

NOTICES

Tribe Surpasses \$7 Million in Overall Giving Total Includes \$396,500 Distributed in February

The Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund made another round of distributions Feb. 6 and the seven-member advisory board has distributed more than \$4.9 million since its inception in 2001.

Forty-six organizations shared \$396,500.60 in contributions when checks were presented at Chinook Winds.

This included \$16,500 to the Central Oregon Coast Volunteer Firefighters Association for firefighter bunker gear; \$19,000 to the Siletz Booster Club for lights and a new breaker box; \$3,862 to the Sitka Center for Art and Ecology for film equipment; and \$6,800 to the Native American Rights Fund for a summer law clerk position.

The Siletz Tribe is proud of its contributions through employment, monetary donations and cooperative measures to the Siletz community, Lincoln County and the State of Oregon. The Tribe has honored its tradition of sharing within the community by distributing more than \$7 million through the Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund and other Tribal resources.

Chinook Winds has donated more than \$1.75 million in cash and fund-raising items since it opened in 1995. The casino also provides in-kind donations of convention space for various fund-raisers as well as technical support, advertising and manpower for many events.

Eligibility for money from the Charitable Contribution Fund is limited to two categories:

- Entities and activities located in the Siletz Tribe's 11-county service area (Lincoln, Tillamook, Linn, Lane, Benton, Polk, Yamhill, Marion, Multnomah, Washington and Clackamas counties)
- Native American entities and activities located anywhere in the United States

The next deadline to submit applications is June 19, 2009. Applications and requirements can be obtained at www.ctsi.nsn.us/charitable-contribution-fund; from Kelley Ellis at 800-922-1399, ext. 1227, or 541-444-8227; or by mail at Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549.

Feb. 6, 2009 – Distribution of \$396,500.60

Arts – \$11,462

Innovative Concepts for Families of Lincoln Co. – artists stipends for a week-long youth art camp
Oregon Coast Children's Theatre and Youth Art Center – support local programming in Lincoln County
Salem Chamber Orchestra – help provide free entry for the community to attend events
Sitka Center for Art and Ecology – Sony camcorder, Sennheiser condenser powering module, Sennheiser ME66 short shotgun capsule, studio light, editing software and fabric backdrop

Newport, OR	\$1,600
Toledo, OR	\$3,500
Salem, OR	\$2,500
Otis, OR	\$3,862

Cultural Activities – \$5,000

Potlatch Fund – operating expenses

Seattle, WA	\$5,000
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Education – \$244,462.60

Head Start Parent Committees – Take and Learn backpacks, playground equipment, tricycle, parts to repair Round We Go Inground Play Rider and new books
Heritage Elementary School – assist with transportation of students to Grand Ronde for educational field trip
Native American Rights Fund – one summer law clerk
Newport Middle School – Outdoor School scholarships
Oregon State University – print 500 copies of the third annual Quests book
Pacific Dance Ensemble – bus Lincoln County students to Newport Performing Arts Center for *Dancing Legends* presentation
Philomath Elementary School – replace gym mats for physical education program
Salem Heights Elementary Parent/Teacher Club – transportation, lodging, compasses, journals, books and copies of educational materials
Siletz Tribal Head Start Parent Committees – graduation materials and swimming lessons
Siletz Valley School – operating expenses
Siletz Valley School – swimming lessons for K through second grade
Siletz Valley Early College Academy – athletic equipment and activities
Siletz Valley Friends of the Library – liability insurance for fund-raising activities
Toledo Elementary School – sixth-grade Rogue River Outdoor School trip

Salem, OR	\$1,312
Woodburn, OR	\$525
Boulder, CO	\$6,800
Newport, OR	\$2,500
Corvallis, OR	\$2,080
Newport, OR	\$3,000
Philomath, OR	\$2,631
Salem, OR	\$5,950
Siletz, OR	\$1,738.60
Siletz, OR	\$205,601
Siletz, OR	\$2,060
Siletz, OR	\$5,000
Siletz, OR	\$750
Toledo, OR	\$4,515

Environment & Natural Resources – \$7,600

Mid-Coast Watersheds Council – gear, equipment and van rental
Neighbors for Kids – assist with after-school enrichment program, including environmental educator, two forest ecology education kits and two water ecology kits
View the Future – assist with purchasing materials to expand trail to ADA wheelchair accessibility at Gerdeman Garden

Newport, OR	\$1,600
Depoe Bay, OR	\$3,400
Yachats, OR	\$2,600

Health – \$41,227

Coastal AIDS Network, Inc. – insurance, rent and phone
Ellen Hamilton – help provide parenting class to 15 families
Lifespan Respite Care Network for Lincoln County – LARC and Lifespan Respite stipend fund
Olalla Center for Children and Families – psychiatric care for young children and facility repairs
Oregon Coastal Quilters Guild – supplies to make quilts for people in need
Pacific Communities Health District Foundation – new chairs for outpatient surgery recovery room
Philomath Community Services – purchase and install a generator
St. Vincent de Paul – Food Share Program
Southwest Lincoln County Water District – matching grant to help purchase generators

Lincoln City, OR	\$1,200
Toledo, OR	\$1,500
Newport, OR	\$4,875
Toledo, OR	\$5,000
Siletz, OR	\$3,000
Newport, OR	\$4,052
Philomath, OR	\$5,600
Lebanon, OR	\$3,500
Waldport, OR	\$12,500

Prevention – \$58,449

Eddyville Charter School – track and field equipment, uniforms and warm-ups
Lincoln City Parks and Recreation Department – start a track and field program for sixth- through eighth-grade children in Lincoln City
Lincoln County Storms Mat Club – singlets, head gear and knee pads
Lincoln County Young Life – Young Life program
Mill City 4th of July Committee – entertainment sponsorship
North Keizer Junior Baseball Association – help Keizer Knights baseball team travel to New York for a tournament
North Salem Baseball – help youth baseball program travel to California during 2009 spring break
Partnership Against Alcohol and Drug Abuse – help with expenses for consultant to facilitate community assessment/write plan and grant for Siletz community
Salem-Keizer Public Schools, Indian Education Department – help with supplies for shirts, shawls, decorations, printing costs and food for annual graduation ceremony
Siletz Booster Club – contractors and equipment, setup and removal of lights, electrician, wiring and installing new breaker box
Siletz Booster Club – new wrestling mats
Siletz Tribal Youth Living Empowered – referees and general supplies

Eddyville, OR	\$3,000
Lincoln City, OR	\$3,000
Toledo, OR	\$2,718
Lincoln City, OR	\$5,291
Mill City, OR	\$2,000
Keizer, OR	\$5,000
Salem, OR	\$4,320
Newport, OR	\$4,000
Salem, OR	\$2,320
Siletz, OR	\$19,000
Siletz, OR	\$6,500
Siletz, OR	\$1,300

Public Safety – \$28,300

Central Oregon Coast Volunteer Firefighters Association – 15 sets of firefighter bunker gear
Clackamas County Sheriff's Office/Northwest SARCon – speakers' fees
Siletz Paul Washington VFW Post 732 – gravel for Riverside VFW Cemetery Road and Honor Guard uniforms

Waldport, OR	\$16,500
Oregon City, OR	\$10,000
Siletz, OR	\$1,800

TOTAL

\$396,500.60