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Tribal Leaders and parents urge Shawnee School officials to allow native cultural symbols in graduation ceremonies



Left to Right: Meagan Wilson, Shawnee Public School; Graham Primeaux, Indian Education Director Shawnee Public School; Bruce Longhorn, Governor Office; Clint Walkingstick, Cherokee Business Owner; Tara Ann Winer, Senior Student; Tammy Winter, Parent; Dos Owings, Parent; Faustina Blanchard, Parent; Abby Owings, Senior Student; Lahoma(?); Principal Chief Kay Rhoads, Sac and Fox Nation; Tresha Spoon, Education Director, Absentee Shawnee Tribe; Governor Edwina Butler-Wolfe, Absentee Shawnee Tribe; Former Principal Chief George Tiger, Creek Nation and Chairman of the United Indian Nations of Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas, Inc.; Dr. April Grace, Superintendent Shawnee Public Schools; Alison Cleveland, Shawnee Public School; Principal Chief Greg Chilcoat, Seminole Nation; Lt. Governor Kenneth Blanchard, Absentee Shawnee Tribe; Phil Gover, Charter Schools; Teresa Fife, Parent; Austin Fife, Absentee Shawnee Tribal Member; Josh Gibson, Absentee Shawnee Tribal Member

A meeting was held on April 15, 2019 at the Shawnee Public School Administration Building addressing an issue that has hit every Native American Community and public school systems: Senior Students graduating from a public school not being allowed to wear tribal stoles, eagle feathers, and beaded caps. There was a room full of supporters expressing the rights for our Native American Students who voiced concerns to Dr. April Grace, Superintendent of Shawnee Public Schools.

Historically, Native American students have been denied the right to wear cultural and religious symbols during graduation ceremonies and other school functions. Many school districts defend these decisions by citing outdated policies written in a time of fierce cultural repression and assimilation of native tribes. Some states and Oklahoma school districts are beginning to recog-

nize the importance of the diverse cultures and traditions of their high school student population and allow students to express their culture by wearing feathers and tribal themed stoles in recognition of teachings handed down through the generations.

Last fall, the Oklahoma State Attorney General intervened in a case at a school in Vian, Oklahoma, where a Cherokee girl had been denied her request to wear her ceremonial eagle feather to graduation. According to *The Tulsa World*, Attorney General Mike Hunter sent a letter urging Vian school officials to grant her request in the name of religious freedom. He wrote: "It is my duty both to protect the rights of Oklahoma citizens as provided for by law and to advise that the Oklahoma Religious Freedom Act generally requires public schools to permit Cherokee students to engage in the spiritual practice

of wearing eagle feathers to important events, such as graduations, even if this requires a religious exemption to an otherwise generally applicable rule. Accordingly, I urge the board to adopt or revise its policies to permit these religious practices at graduation."

Despite the support of the Attorney General, students of all Native American Tribes are still battling their school districts across the state to wear native cultural and religious symbols to graduation.

The Absentee Shawnee Tribe honored tribal seniors with a banquet on April 26th, where they were given a tribal stole to wear for graduation in May. As of this time, it is not determined whether Shawnee Schools will allow students to wear them, or continue the repression of a bygone era for yet another year.

AllNations Bank Gets New Leadership



CALUMET, Okla.--AllNations Bank has announced that Steve Smith has joined the bank as President, CEO and Chief Credit Officer. He also has been appointed to the Board of Directors of the bank and will serve as Chairman. Mr. Smith has over 35 years of experience in banking with roles in operations and finance, lending, regulatory compliance and executive management. Mr. Smith holds a B.S. in Accounting from Harding University, an MBA from the University of Arkansas and is a CPA (Inactive).

He began his banking career in Tulsa where he was chief accounting officer for a community bank after having been involved with the bank as an independent auditor. He then returned to his hometown in Arkansas where he became President and CEO of an independent startup bank. Mr. Smith managed the bank while it grew to 4 locations in two counties. Eventually the bank merged with Union Planters Bank, a large multi-state holding company and additional offices were put under his supervision. After the sale of 9 Arkansas offices to Simmons Bank, he

oversaw those branches across 5 counties in Arkansas managing both the retail and lending functions of the region for many years.

More recently Mr. Smith has done some consulting work and also worked with a troubled financial institution as CFO. Mr. Smith has been active in many civic and community organizations while also serving as an elder for his church. He recently served as President of the Board of Directors of Ozark Health, a small community hospital in Clinton, Arkansas. He and his wife, Cheryl, have two grown children and six grandchildren.

He stated, "I am very grateful for the opportunity to lead AllNations Bank and appreciate the welcome I have received since I came on board. I am looking forward to working with the staff, board of directors and leadership of the Absentee Shawnee Tribe. Together, we can make the bank a valuable asset for the tribe and a benefit for the customers and communities of Calumet and Shawnee."

Absentee Shawnee Sadie Littlecreek crowned Miss Indian OU



Sadie Rachelle Littlecreek is a freshman at the University of Oklahoma. She is majoring in International Business and Pre-law.

She is an enrolled member of the Absentee Shawnee tribe of Oklahoma, as well as a descendent of the Sac & Fox Nation, Iowa Tribe, Otoe-Missouria Tribe, and Muscogee (Creek) Nation. Her name is *Tha Thay Guam Me Ce*, given to her by her late great grandmother, Marie Gibson. She is a graduate of Perkins-Tryon High School and was a member of the National Honor Society. She began her college career in the Start Sooner program which allows incoming freshman to get a head start on their college experience. She is a participant in the American Indian Science and Engineering Society and Gamma Delta Pi sorority at OU. She recently was crowned 2019-2020 Miss Indian OU. She recognizes the esteemed honor of being Miss Indian OU and her hope is to advocate for mental health awareness to all Tribal nations.

She is the daughter of Crystal L. Springer, Sac & Fox Nation, Iowa tribe descendant, Otoe-Missouria descendant. Her biological father is Levi K. Littlecreek, Absentee Shawnee and Muscogee (Creek). Her step-father is Leon D. Martine, Navajo. She is the granddaughter of Beverly Springer and great granddaughter of the late Howard L. Springer and Ruth McClellan Springer. She was awarded a new horizon scholarship, a community enrichment scholarship, Pehar Scholarship and Miss Indian OU scholarship. She hopes to bring awareness to all nations.

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Monthly Executive Committee meetings can be watched online at astribe.com

Governor’s Report

By AST Governor Edwina Butler-Wolfe
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Hello Tribal People!!
Hope everyone is preparing for the spring and the threat of tornadic weather. Seems this year is getting off to a fast start as it is already the middle part of April. My schedule has been very busy with public school consultations and tribal meetings.

SHAWNEE PUBLIC SCHOOL MEETING

The meeting was held at the Shawnee Public School Administration Building in Shawnee on April 15, 2019 @1:00 P.M. The issue has touched every Native American Community and public school system; pertaining to the Senior Students Graduating from a public school and not being allowed to wear tribal stoles, eagle feathers, and beaded caps. We had a room full of supporters expressing the rights for our Native American Students. Those present voiced their concerns to Dr. April Grace, Superintendent of Shawnee Public School. Those that attend: Abby Owings, Senior Student

Tara Ann Winer, Senior Student
Dos Owings, Parent
Tammy Winter, Parent
Fustina Blanchard, Parent
Theresa Fife, Parent
Kandace Howell, Staff Member Congresswoman Kendra Horn
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Josh Gibson, Absentee Shawnee Tribal Member
Austin Fife, Absentee Shawnee Tribal Member
Graham Primeaux, Indian Education Director Shawnee Public School
Dr. April Grace, Superintendent Shawnee Public Schools
Meagan Wilson, Shawnee Public School
Alison Cleveland, Shawnee Public School
The Kickapoo Tribe has expressed support on this issue by David Pacheco, Chairman.

Some states and Oklahoma school districts are beginning to recognize the importance of the diverse cultures and traditions of their high school student population. Some schools in Oklahoma encourage their Indian students to express their culture by allowing the wearing of feathers and tribal themed stoles in recognition of teachings handed down through the generations. A student honoring their culture and tradition during Commencement should not be an issue in today’s Oklahoma.
I have expressed to the Superintendent that our Tribe will be honoring

our Tribal Seniors with a Banquet and presenting a Tribal Stole to them and do expect those seniors to wear them to their graduation in May. We hope the Shawnee School System sees this is a change that needs to be made this year and not let it sit till next year.
We will keep you updated as the decision is made by the school system.

SELF GOVERNANCE CONFERENCE

This year Self-Governance Annual Consultation Conference was at the Grand Traverse Resort & Spa, owned and operated by the Grand Traverse Band of Ottawa and Chippewa Indians. The meeting started on April 1 and 2nd for the Indian Health Service Agenda and April 3rd and 4th was the Agenda for BIA. During the IHS portion of the agenda the Oklahoma Tribes had a chance to talk to RADM Michael Weahkee, Principle Deputy Director, of the Department of Indian Health Services (IHS) one on one. Highlighted topics that were discussed:

- 1. Section 105(l) Leases
- 2. Advanced Appropriation & Government Shutdown Effect on IHS Operation
- 3. Joint Venture Programs
- 4. Contract Support Cost, 97/3 policy issue
- 5. Sanitation Deficiencies System (SDS) Guidance
- 6. Commissioned Officer Memoranda of Understanding (MOU’s)

In 2016, the District Court for the District of Columbia found that IHS must negotiate lease agreements as permissible under Section 105(l) of the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (ISDEAA). Since the decision, Tribal Nations and IHS have entered into and executed many lease agreements. However, the approved agreements in Fiscal Year 2018 exceeded appropriation levels and resulted in a decrease in programmatic increases for IHS and tribal facilities.
Another breakout session at the conference was the Native Children and Youth. It was a discussion of the defense mechanisms being employed to protect the Indian Child Welfare Act to include litigation, state laws and state compacting. While some states have enacted state laws to increase protections for Indian children (i.e. Washington and Michigan) and others have started compacting child welfare services (Alaska), a Texas court has ruled the Federal statute is unconstitutional. There are 12 open cases currently in Indian Country in the same line as the Texas Case.

GOVERNOR’S MEETING

MARCH

- 21st 8:30 am Individual inquiring of leasing Tecumseh Square
- 25th 8:00 am Special Executive Committee Meeting
- 26th 9:00 am White House Webinar Tribal Leaders Task Force Team 11:00 am Senator Lankford Staff meeting in Governor Conference Room 5:30 pm TEC, Inc. Board Meeting
- 27th 1:00 am – 3:00 pm ESSA Consultation at Mustang Public School, Piedmont Public School, Deer Creek Public School
- 28th 11:30 am Area School Luncheon with retired teachers

- 31st Self-Governance Meeting Michigan
- 10th 11:30 am I was the guest speaker at the American Indian Chamber of Commerce OKC Chapter Luncheon
- APRIL
- 11th 3:00 pm – 4:30 pm City Commissioner Ed Bolt and Barbara Loudermilk, Executive Director, Central Oklahoma Community Action Agency
- 1st – 5th Self-Governance Meeting – Michigan
- 6th 10:00 am White Turkey Meeting – Shawnee, OK
- 8th Meeting with AllNations Bank President 3:00 pm – 6:00 pm Building Blocks III, second year anniversary 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm Building Blocks III Staff Meeting
- 13th 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm Congress woman Kendra Horn round table discussion: Chief Kay Rhoads, Sac and Fox Nation, Chief Greg Chilcoat, Seminole Nation, Representatives from Choctaw, Citizen Potawatomi

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RADM
Edwina Butler-Wolfe, AST Governor; Michael Weahkee, Principal Deputy Director Department of Indian Health Services.



Self-Governance Conference, Michigan
Scott Miller AST, Tara Maclean Assistant Secretary Indian Affairs, Department of Interior and AST Governor Edwina Butler-Wolfe



Principal Chief Greg Chilcoat Seminole Nation Of Oklahoma, AST Governor Edwina Butler-Wolfe, Congresswoman Kendra Horn and Principal Chief Kay Rhoads Sac & Fox Nation



Dr. April Grace Superintendent Shawnee Public Schools, Principal Chief Kay Rhoads Sac & Fox Nation, AST Governor Edwina Butler-Wolfe, George Tiger, Former Chief of Creek Nation, and Chairman of United Indian Nations of Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas, Greg Chilcoat Principal Chief Seminole Nation of Oklahoma, AST LT Governor Ken Blanchard.

Staff Report

The staff of the Governor and Lt. Governor have been working diligently on various programs for the tribal members; “Domestic Violence VAWA, Full Faith and Credit, Absentee Shawnee Tribal Law Codes, Child Support, Absentee Shawnee Graduation Stoles, Reintegration, Volunteer Income Tax Assistance, United Indians of Oklahoma, Kansas, and Texas.”

Violence Against Woman Act (VAWA)
Violence Against Women Act (VAWA), includes a vital reaffirmation of Tribal Nations’ inherent power to protect Native women from abuse by non-Indian partners by prosecuting those abusers in tribal court. In the United States, violence against Native women has reached devastating levels on tribal lands. The Absentee Shawnee Tribe will utilize the Special Domestic Violence Criminal Jurisdiction (SD-V CJ) to bring more safety and justice to our communities.

Full Faith and Credit
Full Faith and Credit means the Courts of the Absentee Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma are hereby authorized to issue an Administrative Order/Rule which grants reciprocity to judgments of the Courts of the State of Oklahoma, and is further authorized to provide the Administrative Office of the Courts of the State of Oklahoma, and any federally recognized Indian nation, tribe, band or political subdivision thereof, with such Order/Rule for the purposes of granting full faith and credit to judgments of the Courts of the Absentee Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma and to grant reciprocity to the judgments of the Courts of the State of Oklahoma and of any federally recognized Indian nation, tribe, band or political subdivision thereof.

Absentee Shawnee Tribal Law Codes
The purpose of updating the Absentee Shawnee Tribal law codes is to design and implement a comprehensive justice system with remedies and rights of law that restore healing and balance within the tribal community. The mission is to strengthen the tribal justice system of the Absentee Shawnee Tribe, to enhance public safety; prevent and reduce harmful effects of criminal behavior and sanction offenders fairly and justly; and do so efficiently and effectively based on our tribal constitution and Code of Laws.

Absentee Shawnee Tribe Child Support Services
Child support programs assist families to obtain and maintain self-sufficiency by holding absent parents legally responsible for the financial well-being of their children. The Modoc child support program has been unable to meet the needs of the Absentee Shawnee Tribal members and children due to jurisdictional and cultural issues. Lack of this crucial service has caused many tribal children and their families to do without for a very long time. Tribal child support programs are bound by different regulations than state programs, but both state and tribal regulations contain the same basic requirements that they must be able to establish paternity, establish, enforce and modify child support orders and they have to be able to locate both custodial and non-custodial parents and their assets.

Absentee Shawnee Graduation Stoles
The Absentee Shawnee Tribe Stole Program, administered by Governor and the AST Education Department, offers graduates a special honor stole to

wear at their commencement. The Governor has long believed education is the springboard to a brighter future for our people. The stole is a simple but meaningful way the tribe can reward students who have completed their educational goals. We encourage our Absentee Shawnee graduates to share the joy of their special day by posting photos of themselves in their stoles at graduation and tagging the various social media platforms, such as Facebook, Twitter and Instagram. Attaining a high School degree is a truly momentous occasion and something to be proud of for a lifetime. In turn, it also encourages younger students to achieve their goals by showing them what is possible.

Reintegration for Imprisoned Tribal Members
We first met with the Central Oklahoma Workforce Innovation Board in June of 2018 regarding the need for resources to assist inmates transitioning from incarceration to returning citizens with work clothing, tools, boots, and/or helpful information. The inmates receive skill training while in the corrections system then prior to release, Mr. Moore, the Regional Coordinator, Career Tech Skills Center Division, locates employment in the community where each individual is returning. Their program is very productive however funds are limited and are unable to be in all prisons.

According to the FY2017 State of Oklahoma Prisons data, there were 21 Absentee Shawnee Tribal Members incarcerated. (4 Females and 17 Males) Many of them are receiving the AST Newspaper and are looking for a source for personal Hygiene items.

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA)
A Volunteer Tax preparation for the employees and tribal members for the tax year 2018 filed 71 Federal and 70 State returns. According to our IRS Tax Consult, the savings to the tax payers was roughly \$16,000 and the Earned Income Tax Credit returned \$22,652 back to our community. The 10 Volunteers did a terrific job.

United Indians of Oklahoma, Kansas, and Texas
UINOKT is an inter-tribal organization of Native American leaders put in place to address current issues and protect sovereignty for all tribes.

Secretary’s Report

By John Johnson
AST Secretary

Good day Tribal Members,

Here we are in May, almost half way through the year and it is just flying by. Trees are budding, weather is warming up and the birds are singing. I think spring is officially here!
General Council was a great turnout. It’s always a good time to get some great information from the Executive Committee members; as well as our tribal people to share concerns and

ideas. I appreciate all who could attend. Our Easter egg hunt was a lot of fun and it was a beautiful day. I am so happy that we decided to change the date. It couldn’t have gone any better. The kids had a great time and the adults looked like they enjoyed it as well. Thank you to all who came to have some fun with us.
June run-off is just around the corner, I encourage all tribal members to get out and vote on June 15, 2019. Your vote counts.
I have been extremely busy the past month getting everything done for General Council and Easter, my staff has been busy as well. So if you have question or concerns, please come see me or give me a call.
Thank you,
Secretary Johnson

Leadership is about seeing the big picture and inspiring others to share in your vision. Over the past almost 6 years, we have not seen vision or any inspiration from our current Governor. We have seen plenty of strife and our current Governor tearing down people, ideas and progress. Leadership is also about listening, observing, making the right compromises, empowering and developing others and driving towards progress in a collaborative manner. My leadership style is actively working with others on my team, not competing for popularity. Governor Wolfe has not shown progress, vision or the ability to work well with others. In order for our tribe to move forward towards progress, we have to work together for the benefit of our tribe. I not only verbally support economic development, I also actively participate in it and actively support it. I not only support our successful health system, I also actively participate in it and actively support it. Our current Governor has continued to tear down progress of our enterprises and individuals who are active towards progress for our tribe. Perhaps she should be looking at what lack of progress she has had under her oversight. Our bank has continued to decline. Governor Wolfe voted to give \$2 million dollars to our bank without any plan for payback. I voted against giving \$2 Million dollars to our bank because I knew it would be never repaid. Ask Governor Wolfe how our bank is doing now since she was so active in giving them \$2 Million dollars. Additionally, ask her about the purchase of the land on Hardesty and Highway 177 in Shawnee. I opposed the purchase because the feasibility study showed it would cost us greatly to build on land that was in a flood zone. She drove the purchase of the land without even presenting it to the general council. Perhaps ask her how she knows the person that the tribe bought it from and we can find out the intent of the purchase. ASEDA became inactive and she did nothing to revive it. I will not sit idle while our tribe or any of our enterprises suffer. Real leaders don’t hide when problems arise. Real leaders step up to solve the problem and drive towards progress.

My plan is to ensure the future progress of our tribe and our tribal entities. We can do that by making sure we re-invest into our enterprises, like:
-Supporting our casino growth;
-Supporting our health system growth;
-Making sure we make the best out of the land we already own. We have had progress on tearing down the hotel on Earlsboro. Cleaning up Tecumseh property and cleaning up Lillard property in Tecumseh.
-We need economic development to create more jobs for our tribal members.
-We also need to support our community infrastructure, including supporting our elders and their needs.
We need to start thriving as tribe; not just surviving! We cannot afford to stay stagnate and inactive. Progress needs ACTION. And that is something I am committing on doing. I will ask that you please support my actions for progress for the success of our tribe.




VOTE

John Raymond Johnson

for AST Governor

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Wed., April 24 th (10am to – 3pm)	Health Center Conf. Room – Little Axe, OK
Wed., July 31 st (10am to – 3pm)	Multi-Purpose Building – Shawnee, OK
Wed., Oct. 30 th (10am to – 3pm)	Health Center Conf. Room – Little Axe, OK

General Information will be provided from 10:00 AM – 11:30 AM

Appointments will begin at 11:30 AM- 3:00 PM

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Treasurer Report

By Phillip Ellis
AST Treasurer

My focus since I have been in office has been forward and incremental progress for our tribe. I have been working closely with Sec. Johnson and Rep. Fletcher as they both have a similar goal to drive the tribe forward through progress in their departments and supporting economic development. I have tried to work with our current Governor and Lt. Governor but have been met with opposition and a number of excuses. Progress is not something we can just talk about, it has to be something we point at and can see. Our current governor, who has been in office for almost 6 years, has provided plenty of excuses why she can't show any progress in her areas of influence. Instead she blames others and seeks to create fabricated drama in other areas in order to hide her lack of progress or lack of impact to our tribe. I have been in office for less than a year and can show immediate positive impact to our tribe, development in our tribal operations and an investment in our tribe's future. That is only accomplished because of my leadership team who work diligently to avoid the blame game and seek out solutions. I am successful in my goals, because I surround myself with successful and intelligent people. But most importantly, I listen to their counsel and recommendations to benefit our tribe.

In most organizations, 70% of operating expenses are in human capital. Excuses are major obstacles to success. They decrease morale, sap energy, lead to misunderstandings, confuse communication, and damage credibility. Even an incremental increase in a team's productivity can have a huge impact on the bottom line. A negative impact on our

bottom line can have a devastating impact on our tribe's progress. Please bear in mind how important it is to choose the right leaders that will provide action and move this tribe forward.

Usually, I would provide more of a focus on my department's progress. However I am also submitting our AST health system's response to the Governor's unfounded allegations in her General Council report. I feel it is important that the truth be stated.

Minors Trust Follow Up

For our minor's per cup that is being managed by ABG, it was asked at General Council if the minors would be getting an individual interest or a pooled interest when they get a pay out at the age of majority (age 18). It will be a pooled interest. Please be on the look out for communication from ABG for all eligible minors and their parents.

Legal Fees Update

The legal fees from our current Attorney General has continued to climb. This has been a concern of mine since I don't see much benefit to our tribe. Additionally, a majority of their billings is coming from the Governor's office and I believe are unnecessary and unwarranted costs. At General Council we heard a great recommendation to internally hire legal council instead of farming it out. I believe this is a feasible solution to minimize these high legal costs. Total legal fees to date is \$2,345,452.66.

Quarterly Financials

See below the 1st quarter 2019 financials for our tribe.

Absentee Shawnee Tribe BALANCE SHEET - AST Gov't Funds Balance Sheet As of 3/31/2019							
	ASTHA	BIA Fund	General Fund	IHS Fund	Non-Major	TAX COMH	Total
ASSETS							
Cash and Cash Equivalents	20,106,696.89	7,901,294.60	12,586,312.28	543,137.89	696,783.22	4,536,284.38	46,370,509.26
Investments	0.00	0.00	3,060,407.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,060,407.85
Due From Other Funds	(240,421.02)	(24,160.07)	182,508.53	21,667.93	66,953.22	(6,546.59)	0.00
Other Receivables	221,102.17	1,555.50	446,077.08	192.50	2,920.00	2,427,424.15	3,099,271.40
Due From Tribal Enterprises and Component Units	0.00	0.00	1,337,246.98	0.00	0.00	(66,705.00)	1,270,541.98
Grants Receivable	0.00	0.00	0.00	(87.75)	307,692.95	0.00	307,605.20
Inventory	145,354.97	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	145,354.97
Prepaid Expenses	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Prepaid Payroll Expenses	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Prepaid A/P Expenses	123,034.93	8,618.90	281,435.58	0.00	2,519.35	2,497.92	418,106.68
Total Prepaid Expenses	123,034.93	8,618.90	281,435.58	0.00	2,519.35	2,497.92	418,106.68
Capital Assets	4,533,470.41	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,533,470.41
Total ASSETS	24,889,238.35	7,887,308.93	17,897,968.30	564,910.57	1,076,868.74	6,892,952.86	59,211,267.75
LIABILITIES							
Accounts Payable	185,504.87	4,961.58	52,716.76	18,678.75	13,749.19	30.00	275,641.15
Accrued Expenses	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
401 (K) Retirement Payable-After Tax	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other	136,135.15	27,618.41	(49,061.06)	5,532.10	65,705.54	4,735.09	190,665.23
Total Accrued Expenses	136,135.15	27,618.41	(49,061.06)	5,532.10	65,705.54	4,735.09	190,665.23
Due to Other Funds	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Deferred Revenue	0.00	6,932,078.43	0.00	0.00	191,644.06	0.00	7,123,722.49
Notes Payable	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total LIABILITIES	321,640.02	6,964,658.42	3,655.70	24,210.85	271,058.79	4,765.09	7,590,028.87
FUND BALANCES - Net Position							
Fund Balance - Net Position	18,285,880.30	874,646.74	17,240,373.15	555,108.30	995,384.86	6,440,963.37	44,392,356.72
Current Year Activity	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
YTD INCOME	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other	6,281,718.03	50,003.77	653,959.45	(14,408.58)	(189,614.91)	447,224.40	7,228,882.16
Total Current Year Activity	6,281,718.03	50,003.77	653,959.45	(14,408.58)	(189,614.91)	447,224.40	7,228,882.16
Total FUND BALANCES - Net Position	24,567,598.33	924,650.51	17,894,332.60	540,699.72	805,769.95	6,888,187.77	51,621,238.88
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES - Net Position	24,889,238.35	7,887,308.93	17,897,968.30	564,910.57	1,076,868.74	6,892,952.86	59,211,267.75


Health Board General Council Response


Note from the publisher: Although a full report was provided to the general council, parts have been redacted in this publication per legal counsel. An amended version was not provided upon request.




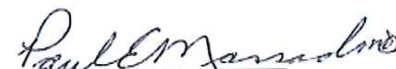
April 16, 2019

Board of Directors for Li Si Wi Nwi Health, Inc. and Absentee Shawnee Tribal Health Authority, Inc., we submit this response to the Governor's 83rd General Council Report in coordination with Mark Rogers, Executive Director of Health.


Sandra Vaughn, Chairwoman


Dr. Lancer Stephens, Vice Chairman


Mepherd Switch, Secretary


Dr. Paul Massad


Lisa Johnson, Billy

Victor H. Flores - Executive Biography



Tribal & Finance Leadership Experience

Victor's current role serves as Chief of Staff and Finance Officer for the Absentee Shawnee Tribe where he has successfully led for 3 years. He additionally serves as the Finance Officer for the Absentee Shawnee Tribal Health System. His previous 20 years of leadership and financial experience was in the private sector for multi-billion dollar and multi-million dollar organizations, where he held senior leadership roles such as Chief Financial Officer, Chief Operating Officer, VP of Corporate Finance, Corporate Director of Operations and Director of Finance. In every organization, he excelled in business development and financial acumen within his field. Additionally, he is an adjunct professor for Southern Nazarene University for the Master's Level Finance classes. Victor also serves as an adjunct professor for the OSU Tribal Finance and Accounting Program. He is also the Founder and President of the Oklahoma Tribal Finance Consortium which brings together tribal treasurers, tribal finance directors and tribal leaders over finance and economic development from the 39 Tribal Nations residing in Oklahoma. Through his consortium role he brought together the Oklahoma State University Spears School of Business, University of Oklahoma School of Law and NAFOA to create the OSU Introduction to Tribal Finance and Accounting program.

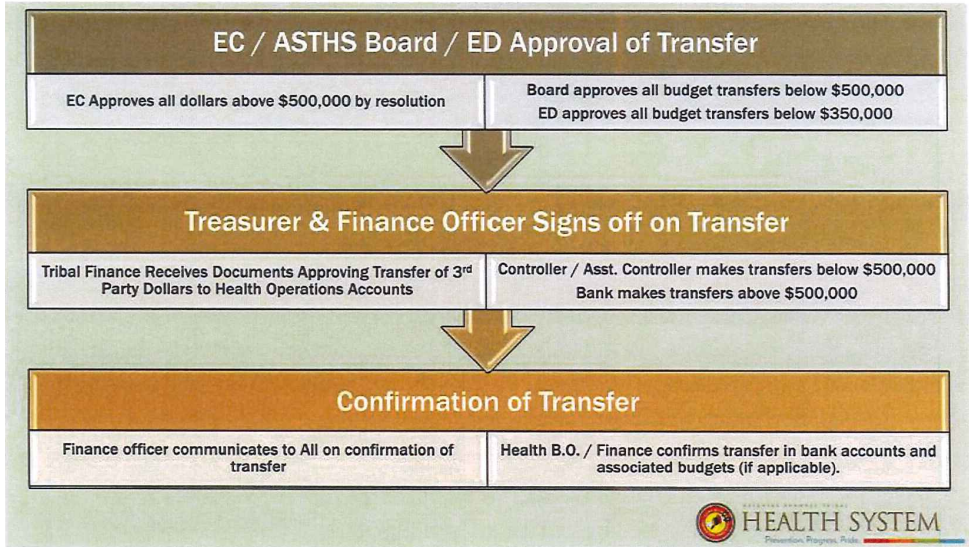
Education & Affiliations

Victor holds a Masters in Healthcare Administration (Specialty in Accounting) from Trinity University in San Antonio and a Masters in Business Administration (Specialty in Financial Services) from Oklahoma Christian University. He is an active member and regular attendee of Native American Finance Officer's Association (NAFOA). He is also active with Health Finance Management Association (OK Chapter) where he was instrumental in bringing OK tribal health systems into the Chapter. He is also a member of American College of Healthcare Executives and Medical Group Management Association.

Community

In addition to dedication and achievement in his field, Victor is also committed to his community. He routinely mentors multiple tribal members from the Absentee Shawnee Tribe. Additionally, he serves on Oklahoma Governor's Committee on Native American Partnerships which is focused on economic development for tribal nations residing in OK. He also serves on the OK Business Ethics Consortiums where he has encouraged OK tribal nations to interact and learn alongside local OK big business. Victor is a strong supporter of health related organizations. He has served on the Board of Directors for JDRF (Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation) as the President-Elect and VP of Business Development. Other community involvement includes participation in the United Way Planning Committee, Emerging Leaders, Central Oklahoma Integrated Network System, Single Parent Support Network, Positive Directions Mentor, multiple Chambers of Commerce, multiple church boards and support of multiple non-profit charities.

AST HEALTH SYSTEM BUDGET APPROVAL - 3RD PARTY TRANSFER PROCESS



services provided by such program for which payment is made under title XVIII, XIX, or XXI of the Social Security Act or from any other third party payor .

(2) DIRECT REIMBURSEMENT.—

(A) USE OF FUNDS.—Each tribal health program making the election described in paragraph (1) with respect to a program under a title of the Social Security Act shall be reimbursed directly by that program for items and services furnished without regard to subsection (c)(1), except that all amounts so reimbursed shall be used by the tribal health program for the purpose of making any improvements in facilities of the tribal health program that may be necessary to achieve or maintain compliance with the conditions and requirements applicable generally to such items and services under the program under such title and to provide additional health care services, improvements in health care facilities and tribal health programs, any health care-related purpose (including coverage for a service or service within a contract health service delivery area or any portion of a contract health service delivery area that would otherwise be provided as a contract health service), or otherwise to achieve the objectives provided in section 3 of this Act.

(B) AUDITS.—The amounts paid to a tribal health program making the election described in paragraph (1) with respect to a program under title XVIII, XIX, or XXI of the Social Security Act shall be subject to all auditing requirements applicable to the program under such title, as well

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Governor’s Report Continued

- were present.
- 15th

9:00 am Directors Meeting
1:00 pm Shawnee Public School Meeting at the Shawnee Administration Building
Issue of the meeting pertain to Native American Students being able to wear Tribal Stoles and Eagle Feather.
- 16th

10:00 am Choctaw/Nicomma Park Public School hosted the ESSA Consultation. Luther Public School and Harrah Public School. Tresha Spoon, Absentee Shawnee Education Director and I attended.
- 17th

10:00 am Executive Committee Meeting

My General Council Report was for you, the Tribal People of our Great Tribe. It is information that I had obtained from an anonymous person. I guess I have hit a nerve in the Health Department to have to share with non-tribal employees. It leads me to believe that “time will tell if there is some truth to my report”. I had recently traveled to Michigan as I have stated in my newsletter article to a Self-Governance Conference only to have been told by a person in Indian Health Service that they had received an anonymous email from someone in the Absentee Shawnee Health Clinic. The email was pertaining to the Absentee Shawnee Convenience Store and the AST Health Clinic of funds being used from Health. Again Time will Tell!!

EXPRESSIONS:

My Condolences to the passing of Amy Beth Littlehead Hilderbrand Family. Amy and I were high school friends back in the day. We both attended Dale Public School then she moved to Maud and attended Maud Public School. She was an employee here at the Absentee Shawnee Tribe for many years. She worked in the Health field, Cultural Preservation, Gift Shop, Governor Assistant and Finance. The Tribe was honored to have Amy as an employee for many years of her life.

For those families who may have lost a loved one this month, I offer my sincere condolences to you and your family on your loss.

CONCLUSION:
I appreciate Tribal Members that have

come to my office or called with their concerns. My door is open unless I am in a meeting or attending a meeting elsewhere. My office is open and not behind locked doors.

Help me make a difference and stand beside me and let us Build for the Future (BFF)

Representative’s Report

Atheda Fletcher
Work PH: 405-275-4030 Ext. 6239
Cell PH: 405-287-5247
afletcher@astribe.com

Greetings Tribal Members:
At the end of March, I attend the Reservation Economic Summit in Las Vegas. The conference featured tribal leaders, members of congress, federal agencies, state and local officials and top CEO’s. This was such a great learning experience for me as a first time attender. I was fortunate to get to visit with representatives from the US Department of the Interior, Office of Indian Energy and Economic Development; US Department of Agriculture, US Small Business Administration, and many more. Discussions revolved around grant opportunities, doing business with the Federal Government, loan fund programs, new vendor information and so much more. This conference provides many opportunities for networking, gaining industrial information, and building connections that could benefit our tribe on many different levels. Of great interest was the Paiute Tribes Economic Development Tour that I attended. The Paiute market its economic development venture as “the largest marijuana store on the planet”. It is built on a 31-acre plot of in-trust land. The management shared insight into the tribes’ past 5 years’ challenges and hurdles to get this venture up and running and its business model. Currently it is illegal for our tribe to actively engage in economic development around marijuana. However, if it was to become legal, I would advocate for further research to review the benefits to our tribe and tribal members.

I also visited with various native-owned companies and anticipate that we will be establishing a working relationship with at least one or two of these entities for our gift shop. I also explored options on programs and tools that could possibly aide in building a

successful language program. There are so many opportunities outside our immediate realm that could help our tribe and I will continue to search for ways to help build progress for our tribe. At the first of April, I attend the 18th annual “To Bridge A Gap” in Wyandotte, OK. This was my first time to attend this event and it was an amazing conference hosted for the US Forest Service by the Eastern Shawnees. To help you understand the importance of our tribes’ participation in this event and other US Forest Service events, I am providing the following script so that tribal members understand the importance and benefits to maintaining and growing this relationship with the US Forest Service: “The Office of Tribal Relations supports meaningful and significant collaboration and consultation with Tribes across all program areas. The Office of Tribal Relations is committed to help increase opportunities for Tribes to benefit from the Forest Service programs and to help the Forest Service benefit from input from Tribes, in support of Tribal Sovereignty, self-governance, and self-determination, as well as Forest Service goals such as adaptation and mitigation of climate change. The Office of Tribal Relations is initializing and institutionalizing relationships with internal and external partners, working closely with other staffs to ensure Tribal concerns and opportunities are addressed in new policies, and developing implementation processes for new authorities.”

The conference provided sessions covering a multitude of topics such as--Section 106 training; tribal leaders face-to-face meetings with senior agency/organization officials; technology and ethics, ARPA/NAGPRA, tribal success stories, documentary screenings, natural resources, current happenings and opportunities, special tribal leadership face-to-face meetings with Region 8 (Southern US) and Region 9 (Northeastern US), traditional cultural places and sacred sites, cultural identity and tribal sovereignty, regulations, agreement opportunities, and more. This conference was packed with opportunities to learn, provide input and get updates. Each day started at 7:00 am and did not generally conclude until 8:30 pm and I assure everyone that I fully participated in each long day!

The Cultural Preservation Director, Andrea Ellis-Harrison, and I represented the AST at a Norman Public Schools Indian Education, Culture Sharing Night event on the evening of

tunity to reach out to our native youth population and this fits into our Cultural Preservation Department’s current goal of engaging the local high schools’ Native American Clubs youth.



Andrea Ellis-Harrison, CP Director, Culture Sharing Night, Alcott Middle School, Norman



Youth Attendees of Cultural Sharing Night with our traditionally dressed lady at Alcott Middle School, Norman

As for the Human Resources Department, the staff continues their work on the various projects including:

- Payroll System & HR Tracking system
- Policies & Procedures Manual
- Employee Handbook
- 401k Enhancement Overview

My next article will provide a more detailed update on these projects. I am also excited about the youth camp. We are trying to finalize our timeline so that we can share with our members and community. Six cabins, a bath house, an entry gate and paving around the main camp building should be completed by the end of the year. Be on the lookout for updates on this greatly anticipated project.

In the last 10 months that I have been in office I have seen a great deal of progress with my departments. I have also seen great progress when our EC members worked together, specifically with Treasurer Ellis and Secretary Johnson. I have tried to work with Governor Wolf and Lt. Gov. Blanchard. However, both are short sighted and do not work in a team setting very well. Leaders that cannot collaborate and don’t listen to wise counsel are not the leaders we should be looking to lead our tribe. I have been very disappointed in the inactivity of Governor Butler Wolf and Lt. Governor Ken Blanchard. I have not seen or heard of any progress from their departments. What I have heard is a lot of excuses and blatant lies that have targeted me. They also try to cause strife in other areas to hide their lack of progress. Our tribe has not had much overall progress in the past 6 years. They do a great deal of talk with no follow up. I can only attribute that to the lack of leadership from Governor Wolf. It is essential that our leaders have business acumen and leadership experience. Lack of both is detrimental to our tribe’s progress and hurts the departments under those elected leaders. It is time for our tribe to start moving. Governor Wolf continues to try to hurt the tribe by lashing out against our enterprises. That type of weak leadership is wounding our reputation in the community. If you are as frustrated with leaders that lie and don’t deliver, then I ask that you to please consider helping me to keep our leaders accountable. I am passionate for the progress of our tribe and I back it up with action; not just talk. Join me to help move this tribe forward.

Summer Youth Applications

Summer Youth applications are being accepted until May 10, 2019. You may pick an application up from the Tribal Secretary’s department or request by email (alvinab@astribe.com)

Thank you
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Alina Shively and Chief B. Cheryl Smith, Jena Band of Choctaws and Atheda Fletcher

Vicki Christiansen, Chief of the US Forest Service & Atheda Fletcher

April 11. Andrea gave a presentation on AST traditional tribal women’s attire. We also set up two tables with replicas and information about our tribe’s history. The children were given the opportunity to view and handle the various replicas of tools, arrowheads and spears that are housed in our Cultural Preservation Department. We shared a bit of our tribal history as children and families come by our table and picked up brochures on the AST and the Shawnee National Forest. In addition, the Citizen Pottawatomie Tribe was in attendance and shared their history. The Citizen Pottawatomie women sang a few of their women’s tribal songs. A meal was shared by all in attendance. As a result of this participation, our AST Cultural Preservation Department has been asked to partner with the Norman Public School System to teach and engage our native youth on various cultural projects. This is such a great oppor-

Annual AST Easter Egg Hunt

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Dear Absentee Shawnee Tribal Members

For many years The Title VI Department has provided gas to mow your lawns. We are updating the guidelines. The Title VI Grant provides gas as supportive services and for us to provide supportive service you must be a participant in the Title VI Program.

Guidelines:

1. Absentee Shawnee Member
2. Must be 55 years and older
3. Must be an Title VI Member, have a current intake form on file (FY-2019)
4. Must provide Proof of Residency (utility bill – in the applicants name)
5. Handicap/Disabled
6. NO RENTAL PROPERTY WILL BE MOWED

As a Title VI Member as long as you are within the guidelines you can put in your application and turn in your applications to the Title VI Department. As stated on the application: Maintenance will only mow and weed eat applicants lawn. Maintenance will mow every two (2) weeks weather permitting. Also, the maintenance workers will not trim trees, shrubs, and will NOT move any items that are in the way of cutting your lawn.

Any questions you can reach me at 405-275-4030 ext. 6227 or email me at dowings@astribe.com

Absentee Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma
Title VI Department
2025 S Gordon Cooper Dr
Shawnee OK 74801
405-275-4030

CDIB # _____

Grass Mowing Application

D.O.B. _____

The Following are the requirements for this program:

1. Must be an Absentee Shawnee Member
2. Must be 55 years and older
3. Must be an Title VI Member (have an current intake form for the current year 2019)
4. Handicap/Disabled
5. Must provide Proof of Residency (utility bill must be in applicant's name)
6. NO RENTAL PROPERTY will be mowed

The Absentee Shawnee Tribe Maintenance Department will **ONLY** mow and weed eat applicant's lawn. Maintenance will mow every two (2) weeks, weather permitting. Also, the maintenance workers will not trim trees or shrubs.

If you have any questions, please contact Dos Owings at (405) 275-4030 ext. 6227

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ MESSAGE PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

FINDING DIRECTIONS TO HOME:

*DISCLAIMER

Maintenance will not move any items that are in the way of them mowing your yard so if you are able or can get some help in getting your yard cleaned, will be very much helpful in maintaining your yard.



Office of Environmental Health & Engineering Brownfield Tribal Response Program

What is a Brownfield?



Do you have land that you want to use for a business, park, or for cultural purposes, but are worried about possible contamination? If so, you may have a Brownfield site.

Typical Brownfield Sites Include:

- ◆ Abandoned Factories/Buildings/Homes
- ◆ Burned Homes
- ◆ Buried Dump Sites
- ◆ Open Dump Sites
- ◆ A Large Amount of Tires
- ◆ Former Cattle Dip Pit Sites
- ◆ Barrels of Unknown Substances
- ◆ Old Service Stations
- ◆ Oil Storage Facilities
- ◆ Oil/Gas Well Sites
- ◆ Old Dry Cleaning Businesses

The EPA defines a brownfield site as "...real property, the expansion, redevelopment, or reuse of which may be complicated by the presence or potential presence of hazardous substances, pollutants, contaminants, controlled substances, petroleum or petroleum products, or is mine-scarred land."



If you have a Brownfield site that you would like to develop, or if you know of a possible Brownfield site, please contact:

Absentee Shawnee Tribe
Brownfield Response Program
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ELIGIBILITY

- ☐ ENROLLED ABSENTEE SHAWNEE TRIBE
- ☐ 18 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER
- ☐ UTILITY BILL IN YOUR NAME AND/OR SPOUSE'S NAME (SPOUSE MUST RESIDE IN HOME)
- ☐ TOTAL RESIDENCE INCOME (MUST NOT EXCEED A MONTHLY NET PAY OF \$2,800.00)

REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION:

- ☐ SOCIAL SECURITY CARDS (ALL MEMBERS RESIDING IN THE RESIDENCE)
- ☐ CDIB CARDS (ALL MEMBERS RESIDING IN THE RESIDENCE)
- ☐ CURRENT UTILITY BILL AND/OR DISCONNECT NOTICE
- ☐ CURRENT 30 DAYS INCOME VERIFICATION (I.E. CHECK STUB, SOCIAL SECURITY, UNEMPLOYMENT, TANF, ETC.)
- ☐ UNEMPLOYED APPLICANTS MUST COMPLETE SELF-CERTIFICATION FORM PROVIDED BY CASE WORKER

APPLICATION ALSO ONLINE: www.astribe.com

HAVE APPLICATION COMPLETED AND ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTATIONS BEFORE SUBMITTING TO SOCIAL SERVICES

ATTENTION TRIBAL MEMBERS!!!

The approved Legislative Resolution No. L-AS-2018-17 has been duly adopted by the Executive Committee of the Absentee Shawnee Tribe of Indians of Oklahoma Authorizing and Approving an increase in the Burial Assistance amount for qualified and approved members to **six thousand dollars and no cents (\$6,000.00)**, effective October 1, 2018. If you have any questions, please contact the Social Service Department at (405) 275-4030, ext. 6225 or 6255. All the changes will be posted to the Absentee Shawnee Tribe's web site under service + Social Service.

When mailing in your application for any assistance through the Social Service Department, Please DO NOT send original CDIB, Drivers License and Social Security cards. Please attach copies of your ID's only; if you are in the office copies will be made. Absentee Shawnee Tribe is not responsible for lost ID's in the mail. If you have any questions, please call **(405) 275-4030, ext. 6225 or 6255**.

Absentee Shawnee Housing 2019 PROGRAMS



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- College Housing Rental Assistance
- Over Income Lease to Own Housing
- Over Income Rental Housing
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Fiscal Year 2019 - YTD Tax Collections (through 3/31/2019)

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Please Up- date Informa- tion with the Enrollment Office

Absentee Shawnee Tribe Enrollment office has a list of names of the addresses that need to be updated with the Enrollment office. If you know any of the names listed, please have them also contact the office. If your name appears on the lists and is already updated, please disregard at this time. Thank you for all of your help!

Now Accepting Credit/Debit

Effective May 1, the tag office will be accepting credit/debit cards. Please note: a convenience fee of 2.75% will be added.

A Little Note from The Tag Office

Did You Know....

Any name changes that may occur (i.e. marriage, divorce, etc.) need to be updated through enrollment, BEFORE any new registrations or renewals can be processed.

Realty

Reminder

- All trust land transactions must come through the Realty Office.
 - Any trust land transactions not involving the Realty Department are invalid.
 - All Sales and/or any other trust land transactions must be authorized by the Realty Department and approved by the BIA.
 - Please keep addresses current with the Office of the Special Trustee for Indians @ 1-888-678-6836. This will allow proper notification to be made to landowners on new leases and other information.
 - Please keep addresses current with the Absentee Shawnee Enrollment Department. This allows the Realty Department to cross-reference landowner addresses with the OST.
 - Gift Deed transactions will take time to get approved from the BIA.
 - Negotiated Sales must follow the proper procedures to ensure the transaction is considered for approval.
 - Any issues regarding Absentee Shawnee Allotted lands should be directed to the Realty Department.
- If anyone has any questions, please contact the Realty Department @ (405)275-4030.*

Probate Mission Statement

The primary mission of the Division of the Probate is to compile inventories of the Indian Trust Assets and family information, and to coordinate the timely distribution of trust assets with the Office of Hearing and appeals, Land Titles and Records Office and the Office of the Special Trustee.

The Division of Probate gathers information regarding decedent's family and property and prepares it for adjudication by the Office of Hearings and Appeals (OHA). After OHA issues a probate order the Division works with other trust offices such as the Office of Special Trustee for American Indians and the Land Titles and Records Office to distribute assets.

In order for this to happen, the family of the decedent will need to contact the Absentee Shawnee Real Estate Division (Probate) to start the probate process.

Should you have any questions, please contact Probate Specialist, Cara Usrey at 405-275-4030 ext 6248

Aaron Aguinaga	Justin Coleman
Adam Witt	Justin Hemphill
Adrianno Carlson	Kaitlin Woods
Alannah Fenner	Katherine Winter-Eng
Alecia Reading	Katrina Banard
Alex Little Creek	Kendra Bowens
Alisa Bradshaw	Klay Rodas
Amanda Mendoza	Kyree Williams
Andrea Bustamante	Laura Littlebear
Andrea Lemke-Rochoi	Leila Gibson-Hicks
Angelina Howe	Leo Martinez
Anthony Bettelyoun	Lindsay Masquat
Anthony Frazier	Lisa Ellis
Anthony Littlebear	Lowana Jacobs
Anthony McBride	Luke Smith
Anthony Shelton	Mahnee McKinney
April Brister	Manuel Warrior
Bobby Armstrong	Marcus Sullivan
Brandi Slayton	Margaret Scraper
Brandon Alae	Marissa Hough
Brandon Neese	Mark Ganaway
Brett Littlebear	Mark Johnson
Briana Santa Cruz	Mary Charley
Brooke Larson	Maureen Creamer
Brooke Slayton	Megan Groves
Bryce Dankenbring	Melissa Mack
Caden Lamb	Melloney Charley
Calvin Littlebear	Melody Dankenbring
Cameron Little Creek	Michael Kowitz
Camille Tiger	Michael McGee
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Carrielynn Johnson	Michelle Mayo
Casey Switch	Michelle McBroom
Caylen Ahtone	Michelle Schmidt
Chad Holznagel	Misty Morton
Cheryl Little Charley	Mychal Little Creek
Chet Edwards	Myles Bullen
Chloe Brocksmitth	Myles Mossbacher
Christal Rapos	Necon Warrior
Christopher Bryant	Nicholis Rathbun
Christopher Deer	Nycole Mitchell
Clarence Bradley	Pamela Sullivan
Clinton Coriz	Paul Littlebear
Cochanna Brown	Phillip Wright
Cody Granstrom	Preston Spoon
Connie Januszewski	Rachel Morton

Corra Creamer	Randall Brokeshoulder
Dana Daniel	Raymond Panther
Dane Johnson	Rebecca Alford
Daniel Josytewa	Rebecca Horsechief
Darrel White	Richard Hood
Darrell Armstrong	Richard Johnson
Darrin Mack	Rusty Lowrance
David Littlebear	Ryan Puckitt
Deana Williams	Ryan Wood
Deborah Shirk	Sammi Little Creek
Denny Stanley Jr.	Samuel Warrior
Dusty Armstrong	Sara Morton
Dylan Weaver	Sarah Parker
Dyllon Judkins	Sarney Camp
Elizabeth Presson	Shea Longman
Eva Arms	Shedrick Brown
Fawntayne Johnson	Shelby Bethell
Gabriella Doussett	Shelby Wood
Gerald Buckley	Sky Maxfield
Gerald Rochon	Skylor Galloway
Ginger De La Campa	Skylor Ashley
Ginger Temple	Sonia Rich
Ginna Aschtgen	Stephen Cortez
Haley Speck	Stephen Rochon
Hannah Morton	Stephen Turney
Heather Milburn	Stephen uchida
Henry McEwin	Steven Evans
Jake New Moon	Stone Sloan
Jalen Foreman	Tasha Balch
James Bond	Tasha Wright
James Houston	Tava Larney
Jason Alexander	Terry Bradley
Jennifer Blood	Thaddeus Alford
Jennifer New Moon	Thomas J. Moore
Jennifer R. Cox	Thomas Valdivia
Jeremiah s Smith	Tiffany Sullivan
Jesse Mann	Tillman A. Johnson
Jesse White	Tillman E. Johnson
Jessie Wilson	Tonia Tyner
Joacob Gregory	Tyler Wunderlin
John E. Petty	Verna Dospapas
John Herrera	Wayne Doldoge
John Morgan	Whitney Warrior
Jonah Beartusk	William Kirby
Jordan Moore	William Wyatt
Jordan Morris	
Joshua Ferrer	

NEW REGISTRATIONS

- VALID OKLAHOMA DRIVER'S LICENSE
- VALID OKLAHOMA INSURANCE
- CDIB/ENROLLMENT CARD
- NOTARIZED TITLE
- NOTARIZED BILL OF SALE or PURCHASE AGREEMENT
- LIEN ENTRY FORM (if you are making payments)
- LIEN RELEASE FORM (if previous owner had lien)

TRIBAL MEMBER MUST BE PRESENT FOR ALL NEW REGISTRATIONS

Note: You may be asked to provide supporting documentation for verification purposes.

RENEWALS

- VALID OKLAHOMA DRIVER'S LICENSE
- VALID OKLAHOMA INSURANCE
- CDIB/ENROLLMENT CARD
- PREVIOUS YEARS REGISTRATION

ANYONE MAY COME RENEW THE VEHICLE AS LONG AS THEY HAVE THE ABOVE LISTED DOCUMENTS FOR THE TRIBAL MEMBER

TAG PRICES

1-4 YEARS	\$85
5-8 YEARS	\$75
9-12 YEARS	\$55
13-16 YEARS	\$35
17- OVER YEARS	\$15

PENALTY

\$0.25 A DAY

ICW



ICW

Looking for Foster Parents

“Share your Heart, Share your Home”
AST ICW is looking for those who have a loving heart to become foster parents. If you are interested in becoming a foster parent please contact AST ICW at 405-395-4490 for more information.



Tribal Court

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

The Criminal Court Dockets **have moved** from
2nd Wednesday afternoons at 1:30pm to
2nd Wednesday mornings 9:00am.

ASTHS May Monthly Update

By Mark E. Rogers, MAL, FACHE, CMPE, CHC
AST Health Systems Executive Director

The AST Health System Intern Program will be meeting soon to select the new 2019 Interns for the program’s third year. Native American AST Tribal Students will have the opportunity to experience the entire health system’s operations, work in a paid position throughout the summer months, and graduate the program with both work experience in the healthcare setting as well as a letter of recommendation from the health system for successful completion of the program. Graduation of the program culminates with a ceremony with parents and friends celebrating their accomplishment. The goal of the program is to attract tribal youth into health career fields and professional careers by exposing them to these various professions and helping them decide early on what may be of interest to them and vector them into a future within the health programs.

We will be having preventative testing and other health awareness programs for Men’s Health Month in June as well as events for our Women’s Health Program this month in May. We continue to work with the Health Program’s Leadership Team of the Shawnee Service Unit (SSU) Coalitions to improve patient care and experiences for our area and our patients with best practices and innovative cooperation on community health programs. We appreciate the leadership and support of the AST Tribe and other tribes in working together to better all of our programs and services in our area with our Kickapoo, Sac & Fox, Iowas, and CPN health partners!

The American Heart Association will have their annual Heart Walk in Oklahoma City this year in June, so get moving and stay healthy in 2019! Our new e-ClinicalWorks health record system is doing great things now! Please ensure you update all of your family’s information so that it stays current, and please use the new app “Healow” which stands for “health and online wellness” which will be your AST Health System’s Patient Portal to control several aspects of your healthcare! Kiosks have been deployed at various locations in the health system that allow you to remotely check into your appointments, so lots of great things continuing to come online with our new system! See your registration staff or providers for more information.

We are always thankful and very proud of our outstanding star performers, and thank them all for their contributions to our patients, their fellow employees, and the tribe! Employee Awards and awardees are listed below. The AST Health System always strives to make your health its top priority, and you all make a difference for our health system and the health and wellness of all of our patients!

March Health Employee Awards of the Month

Employee of the Month
Glendine Blanchard,
Purchased Referred Care

Team of the Month
AAAH Accreditation Ad Hoc Team

Special Leadership Award
Health & Tribal Finance Team


Mark E. Rogers, MAL, FACHE, CMPE, CHC
Executive Director


ABSENTEE SHAWNEE TRIBAL HEALTH SYSTEM SCHEDULED CLOSINGS


May 2019

Date:	Time(s) Closed:	Locations:
Wed., May 1st (1 st Wed of Month)	Noon-5PM	All AST Health facilities CLOSED PlusCare Clinic & Shawnee Clinic Ext Hours OPEN 5PM - 9PM (last patient accepted at 8:30p)
Mon., May 27th (Memorial Day)	All Day	All AST Health facilities CLOSED except PlusCare Clinic -PlusCare is OPEN from 9a until 5p (last patient accepted at 4:30p)

In the event of a predicted severe weather forecast, please call ahead for possible health system closure or delay:
Little Axe Health Center 405.447.0300 • Shawnee Clinic 405.878.5850 • PlusCare 405.447.0477

Health closures/delays are posted on the Absentee Shawnee Tribal Health Facebook wall “Absentee Shawnee Tribal Health, Little Axe Health Center or Shawnee Clinic”, Twitter @ASTHealth and on the ASTHS website at www.asthealth.org.



**PHARMACY SERVICES**

Your health is our first order.

Prescriptions, medical supplies, helpful advice. The trained pharmacists and supportive staff at each of our AST pharmacy locations are happy to serve you in person or on the phone.

Please allow 24 hours for refills. When you call for refills, have your medication numbers ready and use our automated system. If you’d like to receive a text when medications are ready, share your current cell phone number with a pharmacy staff member. It’s also important to let us know about changes in address, phone numbers, insurance and other contact information.


LITTLE AXE HEALTH CENTER
15951 Little Axe Drive
Norman, OK 73026
405.292.9530
Lobby:
Mon – Fri 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Regular Drive-thru:
Mon – Fri 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
Extended Hours Drive-thru*:
Mon – Fri 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
(or until last PlusCare patient receives their medications)
Sat – Sun 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Holidays 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
(excluding Thanksgiving & Christmas)
*Extended Hours Rx Drive-Thru is available ONLY for PlusCare Clinic prescriptions and AST member emergency room visit fills.


SHAWNEE CLINIC
2029 South Gordon Cooper Drive
Shawnee, OK 74801
405.878.5859
Lobby:
Mon – Fri 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Drive-thru:
Mon – Fri 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Extended Hours*:
Mon – Fri 5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.
(or until last patient receives their medications)
Sat 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Closed Sundays & Holidays
*Extended Hours Rx is available ONLY for Extended Hours Clinic prescriptions and AST member emergency room visit fills.

Both pharmacies are closed the first Wednesday of every month from Noon-5 p.m.


24-HOUR EMERGENCY PHARMACY ACCESS


If you experience an emergent issue after hours and receive a prescription that needs to be filled that same evening, AST Health has provided access for Tribal members only at three (3) **approved Walgreens locations in Shawnee and Norman**. You will need to submit your prescription, and it is mandatory to identify yourself with your AST CDIB card and other appropriate ID. Then, they will fill your prescription. You will have a five-day limited fill on your prescription. Upon the first work/business day, you can have the remaining balance of your prescription(s) transferred to your AST pharmacy in either Shawnee or Little Axe, and they will fill your remaining balance. The three (3) AST Health-approved Walgreens service locations are: 1427 North Harrison Street or at 600 Shawnee Mall Drive, Shawnee, OK or 615 West Main Street, Norman, OK

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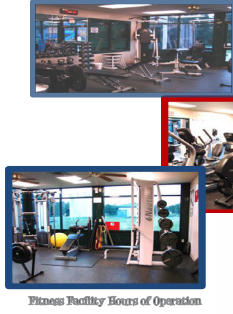
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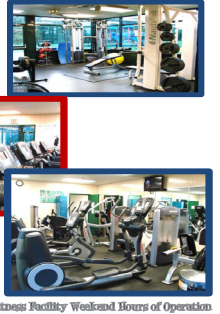
WWW.ASTHEALTH.ORG


**Buster Bread**
Fitness Manager


**Chrissy Wiens**
Physical Activities Specialist

The Absentee Shawnee Diabetes and Wellness

**Fitness Facility Hours of Operation**
Monday – Friday
6:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m.
Saturday
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

**Fitness Facility Weekend Hours of Operation**
Saturday
9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

**Brandon Goodman**
Fitness Technician

**McKenzie Watson**
Fitness Technician

The AST Diabetes and Wellness Fitness Center provides state of the art fitness equipment to help you reach your fitness goals. The AST Fitness Center is available to AST Diabetes Program patients, all Native Americans and their household family members, and the AST employees. Our goal is to provide appropriate and educational fitness training to all AST diabetes patients while promoting a safe, fun, and positive experience. Take some time to come by and visit the Diabetes and Wellness Fitness Center today! For more information, please contact Buster Bread or Chrissy Wiens at (405) 364-7298.

AST Diabetes and Wellness Program

The goal of the diabetes and wellness program is to provide a supportive resource to tribal members who are currently diagnosed with diabetes, or at risk and seeking information and/or support for diabetes and personal health. The program will offer guidance on healthy lifestyle changes such as eating healthy, exercise tips including workout classes with our two certified trainers, and keys to reducing stress.

The AST Resource Center fitness room hours are:
Monday-Friday 6:00am - 9:00pm
Saturday 9:00am - 3:00pm
Sunday CLOSED

For more information on the many exciting opportunities available for our tribal community please call our clinic at 405-701-7977 or visit our website at www.asthealth.org (Then navigate to our Diabetes and Wellness section under the services section.)



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES	CLASSES
<u>Aerobic/Strength Circuit</u> 6:15 a.m.-7:00 a.m. Chrissy Wiens Little Axe Resource Center	<u>Aerobic/Strength Circuit</u> 6:15 a.m.-7:00 a.m. Chrissy Wiens Little Axe Resource Center	<u>Aerobic/Strength Circuit</u> 6:15 a.m.-7:00 a.m. Chrissy Wiens Little Axe Resource Center	<u>Aerobic/Strength Circuit</u> 6:15 a.m.-7:00 a.m. Chrissy Wiens Little Axe Resource Center	<u>Aerobic/Strength Circuit</u> 6:15 a.m.-7:00 a.m. Chrissy Wiens Little Axe Resource Center
		<u>Walk Off The Pounds</u> 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m. Chrissy Wiens LITTLE AXE HEALTH FACILITY		
			<u>"HIIT" Thursday</u> 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m. Buster Bread LITTLE AXE HEALTH FACILITY	
<u>Resistance Training</u> 5:45 p.m.-6:30 p.m. Buster Bread Little Axe Resource Center		<u>Aerobic Circuit</u> 5:45 p.m.-6:30 p.m. Buster Bread Little Axe Resource Center		

Fitness sessions will be available every Wednesday and Thursday at the Little Axe Health Center

High-Intensity Interval Training aka “HIIT” alternates between intense exercise and brief rest periods. These workouts are fast-paced, fun, and modified for a variety of fitness levels.

Absentee
Shawnee Fitness



“Circuit Training”- A time-efficient training system aimed at developing strength through a number of pre-determined training stations.

“Resistance Training”- Classic resistance training utilizing a variety of fitness apparatus, including resistance bands, dumbbells, kettlebells bodyweight exercises, and medicine balls.



“Walk Off The Pounds” aims to assist those who are unfamiliar with exercise programs. The goal of this session is to help you learn to incorporate physical activity into your daily lifestyle.

Diabetes and
Wellness



AST Diabetes and Wellness Junior Olympics

Youth Olympics

The Absentee Shawnee Diabetes and Wellness Program encourages daily physical activity for all youth. The 2019 AST Diabetes and Wellness Junior Olympics provides an opportunity for youth to engage in fun and healthy physical activity. Please complete the registration form to enroll your kid(s) in this year's olympics!

Youth events include

 50 Yard Dash

 Softball Throw

 Running Long Jump


 Standing Broad Jump

 Free Throw Shooting

Absentee Shawnee Resource Center

SATURDAY, MAY 18th 2019
Event begins at 9:00 a.m.
For ages 5-6, 7-9, 10-12, and 13-14 years.

For more information, please call 405-364-7288



Oklahoma Department of Rehabilitation Services

Visual Services www.okdrs.gov

Providing a variety of free services to blind and low vision Oklahomans!

What we do:


- Provide blind and low vision job seekers with assessments and services to obtain skills and accommodations needed for successful employment.
- Provide transition school-to-work services for school age individuals.
- Provide assistance with higher education opportunities.
- Provide blind and low vision individuals with training to allow them to live independently in their home.

Please contact us at 1-800-487-4042. We are located at 1000 W. Choctaw, Suite 4, Chickasha, OK 73018.

We are here to serve you and empower Oklahomans with disabilities!

Nido P. Tomagos, M.S.
Division of Visual Services
Vocational Rehabilitation Specialist III
405-574-1704

Cell: 405-544-6804
Fax: 405-222-5728
1000 W. Choctaw
Suite 4
Chickasha, OK 73018
ltomagos@okdrs.gov



Oklahoma Department of Rehabilitation Services

PURCHASED REFERRED CARE NEWS



The AST Purchased Referred Care Team is here to assist you.

Please follow the PRC guidelines. Keep a copy on hand and update your information. To update your patient information, please see patient registration.

SHAWNEE CLINIC PURCHASED REFERRED CARE HAS MOVED.

We are now located in **SHAWNEE CLINIC (BLDG. 17)**
Our phone numbers have NOT changed.

EMERGENCY AND URGENT CARE SERVICES

PRC for a currently enrolled AST citizen who resides in the defined catchment area and needs emergent or urgent care.

1. Call the On-Call nurse at 405.447.0300, option 9 for triage.
2. Notify PRC on the next business day or within 72 hours after your ER visit. Notification does not assure authorization of payment. However, if you do not notify PRC within 72 hours, your bills will not be paid.
3. For AST citizens with no insurance, evidence must exist that your visit was medically necessary. Medical priorities have been established for determining which referrals can be authorized for payment.
4. For AST citizens with insurance, evidence must exist that a third-party resource has made the determination such services were "emergency care" or "urgent care." Such evidence may include payment from private insurance.
5. In the event that you receive a bill from a provider, please provide a copy to PRC. **You may leave bills at the Little Axe Health Center PRC office or the Shawnee Clinic PRC office.**

PURCHASED REFERRED CARE FOR AST CITIZENS WITH INSURANCE

PRC for a currently enrolled AST citizen who resides in the defined catchment area and has Medicare or private insurance.

1. To complete existing PRC patient updates, please visit Patient Registration at either the Little Axe Health Center or Shawnee Clinic during regular hours of operation.
2. Notify PRC at least 48 hours prior to appointment date for a Coordination of Benefits (COB) to be sent to the provider.
3. Inform provider/health facility that AST PRC is a secondary payer/ payer of last resort.
4. In the event that you receive a bill from a provider, please provide a copy to PRC. **You may leave bills at the Little Axe Health Center or Shawnee Clinic.**

EASY ACCESS

Purchased Referred Care is conveniently located in Little Axe Health Center and in Shawnee Clinic, Building 17.

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Monday – Friday
Closed on Holidays

All facilities closed the first Wednesday of the month from Noon to 5pm.

PURCHASED REFERRED CARE FOR AST CITIZENS WITHOUT INSURANCE

PRC for a currently enrolled AST citizen who resides in the defined catchment area and does not have insurance.

1. You must apply for all resources available to you, such as: Medicaid, Medicare, Worker's Compensation, Vocational Rehabilitation, auto insurance and other personal injury or liability coverage. PRC staff and/or Patient Benefit Advocates can assist you with the application process for alternate resources. Failure to exhaust available or potentially available alternate resources may result in denial of payment.
2. To complete existing PRC patient updates, please visit Patient Registration at either the Little Axe Health Center or Shawnee Clinic during regular hours of operation.
3. For new AST tribal citizens, to become established for PRC services, please make an appointment to see the New Patient Coordinator/PBA at either the Little Axe Health Center or Shawnee Clinic during regular hours of operation.
4. Referrals for outside services must be sent to PRC. Services must be medically approved by an AST Health provider and/or CMMR Committee.
5. An appointment will be scheduled, and a COB will be sent to the outside provider.
6. In the event that you receive a bill from a provider, please provide a copy to PRC. **You may leave bills at the Little Axe Health Center or Shawnee Clinic.**

IMPORTANT CONTACTS

BILLING & PAYMENT INQUIRIES
Little Axe Health Center & Shawnee Clinic

Glendine Blanchard, PRC Director
Darla Gatzman, PRC Specialist
Lena Carroll, Claims Processor
Jennifer Wells, PRC Technician
Kareena Deere, File Clerk

REFERRAL MANAGEMENT
Little Axe Health Center

Debi Sloat, PRC Deputy Director/RN
April Parton, PRC Health Specialist/LPN
Jayne Werst, PRC Specialist, Medicaid Patients
Melinda Ferrell, PRC Specialist

REFERRAL MANAGEMENT
Shawnee Clinic

Flo Mann, PRC Specialist, AST Patients/LPN
Laurie Webber, PRC Specialist, IHS Patients/LPN
Carrie Stanley, PRC Specialist, Medicaid patients/
Medical Assistant

LITTLE AXE HEALTH CENTER PRC
405.701.7951 (Please follow voice prompts)
405.447.0300 (Secondary)

SHAWNEE CLINIC PRC
405.878.5850 (Primary)
405.878.4702 (Secondary)



HEALTH SYSTEM
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DATE
June 10 - 14th, 2019

VENUE
**Camp Takatoka
Choteau, OK.**

NYPD

A Camp for Healthy Habits

Native American children
8-12 years of age

Register by
24 MAY

FREE
AST preference

Absentee Shawnee Tribe Diabetes & Wellness Program

A diabetes prevention education program designed to provide Native American children the necessary information and encouragement to prevent obesity, metabolic syndrome and diabetes later in life.

SWIMMING

FISHING

CANOEING

ARCHERY

BASKETBALL

PACK YOUR BAG...
THERE ARE A LOT OF FRIENDS WAITING FOR YOU

START YOUR ADVENTURE



Registration or Info:
AST Diabetes & Wellness
701-7977 or swarden@astribe.com

Free Youth FISHING Clinic

Families are welcome



June 8, 2019
STARTS AT 8:30am | Youth 12-24 Years old

Lake Thunderbird Clear Bay Area
Call Margo @405-701-7995 for more information and to sign up

Poles and Bait provided the day of the clinic
Children under 16 need to be accompanied by an adult

Sponsored by the Absentee Shawnee Tribal Health Native Connections Grant, Thunderbird State Park and the Oklahoma Department of Wildlife



PosterMyWall.com

Free Cooking Demo



National Mediterranean Diet Month

Join us as we learn the Mediterranean way of eating!

When: May 9th, 2019 at 2pm

Where: AST Diabetes and Wellness Demo Kitchen at Little Axe

Due to limited space, please RSVP to the Diabetes and Wellness Program by Monday, May 6th, by calling 405-701-7977

Free Recipe Cards and Samples provided




Absentee Shawnee Tribal
Native Connections Grant

Join our
Youth Advisory Board
Ages 12-24 yrs

Make a Difference in your community
Earn Community Service Hours
Plan your own meetings and special events
Snacks and Gift Incentives provided

May 10, 2019
3:30 to 5 P.M.
Little Axe Health Center
15951 Little Axe Dr. Norman, OK
Conference A

For information or to sign up
please call Margo @405-701-7995



ABSENTEE SHAWNEE TRIBAL
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BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES

A guiding hand
on your shoulder.

Life comes with its share of challenges. As individuals, family members, friends, there are times when we all need some help to clear our minds and better the days ahead. The resources are here; the people are kind. If you need us, please call us, **8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.**

LITTLE AXE HEALTH CENTER
15951 Little Axe Dr.
Norman, OK 73026
405.447.0300
BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
Rolanda Smith 405.701.7987

SHAWNEE CLINIC
2029 S. Gordon Cooper Dr.
Shawnee, OK 74801
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BEHAVIORAL HEALTH
Roberta Cooper 405.878.4716

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Protect Your Family with THE HPV VACCINE

HPV IS A COMMON DISEASE AND CAN HAVE
serious consequences

IN THE U.S...

Approximately
79 MILLION
people have been infected with HPV

14 MILLION
new HPV infections occur every year

80%
of sexually active people will
contract HPV over their lifetime

BEING INFECTED WITH
HPV CAN LEAD TO...

CERVICAL CANCER
GENITAL CANCER
THROAT CANCER
ANOGENITAL CANCER
GENITAL WARTS

PROTECT BOTH YOUR SONS AND DAUGHTERS FROM CANCER WITH THE HPV VACCINE

PROTECT YOUR DAUGHTER

Each year, there are
12,000 CASES OF CERVICAL CANCER
leading to
OVER 4,000 DEATHS IN WOMEN

PROTECT YOUR SON

Each year, there are
**9,300 CASES OF HPV-RELATED
CANCERS IN MEN**

THE HPV VACCINE

It is important to protect your child from the disease early.

THE HPV VACCINE CAN...

ONLY PREVENT
infections,
NOT TREAT THEM

Reduce Risk of
HPV-related cancers
BY UP TO 99%
when fully protected with
the recommended doses

Prevent your child from
SPREADING HPV
to future sexual partners

The recommended age to receive the HPV vaccine is 11 or 12, however it is not too late for 13-26 year olds to get vaccinated as well.

11-12 YEAR OLDS develop a higher level of the protective antibody that the body generates after immunization, compared with older adolescents and young adults. This may result in longer lasting immunity.

THE HPV VACCINE IS SAFE AND EFFECTIVE

Clinical trials and ongoing research have shown the HPV vaccine's protection remains strong for at least
10 YEARS.
There is no evidence to suggest this level of protection changes over time.

Since the vaccine was licensed,
ONLY 0.0003%
of patients reported side effects – and most of those were "non-serious" symptoms such as headache, nausea and dizziness.

You are the key to HPV cancer prevention.

Get your child vaccinated at the recommended age of 11 or 12 years, to protect them and their future partners from contracting HPV.

IMMUNIZATION for WOMEN
Immunization Information for Our Girls and Their Partners
Immunizationforwomen.org/HPV/patients

The American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists
WOMEN'S HEALTH CARE INITIATIVE

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VACCINES FOR TEENS

Keep your adolescent vaccinations up to date

Kids grow out of many things, but vaccines aren't one of them. Every year in the U.S., 2.5 million people die from vaccine-preventable diseases. Because adolescents are at risk for many of these serious diseases, immunization is especially important. Ask your healthcare professional about all recommended vaccines to protect your child.

Remember the 4

- HPV (Human papillomavirus)**—The vaccine is most effective at preventing associated cancers for both boys and girls when given during preteen years.
- Meningococcal**—Two types of meningococcal disease vaccines protect against the most common serogroups. Teens should start the ACWY vaccine at 11–15 years old, with a booster dose between 16 and 18 years. They may also get the serogroup B vaccine at 16-18 years of age.
- Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Pertussis [whooping cough]) and Td Booster (Tetanus and Diphtheria)**: Adolescents should receive a Tdap vaccine between the ages of 11-12. Regular boosters of Td vaccine are recommended every 10 years to protect those at risk.
- Flu**—Flu season typically starts in October, and the virus can mutate each year. Annual vaccination is recommended.

Did you know that in the U.S.:

- 14 million people** are infected with human papillomavirus (HPV)—mostly teens and young adults—leaving them vulnerable to associated cancers later in life?
- 21% of all** meningococcal disease cases are preteens, teens, and young adults, ages 11–24?
- Up to 200,000 people** are hospitalized annually due to flu-related complications?
- There were an average of **200,000 cases** of pertussis each year before the Tdap vaccine was available, and since then, cases of the disease have decreased more than **80%**?

CDC-recommended vaccinations for adolescents:


AGES	Every year	flu vaccine	
11-12 years <ul style="list-style-type: none">• HPV (2 doses)• Meningococcal ACWY• Tdap	13-15 years <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Meningococcal ACWY (if not previously vaccinated)	16 years <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Meningococcal B*• Meningococcal ACWY booster	17-18 years <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Td booster every 10 years

* Adolescents may be vaccinated with a 2-dose MenB vaccine, and the preferred vaccination age range is 16 through 18 years.

ASK YOUR HEALTHCARE PROVIDER

if your adolescent needs a catch-up vaccine to protect them from

- Hepatitis A
- Hepatitis B
- Chickenpox
- Polio
- Measles, mumps, rubella (MMR)
- Pneumococcal disease*



UNITY
United for adolescent vaccination

For more information, visit www.unity4teenvax.org

March 2017

Election Commission

ABSENTEE SHAWNEE ELECTION COMMISSION
OFFICIAL ELECTION **RECOUNT** RESULTS
MARCH 25, 2019

This is to announce the **OFFICIAL** results of the March 16, 2019 for the Primary Election for the Absentee Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma. This election was held on the above date pursuant on the Tribal Constitution and the Election Ordinance. All votes were counted at the Absentee Shawnee Tribal Complex.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

GOVERNOR (2 Year Term)

John Raymond Johnson 206 **267** votes
Edwina Butler-Wolfe 171 **171** votes
Leroy Ellis 36 **36** votes

SECRETARY (2 Year Term)

Twila Longhorn Parker 155 votes
Delana Deere 117 votes
Ezra Delodge 135 votes

ELECTION COMMISSION

Election Commissioner

John Little Axe 1 votes

Election Secretary

Sherman Tiger 1 votes

Commission Member #1

(No one filed)

Commission Member #2

James C. Spybuck, Jr. 1 votes

We the Officials are responsible for declaring the above election results, do hereby claim the above statements are true and correct to the best of our knowledge.

Acting Election Commissioner

Acting Commission Member #1

Acting Deputy Commissioner

Acting Commission Member #2

Acting Election Secretary

Tribal Judge

Date: march 25, 2019

Current
Employment
Opportunities
in the Absentee
Shawnee Tribe

The following is a list of open positions available in the Absentee Shawnee Tribe. More information is available on any position at www.astrible.com.

- Shawnee:
- Media/Production Assistant
Dept: Media Type: Full-Time
- Emergency Manager
Dept: Police Type: Full-Time
- Administrative Assistant
Dept: Cultural Preservation
Type: Full-Time
- Tribal Librarian & Gift Shop Clerk
Dept: Cultural Preservation
Type: Full-Time
- Enrollment File Clerk
Dept: Enrollment Type: Part-Time
- Food Prep Assistant
Dept: Building Blocks
Type: Part-Time
- Master Teacher
Dept: Building Blocks
Type: Full-Time
- Grant Writer
Dept: Grants Type: Full-Time
- Desktop Support Analyst
Dept: Information Technology
Type: Full-Time
- IT Network Administrator
Dept: Information Technology
Type: Full-Time
- Grant Accountant
Dept: Finance Type: Full-Time
- Patient Benefits Advocate
Dept: Health Type: Full-Time

- Little Axe/Norman:
- Student Intern/Work Study
Dept: Health Type: Temporary
- Licensed Pharmacy Intern
Dept: Health Type: Part Time
- Patient Registration Clerk
Dept: Health Type: Full Time
- Medical Reimbursement Specialist
Dept: Health Type: Full Time
- Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)
Dept: Health Type: Full-Time
- Pharmacy Tech
Dept: Health Type: Full-Time
- Security Guard
Dept: Health Type: Part-Time
- Dental Assistant (2)
Dept: Health Type: Full-Time
- Physical Therapist
Dept: Health Type: Full-Time
- RN Charge Nurse
Dept: Health Type: Full-Time
- Employee Licensing Agent/Vendor
Licensing Investigator
Dept: Gaming Commission
Type: Full-Time
- Detailed information and a download-able application are available at www.astrible.com/employment. Applications can also be picked up at the Human Resources Department located at the Absentee Shawnee Tribal Complex, 2025 S. Gordon Cooper Drive, Shawnee, OK.

Send completed applications and re-sumes to email: HR@astrible.com, fax: 405-273-2710, or mail to:

Absentee Shawnee Tribe
Human Resources Department
2025 South Gordon Cooper Dr.
Shawnee, OK 74801

PLEASE fill out EACH BLANK completely and return by the Deadline.

ABSENTEE BALLOT REQUEST

I, _____, hereby certify that I am or will be an Eligible
(Print Name)
Voter of the Absentee Shawnee Tribe on or before June 15, 2019. I cannot physically be present to cast my Vote at the **June 15, 2019 Run Off Election**, therefore, I am requesting an Absentee Ballot be mailed to me at the following address.

Name (please print): _____
(first) (middle) (maiden) (last)

Address: _____ City: _____ St: _____ Zip: _____

CDIB#: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

All REQUESTS must be returned to the Election Commission by the deadline date of
May 26, 2019

Mail to:
Absentee Shawnee Election Commission
P.O. Box 741
Tecumseh, OK 74873

Fax to:
Fax # (405) 273-1337 (Do not fax to any other fax #)
Phone: (405) 275-4030 ext. 6271
Toll free number 1-800-256-3341 ext. 6271

Deliver in Person to:
Election Commission Office located in the Tribal Court Building

All eligible voters are entitled to vote either at the Polls or by Absentee Ballot.
This form may be duplicated for your convenience.

ELECTION COMMISSION USE ONLY

Received: _____ Approved: _____ Disapproved: _____

If Disapproved (reason): _____

Denial Letter Mailed: _____ Ballot Mailed: _____

Election Commission/Representative

AST Members Recieve AIAS Scholarship



Sadie Littlecreek and Connor Edwards

The University of Oklahoma's American Indian Alumni Society (AIAS) is an alumni organization that assists American Indian students in the pursuit of higher education through scholarship support and support of current American Indian student organizational events throughout the school year. The AIAS established the F. Browning Memorial Scholarship Fund in honor of the late Mr. Pipestem who was dedicated to enriching the lives of American Indian students and devoted his time and energy for the American Indian community: the society also established the F. Browning Pipestem Memorial Golf Scramble held each year. The American Indian

Programs and Services held an awards banquet on April 23, 2019, at the Jim Thorpe Multicultural Center where the 2019-2020 scholarships were presented. There were 7 Native students selected to receive this scholarship honor and 2 of the recipients are Absentee Shawnee Tribal citizens, the current reigning Miss Indian OU, Sadie Littlecreek and Mr. Connor Edwards. These students have demonstrated a combination of academic, community, and cultural achievement with plans help better our American Indian community and resources. The AIAS applauds them for their hard work and dedication.

CAMP NIKOTI 2019




Sign-Ups:
Youth must be signed up by 5:00 pm, Friday, May 31st

Camp location: Brendle Corner Community Bldg.
Little Axe, OK

Camp Days: Tuesday - Thursday
Duration: June 11 – July 12
Times: 9am - 4pm
Ages: 11-14

Limit: 25 Participants (SPACE IS LIMITED!!!!)
Transportation: Tecumseh/Shawnee area youth will be picked up at the AST Complex @ 8:30 a.m. SHARP!
We will be returning at 4:30 pm.

Contact Information:
Brandon Goodman at 405-275-4030 ext. 6255
brandon.goodman@astribe.com
Blake Goodman at 405-364-7298
bgoodman@astribe.com

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voice
be heard.



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It is our mission to provide quality health care. To do this, we need some help from you. Share your needs, concerns and care experiences. **Call patient advocate Jim Robertson at 405.447.0300 or Customer Service at 405.701.7623.** Complete a Patient Questionnaire in one of our clinics or online.

Together, we will fulfill our mission.

LITTLE AXE HEALTH CENTER
15951 Little Axe Dr.
Norman, OK 73026
405.447.0300

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Shawnee, OK 74801
405.878.5850


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Norman, OK 73026
405.447.0477



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HEALTH SYSTEM
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INTRODUCING OUR NEW PATIENT PORTAL AND HEALOW APP





Our new Patient Portal and the healow™ app (formerly Follow My Health) give you secure online access to your health information.


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Step 3
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Step 4
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For more info or questions call:
Shawnee Clinic 405.878.5850 or LAHC 405.447.0300



ABSENTEE SHAWNEE TRIBAL
HEALTH SYSTEM



Absentee Shawnee Tribe Child Care Development Fund Programs

La-pe-we-ki-wa ho-ge-wa-pe-fa-yi mi-ti-ge

"Lifelong Learning Begins Here."



Program Services:

- Building Blocks Child Development Center II- Shawnee, OK- Tribally Operated Child Care Center
- Building Blocks Child Development Center III- Little Axe, OK- Tribally Operated Child Care Center
- AST Child Care Subsidy Program- Child Care Assistance
- AST After School Program- Horseshoe Bend Community- After School Care
- AST After School Program- AST Complex, Shawnee- After School Care


- For information about these services please visit the AST website at www.astribe.com/Childcare
- Contact information:
- ✧ BBCDCII-Shawnee (405)878-0633
Email: ecrawford@astribe.com
- ✧ BBCDCIII- Little Axe (405)360-2710
Email: rebeccaj@astribe.com
- ✧ AST Child Care Subsidy (405)432-8411
Email: briana.ponkilla@astribe.com
- ✧ AST ASP- HSB (405)432-8411
Email: lanora.buswell@astribe.com
- ✧ AST ASP-Shawnee (405)432-8411
Email: lanora.buswell@astribe.com

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Ahtone, Catlin Ray
Alford, Amy Dianne
Alford, Christian Shawnee
Alford, Magdalena Spaneta
Allen, Lucinda Nicole
Allen, Patricia Ann
Arnold, Keirstin Rene
Atchico, John Edward
Atwell, David Eugene
Atwood, Reagan Nicole
Barton, Trae Lee
Bates, Akiane Karee
Baughman, Brenda Jane
Belvin, Justin Ray
Bender, Leal Desma
Bennett, Blake Tristan
Bentley, Curtis Lee
Bettelyoun, Lula Mae
Bigpond, Roy
Black, Timothy Wayne
Black, Whittney Brooke
Blackburn, Gayle Ann
Blanchard, Caelynn Blu
Blanchard, Dakota Joshua
Blanchard, Glendine
Blanchard, Joey Edward
Blanchard, Joseph Henry
Blanchard, Mariana Lillian
Bradley, Jerry Dean
Bradley, Terry Don
Bradshaw, Alisa Marie
Brady, Lynn Marie
Brandon, Susanne Christine
Breeding, Sean K. C.
Brinson, Ariana Isabel
Brister, April Angela
Brocksmith, Chloe Elizabeth
Brown, Brittany Ciara
Bruner, Aidan Alex
Bryant III, Chester A.
Buckley, Gerald Wayne
Buckner, June Marie Switch
Bullard, Adam Drew
Bullock, Royce Jaxxon
Bump, Karli Jessica
Bustamante, Andrea Nadine
Byers, Christian Daniel
Byers, Eric Nelson
Cagle, Alicia Nicole
Campbell, Charles Elbert
Caudillo, James Emanuel Dean
Caudillo, Jamie Lynn Ladeanna
Charley, Melloney Ann
Charley, Michael Arron
Citty, Kathon Clay
Citty, Lindsey Nicole
Clark, Summer Lynn
Clinesmith, Blake Weston
Coddington Jr., Kevin Dwayne
Collett, Bonnie Sue
Combs, Michelle Lynn
Conover, Gloria Jean
Cook, Israel Aaron
Coon, Justin Kyler
Cope, Sawyer Dawson
Coyle, Dr. Sarah Michelle
Creamer, Cora Mae Starr
Crenshaw, Jennifer Lois
Cripps, Anita Louise
Cuellar, Orietta Faith
Dankenbring, Bryce Thomas
Daugherty, Everly Grace
Davis, Dale Allen
Davis, Dannica Butch
De Jear, Bayleigh Ruth
Deere, Shawneen Estelline
Deere, Sky Nichole Christine
Denny, Jacqueline
Dospapas, Verna May
Downey, Zachary Layne
Ellis, Gregory Scott
Ellis, Heather Ann
Ellis, Holly Diana
Ellis, Sara Gabriel
Evans, Lisa Michelle
Factor, Jaremyah Jamez
Feeling, Lavonna Jean
Fenner, Titan Russell
Ferrell, Alyssa Kay
Ferrell, Amber Nicole
Ferrer, Joshua Lee
Fife, Gabriel Douglas
Fife, Teresa Laura Irene
Fink, Brayden Lee
Footracer, Lee Anna Gail Stubb
Foreman Jr., Leonard Dewayne
Foreman, Jacob Collin
Foreman, Jalen Hawke
Frazier, Rylan Ambrose
Fritsch, Joley Marie
Galloway, Zachary Adam
Garbarini Jr., Alfred Ralph
Gibson Sr., Roy Gene
Gibson, David Michael
Gibson, Jeffrey Wayne
Godwin, Lucy G.
Gouge, Kara Joe
Granstrom, Cody James
Graves Pynch, Karen Sue

Graves, Sharol Annette
Gray, Branden Tyler
Gray, Dakota Christian
Greeley, Carsyn Ryan
Griffin, Diane Sue
Groves, Mya Leighann
Hale, Kathy Sue
Hall, Emily Katherine
Harjo, Eric Wayne
Harjo, Hiyatike Star
Harris, Konner Lee Little Charley
Haumpy, Taj-Ah Billy
Heath, Spencer Blake
Hendrick, Luke Michael
Hill, Yvette Carmel
Hood Jr., Warren Weslyon
Hood, Lisa
Hood, Thomas Edgar
Hough, Norma Louise
Humphrey, Carol Lee
Hunt, Dominique Anastasia Marie
Hutchinson, Velma Rae
Irvin, Steven Benjamin
Jackson III, Mark Sweeney
Johnson Harjo, Curtis Ray
Johnson Jr., Richard Taft
Johnson, Coree Lee
Johnson, Gabriella Kayann
Johnson, Joshina Leeshay
Johnson, Michael Scott Isaiah
Johnson, Nicholas James
Johnson, Nicholas James
Johnson, Tabitha Rose
Johnson, Walter Kirby
Jones, Aubrey Renee
Kaseca, Barry Alvin
Kaseca, Kantynn James
Kaseca, Roy James
Keith, Marshall Collins
King, Lynee Rue
Kirby-Gibson, Ian Jacob
Kitchen, Ruben Vincent
Kmatz, Mindy Lynnette
Knighten, Cassandra Renea
Kobs, Jennifer Ann
Kowitz, Michael Raymond
Laplant, Asher Jay
Lasenberry, Harper Rose
Leedom, Courtney Dawn
Little Axe, Sabrina
Little Charley, Cheryl Jean
Little Charley, Terry Lee
Little Creek, Vernon Dale
Little, Jadyn Alise
Little, Madison Diane
Little, Stormy Autumn
Littlecreek, Anderson Doreece
Littlecreek, Dakota Dwight
Littlecreek, Tiffany Nicole
Littlecreek, Tristyn Denae
Longhorn, Sean Ray
Longhorn, Weda Louise
Lopez Jr, Rolando
Lovins, Earl Dean
MacGill, Georgia Sue
MacK, Rylan Emory
Malone, Marcus Jerome
Mann, Sallie Arlene
Masquat Jr., George
Masquat, Chelcy Nicole
Matthews, Caroline
McAfee, Justin Samuel
McGowan, Patricia Lynn
McMillan, Shelly Kristin
Medina, Alyssa Pamela Lee
Megehee, Douglas Dewayne
Megehee, Tonia Lynn
Mendoza, Amanda Raneec`
Meyer, Doreen
Miller, Casey Ryan
Miner, Heather Rochelle
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Mitchell, Desiree Rose
Molenhour, Lacey Rei
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Monk, Jaxon Eugene
Montgomery, Matthew Schyler Daugherty
Moore, Anniah Faith
Moore, Emily Renee
Morgan, Polly A Littlebear
Morton, Jeremiah James
Morton, Nora Jane
Munroe, Douglas
Neese, Lisa Marie
Neugent, Alena Dee
New Moon, Jake Lee
New Moon, Jennifer Brooke
Newton, Jessica Ann
Noyes, Paula Jo
Oldham, George Lynn
Onzawah, Deborah Kay
Ott-Proctor, Lylli Lee Ann
Panther, Jeffery Wayne
Parker, Carla Marie
Parker, Shawn Ian
Pawpa, Donald Wayne
Pearl, Melvin Joe
Pitner, Kamryn Nicole
Powell, Fawn Laverene
Powell, Kendall Lynn

Pynch, Lauren Karly
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Ramirez, Elicia Marie-Alka
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Reavis, Ricci Donnice
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Roach, Dakota Eugene
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Robison, Morgan Tell
Robison, Thomas Aaron
Rochon, Gerald Wayne
Rock, Micheal Eugene
Rolette, Domini Antoinette
Rolette, Gilbert Earl
Rolette, Joshua David Michael
Ryan, Royce Liam
Salazar, Terry Lee
Salisbury, Lucas Holden
Salisbury, Mara Ann
Sanders, Patty Ruth
Schulenberg, Donald Derek
Seaton-Blanchard, Sarah Shiloh
Sevier, Elliott Rose
Shawnee, Jarrett Lloyd
Shular, Monte Lee
Simmons, Desirai Diann
Simpson, Wade James
Smith, Jeremiah Robert
Smith, Lily Kendrick
Smith, Richard Alexander
Smith, Trenn Talen
Smith, Valerie Ann
Smith, Vanessa Rae
Soap Jr, John Lee
Soap, Roger Eugene
Speck, Haley Kalyn
Spicer, Amber Jo
Spoon Jr., Robert Ray
Spoon, Joplin Dupre
Spoon, Landon Joe
Spoon, Lexi Della-Ann
Spriggs, Warren Paul
Springer, Delores Ann
Spybuck, Easton Cade
Squire, Nathan Gene
Starr III, Henry James
Starr, Anthony Craig
Stevens, Laurence Paul
Stewart, Gracie Nicole
Stone Jr., James Lee
Strain, Cynthia Ann
Stuckey, Slade Wilson
Sultuska, Ella L.
Sultuska, Jerry Wayne
Sultuska, Rodney Steven
Surface Jr., Robert Monroe
Szoke, Debra Jean
Talbert, Elania Michelle
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Tallchief IV, Eves
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Tarbox, Crystal Lynne
Taylor, Darwin Jacob
Tebe I, Mavrik West
Tebe, Priscilla Grace
Thompson, Teresa Reneec`
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Thorpe, Burke James
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Tiger, Jennifer Diane
Tiger, Tru Anthony Shane
Uchida Jr., Stephen Robert
Valdivia, Jenika Nicole
Wade, Chelsea Nicole
Wakolee, Carmen Jean
Walker, Jo Ann Louise
Wallace, Brenda Gayle
Warrior, Johnnie Andrew
Warrior, Kenneth James
Watkins, Jamie Lynn
Watson, Ambra Denise
Watson, Brittany LaDawn
Paige Danielle
Watson, Janelle Ilise
Watson, Thomas Aaron
Wesley, Ula Mae Welch
White IV, Charles Daniel
White, Brooklyn Dee
White, Caitlyn Rose
White, Clayton Randall
White, Milo Everett
Wilkerson, Katie Evalyn
Williams, Colton Alexander
Williams, Heath Floyd
Wilson, Cecil Alan
Wilson, Christopher Blaine
Wilson, Diana Lynn
Wilson, Francis Lynn
Wilson, Helen June
Wilson, Lana Louise
Womack, Raelynn Lekay
Wood, Lillian Kay
Woods, Justin Matthew
Wucinski, Gary Ray
Young, Lynda Renee



You've come such a long ways in just 11 years!! You've make me so very, extremely proud of the young man you've become!! Keep your soccer dreams alive!!
Xoxo
Mom loves you so very, very much!

Happy 11th Birthday little brother! Hope it's the best one yet, you "tween".
Love big brother Justin and lovely sister Jil

Wishing you a Happy Happy Birthday to my handsome little grandson! You make Granny so very proud and happy!
I love you bunches
Love xoxo
Granny

Wishing you many more Happy Birthdays to come! Auntie loves you very much! XOXO
Aunt B



HAPPY BIRTHDAY
DOUGLAS MEGEHEE!

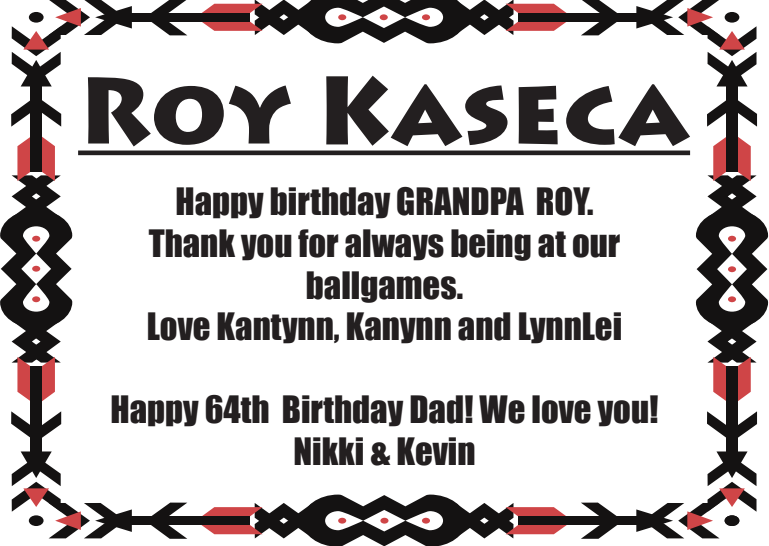
THANK YOU FOR EVERYTHING, DAD!
LOVE, BRAE

HAPPY BIRTHDAY, BABY! I LOVE YOU
TO INFINITY AND BEYOND!
LOVE, YOUR WIFE, ALICIA

*Happy Birthday
Kantynn James Kaseca*

Happy 16th birthday on MAY 30TH we love you son !
MOM ,DAD & THE GIRLS

OH MY ! My grandson is turning 16. Now he can be my
personal driver YEE HAW !!!
LOVE YOU AS BIG AS THE SKY!
Granny Rhonda & Grandpa Roy



ROY KASECA

Happy birthday GRANDPA ROY.
Thank you for always being at our
ballgames.
Love Kantynn, Kanynn and LynnLei

Happy 64th Birthday Dad! We love you!
Nikki & Kevin



Happy Birthday!
Chub Foreman!

We wish you a wonderful day!
Love, Aunt Chelle and Aunt Rhonda

TIGER
REUNION

MAY 26, 2019
10 A.M. TO 10 P.M.
LAKE THUNDERBIRD, LITTLE AXE PAVILLION,
NORMAN, OK

There will be a \$5 cover fee at the gate per car. If you are elderly or handicapped, this will be waived. We are all descendents of the late Jim Tiger and Annie Mann Tiger. My mother, Nelly Tiger Maxewell, is the last surving sibling of that generation. All family and friends are invited to come eat with her. We wuld like to extend a special invitation to the families of John Tiger's children!

Everyone bring your favorite pot luck, drinks, towels, games, ice, and chairs! There are electrical plug-ins available. There will also be T-Shirts for sale that say Tiger Reunion 2019! Bring Cash!

If you have any questions, call 405-514-5520.
Come out and be social!

NE KE YI WE SI LI SI MI MO

(neek-ya wee-shah-lah-shah-mah-moh) Happy Mother’s Day!

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		<u>SHAWNEE CLINIC</u>
		Clinic (Bldg. 17) 878-5850
		Pharmacy 878-5859
		Toll free.....1-866-742-4977
		Rhonda
		Kasson

EMERGENCY NUMBERS		
EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE	911	Police, Fire, Ambulance
HEARTLINE EMERGENCY	211	State of Oklahoma
TRIBAL POLICE	405-275-3200	Absentee Shawnee
TRIBAL EMERGENCY MANAGER	405-740-1562 (Cell)	Absentee Shawnee
SHERIFF	405-273-1727	Pottawatomie County
CITY POLICE	405-273-2121	Shawnee
CITY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT	405-273-5272	Shawnee
COUNTY HEALTH DEPT.	405-273-2157	Pottawatomie County
SHERIFF	405-701-8888	Cleveland County
CITY POLICE	405-321-1600	Norman
HEALTH DEPT.	405-749-1591	Cleveland County
OG&E	405-272-9595	Report Power Outage
	1-800-522-6870	
CANADIAN VALLEY	405-382-3680	Power Outage
DEPT. OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY	1-800-522-0206	State of Oklahoma
HIGHWAY PATROL	405-425-4385	Road Conditions