



Celebrate 20 years with Wisdom of the Elders

Wisdom of the Elders, Inc. (Wisdom) will be 20 years old on April 19, 2013, and the organization invites people to share this night from 5-8 p.m. at the Billy Frank Jr. Conference Center at Ecotrust as it thanks the community for its support.

During the past 20 years, Wisdom has completed numerous oral history recording projects, three American Indian radio series and 36 sets of culturally tailored multimedia health and wellness curricula.

Seven years ago it formed the Northwest Indian Storytellers Association, sponsored the annual Northwest Indian Storytellers Festival and Emerging Tribal Storytellers Workshops and hosted the Turtle Island Storytellers Network.

Most recently, it founded Wisdom Gardens at its offices at Kelly Butte House.

Courtesy photos

Siletz Tribal Head Start students visit the Portland Area Office on Feb. 28 to hear storyteller Ed Edmo (above) and make puppets (left).



Mission

Wisdom of the Elders records, preserves and shares Native American oral history, cultural arts, language concepts and traditional ecological knowledge of exemplary indigenous Elders, storytellers and Tribal leaders.

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Check-in time is Monday-Thursday from 8:30-9 a.m. and Friday from 10-10:30 a.m. Afternoon check-in time is Monday-Friday from 1-1:30 p.m.

The 20 Year Anniversary Celebration will include music from Cedar Rose featuring Nico Wind and Karen Kitchen, an account of Wisdom's history, storytelling and a keynote address.

A silent auction and paddle-raising to welcome new Friends of Wisdom will be held to cover event expenses.

Wisdom extends special acknowledgement to Ecotrust for the use of the Billy Frank Jr. Conference Center at the Ecotrust building (721 NW 9th Ave. in Portland, Ore.) and to New Seasons for its generous food donations.

Wisdom also thanks Joe Cantrell for more than a decade of compelling photo images, Marc Anderson for graphic design and all Friends of Wisdom, board members, teams and volunteers from the past 20 years.

The event is free, but seating is limited. Please RSVP at brownpapertickets.com/event/337502.

Contact Lisa Lakes at lisawisdom-elders@gmail.com for more information.

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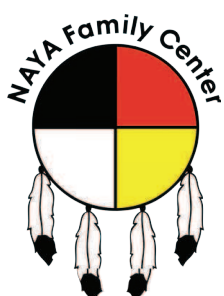
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In the main building



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