

# Avila named casino's Superstar employee for fourth quarter 2017

Siletz Tribal member Ediberto "Eddie" Avila was selected as the fourth quarter 2017 Superstar for Chinook Winds Casino Resort.

Avila has been employed with Chinook Winds in Player Services for more than four years. His outstanding service has been noted by many guests as well as by his supervisors. He has been nominated for the Superstar award multiple times in the past, as well as receiving all five BEACH stars.

Avila was nominated both by a guest and by a supervisor for his outstanding customer service and willingness to go above and beyond.

Avila received a check for \$1,000, his own parking space for the quarter and a plaque commemorating the honor. Additionally, a marble tile plaque, engraved with his name, will be displayed at the front entrance to the casino.



Courtesy photo by Chinook Winds Casino Resort staff  
Brad Darcy, director of Human Resources, with Ediberto "Eddie" Avila

Chinook Winds directors, selected staff, Tribal elders and staff of the Siletz Tribal Gaming Commission attended the Superstar ceremony in the casino's convention center in January. One-, five-, 10- and 15-year employees also were recognized for their service to the organization.

Chinook Winds' BEACH core values form the foundation on which staff perform and conduct themselves daily. The core values, which spell out "BEACH," include: Be Passionate & Determined, Embrace Change, Accountability, Customer Service and Happiness.

Nominations go through several reviews before a final selection is made. With more than 800 employees and only four of these awards given each year, it's a real honor to be chosen as the Superstar. Avila was nominated alongside fellow team members Alice Cornejo, Greg Albrich, Joseph Padilla, Rob Brooks and Roy Cabal.

## Hotel rates for Siletz Tribal members

Siletz Tribe hotel rates all year round! No longer do you have to guess at what your rate is and worry about higher rates in the summer. One rate for each hotel type is now \$79 for standard deluxe oceanfront rooms and \$99 for oceanfront junior suites.

## Tribal members can maintain monthly golfing privileges at Chinook Winds Golf Resort

Tribal members receive free greens fees and can walk nine or 18 holes at no charge. If a cart makes golf more enjoyable, it is only \$10 for nine holes or \$15 for 18 holes.

New this year – We offer Tribal members monthly cart lease and golfing privileges starting at \$75/month.

- Tribal individual cart lease \$75/month
- Couples membership with cart lease \$125/month
  - Couple membership is eligible for any individual living in the same household as the Tribal member.
- Tribal family membership with cart lease \$150/month
  - Couple plus children in the same household under age 24 will have full golf and cart privileges (must be a licensed driver to drive the golf cart.)

Golf is an outstanding way to spend some time with your family and friends. Please take advantage of all of our employee benefits and spend some quality time outdoors this spring on the beautiful Oregon Coast.

Cory Camilleri is our golf pro at Chinook Winds Golf Resort.



To the editor:

The Siletz Tribal Royalty would like to thank everyone who helped make our Seminole pow-wow trip a success – this list includes our families, friends, community, Tribe and the Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund for contributing to our trip to the Seminole Tribal Fair and Pow-Wow in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., this past February 2018.

It was a wonderful experience for us to travel across the nation and participate in another Tribe's pow-wow celebration. It was an honor for us to represent our Tribe, family and community. A huge thank you to all who contributed to our experience of travel, culture and fun together.

With appreciation and love,

Miss Siletz Felisha Howell

Junior Miss Siletz Jocelyn Hernandez

Little Miss Siletz Halli Lane-Skauge

## Survivor auditions return to Chinook Winds

Are you mentally and physically tough? Can you OUTWIT, OUTPLAY and OUTLAST anyone at any contest? Then you are a SURVIVOR!

Join KOIN 6 News at the open casting call for the hit CBS show SURVIVOR at Chinook Winds Casino Resort's Showroom. Auditions are June 2, 2018, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Anyone interested in auditioning should review the eligibility requirements prior to attending the open call to ensure the minimum requirements are met.

Each applicant must print and sign a Video Release & Waiver and bring it to the open call on June 2. Download the Video Release & Waiver and Eligibility Requirements from the resort website at chinookwindscasino.com.

Applicants will have one minute to creatively express why they should be considered for *Survivor*. Applicants must be age 21 or older to enter all public casino areas, but must be at least 18 to audition. Contestants will be asked to provide a valid ID.

Applicants are responsible for their own transportation to Chinook Winds.

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