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Iroquois Lacrosse team visit Denver

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# Team Colorado compete in Canada, NAIG



Robert L. Ortiz/SU Drum

Team Colorado pose for a quick photo before boarding the bus beginning their journey to the Great White North. A blessing was done by Southern Ute tribal elder Byron Frost and a prayer offered for a safe journey as the team compete in Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada during the 2014 North American Indigenous Games (NAIG), July 20 through July 26.



Sacha Smith/SU Drum

Michael Mills, Ute Mountain, carries in the Colorado state flag into the opening ceremony of the North American Indigenous Games.

See more NAIG photos in this issue of the Drum on pages 6-7. A follow-up to the games will be in the Aug. 8 issue of the Drum, look for slideshows and video of the games on the Drum's website at [www.sudrum.com](http://www.sudrum.com)



Sacha Smith/SU Drum

Team Colorado's volleyball team take their turn holding the Team Colorado banner during the opening ceremony.

## NAIG, part one

By Sacha Smith  
THE SOUTHERN UTE DRUM

Colo. to Regina, Saskatchewan to represent Colorado.

As of Thursday, July 24 half of the participating sports at the North American Indigenous games have come to an end.

Team Colorado began its journey to the games on Friday, July 18 making the 1,200 mile trip from Ignacio,

### BASKETBALL

The day after Team Colorado's arrival in Canada, the girls and boys basketball teams kicked off the games before the opening ceremony even began.

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### SPOTLIGHT ON...

## KSUT Public Radio

**Part 2 of 3: Throughout its ongoing years providing service to the Southern Ute Indian Tribe, KSUT Public Radio has continued to expand its name into the homes of listeners. Over the next three issues, the Drum will be highlighting the history surrounding KSUT's origin as well as the station's plans for its foreseeable future. Tune in to KSUT Tribal Radio 91.3 FM in Ignacio ([www.ksut.org](http://www.ksut.org)) for ongoing broadcast of tribal related news, music, and information.**

## 2000's: KSUT makes the split

By Sacha Smith  
THE SOUTHERN UTE DRUM

KSUT was first known as a tribal radio station. But as many may not be aware, KSUT is now an independently operated radio station on the Southern Ute Indian Reservation. Gradually shifting from a tribally funded station to an independent non-profit through the early 2000's.

"Over the last two decades KSUT has become financially independent ... and to which today and for the last decade we have been operating independent of tribal financial support, other than in-kind," KSUT Development Director, Bruce Campbell said. "The Tribe has, and still does provide generous in-kind support and that makes up about 10 percent of the budget today."

According to Campbell KSUT has an annual budget of about one million dollars coming from a variety of sources including: the Corporation of Public



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Broadcasting, four corners memberships, underwriting, grants and the Tribes in-kind services.

The in-kind services provided by the Tribe include; accounting services, access to the employee benefit plan, and use of the KSUT building.

"With the growth and popularity of the Four Corners signal, we became independent of tribal funding because of the support of the greater four corners community, from memberships and underwriting," he said. "It was a gradual independence."

Though KSUT is an in-

dependent non-profit it still remains a tribal organization through bylaws that mandate Native Americans hold the majority of the seats on the KSUT Board of Directors, he said.

In 2000, KSUT split into the two signals, Four Corners Public Radio and KSUT Tribal Radio. Broadcasting native and none native music on one signal was difficult and confusing to some listeners, he said.

"By only broadcasting on one signal; we weren't serving either group of lis-

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### ROAD RUNNER STAGE LINES

## Durango-Grand Junction bus service to start July 15

By Peter Tregillus  
SOUTHERN UTE COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAMS

Southern Ute Community Action Programs, Inc. (SUCAP) is announcing the restoration of Durango-Grand Junction ground transportation beginning Tuesday, July 15. Service will be by motor-coach, seven days per week, 365 days per year, and will operate under the name (dba) of Road Runner Stage Lines.

The route will leave Durango at 7 a.m. and travel via Durango, Mancos, Cortez, Dolores, Rico, Telluride, Placerville, Ridgway Montrose, Delta, arriving in Grand Junction at 12:38 p.m. The return trip will leave Grand Junction at 1:45 p.m., arriving back in Durango at 7:47 p.m.

The one-way fare Durango-Grand Junction is \$40. Here is a fare schedule.

The coach is equipped with a wheelchair lift. The service welcomes riders who have disabilities, who are encouraged to communicate their needs to drivers.

This restores inter-city bus service discontinued by Greyhound in September, 2011. Greyhound continues to operate bus service connecting Grand Junction with Denver, Las Vegas-Los Angeles, and the rest of the national Greyhound system.

Shortly after the Greyhound announcement, SUCAP contacted CDOT to explore ways to restore the Colorado portion of the route. With the approval of the SUCAP Board of Directors, SUCAP submitted an application to CDOT in June, 2012 and received a notice of grant in September. However, complica-



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tions in funding to purchase the two vehicles required to operate the service (rotating service and maintenance) have delayed startup from the original target date of May, 2013 to July 15, 2014.

Sidny Zink, Transportation Commissioner for CDOT Region 5 said, "This is such a great example of parties coming together to meet a need, where one party could not do it alone. It took time and tenacity to make it happen, but it did, the SUCAP team."

Clayton Richter, director of SUCAP's Road Runner Transportation program division, reported, "We have been getting calls for over a year asking when this service will hit the road. We are very happy to be starting service July 15 with experienced drivers. We would like to thank the City of Durango for entering into a lease with SUCAP so that riders can access the service at the Durango Transit Center."

Peter Tregillus, SUCAP's Program Developer said, "SUCAP is very pleased with the partnership with CDOT and Greyhound, resulting in an affordable transportation alternative for everyone of rural Colorado. Not everyone can afford to fly in today's econo-

my, and sometimes it doesn't make sense to fly."

Funding to operate the route come from fares, with 12-month operational deficits up to \$245,000 covered with Federal Transit Administration Section 5311-f funds managed by the CDOT Division of Transit and Rail. SUCAP does not anticipate an operational deficit that high since it will be operating only part of the year in 2014. Funding to purchase the two coaches comes from FTA 5311-f funds and State of Colorado FASTER funds.

To start, riders may purchase tickets from the driver in cash (exact amount, no change will be carried by the driver), or with a credit or debit card. In a few weeks (but not right now), passengers traveling within the Durango-Grand Junction route segment will be able to purchase tickets online at [www.roadrunnerstagelines.com](http://www.roadrunnerstagelines.com). Right now, however, basic information on fares and schedules may be found at [www.sucap.org](http://www.sucap.org).

Passengers traveling within the Greyhound system will be able to purchase tickets to Denver or any other Greyhound destination online at

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## ROAD RUNNER STAGE LINES • FROM PAGE 1

www.greyhound.com starting July 15. Passengers traveling to southwest Colorado destinations served by Road Runner Stage Lines from departure points across the country may also purchase tickets online at www.greyhound.com.

The route is a collaborative partnership between SUCAP, CDOT and Greyhound. The service will be "inter-lined" with the Greyhound system. That means that riders anywhere in the Greyhound system will be able to purchase tickets online at www.greyhound.com. Southwest Colorado destinations are set to go "live" July 15, but riders are cautioned to be prepared to pay the driver while the service gets experience with ticket purchase systems.

Road Runner Stage Lines is operated by the Road Runner

Transportation program division of Southern Ute Community Action Programs, Inc. (SUCAP). SUCAP was established in 1966 by the Southern Ute Indian Tribe and its non-tribal neighbors in Ignacio, CO to meet community needs.

SUCAP is not a part of the Southern Ute Indian Tribe, but serves as its delegate agency in operating programs for the Tribe. SUCAP also operates other programs independent of the Tribe. All SUCAP programs and services are available to persons without regard to race, religion, ethnicity, gender or gender identity. SUCAP now operates programs through six program divisions:

- Southern Ute Montessori Head Start and Early Head Start (child and family development)

- The Training Advantage (the job training partner in Colorado Workforce Centers serving 17 counties)

- Peaceful Spirit (residential and outpatient alcohol and substance treatment)

- The Ignacio Senior Center (nutrition and special transportation services for persons with disabilities and the elderly)

- SUCAP Youth Services (positive youth development, youth substance use prevention, and after-school)

- Road Runner Transportation (scheduled service on three routes: Ignacio-Durango, Ignacio-Aztec, NM, Bayfield-Durango; Ignacio Area Dial-a-Ride service)

For more information, contact Peter Tregillus at the SUCAP offices 970-403-0614, or email at ptregillus@sucap.org.

### ROAD RUNNER STAGE LINES SCHEDULE

DURANGO to GRAND JUNCTION			GRAND JUNCTION to DURANGO		
Location	Arrives	Departs	Location	Arrives	Departs
Durango		7:00 AM	Grand Junction		1:45 PM
Mancos		7:30 AM	Delta		2:30 PM
Cortez	7:47 AM	8:02 AM	Montrose	2:56 PM	3:11 PM
Dolores		8:15 AM	Ridgway		3:43 PM
Rico		8:57 AM	Placerville	4:26 PM	
Telluride (Conoco)	9:39 AM	10:09 AM	Telluride (Conoco)	4:35 PM	5:05 PM
Placerville		10:18 AM	Rico		5:47 PM
Ridgway		10:45 AM	Dolores		6:29 PM
Montrose	11:17 AM	11:32 AM	Cortez	6:42 PM	6:57 PM
Delta		11:58 AM	Mancos		7:14 PM
Grand Junction		12:43 PM	Durango		7:44 PM

### 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.

**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.

**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.

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

### 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



## MANY MOONS AGO



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### 10 years ago

County Road 314, as it nears Highway 172 from the west, will have a distinctly different look in a couple of weeks. The road will actually take a turn to the southern and come down across what was the old Show Me Farm. That portion of the old CR 314 the "ramp" is replacing will be closed to through traffic and allow access only to nearby residences. Paving on the CR 314/316 Project will begin on Monday, July 26, beginning at the west end of 314. During the two-week paving job, traffic will be restricted to one lane.

This photo first appeared in the July 23, 1984, edition of The Southern Ute Drum.



SU Drum archive

### 20 years ago

Natural Resources Division Chief Mike Olguin examines map of burn with members of the Zuni fire crew.

This photo first appeared in the July 22, 1984, edition of The Southern Ute Drum.



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### 30 years ago

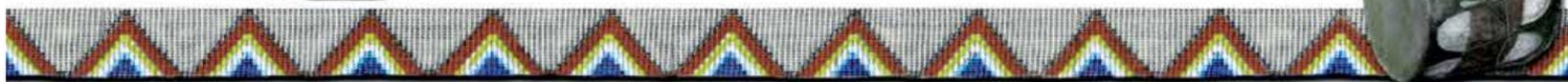
Arco computer camp banquet night certificates were handed out to the Computer Camp participants by Mr. Briggs, Lillian Seibel, and Don Bushnell, Computer instructor.

This photo first appeared in the July 27, 1984, edition of The Southern Ute Drum.

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## UTE HUNGER GAMES

KIDS, come to the Southern Ute Cultural Center and Museum for an exciting, fun-filled week of activities AUGUST 4th-8th!!!!

### OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY

There will be a morning session and an afternoon session each day.

- Morning session: 9:30 am - 12pm  
Ages 7-9
- Afternoon session: 1pm - 3:30pm  
Ages 10-13
- Fee: \$120 per child, this includes all fees associated with the activities.

\*Please preregister by August 1, 2014\*

For more information or to register your child please call 970-563-9583 and ask for Venessa Carel.

Learn Ute survival skills passed down from generation to generation such as:

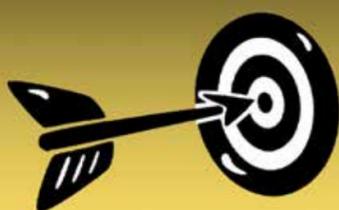
- » Shelter
- » Weaponry
- » Food
- » Fire

Team competition on the last day.

"A spark could be enough to set them ablaze."

## Youth Archery Challenge and Family Campout

FREE



August 9-10 1 p.m.

Youth from ages 4 to 18 and their families can sign up now for this event. Learn traditional archery. Bows, prizes, instructors, dinner on Saturday, breakfast on Sunday, and a great speaker are all provided free. Camping is available overnight if you are with an adult family member. Sign up by August 1st. Sponsored by S.U.P.D.

Call Jesse at SUPD for information and to sign up: 563-0246 x3301

Event will take place at Lake Capote

## CULTURAL UPDATE

### 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.

### TRIBAL FAIR VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

The Culture Department is looking for volunteers to take in, register, categorize and organize the exhibits for the 94th Annual Southern Ute Fair. If you interested contact Tara Vigil, Events Coordinator at 970-563-0100 ext. 3624.

## Culture travel to DC for NCAI



photos courtesy SU Culture Dept.

The Culture Department's Heritage dancers performed the Bear Dance at the Smithsonian Institute's National Museum of the American Indian for the Annual Living Earth Festival, July 18-20, 2014 in Washington DC. The Department hosted a booth and distributed information on the Tribe, it's Culture and the Sky Ute Casino Resort. Pictured l-r: Edward Box III, Elise Redd, Dixie Naranjo, Cassandra Naranjo, Alexandria Roubideaux, Tauri Raines first attendant Little Miss Southern Ute, Lorelei Coud, Keona Whitey and Kree Lopez.



Christian Thompson, Keith Thompson (Cat man), and Daniel Rohde, make time for a quick smile between performances at the National Museum for American Indians.

Edward Box III (left) helps Keona Whitey with her scarf.

## SUCCM UPDATE

### 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 please feel free to contact Venessa Carel at 970-563-9583.

### SUCCM SEEKING BOARD MEMBERS

Southern Ute Cultural Center and Museum (SUCCM) is seeking a qualified tribal or community member 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.

### SUCCM LOOKING FOR CHEFS

Southern Ute Cultural Center and Museum is looking for Tribal Member chefs who are willing to participate in our Taste of Native Cuisine, an event that will be held on November 15. These cooks will prepare appetizers, side dishes and desserts and will work alongside Karlos Baca, who will be preparing the main dish. Please contact Venessa Carel at 970-563-9583 no later than August 1, if you would like to participate. The participating chefs will be rotated for our future Taste of Native Cuisine events.

# 94<sup>TH</sup> 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 Tahl - 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			

### SHELL DRESS DANCE CONTEST

(Must show Tribal ID)	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Ute Women	\$1200	\$1000	\$800	\$600

### 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

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powwow@southernute-nsn.gov

## SKY UTE FAIRGROUNDS \* IGNACIO, CO

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



## 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 Tahl 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



## AGRICULTURE

### Applications for the Cost-share program now being accepted

**Staff report**  
SU WATER QUALITY PROGRAM

The Water Quality Program for the Southern Ute Indian Tribe is now accepting applications for the 2015 Cost-share program.

The Cost-share program is aimed at land managers living within the exterior boundaries of the South-

ern Ute Indian Reservation on the Animas, Florida and Pine watersheds who are interested in implementing Best Management Practices (BMPs) for more efficient irrigation and/or riparian protection/improvements.

Majority of costs are covered by the Tribe through conservation agreements in which BMPs such as surface gated pipe, underground pipe

and inlet structures, or riparian fencing/ off stream watering sources are implemented.

Such BMPs limit return flows from irrigated land and restore/protect critical riparian zones, thus decreasing erosion and other pollutants into our local watersheds.

Call project coordinator Pete Nylander at 970-563-0135, ext. 2214 for more information.

### Weeminuche Avenue Closure



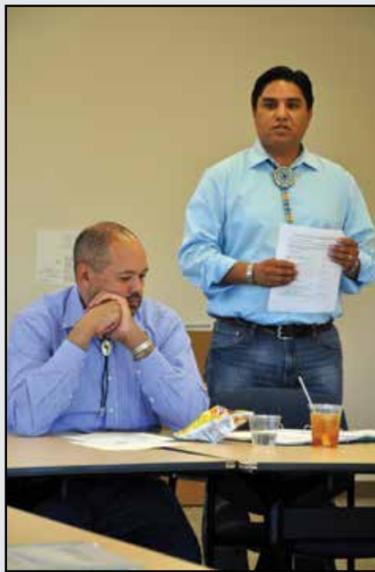
Weeminuche Avenue, between the Southern Ute Clinic and the Annex building parking lot, will be closed between July 28 and August 1, and Ouray Drive will be closed for approximately two weeks from September 1-12. Weeminuche Avenue will have a signal installed and Ouray Drive will be transformed into a right-in/right-out only intersection.

### Colo. Human Services visits



Fabain Martinez/SU Drum

Members of the Colorado Department of Human Services took a tour of the Southern Ute Tribal campus on Tuesday, July 22. Members of the Boys and Girls staff gave the tour and provided information about the various buildings. On their final stop they took a brief tour of the Cultural Center and Museum and got a brief lesson in Ute history.



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Robert L. Ortiz/SU Drum

Southern Ute Tribal council members Pathimi GoodTracks (above) and Aaron Torres welcomed the department of human services.

Colorado Commission of Indian Affairs Executive secretary, Ernest House Jr. (standing) gave a brief introduction of the goals for the strategic planning meeting. Colorado Department of Human Services Executive Director Reggie Bicha (seated) facilitated the meeting to better understand the needs of human services for the Southern Ute Indian Tribe.

### VA agreement with IHS



Sacha Smith/SU Drum

Rod Grove, Southern Ute veteran, checks in to an appointment at the Southern Ute Health Center Friday, July 11. Southern Ute Veterans Affairs and the Southern Ute Health Center have an agreement that increases access of care to veterans; as long as they're enrolled in the Veteran's Affairs Healthcare. Grove said this agreement saves veterans the hassle of traveling hundreds of miles to receive care.

### The Color Dash

by Powerhouse Science Center!

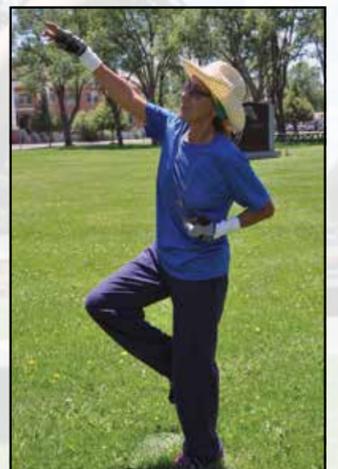
Packet Pick Up starts at 8:30 a.m.  
Color Dash starts at 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday, July 27

Three Springs Plaza  
Register at [www.thecoloradodash5k.com](http://www.thecoloradodash5k.com)

### My Birthday Gift To You...

"I'm 60 years old, I go to SunUte everyday. I would like to see more tribal members there at our fitness facility. When you exercise your body and mind you make better decisions. Set goals and reach them. We got it all here, use it." – Ula

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  - > LEARNING TO CONTROL YOUR OWN EMOTIONS INSTEAD OF HAVING THEM CONTROL YOU!
  - > HOW TO MAKE COMMUNICATION WORK FOR YOU
  - > FINDING THE 'MIDDLE PATH' WHEN IT SEEMS LIKE LIFE IS A STRUGGLE

Weekly series begins Tuesday, August 5 from 530 - 700 at the Southern Ute Education Center Classroom. Class is facilitated by Lillian Ramey, LCSW & Sara Hunt, LCSW, CACIII.

For more information or to register contact Lillian Ramey at 749-4491 or Lisa Pratchett at 749-6704. **YOUTH WILL HAVE SPECIAL CULTURAL PROGRAMMING DURING THE PARENT MEETING TIME. SNACKS WILL BE PROVIDED FOR EVERYONE**



## US ACHIEVEMENT ACADEMY

# Youngman recognized as a student of excellence

Media release

US ACHIEVEMENT ACADEMY

The United States Achievement Academy announced today that Summer Youngman from Ignacio, Co has been recognized by the United States Achievement Academy as a student of excellence in Honor Roll.

This is a prestigious honor very few students can hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes fewer than 10% of all American high school students.

Summer Youngman who attends Ignacio High School, was nominated for this honor by Rachel Rosenthal, a teacher at the school. Summer Youngman will appear in the United States Achievement Academy's Official Yearbook, which is published nationally.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in American's history. Certainly, United States Achievement Academy students should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, Founder of the United States Achievement Academy.

The Academy recognizes



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students upon the exclusive recommendation of teachers, coaches, counselors, and other qualified sponsors and upon the Standards for Selection set forth by the Academy. The Standards for Selection include academic per-

formance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a qualified sponsor.



Fabian Martinez/SU Drum

The new track and football field is nearing completion. Both the track and field will be completed by early to mid-August.

## IGNACIO HIGH SCHOOL

# New field and track in progress

By Fabian Martinez  
THE SOUTHERN UTE DRUM

The brand new Football Field at the Ignacio High school has been a much anticipated and exciting new facility for athletes and community members alike.

The new football field will feature a synthetic field, or Astro Turf, as opposed to a traditional field with real grass. The field will be one of the only synthetic fields

in the surrounding areas in Colorado.

The field will meet the new state standards for Football as well as Track, which could allow Ignacio High School to host Track Meets as a result.

The field and track are the only two things that will be brand new. The spectator stands and concession stand will not be remodeled and are still in excellent condition. Virtually, the stands

will be used for years to come.

The Field will be completed first and followed immediately by the track. The Football Field will be completed by the middle of August, and before the first football game of the season.

"So far it has been on schedule... [with very minor issues]," Says Superintendent Rocco Fuschetto, "Everything is moving right along as expected."

## Shooting stars in Colo. Springs



courtesy Kenneth Gomez

The Shooting Stars basketball team competed in Colo. Springs, July 11 through July 13. The girls took 5th place overall and 1st place in the consolation bracket. They would like to thank the Southern Ute Indian Tribe, the Ignacio and Bayfield communities and Subway of Durango for all of their support this summer with donations and fundraisers. Keep an eye out for these girls who will always be "Shooting for the Stars". Pictured left to right, back row: Coach Adam Tucson, Monika Lucero, Shelci Gosney, Aubree Farmer, Makayla Herrera, Marisa Carmenoros. Front row: Laci Brunson, Ebonee Gomez, Jayden Brunson, Charlize Valdez and Avaleena Nanaeto. Not pictured, Emmilia Price.

## Boys of summer continue play



Fabian Martinez/SU Drum

Ignacio's Lorenzo Pena (20) throws a fastball in the beginning of the first inning, Wednesday, July 9 against the Durango All-Stars in the Durango junior summer baseball league.



Kruz Pardo (above) steps up to bat during second inning action. The Ignacio team played their first game on Tuesday, July 8 beating Cortez 11 to 4.

Kai Roubideaux (left) concentrates on the game and prepares to catch the ball at third base if needed.

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## EDUCATION UPDATE

### NEXT JOM MEETING AUG. 4

The next scheduled Johnson-O'Malley Committee meeting will be Monday, August 4, at 5:30 p.m. at the Southern Ute Education Department.

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# Utes represent in Canada



Team Colorado waits their turn to enter into Mosaic Stadium for the opening ceremony of the North American Indigenous Games in Regina, Saskatchewan Sunday, July 19.

**The 2014 North American Indigenous Games (NAIG) are underway. The largest gathering of tribal athletes met in Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada July 20 through 27 for a week of competitive sports including basketball, volleyball, archery, and badminton among many others. Contestants from the Southern Ute Indian Tribe and Ute Mountain Ute Indian Tribe's brought their sportsmanship to the court(s) as they competed for the gold in their respective sports. The young participants challenged themselves as they took their perseverance and teamwork to the highest ranks.**

Photos by Sacha Smith  
The Southern Ute Drum



Tribal members from Southern Ute and Ute Mountain wave their tribal flags up high during roll call at Mosaic Stadium Sunday, July 19.



Anthony Suina, U19 Boys Basketball, shows his Colorado pride as he enters into the opening ceremony, Sunday, July 19.



Ellie Seibel, Michelle Simons and Chloe Seibel – U19 girl's basketball – smile as Team Colorado is introduced to the energetic crowd, Sunday, July 19.

## NAIG, PART ONE • FROM PAGE 1

Team Colorado had three basketball teams competing in the games: one girl's 19 and under team, and two boy's teams – 19 and under and 14 and under. The girls team and the 14 and under boy's team both made it to the medal rounds Wednesday, July 23. The girls took on Team Manitoba and the boys rallied with Team British Columbia.

Unfortunately, both teams lost in the bronze medal matches and ended up taking fourth place in their respected divisions. The U19 boys made for some exciting games at the University of Regina going down to the buzzer with Team New Brunswick on Tuesday, July 22. The boy's 19 and under basketball team ended their run in the consolation bracket losing to Team Florida on Wednesday July 23.

Though no medals were won in basketball, Team Colorado made a statement about how basketball is played in Colorado, showing tremendous heart and admirable sportsmanship.

### BADMINTON

Badminton started the games off Monday, July 21 in Regina, Saskatchewan. Team Colorado made a statement to fellow competi-

tors being the only U.S. team to have a badminton team. Thus, making badminton an international competition.

Freedom Hunter and Randy Herrera represented for Team Colorado – and the U.S.– on the badminton courts for three days. The boys went toe-to-toe with skilled Canadian teams and showed no fear.

No medals were won in badminton, but Team Colorado left an impression on all teams that badminton is not only a Canadian sport. Their participation can serve as inspiration to fellow U.S. teams to pursue badminton at the next North American Indigenous Games.

### ART PROGRAM

Ayesha Clark and Michael Mills, Ute Mountain, have been involved in the Art Program provided at NAIG. The Art Program has been busy all week helping plan and design the closing ceremony Saturday, July 26.

Volleyball, Golf, Swimming and Archery to end the games

Team Colorado has one 19 and under girl's volleyball team, four golfers, one swimmer, and four archers currently competing. There were no standings or results available at press time.



Miss Ute Mountain, Ayesha Clark, glances at her nametag decorated with pins from fellow tribes at the North American Indigenous Games, in Regina, Saskatchewan.



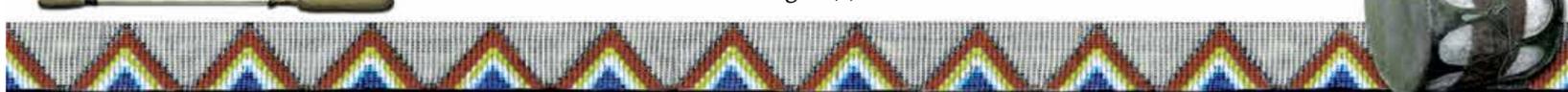
Members of the Team Colorado U19 boy's basketball team pose with the Colorado banner before the North American Indigenous Games Opening Ceremony, Sunday July 20 in Regina, Saskatchewan.



Teams proudly represented their tribes, displaying their traditional regalia during the opening ceremony.



Indigenous people of all ages gathered in Regina to celebrate culture and competition.



19 and under girl's basketball pose for photo after beating The Eastern Door & The North Monday, July 21 in Regina, Saskatchewan.



Chantelle Manuel, finishes the job draining her two freethrows vs Team Ontario Tuesday, July 22.

## Team Colorado stats as of July 23

### U19 GIRLS BASKETBALL

**Vs Eastern Door & The North**  
Final: 47-26 Team Colorado wins

**Vs Ontario**  
Final: 60-30 Ontario wins

**Vs Team Nunavut**  
Final: 66-27

**Vs Team New York**  
Final: 67-25 Team Colorado wins

### U14 BOYS BASKETBALL

**Vs Ontario**  
Final: 37-33 Ontario loses

**Vs Northwest Territory**  
Final: 50-33 Team Colorado wins

**Vs Alberta**  
Final: 50-45 Team Colorado wins

### U19 BOYS BASKETBALL

**Vs Manitoba**  
Final: 81-48 Manitoba loses

**Vs New Brunswick**  
Final: 61-60 Team Colorado loses

**Vs Nova Scotia**  
Final: 70-40 Team Colorado loses

### BADMINTON

Team Colorado was the only U.S. team to have a badminton team; making the sport an international competition.



Photos by Sacha Smith  
The Southern Ute Drum



Clay Seibel, U14 Boys Basketball, drives to the basket during Team Colorado's win versus Northwest Territories Monday, July 20. U14 boys finished out the games taking fourth place, losing to Team British Columbia in the bronze-medal match, Wednesday, July 22.



Team Colorado U19 boy's basketball battled with Team New Brunswick till the very end. Team Colorado couldn't hold on, and loss 61-60.



Albert Redd III hits a shot out of the rough on hole North 6 at Tor Hills Golf Course, Wednesday, July 23.



Keiston Goodtracks-Alires hits a shot down the fairway at Tor Hills Golf Course in Regina, Saskatchewan, Wednesday, July 23.



Natoni Cundiiff is representing Team Colorado in the 17 under golf competition at NAIG.



## IHS FOOTBALL

# Bobcats' slate features champs' visit

Non-conference to test IHS in 2014

By Joel Priest

SPECIAL TO THE DRUM

Strength-of-schedule?

As it stands at present, Ignacio's itinerary for the rapidly-approaching 2014 football season has plenty of it – and Bobcat fans will be getting a first-hand view of the USDA-prime

That is to say, with defending Class 1A champions Paonia (on Sept. 5th) and runners-up Centauri (Oct. 10th) each making a lengthy trip to the Pine River Valley, IHS will have a pair of shining opportunities to show that, perhaps, they were more State Playoffs-worthy—finishing 6-3 overall and 3-2 in the Southern Peaks Conference – last fall than thought by the CHSAA selectors in Aurora.

According to the Activities Calendar on Ignacio High's website, practices officially begin August 11, with a team mini-camp running in the evenings from the 4th through 9th. So knowing that, here's an early overview of the hard-hitting road (as it's currently been paved) ahead:

August 22, IHS at Hotchkiss ... A stout test in Zero Week, the Bulldogs went 7-3 overall in 2013, 4-1 in the 1A Western Slope Conference (second place, behind PHS), and made the postseason but lost at home to Burlington in the first round. Not exactly the sort of dire circumstances urgently warranting a change at the top, but that's still what happened at HHS.

The 'Dogs will have to adjust to the new coaching philosophies of a face recently made more familiar to Ignacio – former 2A Aspen boss Mike Sirko, as Zac Lemon left to man the helm at 2A Eaton, replacing the recently-retired Bill Mondt (once the head coach at the University of New Mexico from 1974-79; 19 of his former Lobos were either NFL Draft picks or later entries into the league).

September 5th, Paonia at IHS ... Surely the Eagles graduated more than a few essential gears in 2013's 12-1 machine, but that won't stop the highest of expectations from resting on the minds of Brent McRae, his staff and his returning players this season.

Five-for-five in the WSC, en route to winning the State Championship at home over CHS, three of Paonia's four games (also including a first-round win over Colorado Springs Christian and a second-round win over Monte Vista) in the State Playoffs



Joel Priest/Special to the Drum

Equipment awaits use before Ignacio's 2013 season. 2014 officially gets underway with practice on August 11.

were held in town. A semi-finals win over Buena Vista, however, did prove the Eagles had a knack to attack (and take over) enemy turf.

Sept. 12th, Pagosa Springs at IHS ... Skipper Scott Spode's Pirates sailed some treacherous waters last fall, and finished 3-6 overall—their three victories (and four of their defeats) all coming in 2A Western Conference action, and one of those by forfeit when Parachute Grand Valley had to relinquish an apparent 39-21 win.

Sept. 19th, IHS at Montezuma-Cortez ... Casey Coulter's Panthers weren't much better – if at all – than PSHS last fall. Finishing 3-7, MCHS' wins (and five of their losses) also all came at the expense of their conference-mates – the 3A Western Slope, in this case.

One defeat, unfortunately in their season opener, came at the expense of 1A Cedaredge – hinting that 2013 would, like so many seasons past, be an uphill climb. Dropping down into the newly-formed 2A Southwestern Conference won't exactly improve the odds of success; Montezuma-Cortez completes a circuit already including former 2A Westerners Alamosa, Bayfield, PSHS, Olathe and Gunnison.

Sept. 26th, IHS at John Mall ... Another week, another road trip, another set of Panthers.

Wrapping up the season's first full month with their SPC opener, Ignacio will make the easterly haul out to Huerfano County's seat of Walsenburg to face a JMHS squad that finished 1-8 overall – and 0-7 in the eight-team 1A Tri-Peaks – last fall under Davey Crockett, since replaced by Mike Vigil.

Themselves new to the SoPeaks in '14, John Mall's lone triumph last year came in a season-opening, 56-0 shellacking of SPC members Del Norte. But only two other contests were actually such, decided by a touchdown or less; SPC's

Center set in motion JMHS' downward spiral when the Panthers fell by 15 in the San Luis Valley.

October 3rd, IHS at Monte Vista ... The Pirates, coming off an 8-3 season including a first-round Playoffs win, will again serve as a major measuring stick for the 'Cats to gauge themselves against.

Oct. 10th, Centauri at IHS ... Kyle Forster's Falcons went 11-2 overall, and a first-place 5-0 in the SPC – locked up by a narrow 14-0 home win over MVHS – before reeling off Playoffs victories over Wray, Burlington and Limon prior to meeting Paonia. Fans that missed last year's aerial show at Falcon Field will enjoy the quarterbacking matchup between Ignacio's Adison Jones and CHS' K.C. Jarvies.

Oct. 17th, Center at IHS ... Always an entertaining clash, the emerging Vikings matched the Bobcats' overall win-loss record last season, but finished a game back in the conference standings as Ignacio prevailed 38-26 last year. Lee Flood's blue-and-white crew, however, were hit solidly by graduation and will be without standouts Luis Mariscal and Gustavo Nungaray.

Oct. 24th, Dolores at IHS ... Visuals of last season's cold and muddy – Ignacio had the pleasure of wearing their white uniforms, and a good many supporters had the displeasure of washing them – melee at the DHS Coliseum won't be forgotten by die-hard IHS fans.

The Bears, trying to rebuild after a 1-7, 1-4 campaign, will hope to forget the 50-0 score and prepare for their SPC rivals knowing that several 'Cats responsible [including receivers Clayton Jefferson and Adam Herrera] for the one-sided shutout have since concluded their student-athlete days at IHS.

Only problem is, many more have not, including Jones targets Wyatt Hayes and Nick Herrera.



courtesy Kenny Frost

The Iroquois National Lacrosse team arrived for the welcoming ceremonies held at Denver East High school on Monday, July 7. Southern Ute Tribal member, Kenny Frost (above) welcomed the team to Ute Country.

## NATIONAL LACROSSE

# Iroquois National Lacrosse team arrive, compete in Denver

By Kenny Frost  
SPECIAL TO THE DRUM

On July 7, the Iroquois National Lacrosse team arrived in Denver for the welcoming ceremonies held at Denver East High school.

I, Kenny Frost, had the honor of welcoming them to Ute Country, as caretakers of this land long ago. An exchange of eagle feathers was made to Oren Lyons, Tray Shanandoah and to the head coach of the Iroquois Lacrosse team.

The Iroquois team consisted of over 30 players but only 27 could be registered on the roster, support staff, coaches, trainers. Before arrived to the welcoming ceremonies in Denver The Iroquois Nationals were in Vail, Colorado scrimmaging against various teams from around the world.

The game of Lacrosse was born on the Six Nations confederation made of Six Nations of the Mohawk, Oneida, Onondaga, Cayuga, Seneca and Tuscarora and known as the "The people of the Longhouse." When a child is born they are given a lacrosse stick which they will have from the moment they are born until death as this stick will go with them into the after world. The children will learn to play lacrosse throughout their lives.

The lacrosse games were held at Dick's Sporting Good fields in Commerce City just north of the old Denver International airport.

In 2010, England refused to allow the Iroquois Nationals into the country to compete at the world championships in Manchester, England. England refused to acknowledge the Iroquois passport yet they have been traveling with



courtesy Kenny Frost

The Iroquois National Lacrosse team in action against Team Canada. Canada eventually went on to win Gold and Team USA won silver. This photo was used by the CBC, The Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, officially branded as CBC/Radio-Canada, is a Canadian crown corporation that serves as the national public radio and television broadcaster.

their own Iroquois passport over 30 years prior.

Due to this action the Iroquois Nationals fell in the world ranking and the Federation of International Lacrosse wouldn't allow the Iroquois Nationals back into the blue division to compete with USA, Canada, England, Australia to name a few. The Iroquois Nationals had support from teams around the world to to be placed back into the world lacrosse games and to competition in the games.

The Iroquois Nationals played England the first day of international competition, beating England.

What happen in the past was is in the past. "A bitter sweet victory," stated one of the spectators from Australia.

"What happen to the Iroquois shouldn't have been allowed. I'm very happy the Iroquois won."

Playing in a round robin

tournament, the Iroquois Nationals played teams such as England, Australia, USA, Canada, Scotland and Japan.

On the last day of competition the Iroquois Nationals played for the bronze medal against Australia and winning the bronze medal. While USA played against and lost to Canada.

Canada was awarded the gold medal and USA received the silver medal.

People travel from far away places to see the Iroquois Nationals – N.M., Washington, New York, Canada and as far away as Europe and Australia as well as the native communities from Denver and the Wind River Indian Reservation in Wyoming.

If you want to see more of the pictures you can see them at [www.facebook.com/IroquoisNationalsLacrosse](http://www.facebook.com/IroquoisNationalsLacrosse). All my photos are posted on the National Iroquois page.

## IHS VOLLEYBALL

# Ex-NCAA standouts led Ignacio volleycats

By Joel Priest

SPECIAL TO THE DRUM

A quick glance at Ignacio Volleyball's monthly calendar online at [maxpreps.com](http://maxpreps.com) shows that head coach Thad Cano wants the month of July to be as action-packed as possible prior to the upcoming season.

For example, the squad has already hit the Adams State University Team Camp in Alamosa, and this weekend the Volleycats are slated to attend the July 25-26 Fort Lewis College Team Camp – with a couple more events still in the near future before

the first official day of practice on August 11.

In between the two aforementioned stops, IHS recently hosted their 2014 All-American Volleyball Skills Camp on the August 17, 18 and 19, featuring Sue Webber as the 'senior' guest instructor.

Working as Englewood-based Front Range Volleyball Club's 16-Red coach and FRVBC's collegiate-recruiting coordinator since January, she starred as a NCAA Division I right-side hitter for the University of Illinois, earning Honorable Mention All-Big 10 Conference her

senior season after pacing the Illini in kills (322, giving her 871 for her career), digs (308) and aces (35).

After graduating in 2003 with a Business Administration degree, Webber played on the AVPNext and Extreme Volleyball Professionals sand circuits, as well as in Europe, and in '13 suited up for Great Lakes Swing Away in the Premier Volleyball League – an indoor pro league of teams from among USA Volleyball's forty sanctioned regional associations.

Mentoring at the collegiate level, she was of late an as-

sistant at St. Louis University (NCAA Div. I, Atlantic 10 Conf.) during 2012 and '13, after three years aiding Bourbonnais, Ill.-based NAIA Olivet Nazarene University – where she earned a Master of Teaching degree with an Economics emphasis.

Also coming to unlearn what she learned from a Division I playing career completed just this past year at Brigham Young University was Kimberli Boswell.

The six-foot-two middle/opposite, originally from Oregon with 6'4" sister Amy now a Cougar sophomore,

was used sparingly during 2013, but BYU – featuring former 4A Longmont, Colo., star Tambre Haddock (now Nobles) and Third Team AVCA All-American Alexa Gray – still went 24-7.

That made Boswell part of a senior class which went 87-36 overall while the team transitioned out of the Mountain West and into the West Coast Conference, and which made consecutive appearances in the NCAA Tournament's 'Sweet 16.'

She also stood out in the She also being named a MWC Scholar Athlete (3.5+

grade-point average) as a freshman, and earning WCC Honor Roll – Silver (3.5-3.74) as a sophomore.

Ignacio's first match in 2014 will be at 4A Kirtland (N.M.) Central on August 28, with a week then before an away match at 3A Monte Vista on September 4.

2A/1A San Juan Basin League battle then begins on the 6th at Ouray, before the 'Cats finally defend their home court on the 11th against Mancos during Homecoming Week. Ridgway then visits on Saturday, September 13, to wrap up the festivities.



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teners the best we could," Campbell said. "By separating into two signals KSUT has improved it's service to the community"

In April 2012, KSUT Tribal Radio was able to expand its signal and began broadcasting tribal radio to northern New Mexico.

"The expansion has allowed tribal radio to reach more listeners and provide information to tribal members that couldn't listen to us before," Tribal Radio Director, Sheila Nanaeto said. "We also expanded our programming ... we include Four Corners programming and we also share our programming with Four Corners."

The sharing of programming is part of KSUT's mission of promoting multicultural awareness, Campbell said.

"[KSUT] keeps its mission close to heart when making decisions and we really strive to integrate and keep our mission of culture diversity alive," Nanaeto said.

The expansion into northern New Mexico meant that KSUT had to begin thinking about more than just Southern Ute tribal members, as the expansion brought many different Native listeners into play.

"When we sat down when the expansion happened we talked about how we were going to promote the station ... was it going to be a Native radio station, or a Southern Ute radio station for natives to listen to." Naneto said. "We decided to stick to our identity, we are from here [Southern Ute Reservation], we're Southern Ute, and we are very proud that our morning DJ's are all tribal members."

KSUT Tribal Radio does broadcast Indian Country news and news from tribes in the area, but when someone hears KSUT tribal radio they know it's a Southern Ute radio station, Naneto said.

Also helping grow the popularity of KSUT in the 2000's was the expansion of technology.

In 2007, KSUT converted from an analog signal to digital to improve and strengthen KSUT's signal. KSUT was able to convert to digital thanks to federal funding distributed to public radio stations for the conversion.

In 2001, KSUT took a big leap and began broadcasting both signals worldwide via Internet.

"Streaming online has been very successful for both signals," Naneto said.

After beginning streaming KSUT started hearing from listeners all across the globe.

"Within months of streaming online we heard word from a listener from the South Pole," Campbell said. "And since then we have heard from listeners in Japan, Germany, Australia and South America ... and everywhere else in-between."

More recently KSUT dived into the social media world creating Facebook and Twitter accounts to increase communication with all KSUT listeners.

## STARWHEELS

Horoscopes by "The Star Lady"

### ♌ LEO (July 23 – Aug. 22)

**BIRTHDAY GREETINGS LIONS AND LIONESSES!** This month there are celestial forces at work that will set you on a new path. For starters VENUS brightens your sign on the 12th and stays around for the remainder of the month. The 17th is a BIG day Leo people ... VENUS connects with GIANT JUPITER and puts both your outlook, and your finances into a more positive state. It doesn't get much better than these two beneficial planets joining forces. Consider it your birthday gift from the heavens. Implement long desired goals, and let your renewed confidence lead the way. This is your month to roar Lions.

### ♍ VIRGO (Aug. 23 – Sept. 23)

No matter what your relaxing summer pastimes are, inwardly the wheels are turning, and your mind is already hatching plans for your next move. MERCURY, your VIRGO ruler enters your sign on the 15th and stays there till month's end. So think away VIRGO people. Until it's time to let your ideas, and opinions be heard (after the 23rd) you'll keep your private thoughts to yourself. A MARS/SATURN link on the 25th lends support to your aspirations. Also the NEW MOON launches a cycle filled with ideas.

### ♎ LIBRA (Sept. 24 – Oct. 23)

A vivacious group of planets inspire your future hopes after the 12th. Surprising contacts with old friends may set off a social whirl. Invitations come in, and happy times keep you pleasantly entertained during this summer month. Now that MARS is transiting the money area of your HOROSCOPE, you might be thinking of transforming your financial habits. Be especially diligent your funds on the 26th when heavyweight SATURN squares off with VENUS and demands accountability.

### ♏ SCORPIO (Oct. 24 – Nov. 22)

Like the song says, "There's a Whole Lotta Shaking Going On". And you are the one who's stirring things up. With SATURN and MARS in your sign you can't help but feel motivated, resilient, and wildly ambitious. The NEW MOON on the 25th signals a fresh start regarding your future expectations. Many blessings may come to you. A loving aura unfolds you all month. Some SCORPIO folks might find romance, while others get creative, or seek out new entertainment.

### ♐ SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 – Dec. 21)

The SUN, VENUS, and JUPITER activate the travel section of your Horoscope. Distant relatives, and the lure of seeing faraway places might be uppermost on your mind. This is a good month to set your plans into motion. On the 25th, a NEW MOON triggers clever ideas regarding your career ambitions. August is alive with happiness-generating energy. No doubt you will want to enjoy every minute of it. Be inventive, and creative. Live up to your adventurous, fire sign reputation Saggies.

### ♑ CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 – Jan. 20)

When your planetary ruler SATURN joins MARS on the 25th, there's every reason to believe that important plans will go well. Extravagant VENUS slips into a money zone on the 12th and conspires with JUPITER to promote a spending spree. This of course is not your usual habit. But a little reorganizing can remedy budget concerns, and calm your doubts about finances. On the plus side, VENUS and JUPITER might also enable you to maintain your bills in a timely manner. The Solar System is sending out good vibes to all the earth signs. Enjoy it CAPRICORN.

### ♒ AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 – Feb. 18)

Friendly alliances, marriage, and partnerships, all benefit from a dynamic grouping of planets in your opposite sign of LEO. Compromises, and sincere conversations work well when trying to maintain relationships. VENUS and JUPITER generate good times on the 18th. Rein in overindulgence AQUARIUS ... NEPTUNE'S foggy influence might cloud your judgement, and lull you into buying something you don't really want. That may be OK with you until the bills, and reality roll in. MERCURY comes to your aid on the 15th when it enters sensible, practical VIRGO and clarity returns.

### ♓ PISCES (Feb. 19 – March 20)

There's a dramatic and vibrant grouping of planets in the health and work sector of your chart. Daily routines pertaining to diet, and nutrition can be gently improved. NEPTUNE'S continuing presence in your sign may tempt you to change your look, and optimize your best assets on both an inner and outer level. Speak your mind after the 25th when in work related situations. Be firm, and cooperative Little Fishes. It's best to avoid letting ego rule your actions.

### ♈ ARIES (March 21 – April 20)

Your sign is included in the festivities of the month ARIES. Take control of the wheel and steer a course directly toward your objectives. Love, laughter, and fun are drawn to you like a magnet. Be alert Rams, much can be accomplished this month. JUPITER may offer more freedom, and VENUS might attract more resources. The planets are very cooperative now. Ties to loved ones are strengthened, and the 17th may be rewarding. A brilliant FULL MOON on the 10th, sets up an unusually rich social period for you.

### ♉ TAURUS (April 21 – May 20)

VENUS, your favorite beautiful planet, glides into affectionate LEO on the 12th and instantly encourages more loving relations with family members. FYI, this is the planet that inspires harmony and joy. The focus is on home, family, and domestic matters TAURUS. Some of you may decide to go LARGE, and redecorate your personal castle. If you've been feeling a little restricted by SATURN'S controlling pressure, aggressive MARS may power up your confidence enough to break free of limitations.

### ♊ GEMINI (May 21 – June 21)

You're a "BUSY BEE" this month! A river of ideas could be flowing through your mind as the SUN, VENUS and JUPITER energize your daily routine. Follow through with important decisions. Don't procrastinate GEMINI. This is a fast paced, action oriented month. The planets are in a generous mode. Social events, and chance meetings, might turn up promising results on the 23rd when the MOON enters lively LEO. Short trips, visits, or shopping will have you running. Cash may be more readily available.

### ♋ CANCER (June 22 – July 22)

Money VENUS launches the month in your sign, and lays to rest your concerns regarding security. On the 15th this vivid planet glides into the dramatic, and playful sign of LEO, and ramps up your financial opportunities. Stay on top of it MOON KIDS. There are many benefits to this month's planetary patterns and you might gain considerably. Household improvements, and changes that you initiate with spending might increase your worth. Keep in mind that you are one of the Zodiac's best when it comes to money management. Shine brightly MOON KIDS!

## COMMUNITY GREETINGS

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY BROTHER NICK

Brother you have come a long way from where you began and I am so proud of you. I'm so happy that you are doing right for you and your daughter Miss. When you came home from your vacation I was worried about you and what would happen to you if you were to proceed down the path you were headed, but you didn't and I'm so happy and proud that I get to see you every single day and tell you that I love you and for keeping your head up high. Me and the family love you and wish you a very happy birthday.

Love,  
Sister Mia, Marcus and Dominique

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY DAD

Happy Birthday to the best father I could have, Johnny Weaver. Dad I know you have your problems and get confused on the path you should be taking, but every day I see you I'm thankful that you are still here with me. We may not speak every single day, but just knowing you're okay and that you get to celebrate another big birthday with the family is awesome. Your also a great grandpa with the monsters. We love you lots dad and Happy, happy birthday.

Love,  
Your daughter Mia and the two grandkids  
Marcus and Dominique

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY AUNTIE DEE

Auntie you're so awesome with everything it's hard to say anything just that you're so radically awesome. You're always so happy and you don't let anybody know when you are feeling down. I'm glad you're here with us so we can spoil you with presents and your favorite drinks. (Wink, Wink). We may not speak all the time, but thank you for everything you have done for me and my two kiddos. We appreciate you and are very happy to call you our auntie. Happy Birthday Auntie.

Love,  
Mia, Marcus and Dominique

### GRANDMA SHERRI

For your birthday, we would like to thank you for all of the love and attention that you have given us. Wishing you a very loving and warm Happy Birthday!

Love,  
Joey & Shiri

### LOVING MEMORY OF MELISSA PENA

We would like to thank everyone who has helped ... all departments of the Southern Ute Indian Tribe. All the staff of The Multi-purpose Facility and Memorial Chapel for allowing us to hold the wake, services, and the meal. Deacon Larry Tucker for officiating the services. All the pallbearers and honorary pallbearers. Tyson Thompson and drum group. Ryan Phelps, Tom Carter, and Traci Haber of Hood Mortuary. All who came to give their respects. The Watts family for your words of guidance and advice. Marie Gunn for the music. The Southern Ute Police Department. Construction Services. To all those who brought food. April's Garden for the beautiful flower arrangements. Elwood Kent for the beautiful prayer. Anna Garcia from T.I.S for all your help. Sky Ute Casino Resort catering staff. If we left anyone out, it was not intentional.

With great appreciation,  
Suzette Humpy, DeVonne Madril and family

### TO MY NEPHEW – ASA

Have a wonderful Birthday on July 28. Thank you for being there when I needed you. Take good care, may god be with you and your family, always.

Love your Auntie,  
Mel

### TO MY BROTHER – ROBERT L. ORTIZ

Have a wonderful Birthday on July 27 for it is your day to do whatever you feel to do. I want to Thank You for your Loving/Strong support and all you have done for me. You're an awesome brother and I love you Bro! God be with you each and everyday. Take Care

Love your sister,  
Mel

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY HOWIE

Though we travel our separate roads, no matter what life brings - I will always be proud to call you my brother! From the bottom of my heart - Happy Birthday!

Love,  
Shiri

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY UNCLE HOWARD

I'm blessed to have a loving, caring and fun uncle like you. Wishing you a very Happy Birthday!

Love,  
Joey



# Advantage

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### Testimonials

"Hope all is well. Thank you again for the camp. It's taken my son's game to the next level. A few weeks after his camp he attended the BYU camp and won MVP of his age group—creditly related to what he learned from you! His ball handling skills improved immensely." -Thur Bailey, Veteran NBA player

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"All 3 children show more confidence during real league games played during the camp session. On those evenings during actual competitive games, some of the drills taught were actually used. I witnessed a spin move that was never used before. Moves that had been used before became more fluid." -Mother of 3 daughters (ages 11, 12 and 14)

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"Keep up the great work. Thank you again. Be Blessed!" -Mark Jackson, 17 year NBA veteran, ABC & ESPN analyst

### Colorado

#### Ignacio, Colorado

Ball Handling and Basketball Shooting- 3 & 5 day camps  
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August 4 – August 6, 9:00AM to 5:00PM – 3 Days  
Cost: \$ 195.00 **Save \$ 30.00 if you register by July 4**

### Colorado Springs, Colorado

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July 28 – August 1, 9:00AM to 5:00PM – 5 Days  
Cost: \$ 265.00 **Save \$ 30.00 if you register by June 28**  
July 28 – July 30, 9:00AM to 5:00PM – 3 Days  
Cost: \$ 195.00 **Save \$ 30.00 if you register by June 28**

### Pueblo, Colorado

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## Deadline

Next issue:

# Aug. 8

Deadline:

# Aug. 4

Articles, photos, advertisements, public notices, letters and greetings may be submitted in person, by mail, or by email to the following address: [sasmith@southernute-nsn.gov](mailto:sasmith@southernute-nsn.gov)

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## PUBLIC NOTICE of HEARING SUCAP grant funding for its senior citizens and low income assistance programs

Southern Ute Community Action Programs, Inc. (SUCAP) has applied for \$6,300 in grant funding for its senior citizens and low-income assistance programs. A public hearing will be at 11:45 a.m. Tuesday, July 29 at the Ignacio Senior Center, 15345 Highway 172, Ignacio,

Colo. Copies of the application are available for public reading at the Ignacio Senior Center, Southern Ute Community Action Programs Central Administration and Ignacio Public Library. For more information please call Deb Herrera at 970-563-4561.

## REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS Administrative appeals & hearings officer

Requested By: The Southern Ute Indian Tribal Council  
The Southern Ute Indian Tribe is requesting proposals from qualified individuals to serve as director and chief hearing officer of a newly-established Administrative Appeals & Hearings Office, which will serve as an impartial, non-judicial forum for hearing administrative cases as provided in tribal codes and policies, including, but not limited to, the Traffic Code, Workers' Compensation

Code, and Personnel Policy. This individual will draft the Office's rules to govern hearings, will hear administrative appeals on an as-needed basis, and will issue written decisions. Case load will vary and is difficult to estimate, but based on past need may be approximately 1-3 days per month. Proposals are due by August 15, 2014. A copy of the full RFP can be requested from Monte Mills, Legal Department Director, at mmills@southernute-nsn.gov or 970-563-4803.

## CALL FOR APPLICANTS FOR APPOINTMENT To the Southern Ute Indian Tribe/State of Colo. Environmental Commission

The Southern Ute Indian Tribal Council, through the Tribe's Environmental Programs Division, is seeking applications from interested individuals for appointment to fill one vacancy on the Southern Ute Indian Tribe/State of Colorado Environmental Commission. The Commission was created in December 1999, when the Tribe entered into an agreement with the State of Colorado to protect air quality on the Reservation. As part of the agreement, a joint commission was created composed of six members, three of whom are appointed by the Governor and three of whom are appointed by the Southern Ute Indian Tribal Council. The responsibilities of the Commission include adopting air quality standards, promulgating rules and regulations, and reviewing appealable administrative actions pertaining to the Reservation Air Program. The Commission meetings are held approximately every 3-4 months.

Qualifications: Applicants should have some knowledge, experience, education, or interest in air quality or environmental protection. Location: J&R Administration Building, Environmental Programs Division Offices, 151 CR 517, Ignacio, Colorado. Closing date: August 11, 2014 by 5:00 p.m. Who may apply: Interested individuals Compensation: This appointment is not compensated.

To apply: Interested tribal members, tribal employees, or other individuals should submit a letter of interest and resume no later than August 11, 2014 to:  
Southern Ute Indian Tribe,  
Air Quality Program  
Attention: Mark Hutson  
P.O. Box 737 MS #84, Ignacio, CO 81137  
Fax: 970-563-0384  
E-mail: mhutson@southernute-nsn.gov

To review the Commission's current activities, please go to the following website:  
<http://www.southernute-nsn.gov/environmental-programs/air-quality/environmental-commission/>

For additional information, contact Mark Hutson, Southern Ute Air Quality Program, 970-563-4705, extension 2206.

## Keepseagle v. Vilsack Settlement Funds Update

### Venue Location and Webinar Information

Approximately \$380 million in settlement funds remain undistributed from the Keepseagle v. Vilsack litigation. The Settlement Agreement approved by the Court requires that these funds only be given to non-profit organizations providing services to Native American farmers & ranchers. The parties to the litigation propose creating a Trust that would distribute most of these funds as grants to eligible non-profit organizations. Counsel for the plaintiff class want to discuss the Trust and seek your views about the mission for the Trust and who should oversee the Trust. For that purpose, counsel has scheduled several regional meetings and webinar (telephone conference) calls on the dates stated on this flyer. Interested individuals, Tribal governments, non-profits and other organizations are invited to participate.

### Public comment is requested from Indian Country

Please hold one of the dates (below) and make plans to attend and provide input. For more information, please visit [www.indianfarmclass.com](http://www.indianfarmclass.com), or email [indianfarmclass@gmail.com](mailto:indianfarmclass@gmail.com) or call 479-200-8210.

#### Public Meetings:

In Person: All meetings: 9:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. (Local Location Time)

#### • Aug. 5, Albuquerque, NM

Isleta Resort, 11000 Broadway SE  
Albuquerque, NM 87105

Check website for other dates/locations.

#### Webinars:

Please register as soon as possible. To participate via telephone only, please call: 866-901-2585 or 404-835-7099 at least 15 minutes before the webinar is scheduled, to begin and provide your information to the operator with the access code.

#### • Aug. 6, 2-5 p.m. (MST)

To register for the webinar, please visit: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/172771019936164610>. Telephone access code: 4057585.

#### • Aug. 16, 10 a.m. - 1 p.m. (MST)

To register for the webinar, please visit: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/4870689536306820866>. Telephone access code: 2575793.

#### • Aug. 20, 6-9 p.m. (MST)

To register for the webinar, please visit: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/573117497260638466>. Telephone access code: 3181396.

## PUBLIC NOTICE: TO GENERAL PUBLIC Unauthorized grazing on Southern Ute Reservation

It is illegal to graze unauthorized livestock on the Southern Ute Indian Reservation.

The Southern Ute Indian Tribe shall continue to strictly enforce Title 18 of the Southern Ute Tribal Code and applicable federal regulations which prohibit trespass by livestock and the running-at-large of livestock on Tribal lands.

Violators of Title 18 of the Southern Ute Tribal Code are subject to civil penalties and fines up to \$1000.00, impoundment of livestock and all impoundment costs. In addition, violators may be subject to actual and punitive damages and injunctive relief.

If you have livestock trespassing on Southern Ute Tribal lands, you have until 4pm on August 15, 2014 to contact Southern Ute Animal Control to claim/gather said trespass livestock and pay any associated fines. After this date and time the Tribe will take all necessary action to ensure the protection of the Reservation and its natural resources, including, those actions authorized by the Tribe's Constitution and Code.

You may contact Southern Ute Animal Control at 970-563-0133.

### For Sale

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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](mailto:ljmforever53@gmail.com) for more details.

### 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](mailto:nrussell@sucap.org)

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## Southern Ute Growth Fund – Job announcements

Please visit our website at [www.sugf.com/jobs.asp](http://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

### Director of Operations – Aka Energy Group

Closing date 7/29/14  
In Durango, Colo. Management of physical assets as assigned including management oversight of daily operations to ensure safe, efficient, and profitable operations in line with Company strategies and goals, preparation and management of budgets, personnel management, evaluation and implementation of capital and expense projects, and implementation of Aka and Growth Fund policies and procedures.

### Joint Interest Billing (JIB) Accountant III – Red Willow Production Co.

Closing date 8/4/14  
In Ignacio, Colo. Under the supervision of the Joint Interest Billing Supervisor, this position is responsible for reviewing and recording transactions into the general ledger that pertain to outside operated properties and may prepare the joint interest billings for partners in Red Willow's oil and gas exploration operations. Must have a working knowledge of the joint interest process and be able to apply analytical skills to complete complex accounting assignments.

### Land Records Analyst II – Red Willow Production Co.

Closing date 8/18/14  
In Ignacio, Colo. Obtains and maintains orderly and accurate land and lease records, including all related documents and contracts, for all Red Willow interest properties, both operated and non-operated. Advises all other departments of changes related to Red Willow holdings. Works with Red Willow landmen and partners to obtain and maintain accurate records. Position provides a wider scope of support to more senior level Land Records Analysts.

### Land Records Analyst III – Red Willow Production Co.

Closing date 8/18/14  
In Ignacio, Colo. Obtains and maintains orderly and accurate land and lease records, including all related documents and contracts, for all Red Willow interest properties, both operated and non-operated. Advises all other departments of changes related to Red Willow holdings. Works with Red Willow landmen and partners to obtain and maintain accurate records. Assists with other land issues as needed. Works independently, follows existing processes with minimum supervision. Provides a wider scope of support to more senior level staff.

### Senior Land Records Analyst – Red Willow Production Co.

Closing date 8/18/14  
In Ignacio, Colo. Obtains and maintains orderly and accurate land and lease records, including all related documents and contracts, for all Red Willow interest properties, both operated and non-operated. Advises all other departments of changes related to Red Willow holdings. Works with Red Willow landmen and partners to obtain and maintain accurate records. Works independently, follows existing processes.

### Maintenance Technician HVAC & Plumbing – GF Real Estate Group (Belmar)

Closing date 8/22/14  
Lakewood, Colo. Responsible for performing a wide variety of skilled and semi-skilled building maintenance and repair tasks. Installs, maintains, and repairs machinery, equipment, physical structures, and pipe and electrical systems.

## Sky Ute Casino Resort – Job announcements

Visit our website at [www.skyutecasino.com](http://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.

### \*Craps Dealer (Full-time)

Closing date 7/28/14  
Deals all craps games while providing a positive guest experience through accurate, prompt, courteous and efficient service. Must be at least 21 yrs 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 demonstrating proficiency in craps.

### \*Executive Sous Chef (Full-time)

Closing date 7/25/14  
Provides the highest quality of food, presentation, training, professionalism and customer service that the position requires. Directs and supervises food handling and preparation for all Food and Beverage outlets. High School diploma/GED. Must be at least 21 years old. Minimum of 5 years kitchen management exp in a high volume Casino/Restaurant and Banquet production environment. Demonstrated knowledge of cost controls and expense management required. Culinary Arts Degree required. Serve safe certification required. Must have extensive knowledge of food production including Garde' Manger, Saucier, Bakery and fine dining exp.

### \*Multi-Games Dealer (On-call)

Closing date 7/28/14  
Deals Blackjack (Class 3), Three Card poker, Roulette and specialty games while providing a positive guest exp through accurate, prompt,

courteous, and efficient service. High School Diploma/GED. Must have 6 months Table Games Dealer experience or Dealer School Certification. Must pass audition.

### \*Poker Dealer (On-call)

Closing date 7/28/14  
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. Must be at least 21 years old. Must have 6 months' experience as a poker dealer or Dealer School Certification. Must pass audition demonstrating proficiency in poker.

### \*Sous Chef (Full-time)

Closing date 7/25/14  
Supervises food preparation and guest service 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. Must be at least 21 years old. Minimum of 3 years kitchen management experience in restaurant and banquet production, and demonstrated knowledge of cost controls and expense management required. Culinary Arts Degree preferred. Must have extensive knowledge of food production. Must have strong quality and center of plate presentation skills.

*\*Must be at least 21 years old.*

## Help Wanted

Liquor Store Manager in Ignacio needed, 40-45 hrs/wk. Competitive salary and benefits. Experience in retail sales, bookkeeping, computer skills and personnel management a plus. Please send cover letter and resume to [brook@crossfire-llc.com](mailto:brook@crossfire-llc.com)

## KSUT Board of Directors Vacancy

KSUT 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 CULTURAL CENTER AND MUSEUM Board of Directors Vacancy

Southern Ute Cultural Center and Museum (SUCCM) is seeking a qualified tribal or community member 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.

## SOUTHERN UTE WILDLIFE DIVISION Wildlife Advisory Board Vacancy

The Tribe is seeking enrolled SUT members wishing to fill THREE vacant seats on the Tribal Member Wildlife Advisory Board. Two of the vacancies are for regular, 3-year seats on the Board, while the third vacancy is for a Youth-Only, 1-year seat. The Youth seat may only be filled by a Tribal Member between the ages of 14 and 18. This 8-member Board works closely with the Wildlife Division in planning and recommending actions related to Tribal hunting and fishing programs. Board members not already employed by the Tribe are eligible for \$20/hr compensation for meeting attendance. Meetings are held roughly on a quarterly basis throughout the year, and a commitment to attend and participate in all meetings is expected. Interested tribal members must submit a brief letter of interest to the Southern Ute Wildlife Division at P.O. Box 737, Ignacio CO 81137. For more information, please contact the Wildlife Division at 970-563-0130. Letters of interest will be accepted through Friday, August 8, 2014.

## NEW EMPLOYEES



### Veronica S. Carmenoros

**Job title:** Home Health Aide  
**Description of duties:** Drive places, scrub bathroom, sweep, mop, vacuum dishes, cook and laundry.  
**Hobbies:** My garden.  
**Family:** BBQ's

## 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.

## Notice of Required Court Appearance Southern Ute Tribal Court

Plaintiff: RIMCO vs. Defendant Ronald Price; Civil Case No. 14-CV-023  
Return to Court Date: July 30, 2014 at 9:00 AM. For: Money Demand

## In The Southern Ute Tribal Court

Of the Southern Ute Indian Tribe • On the Southern Ute Reservation  
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### In the Legal Name Change of

Case No.: 2014-0051-CV-NC  
**NOTICE OF LEGAL NAME CHANGE**  
**Dominika Joy, Civil Subject**  
Notice is hereby given that Dominika Joy has filed an application for legal change of name, to be known hereafter as Dominika Joy-Ramos. Any person desiring to object to the granting of the petition may do so by filing an objection in writing with the Clerk of the Court no later than July 28, 2014 at 5:00 PM. If no objection is made, the Court will grant the legal name change.  
**Dated this 30th day of June, 2014.**  
**Janie Herrera, Court Clerk**

### In the Legal Name Change of,

Case No.: 2014-0053-CV-NC  
**NOPTICE OF LEGAL NAME CHANGE**  
**Faustino Luciano David Joy, Civil Subject**  
Notice is hereby given that Faustino Luciano David Joy has filed an application for legal change of name, to be known hereafter as Faustino Luciano-David Ramos. Any person desiring to object to the granting of the petition may do so by filing an objection in writing with the Clerk of the Court no later than July 28, 2014 at 5:00 PM. If no objection is made, the Court will grant the legal name change.  
**Dated this 30th day of June, 2014.**  
**Janie Herrera, Court Clerk**

### In the Legal Name Change of,

Case No. 2014-0052-CV-NC  
**NOTICE OF LEGAL NAME CHANGE**  
**Calvin Levato, Jr., Civil Subject**  
Notice is hereby given that Calvin Levato, Jr., has filed an application for legal change of name, to be known hereafter as Calvin Klein Joy-Levato, Jr. Any person desiring to object to the granting of the petition may do so by filing an objection in writing with the Clerk of the Court no later than July 28, 2014 at 5:00 PM. If no objection is made, the Court will grant the legal name change.  
**Dated this 30th day of June, 2014.**  
**Janie Herrera, Court Clerk**

### In the Legal Name Change of,

Case No.: 2013-0123-CV-NC  
**NOTICE OF LEGAL NAME CHANGE**  
**Miguel Alejandro Rodriguez, Civil Subject**  
Notice is hereby given that Miguel Alejandro Rodriguez filed an application for legal change of name, to be known hereafter as Miguel Alejandro Red. As of February 18, 2014 no person filed an objection to the request, and therefore notice is hereby given that Miguel Alejandro Rodriguez name shall be and is hereby legally changed to Miguel Alejandro Red.  
**Dated this 7th day of July, 2014.**  
**Scott Moore, Southern Ute Tribal Judge**



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.

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

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## Going "Tri-Digital" for NAJA



Fabian Martinez/SU Drum

Southern Ute Drum photographer, Damon Toledo holds three awards he won on July 12, during the Native American Journalist Association (NAJA) Banquet. The conference was held in Santa Clara, California from July 10 to 13. The conference theme was all about traditional news methods moving into a digital form. The Drum staff received a total of five awards for excellence in journalism and photography.

## 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>.

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### LAKE CAPOTE OPERATING SCHEDULE

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facility is open 24/7  
September 18 through October 5  
(Open Thursday through Sunday)  
Closing Day: October 6, 2014

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Elders & Youth fish for free.

- Night Fishing when advertised
- More food items & fishing supplies available at Bait Shop

### 2014 Lake Capote Permit Fees

Adult Fishing: \$10  
Tribal Member Adult Fishing: \$4  
Youth (12 and under) Fishing: \$4  
Tribal Member Youth Fishing: FREE  
Derby Permit: \$20  
Tent Site: \$13  
Tribal Member Tent Site: Free  
RV Site (elec. & water): \$20  
Tribal Member RV Site: \$10  
Day Use (1st 1/2 hour free): \$3

*(Call for group rates, weekly & monthly rates are available too.)*

Lake Capote is regularly stocked with rainbow trout, brown trout, largemouth bass and catfish.

Fishing Bag Limit: 3 trout, 1 catfish, 1 largemouth bass.

All fish 16" or larger are catch and release only.

## Brad Jesmer/Anthony Archuleta Memorial Police Scholarship

### Shooting Event

August 23, 2014 - 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM  
Southern Ute Tribal Range  
(CR. 321)



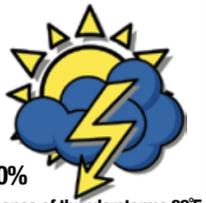
- A \$5.00 donation to participate.
- All shooters need eye and ear protection
- 25 yd. Youth .22 shoot. (5-15 years of age, 5 shots at dinger target. Ammunition and a rifle can be supplied if needed. Scoped and iron sight classes. parents need to be present. 1" 2" 3" prizes provided by SD SHOOTERS SUPPLY.)
- 100 & 200 yd. Rifle Shoot. (No bench rest or sandbags; bipods and shooting stick are allowed. 5 rounds in three minutes. Shooter with the highest score will be declared the winner.)
- Open site and scoped divisions for rifles.
- Dueling Tree. (6 rounds from seven yds. at the Dueling Tree. Shooter with fastest time with the most hits will be declared the winner. Certificates for 1" 2" 3" places.)
- Chili, hot dogs, frito pie and drinks will be available for sale.
- Split the Pot Tickets will be available for purchase throughout the event and can be purchased prior at the Southern Ute Division of Gaming and Southern Ute Police Department, tickets are 1 for \$1 or 6 for \$5.
- All proceeds go to the Brad Jesmer/Anthony Archuleta Memorial Police Scholarship (which will provide funding for recipients to attend the police training).
- A Henry Lever Action Rifle .22 will be among the items to be raffled off.



For More Information Contact Phil Drake or Ryan Guinn @ 970-563-0180

## LOCAL IGNACIO WEATHER

Friday, July 25



20%  
Chance of thunderstorms 88°F

Saturday, July 26



Mostly sunny 91°F

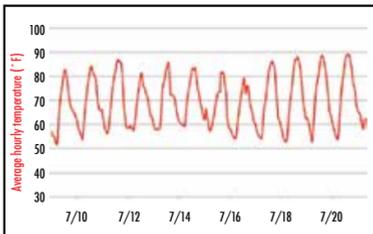
Sunday, July 27



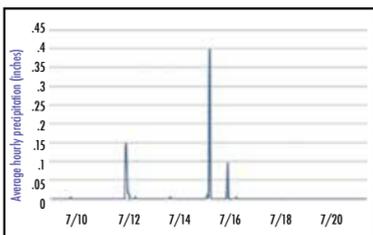
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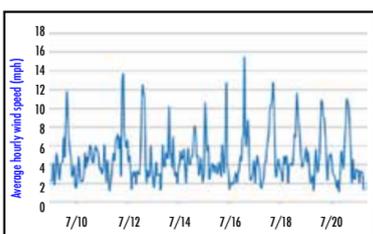
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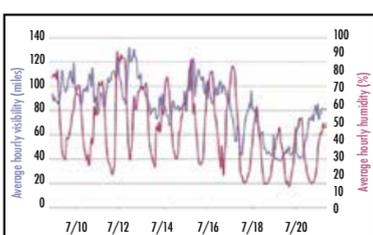
Precipitation	Total	Total last year
	0.808"	0.504"



Wind speed	Average	Minimum	Maximum
	4.7	1.1	15.4



Visibility & humidity	Average visibility	Average humidity
	83.5	46.5%



Air quality	Moderate
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Data compiled by Southern Ute Environmental Programs

Weather forecasts collected from www.NOAA.gov

## San Ignacio Fiesta

68th Annual Fiesta

### PARADE

Saturday — 10:00 a.m.

CASH PRIZES! No Entry Fee

Register on Saturday beginning at 9:00 a.m.

No Preregistration required

Line up and Registration will take place at St. Ignatius Church parking lot due to High School construction

ALL ENTRIES WELCOME!!



JULY 26-27, 2014 IGNACIO, CO

Grand Marshal—Josefita Herrera

24th ANNUAL HORSESHOE TOURNAMENT

Saturday—Immediately following Parade at Town Park

Cash Prizes/Sweatshirts

Sign up at Park by 11 a.m.

\$5.00 per person per entry - SINGLES & DOUBLES

### FAMILY PARK EVENTS

IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING PARADE AT TOWN PARK

EVERYONE'S INVITED!

MUSIC by

"Big O" DJ Service

11:00 a.m.—2:00 p.m.

HAMBURGERS & HOT DOGS

Sponsored by Knights of Columbus

FRITO PIE DRINKS COTTON CANDY

Sponsored by Wildcat Ball Team

• SNOW CONES KIDS GAMES

• CAKE WALK BOUNCE HOUSE

• FACE PAINTING

### DUCK RACE

Buy a duck for \$5—Cash prizes: \$400, \$300, \$200 & \$100

Sponsored by SUCAP For tickets or more info., contact Naomi Russell at 563-4517

Interested in setting up a booth, please call 749-6830

www.stignaciuschurch-ignacio.com

### SAN IGNACIO FIESTA DANCE

MUSIC BY

"Perfeccion de Chimayo"



Saturday, July 26th

8:00 P.M.—12:00 A.M.

Crowning of Royalty

Takes place at 10:00 p.m.

Tori Archuleta

Jazmin Carmenoros

Selena Cook

Sage Medicine-Blanket

SKY UTE CASINO EVENT CENTER

\$15.00 PER PERSON

CASH BAR & CONCESSION

### "COOL CAR SUMMER CRUISE"

Saturday, July 26th

Contact Ignacio Chamber of Commerce for more info.

SUNDAY, JULY 27, 2014

### FIESTA MASS

St. Ignatius Catholic Church

10:30 a.m.



### ANNUAL RAFFLE DRAWING

Sunday, 2:00 p.m.

San Ignacio Fiesta is sponsored by St. Ignatius Church

Everyone is invited to attend all functions—We look forward to seeing you!!

Bingo For Fun

Music

2014 SAN IGNACIO FIESTA RAFFLE		
Grand Prize:	\$500 Cash	9th Prize:
2nd Prize:	40" HD Smart TV	10th Prize:
3rd Prize:	Handmade Quilt	11th Prize:
4th Prize:	Gas Grill	12th Prize:
5th Prize:	\$200 Cash	13th Prize:
6th Prize:	"Big O" DJ Service, 3 hrs.	14th Prize:
7th Prize:	Handmade Quilt	15th Prize:
8th Prize:	Willow Tree Nativity Set	16th Prize:
		\$150 Home Depot Gift Card
		\$100 Cash
		\$100 Lewis Merc Gift Card
		Griddle/Warmer
		iPod Shuffle
		Sterling Silver Belt Buckle
		Crock Pot
		\$25.00 Cold Stone Ice Cream

Drawing on Sunday 7/27 at 2:00 p.m., St. Ignatius Catholic Church, 15449 Hwy 172, Ignacio, CO \$1 each/for \$5. Need not be present to win. CALL 563-4241, 563-0048 OR 749-6830 FOR YOUR RAFFLE TICKETS