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Izaiah Fisher

Fisher named co-president of national committee after serving as regional rep

Grand Ronde resident Izaiah Fisher has been named the male co-president of the United National Indian Tribal Youth (UNITY) Executive Committee.

Fisher, 19, is a member of the Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians. He previously served on the Grand Ronde Tribal Youth Council and the Siletz Tribal Youth Council. His work with UNITY began in 2019 when he was named the northwest regional representative.

Fisher is a descendent of the Selsic, Tom and Riggs families. He graduated from Siletz Valley Early College Academy in 2020.

UNITY's mission is "to foster the spiritual, mental, physical and social development of American Indian and Alaska Native youth, and to help build a strong, unified and self-reliant Native America through greater youth involvement." For more information about UNITY and how to get involved, visit unityinc.org.

For more information about the Siletz Tribe, visit ctsi.nsn.us.

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Harris administration has made clear its priorities to respect Tribal sovereignty and self-governance, fulfill federal trust and treaty responsibilities to Tribal nations, and make regular, meaningful and robust consultation with Tribal nations cornerstones of federal Indian policy. I am committed to engaging with Tribes every step of the way and ensuring they have the support and resources they need to fully thrive."

Before serving as Tribal president of the Bay Mills Indian Community, Newland served as chief judge of the Bay Mills Tribal Court. From 2009 to 2012, he served as a counselor and policy advisor to the assistant secretary of the interior for Indian affairs.

Bryan is a graduate of Michigan State University and the Michigan State University College of Law. In his free time, he enjoys hiking and kayaking the shores of Lake Superior and is a nature photography enthusiast.

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AGE 12-17 YEARS

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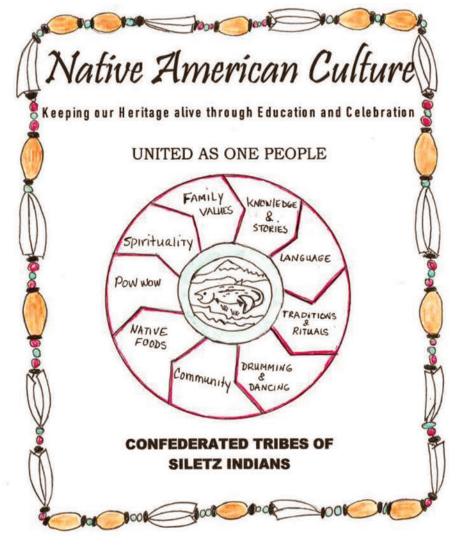
Need Rental Housing?

The Siletz Tribal Housing Department encourages you to apply for the Low-Income Rental Program waiting list in Siletz (1-4 bedrooms) and Lincoln City (2-3 bedrooms – Neachesna Village).

Applications can be obtained at any Tribal area office (Eugene, Salem, Portland, Siletz) or online from the Tribal website – ctsi.nsn.us; follow links – Tribal Services-Housing-Low Rent Apartments & Home Ownership.

For any questions, call 800-922-1399, ext. 1322, or 541-444-8322 Fax: 541-444- 8313

This fundraiser replaces the Elders raffles that usually take place at the Nesika Illahee and Restoration pow-wows. Neither event took place in 2020 and both have been canceled in 2021. Help this group continue to buy flowers and gift cards for elders who fall ill by purchasing a steel blue T-shirt or sweatshirt.



ELDERS COUNCIL FUNDRAISER

The Elders Council is holding a T-Shirt fundraiser. We are now taking orders T-shirts and V-necks are \$20 each and sweatshirts are \$30 each. Please contact Shelley UpChurch at 541-992-5095 or email shellmeistero9@gmail.com to reserve yours today!