

**June 2022** 

News from the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma

Issue 6

## **Emergency Temporary Tiny Homes**



"One of the four emergency temporary homes Haven will be opening soon to victims of crime. Eligibility is determined by need as a victim of crime and during the Haven intake process". For more information contact HAVEN at (918) 554-2836 or (918) 533-3070. (See more pictures on page 3.)

EASTERN SHAWNEE TRIBE OF OKLAHOMA ELECTION BOARD

#### NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2022

ELECTION FOR CHIEF and for First (1st) COUNCIL PERSON BOTH TO SERVE TERMS OF FOUR YEARS ON THE BUSI-NESS COMMITTEE

#### FILING FOR CANDIDACY

Monday, June 6th, 2022 to June 10th, 2022 **Deadline for Filing:** 4:30 PM at the close of business.

You're Invited! Business Committee Meetings to be held June 2 & 22, 2022 in the Bluejacket Building. Meetings are held on the second and fourth Wednesday each month. Masks and social distancing measures will be observed.

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## The Chief's Report . . .



Chief Glenna J. Wallace

Dear Fellow Eastern Shawnee Tribal Citizen,

Hatito! Greetings to all of you and I hope you are well. Here in the four state corner we have four seasons and although the calendar indicates we should be in spring, we seem to be experiencing three of the four seasons on a daily rotation schedule. We have spring one day with glorious sunshine, mild temperatures in the seventies, sometimes in the low eighties with beautiful iris, primroses, lilacs, peonies and lingering daffodils and tulips to enjoy. Then the next day the temps drop faster than the proverbial speeding bullet and the layered clothing and office heaters return only to be met with hot humid days with temps approaching the nineties reminiscent of summer occurring the next day. Interspersed in all of this is rain, rain. It has truly been a wet season accompanied with incessant high winds. The frequent rain has stopped just in time for flooding to be prevented in most places most of the time. These small inconveniences are a thousand times better than having CO-VID apprehension and isolation. However our local news indicates COVID cases in the area are on the rise again so we continue to be alert to these possibilities.

Last weekend felt like heaven as the Spring Bread Dance returned to White Oak after a two year hiatus due to CO-VID. It was so good to see so many friends with smiles on their faces. We were able to dance but it had to be done carefully as those rains came early Saturday morning and drenched the dance grounds leaving at least an inch of water on the surface which then had to be covered with sand, making dancing a bit more of a challenge because of the sponge like conditions. Happiness was visiting different camps, partaking of the sumptuous array of food, making sure I ate my portion of the blessed meat and breads prepared at the grounds. I first attended White Oak Bread Dances twenty years ago when I was recuperating from cancer chemo treatments. I had numerous individuals make a point of sharing with me their meat and breads, always telling me that these foods had been prayed over, blessed, and helped protect and heal. I will always remember the kindness and concern of those individuals and the Bread Dances will always be so special to me. Sadness was noting the absence of so many of our people who lost their battle with this hideous pandemic and seeing how many of our elders had aged and slowed down so much in these missing two years of dancing and visiting with everyone.

Experiencing the joy of the Bread Dance makes me anticipate even more the return of our Pow Wow which has also been cancelled the last two years. It will be so good to see faces we haven't seen, talk face-to-face with fellow tribal citizens we have missed. Remember the Pow Wow is held the third weekend in September with the dates this year being 16, 17, and 18 with the next day, Monday, September 19 being History Summit Day. For those who need reservations at Indigo Sky, it is best to reserve them now and be sure to ask for your tribal discount. I am looking forward to seeing you. Contact number for Indigo Sky Hotel is 888-992-7591. Remember that we also have a Chil-

See *CHIEF* on page 24

#### The Shooting Star

12705 S. 705 Rd., Wyandotte, OK 74370

#### **Business Committee Members**

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Eastern Shawnee Travel Center

Bearskin Clinic

Appointments

Pharmacy Shawnee Skies

Dental/Optometry

(918) 238-2400

(918) 678-3221

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(918) 678-2282 | (888) 864-0725

(918) 238-CLAY | (918) 238-2529

## Inside the Emergency Tiny Homes



# Education Snapshot By Amber Mittag, Education/Specialized Services Director

Hello Students!

Its graduation season! Everyone's celebrating, including us in Education. We are so very proud of you all and can't wait to see the bright futures ahead of you! For this article I have a student highlight who also happens to be one of the first to wear the Eastern Shawnee graduation stole!



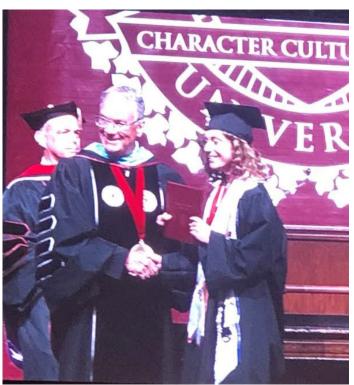
Addie Smith

Addie Smith has graduated with her bachelor's degree from Southern Nazarene University in Bethany Oklahoma.

Below is a list of Addie's accolades:

- Summa Cum Laude: 3.9-4.0 cumulative GPA
- Mortar Board Stole & Pin: National Honors Society with a minimum 3.4 GPA & campus involvement
- Ronald E. McNair Stole: National Research opportunity for underrepresented individuals wishing to obtain a doctoral degree
- NSLS Cords: National Society of Leadership and Success: Chosen based on leadership participation on campus
- Medallion: Top 15% cumulative GPA in graduating class None of this would have been possible without the help of the Eastern Shawnee. Southern Nazarene University has a very strong science program, so Addie wanted to attend there, but financially, the Eastern Shawnee made this possible. With the help of the Eastern Shawnee, she is now able to attend the University of Oklahoma to obtain her doctorate in occupational therapy.

Congratulations Addie, we are so proud and can't wait to see what you accomplish in your future!!





Pictured are five Eastern Shawnee that have benefited from the Eastern Shawnee Education Department. Names from left to right: Brad Smith, Brent Smith, Addie Smith, Mathieu Smith, & Mitchell Smith.

## **Congratulations 2022 Graduates**



Matthew Liam Mackie

Matthew Liam Mackie graduated from Seneca High School in Seneca, MO on May 20, 2022. Matthew is the son of the late Colin Mackie and Kathleen Blanchard. He is the grandson of Sylvia Hampton and g-grandson of Thomas Henry Hampton and gg-grandson of Cordelia Captain Hampton.

Matthew participated in the Dual Credit Program at Crowder College. The Dual Credit Program allows high school students, while still attending their local school, the opportunity to enroll in and receive both high school and college credit during normal class hours. Participation in the dual credit program enables high school students to get a "head start" on their college

career as well as prepare them for the challenges of college courses. Credits earned under these programs will be applicable towards a degree at Crowder College and are generally transferable to other colleges and universities.

Matthew will be attending Crowder College located in Neosho, MO in the Fall of 2022 where he will continue with his studies.



Julia Peterson

Julia Peterson will be graduating with a Masters in Teaching from Pacific University. The graduation ceremony will be held May 21, 2022. Julia also earned her BA in Applied Theater from Pacific

University, as well.

Thank you to you, and the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma, for all the support and encouragement throughout Julia's higher education journey.



Nicholas Meadows

Glenn and Andrea Meadows are proud to announce their son Nicholas Meadows is graduating from Benton-ville West High School in Centerton, Arkansas. Nicholas plans to further his education by attending Northwest Arkansas Community College in Bentonville obtaining his associates in general studies. Nicholas is the grandson of Margie Paulette Bighorse, great grandson of Margie Lee White Burkhart, great great grandson of Dora Effie Tooley James.

## **Congratulations New Tribal Enrollees**

BREON MONTERO CLARK
DOB: 12/08/2021 Son of Alysha Lynn
Lorenz (ID #1639) Grandson of Melinda June CARPENTER Lorenz (ID
#226) Great Grandson of Colleen
Joyce DUSHANE Carpenter (1938
#86) Great Great Grandson of Clifford
M. DUSHANE (1938 #84)

**PERRY LABAN TRAYLER** DOB: 01/19/2022 Son of Tiffany Michelle Trayler (ID #2314) Grandson of Shawna Beth Waterman (ID #2309) Great Grandson of Perry Sanford Hauser Jr.

(1964 #351) Great Great Grandson of Inez Olene PASLEY Hauser (1938 #204)

OLIVER FRANKLIN HIGBEE DOB: 11/11/2021 Son of James Franklin Higbee Jr (ID #1402) Grandson of Jamie Ellyn Higbee Humphreys (ID #482) Great Grandson of James Franklin Higbee Sr. (1938 #142)

**BECKETT LEE GIBSON** DOB: 11/08/2021 Son of Jordann Kay Gibson (ID #1503) Grandson of Lisa Gale Captain Stivers (ID #212) Great

Grandson of Rex Dale Captain (1964 #160) Great Grandson of Thurman F. Captain (1938 #34)

PENNY ELLEN DAVIS DOB: 02/07/2022 Daughter of Emily Anne Belcher (ID #2321) Granddaughter of Barry Neil Belcher (ID #69) Great Granddaughter of Marilee Ellen ROSS Squirrel (1964 #46) Great Granddaughter of Preston Jack ROSS (1938 #255)

## Please Meet Rachel Holcomb, New ESTO Tribal Administrator Submitted by Rachel Holcomb, Tribal Administrator



Rachel Holcomb

Hello! For those whom I have not had the pleasure to meet, my name is Rachel Holcomb. I have been serving as your Tribal Administrator since January 24, 2022, and I am loving my new career! I was asked to tell a little about myself so here goes...

I was born and raised in Grove, Oklahoma. Throughout my K-12 experience, I was always busy with sports and studies. I enjoyed playing softball, basketball, and running track. After high school, I attended Missouri Southern State University (MSSU) and received a B.S. in Marketing; while there I was a member of the Honor's Program and worked at times three jobs to put myself through college. I entered the work force for 5 years and decided that I wanted to go back to school to follow a career path in which I could make a difference in people's lives. I moved to Dallas, Texas and attended the University of Texas at Dallas (UTD.) While there I received a Grant Proposal Writing Certification from Fort Hayes State University and travelled to Seoul, South Korea to study their city government programs. In December 2010 I received my Master's in Public Affairs (MPA) from UTD.

It's been quite the journey for me to make my way to the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma. I have worked with several amazing organizations, most recently the City of Neosho. While at the city, I served as the Development Services Director. I loved being in the public and being involved in projects around the city. The departments I managed included Information Technology, Grants, Hugh Robinson Memorial Airport, Planning & Zoning, Building Inspections, Facilities' Maintenance, and Communications & Events. I believe local government is the backbone of our country. Public Servants who choose to work in the communities in which they live are making a difference in the daily lives of those they serve. I have always believed that to make a difference in the world, you start in your own backyard. County, city, and tribal governments play a huge part in the daily lives of their citizens/members. I am very thankful for the opportunity to serve you!

Now that I have told you almost my whole life story, let me tell you a little about my real passion, my family. I married my husband, Daxton, in 2013. It was an instant family as he had three children, Jacob, Luke, and Emma. I had my daughter, Violet, in 2015 and my son, Alvie, in 2017. Yes! We have 5 children! My husband, myself, and our two youngest children live in Neosho. Both of my children will eventually be attending the Early Childhood Learning Center when there is an opening. They are very excited about attending school "at mom's work". We are all looking forward to attending events and learning more about the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma history and culture. If you are ever on the 10c campus I would absolutely love to meet you. Please come in and tell me about yourself. I am here for you, and I will make myself available to help with any issues or just to have a chat. I hope to see you soon!

## **COVID**

Testing & Vaccinations

### BEARSKIN HEALTH CENTER

Available in the new drive thru facility located to the west of the facility. No appointment is necessary! Monday -Thursday 8-11:30; 1-4, Friday 8-11:30; 1-3

## **VACANCIES**

Two Housing Authority Board Vacancies

- Vacancy for Eastern Shawnee citizen nonresident of HA
- 2. Vacancy for Eastern
  Shawnee citizen living
  in HA who does not own
  the home

Contact Chief Wallace gjwallace@estoo.net or (918) 666-2435 ext 1820

# Culture Campo 2022 Eastern Shawnee Tribe

## August 3rd, 4th & 5th

ESTOO Youth ages 6—16 yrs. Old

Must submit "Permission to Attend" Form

Three days to provide Tribal Youth the opportunity to learn about and participate in Shawnee Cultural activities.

Traditional Games, Language and other activities.



"permission to Attend" Form

Due by July 11, 2022

(Completed & Signed)

For additional information

(918) 238-5151

Paul Barton: ext. 1833, pbarton@estoo.net

Kelly Nelson: ext. 1861, knelson@estoo.net

## 2022 Eastern Shawnee Culture Camp Aug. 3rd-5th

**Due by July 11th, 2022** 

#### **Permission to Attend**

Please return to **Kelly Nelson** via email at **knelson@estoo.net** or by mail at **70500 E 128 Rd. Wyandotte, OK 74370** 

My child has permission to attend the 2022 Culture Camp spor	nsored by the Eastern Shawnee Tribe (ESTO).	
Child Name	Age	
Does your child have any health conditions or take any medication		
Are your child's immunizations up to date? Yes No  Does your child have any food allergies? Yes No	(Please specify child or adult size)	
If any type of minor injuries were to occur, what would you like for us to do?		
Pictures of your children participating in the camp activities may be tal permission for ESTO to use these pictures for use on social media, and  Yes No	publication for various ESTO departments?	
Emergency Contact Information		
Name and number of parent/guardian.  1		
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Adress		
The Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma nor any staff in the Cu will be held responsible for		
Signature of Parent(s)	Date	
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# EASTERN SHAWNEE TRIBE OF OKLAHOMA ELECTION BOARD NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2022

### **ELECTION FOR CHIEF**

and for

## First (1st)COUNCIL PERSON

BOTH TO SERVE TERMS OF FOUR YEARS ON THE BUSINESS COMMITTEE

## **FILING FOR CANDIDACY**

Monday, June 6th, 2022 to June 10th, 2022 Deadline for Filing: 4:30 PM at the close of business.

All qualified members of the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma desiring his/her name placed on the ballot as a candidate for Elective Office must file a Declaration of Candidacy in person with the Election Board Secretary or designated representative.

No person shall be a candidate for more than one (1) office at any one time. A filing fee of fifty dollars (\$50.00) shall be assessed for each candidate payable to the Eastern Shawnee Tribe by certified check, cashier's check or money order to be paid on the same date the Declaration of Candidacy is filed. Said filing fee is non-refundable.

Location: 10080 S. Bluejacket Road, Wyandotte, OK 74370

#### EASTERN SHAWNEE TRIBE OF OKLAHOMA ELECTION BOARD

Chair James Sullivan
Vice Chair Roy Ross
Secretary Mercedes Lewis

Board Members: Preston Ross, Norval Clark, Danny Triplett, Joseph Blakeburn

Phone 918-238-2435 Ext. 1065 --- Toll Free: 866-899-0249 Ext. 1065

## FROM THIS CORNER

## By Chief Glenna J. Wallace

A hot topic in the news recently has been discussions regarding Indian Boarding Schools. The Seneca Indian School was a Native American boarding school located just 7 or 8 miles from us in Wyandotte, Oklahoma initially founded for Seneca, Shawnee and Wyandotte tribal children. In later years it had many Cherokee students and in its final years many students from as far away as Florida. The school operated from 1872 to 1980, a period of 108 years. Wikipedia states "American Indian boarding schools, also known more recently as American Indian Residence Schools, were established in the United States from the mid-17th to the early 20th centuries with a primary objective of 'civilizing'

or assimilating Native American children and youth into Euro-American culture." Shawnees living in Kansas went to Shawnee Mission, a boarding school forty years before the Seneca Indian boarding school was established in Ottawa County. Many of our Eastern Shawnee tribal children, now elders with many of them being deceased, attended this school with many going on to Haskell and Chilocco.

According to the Boarding School Healing Coalition, 367 Indian boarding schools operated in 29 states, from Alabama to Alaska. Seventy three were operating in 2020 and 15 of them still boarded students. Oklahoma had the most, with 83 schools, some of which are still operating as of January 2022.

The renewed interest in the topic of Indian Boarding Schools resurfaced this year when U.S. Interior Secretary Deb Haaland ordered an investigation in the U.S. when more than 200 unmarked graves were discovered at two former boarding schools in Canada's British Columbia and Saskatchewan provinces.

Now there is a bill in the House entitled "The Truth and Healing Commission on Indian Boarding School Policies in the U.S. Act". Recently Shawnee Chief Ben Barnes testified before the House Subcommittee in support of this bill. Following are Chief Barnes' comments.

## Shawnee Chief Ben Barnes Calls Testifying to Committee "Humbling Experience"

"It was humbling to be there (in Washington, D.C.) and to hear the testimonies first-hand from people that had been through boarding schools and the horrific things that had been done." Barnes said. "To think about the young Shawnee kids that had been through our boarding schools, not just the ones in Kansas and elsewhere, but even here in Oklahoma.

Legislation would establish a federal commission to locate and make available the records from Indian boarding schools that operated in the U.S. Native American children were treated harshly at these schools which sought to "civilize" Native Americans by eliminating their culture and heritage. The stated purpose of this policy was the "Kill the Indian, Save the Man."

The Shawnee Indian Manual Labor Boarding School in Fairway, Kan-

sas was one of 367 such schools, according to the National Native American Boarding School Healing Coalition.

Oklahoma had 83 boarding schools most in the country, followed by Arizona with 51, Alaska, 33; New Mexico, 26, and South Dakota, 25.

In Ottawa County, there was a school at Quapaw as well as the Seneca Indian School at Wyandotte.

Twenty-nine of the nation's 50 states have schools, and of the 367, 73 remain open today.

The National Native American Boarding School Healing Coalition says 15 are still boarding.

Also, three have taken on new, more familiar names: Bacone Indian College in Muskogee (now is Bacone College), Henry Kendall College (now the University of Tulsa) and Murray School of Agriculture (now Murray State College).

Although the exact number of children affected really isn't known, it's estimated that there were 20,000 placed in Indian schools by 1900. Some say those numbers tripled by the mid-1920's.

According to a graphic prepared by the National Native American Boarding School Healing Coalition, 14 denominations were represented: Catholic (80), Presbyterian (21), Quaker (15), Methodist (12), Episcopal (nine), Baptist (four), Jesuit (four), Dutch Reformed (two), Evangelical (two) Mennonite (two), Protestant (two), Anglican (one), Seventh-day Adventist (one) and Unitarian (one).

"I know some will say there's kids

that had good things happen to them or had nothing happen to them. I recognize that the closer we get to today that may be true, but there's also people that had terrible things happen," Chief Barnes said.

One report says that the remains of more than 500 children were found in 53 different burial sites at or near school.

"How many colleges, universities or schools do you know of that have cemeteries? Why is it that the Native ones have cemeteries?" Chief Barnes asked.

Others who testified were boarding school survivors Matthew War Bonnet, Rosebud Sioux Tribe; Dr. Ramona Charette Klein, Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians, and James LaBelle Sr., first vice president, Native American Boarding School Healing Coalition.

Others testifying were Deborah Parker, chief executive officer, Native American Boarding School Healing Coalition, and Dr. Janine Pease, founding president and faculty member, Little Big Horn College in Crow Agency, Montana.

Because of short turnaround period in compiling a report, Chief Barnes was not hopeful about the content of the boarding school documents.

However, there are more than 100 pages to the report, which included original document from the National Archives, American Indian Records Repository, Bureau of Indian Education and Bureau of Trust Funds Administration.

"I was pleasantly surprised reading the report and how well it had been drafted, how thoughtful it had been drafted, how open-ended it was," he said

Barnes believes it a prologue to many more writings on the subject of Indian boarding schools.

He said for the first time in history, the United States government has officially and openly acknowledged that federal Indian boarding schools were intentionally designed as part of system to take Indian land and assimilate Native Americans into white society."

Reprinted with permission Miami Newsrecord, Jim Ellis, Reporter, Friday, May 20, 2022.

## Emergency Rental Assistance Program By Amber Mittag, Education Coordinator

The purpose of the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma Emergency Rental Assistance Program is to provide direct financial assistance, including rent, rental arrears, utilities and home energy costs, utilities and home energy costs arrears, and other expenses related to housing. This program will make available a limited amount of assistance to households that are unable to pay rent and utilities due to the COVID-19 pandemic. This program will serve eligible households and is subject to available program funding.

#### **Eligibility:**

 Qualifies for unemployment or has experienced a reduction in household income, incurred significant costs, or experienced a financial hardship due, directly or indirectly, to the Covid-19 outbreak.



#### EMERGENCY RENTAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

- Demonstrates a risk of experiencing homelessness (rent) or housing instability (utilities and other expenses); and
- 3. Has a household income at or below 80 percent of your area median (FY 2020).

#### **Assistance Provided:**

- 1. Rent
- 2. Rental arrears
- 3. Utilities (electric, gas, water and sewer, fuel oil)

- 4. Utility arrears
- 5. Internet

Eligible households may apply and receive up to three months of assistance at a time, provided funds are available. A maximum of 12 months assistance or \$3,000, whichever should come first.

For more information please contact Amber Mittag, Education Coordinator, (918) 238-2424 or amittag@estoo.net or applications may be found on our website, www.estoo-nsn.gov



The Eastern Shawnee's Present the Shawna Stovall







Head Singer: Damien Blackfox
Head Man: River Stovall
Head Lady: Alexandria Hope
Head Little Boy: Daxton Pogue
Head Little Girl: Dhaloree Pogue
Master of Ceremonies: Bryce Washington
Arena Director: Neil Lawhead
Head Cook: Susan Patterson

Honor Guard: Wyandotte Honor Guard

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

12-3PM: Children's Activities 3-5PM: Gourd Dance 5-6PM: Dinner 6-7PM: Gourd Dance 7PM: Grand Entry

## **VENDORS NEEDED!**

FOOD, ART, & CRAFTS

(NATIVE AMERICAN PREFERENCE BUT NOT REQUIRED.) CONTACT: (918) 540 - 9970 FOR INFO.

## **ACTIVITIES**

Flint Knapping
Pony Rides
Story Teller
Face Painting
Camel Rides
Bounce Houses
Raffles
And So Much More!

## CONTEST

JR Boys - 12 & Under JR Girls - 12 & Under Tiny Tots - 5 & Under

## **Sedatives and their dangers**

## Submitted by Ben Bingham, Native Connections Project Director





Plants being grown in Fairland schools, and students planting plants with Native Connections.

One of our department goals is to provide other alternatives to suicide and substance abuse for children and young adults. One of these ways is through gardening, whether this is providing a grow stand in a corner to be watered daily by the small children, teaching elementary students how to place seeds in pots and labeling them, to showing teenagers how to pick weeds from a prepared raised bed and plant seeds to grow. All these things are part of a process that we can use to educate youth on some of our traditional medicine and food, provide an opportunity for mentoring relationships, teach new skills, or simply provide a calming space for one seeking peace and quiet. Gardening has been shown to help those with dementia, anxiety, attention deficit disorders, stress disorders, PTSD, and addiction.

With these things in mind, we partnered with Fairland Elementary School and pooling our resources have begun gardening with the 4th and 5th graders at the school's greenhouse. Every Friday Native Connections spends 4-5 hours at the school helping children build raised beds, watering plants, seeding new pots for later use. Now

that the weather has begun to improve, we plan to teach the children about how to plant the three sisters also known as corn, beans, and squash. They are also growing some unique types of watermelon such as the Snow Melon that features a white rind and deep red flesh. This will be a joy for the children to enjoy on a sweltering summer day.



# LIHWAP

Low Income Home Water Assistance Program

The Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma is processing Water Utility Assistance Applications for all qualified applicants (contact Specialized Services Lihwap program for more information) Please apply as soon as possible.

Qualified applicants must be an Oklahoma resident or live within 50 miles of tribal Headquarters to include portions of Missouri and Kansas.





Applications processed on a first come first serve basis.

Not all who apply will qualify

Documents required are:

1. Completed Application. 2. Copy of income of all household members (tax form 1040) 3. Copy of water bill (city utility bill accepted if water is itemized.) 4. Copy of CDIB card. Some applicants may prequalify omitting the need for certain documents.

Applications accepted by mail, email or fax.. Applications cannot be processed until all required documents are received.

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO RECEIVE AN APPLICATION CONTACT: ESTO SPECIALIZED SERVICES, LIHWAP/LIHEAP, AMBER MITTAG amittag@estoo.net; STACIE TRIPLETT striplett@estoo.net; PH: 1-918-238-2424, FAX: 1888-972-1834; LIHWAP App can be downloaded on website https://estoo-nsn.gov/tribal-forms/

## H.A.V.E.N. Update

## By Cathleen Osborne-Gowey (Program Admin – Crime Victim Advocate) (541) 602-0616 or COsbornegowey@estoo.net

#### **Upcoming Events:**

- Haven will be attending the local Pride Event on June 18th – contact our office for more details.
- Support Group will now be IN PERSON: Please call our office for details.

#### **Program Update:**

Hello all -

Spring is here and summer is just around the corner. With all the new flowers blooming so is our program. Haven is working to open our four temporary emergency homes for Haven clients who are victims of crime and has been providing amazing outreach events.

In the Shooting Star, you'll notice pictures of our emergency temporary homes that we're opening soon to victims of crime. These homes will be available to Victims of Crime needing emergency temporary shelter - eligibility determined during the Haven intake process. We're very excited to begin working toward one of our clients' largest needs - emergency temporary housing. Victims of Crime, specifically domestic violence, often leave abuse and violence and don't have a safe space to rest for the night. These homes will allow victims of crime to spend a few nights resting and figuring out their next steps.

Haven works hard to provide outreach to all victims of crime. Our outreach coordinator thinks outside the box to provide outreach to all in our community. We wanted to take the opportunity to share the type of outreach we've provided recently and give you all ideas of where you can get more information about our program and services. Recently, we participated in the Seneca Schools "All School Reads", which focused on the book Stuart Little. We provided "travel packs" with needed hygiene items for students that we called "hobo pack" like Stuart Little carries. We included Haven information and provided Haven info to











teachers. Haven also participated in Afton Schools Awareness Walk which focused on Teen Dating Awareness, Law Enforcement Appreciation Day where we provided lunch, and for Sexual Assault Awareness we provided care packs to victims who come to the hospital for sexual assault exams. We also provide specific projects for Haven clients, over the last couple of months they've included "Spring Cleaning Kits" and Easter Breakfast baskets.

**Remember** - if you have questions please contact HAVEN and talk with one of our advocates about how we can help and what services Haven can provide.

If you are able please call or see the messaging links above:

Haven Office: 918-554-2836 Text Line: 918.533.3070

Crime Victim Advocate: 541.602.0616

Program Website: https://havenprogram.com/ Program Email: havenprogram@estoo.net Facebook: HAVEN Tribal Program,

Twitter: @ProgramHaven,
Instagram: HAVENTRIBALProgram.
Our advocates are here to help!



## YOU ARE NOT ALONE!

Haven is an advocacy program focused on confidential, safe, judgement free support.

Haven currently provides services to all Eastern Shawnee, regardless of where they live, and Ottawa County, Oklahoma survivors in need.

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Office: 918-55-HAVEN (554-2836)
Toll free: 1-855-219-6658
Text line: 918-533-3070
Victims of Crime: 541-602-0616

More information: Havenprogram.com Facebook:HAVENTribalProgram

10200 S. 695 Road Wyandotte, OK 74370

#### NEED CHILD CARE ASSISTANCE?

#### Do you meet these requirements?

- Your child(ren) are of Indian descent
- You're currently working or going to school
- You live within a 100 mile radius of the tribal complex
- Your child(ren) are under the age of 13
- Your household income does not exceed 85% of the State Median Income

#### You Could Also Qualify If:

- The child(ren) are receiving or needs to receive protective services
- Child(ren) are over the age of 13 who are physically and/or mentally incapable of self-care

#### **Needed Documentation:**

#### **Completed Application:**

Applications can be picked up at our office, found online at www.estoo-nsn.gov or we can email them to you.

#### **Proof of Indian:**

(Child or Parent) CDIB Member ship card.

#### **Birth Certificates and immunization records:**

On children attending daycare.

#### **Proof of Residence:**

Current utility bill (electric, gas or water bill) showing physical address, name and date.

#### **Proof of Employment**:

Current pay stub (if your name is not on the check stub we will also need a copy of your check).

#### If parents are attending school:

We will need a copy of your class schedule and a copy of all grants received.



10100 S. Bluejacket Rd./Suite 3 Wyandotte, OK 74370 Email Address: dreynolds@estoo. net & hharper@estoo.net Website: www.estoo-nsn.gov

# Child Care and Development Fund Submitted by: Dian Randall, CCDF Director

We are still processing applications and delivering checks for Family child-care providers that have applied for the ARPA stimulus grant through our CCDF program. This is a requirement by the federal government that we must do with the ARPA Stabilization stimulus funding we received. We also opened this grant application to Child Care Centers as of May 16th.

Shawna Stovall Children's Back-to-School Pow Wow committee is still planning to have this event in our normal fashion as we did in Pre-COVID times. The location will be at the Eastern Shawnee Tribes Pow Wow grounds.

CCDF program sent Provider Appreciation gifts of cookies and bonbons from Milk Bar to all the daycare facilities on our program for Provider Appreciation day on May 7th.

We still have our Car Seat and Newborn Starter Kit programs. You must live within a 100-mile radius of our office to be eligible for these programs. These programs are funded with the CCDF grant, and this is our service area per our grant guidelines.

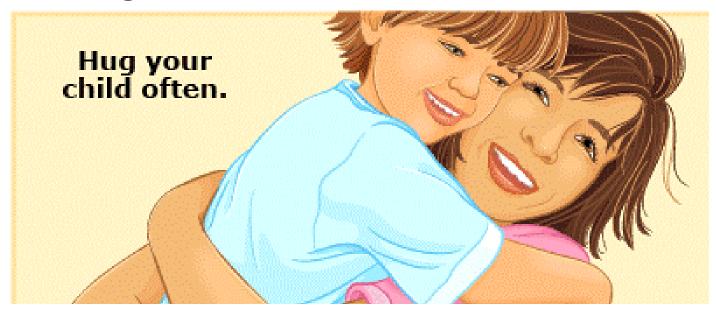
If you want to apply or have any questions about Child Care Assistance with

our CCDF Program, please feel free to come by our office located at 10100 S. Bluejacket Rd. / Suite #3, Wyandotte, OK 74370 or call us at (918) 540-9970 or (Toll Free) 866-978-1352 and talk to Dian or Hailey. You can you may email us at dtorres@estoo.net, or hharper@estoo.net

You can also find our information on the tribe's website at www.estoo-nsn. gov

The CCDF department would like to share some information on:

## Parenting a Child With ADHD



#### **How ADHD Affects Kids**

ADHD causes kids to be more inattentive, hyperactive, and impulsive than is normal for their age. ADHD makes it harder for kids to develop the skills that control attention, behavior, emotions, and activity. As a result, they often act in ways that are hard for parents manage.

For example, because they are **inattentive**, kids with ADHD may:

- seem distracted
- seem not to listen
- have trouble paying attention

- not follow directions well
- need many reminders to do things
- show poor effort in schoolwork
- have trouble getting organized
- Because they are **hyperactive**, kids with ADHD may:
- climb, jump, or roughhouse when it's time to play quietly
- fidget and seem unable to sit still
- rush instead of take their time
- make careless mistakes
- be on the go (constantly in motion)

Because they are **impulsive**, kids with ADHD may:

- interrupt a lot
- blurt out
- do things without thinking
- do things they shouldn't, even though they know better
- have trouble waiting, taking turns, or sharing
- have emotional outbursts, lose their temper, or lack self-control

At first, parents might not realize that these behaviors are part of ADHD. It may seem like a child is just misbehaving. ADHD can leave parents feeling stressed, frustrated, or disrespected.

Parents may feel embarrassed about what others think of their child's behavior. They may wonder if they did something to cause it. But for kids with ADHD, the skills that control attention, behavior, and activity don't come naturally.

When parents learn about ADHD and which parenting approaches work best, they can help kids improve and do well.

#### **How Parents Can Help?**

Parenting is as important as any other part of ADHD treatment. The way parents respond can make ADHD better — or worse.

## If your child has been diagnosed with ADHD:

Be involved. Learn all you can about ADHD. Follow the treatment your child's health care provider recommends. Go to all recommended therapy visits. If your child takes ADHD medicines, give them at the recommended time. Don't change the dose without checking with your doctor. Keep your child's medicines in a safe place where others can't get to them.

Know how ADHD affects your child. Every child is different. Identify the problems your child has because of ADHD. Some kids need to get better at paying attention and listening. Others need to get better at slowing down. Ask your child's therapist for tips and ways you can help your child practice and improve.

Focus on teaching your child one thing at a time. Don't try to work on everything at once. Start small. Pick one thing to focus on. Praise your child's effort.

#### Work with your child's school.

Talk with your child's teacher to find out if your child should have an IEP or 504 plan. Meet often with teachers to find out how your child is doing. Work

with the teacher to help your child do well.

Connect with others for support and awareness. Join a support organization for ADHD like CHADD to get updates on treatment and info, etc.

Find out if you have ADHD. ADHD often runs in families. Parents (or other relatives) of kids with ADHD might not know they have it too. When parents with ADHD get diagnosed and treated, it helps them be at their best as parents.

**Discipline with purpose and warmth.** Learn what discipline approaches are best for a child with ADHD and which can make ADHD worse. Get coaching from your child's therapist on ways to respond to your child's behaviors. Kids with ADHD might be sensitive to criticism. Correcting their behavior is best done in a way that's encouraging and supportive rather than punishing.

**Set clear expectations.** Before you go somewhere, talk with your child to explain how you want them to behave. Focus more energy on teaching your child what to do, rather than reacting to what not to do.

**Talk about it.** Don't shy away from talking with your child about ADHD. Help kids understand that having

ADHD is not their fault, and that they can learn ways to improve the problems it causes.

Spend special time together every day. Make time to talk and enjoy relaxing, fun activities with your child—even if it's just for a few minutes. Give your child your full attention. Compliment positive behaviors. Don't over-praise, but do comment when your child does something good. For example, when your child waits their turn, say, "You're taking turns so nicely."

Your relationship with your child matters most. Kids with ADHD often feel they're letting others down, doing things wrong, or not being "good." Protect your child's self-esteem by being patient, understanding, and accepting. Let your child know you believe in them and see all the good things about them. Build resilience by keeping your relationship with your child positive and loving.

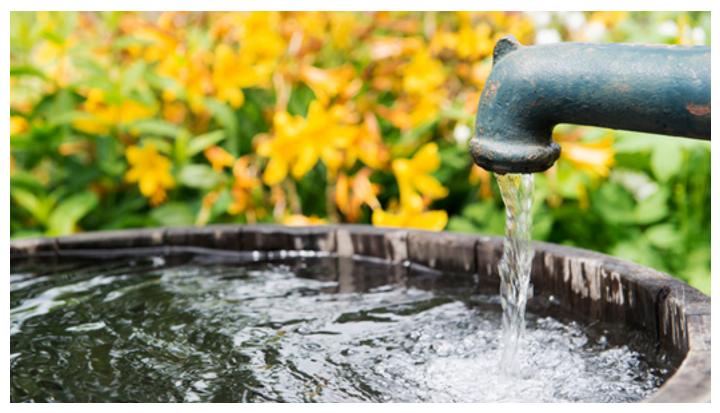
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## Do you have a private well?

## By Kristi Laughlin, EPA/Land Management Director



## How much do you know about your drinking water?

If you have a private well, are you aware of the potential contamination sources that could affect your health? Clean fresh drinking water is a precious natural resource that shouldn't be taken for granted. While the earth consists of 97% water, less than 1% of the earth's water is fresh drinking water.

Water is continuously moving; so how does the earth maintain its fresh supply for billions of people living on the planet? It happens through the water cycle. The main component of the water cycle is precipitation. Precipitation is what connects the oceans, land, and atmosphere. As surface water evaporates, it is raised to the atmosphere where it condenses and falls back to the earth as precipitation. The cycle is never ending, and you can think of Mother Earth as the first to recycle and produce renewable resources!

Most private drinking water wells come from groundwater. As water from precipitation collects in the soil and rock, it is stored underground. Plants on the surface help act as a filter to clean the water that is stored underground, but the water can be contaminated by many sources.

The following are examples of common contaminates than can cause health related issues:

- MICROORGANISMS. These
  include bacteria, viruses, and
  other parasites that can't be
  seen without a microscope.
  They can contaminate drinking water wells by sewage or
  animal waste. The best way
  to prevent microbial contamination is by shocking the well
  with chlorine and letting it sit
  overnight.
- NITRATES/NITRITES.
   These can come from agricultural fertilizers that enter the well. Once nitrates enter the body it is converted to nitrites. High levels are most serious for infants, which causes "blue baby syndrome". Treatment

- systems must be installed for nitrate/nitrite removal.
- HEAVY METALS. These can come from old metal plumbing lines, mining operations, or industrial run-off. Heavy metals include arsenic, cadmium, chromium, copper, lead, selenium, and many others. Treatment systems must be installed for heavy metal removal.

So how do you know if you have clean drinking water? You should have your well tested. The Eastern Shawnee Tribe Environmental Department can test your private well for presence or absence of bacteria and E. coli, and for presence of lead for free. If you have a private well within a 75-mile radius of tribal headquarters, please give us a call at (918) 238-5151 x 1044 to schedule a free well test!

## **Vital Statistics Department**

By Monica Bettis, Director

#### Current Health & Social Service Budget Activity for FY 2021

Service	Spent to Date April	Member's Served Per Line Item
Auditory	\$1,700.90	5
Burial	\$52,826.50	10
Disabled / Elder Care	\$768,958.97	361
Elder Crisis Committee	\$51,151.81	24
Healthcare	\$863,781.31	1369
Orthodontics	\$10,510.00	15
School Expenses	\$142,786.67	426
Special Medical Equipment	\$5,360.99	33
Utility/Emergency Assistance	\$804,536.68	865
Totals	\$2,701,613.83	3108

\$218,082.86 paid out from April 15, 2022 - May 13, 2022

## **Vital Statistics Activity April 2022**

Status Changes	53
Deaths	1
Enrollees	4
ID Cards	4
Photo ID	2
Total Enrollees for current fiscal year	27
Total Deaths for current fiscal year	6
Total Membership	3755

# Did you know you can find all the benefit forms on the website?

The direct link is estoo-nsn.gov/tribal-forms/

To navigate the website, go to 1. CONTACT US 2. FORMS

# VITAL STATISTICS Direct to Vendor

Claim Form

There are times when everyone faces a struggle when they can't afford to pay for dental work, get a new pair of glasses or pay a medical bill without having to use Care Credit or take out a personal loan. Instead of placing yourself in debt, you can have Social Services pay for the services directly to your health care provider from your health care or disabled/elder benefit. Complete a Direct to Vendor Payment Expense Claim form and attach your ORIGINAL billing statement.

## EASTERN SHAWNEE TRIBE OF OKLAHOMA TAX COMMISSION

#### **TAG HOURS:**

MONDAY thru FRIDAY 8:30 – 11:30 AM & 12:15 – 3:30 PM Tag Office 918-666-7710 Mary Alumbaugh ext. 1117 or Lisa Stivers ext. 1115

The ESTOO Tag Office is located in the Vital Statistics Building on the 10C Campus

Mail To: ESTOO Tax Commission 10100 S Bluejacket Rd. Suite 1 Wyandotte, OK 74370

#### ITEMS REQUIRED FOR TAG RENEWALS

Current UT Bill
Proof of Insurance
Tribal Members Valid OK Driver's License
Tribal Members ID card

## ITEMS REQUIRED TO TAG NEWLY PURCHASED VEHICLES

Original Title (Sellers's signature notarized)
Bill of Sale
Lien Information
Current UT Bill
Proof of Insurance
Tribal Members Valid OK Driver's License

#### TITLE - PENALITIES (After 30 Days)

Minimum Penalty.... \$10 Daily Penalty....\$0.50 Maximum Penalty.... \$50

Tribal Members ID Card

#### REGISTRATION - PENALITIES (After 30Days)

Minimum Penalty.... \$1 Daily Penalty.... \$0.25 Maximum Penalty.... \$25

#### **PAYMENTS ACCEPTED**

Credit/Debit Card (ask for more details)
Cash
Cashier's Check

Cashier's Check Money Order

#### **VEHICLE REGISTRATION FEES ARE**

Passenger Vehicles, Pick up, Truck,
Motorcycle & Motor Home
1-4 years.... \$72 9-12 years.... \$48
5-8 years.... \$64 13-16 years.... \$32
17 years & UP.... \$16

#### TRAVEL TRAILERS

1-4 years.... \$36 9-12 years.... \$24 5-8 years.... \$32 13-16 years.... \$16 17 years & UP.... \$8

#### **TITLE FEES**

New Title.... \$15 Replacement Title.... \$10 Transfer Title.... \$15 Add Lien.... \$10

#### **REGISTRATION FEES**

Replace Registration.... \$10 Transfer Registration.... \$10 Replace Tag.... \$15

\*\*EXCISE TAX ONLY APPLIES TO PURCHASED VEHICLES (NEW OR USED) FOR NEW TITLE\*\*

\*\*\*FEES ARE BASED ON PURCHASE PRICE\*\*\*

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## **Business Committee Minutes**

DATE: Wednesday, April 13, 2022 TIME: 2:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Bluejacket Building INVOCATION: Chief Glenna Wallace CALL TO ORDER, ROLL CALL, DECLARATION OF QUORUM

The Business Committee Meeting was called to order at 2:17 p.m. by Treasurer Barrett, with the following answering roll call: 1st Council Gardner, 2nd Council Daugherty, Treasurer Barrett and Secretary Littlefield. Chief Wallace was present. 2nd Chief Samples and 3rd Council Kraus were not present. A quorum was declared by Treasurer Barrett.

MOTION: To move into Closed Session at 2:19 p.m. The motion was made by 1st Council Gardner with second by 2nd Council Daugherty.

Motion carried: 4 approved, (Gardner, Daugherty, Barrett, Littlefield, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 1 absent (Kraus). CLOSED SESSION:

2nd Chief Samples and 3rd Council Kraus were present in closed session. MOTION: To return to Open Session at 5:52 p.m. The motion was made by

Daugherty with second by 3rd Council Kraus.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

**NEW ENROLLEES** 

2nd Council

Breon Montero Clark DOB: 12/08/2021 Perry Laban Trayler DOB: 01/19/2022 MOTION: To approve New Enrollees. The motion was made by Treasurer Barrett with second by 2nd Council Daugherty.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

**MINUTES** 

MOTION: To approve the minutes of the March 24, 2022, Business Committee Meeting. Motion made by 2nd Council Daugherty with second by 1st Council Gardner.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

**REPORTS** 

Chief Glenna Wallace:

THANK YOU: Thank you notes from the Coleman Theater, Robert McKown and wife, (Mr. McKown is from Ohio and he is a direct descendent of Captain Lewis.) Mary Ledford and Roger Brock, and the Wyandotte After Prom Committee were read by Chief Wallace.

DONATION REQUEST: 1) A donation request from the town of Fairland's new Chief of Police, Gordon Williams, Jr. requesting donation of a retired ESTO police vehicle. Chief Wallace will forward this request to the ESTO Chief of Police to request information as to the availability of a vehicle before moving on this request. 2) Welch Public School Business Professionals of Oklahoma Club requesting donation for assistance to send 4 of their students to the National Conference. Chief Wallace states she can donate \$250.00 from her funds. This was agreeable with all Business Committee members.

3) A donation request was presented by Nathan Enyart and his three sons, Easton, Tufton and Huxton, for assistance with their participation in Junior Rodeo competitions.

MOTION: To provide a \$1,000.00 donation. Motion made by 1st Council Gardner with second by 2nd Council Daugherty.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

DIRECTOR REPORTS: Provided to each BC member prior to the meeting. HIP REPORT: The Business Committee has approved \$200,000 additional funds for this fiscal year to the HIP program. You must own your home and this program will provide up to \$10,000.00 for remodeling your home. This will allow 20 additional tribal members assistance for repair of their homes up to \$10,000.00. For information contact Amber Mittag, Director of Education & Specialized Programs.

TINY HOMES: Work is being continued to get the Tiny Homes moved and Tracy is getting bids for having the homes moved.

COYOTE REPORT: Due to recent reports of sightings of coyote in the Housing area the Housing Authority is working with the Feral Hog Program to observe and eliminate this problem.

DARK COUNTY GREENVILLE, OHIO TRAIL OF ART INVITATION: This invitation is extended to the Business Committee. All three Shawnee tribes have been invited to this event to be held on June 17th and 18th. Pieces of artwork will be installed along the trail and the first piece installed will be a statue of Tecumseh. A schedule of events will be provided.

SERPENT MOUND: Serpent Mound has it's Summer Solstice – June 20th-21st and the Shawnee tribes have been invited to present programs. One of the clans of the Shawnee Tribe is the Serpent.

EASTER EGG HUNT: This Easter Egg Hunt will be held on Saturday at 10:00 a.m. and we are expecting 1000 attendees.

AOA OPENING: The AOA opened on April 4th. Currently we are experiencing more pick-ups than people eating inside. Approximately 20 is the maximum number staying to eat daily but there were about 50 people there today for their Easter dinner.

ELDERS DINNER: This dinner will be held Friday, April 29th at 5:30 p.m. The oldest male and female will be honored at this dinner.

BANK DIVIDEND: \$266,494.00 has been paid through the bank dividend and placed in the Social Services Reserve. Our goal was for our Social Services Reserve to be \$20M. We now have \$20,391,349.00 in the Social Services Reserve and \$2,000,000.00 in the Education Reserve.

110 ROAD PROGRESS: This road will provide a second entrance/exit to the Housing Complex. The process of planning the road has begun. 30% of the design has been submitted for the 110 Road and we are hoping to have the design phase of it finished by July 15th. OKLAHOMA PERMIT APPROVAL

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FOR WATER/SEWER: We needed permits from Oklahoma and Missouri. Permits have been approved and the checks have been cut. We are waiting for Oklahoma to say they have received the check and work can be started.

PROPHET PROPERTY FINALIZED (Lot 102): Twenty-four acres that we purchased on State Line Rd. Part of this land was donated. and part purchased. We have now received all finalized papers.

TRIBAL ECONOMIC DEVELOP-MENT CONFERENCE: We had a Tribal Economic Conference that was scheduled in Miami, Oklahoma. This included the 9 tribes plus the Cherokees. This conference has been cancelled and will be rescheduled for the fall.

WOODLANDS FHLB PROPOSAL: The Woodlands are the duplexes that we have for Elders. We have two duplexes there with two units each that could allow four different families to live in the two units. These duplexes were done under the FHLB and they paid \$160,000 towards that construction of these duplexes. Chief Wallace proposed that this be paid off. The requirements of FHLB to live in these units make it very hard for us to find tenants that qualify to live in them. If we were not in the FHLB we would not have to go through this process. In the budget this year we have \$510,000 for Woodlands Housing not associated with Housing Authority. In the 3 years that we have had these FHLB units we have received \$35, 458.00 in rental income. Of this \$510,000, \$150,000 is set aside and Chief Wallace is proposing that we take the \$150,000 and add \$10,000.00 more and pay off this FHLB. There would not be a negative impact on the budget and would no longer require the complicated reports that are due each year.

FOOD DISTRIBUTION LOCATION: The Red Barn has been completed. The food distribution location will be moved to the Red Barn. The next food distribution will be Thursday, April 28th at 10:00 a.m. – 1:30p.m.

SUMMER YOUTH: This is a summer youth program where we employ our tribal youth ages 16-22. The program begins at the end of their school session and ends at the beginning of their fall term. The pay will be \$13.00/hour with a 40- hour work week. Application will need to be made by the youth interested. To apply contact Kendra Stuart, Human Resources.

WILD GREEN ONION/EGGS FUNDRAISER FOR CCDF/ICW/HAVEN ANGEL TREE: This event was held in the Annex and sponsored by the Cultural Preservation Department. The funds from this fund raiser will be used for the CCDF, ICW and Haven Angel Tree. The amount raised was \$1,906.00.

ECLC GRADUATION CEREMONY: The ECLC will be honoring 18 little graduates on May 12, 2022, at 5:30. All are invited to attend.

Chief Wallace was chosen to represent the Nine Tribes from our county and to report upon the Economic Impact that the tribes have on the State of Oklahoma. This event was held in Oklahoma City three weeks ago at the First American Museum. \$15.6 billion was the Native Economic Impact on the State of Oklahoma.

2nd Chief Samples congratulated and thanked Chief Wallace for the outstanding job that she did representing the nine tribes of Northeast Oklahoma. RESOLUTIONS

The Fraudulent Activity Policy will be tabled at this time for further clarification.

RESOLUTION NUMBER 041322-R-01 Resolution to Approve the Articles of Organization of Woodlands Management, LLC.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RE-SOLVED, that the Business Committee of the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma does hereby approve Articles of Organization of Woodlands Management, LLC.

MOTION: To Approve Resolution

Number 041322-R-01. The motion was made by Treasurer Barrett with second by 1st Council Gardner.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

RESOLUTION NUMBER 041322-R-02 Resolution to Approve the Articles of Organization of Woodlands Development, LLC.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RE-SOLVED, that the Business Committee of the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma does hereby approve the attached Articles of Organization of Woodlands Development, LLC.

MOTION: To approve Resolution Number 030922-R-02. The motion was made by Treasurer Barrett with second by 2nd Council Daugherty.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

Note: The Election Ordinance Update will be added to the next agenda.

MOTION: To add Resolutions 041322-R-03 thru 041322-R-08 to the agenda. The motion was made by Treasurer Barrett with second by Secretary Littlefield.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

RESOLUTION NUMBER 041322-R-03 Resolution to Approve the Articles of Organization of Woodlands Hospitality LLC.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RE-SOLVED, that the Business Committee of the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma does hereby approve the attached Articles of Organization of Woodlands Hospitality, LLC.

MOTION: To Approve Resolution Number 041322-R-03. The motion was made by 1st Council Gardner with second by 3rd Council Kraus.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

RESOLUTION NUMBER 041322-R-04 Resolution to Approve the Articles of Organization of Woodlands Management Services, LLC.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RE-SOLVED, that the Business Committee

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of the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma does hereby approve the attached Articles of Organization of Woodlands Management Services, LLC.

MOTION: To Approve Resolution Number 041322-R-04. The motion was made by Secretary Littlefield with second by 3rd Council Kraus.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

RESOLUTION NUMBER 041322-R-05 Resolution to Amend the Operating Agreement of Woodlands Construction Management, LLC.

NOW THEREFRORE BE IT RE-SOLVED, that the Business Committee of the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma does hereby wish to approve the attached amended Operating Agreement of Woodlands Construction Management, LLC.

MOTION: To Approve Resolution Number 041322-R-05. The motion was made by Treasurer Barrett with second by 2nd Council Daugherty.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

RESOLUTION NUMBER 041322-R-06 Resolution to Approve the Attached Operating Agreement of Woodlands Entertainment, LLC.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RE-SOLVED, that the Business Committee of the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma does hereby approve the attached Operating Agreement of Woodlands Entertainment, LLC.

MOTION: To Approve Resolution Number 041322-R-06. The motion was made by 2nd Council Daugherty with second by 3rd Council Kraus.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

RESOLUTION NUMBER 041322-R-07 Resolution Authorizing the Submission of the FY2022 Department of Health and Human Services – Administration for Children and Families (OCC) Grant Application for Tribal Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RE-

SOLVED, that the Business Committee of the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma does hereby support and wish to authorize the submission of the FY2022 Department of Health and Human Services – Administration for Children and Families (OCC) Grant Application for Tribal Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program.

MOTION: To Approve Resolution Number 041322-R-07. The motion was made by 1st Council Gardner with second by Treasurer Barrett.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

RESOLUTION NUMBER 030922-R-08 Resolution to Authorize a Master Equity Lease Agreement between the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma and Enterprise FM Trust.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RE-SOLVED, that the Business Committee of the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma does hereby wish to authorize a Master Equity Lease Agreement between the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma and Enterprise FM Trust for the lease of fleet vehicles by the Tribe and its entities.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Business Committee of the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma authorizes Chief Glenna J. Wallace to execute any and all documents relevant to this agreement.

MOTION: To Approve Resolution Number 041322-R-08. This motion was made by Treasurer Barrett with second by 3rd Council Kraus.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

#### REQUISITIONS

Requisition EN-84461 payable to Early Childhood Learning Center in the amount of \$33,500.00 for February childcare.

MOTION: To approve EN-84461. The motion was made by 2nd Council Daugherty with second by Secretary Littlefield.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

REQUISITION EN-84669 payable to Grand Lake Mental Health in the amount of \$44,632.33 for March SAM-HSA Crisis Services.

MOTION: To approve EN-84669. The motion was made by 1st Council Gardner with second by 2nd Council Daugherty.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

REQUISITION EN-84709 payable to Pelivan Transit/Grand Gateway E.D.A. in the amount of \$32,845.35 for the Pelivan Inv. 745 January 2022.

MOTION: To approve EN-84709. The motion was made by 2nd Council Daugherty with second by 3rd Council Kraus.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

REQUISITION EN-84856 payable to Marion Company LLC in the amount of \$306,024.54 for Pay Application 1 Housing.

MOTION: To Approve EN-84856. The motion was made by 1st Council Gardner with second by Secretary Littlefield.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

REQUISITION EN-84972 payable to Cowin Construction LLC in the amount of \$201,689.00 for Annex Roof Repairs.

MOTION: To Approve EN-84972. The motion was made by 2nd Council Daugherty with second by 3rd Council Kraus.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

Requisition EN-84981 payable to Satterlee Plumbing Heating & Air Conditioning in the amount of \$133,050.00 for Invoice 26598 for Indigo Sky replaced two Aerco Benchmark 1000 boilers.

MOTION: To Approve EN-84981. The motion was made by Treasurer Barrett with second by 2nd Council Daugherty.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

## **Business Committee Minutes**

PURCHASE ORDER REQUEST 00056281 from Indigo Sky Casino in the amount of \$86,076.16 for Dell Maintenance Renewal.

MOTION: To approve PO 00056281. The motion was made by 2nd Council Daugherty with second by 3rd Council Kraus.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

OIGA Conference in Tulsa August 9-11, 2022. Discussed donation. A 20x20 floor space has already been reserved. The cost is \$250/individual. Donation will be discussed with Casino and Gaming on the amount.

H.R. 3587 Respect Act - requesting support letters.

#### **OLD BUSINESS**

Candidate Support Letters – 2nd Chief Samples reported that the Business Committee wishes to allow support letters to be written and signed by any tribal member and that a title may be used if desired.

MOTION: To go into Closed Session

after a five- minute break, at 7:01 P.M. made by Treasurer Barrett with second by 2nd Council Daugherty.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

#### **CLOSED SESSION**

MOTION: To return to Open Session at 11:26 p.m. The motion was made by 2nd Council Daugherty with second by Treasurer Barrett.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

MOTION: To approve the tribes pay scales as discussed with required changes up to the minimum.

Motion made by Treasurer Barrett with second by Secretary Littlefield.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

MOTION: To move the second Business Committee meeting of May to May 31st, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Motion made by Secretary Littlefield with second by Treasurer Barrett.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

MOTION: To authorize Chief to sign the broker of record. Motion made by 2nd Council Daugherty with second by 1st Council Gardner.

Motion carried: 4 approved (Gardner, Daugherty, Kraus, Littlefield), 0 opposed, 1 abstained (Barrett), 0 absent. MOTION: To delay the mailing of the Shooting Star to be able to inform tribal citizens of election ordinance revisions to be voted upon at the next BC meeting, April 27th.. Motion made by 1st Council Gardner with second by Treasurer Barrett.

Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

MOTION: To adjourn at 11:52 p.m. The motion was made by Treasurer Barrett with second by 2nd Council Daugherty. Motion carried: 5 approved, 0 opposed, 0 abstained, 0 absent.

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dren's Pow Wow, known as the Shawna Stovall Children's Back to School Pow Wow which will be held the first Saturday in August, meaning 6th of August beginning at noon with evening Grand Entry scheduled for 7 p.m. This pow wow focuses on children twelve and under. During the day back packs filled with school supplies, games, activities and prizes are available free of charge followed by supper and then youth contest dancing. Arts, crafts and food vendors are most welcome and encouraged to be present. More information is available by contacting Dian Torres, (918) 540-9970 ext. 1122.

The last few weeks have been busy times for several of our departments here at the tribe. May 19 and May 20

the Environmental Department, better known as EPA, was able to resume its annual hosting of the Tire Recycling Event. In those two days 3,056 tires were collected, thus preventing the tires from being dumped and polluting the rural roads or other places, plus they can be recycled and put to good use in other ways. Also occurring this month of May is the offering of free Drivers Education Class by our Police Department. Add to that is the announcement from the Wellness Center that beginning May 31st Monday through Friday they will be extending their hours to 9:00 pm instead of closing at 8:00 pm. Then June 1st from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. the Education and Specialized Programs Department, with the assistance of Tribal Administrator Rachel Holcomb is sponsoring a voter registration opportunity, currently scheduled at the AOA Building on our 10C Complex but it may be relocated so look for details regarding this. Obviously this is a voter registration opportunity for individuals living in Ottawa County but the need for Native Americans living anywhere in the United States to become a registered voter is of utmost importance. Native Americans make up approximately 2.9 % of the total population in the United States. Yet less than 35% of Native Americans vote in elections. One of the reasons is that so few Native Americans are registered to vote. To make a change, the Native voice needs to be heard, in fact MUST be heard. Please, please take the time to get registered to vote and then as we say in Oklahoma, VOTE YOUR VALUES. We aren't trying to tell you how to vote, just get registered and vote wherever you live and however you wish.

Continuing with events, Food Distribution date is always the last Thursday of each month. Last month we managed to get everything relocated to the Growing Thyme Building located on our 10C Complex on Highway 10C where we will be permanently located, next to our hoop houses where we have lettuce and tomatoes growing, along with other vegetables and herbs. The EPA with assistance of Maintenance have also planted tomatoes and corn outside which will be distributed later to our Food Distribution families. We are trying to promote eating of more fresh vegetables, which are healthy for us. Sadly Oklahoma ranks last of all 50 states in vegetable consumption, a statistic we are not proud of. No wonder we have such high rates of diabetes and other ailments. They have also planted pumpkins for fall decorations and will be growing mums as well.

I also want to remind those ages of 16 to 24, it is not too late to apply for jobs in our Summer Youth Program. Pay begins at \$13.00 per hour and work remains available until start of school in the fall. Contact Kendra Stuart by email kstuart@estoo.net or call (918) 238-5151, ext. 1021.

Let me tell you about two other events, both of these occurring in Ohio. On Thursday, June 16, several of us will be driving to Greenville, Ohio, site of the signing of the 1795 Treaty and located in Darke County. There they are establishing a Trail of Art with the first piece of Art being revealed and dedicated, a clay sculpture of the famous Shawnee War Chief Tecumseh. All three of the federally recognized Shawnee tribes in Oklahoma have been invited as honored guests. Those festivities will take place Friday and Saturday, June 17 and 18. If any of you living near this location wish to join us, please do. Following that event I will be driving on to Adams County in Ohio where Serpent Mound is located and the summer solstice will be observed with the final day being Tuesday, June 21. There several of us from the Oklahoma federally recognized Shawnee tribes along with other individuals, many from Ohio History Connection, will be speaking about this mysterious and most famous mound, Serpent Mound. You note that throughout this explanation I keep emphasizing federally recognized Shawnee Tribes. With 20 or more groups using the name Shawnee Tribe, it is important that the federally recognized Shawnee Tribes be willing to participate, lead, present accurate information and set the example for these historic sites and occasions.

Our Elders Dinner held Friday, April 29 was a resounding success. Linda Hill, our long-time AOA director who recently walked on, would be extremely proud of her staff. They did everything to perfection, from the brisket to the snow peas to the blackberry cobbler. Volunteers Dian Torres, Tammy Gibson, Karen Brasier, Tracy Delano and former employee Rosemary Kelly



Norma Kraus, the oldest female is being presented with a Pendleton blanket by Chief Glenna J. Wallace.



Bud Enyart the oldest male is being presented with a Pendleton blanket by Chief Glenna J. Wallace.



Teresa McGinty



**Buddy Nelson** 



Sherry Hamby







Kelly Nelson



Sandra Tayrien and Barbara Sherwood



Debbie Bowers



**Sharon Daugherty** 



Al Hampton



served everyone with such elegance and ease. Employees Karen Hamilton, Leia Foster, Susan Patterson and Shirley Risenhoover had everything totally planned, down to the least detail. And I can't say enough about Administrative Assistant Shelly Rogers. This was her first Elders Dinner so everything was new to her. She did an outstanding job, taking care of numerous details. Our room was full of Eastern Shawnee elders visiting, laughing, hugging each other, so glad to be able to be back together again. Joel and Tracy Johnson, daughter and son-inlaw of Sandy Tayrien, won the prize for traveling the greatest distance, driving 300 miles from Woodward, Oklahoma. Elders of the Year were Norma Kraus, oldest female, and Bud Enyart, oldest male. Each was presented a Pendleton blanket. Two elders had attended every Elders Dinner, Bud Enyart and I. Every elder received a prize with Rebecca Truelove receiving a special prize: one of the first Eastern Shawnee graduation stoles to be presented. Rebecca is Dean of Bacone College near Muskogee and she will be able to wear the stole along with her beaded Eastern Shawnee logo necklace as part of graduation ceremonies there.

Other notable events occurring this past month involved recognition of two individuals receiving distinguished awards. The first is Jalene Wells, Eastern Shawnee Gaming Commissioner, who won the prestigious award of Regulator of the Year at the annual Oklahoma Tribal Gaming Regulators Association (OTGRA) conference. Congratulations Jalene. And I was pleasantly surprised to be awarded the Distinguished Leader Award for service and dedication to the American Indian Center for Excellence at NEO A & M College. Recently NEO has initiated a pinning ceremony for Native American students graduating that year and at this ceremony a Tribal Chief



Jalene Wells receives
"Regulator of the Year Award".

is also recognized. I am humbled by this recognition.

Once again I need to announce information regarding our Housing Authority located on 10C. Last month I announced a vacancy on the Housing Authority Board. Actually there are two vacancies. One is a vacancy for a tribal citizen living in one of the houses at the Housing Authority who is under the jurisdiction of the Housing Authority, meaning one who has not had their home conveyed to them or in other words, one who does not own their home and is thus under the jurisdiction of the Housing Authority. The other vacancy is open to any Eastern Shawnee tribal citizen over the age of 18. These vacancies must be advertised for a minimum of 30 days. Bottom line is that if you are interested in being considered for either of these vacancies, please let me know. I may be contacted by email gjwallace@estoo.net . If you have recently indicated your interest in being a member of the Housing Authority Board, you need not reapply.

Finally I want to remind you that we have many programs available to assist you if you are in need. Each program has its own guidelines and requirements making it impossible to review every program here. We are still accepting applications for our Home Improvement Program (HIP). This is for home owners who need to make repairs to the house, limited to \$10,000 and not eligible for another HIP for ten years. Many of the programs are federal programs directly related to COVID, requiring that you have been financially impacted by COVID, either by having it, being laid off because of temporary or permanent COVID business shutdowns, reduced hours of employment, etc or long term negative health impacts caused by CO-VID. Additionally we have tribal hardships not related to COVID, first time home buyer assistance, natural disaster assistance caused by flood, fire, tornado, hurricane damage, etc., past due rental assistance COVID related, past due home owner payment assistance CO-

VID related and past due electrical and internet financial assistance, again CO-VID related. You can read about these on our website or call Amber Mittag's office, (918) 238-2424, ext. 1306 or Stacie Triplett, (918) 238-2424.

Significant days are approaching: Memorial Day and Flag Day (June 14) are days we want to especially remember our veterans and thank them for everything they have done for us. We owe our freedoms to you and greatly appreciate the inconveniences and sacrifices you and your families have made for us as individuals and for our country. God bless you!

As always, it has been my honor to serve as your Chief. If I can ever be of assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me. I may be reached by mail at 12755 S. 705 Road, Wyandotte, OK 74370, email at gjwallace@estoo.net I do not do face book nor linked in. I may also be reached at the following telephone numbers: Office (918) 238-5151 ext. 1820; cell, (918) 533-8422 or by text. My personal mailing address is 18675 Hwy 43, Seneca, MO, 64865. Stay safe. Stay healthy. Stay optimistic. Walk in balance.

Chief Glenna



# **Eastern Shawnee Tribe**Tribal Citizens Birthdays for June 2022

Adams Shyanne 6/23 Agan Darian 6/17 Aguilar Ally 6/30 Alexander Jr. Harold 6/2 Allen Andrea 6/11 Amos Logan 6/16 Ashford Micah 6/30 Atkinson Michelle 6/27 Atkinson Weston 6/15 Azevedo Declan 6/26 Bailey Bobby 6/2 Baker Stephanie 6/14 Barcliff James 6/24 Barrera Mace 6/11 Barrett Gravson 6/23 Barrett Jaxx 6/20 Barrett Justin 6/3 Barrett Orrin 6/15 Bartlett Retta 6/16 Bassett Elijah 6/22 Beare Cameron 6/5 Belcher Josiah 6/9 Bell Tatum 6/27 Bird Daisy 6/17 Bird Violet 6/24 Black Colton 6/16 Blackwell Jameson 6/21 Blair Jr Chester 6/25 Blanchard Kathleen 6/17 Blizzard William 6/6 BlueJacket Gary 6/2 BlueJacket John 6/27 Blueiacket Melissa 6/16 Boatright Kelly 6/3 Bower Ashley 6/19 Bowling Blakely 6/4 Bowling LeeAnna 6/23 Branum Clifton 6/21 Bratcher-Rosekrans Cameryn 6/26 Brendlin Scott 6/9

Brinkley Trenton 6/25 Brock Cyrus 6/20 Brock Trey'van 6/16 Brown Amari 6/26 Broyles Kati 6/23 Broyles Sheila 6/20 Budynas Rose 6/19 Burnside Ashley 6/16 Butcher Annelise 6/14 Buttram Joseph 6/14 Buttram Kenneth 6/6 Buttram Scott 6/22 Cain Scott 6/22 Campbell Kaston 6/13 Canady Wyatt 6/17 Captain Thomas 6/10 Caruthers Aaron 6/16 Caruthers Landie 6/13 Chancellor Jocelyn 6/2

Channick Declan 6/9

Childers Dallas 6/12

Childers Gentri 6/13

Clark Kayli 6/24

Christenson Amanda 6/22

Christenson Gracen 6/1

Clifford Monica 6/15

Clouse Jaycee 6/16

Collins Galvin 6/12

Colvard Mike 6/22

Conrad Henley 6/3

Cortez Shasta 6/5

Crain Brian 6/2

Colvard Tanner 6/16

Corkrum Daniel 6/18

Crosslev Blayde 6/23

Cuelluar Julia 6/28

Cunliffe Jacob 6/28

Dale Summer 6/10

Clifford Stephanie 6/30

Darwood Brandy 6/22 DeClue Dakota 6/29 Del Bel Zoe 6/22 Delmont Kyleigh 6/10 Dirkx Danyelle 6/29 Dixon Vivian 6/14 Duckett Landen 6/8 Durov Codv 6/6 Edmonds Adrienne 6/7 Edwards Jason 6/14 Edwards Marley 6/13 Edwards Oakley 6/12 Envart Kenady 6/29 Evans Maya 6/8 Fair Holden 6/28 Fanning Madison 6/7 Fanning Virginia 6/30 Faulkner Ian 6/6 Flatter Drew 6/2 Fleming Cooper 6/28 Fleming Emerson 6/15 French Eleanor 6/6 Funke Jack 6/16 Garrett Janice 6/19 Gay Julie 6/12 Gehrig Caleb 6/25 Gehrig Erin 6/1 Geyer Drew 6/14 Gibson Christopher 6/23 Gibson Karlee 6/27 Gibson Shawn 6/29 Gillev Shawnee 6/23 Gonzales Linnea 6/11 Gonzales Tarin 6/24 Gordon Jason 6/11 Graham Jocelyn 6/25 Graham Judas 6/6 Griffin Theodore 6/7 Guthrie Norma 6/18 Hammitt Ryatt 6/10 Hampton Hailey 6/26 Hansen Weston 6/2 Harding Tammye 6/28 Harris Brody 6/13 Hartweg Karter 6/23 Hawkinson Ella 6/9 Heck Conner 6/11 Heller Lily 6/27 Hendrix Samantha 6/12 Higbee Sean 6/18 Himes Brenda 6/24 Hoey Harrison 6/4 Holden Charles 6/22 Holland Elizabeth 6/4 Holley Kadenn 6/20 Holmes Dorothy 6/20 Hudson Charlotte 6/1 Huffman Malachi 6/22 Huggins Jarrod 6/24 Huggins Kiley 6/17 Huggins II Jimmie 6/9 Huggins Sr John 6/9 Hurley Kyle 6/15 Hurt Mikayluh 6/12 Hurtado Halle 6/30 James Takwaki 6/12 James Wiconi Waste 6/3 James Winvan-Was'te 6/1 Jameson River 6/20 Jarvis Haley 6/11 Jenkins Heather 6/16 Johnson Levi 6/12 Johnston Stacie 6/3 Jones Faith 6/2 Kelley Selleck 6/25 Kelley Velva 6/12 Kelley Zayden 6/25

Kevlon Maelee 6/15

Kilgore Kamberly 6/8

Kilgore Kloud 6/14 King Florence 6/15 Kisler Logan 6/12 Knight Dylan 6/30 Koch Zaayah 6/26 Kovarik Michael 6/6 Kraus Norma 6/11 Krusen Logan 6/19 Kuykendall Blain 6/15 Kuykendall Lance 6/27 Kuykendall Margaret 6/10 Lacy Janice 6/12 Laird Sonia 6/14 Lazarus Lori 6/17 Leahy McKenna 6/2 Long Abigail 6/4 Lore Elijah 6/2 Lore Emily 6/13 Loucks Ella 6/12 Lyons Gunner 6/1 Lyons Michaela 6/26 Marberry Keely 6/6 Margell Cooper 6/15 Martin Dixie 6/6 Martin Emma 6/2 Maxwell Nancy 6/16 McAdoo Stacy 6/13 McGill Robert 6/3 McGraw James 6/18 McWhirter Nokose 6/27 Milbern Samantha 6/16 Millhollin Brandon 6/1 Millhollin Dennis 6/17 Mitchell Kayson 6/2 Moore Sara 6/8 Morgan Karilyn 6/24 Murphy Cody 6/6 Nelson Dakoda 6/12 Nelson Matthew 6/6 Nichols Alexander 6/8 Nichols Eliot 6/11 Nichols Jordan 6/6 Nichols Madeline 6/1 Nunes Jake 6/27 O'Neill II Brady 6/15 Olivera Lindsay 6/1 Pack-Elrod Melanie 6/18 Patterson Hillary 6/20 Payton Bonita 6/29 Penn Jensen 6/3 Perez Mary 6/4 Piland Shara 6/9 Pittman Teanna 6/29 Poirot VI Severin 6/27 Pokorny Christopher 6/1 Pope Joey 6/3 Pope Sadie 6/4 Prete Zeke 6/25 Probst Steven 6/17 Profitt Kellen 6/24 Purcell Rachel 6/11 Purevich June 6/20 Purvis Victoria 6/27 Randles William 6/19 Rapson Allison 6/3 Ray Blakely 6/5 Ray Bowen 6/16 Rhatigan Phoenix 6/6 Rhyu Mina 6/8 Richards Camarah 6/24 Richards Karen 6/5 Riley Maddox 6/19 Robinson Gavin 6/4 Rohr Marcy 6/17 Rosenow Aaron 6/6 Rosenow Adalynn 6/20 Ross David 6/3 Ross Jonathan 6/28 Ross Kelli 6/21

Ross Shawn 6/2 Roy Brayden 6/5 Salazar Savannah 6/2 Salazar Sierra 6/2 Salyers Allyson 6/22 Salyers Elliott 6/13 Schubert Mason 6/8 Schwermer Cooper 6/26 Seaman Megan 6/17 Shaw Amali 6/9 Shaw Michael 6/2 Shearhart Godric 6/18 Sherwood Donald 6/17 Sherwood Shawn 6/1 Sills, Jr. Garv 6/7 Sims Khadijah 6/8 Smith Amy 6/8 Smith Leanna 6/12 Smith Pamela 6/17 Smothers Colton 6/11 Snow Kevin 6/11 Sorrell Cody 6/27 Sparacio Lincoln 6/3 Stadler Braden 6/3 Standlee Zackery 6/27 Statzer Michael 6/1 Stephenson Yannah 6/28 Stoner Sherlock 6/23 Storey III Lance 6/19 Stovall River 6/23 Stovall Wanda 6/25 Strickland Magen 6/5 Strickland Robert 6/12 Sullivan Cheryl 6/18 Susser Melissa 6/16 Swartz Pevton 6/9 Sweet Hailey 6/30 Tayler Chante 6/18 Taylor Ethel 6/13 Taylor Shelly 6/1 Thomas Dakota 6/30 Thompson Darryn 6/2 Thrasher Brandon 6/13 Thrasher Raiden 6/27 Tilley Samuel 6/3 Torres A Mia 6/18 Truelove Marc 6/24 Tucker Johnathan 6/15 Turner Abel 6/10 Van Wagenen Cassidy 6/27 Vaught Cohen 6/2 Wachman Elianna 6/26 Wachman Mattison 6/14 Wallace Chance 6/27 Wallace James 6/9 Ward Dylan 6/24 Washburn Trace 6/14 Watters David 6/15 Webb Kailey 6/11 Weinberg Penelope 6/8 Wells Reba 6/12 Werth Andrew 6/14 White Shanna 6/17 White Xander 6/14 Whitlock Dystanie 6/17 Widner Hailey-Rose 6/3 Williams Austin 6/19 Williams Levi 6/9 Williams Tyra 6/12 Wilmoth Liberty 6/18 Wilson Gail 6/1 Winn Hannah 6/9 Wood Haiden 6/7 Wools Mackenzie 6/17 Worley Dylan 6/15 Wyatt Kalena 6/16 Wyrick Madison 6/26 Yost Blake 6/22 Zimmerman Linda 6/6