

Annual Deadlines for Enrollment

The deadline to submit an Application for Enrollment, name changes, blood quantum correction and requests for relinquishment of Tribal membership is the second Friday in the months of January, April, July and September.

The Enrollment Committee reviews the applications and requests at its meetings in the months of February, May, August and October. Tribal Council takes action on the committee's recommendations in March, June, September and November.

There is a blackout period for enrollment actions from Dec. 1 to Election Day (first Saturday in February) annually.

Address Changes

If you have recently moved, even if you have a forwarding address on file with the post office, please get your Address & Contact Information Update form in as soon as possible.

You can get the form on the Tribal website, from any Tribal office or contact the Enrollment Department to have one mailed to you. All address updates must be in writing to ensure that you have requested the address to be changed, this is for your own security.

As a note, "General Delivery" is NOT acceptable as a mailing address as it is only temporary and the post office will only hold the mail for a limited time for delivery.

We have had a large amount of "General Delivery" mail returned and this is not effective in getting mail to Tribal members when we need to. It is much better to rent a post office box if you are not able to use a permanent address somewhere else.

If this is a concern for you or someone on the Missing Moccasin list, call 800-922-1399, ext. 1258, or 541-444-8258 and we will work with you to figure out a permanent address solution.

Help Us Find the Missing Moccasins!

If someone does not have a good address and phone number on file with Enrollment, that person is considered a "Missing Moccasin." Please check the

list on the Tribal website for anyone you might know.

Missing Moccasins do not receive their per capita check on time! In addition, Missing Moccasins do not receive this newspaper, election mail, 1099 forms and other important mail from the Tribe.

Are you a parent of a minor Tribal member who did not receive a statement of his/her Minor Trust account earlier this year? It could be that your CHILD is a missing moccasin. The list is updated monthly and more frequently throughout July and August.



Scan the QR code above with your smart phone's camera to see the most recent Missing Moccasins list!

Where is My Per Capita Check?

Per capita checks were mailed on Wednesday, July 31, to the address on file with the Enrollment Department as of July 15, 2019, unless an address update was submitted.

- The Tribal Member Distribution Ordinance requires distribution of checks to be initially MAILED; therefore it CANNOT be picked up at the Siletz Tribal office. Per capita checks CANNOT be direct deposited.
- Mail from Siletz takes as long as four days to get to an address in Portland, Salem and Eugene. Please allow for

the "snail mail" time before calling to see where your per capita check is.

- If you are a Missing Moccasin as of Friday, July 12, your check will be held until an updated address is submitted. If you are a Missing Moccasin and update your address between Monday, July 15, and Wednesday, July 31, the per capita check will be MAILED ON Thursday, Aug. 1, 2019. All other Missing Moccasins who update their address after Aug. 1, 2019, will have their checks mailed when the address update is received in the Enrollment Department.
- The adult Missing Moccasin list is now on the Tribal website on the Enrollment Posting tab in the Tribal member area of the website. Please check there to see if you or anyone you know is listed.
- Policy states you must wait 15 business days (in the case of per capita checks until Aug. 22, 2019) from the time of mailing before you can submit a request for a "stop payment" to Accounting and have the check re-issued. This allows time for the check to be returned if it is "undeliverable" at the address to which it was mailed.
- If your check is returned as "undeliverable," you must submit an address update to Enrollment in order to have your check re-mailed.

Optometry Walk-in Dates

In the Siletz Clinic's Optometry Department, after one no-show patients will not be able to schedule appointments for six months. Patients will have access to our walk-in clinic on the last Thursday of the month from 8:15-11:15 a.m.

Patients will be seen on a first-come, first-served basis on the following dates: Aug. 29, Sept. 26 and Oct. 31.

Use Amazon SMILE to donate to STAHS

Here's how you can donate to the Siletz Tribal Arts & Heritage Society (STAHS) painlessly and effortlessly. It's as easy as 1,2,3,4.

Thank you for supporting STAHS!

- Go to Amazon.com.
- In the Department drop down box, type Amazon Smile.
- See Amazon Smile – You shop. Amazon Gives.
- Follow the easy directions.

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On Sunday, Aug. 11, the final day of the pow-wow, a Grand Entry takes place at noon. This session includes team dances, a women's basket cap special and a round bustle special for men. It will end with awards for the Golden Age, adult, teen and youth category winners. Prizes range from \$25 to \$600.

A variety of food and Native arts and crafts and jewelry will be offered for sale by more than 50 vendors on the pow-wow grounds.

"Come and see the variety of vendors at our annual summer pow-wow. Many facets of indigenous America are represented both in craft and food," said Lane. "There's a lot to look at and experience, there's something for everyone here."

A free shuttle will be available from various parking lots in Siletz to the pow-wow on Government Hill. Signs will be posted. Parking is extremely limited at the

pow-wow grounds, so the shuttle is the best way to get there.

This is an alcohol- and drug-free event. Listen carefully to the pow-wow announcer, who will tell you when you can and when you should not take photos. The announcer also will explain the significance of the events taking place in the dance arena throughout the pow-wow.

Pow-Wow Schedule

Friday, Aug. 9

6 p.m. – Royalty Crowning
7 p.m. – Grand Entry

Saturday, Aug. 10

10 a.m. – Parade
1 p.m. and 7 p.m. – Grand Entry

Sunday, Aug. 11

Noon – Grand Entry

CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF SILETZ INDIANS ANNUAL NESIKA ILLAHEE POWWOW

August 9th - 11th, 2019

Pauline Ricks Memorial Pow -Wow Grounds
Government Hill, Siletz, OR



Categories

Golden Age / Adult | \$600, 500, 400, 300, 200
Teen | \$300, \$250, \$200, \$150, \$100
Youth | \$150, \$100, \$75, \$50, \$25

(Teen & Youth Preliminaries Occur Friday Night)

Specials

- Team Dance
- Women's Basket Cap Special (Open)
- Round Bustle (Open)

All Dancers & Drummers Welcome

(Drummers, please bring your own chairs)

Alcohol & Drug-Free Event | All are welcome to Attend!

Vendor registration is required. Camping fee \$25; \$5 pet fee / per pet (camping area) Camp Grounds open Thursday at 7 AM For more information call: 800-922-1399 Buddy Lane Ext. 1230

Sponsored by Chinook Winds Casino Resort & Pepsi Bottling Co.

Thursday, Aug 8th
Royalty Pageant - 6 PM

Friday, Aug 9th
Memorial / Giveaways

Noon to 5 PM
Presentation of Crowns 6 PM
Grand Entry - 7 PM

Saturday, Aug 10th
Parade - 10 AM
Dance competition

Points Awarded for Parade participation

Grand Entry - 1 PM & 7 PM

Sunday, Aug 11th
Grand Entry - 12 PM
Salmon Dinner

Following Grand Entry