



Courtesy photo by Angela Ramirez

Tribal Council member Reggie Butler Sr. was recognized as the eldest male in attendance at the Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians (ATNI) fall conference held at the Coeur d'Alene Casino Resort Hotel in Worley, Idaho, on Sept. 17-20. Taylor Aalvik (Cowlitz), ATNI assistant secretary (left), and Andy Joseph Jr. (Colville), ATNI third vice-president (right), presented Butler with a quilt.



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Pictured with Jessica Douglas from right to left are Torsten Kjellstrand, SOJC instructor; Juan-Carlos Molleda, SOJC dean; and Romario Garcia Boutista, UO journalism student.

Douglas attends National Native Media Conference

In July 2018, Siletz student Jessica Douglas attended the National Native Media Conference in Miami, Fla., for the first time. The conference consisted of workshops and lectures that focused specifically on the issues in Indian County.

The Native American Journalists Association partnered with the National Association of Hispanic Journalists to host the four-day conference.

Douglas is a student at the University of Oregon pursuing a journalism degree and a Native studies and art minor. This fall, with the help of other Native journalists at UO, Jessica will work to establish a Native American Journalists Association chapter at the SOJC (School of Journalism and Communication).

October USDA distribution dates, new income guide

	Siletz		Salem	
Monday	Oct. 1	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	Monday	Oct. 15 1:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday	Oct. 2	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	Tuesday	Oct. 16 9 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday	Oct. 3	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	Wednesday	Oct. 17 9 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
Thursday	Oct. 4	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	Thursday	Oct. 18 By appt only
Friday	Oct. 5	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.		

Once again, USDA Food & Nutrition Services has increased the income guide rate to receive food from our program. If you think you might be eligible, call our offices and we can help you.

FDPIR Income Guide Rate Effective Oct. 1, 2018	
HH Size	Net Monthly Income Standard
1	\$1,176
2	\$1,536
3	\$1,896
4	\$2,266
5	\$2,656
6	\$3,046
7	\$3,406
8	\$3,766

Each additional member: \$360

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Change in Siletz Clinic check-in times

The Siletz Clinic asks all patients with appointments to check in 15 minutes prior to your scheduled appointment time. This allows for any necessary paperwork to be completed prior to your appointment with your provider.

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