

# “Teach Our Children Our Stories”: Consider PSU to start teaching career

PORTLAND, Ore. – The Portland State University Graduate School of Education has received a \$873,113 grant from the U.S. Department of Education Office of Indian Education (OIE) to recruit and prepare American Indian students for teaching licensure and master’s degrees over the next four years.

This is the third OIE professional development grant received by Portland State University (PSU) in six years. The first award, received in 2010, established the American Indian Teacher Preparation program (AITP).

“I am elated,” said Project Director Maria Tenorio. “I think this grant will

help us sustain a lot of the work we want to continue with Oregon Tribes – in fact, some of our first teachers are now ready to accept student teachers!”

PSU is the largest school of education in the state and the Portland-metro area has the largest American Indian population in Oregon, yet very few American

Indians are represented among the ranks of Oregon’s 33,000 teachers.

More information on AITP can be found at [pdx.edu/aitp](http://pdx.edu/aitp). The AITP office is located in 290A of the Graduate School of Education, in the Fourth Avenue Building.

For an application packet or to receive a brochure, contact Quang Phan at [qphan@pdx.edu](mailto:qphan@pdx.edu) or Tenorio at 503-725-9925.

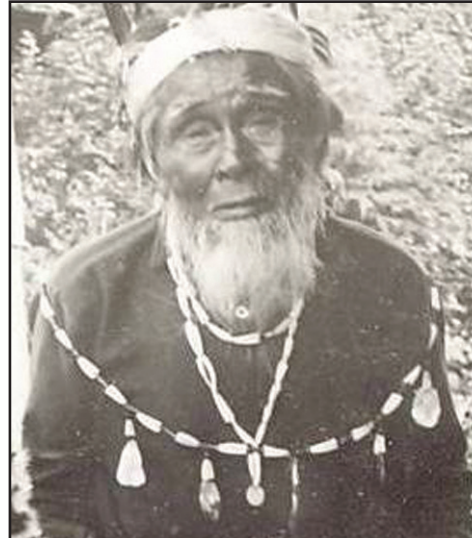
## Culture Craft Nights



### Rope/String Making

Nov. 30 • 5-7 p.m.

Siletz Tribal Community Center



### Dentalium Stringing Class

Dec. 28 • 5-7 p.m.

Siletz Tribal Community Center

Siletz Tribal members and their families are invited to come and learn how to make string and rope the old way in November and then learn how to string dentalium in December. All ages are welcome. Young people under age 10 need an adult to accompany and assist them.

The Siletz Culture Department will provide material and instructors. If you have your own materials, please bring them.

Contact: Bud Lane, [budl@ctsi.nsn.us](mailto:budl@ctsi.nsn.us); 541-444-8320 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1320. Sponsored by the Education and Culture Departments

## Nesika Illahee Pow-Wow

### Attention Siletz Tribal Artists

The 2017 Nesika Illahee Pow-Wow Committee is once again having a logo contest for the upcoming pow-wow in August 2017. All Siletz Tribal artists are encouraged to submit a pow-wow-themed logo.

The winning logo artist will receive a cash prize of \$250 and a professional banner with your logo. The winning artist will have his or her logo highlighted on Nesika Illahee Pow-Wow flyers and merchandise.

Please submit your artwork to the cultural education director’s office at the Tribal Community Center or mail it to Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians, Attn: Pow-Wow Logo Contest, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549.

All entries must be received no later than Feb. 28, 2017.

### Royalty Crown Proposals

The Pow-Wow Committee is now accepting proposals for 2017-2018 royalty crowns. Proposals are being accepted for Miss Siletz, Junior Miss Siletz and Little Miss Siletz.

Proposals for a crown must include art design, size of the crown and a bid for the crown or crowns of your interest. Proposals can be submitted for individual crowns, two crowns or you can submit a bid for all three crowns.

Crown proposals must be turned in to the committee no later than Feb. 28, 2017. Proposals should be sent to Siletz Pow-Wow Committee, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549.

If you have any questions, contact Buddy Lane at 800-922-1399, ext 1230, or 541-444-8230.

## November USDA distribution dates

### Siletz

Tuesday	Nov. 1	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Wednesday	Nov. 2	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Thursday	Nov. 3	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Friday	Nov. 4	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Monday	Nov. 7	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

### Salem

Monday	Nov. 14	1:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday	Nov. 15	9 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday	Nov. 16	9 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Thursday	Nov. 17	9 – 11 a.m.

Yes, we have canned tuna back in the food package. Made these wraps and they are sooo good.

Between now and December, we also will have wild rice as a one-time offering, apple/cherry juice will replace grapefruit juice and we’ll have frozen sockeye salmon filets in the food package.

On Oct. 1, the income guideline went up for smaller households. Be sure to check it out on the website. Also, LIKE us on Facebook at Siletz Tribal FDP/IR.

### Tuna Salad Wraps

- 1 can tuna (squeeze dry)\*
- Juice of 1 lemon\*
- ½ bunch romaine lettuce (shredded)\*
- 1 cup celery (diced)\*
- ½ cup mayo
- ¼ cup dill relish
- Salt and pepper to taste
- Whole wheat tortillas\*

Mix the first seven ingredients in a large bowl. Place about ½ cup of the mixture into a tortilla and roll it up.

\*Indicates commodity food item

Joyce Retherford, FDP Director  
541-444-8393

Lisa Paul, FDP Clerk/Warehouseman  
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## CULTURAL FISHING

# SEASON OPEN

Oct. 14 - Dec. 12, 2016

CTSI License & Tag Required

### TRIBAL FISHING SITES:



- ❖ Euchre Creek Falls (off Hwy 229)
- ❖ Little Rock Creek (above Hatchery)
- ❖ Drift Creek (off Hwy 101)

Tribal salmon tags may only be used to fish in posted areas at the above cultural fishing sites using only a dip net, spear, or gaff hook. License and tags are available at the CTSI Natural Resources Dept., (541) 444-8227.

### General Council Meeting

Nov. 5, 2016 • 1 p.m.

Siletz Tribal Community Center  
Siletz, Oregon

- Call to Order
- Invocation
- Flag Salute
- Roll Call

Approval of Agenda  
Approval of Minutes

Economic Development

Tribal Council Candidates’  
Declarations

Tribal Members’ Concerns

Chairman’s Report

Announcements

Adjourn