

2019 ELDER'S WOODCUTS

Saturdays, 8:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
Near USDA on Logsdan Road in Siletz

Join us to split, load & deliver firewood to Tribal Elders



MAY 18

JULY 20

SEPT 21





Snacks, water, and PIZZA lunch provided

Bring your own gloves.
Bring axes and chainsaws if you have them.
Wood splitters and tools provided on site.

**Tribal Elders who need firewood delivered must call
the Elders Program to be added to the list.
Raina (541) 444-8261, Anita (541) 444-8220,**



Happy 7th Birthday to my sweet baby girl, Deenie. I can't believe you're 7 already. Momma loves you to the moon and back.

Happy Birthday, Aunt Gloria. Hope you have an amazing day.
Love, Selina, Cameron, Mateas and Deenie

Happy Birthday, Kent Rilatos!
Love ya, Selina and kids

May 17 is an awesome day to celebrate these three on their birthdays. I love them all!



Happy 15th Birthday to our son, grandson, brother, nephew and the best uncle in the world, Hayden "McBuckets" Worman. We're so proud of the young man you're becoming. Keep up the great work.

Love, Mom, Chad, Dad, Grandma D, Papa, Aunt Booboo, Sissy, Richard and Finn

**For more information about
the Siletz Tribal Arts &
Heritage Society,
visit huu-cha.org.**

Tipi Drawing

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Roll #: _____

For Siletz Tribal members to use during the Nesika Illahee Pow-Wow on Aug 9-11, 2019. One entry per household. Must be a Siletz Tribal member to enter.

Deadline for entries is June 17, 2019. Names will be drawn soon after the deadline. Return the form to Siletz Pow-Wow, Attn: Tipi Drawing, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549.

Note: You do not win the tipi. The drawing is only for a stay in the tipi during pow-wow weekend.

2019-2020 Siletz Royalty Applications

Applications are being accepted for 2019-2020 Miss Siletz, Junior Miss Siletz and Little Miss Siletz. **Applications must be turned in by 4:30 p.m. on June 3, 2019.**

Applications can be sent to Siletz Pow-Wow Committee, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549.

Applications can be downloaded from the Tribal website, located under the pow-wow tab.

If you have any questions about the royalty applications or the tipi drawing, contact Buddy Lane at 800-922-1399, ext. 1230; 541-444-8230; or buddyl@ctsi.nsn.us.

Tribe seeks to update its record of Tribal veterans

It is important for the Tribe to keep a current updated record of our Siletz Tribal veterans. So often we are totally unaware of Siletz veterans who have served our nation, especially our younger veterans.

We are also trying to track how many Vietnam-era veterans have served and also how many were "boots on the ground." I would appreciate it if you could help supply us with this much-needed information. Thank you!

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Information for Veterans

- A veteran or a family member whose veteran is enrolled in the VA only has 72 hours to report a non-emergency room hospital visit so as not to get billed.
- There is a new program for veterans called Veterans Appeal Improvement Modernization Act – for those veterans who have been waiting too long for their appeal to be addressed. Again, this is a new program.
- For veterans who are enrolled into the VA system – you can also apply to join My Healthy Vet to have access to your local VA doctor, prescriptions, etc. This is a very useful tool.
- Also, some veterans have joined the EBenefits logon application to try and do their VA needs online, but first you must be eligible to apply for VA ben-

efits. I'm here to help you in that VA enrollment process. It's your choice to try EBenefits or let me assist you.

- The VA can be a very complex program and very trying to one's patience – and I have experienced certain road blocks. So please give me a call and I will do everything within my means to make sure you can enroll in the VA system.
- Our VA presumes that spinal bifida in biological children of certain Vietnam-era veterans who were exposed to Agent Orange was caused by the veteran's military service. Eligible children may receive VA benefits.

Contact Molina if you have questions on any of these items.

Free child ID kits from the Oregon State Police

**503-934-0188 or 800-282-7155;
child.idkits@state.or.us**

Passages Policy

Submissions to Passages are limited to two 25-word items per person, plus one photo if desired.

All birthday, anniversary and holiday wishes will appear in the Passages section.

Siletz News reserves the right to edit any submission for clarity and length.

Not all submissions are guaranteed publication upon submission.

Please type or write legibly and submit via e-mail when possible.