



Courtesy photo

Life-sized photo display of Aurilla Tom and Augusta Simmons is in view upon entering the North Lincoln County Historical Museum.



Courtesy photo by Bob Gibson of Blue Water Photography

STAHS board members Shawna Gray, Teresa Simmons and Jerome Viles with North Lincoln County Historical Museum Curator Anne Hall (second from right)

STAHS presents new award at Lincoln City Community Days banquet

On April 29, the Siletz Tribal Arts and Heritage Society presented for the first time the Cultural Enlightenment Award at the Lincoln City Community Days banquet.

The banquet is held annually to celebrate the contributions and accomplishments of citizens who have improved the quality of life for those residing in the area. This year, STAHS chose to establish an award to honor a person or entity that promotes and preserves cultural awareness.

Anne Hall, curator of the North Lincoln County Historical Museum, was selected to receive the honor for 2016. Anne has, throughout her tenure at the museum, researched, displayed, shared and promoted the history of the indigenous peoples of the area with local residents and visitors.

She has gone beyond the norm, developing a dialog that includes the history of the original inhabitants of North Lincoln County from before the time of European contact to the present day.

Hall was presented with a certificate of appreciation and a traditional pine nut necklace hand crafted by the Viles family.

Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians

Tribal Maternal, Infant & Early Childhood Home Visiting Program

Naytlh - 'a "We Carry the Children"

How has the Siletz Tribal Home Visiting Program helped you and your family since participating?

- ❖ "The home visiting program has helped prepare us for our new addition by letting us know what is to be expected before and after the baby comes and how to best deal with certain situations that come up."
- Andrea & Robert, 4 months in the program
- ❖ "I've learned all the things I thought I should know that I did not know already with the help and support of the program. Siletz Tribal Home Visiting Program helped me become a better mom."
- Shyann, 1 year in the program
- ❖ "I feel like Siletz Tribal home visits have helped me be more on track when it comes to my child's development. Home visits have also helped me keep a better schedule, helping my whole family."
- Jennifer, 1 year and 9 months in the program
- ❖ "Getting the help when you're a new parent is life-saving, to know you are doing it right and if not, finding out the right way."
- Samantha, 1 year in the program
- ❖ "The program has helped me to realize there are a lot of different ways to parent and there is always help if you are willing to look for it. The Siletz Home Visiting Program has helped make my life a little simpler just knowing I have resources to help me be the best mom I can be."
- Chandra, 1 year and 10 months in the program
- ❖ "The Siletz Home Visiting Program has helped me with my child's growth, my motivation with being a parent and I've also established a friendship."
- Britnee, 1 year and 8 months in the program
- ❖ "Home Visiting Program helped us better understand the developmental milestones that our child is at and also the reassurance that each child is unique and not to be worried. The program has been helpful, especially with different resources also."
- Ale & Seth, 1 year and 1 month in the program
- ❖ "As a first-time mom, Siletz Home Visiting Program has been a good addition to my support system, not only emotionally, but also mentally."
- Janet, 1 year and 1 month in the program

If you are interested in or have any questions about our Siletz Tribal Home Visiting Program, please call Jessica Phillips, Program Coordinator, at 541-484- 4234.

Tipi Drawing

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Roll #: _____

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