

Another Year of Wisdom Happy Birthday!

Kenneth Blacketer, 1/11
Delmer Butler Sr., 1/12
Christy Cadena, 1/24
Ialeen Collins, 1/22
Duane DePoe, 1/30
Richard Dodds, 1/18
Emmet Douthit, 1/6
Alan Fish, 1/14
Gail Gray, 1/14
William Hedrick, 1/24
Constance James, 1/22
Leroy John, 1/24
Pamela Keller, 1/29
Lola Kissell, 1/1
Vera Lafferty, 1/7

Todd Mason, 1/3
Terry McCord Sr., 1/4
Diane Robertson, 1/4
Linda Sage, 1/17
Rosalie Sepulveda, 1/1
William Service, 1/18
Frances Severson, 1/13
Ilene Somes, 1/5
Ross Standiford, 1/14
Wilma Strong, 1/17
Darlene Taylor, 1/21
Sherryl Thies, 1/2
George Thompson, 1/19
Lynda Timeus, 1/30
Ernestine Wooten, 1/7



Pete Downey, Frank Simmons, Arlen Kentta, and Pam Ben help out at the elders woodcut in December.

Elder Council Meeting
Jan. 8, 2005 – 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.
Chinook Winds Casino Resort

Here's Your Opportunity for Computer Software Training

by Tina Retasket

Tribal members are encouraged to take advantage of an online computer software training program available free of charge.

The tribe has purchased a number of subscriptions to MySkillSource training program, where tribal members can access online training at your own pace from your own home. MySkillSource has a large number of software programs and you can take one or all of them as time permits.

Each software program is broken into modules that you can complete at your own pace. Once you complete an entire training program, you can even print out a certificate of completion.

You can go back and review each program or move on to another software program. MySkillSource includes most of the widely used programs, such as Microsoft Word, Access, Excel, Powerpoint, and many more.

You will have approximately 10 months to complete all the trainings in which you are interested. To be eligible for the program, you must:

- Be an enrolled Siletz Tribal member
- Have Internet access (sorry, we can't pay for that)
- Send an e-mail request listing your name and roll number to tinar@ctsi.nsn.us and let me know you are interested in the online computer training program

It's that simple. We will pay the subscription fee for your access. Currently, more than 80 households have signed up. Plenty more subscriptions are available, but you have to hurry before this offer ends.

Here is some feedback from a currently enrolled tribal member:

"The learning offered through MySkillSource is great! Attached is my first certificate. Pretty cool, huh?"

Clinton McClintock

CY2005 BIA Self-Governance Budget Summary

PROGRAMS	CY05 Approved
EDUCATION	
Education	864,414
Youth Services	44,606
Cultural Programs	147,902
Pow-Wow Coordinator	67,964
Subtotal Education	1,124,886
NATURAL RESOURCES	
Forestry	349,475
Fish & Wildlife	63,870
Realty	91,953
Subtotal Natural Resources	505,298
SOCIAL SERVICES	
Indian Child Welfare	152,461
SSP/477	643,028
SSP/477 Other Resources	1,350,668
Elders	27,975
Subtotal Social Services	2,174,132
ADMINISTRATION	
Enrollment Clerk	42,448
Law Enforcement	71,712
Law Enforcement Other Resources	191,951
Housing Improvement Program	14,030
Tribal Court	10,000
Subtotal Administration	330,141
TOTAL BUDGETS	4,134,457

An incorrect BIA Self-Governance Budget Summary was published in the December issue of Siletz News. The correct budget is printed above.

General Council Meeting

Feb. 5, 2005
Siletz Tribal Community Center
Siletz, Oregon
1 p.m.

Call to Order
Invocation
Roll Call
Approval of Agenda
Approval of Minutes
Program Reports
Audits – Sharon Edenfield
Investments – Gregg Gubuan
Tribal Member Concerns
Chairman's Report
Announcements
Adjournment