

Anderson named to Tribal charitable advisory board

Lincoln City Mayor Dick Anderson has been appointed to the advisory board of the Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund. His term began in February and runs through May 2016.

"He has been very faithful on attending all our charitable distribution events and knows of the needs in the area," said Tribal Chairman Delores Pigsley.

Anderson has served as mayor since 2011. Prior to that, he served on the Lincoln City Council and the Lincoln City Planning Commission. He is running for Lincoln County commissioner, position No. 3, in the May election.

"The relationship I have been building with the Tribe has been beneficial for Lincoln City. Groups that work together on the needs of a community make strong partners who can make positive things happen

together," said Anderson. "Being honored by being appointed to the charitable board is another partnership opportunity where we can work together to help the larger community grow. I thank the Siletz Tribe for selecting me for the position."

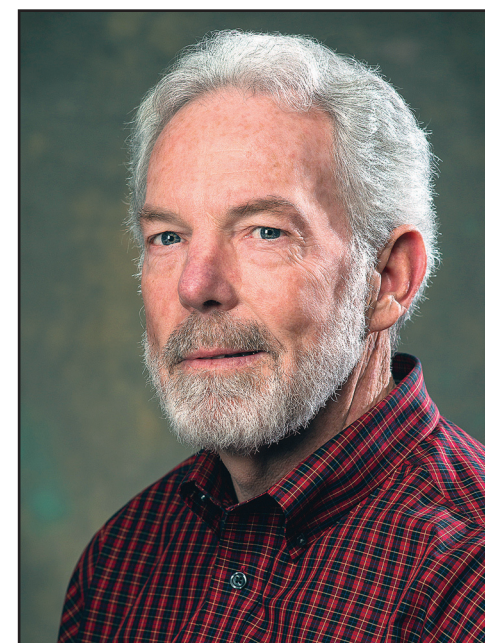
The advisory board consists of seven members, four of whom are Siletz Tribal members.

The Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund distributes grants to charitable organizations or local governments within the Siletz Tribe's 11-county service area and to Native American entities located anywhere in the United States for the following purposes – education, health, public safety, gambling addiction, prevention, drug and alcohol treatment, housing, the arts, the environment and natural resource preservation, cultural

activities, historic preservation and other charitable purposes.

The Siletz Tribe has made contributions through employment, monetary donations and cooperative measures to the Siletz community, Lincoln County and the state of Oregon. The advisory board has distributed more than \$8.4 million since its inception in 2001.

Overall, the Tribe has honored its tradition of sharing within the community by distributing more than \$10.8 million through the charitable fund and other Tribal resources. Chinook Winds has donated nearly \$2.3 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.



Courtesy photo

Dick Anderson

College Students Summer Internship Program

Students attending college can now apply for the Tribe's 2014 College Students Summer Internship Program.

Applications will be mailed to known students, but if you do not receive an application, please contact Assistant General Manager Bonnie Petersen or the education specialist at any Tribal area office to request an application.

This program helps Tribal students locate internship placements to gain work experience in their field of study. Eight slots are available for 2014.

Students can work up to 352 hours at \$9.10 an hour and can be placed within or outside of the Tribe. Placements will take place over the summer and must be completed by Sept. 15, 2014.

Students should send a completed application and an unofficial copy of transcripts to:

Mail	Fax	Email
CTSI Attn: College Internship Program P.O. Box 549 Siletz, OR 97380-0549	541-444-2307	bonniep@ctsi.nsn.us

Deadline for applications to be received at the Siletz Tribal administration building is 4:30 p.m. on May 30, 2014.

Temporary Tribal Student (housing) Assistance Program opens in June

By Jessica Garcia, Rental Assistance Prog. Coord./Resident Services Advocate

This is a time-limited program that helps a student who is pursuing higher education for a period not to exceed six years. Participants must:

1. Maintain full-time student status (12 or more credits per semester)
2. Attend a college, university, vocational or trade school
3. Maintain a cumulative 2.5 GPA

The Siletz Tribal Housing Department (STHD) will start accepting applica-

tions for the 2014-2015 Temporary Tribal Student Assistance Program (TTSAP) on June 2, 2014.

Applications submitted before this day will not be considered.

Completed applications are due to STHD no later than July 4, 2014.

An applicant will not be deemed eligible for the program until the application is complete, meaning that all questions in the application are answered and all supporting documents are attached.

The application will be available on the Tribal website (ctsi.nsn.us) and at the STHD office on June 2, 2014.

Siletz Community Dental Clinic

Contact the Siletz Community Dental Clinic if you experience dental pain or a dental emergency. The staff will do everything it can to see you as soon as reasonably possible.

Morning 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.

Time to gather materials for baskets

Spring is here and very soon hazel sticks will be ready to pick and peel.

Hazel stick gathering is a must for anyone interested in making traditional Siletz baskets. Spruce root can be dug all year round and is used for the weavers or weft of Siletz baskets.

Bear grass and maidenhair fern are used for overlay to make our traditional designs or marks in our baskets and both are picked in late summer.

Any Tribal members interested in gathering can call Bud Lane at 800-922-1399, ext. 1320, or 541-444-8320, or e-mail budl@ctsi.nsn.us. Just a reminder – basket materials must be gathered in a timely fashion.

Here is a general breakdown of gathering times for different materials:

May	Hazel, willow and fir sticks; spruce roots
June	Hazel, willow and fir sticks (until mid-June); spruce roots
July	Fir sticks, spruce roots, bear grass, maidenhair fern
August	Fir sticks, spruce roots, bear grass, maidenhair fern, hazel sticks (limited), willow sticks
September	Bear grass, maidenhair fern, woodwardia fern, spruce roots



2014
Confederated Tribes of
Siletz Indians
Memorial Day Ceremony

May 26, 2014
 11 a.m.
 Government Hill
 Siletz, Oregon

Procession to Veterans Memorial – Honor Guard
 West Coast Boyz

The Lord's Prayer – Siletz Royalty
 Welcome – Tribal Council Chairman Delores Pigsley
 Memorial Day Address – TBD
 Presentation of Flowers
 Gun Salute – Honor Guard
Taps

Closing – West Coast Boyz
 Lunch at the Tribal Community Center
 Provided by the Cultural Heritage Committee – Noon

