-
Men & Women	\$1000	\$800	\$600	-
Teen	\$600	\$500	\$300	\$200
Junior	\$400	\$300	\$200	\$100
Tiny Tots	Paid Daily			

VENDOR INFORMATION

Arts & Crafts - Dustin Weaver - 970.769.0690
Food Concession - Kendra Alexander - 970.563.5541

GRAND ENTRY

Friday - 7PM
Saturday - 1PM & 7PM
Sunday - 1PM

REGISTRATION

Fri 5PM thru Sat Noon

www.southernute-nsn.gov/culture/powwow@thesouthernute-nsn.gov

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The Powwow Committee is not responsible for accidents, injuries, or theft. Alcohol, drugs and firearms prohibited.