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Hualapai General Election • Saturday, June 1st
Submitted by: Nikk Hunter | Hualapai Election Board

NOTICE

Primary Election

For Chairman and Vice Chairman

When: Thursday, May 2, 2024

Where: Multi-Purpose Building

Time: 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

General Election

For Chairman, Vice Chairman, 3 Council Members

When: Saturday, June 1, 2024

Where: Multi-Purpose Building

Time: 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

Candidate Filing Deadline: April 2, 2024 at 5:00 pm

Absentee Voting will be permitted by request to: elections@hualapai-nsn.gov

For More Information Contact:
Election Board, Hualapai Tribe, PO Box 120, Peach Springs, AZ 86434
Email: elections@hualapai-nsn.gov
Website: Hualapai Tribe, Election Board

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Posted: 3/7/2024

Hualapai Tribe Primary Election • Abstract Sheet
Submitted by: Nikk Hunter | Hualapai Election Board

HUALAPAI TRIBE PRIMARY ELECTION

05.02.24
Abstract Sheet

Ballots Printed

Ballots Cast	404
Unreturned Absentee Ballots	
Ballots Rejected	5
Spoiled Ballots	0
Ballots Unused	
Total	409

CHAIRMAN CANDIDATES


Clarke, Duane	169
Havatone, Earlene	67
Parker, Sherry	52
Powskey, Richard	76
Walema Sr., Richard	40

VICE CHAIRMAN CANDIDATES

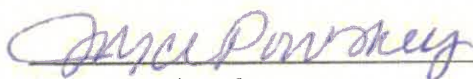
Bender, Elson	172
Quasula Sr., Ronald	232



Nick Hunter, Judge




Tamara Marshall, Marshal




Joyce Powskey, Secretary



Randi Mahone, Clerk



Cheryl Beecher, Clerk



Lisa Gala, Clerk

Hualapai Tribe Election Board • 2024 Chairman & Vice-Chairman Candidates
Submitted by: Nikk Hunter | Hualapai Election Board

2024 Chairman Candidates

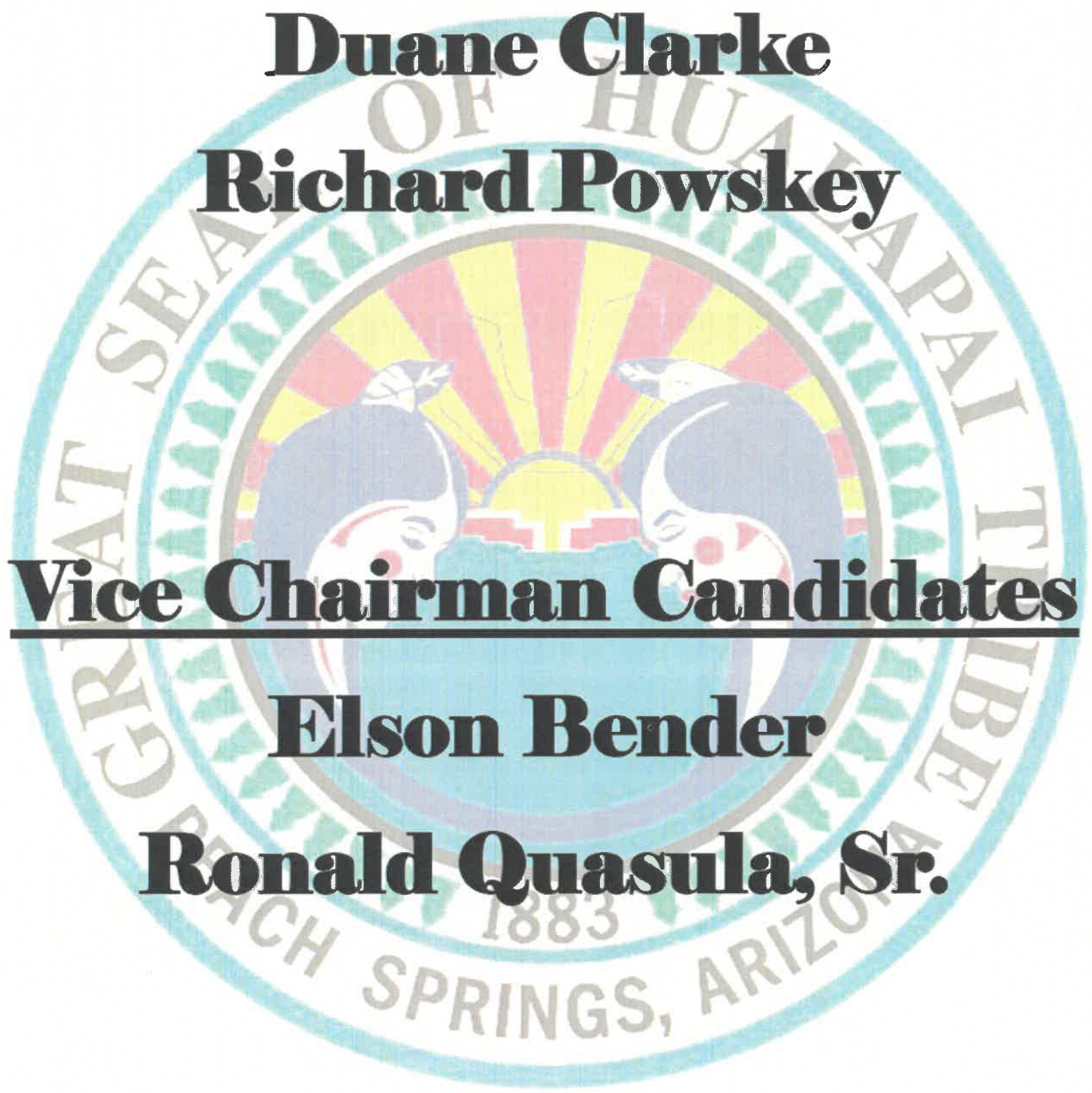
Duane Clarke

Richard Powskey

Vice Chairman Candidates

Elson Bender

Ronald Quasula, Sr.



Hualapai Tribe Election Board • 2024 Council Seat Candidates
Submitted by: Nikk Hunter | Hualapai Election Board

“Official” 2024 Council Seat

(3) Candidates

The seal of the Hualapai Tribe is a circular emblem. It features a central sun with rays, flanked by two stylized human figures. The outer ring of the seal contains the text "GREAT SEAL OF HUALAPAI TRIBE" at the top and "EACH 1883 SPRINGS, ARIZONA" at the bottom.

Robert Bravo, Jr.
Earlene Havatone
Melvin Hunter, Sr.
Richard Walema, Sr.
Frederick Watahomigie
Michelle Zephier

Hualapai Tribe Chairman Candidate • Duane Clarke*Submitted by: Duane Clarke | Hualapai Tribal Candidate***Candidate for Office of the Chairman**

May 02, 2024

I want to take this opportunity to thank everyone for your genuine support of the campaign.

Today, (May 02, 2024) the Hualapai Tribe held the primary election for the Office of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Hualapai Tribal Council. I understand your difficult decision to cast your vote, as I stated at the beginning of the announcement for my intent to be a candidate, this election was likely to be one of the most important of our time.

I am truly overwhelmed with your trust in my campaign and accept your belief and decision to allow me to continue to be a candidate for the Office of the Chairman for all the **People of the Tall Pines** in the approaching General Election. Your vote reflects your compassion that "change" is desired for the leadership of our tribe.

As we celebrate the results of the Primary Election it is important that we focus on the approaching General Election by spreading the excitement that "change" is possible with your decision to once again cast your vote for my campaign. Contact the Hualapai Election Committee for your Absent Ballot and take advantage of Early Voting with your ballot and mail back the ballot to the Election Committee before the General Election.

This campaign is about true transparency of our tribal government, protection of our lands, our water for all "**People of the Tall Pines**" from the very young to the young at heart, coming together for our future generations to make decisions that we will "agree to disagree" with honest solutions in the interest of our traditions in a modern world that faces the daily struggles.

Once again, thank you for your support and let's come together as a tribe with the true spirit of unity and care for one another and remember this campaign is for all our "**People of the Tall Pines**".

Sincerely,

/S/ Duane Clarke, Candidate for the Office of the **Chairman**

DUANE CLARKE
“DC FOR TRIBAL COUNCIL- CHAIRMAN”

April 5, 2024

Gamyu Hualapai Tribal Community,

My name is Duane Clarke and I am writing this letter to inform you of my intent to be a candidate for office of the Chairman for the Hualapai Tribe and serving to lead our people on the Hualapai Tribal Council for the 2024 Tribal Elections. First, I want to take this opportunity to thank each of you who have given me words of encouragement, support and have asked me to be a candidate, I am truly humbled by your show of support and trust to be considered to lead our tribal government and all our “People of the Tall Pines”.

The path of my career in public safety has given me the ability to serve the people with dignity and honor to be a leader not only in my organization from the Federal Government to Tribal Workforce and lead and serve on various local committees including for the State of Arizona. Many of you have asked what my vision is to lead our tribal government and our people of the tribe and it starts exactly with each of you, the people of the Hualapai Tribe and here's a few HIGHLIGHTS of my vision:

- Create an initiative strategy against dangerous narcotics.
- Support our youth and development with recreational events that involve family gatherings through traditional teaching.
- Prioritize our elders for their care and needs.
- Housing development and ensuring overcrowding and homelessness are the priority with a path of reliable programs for support and emphasis of infrastructure for sheltering.
- Job creation and support mechanisms to help those seeking stable employment.
- Seek innovative outreach and public relations that supports, informs, and educates of departmental policies including the development of an office for a community coordinator who promotes events and activities associated with all tribal functions.
- Transparency from the Tribal Council of the meetings that include information and educates of policies.
- Support our active members of the military and our veterans with the development of a Veterans Memorial Museum that honors all our heroes from the past to our present.
- Any budget reduction starts at the top. Being a leader is not meant to make riches but support of the people. This includes the introduction to decrease the salary of the Chairman and Vice-Chairman including setting council stipends to a fair amount and remain in accordance to the tribal constitution opposed multiple stipends for countless meetings.

It's important we protect our land and understand our actions today can hurt future generations and it is imperative the protection of our ancestral land including land we have in trust be protected in all possible means and support all efforts the benefit our future generations so we all may continue to have the land we know and love today, with the focus “about tomorrow” to ensure our existence as a tribe remains strong with pride including innovative ideas of creating jobs with the focus to explore new ventures with the idea to increase tourism and maintain self-sufficient and economic growth.

I hope you share my excitement of my vision that could bring the conversation of who you consider to lead our tribal government, and I truly understand some may disagree with my approach but we should never hold any disagreements against each other or hold negativity that brings an agenda against people, instead let's come together as one, one reservation and bring one another together as families with the support one another in times of bad and good.

Thank you once again to each of you who have so dearly voiced your support and for your sincere consideration to lead our tribal government as a candidate of the Hualapai People.

Respectfully submitted.

/s/ Duane Clarke, Hualapai Tribal Member #00115
Candidate for the Hualapai Tribal Council- Chairman

2024 Tribal Council Election- VOTE “DC” DUANE CLARKE for all the People of the Tall Pines

Hualapai Tribe Council Candidate • Robert Bravo, Jr.

Submitted by: Robert Bravo, Jr. | Hualapai Tribal Candidate

05-06-2024

Dear Hualapai Tribal Members,

It is with great pride I can say I am Hwal'bay. My name is Robert Bravo Jr. and I am running for a Hualapai Tribal Council seat. My professional background is business and was very successful in my interim position as the CEO of Grand Canyon Resort Corporation from September 2009 thru September 2011. I also served as a Hualapai Tribal Council member in 2013. I have over 25 years of upper business management and leadership experience and since 2020 I have served our people as a Hualapai Tribal Court Advocate and support Hualapai Tribal entrepreneurs.

Family is of most importance to me. I enjoy hunting, camping, golfing and spending quality time with my entire family and friends. My father and mother are Robert Bravo Sr. and Marilyn "Imus Bravo. My father was born and raised in Nelson Arizona where his father Torivio Bravo was raised from the age of 14. My mother Marilyn is full blooded Hwal'Bay. My paternal great grandmother is Queenie Imus who was married to John "Wath-Nack-A-Ma Imus who was an Indian Scout for the U.S. Army. My maternal great grandmother was Alma "Lane" Fielding from the Big Sandy. Alma was married to Tom Lane who was from the Blue Mountain area.

It will be my honor to serve our people as a Hualapai Tribal Council Member. Our Constitution permits "all" tribal members to share in the responsibility of tribal government. The responsibility is not just an elected position, but to become a leader of our great nation to help make decisions that will be in the best interest of our people and the land we live on.

As your Council Member here are some focus points:

- As your Council Member I will devote official time and my own personal time to the problems of basic policy and also work as a liaison between the Tribal Council and our Hualapai people.
- I will promote economic development opportunities to ensure a stable working environment to provide more jobs for "all" Hualapai's and show the world once again that Hualapai's are great entrepreneurs.
- I will serve the Hualapai people first and foremost in everything that I do and not my own personal interests. Putting the Hualapai people first means doing what is in the best interest of the community.
- I will avoid any conflict of interest that would keep me from putting the Hualapai people first.
- I will focus my efforts on day to day operations and also the future development of the tribe. I feel it is a public official's responsibility to be honest with the public, disclose any possible conflict of interest and provide information to the Tribal Membership as needed.
- I will focus on a one specific change in our Hualapai Tribal Constitution to lower the blood quantum to 1/8. This is important for the longevity of our tribe and our people.
- I will execute a plan to utilize and develop the Truckee California property that belongs to the Tribe.
- I will make a commitment to look out for the best interest and quality of life for our Hualapai Tribal Elders.

As Hualapai Tribal members we are truly blessed to live in such a unique area which is encompassed within one million acres of beautiful pristine land. Our reservation borders 108 miles of the Colorado River that is located on one of the World's Natural Seven Wonders, the "Grand Canyon". There are many issues we need to focus on so we can continue to be self sufficient and not allow anyone to take away our great opportunities for economic development. For example, our tribe has been in negotiations with the National Parks on the Colorado River Management Plan. For many years the National Parks has tried to regulate and cap our business to less than what the Hualapai River Runners, Grand Canyon 9 Rapids and the Grand Canyon Pontoon operations are currently doing. This could potentially mean that the amount of passengers the Hualapai Tribe can sell in our tourism operations will be controlled by the National Parks. Many of the companies that travel from Lees Ferry are not paying for their guests who encroach on our tribal lands. I will help adopt a procedure that monitors our land to make sure we are getting paid for each guest that trespasses on our property. As an example, at Whitmore Wash (Hualapai Tribal Land) upper river rafter commercial concessioners and Bar 10 do helicopter exchanges and the river rafters allowed to despoil our land. My commitment will be to execute a plan on how to monitor the area to make sure our tribe is getting the revenue for each transfer and implement fines for the desecration of our land. In other words, I will do my research to see why the Hualapai Natural Resources Conservation 24-70 Ordinance has been violated.

The lithium mining where the Australian mining company Hawkstone has been drilling on three sides of Hualapai land in Arizona's Big Sandy River Valley is also of concern. Our argument is that the BLM has violated their rights in the oversight of the project. My responsibility and commitment will be to form an alliance with County, State and US Government officials to continually seek resolution.

I was fortunate to start working with the Grand Canyon Resort Corporation in 1997. During my tenure I have seen many challenges and have had the opportunity to be part of the newest changes that have occurred. I was also involved with the runway project team and worked closely with FAA representatives to develop the new runway. I participated with the Hualapai Tribal Council, GCRC and the National Parks to discuss the Colorado River Management Plan.

When elected, I will gather information and share it all tribal members have a clear understanding of the issues that affect the Hualapai Tribe. Political terms don't last forever therefore communication is very important. We must all know what is at risk so our younger generations can continue to protect our land and our constitutional rights. My duty to mitigate most situations instead of paying our attorney's for advice. They don't dictate to us how to run our tribal government they work for us and follow our lead and direction.

We have a great community that every tribal member should take pride in. What can we do as tribal members to make it a better place to live? What can we do to turn Peach Springs into a more cohesive community? My goal as an elected official will be to help our community be a better living place for all tribal members and provide more job opportunities.

We have social issues similar to other communities and reservations and we need to focus and devote more of our resources on:

- Better prepared and pro-active for potential crisis situations
- Substance abuse
- Domestic violence
- Political interference
- Separation of powers between the judicial and administrative arms of the Tribe.

As your elected Council member it would be my responsibility to help implement programs to curb these and other issues to help our people. We also must never forget about our culture and traditions. Our parents and grandparents were taught in order to have respect we must show respect everyone. I feel we must regain that pride and have respect for one another within our community if we are to move forward as a united tribe. As your potential elected official I give you my word it will be my responsibility to work with our Chairman, Vice Chairman and the entire Council to look out for the best interest of the Hualapai people, our tribal businesses, the Hualapai tribal assets and the tribes Natural Resources. I will support Council decisions and promise to keep you informed. Currently, I am familiar with the issues the Hualapai tribal council has been dealing with. If elected, I pledge to lead by example and enforce the Hualapai Constitution and all laws within our tribal government. In closing, I would appreciate your vote and support as your newly elected Council member of our "Great" Hualapai Nation.

Thank you!

Robert Bravo Jr.
Hualapai Tribal Member #00000082



 **VOTE ROBERT BRAVO JR.**
FOR HUALAPAI TRIBAL COUNCIL



Robert Bravo Jr.
P.O. Box 655
Peach Spring, AZ 86434

Dear Hualapai Tribal Members,

5-06-2024

Thank you for supporting me on my candidacy to be your next Hualapai Tribal Council Member. It is an honor to be a Council member for our great Hualapai Nation.

During my tenure in business I have had the opportunity to be mentored by many great leaders who have taught me the concept of team work. When you work together it builds strength, continuity and the will to succeed. Because of that, I have been very blessed to be successful during my entire professional career in business. As your Council representative, it will be my job to work with our people and all departments to create a positive and cohesive atmosphere. It will also be my job to review each budget with the Chief Financial Officer and the entire Council to make sure your departments are adequately funded. Most importantly, my number one priority will be to listen to the voice of our people. Working together we will continue to build on and keep what our fore-fathers fought so hard to achieve.

As your elected Council member I give you my word it will be my responsibility to work with our Chairman, Vice-Chair and other Council members to look out for the best interest of the Hualapai People, our tribal businesses, the Hualapai tribal assets, and the Hualapai tribe's natural resources. I will support all Council decisions and promise to keep you informed.

In closing, I ask for your support to represent our great Nation and together we can build a better future for "all" Hualapai Tribal Members.

Please vote for me!

Sincerely,

Robert Bravo Jr. Hualapai Tribal Member 00000082

**Voting is your constitutional right as
Hualapai Tribal Members**

Vote

Robert Bravo Jr.

Hualapai Tribal Council



Hualapai Tribe Council Candidate • Fredrick Watahomigie

Submitted by: Fredrick Watahomigie | Hualapai Tribal Candidate

Vote Fredrick Watahomigie For Hualapai Tribal council

I am running for a seat on the Hualapai tribal council. I will do a good job for you, my constituents, I look forward to the challenges of learning, listening and being a voice for you, for the next 4 years.

We all have a past; I am a recovered addict who has been in recovery for 19 years. I have faced many challenges and issues. I have witnessed Mental health, addictions, covid-19 pandemic and domestic violence in our community. We need to change our lifestyles. I have confronted these same issues and changed my lifestyle. It's been challenging since day one, I have accepted this challenge and met it day in and day out. I would like to see us all achieve a better lifestyle for our children and loved ones, as I know we can do this working together. Communication is key to achieve this goal!

I have worked with the Hualapai Housing Department as a maintenance worker, project coordinator, housing director and Grand Canyon Resort Corporation as a project manager. We Successfully accomplished projects goals, Challenges and many issues by cooperating with many staff Members, Managers, CEO, Chairman/Chairwoman, Board Members and Tribal Council Members. Together we have achieved many goals and accomplished many projects. I will do the same as your Hualapai tribal council member. Teamwork is important in accomplishing goals successfully.

As your tribal council member, I will advocate for the elderly, cultural and other tribal Department programs for more funding to improve more services for the Hualapai tribal community members who are in need of these departments help. I will advocate for you the Hualapai tribal members.

As your Tribal Council member, I will support all Department Directors for more funding and trainings and to Hire Hualapai tribal members for on-the-job training. I'll work with Hualapai Directors to become successful and not micromanage them. I would like all Hualapai tribal departments to be successful. I will work with the education department to get our youth the education or vocational training for their field of work they desire.

**Pride, Honor, Integrity, Honesty, Respect, Support and Uphold the
Hualapai Constitution**

Hualapai Enrollment • Update
Submitted by: *Cody Susanyatame* | Hualapai Enrollment Office

HUALAPAI ENROLLMENT OFFICE UPDATE

Gamyu Hwal Bay Ba:je’?

Tribal Member Names and Addresses

Our office is charged with maintaining current and accurate names and addresses of all tribal members; Hualapai Constitution, Article II. Our office has experienced delays in receiving name changes that may be the result of marriage, adoption or voluntarily changing of one’s name.

The process in changing your name with the Enrollment Office is as follows:

1. Provide a marriage license, adoption decree or court order of name change;
2. Provide an updated Social Security Card with changed name;
3. Issuance of new tribal ID and CIB;
4. Any other questions, please contact our office.

Addresses are important for tribal members to frequently update with our office. Enrollment Office supplies that information for tribal events like Election seasons and distributions. This will greatly establish a database of up-to-date tribal member data.

Tribal Member Death

In the event of a death of a tribal member, please notify our office so we may inactivate their profile and once a death certificate is received, provide a copy to our office so we may officially close their tribal member file.

Contact Information

Should you have any questions, please contact our office, we are available by either phone, fax or email.

Clara Mahone, Enrollment Director Cody H. Susanyatame, Enrollment Assistant

(928)769-2216 – P

(928)769-1068 – Fax

Enrollment@hualapai-nsn.gov

Hualapai Master Plan Public Hearing • Tuesday, May 14th
 Submitted by: Kevin Davidson | Hualapai Planning Department

HUALAPAI MASTER PLAN PUBLIC HEARING

WHEN
 May 14th, 2024



WHERE
 Peach Springs Elementary
 School Gym
 405 Diamond Creek Road Peach Springs, AZ

DINNER PROVIDED BY BUCK AND DOE 4H CLUB



FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT

KEVIN DAVIDSON, HUALAPAI PLANNING DIRECTOR
 (928) 769-1310, E-MAIL KEVIN.DAVIDSON@HUALAPAI-NSN.GOV

[HTTPS://HUALAPAI-NSN.GOV/GOVERNMENT/PLANNING-DEPT/HUALAPAI-TRIBES-MASTER-PLAN-ENDEAVOR/](https://hualapai-nsn.gov/government/planning-dept/hualapai-tribes-master-plan-endeavor/)

**COME SEE AND
 GIVE US YOUR
 OPINION OF THE
 DRAFT MASTER
 PLAN**

WHAT IS IN THE MASTER PLAN?

Vision Statement

Land Use Maps

Transportation Projects

**Goals and Policies to
 guide Housing and Infra-
 structure Development,
 encourage Economic
 Growth and conserve Cul-
 tural and Natural Re-
 sources**

WHY SHOULD I CARE?

The Master Plan will guide
 the tribe's development
 decisions and allocation
 of tribal resources for the
 next 10 to 20 years.

FACILITATORS

Nona Baheshone
 Kevin Davidson

Master Plan Update Committee Meeting #13 • Wednesday, May 15th

Submitted by: Kevin Davidson | Hualapai Planning Department

Hualapai Master Plan Update Committee thirteenth meeting on Wednesday, May 15th

The Hualapai Master Plan Update Committee is scheduled to complete its twelfth meeting on Wednesday, May 15, 2024, beginning 5:00 PM at the Multi-Purpose Building, located at 470 Hualapai Drive in Peach Springs.

The 18-member Committee was formed by Hualapai Tribal Council on March 6, 2023, with the task of updating the tribe’s existing draft Master Plan. The Master Plan is a statement of community values and aspirations, written as goals and policies, and shown on maps and diagrams. This will be the primary tool for managing community change to achieve the desired quality of life for tribal members living on the reservation, trust lands and private property owned by the tribe.



For more on the Master Plan, see the tribe’s web site: <https://hualapai-nsn.gov/government/planning-dept/hualapai-tribes-master-plan-endeavor/>. All Committee meetings are open to the community.

Thank you for your time.
Kevin Davidson, Hualapai Planning & Economic Development Department

Seeking Community Members to serve Hualapai Route 66 Centennial Committee • Friday, May 17th

Submitted by: Kevin Davidson | Hualapai Planning Department

Seeking Community Members to serve on the Hualapai Route 66 Centennial Celebration Committee

Greetings Community Members:



The Hualapai Tribe is seeking nine community members to serve on the Hualapai Route 66 Centennial Celebration Committee to prepare Peach Springs and Valentine for the 100th anniversary of US Route 66’s establishment in November of 1926.

Committee members will be appointed by the Tribal Council in mid-2024 and will serve through December 31, 2026.

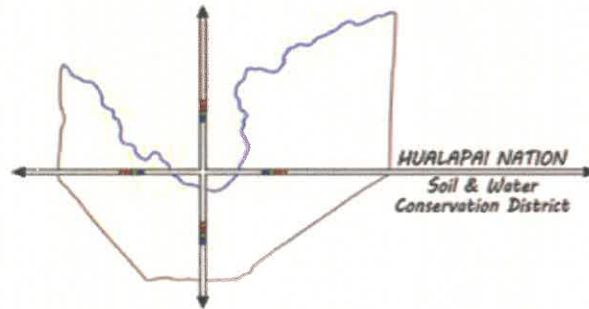
The Committee will look at ways to celebrate and honor the historic route, then create plans to preserve, protect and enhance the highway and conclude with recommendations on ways to attract tourists beyond 2026. To do this, the Committee will work with the Historic Route 66 Association of Arizona, the Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT), the Western Arizona Council of Governments (WACOG) and the Route 66 Centennial Commission established at the federal level.

If you are interested in joining the Committee, please sign up below and return to the Hualapai Planning Department at 887 Hwy 66 (next to 76 fuel station). The due date for applications is Friday, May 17, 2024. If you have questions please feel free to contact me at 769-1310.

Kevin Davidson, Director
Hualapai Planning and Economic Development Department
(928) 769-1310 or kevin.davidson@hualapai-nsn.gov

Name	Address	Phone #	E-mail
_____	_____	_____	_____

Hualapai Soil & Water Conservation District Meeting • Thursday, May 16th
Submitted by: Adeline Crozier | Hualapai Tribal Administration



**A REGULAR MEETING OF THE HUALAPAI NATION
SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT
WILL BE HELD ON
THURSDAY, MAY 16, 2024 AT 10:00 A.M.
AT
THE HDNR AG / 4-H FACILITY
PEACH SPRINGS, ARIZONA**

**If you have an AGENDA ITEM, please contact
Teresa.Honga@hualapai-nsn.gov by 5-13-2024**

**Agenda items should address soil, water, air, plant & animal resources
Meetings are open to the public**



Hualapai Tribal Youth Council • Regular Meeting: Friday, May 24th
Submitted by: Loveena Watahomigie | Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources

Hualapai Tribal Youth Council



Friday 5/3/24 ⋮

BUSINESS MEETING  **10 AM - 12 PM**

Friday 5/24/24 ⋮

REGULAR MEETING  **10 AM - 12 PM**

HEW - Large Conference Room

Reminder: meetings are open to public. Come join us!

Contact: Loveena Watahomigie, Youth Council Advisor, (928)769-0001, or email

GAMYU NEWSLETTER—UPCOMING DEADLINES & PUBLICATION DATES

Please remember to attach an Information Sheet with your hand delivered articles. For your convenience, article submissions are accepted via email, please send to: Danielle.Bravo@hualapai-nsn.gov. Absolutely, no ANONYMOUS submissions will be accepted.

Archived newsletters can be found at:
hualapai-nsn.gov/community/gamyu-newsletter/

Article Deadlines:

- Friday, May 17th
- Friday, May 31st

Publication Dates:

- Friday, May 24th
- Friday, June 7th



Master Plan Update Meeting #11 • Meeting Notes (April 2nd)

Submitted by: Kevin Davidson | Hualapai Planning Department



HUALAPAI MASTER PLAN MEETING #11

Meeting Notes

Meeting Date: April 2, 2024, 5:00 PM

Multi-Purpose Building, Peach Springs, AZ Peach Springs, AZ

1. **DINNER** at 5:00 PM
2. **CALL TO ORDER:** Chairman Robert Bravo called the meeting to order at 6:06 PM.
3. **ROLL CALL:**

Present:

Andrea Nieto, Camille Nighthorse, Cheryle Beecher (late), Clay Bravo (telephone to start meeting, arrived afterward), Longfeather Fox (Zoom), Manny Siyuja, Martina Dawley (Zoom), Nick Hunter (late), Shana Talieje and Robert Bravo.

Absent:

Gensean Havatone-Putesoy, Joyce Powskey, Loretta Jackson-Kelly (excused), Marilyn Vaughn (excused), Raelene Havatone (excused).

Also in attendance were Olin Beecher, Game & Fish Director, tribal members Adina Guy and Lisa Gala, Kevin Davidson, Director of the Hualapai Planning & Economic Development Department and Nona Baheshone, Bahozhoni Development.

4. **AGENDA AND MINUTES APPROVAL:**

Chairman Robert Bravo requested a motion to approve the meeting agenda. Ms. Camille Nighthorse made a motion to approve the agenda and Ms. Andrea Nieto seconded. Committee approved the agenda unanimously.

Chairman Bravo requested a motion to approve the March 20, 2024, meeting minutes. Ms. Andrea Nieto made a motion to approve the agenda and Ms. Nighthorse seconded. Committee approved the minutes unanimously.

5. **REVIEW OF ALEXAS WALEMA**

Mr. Davidson began the presentation by noting this is the committee's eleventh meeting where the committee will review the draft Master Plan Elements with the goal of transmitting the document to IDT and TERC for review. However, before beginning the review, Mr. Davidson shared highlights from a recent six-page letter sent to the Committee by Ms. Alexas Walema as follows:

- 1) Welcome signs/archway along State Route 66 at mile post 96 and at Juvenile Detention.
- 2) New boats for River Runners, camping supplies, precautionary measures, etc.
- 3) Block wall, landscaping & lighting along State Route 66 to protect homes and make community more attractive.
- 4) New homes, tribal office, dispensary, high-end hotel, movie theatre, splash pad, casino, truck stop, etc.
- 5) Land for renewable energy.
- 6) Respect sacred areas.
- 7) Public parks to host multiple sports, reconstruct Dam on Diamond Creek, go-cart track, horseback riding, etc.
- 8) Homes for single people, place homes west of 4H, south side of State Route 66, homes need fireplaces vs. electric space heaters.
- 9) Rebuild old gas station.
- 10) Construct a lift (ski lift) to connect all of Peach Springs including Diamond Creek Dam
- 11) Start a new Hualapai festival for land & cultural awareness.

Mr. Davidson said some of these ideas have made it into the Master Plan such as better street lighting, a new tribal office, homes for single people, and protecting sacred sites. Ms. Walema's letter also thanked the committee members for their dedication to help make the reservation a better place to live.

6. HUNT RANCH TRESPASS

Prior to beginning the formal review of the document, Chairman Robert Bravo asked the Committee if they would like to hear from Mr. and Mrs. Hunt on two situations unfolding on one of the Hunt Ranch parcels which has recently achieved trust status and is now under the care of the Hualapai Tribe. Hearing no objection, Chairman Bravo asked the Hunt's to explain the situation. The first was what appears to be hunters trespassing on tribal land. Game and Fish should investigate this apparent trespass. The second concerns the poor condition of the ranch home and accessory buildings which are now the tribe's responsibility to maintain. Chairman Bravo advised the Hunts prepare a proposal for the Hualapai Department of Natural Resources to consider since it appears the tribe will have to out-source the maintenance of the buildings. With the discussion concluded, Mr. Davidson began the formal review as follows:

7. INTRODUCTION SECTION TO THE MASTER PLAN

- 1.1 Background for Planning
- 1.2 Key Development Goals
- 1.3 Community Needs Assessment
- 1.4 Critical Situations and Responses
- 1.5 Priority Projects and Objectives
- 1.6 Master Plan Intent

Mr. Davidson noted the vision statement leads off the document followed by a general introduction to the tribe and its history, highlights of key development goals, a review of multiple community needs assessments performed over the past two decades, a list of critical situations such as high unemployment, lack of business opportunities, high poverty and aging infrastructure and ways to respond to these situations, a list of priority projects for 13 development areas from Peach Springs to Truckee, and concluding with a statement of the plan's intent which uses goals, objectives and policies across nine Elements or chapters to put into practice the tribe's values and aspirations. With the Committee raising no concerns with the wording, Mr. Davidson moved on to the second part of the Master Plan.

8. LAND USE ELEMENT OF THE MASTER PLAN

- 2.1 Introduction
- 2.2 Hualapai Reservation – Overall Land Use Diagram
 - 2.2.1 Purpose and Function of the Land Use Diagram
 - 2.2.2 Land Use Categories
- 2.3 Planning Areas
- 2.4 Summary of Land Use Issues by Planning Area
- 2.5 Land Use Plans by Planning Area
 - 2.5.1 Grand Canyon West Community
 - 2.5.2 Diamond Creek
 - 2.5.3 Highway 66 and Buck and Doe
 - 2.5.4 Truxton Triangle
 - 2.5.5 Peach Springs Community
 - 2.5.6 Frazier Wells Youth Camp
 - 2.5.7 Valentine
 - 2.5.8 Clay Springs
 - 2.5.9 Hunt Ranch
 - 2.5.10 Cholla Ranch
 - 2.5.11 Big Sandy Valley

- 2.5.12 Properties Owned in Fee
- 2.5.13 Truckee (California)
- 2.6 Master Plan Goals, Objectives and Policies
- 2.7 Conclusion

Mr. Davidson said this chapter provides an inventory of the reservation, trust and private land held by the tribe with definitions of the various land uses such as commercial, residential, and open space and how they are overlain on the dozen plus planning areas. Ms. Nieto was hoping to see a more declarative statement in Section 2.2 which notes the Rural Residential land use designation shall allow for a home site which contains one acre or more in size. Mr. Davidson said he would look to add more definition to the section which will help those home site lease holders with land at the lower end of the size range expand their home sites.¹ The committee was agreeable to this modification. Mr. Manny Siyuja was skeptical of the efficacy of the Master Plan as policy document in general given the political winds or “realpolitik” of our times. Mr. Davidson noted the rather lengthy discussion the Committee began in September of 2023 dissecting the language of several dozen goals and scores of objectives and policies to make them more relevant for today. Chairman Bravo asked if the Master Plan should include a policy to prevent the sales of tribal land, e.g. Truckee. Mr. Davidson replied this may not be necessary since the 2016 attempt by tribal council to sell the Truckee land was halted because it was not put out to referendum vote as required by the tribe’s constitution.²

To follow-up with the Committee’s discussion from March 20th about placing a new EMS facility on Route 18, Mr. Davidson displayed the revised land use diagram showing a 20-acre Governmental/Commercial land use designated on the high ground north of State Route 66/Route 18 intersection on the west side of Route 18 for a future fire station. The Committee agreed with this location. Ms. Nighthorse also pointed out that the Commercial land use designation on the northeast corner of the State Route 66/Route 18 intersection was designated for an RV park. Mr. Davidson briefly reviewed the 2021 feasibility study for a 100-space RV park like what one would expect to find at the Avi Casino. Ms. Nieto said in all likely hood the RV park would just need a few basic hook-ups for sewer, water and electric, and could forgo the club house, pool and other amenities.

With the charge given by the Committee to Planning to research policies for rural development considering public safety and public service concerns faced by people living in the outlying areas of the reservation, Mr. Davidson proposed new Policy 2.8 as follows: “In reviewing home site proposals, the tribe shall consider issues of community character, compatibility of use, environmental impact, resident security and safety, and provision of public services.” This language is based on Mohave County’s General Plan Policy 11.8 for rezoning property in rural parts of the county. Mr. Davidson said this policy is designed to replace Housing Policy 6.4 discussed at the March 20th Committee meeting where the Committee noted the problems of only allowing new home sites within a 30-minute response time from the nearest fire or police station. The Committee agreed by consensus to incorporate new Policy 2.8 into the Land Use Element and remove proposed Policy 6.4 from the Housing Element. Ms. Nieto added that Public Works will not spend money building or maintaining roads that are not officially designated by the tribe/BIA so those applying for home site leases should beware. Mr. Davidson replied that Planning, IDT, TERC and tribal council will use the language in Policy 2.8 to consider public facilities, such as roads, during the home site review process.

Mr. Davidson brought to the Committee’s attention that some 1 million acres of the reservation, laying outside the development area listed above, have not received an official land use designation. The leading options include:

- Open Space for the preservation areas that culturally significant, have difficult terrain and are generally inaccessible,
- Agricultural that allows ranching, farming & forestry pursuits, and
- Agricultural Residential which is designed to accommodate small-scale ranching and farming on large residential parcels (5-acres).

¹ As an example, some home site lease holders were granted a 1.5 acre parcel some ten years ago when the home site regulations only allowed for this much land. The current home site regulations allow up to five acres for a home site lease on certain parts of the reservation.

² See Article V.n

The map of the reservation shows 306,000 acres in the canyons leading down to the Colorado River. Placing the Open Space designation on these lands seems appropriate. Mr. Siyuja asked if the grazing district boundary lines could be shifted to allow for more development and less conflict with the ranchers. Mr. Beecher said that fence lines would have to be moved and new carrying capacity assessments conducted to determine how many cattle the smaller land area could sustain. Ms. Nighthorse asked about keeping large animals on her home site. Mr. Beecher said the tribe's Animal Control Ordinance only allows for pets. To keep livestock, you must be part of a cattle association, establish a brand, etc. Mr. Siyuja said he favored designating the undesignated portion of the reservation outside of the canyons as Agricultural Residential. Ms. Talieje agreed and said if development spreads then infrastructure will be obliged to follow. Additionally, this shows that the tribe is using their land which means it will less likely be taken away by a future administration. Speaking of using the land, Chairman Bravo asked if tribal members could harvest sage and other native plants found on the reservation and sell it. Mr. Davidson said only the gathering of plants for traditional Hualapai uses and practices is allowed under the TERC Rules. Commercial use is not allowed without the tribe's approval (See Article V.n of the Hualapai Constitution). Ms. Talieje noted that during the COVID pandemic, non-tribal members were harvesting sage from the reservation for medicinal purposes. The tribe must be more vigilant to stop this activity. After additional discussion, the Committee agreed to designate the canyons as Open Space and the balance of the reservation land not already designated to be Agricultural Residential which allows the most flexibility for rural type development in the Hualapai hinterlands.

9. HOUSING ELEMENT

Mr. Davidson next reviewed the five sections comprising the Housing Element as follows:

- 3.1 Introduction
- 3.2 Existing Housing Plans (IHP)
- 3.3 Major Issues
- 3.4 Identified Growth Areas
 - 3.4.1 Grand Canyon West
 - 3.4.2 Peach Springs
 - 3.4.3 Frazier Wells
 - 3.4.4 Buck & Doe
 - 3.4.5 Valentine
 - 3.4.6 Truxton Triangle
- 3.5 Housing Goals, Objectives and Policies

This element describes the current Indian Housing Plan that the Housing Department uses to implement its policies over a 5-year period. The plan must comply with NAHASDA which provides federal funding assistance to tribal housing programs. Major housing issues include long wait times for admittance to the program, overcrowded living conditions, need to modernize homes, providing homes for single people, and having more opportunities for home ownership units. The Growth Areas align with those noted in the Land Use Element. The chapter concludes with six goals and associated objectives and policies. To begin, Ms. Nighthorse asked about Policy 6.3 "New homes and home rehabilitations shall follow the International Energy Code and the International Residential Code," does this apply to all structures? Mr. Davidson said the codes are for custom, site-built homes such as those being constructed in Box Canyon and not manufactured homes or cabins which come "off the lot." Chairman Bravo asked if the language of Policy of 5.2 "Obtain funding for new homes and create rental opportunities for workers at Grand Canyon West," was too broad? This language aligns with federal housing policy. Ms. Talieje said we need a wall along SR 66 where the right-of-way adjoins the new LIHTC development in Box Canyon to protect the homes from automobiles which may crash off the highway. Mr. Davidson noted a wall would likely attract graffiti; however, some type of barrier is needed.³

10. PUBLIC FACILITIES AND BUILDINGS ELEMENT

Next up to review was the Public Facilities and Buildings Element:

- 4.1 Introduction

³ In a conversation with the Public Works Director on April 3, 2024, a wall is being planned outside of the ADOT right-of-way to protect six homes which are exposed to the highway.

- 4.2 Major Issues
- 4.3 Current Conditions
- 4.4 Public Facilities Goals, Objectives and Policies

The major issues are the lack of adequate public facilities and buildings on the reservation and the methods the tribe has used to secure funds to construct several public buildings over the past two-plus decades. Current Conditions list the existing buildings and a table of new buildings and facilities to be constructed within the time frame of the Master Plan. New objectives for public buildings include:

- 1.8 Build a sole-purpose Cry House
- 1.9 Construct a Multi-Use Recreation and Sports Complex
- 1.10 Create a Re-Entry and companion Detoxification Facility

Ms. Nighthorse recommended the tribe visit the Salt River-Pima reservation to see good example of public facilities. With no additional comments from the Committee, Mr. Davidson turned next to the next element:

11. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ELEMENT

- 5.1 Introduction
 - 5.1.1 Western Arizona Economic Development District Comprehensive Economic Development Strategy
 - 5.1.2 Tribal Tourism Plan
 - 5.1.3 Findings of the Lower Grand Canyon Management Plan for Hualapai
- 5.2 Demographics Relating to Labor Force (2017-2021 American Community Survey)
- 5.3 Enterprise Zones & Opportunity Zones
- 5.4 Goals and Policies for Economic Development

This chapter introduces the reader to past economic studies conducted in the greater western Arizona region, references the yet to be completed tribal tourism plan, which is still being drafted by the tribe's consultant, and mentions the tribe's role in implementing the Lower Grand Canyon Corridor Management Plan such as establishing the appropriate level of recreational use and providing proper sanitation facilities. Section 5.2 reviews the tribe's demographics such as education attainment, people working in various industries (education, health care, construction, etc.), household income, and poverty rates, with the latter showing that more than 50% of children are living in poverty on the reservation. Opportunity Zones, not something that directly affects the tribe given its tax-exempt status, covers that portion of the reservation that lies within Mohave County. In addition to the eight goals that are designed to stimulate the tribe's economic future, including supporting tribal entrepreneurship, Goal No. 9 seeks to maximize the development potential of the tribe's widely scattered private land holdings by commissioning "highest and best use" studies, creating development plans for the land and then executing the projects. The Committee was satisfied with the Element as written.

12. INFRASTRUCTURE ELEMENT

- 6.1 Water
 - 6.1.1 Key Water Systems Issues
 - 6.1.2 Goals and Policies
- 6.2 Wastewater
 - 6.2.1 Key Wastewater Systems Issues
 - 6.2.2 Goals Objectives and Policies
- 6.3 Solid Waste
 - 6.3.1 Key Solid Waste Management Issues
 - 6.3.2 Goals and Objectives
- 6.4 Energy
 - 6.4.1 Electricity
 - 6.4.1.1 Existing Conditions

- 6.4.1.2 Previous Studies and Reports
- 6.4.1.3 Key Energy Issues
- 6.4.1.4 Power Development Opportunities
- 6.4.2 Propane and Natural Gas
 - 6.4.2.1 Existing Conditions
- 6.4.3 Goals, Objectives and Policies
- 6.5 Telecommunications
 - 6.5.1 Existing Conditions
 - 6.5.2 Survey Results
 - 6.5.3 Recommended Design for Fiber Optic Network
 - 6.5.4 Implementation Strategies
 - 6.5.4.1 Operational Models
 - 6.5.4.2 Funding Resources
 - 6.5.4.3 Recommended Project Stages
 - 6.5.5 Goals, Objectives and Policies
- 6.6 Grand Canyon West
 - 6.6.1 Grand Canyon West Land Use Plans
 - 6.6.2 Existing Facilities
 - 6.6.3 Projected Demands
 - 6.6.4 GCW Infrastructure Development Plans
 - 6.6.4.1 Water
 - 6.6.4.2 Wastewater
 - 6.6.4.3 Electrical
 - 6.6.5 Infrastructure Goals and Policies Specific to Grand Canyon West

With 48 pages, Mr. Davidson noted this is the longest and most detailed chapter in the Master Plan largely given the work of three consultants whose analysis is summarized in the sections on renewable energy development and constructing a telecommunications system to deploy the internet on the reservation. The first five parts of the Element focus on land outside of Grand Canyon West (part six) and begins with a discussion on the water situation in Peach Springs which is plagued by aging infrastructure in need of replacement. The section also summarizes the tribe's 2022 water rights settlement and requests that Public Works and Natural Resources work together to expand the drinking water system to make non-potable water drinkable. Section 6.2 reviews the wastewater issues for Peach Springs and the Buck and Doe area and identifies the need to improve and expand the existing lagoon system in cooperation with Indian Health Services. Solid waste management, discussed in Section 6.3, notes the need to curtail wildcat dumping on the reservation and recommends the tribe create a waste recycling program to reduce waste going to the landfill.

Section 6.4 examines energy development beginning with electricity and summarizes the several feasibility studies for establishing a tribal utility authority, developing renewable energy projects for wind, solar and biomass, and then discussing ways to convey more electricity to and from the reservation via the regional transmission system. The section concludes with a brief discussion on natural gas service and the opportunities to improve the energy efficiency of buildings on the reservation. Goals and objectives encourage conversion from fossil-fuel derived energy (natural gas & coal) to renewable energy sources (solar & wind), distributed generation (roof top solar installation), a community-scale solar array to power Peach Springs, and the deployment of electric vehicle charging stations. The development of industrial-scale solar and wind farms on the reservation has been removed from the list of goals due to the amount of land disturbance required to establish such uses even though the reservation has a very good solar resource with some 300 sunny days per year.

Section 6.5 reviews the recently completed broadband study that discusses existing conditions on the reservation and lays out a roadmap to bring internet service to all points on the reservation and in Valentine. Mr. Davidson noted the Committee had yet to create a draft goal to implement broadband service on the reservation. Ms. Talieje and Ms. Nighthorse would like to see more access to the internet on the reservation, with Ms. Talieje saying the tribe should own and operate its own broadband network instead of relying upon third parties with the aim of serving communities outside of the reservation. Mr.

Davidson said he will draft a goal for a tribally controlled internet network and distribute it to the Committee for review before adding it to the Master Plan. The Committee was agreeable to this proposal.

To conclude the Element, the infrastructure needs of GCW are discussed, namely improving the water and waste water systems, the coming water line made possible by the tribe's 2022 water rights settlement, the proposed 36-mile, 69 KV power line and fiber optic line to help energize the anticipated growth made possible by the water rights settlement, and the successful deployment of the 885 KW solar array and battery bank at GCW which has significantly reduced the use of the existing diesel generators. To bring to head a few decades of discussion, new Goal No. 5 seeks to build a sky tram to connect the canyon rim to the pontoon operations along the Colorado River beginning with a feasibility study to determine if this is possible. The Committee had no additional comments on this part of the element.

13. RANCHING, FORESTRY AND MINING

- 7.1 Introduction
 - 7.1.1 Ranching & Reserve Areas
 - 7.1.2 Forestry Department and Reserve Areas
 - 7.1.3 Mining
- 7.2 Major Issues
 - 7.2.1 Ranching
 - 7.2.2 Forestry
 - 7.2.3 Mining
- 7.3 Strategic Planning
 - 7.3.1 Ranching
 - 7.3.2 Forestry
 - 7.3.3 Mining
- 7.4 Goals, Objectives and Policies
 - 7.4.1 Ranching and Agriculture
 - 7.4.2 Forestry
 - 7.4.3 Mining

The Element begins with a review of the five grazing districts operations and the allowable AUMs⁴ for each totaling 2,963 AUMs for all five districts. Issues include the encroachment of non-native invasive species and tribal developments into grazing lands. Mr. Beecher noted the biggest conflict between ranchers and development lies with large-scale housing tract projects which bring forth a high concentration of people and their associated impacts vs. the individual tribal member establishing a home site lease.

Mr. Davidson reviewed Forestry's operations and their list of the duties that includes Forest Development, Timber and Wildland Fire Management Programs. Mr. Davidson concluded the review with Mining and pointed out the inactive flagstone mine on the west side of the reservation near West Water and the area reserved for mining adjoining the chemical lime plant at Nelson as the only mining locations on the reservation. Also of note is the tribe's 1980s resolution banning uranium mining on the tribe's lands. Goals for the Element include preserving and maintaining lands used for grazing, agricultural and forestry, promoting ranching and forestry activities for economic development, and limiting hard-rock mining activities on the reservation. The Committee had no additional comments.

14. TRANSPORTATION ELEMENT

- 8.1 Introduction
- 8.2 Existing Conditions
 - 8.2.1 Existing Roadway System

⁴ An animal unit month (AUM) is a method used to give an estimate of how much forage is being eaten by a defined animal in a month. In range and pasture management related to beef production, an AUM is often defined as the approximate amount of forage that a 1,000 lb. cow with a calf that is less than three months of age will eat in a month, see: <https://beef.unl.edu/aum-calculations>.

- 8.2.2 Major Issues
 - 8.2.2.1 Railroad Conflicts
 - 8.2.2.2 Drainage and Bridges
 - 8.2.2.3 Traffic Hazards
- 8.3 Projected Travel Demand
 - 8.3.1 Projected Traffic Volumes
- 8.4 Strategic Planning
- 8.5 Transportation Goals, Objectives and Policies

The Element begins with an inventory of the 743 miles of roadways within the reservation and Valentine of which only 85 miles are paved. An additional 186 miles are designated to be added to the inventory. Major issues include poor roadway conditions, drainage issues, and traffic safety issues, including the at-grade railroad crossings on Diamond Creek Road and in Valentine, with a plan to construct an automobile bridge over the Diamond Creek Road crossing currently being pursued by the tribe through its Public Works Department. The Element lists a set of mid-term and long-term transportation goals to improve transportation access and safety as well as reduce train noise. Hearing no objection to the Element's contents, Mr. Davidson proceeded with the review of the next Element.

15. ENVIRONMENTAL

- 9.1 Introduction
- 9.2 Major Issues
 - 9.2.1 Air Quality Issues
 - 9.2.2 Water Quality Issues
 - 9.2.3 Flood Control and Drainage
 - 9.2.4 Natural Resource and Environmental Issues
- 9.3 Goals, Objectives and Policies
 - 9.3.1 Environmental Goals, Objectives and Policies
 - 9.3.2 Air and Water Quality Goals, Objectives and Policies
 - 9.3.3 Water Quantity and Quality Goals, Objectives and Policies

Major issues include maintaining the tribe's air quality which can be degraded by traveling on unpaved roadways and construction activity. Of note is the recent reduction in diesel generator usage at GCW thanks to the operation of the new solar array that provides about half of the energy needs of GCW. Water issues focus on maintaining groundwater quality, which is subject to pollution from run off, septic tanks, accidental spills from highway accidents and railroad operations, the need to treat Colorado River water made possible by the tribe's water rights settlement, and threat posed by a potential lithium mine being opened on public land adjoining the sacred Ha' Kamwe' spring on the Cholla Canyon Ranch. Preserving habitat, conserving soil and protecting the Colorado River, canyons leading to the river and the springs and seeps within those canyons is also discussed. Table 9.1 lists the sacred canyons and springs identified by tribal council via Resolution No. 67-97. Given that modern technology allows the public to look up these locations and map them on a hand-held device, the committee decided the table should be removed from the chapter and instead placed into an appendix which is not shared with the public. Goals include raising environmental awareness, protecting areas significant to the tribe, improving air quality and preserving the quality and quantity of water on the reservation in perpetuity. Mr. Clay Bravo noted the sacred designation of some canyons and springs was influenced by the politics of the time and warned against placing these designations on geographic features which gives them an apparent hierarchy of protection that reduces the importance of those not on the list. With the Committee having no further comment on the Element, Mr. Davidson turned the review to the final Element.

16. STRATEGIC PLANNING

- 10.1 Introduction
 - 10.1.1 Strategic Planning and Budgeting
 - 10.1.2 Purposes of Strategic Planning

- 10.2 Strategic Planning Template Overview
- 10.3 Philosophy, Mission and Vision of the Hualapai Tribe
- 10.4 Goals, Objectives, Policies and Implementation Strategies

The final chapter discusses the importance of keeping the tribe on point in implementing the plan over the next 10 to 20 years with Planning's production of semi-annual reports showing the progress of the plan's implementation, forming relationships with outside entities where the tribe will need support from such entities to implement the plan, establishing an enterprise-wide geographic information system (GIS) so tribal departments can have access to the same information and avoid duplication of efforts and finally the creation of a comprehensive annual report by TERC describing the development activity which advances the Master Plan's goals, major issues that prevented the tribe from achieving its development goals and changes in circumstances which justify updating the Master Plan. Mr. Bravo asked if the Master Plan will require a NEPA review such as an EA be performed as part of the adoption process. Mr. Davidson said no; however, individual projects, such as the proposed Multi-Use Recreational Sports Complex will require a full NEPA review and development permit.⁵ With the review complete, Mr. Davidson asked the Committee if they were comfortable with transmitting the draft Master Plan to IDT and TERC or their review. Chairman Bravo entertained a motion to transmit the draft Master Plan to IDT and TERC. Ms. Nighthorse made a motion to transmit the draft Master Plan to IDT and TERC, with Mr. Siyuja seconding the motion. Motion approved 4-0-3 with Ms. Beecher, Mr. Hunter and Mr. Bravo not voting having arrived late to the meeting.

17. COMMUNITY OPEN HOUSE – MAY 14, 2024

To conclude, Ms. Baheshone presented the outline for the third community meeting which will utilize the open house format as follows:

1. Presentation boards on what the Master Plan is about, the Plan's progress and how decisions were made.
2. Land use diagrams on display:
 - a. Changes to the land use diagrams
 - b. Review goal and policy changes that affect Land Use
 - c. Ranching, Forestry & Mining –
 - d. Housing –
 - e. Economic Development –
3. "We heard you" – List other goals & objectives that were significantly changed based on community input from previous Community Meetings
 - a. Reference Committee meeting minutes
 - b. Reference Goals, Objectives and Policies from Master Plan on presentation boards
4. What is the next step? – Timeline through to Tribal Council hearing at end of May

18. ADJOURNMENT

The Committee was agreeable to the outline and holding the open house in mid-May. The Committee will meet the last week of April to review the IDT and TERC comments and make any changes prior the open house. Mr. Davidson congratulated the Committee for meeting some 15 times to parse the policy language of the Master Plan and thanked them for their time and dedication to the effort. Chairman Bravo called for a motion to adjourn. Ms. Nighthorse made a motion to adjourn with Mr. Hunter offering his second. Motion carried unanimously at 8:43 PM.

⁵ Part 4 (pages 9 and 10) of the Hualapai Environmental Review Code (HERC) note adoption of the plan and subsequent amendments are by tribal council resolution.

Mother's Day Bazaar • Friday, May 10th
Submitted by: Omaovensi Coochwytewa | Hualapai Recreation

MOM I YOU

FRIDAY MAY 10, 2024

HUALAPAI TRIBAL GYM

10 AM - 4:30 PM

MOTHER'S DAY BAZAAR

**FOR INFORMATION CONTACT
HUALAPAI RECREATION
928.769.2652**



Mother's Day Bazaar • CANCELLED
Submitted by: Adeline Crozier | Hualapai Tribal Administration

On Mother's Day, we hope you feel honored for all your years of caring for your children and grandchildren. And every day, we hope you feel how loved you are.

MOTHER'S DAY BAZAAR

MAY 10, 2024

10:00 AM TO 4:00 PM

MULTIPURPOSE BUILDING

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PEACH SPRINGS, AZ

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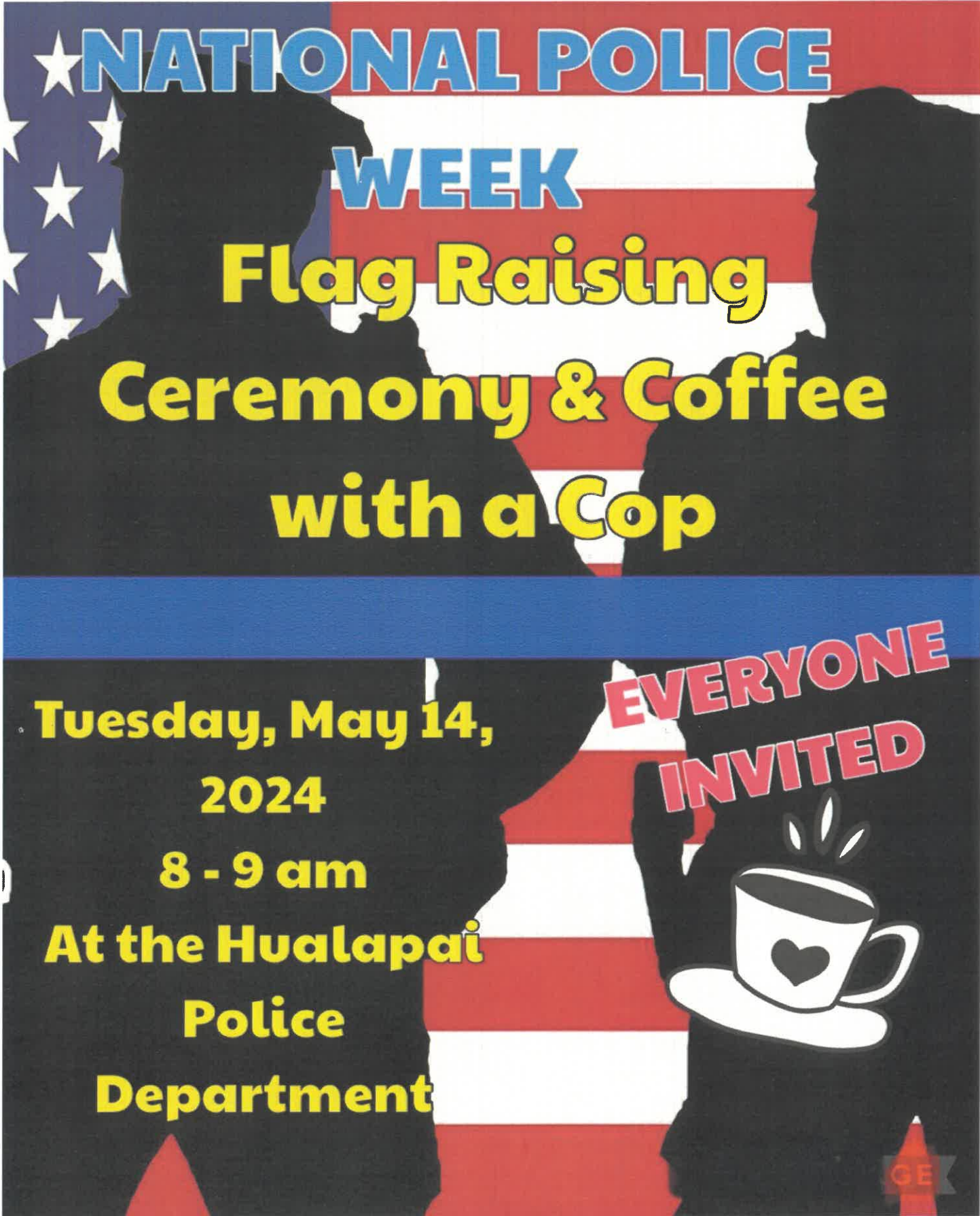
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National Police Week—Flag Raising Ceremony & Coffee with a Cop • Tuesday, May 14th

Submitted by: Adeline Crozier | Hualapai Tribal Administration



**NATIONAL POLICE
WEEK**

**Flag Raising
Ceremony & Coffee
with a Cop**

**Tuesday, May 14,
2024**

8 - 9 am

**At the Hualapai
Police
Department**

**EVERYONE
INVITED**



Hualapai Tribal Youth Council & Hualapai Pride Bingo Night • Thursday, May 30th
Submitted by: Loveena Watahomigie | Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources

**Hualapai Tribal Youth Council
in collaboration with Hualapai Pride**

BINGO NIGHT RESCHEDULED



We will be fundraising to help the Hualapai Youth Council attend the 2024 UNITY Conference in Portland, OR.

6 PM, MAY 30, 2024
MULTIPURPOSE BUILDING

Contact: Loveena Watahomigie (928)769-0001 or
Vonda Beecher (928)715-9590

PRIZES/FOOD SALE

Proceeds will support Hualapai Youth Council & Hualapai Pride



Hwalbay Gwawja Bingo Night • Friday, May 31st
Submitted by: Loveena Watahomigie | Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources

Hualapai Tribal Youth Council
presents:



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Hwalbay Gwawja
Bingo Night



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FRIDAY, MAY 31
MULTIPURPOSE BUILDING

BEGINNING : 6 PM

Please join us a for a fun night of learning the Hualapai language. Event will be free with prizes for each winner. We are promoting cultural wellness!



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MORE INFO:

*Loveena Watahomigie, Youth Council Advisor,
(928)769-0001*



Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources Annual Monitoring River Trip • June 12th - June 21st
Submitted by: Carrie Cannon | Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources

Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources Annual Monitoring River Trip June 12-21, 2024



The Cultural Department is seeking Hualapai applicants to participate in this year's annual resource monitoring river trip. June 11th will be a travel day, June 12th we will launch our trip, and we will return the morning of June 21st. Those wanting to participate can write a letter detailing their interest. Please submit your letter or email of interest to the cultural department staff no later than Friday May 10, 2024. Please include your contact information including a phone number on the letter or email. For additional questions call Ka-voka at 928-769-2582 or email her at ka-voka.Jackson@hualapai-nsn.gov

Save The Date: 24th Gathering of the Pai Tribes • Friday, June 14th - Saturday, June 15th
Submitted by: Camille Nighhorse | Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources

Save the Date

24TH Gathering of the Pai Tribes

*This Special
Event Is Open To
The Public*

June 14 & 15, 2024
Prescott, Arizona

Hosted by the Yavapai-Prescott Indian Tribe



***** Friday 3pm-7pm *** Saturday 8am-7pm *****

THIS IS A DRUG AND ALCOHOL FREE EVENT

For Information on being a * Volunteer *
Vendor * Demonstrator * or Entertainer
Contact the Culture Research Department at
928-515-7202

Gathering of the Pai • Friday, June 14th - Saturday, June 15th
Submitted by: Camille Nighthorse | Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources

GATHERING OF THE PAI

Friday, June 14, 2024 3-7 p.m.
Saturday, June 15, 2024 8-5 p.m.
600 EZ Street, Prescott, AZ



Hosted by Yavapai-Prescott Indian Tribe—Prescott, Arizona

For Pai Woman contact: Maria Rocha reeree15.mr@gmail.com

For those interested in being a vendor, entertainer or demonstrator, please fill out one of the forms in that category and submit to the Hualapai Cultural Dept. ASAP

For more info: call Linda Ogo at 928-515-7202 (Prescott)
or Hualapai Cultural at 928-769-2080 / 928-769-0001

Date Received: _____

Received By: _____

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Gathering of the Pai 2024
Hosted by the Yavapai-Prescott Indian Tribe
June 14-15, 2024

Vendor Agreement

Thank you for your interest in being a Vendor for the 2024 Gathering of the Pai Festival. Please read and fill out the form below. The form can be mailed to: **YPIT Culture Research Dept., ATTN: Terri Miner – 530 E. Merritt – Prescott, AZ 86301**, or emailed to tminer@ypit.com. Should you have any questions, please call (928) 515-7202.

Requirements of the Vendor:

- Must be Pai (Yavapai, Havasupai, Hualapai or Pai Pai).
- Must sell authentic art.
- Hotel reservations are **on your own**.

****There will be no electricity or shade structure available. One table and two chairs will be provided.**

Vendor Information:

Name _____ Tribe: _____ Phone: _____

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Name _____ Tribe: _____ Phone: _____

Description of items being sold: _____

Vendors should check-in at the Gathering of the Pai 2024 site (EZ Street, Prescott, AZ) on June 14, 2024. Festivities begin at 3:00pm.

Signature of Vendor

Date

Date Received: _____

Received By: _____

Office Use Only

Gathering of the Pai 2024
Hosted by the Yavapai-Prescott Indian Tribe
June 14-15, 2024

Demonstrator Agreement

Thank you for your interest in being a Demonstrator for the 2024 Gathering of the Pai Festival. Please read and fill out the form below. The form can be mailed to: **YPIT Culture Research Dept., ATTN: Terri Miner – 530 E. Merritt – Prescott, AZ 86301**, or emailed to tminer@ypit.com. Should you have any questions, please call (928) 515-7202.

Requirements of the Demonstrator(s):

- Must be Pai (Yavapai, Havasupai, Hualapai or Pai Pai).
- Must check-in on Friday and demonstrate 8 hours on Saturday – EZ Street, Prescott, AZ.
- Each demonstration must be a traditional activity or cultural art.
- Must be willing to inform the public about the demonstration.
- Must provide a description of the demonstration. YPIT will create a display of the description.

**There will be no electricity or shade structure available. One table and two chairs will be provided.*

In compensation for your demonstration, we will provide one hotel room for June 14-15.

Demonstrator(s) Information:

**Name _____ Tribe: _____ Phone: _____

Name _____ Tribe: _____

*** Will be lead demonstrator, hotel room will be under this person's name, if they are not already receiving a room for another participant category (Entertainer, Volunteer, Tribal Representative, etc.)*

Description of Demonstration: _____

Please be advised that space is limited, therefore duplicate demonstrations may be a first come, first serve basis.

Signature of Lead Demonstrator

Date

Date Received: _____
Received By: _____
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Gathering of the Pai 2024
Hosted by the Yavapai-Prescott Indian Tribe
June 14-15, 2024

Entertainment Agreement

This agreement is entered into by and between the Yavapai-Prescott Indian Tribe (Sponsor) and _____ (Entertainer).
Entertainers must be Pai or Yuman. Preference may be given to Pai groups.

Dates and Times of Performances: _____

Location: Yavapai-Prescott Indian Tribal Reservation, EZ Street, Prescott, AZ.

Description of Entertainment: _____

- I. **COMPENSATION:** In consideration of the Entertainers, the Sponsor agrees to pay the group a minimum of \$300.00 payable to the Lead Entertainer on the final day of the event. There will also be two (2) hotel rooms provided to each group. The rooms will go under the Lead Entertainer's name.
- II. **PRESENTATION:** Sponsor agrees to furnish adequate spaces for all contracted performances and the reasonably necessary sound, lighting, and other equipment if requested in writing by the Lead Entertainer. Breaks will be determined on an individual basis by the Entertainer and shall be discussed with the Sponsor's representative. All Entertainers are required to arrive at the performance site at least thirty (30) minutes prior to their scheduled performances. Guests and visitors accompanying the Entertainers are not allowed to use a tripod, disturb the performance, or enter the performance area until after the Entertainers are finished, unless Sponsor expressly approves the additional person(s) in writing.
- III. **PHOTOGRAPHS/FILMS/VIDEOS/ AND AUDIO RECORDINGS:** Only the Sponsor's representatives are permitted to photograph, record, film, or video the Entertainers for the purpose of publicizing the event. Visitors to the event are permitted to photograph, record, film, or video the performances, with permission from the Sponsor.
- IV: **IMPOSSIBILITY OF PERFORMANCE:** In the event that the performance in this Agreement is prevented by war, illness, acts of God, physical disability, acts or regulations of applicable public authorities, labor intervention or

delay of transportation services, or any other unforeseen cause beyond the parties' control, the parties shall be relieved of their obligations hereunder.

- V. **INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR:** The parties further agree that the Entertainers relationship to the Sponsor during the term of this Agreement shall be deemed to be that of any independent contractor and Entertainer is not an employee or agent of the Sponsor.

- VI. **INDEMNIFICATION:** Entertainer hereby agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Sponsor and all the Sponsor's departments, agencies, officers, agents, and/or employees from all claims, losses, suits, damages, liabilities and expenses of whatever kind of nature, including reasonable attorney's fees, arising out of or resulting from any negligent, reckless, or intentional act, error, omission, or mistake and/or strict liability of the Entertainer or any persons employed by Entertainer, or anyone for whose acts the Entertainer is legally liable.

Entertainer: _____ Date: _____ Phone: _____

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Entertainer: _____ Date: _____ Phone: _____

The form should be mailed to:
YPIT Culture Research Dept.
ATTN: Linda Ogo - Yavapai-Prescott Indian Tribe
530 E. Merritt, Prescott, AZ 86301
Logo@ypit.com

If you have any questions, please call (928) 515-7202.

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Hualapai Education & Training Department • WIOA Summer Youth Program

Submitted by: Adeline Crozier | Hualapai Tribal Administration

2024 477/WIOA Summer Youth Program

LIMITED
SLOTS

AGES 14-18



1st Session
june 3-
july 12

2nd Session
july 15-
Aug 23

Documents Needed to Apply:

- BIRTH CERTIFICATE
- SOCIAL SECURITY CARD
- TRIBAL ID
- MUST PASS DRUG TEST



how to apply:

1st session: Applications accepted May 28th

2nd session: Applications accepted July 8th.

Note: Student must complete application in person with the help of the 477/WIOA Coordinator.

First come first served.

Please bring necessary documents.

Job Opportunity placements:

- FIRE & EMS
- NATURAL RESOURCES
- DAYCARE
- GAME AND FISH
- FITNESS CENTER
- RADIO STATION
- EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER
- & OTHERS...

*Hualapai & All Federally recognized Tribes may apply. *

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT THE HUALAPAI EDUCATION AND TRAINING DEPARTMENT

(928) 769-2200



Grand Canyon Resort Corporation • Summer Youth Program
Submitted by: Gina Hernandez | Grand Canyon Resort Corporation



APPLY NOW!

AVAILABLE POSITIONS:

- Vehicle Detailing Specialist
- Zip Line Assistant
- Photo Guide
- Food & Beverage Host / Hostess
- Diamond Creek Restaurant Host / Hostess

DEADLINE: MAY 31ST @ 5PM

PROCESSING: JUNE 4TH - JUNE 5TH

YOUTH ORIENTATION: JUNE 6TH

PROGRAM CRITERIA:

- Must submit a GCRC Summer Youth Application.
(Hand deliver to the GCRC Human Resources Office)
- Must provide a 1 page essay about your future goals.
- Must be an enrolled student.
- Must provide copy of current grades.
- Must be 15 - 17 years old.
- Must show Hualapai Tribal ID Card.
- Must pass a pre-employment drug test.
- Parent/Legal Guardian must be present during the drug screening.
- Youth will be placed into departments, not all departments will be available, and schedules will be determined.

ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE CONTACT:
HR Department | (928) 769-2640

Grand Canyon Resort Corporation • Current Job Postings

Submitted by: Gina Hernandez | Grand Canyon Resort Corporation

Revised 5/7/2024

** For Quick Apply Visit Grandcanyonwest.com **

Current Job Postings for Grand Canyon Resort Corporation							
Administration	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Airport	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Safety Manager	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Airport Supervisor	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Diesel Mechanic	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Airport Operations Specialist	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies
IT	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Operations Manager	1	D.O.E/FT	Wed-Sat
IT Deskside Technician	1	D.O.E/FT	Mon-Fri	Airport EMS/Firefighter	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Marketing	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Transportation	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Digital Marketing Manager	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Transit Mechanic	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Call Center	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Supervisor	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Reservation Agent	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies	Transit CDL Driver	2	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Hualapai Lodge	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Transit Diesel Mechanic	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Front Desk Agent	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Technician Apprentice	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Laundry Attendant	1	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Fleet Specialist	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Room Attendant	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies	Security	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Diamond Creek Restaurant	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Security Guard	3	D.O.E/PT	Varies
Cook	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies	Security Guard	4	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Walapai Market	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Security Supervisor	3	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Supervisor	1	D.O.E/FT	Thurs-Sat	Gift Shop/Tour Counter	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Hualapai River Runners	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Supervisor - Gift Shop	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Maintenance Supervisor	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Cashier	1	D.O.E/PT	Thurs-Sat
CDL Passenger Driver	1	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Cashier	2	D.O.E/FT	Wed-Sat
Equipment Driver	1	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Skywalk	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
River Guide	2	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Photo Guide	3	D.O.E/PT	Varies
Swamper Packer	1	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies	Photo Guide	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Maintenance	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift	Utility	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Maintenance Tech	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Utility	4	D.O.E/PT	Varies
Maintenance Tech	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies	Ambassadors	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Waterline Tech	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Customer Service Ops Manager	2	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Carpenter	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Pontoon	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Electrician	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Guide/Utility	2	D.O.E/Seasonal	Varies
Administrative Assistant	1	D.O.E/FT	Sun-Wed	Hualapai Point	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
GCRC INTERNAL ONLY UNTIL 5/13/2024				Housekeeping	2	D.O.E/PT	Varies
Accountant - Accounting	1	D.O.E/FT	Mon-Fri	Housekeeping	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies
Assistant Controller - Accounting	1	D.O.E/FT	Mon-Fri	Night Auditor	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies
Ops Manager - F&B	1	D.O.E/FT	Mon-Thurs	F&B/Sky View Restaurant	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
Lead Cashier - Gift Shop	1	D.O.E/FT	Wed-Sat	Cashier	2	D.O.E/PT	Sun- Tues
Lead Concierge - Tour Counter	1	D.O.E/FT	Wed-Sat	Lead Food Handler/Cook	1	D.O.E/FT	Sat-Tues
Concierge - Tour Counter	1	D.O.E/FT	Varies	Food Handler / Cook	2	D.O.E/PT	Varies
				Steward - Skyview	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies
				Food Handler/Cook - F&B Hualapai Point	2	D.O.E/PT	Varies
				Food Handler/Cook - F&B Hualapai Point	2	D.O.E/FT	Varies
				Janitorial	# of Positions	Pay Rate	Shift
				Janitor	1	D.O.E/PT	Varies
				Lead Janitor	1	D.O.E/FT	Wed-Sat

Seeking Bids for 2024 Graduation Dinner • Due: Tuesday, May 28th
Submitted by: Adeline Crozier | Hualapai Tribal Administration



**The Education and Training Department
is seeking bids for the**

2024 Graduation Dinner

Date: Thursday, June 20, 2024

Location: Multi-Purpose Building

**Food must be prepared by 4:30 p.m.
for 150 people.**

Must provide meal, drinks, utensils and clean up.

Menu: Roast, Mashed potatoes, corn on the
cob, salad, tortilla or dinner roll and drink.

**Please submit bids to the Hualapai Education and
Training Department by**

May 28, 2024 by 5pm

Questions Please call us at (928) 769-2200

EDUCATION & TRAINING INFORMATION

After School Good News Club is at Your School

Submitted by: Steve DeFord | Hualapai Baptist Church

Good News Club

Good News Club at Peach Springs Elementary School meets every Wednesday. School is in session beginning October 4, 2023 from approximately 3:00 pm to 4:30 pm. It's fun! It's free! It's for anyone Kindergarten through 5th Grade. Must have a parental permission/registration form on file with the club to attend.

**After
School**

GOOD NEWS CLUB
IS AT YOUR SCHOOL...

BOYS AND GIRLS KINDERGARTEN THROUGH 5th GRADE ARE INVITED TO COME TO GOOD NEW CLUBS!

EVERY: Wednesday BEGINNING: October 4th, 2023

TIME: 3:00 - 4:30 LOCATION: Peach Springs Elem., Common area

CONTACT PERSON: Steve De Ford 928-200-2392

IT'S FUN!

IT'S FREE!

IT'S FOR YOU!

Peach Springs Unified School District neither endorses nor sponsors the organization or activity represented in this material. The distribution or display of this material is provided as a community service.

WRITTEN PERMISSION IS REQUIRED FOR CLUB ATTENDANCE

(Please detach and return lower portion to Office as soon as possible)

GOOD NEWS CLUB PARENTAL PERMISSION SLIP/REGISTRATION FORM

(Please write clearly)

Student Name: _____ Grade _____ Date of Birth _____

has permission to attend Good News Club.

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Parent/Guardian Name (Printed) _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Parent/Guardian Phone _____ Email _____

Emergency Contact _____ Phone _____

Parents/Guardians are responsible for their child's safety from the time the child leaves the school grounds until the child reaches home.

I will pick up my child after school. My child has permission to walk/bike home.

Other Adults Authorized to pick up my child _____

I do not give permission for my child to be photographed.

Peach Springs School: Parent Teacher Organization Meeting • Monday, May 13th

Submitted by: *Tinisha Pickayviett | Hualapai Tribal Member*

Parent Teacher Organization

Peach Springs schools

About PTO

This partnership works together to build a strong foundation between school and families for successful students.

PTO Meeting

Monday May 13, 2024
4:00 Pm

Our Goal

We would like to create more parent involvement in the education setting,

Peach Springs Elementary School Library

What do you want to see in your school?
Bring your ideas!

Fun Fact!

Research from around the world has shown that parents' involvement in and engagement with their child's education can lead to higher student achievement and better social-emotional outcomes.

Contact Information

Renee M @ (928)715-9626

Tinisha P. @
tinishadp@icloud.com



Peach Springs Unified School District • Updates & News

Submitted by: Lisa Norton | Peach Springs Unified School District

PSUSD8 UPDATES / NEWS MUSIC MOUNTAIN Jr./Sr. HIGH SCHOOL



SAVE THE DATE!!: Wednesday, May 15th, at Music Mountain Gym

2:00pm 8th Grade Promotion

6:00pm Class of 2024 Graduation

Join us for both as we celebrate these milestones in our students' lives! All are welcome!

Please note, Wednesday, May 15th is a minimum attendance day, all students released early at 12pm. Bus transportation provided, grab/go lunch sent home with the students.

PEACH SPRINGS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

**UPCOMING
EVENTS!**

Upcoming Events:

National Renewable Energy Lab Collaboration, May 7

6th Grade MMHS Field Trip: May 16, 10:00-12:00

Academic Awards Ceremony, May 16 K-3 1:00-1:30, Gr. 4-6 1:30-2:00

Kindergarten Graduation: May 20

Site Council Meeting (Community Participants Needed): May 10, 4:00

6th Grade Promotion: May 20

"Field Day" - May 22/ Last day of school

UPCOMING SCHOOL AND DISTRICT EVENTS

May 14, 2024 May Governing Board Meeting

May 15, 2024 Graduation & 8th Grade Promotion Ceremony

June 11, 2024 FY25 Proposed Budget Meeting

June 11, 2024 June Governing Board Meeting

July 9, 2024 FY2025 Adopted Budget Meeting

July 9, 2024 July Governing Board Meeting

July 31, 2024 First day of school for all KG-12th students

PSUSD8 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES:

We have several open positions at this time, including:

- 4th Grade Teacher
- Resource Teacher KG-6th
- Resource Teacher 7th-12th Grade
- Jr. High English Language Arts Teacher
- Substitute Teacher
- Coaching Positions for SY2024-2025
- Business Manager



If you are interested in becoming part of our team, please apply at: psusd8.org, click on Careers, and fill out our on-line application. You may also stop by the office for a paper application at the front desk of either the Elementary School or Music Mountain High School. Please note, a valid IVPP card is required. For more questions and further information, please call 928-769-2202, extension 154 or you may email nortonl@psusd8.org.

PRESS RELEASE:**PSUSD8 ANNOUNCES WARRIORS LOGO CONTEST!**

Attention all artists and creative minds! Music Mountain High School is thrilled to announce our Logo Art Contest, inviting high school students to submit original artwork for the official logo of our Warriors!



About Music Mountain High School: Nestled in the heart of the Hualapai Nation, Music Mountain High School is committed to restoring educational excellence and cultural pride. We are deeply rooted in the traditions and values of the Hualapai tribe, celebrating our heritage while embracing the journey toward a future of possibilities.

Contest Theme: The theme of this contest is to create a captivating and meaningful logo that embodies the spirit of the Music Mountain High School Warriors and pays homage to the rich cultural heritage of the Hualapai tribe.

Art Description and Meaning: Your artwork should capture the essence of education, strength, unity, and resilience that define our Warriors, while also reflecting the beauty and significance of Hualapai culture.

Consider incorporating elements such as:

- **Symbolism of the Warrior:** Depict the Warrior as a symbol of courage, determination, and leadership, embodying the spirit of our students as they strive for excellence in academics, athletics, and community service.
- **Natural Elements:** Draw inspiration from the landscapes of Music Mountain and the surrounding Hualapai reservation, incorporating elements such as mountains, forests, rivers, and wildlife to evoke a sense of connection to the land and its people.
- **Tribal Symbols:** Integrate traditional Hualapai symbols, patterns, and motifs that hold cultural significance, representing themes of heritage, identity, and belonging.

Submission Guidelines:

- Artwork must be original and created by the contestant.
- **Submissions should be in digital format (JPEG or PNG) and high resolution.**
- Include a brief artist statement (100 words max.) explaining the inspiration and meaning behind your artwork.

Prizes: The winning design will become the official logo of Music Mountain High School Warriors, proudly displayed on school materials, uniforms, and signage. In addition, the winning artist will be recognized and be awarded a prize.

How to Submit: all artwork will be presented at the June 11th regular governing board meeting.

Deadline: All submissions must be received by Monday, June 10th at Music Mountain High School.

Let your creativity soar and show us your vision of the Music Mountain High School Warriors! We can't wait to see the incredible artwork that our talented students will create.

For inquiries or more information, please contact the high school front office at 928-455-5003 or Lisa Norton at (702) 525-3085 / nortonl@psusd8.org.

Best of luck to all participants!

William

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William", written over a white background.

Superintendent

Peach Springs Elementary School

2024-2025 School Calendar

4-Day

July

S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
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28	29	30	31			
Student Days		1				

August

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Student Days		17				

September

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Student Days		12				

October

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Student Days		18				

November

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Student Days		13				

December

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Student Days		12	Semester		73	

January

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Student Days		16				

February

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Student Days		15				

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Student Days		12	Semester		74	

June

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Student Days		0				

End of Quarter
 District Testing
 Holiday/ Break/ No School
 Students' first/last day, 100th day count

Parent/Teacher Conf
 Non School Day-Students

- | | | | |
|--------------|---|-------------|---|
| Jul 31 | First day for students | Jan 01 | New Years Day |
| Aug 22 | Progress reports quarter 1 | Jan 04 | Establishment Day (observed 1/2/2025) - Instructional Day |
| Sep 02 | Labor Day Holiday | Jan 08 | Caleb Joe Powskey Day (Instructional Day) |
| Sep 19 | First quarter ends | Jan 20 | Martin Luther King Holiday |
| Sep 26 | Native American Day (observed) | Feb 03 | Progress reports quarter 3 |
| Sept 23 - 26 | Fall Break | Feb 17 | President's Day Holiday |
| Sep 30-Oct 3 | First quarter report cards go home w/ PT Conf | Feb 20 | 100th Day of School |
| Oct 14 | Indigenous Peoples Day | Mar 06 | Third quarter Ends |
| Oct 24 | Progress reports quarter 2 | March 10-13 | Spring Break |
| Nov 11 | Veteran's Day | Mar 17-20 | Third quarter report cards go home w/ PT Conf |
| Nov 27-28 | Thanksgiving Break | Mar - Apr | State Testing to be announced |
| Dec 19 | Second quarter ends | Apr-24 | Progress reports quarter 4 |
| Dec 19 | Second Quarter report cards go home | May 21 | Last Day for Students/End of 4th grading period |
| Dec 23-Jan 1 | Winter Break | May 21 | Fourth Quarter report cards go home |

STUDENT DAYS:

1st Semester 73

2nd Semester 74

Total 147 days

Music Mountain Jr./Sr. High School

2024-2025 School Calendar

4-Day

July

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April

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May

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June

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29	30					
Student Days		0				

End of Quarter
 District Testing
 Holiday/ Break/ No School
 Students' first/last day, 100th day count
 Parent/Teacher Conf
 Non School Day--Students

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| Jul 31 | First day for students | Jan 01 | New Years Day |
| Aug 22 | Progress reports quarter 1 | Jan 04 | Establishment Day (observed 1/2/2025) - Instructional Day |
| Sep 02 | Labor Day Holiday | Jan 08 | Caleb Joe Powskey Day (Instructional Day) |
| Sep 19 | First quarter ends | Jan 20 | Martin Luther King Holiday |
| Sep 26 | Native American Day (observed) | Feb 03 | Progress reports quarter 3 |
| Sept 23 - 26 | Fall Break | Feb 17 | President's Day Holiday |
| Sep 30-Oct 3 | First quarter report cards go home w/ PT Conf | Feb 20 | 100th Day of School |
| Oct 14 | Indiginous Peoples Day | Mar 06 | Third quarter Ends |
| Oct 24 | Progress reports quarter 2 | March 10-13 | Spring Break |
| Nov 11 | Veteran's Day | Mar 17-20 | Third quarter report cards go home w/ PT Conf |
| Nov 27-28 | Thanksgiving Break | Mar - Apr | State Testing to be announced |
| Dec 19 | Second quarter ends | Apr-24 | Progress reports quarter 4 |
| Dec 19 | Second Quarter report cards go home | May 21 | Last Day for Students/End of 4th grading period |
| Dec 23-Jan 1 | Winter Break | May 21 | Fourth Quarter report cards go home |

STUDENT DAYS:

1st Semester 73

2nd Semester 74

Total 147 days

2024 Graduation Ceremonies • May
 Submitted by: Adeline Crozier | Hualapai Tribal Administration



2024 GRADUATION CEREMONIES

Kingman High School	May 20, 2024
Kingman Academy of Learning	May 22, 2024
Lee Williams High Sch.	May 21, 2024
Music Mnt. Jr/Sr. High	May 15, 2024
Seligman School	May 23, 2024
Valentine School	May 16, 2024

Boarding Schools

Chemawa Indian School	May 24, 2024
Riverside Indian School	May 10, 2024
Sherman Indian School	May 8, 2024 (Inter-tribal) May 9, 2024

Hualapai Education & Training Department • Hualapai Per Capita Finance Classes*Submitted by: Adeline Crozier | Hualapai Tribal Administration*

Hualapai Per Capita Finance Classes

Here is a free, fun way to learn personal finance concepts to develop important life skills, brought to you by the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis Native Economic and Financial Education Empowerment (NEFEE)

Cost: FREE

When: These self-paced classes are open any time from April 1, 2024 to August 1, 2024. It is designed for high school graduates to fulfill their obligation to obtain their per capita from the Hualapai Tribe. It includes around 6 hours of content.

What: Through videos, Q&As and interactive online modules, learners will discover and apply essential concepts, including:

- How to create and keep a budget
- How to evaluate everyday decisions
- How to use savings and credit responsibly

Certificate: Those who successfully complete all of the content in the syllabus will receive, at no cost, a certificate certifying their achievement.

How to log in: Note, you must have a gmail account to register. If you do not have a gmail account, no worries, we will be able to help you log in. Please contact:

Jonell Tapija @ (928) 769-2200
or
Jonell.Tapija@hualapai-nsn.gov

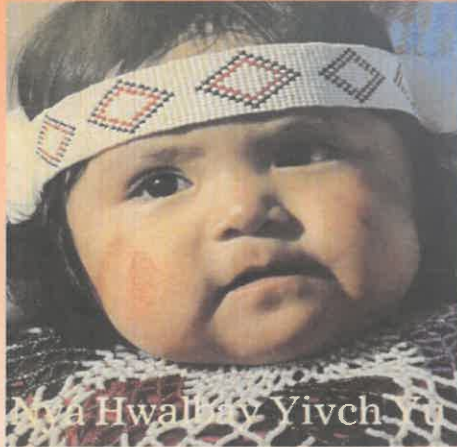


Hualapai Per Capita Trust • Cultural Classes Required to Receive a Certificate

Submitted by: Camille Nighthorse | Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources



HUALAPAI PER CAPITA TRUST



Cultural Classes Required to receive a certificate of certification

There are four quizzes to be taken to receive a certificate of completion which would satisfy the Cultural requirement of receiving your payout from the per capita trust account.

Email: marcie.craynon@hualapai-nsn.gov at Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources to get the reading materials for taking your quizzes.

Cultural Class 1: Civics

Cultural Class 2: Stories

Cultural Class 3: Cultural Geography

Cultural Class 4: Ethnobotany

Each quiz coincides with the email address that it comes from, thus each student/individual must request for the test to receive their own quiz. This helps keep track through an Excel spreadsheet automatically generated on Google Forms.

After passing each quiz, you will receive a certificate of completion by email. It is your responsibility to turn in your certificate to the Tribal Office to begin the process of your per capita trust payout. Hualapai Cultural Resource Center is not responsible for filling out any forms or turning in certificates of completions to the Tribal Office.



Food Handler Training Class • Thursday, May 23rd

Submitted by: Adeline Crozier | Hualapai Tribal Administration

FOOD HANDLER TRAINING CLASS

WHEN: Thursday May 23, 2024

TIME: 6:00 PM

WHERE: Multi-Purpose Building



Food Handler certification is valid for 2 years.
Training takes 2 hours to complete with a quiz at the end.

Food Handler Training consists of:

- Basic principles of Food Safety
- Proper temperature control for food
- Preventing cross contamination
- Proper hygiene practices

To register for training:

Manny Siyuja

msiyuja@mohave.edu / (928) 757-4305

Questions regarding the training module:

Devin Temple

Devin.Temple@ihs.gov / (928) 669-3179



Tribal Webinar: National Rabies Program • Wednesday, May 29th

Submitted by: Adeline Crozier | Hualapai Tribal Administration



Tribal Webinar: National Rabies Program

May 29, 2024, 1pm EDT

The upcoming webinar intends to provide you with an update on the status of rabies in the US and globally, and what actions APHIS is taking to manage wildlife rabies in the US.

To learn more about the Wildlife Services, NRMP, visit:

<https://www.aphis.usda.gov/national-wildlife-programs/rabies>

Registration: <https://forms.office.com/g/GPwH0ketDc>

Web Join URL:

<https://coreshield.zoomgov.com/join/1607527485?pwd=MWtVMzJwNlJFcno0Z20xbXU5WDI3dz09>

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Meeting ID: 160 752 7485

Meeting Password: w2jKiADBh

Dial-in information: +1 669-254-5252 US
+1 646-828-7666 US



For More Information

Contact: Denise Salvetti

Email: denise.salvetti@usda.gov

HEALTH & SAFETY INFORMATION

Hualapai SDPI • Let's Move in May—Calendar of Events

Submitted by: Athena Crozier | Hualapai SDPI



LET'S MOVE IN MAY!

HSDPI Fitness center 950 Rodeo Circle 769-2644
 HOURS: M-Th 530am-7pm, F: 530a-300p, Sat.: 7a-3p
 HSDPI admin 926 Hualapai Way 769-1630/2075 HOURS: M-F 800a - 500p

MONDAY	5:30 AM 12-1P 700 PM	open circuit workouts (1 on 1 or group sessions) close
TUESDAY	530 AM 12-1P 230P-3P 700 PM	open circuit workouts (1 on 1 or group sessions) chair exercises @ tribal office w/ Damen close
WEDNESDAY	530 AM 12-1P 200P-230P 700 PM	open circuit workouts (1 on 1 or group sessions) chair exercises @ health dept. w/ Damen close
THURSDAY	530 AM 12-1 PM 230P- 300P 700 PM	open circuit workouts (1 on 1 or group sessions) chair exercises @ health dept. w/ Damen close
FRIDAY	530 AM 12 - 1PM 300 PM	open circuit workouts (1 on 1 or group sessions) close
SATURDAY	700A-300PM	OPEN GYM

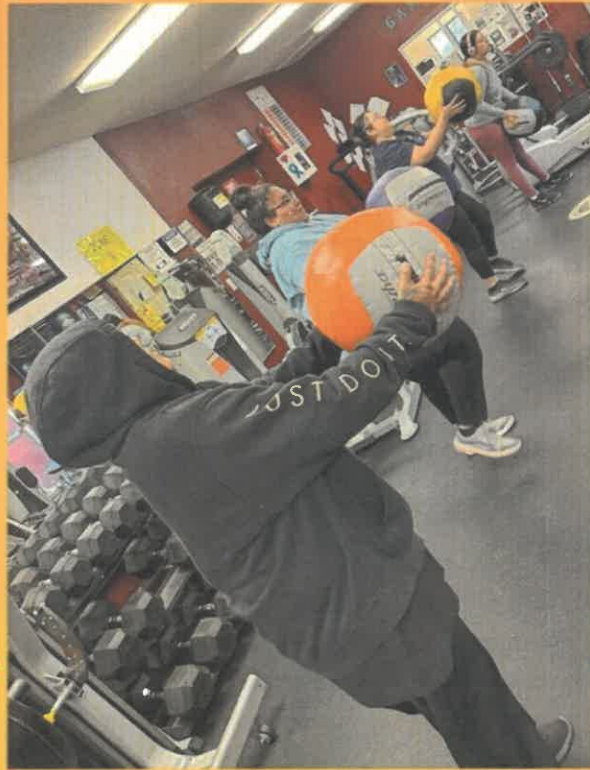
HUALAPAI SDPI EVENTS

- WEEK 1: BENCH PRESS- HOW MUCH CAN YOU LIFT @FITNESS
- WEEK 2: 1 MILE WALK/RUN EACH DAY;
5K & 1 MILE WALK/RUN- 5/9- 12NOON @ 66 PARK
- WEEK 3: DEADLIFT: HOW MUCH WEIGHT CAN YOU LIFT @ FITNESS
YETI RUN/WALK CHALLENGE @GREY MTN.- TUES. 14TH & FRI 17TH @12P
WOMEN'S NIGHT 5/13: 5P - 7P; BIKING EXHIBITION: 5/15@12NOON
- WEEK 4: OUTDOOR VOLLEYBALL (M & F) @ FITNESS 12PM
CIRCUIT TRAINING (T,W, TH) 12PM
- WEEK 5: SQUAT: HOW MUCH YOU WEIGHT CAN YOU LIFT @FITNESS
BIKING EXHIBITION: 5/29@12NOON- MEET AT FITNESS

KEEP IT MOVING HUALAPAI

Hualapai SDPI: Women's Night • Monday, May 13th
Submitted by: Athena Crozier | Hualapai SDPI

WOMEN'S NIGHT



MONDAY
MAY 13, 2024
5:30PM-7PM

IF YOU HAVE MORE QUESTIONS CALL THE FITNESS CENTER
928-769-2644

◆ BRING A WORKOUT PARTNER/BUDDY ◆ BRING YOUR WATER

Hualapai SDPI: Women's Night • Tuesday, May 13th & Friday, May 17th
Submitted by: Athena Crozier | Hualapai SDPI

Are you up for a challenge?

A YETI RUN/WALK AT THAT?

Come and sign up and take this challenge

5K RUN 1 MILE WALK
UP GREY MOUNTAIN

MAY

14TH & 17TH

1 MILE WALK STARTS AT 12PM

5K RUN STARTS AT 12:15PM

Meet at Juvenile Parking lot

1ST, 2ND, AND 3RD PLACE PRIZES FOR
MALE AND FEMALE CATEGORIES. IF
YOU PLACE 1ST, 2ND OR 3RD ON THE
14TH YOU WILL NOT BE ELIGIBLE TO
RECEIVE ANOTHER INCENTIVE ON THE
17TH.

Contact Cotton at 769-1630 for more information



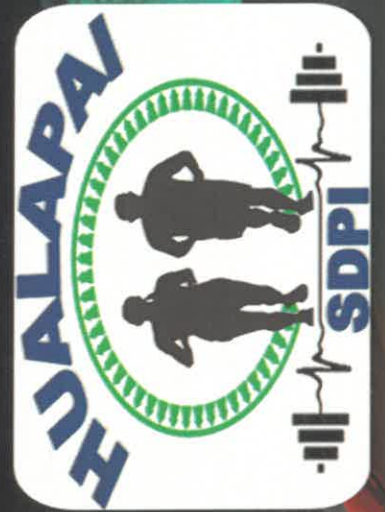
Hualapai SDPI: Rocky Mountain Biking Exhibition • Wednesday, May 15th & Wednesday, May 29th
Submitted by: Athena Crozier | Hualapai SDPI

ROCKY MOUNTAIN BIKING EXHIBITION



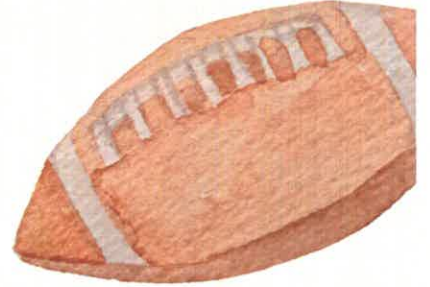
There Will Be 3 Days Out Of The Month Of May To Challenge Yourself
Biking Challenge May 1st, May 15th & May 29th Time: 12:00pm – 1:00pm @fitness center
Biking Challenge Will Be Based On The Trails Selected By The Fitness Specialist Who Will Be
Along For The Ride. All Participants Who Complete The Challenge Will Receive A Reward
“Good Luck”

Contact Damen Romo At Fitness Center For Any Questions (929) 769-2644



Personal Development in Sports • Friday, May 17th

Submitted by: Athena Crozier | Hualapai SDPI



Please Join Us!

Personal
Development in
Sports

On May 17th at 10am

Tribal Gym

930 Rodeo Way, Peach Springs, AZ 86434

Free
Sports
Equipment



Community Circle of Healing Gathering • Monday, June 10th—Thursday, June 13th

Submitted by: Adeline Crozier | Hualapai Tribal Administration



Community Circle of Healing Gathering

FOR THE HUALAPAI TRIBE

Music Mountain Jr./Sr. High School Gymnasium
16500 Highway 66 | Peach Springs, Arizona

JUNE 10-13 , 2024

9:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M. MST

Sponsored by SWIWC and the Hualapai Tribe and
Facilitated by Waylon Pahona Jr. & Johanna Corepno

T-SHIRTS TO ALL PARTICIPANTS

Breakfast & **LUNCH**
8:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Will Be Served Daily



If you need assistance
with Transportation
please contact HEW |
CALL OR TEXT
928-715-9590

COMMUNITY HEALING AFTER COVID

The community healing gathering will be centered on activities that will help the community work through trauma, grief and loss due to COVID. Activities will include discussion on gender based violence and provide survivors the tools to work through their trauma, and by extension help the community on a path towards healing.



This project is supported by the Arizona Department of Housing SFRF funds.

COMMUNITY MESSAGES

Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources • Thank You
Submitted by: Loveena Watahomigie | Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources



Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources
P.O. Box 310
Peach Springs, Arizona 86434
Office: 928.769.0001/2080

Hualapai Community,

On behalf of the Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources, we would like to extend our sincerest gratitude to the entire community for your overwhelming support and participation in the 2024 La Paz Memorial Run. The success of this event would not have been possible without your generous contributions and active involvement.

We were honored to see so many community members come together to honor and commemorate our Hualapai ancestors. Your presence and enthusiasm truly made a difference and added to the significance of the occasion.

We would like to express our heartfelt thanks to the community including the Hualapai Nation Police Department, Hualapai Code Enforcement, Hualapai Fire/EMS, Hualapai Game & Fish, Hualapai Forestry, Grand Canyon West Resort Corporation (GCRC), Hualapai Juvenile Detention Center, Hualapai Adult Detention Center, Hualapai Senior Services, and most of all, the runners and drivers. We'd also like to extend our thanks to the Colorado River Indian Tribes (CRIT) and those who volunteered to ensure the safety and welcoming of the runners. Your dedication and support played a vital role in making the 2024 La Paz Memorial Run a memorable and impactful experience for everyone involved.

We were inspired by the sense of unity and collaboration demonstrated throughout the event, and look forward to continuing to work together as a community to improve and successfully carry out future La Paz Runs.

Once again, thank you for your unwavering support and commitment to our Hualapai tribe. We value our partnership with the community and are grateful for the opportunity to make a positive difference together.

Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions or would like to discuss future collaboration opportunities.

Han kyu,

Hualapai Department of Cultural Resources Staff (Coordinators of 2024 La Paz Run)

Thrive Hualapai • Tall Pine Pitch Competition Awards

Submitted by: Kevin Davidson | Hualapai Planning Department

Thrive Hualapai Awards

After several months spent on preparation and rehearsal, six Hualapai Tribal members gave their business proposal pitches to a panel of experts on the evening of May 1st at the Music Mountain School gymnasium. Some 50 people were in attendance to see the presenters vie for the top prize of \$5,000 to help launch their businesses.

After hearing answers to several dozen questions ranging from test marketing and per unit costs to T-shirt printing techniques and experience with constructing buildings, the judges handed their top three picks to Messrs. Manny Siyuja and Longfeather Fox, the sponsors of the competition in association with Mohave Community College and Syncurrent.



Mr. Fox presents the \$5,000 first place check to Ms. Nighthorse while Mr. Siyuja looks on.

Nighthorse Ranch Retreat will provide a place for the world-weary among us to unwind from their hectic lives by offering such activities as a sweat lodge, an art studio, horseback riding and a massage.

Hualapai thanks all the participants for their gumption and courage to prepare and then make their presentations and also good fortune in their business ventures.

Third place, in the amount of \$1,500, was awarded to Ms. Madelena Herrera owner of Maddy's Creations, a custom boutique that specializes in personalized gifts, varying from chocolate covered strawberries, to Teddy Bears, roses, and balloons. Her attention to detail sets her apart from the competition.

Mr. Cody Majenty received a \$3,000 check for second place. Mr. Majenty is planning to launch Discover Grand Canyon West, a tour company for seeing the sites at Grand Canyon West. With several million tourists passing through Kingman each year, Mr. Majenty's goal is to capture some of that trade.

First place went to Ms. Camille Nighthorse for her healing retreat proposed on the east side of the Hualapai Reservation.



Mr. Majenty holds his \$3,000 check for second place while Mr. Fox and Mr. Siyuja look on.



Ms. Herrera is happy to receive her \$1,500 third place award from Mr. Siyuja and Mr. Fox.

Grand Canyon West Anniversary 36th Celebration • Raffle Winners
 Submitted by: Adeline Crozier | Hualapai Tribal Administration



✓ **Hualapai Enrolled Tribal Members Ages 5 & Under:**

Valontin Walema
 Beau Querta
 Karsyn Querta
 Adonis Valenzuela
 Cedar Two Bulls
 Arielle Powsey

Schyle Vaughn Jr.
 Arrow Henson
 Cedriah Watahomigie
 Liam Honga
 Amara Warbington
 Clarissa Sullivan

Dorvian Jones
 Danyonna Marshall-Yazzie
 Severilene Russell
 Zyanya Grover

✓ **Hualapai Enrolled Tribal Members Ages 6 - 17:**

Kurt Russell
 Bryant Smith
 Gabriela Whatoname
 Summer Jackson
 Shania Walema
 Penelope Wakayuta

Ayianna Counts
 Angel Gonzales
 Harrington Wescogame
 Kershaw Walema
 Aliya Cruz
 Zayda Barnett

Larissa Walema
 Anna' Mae Johnson
 Domnick Robledo
 Malaiya Powsey
 Madeline Talieje
 Eli Doolin

✓ **Hualapai Enrolled Tribal Members Ages 18 & Over:**

Gerald Powsey
 Valan Washington
 Lyman Beecher
 Bryson Grover
 Nevo Hernandez
 Thomas Phillips
 Garnett Querta

Angelique Has The Pipe
 Dina Fielding
 Crystal Wellington
 Marella- Tai Sullivan
 Coby Washington
 Tarase Marshall
 Rocky Lucero

Anna McCoig
 Melanie Powskey
 Gensean Putesoy
 Lorna Matuck
 Jacob Thompson
 Alexis Hecker
 Kara Walker

▶ All winners must contact the Marketing Department at Marketing@grandcanyonresort.com to claim your prize.

▶ Prizes can be picked up at the GCRC administration building starting Thursday May 2nd- May 10th.



**GRAND
 CANYON**
West

Hualapai Business Incubator & Syncurrent • Entrepreneurship at Hualapai
Submitted by: Matthew Jaquez | Syncurrent

Entrepreneurship at Hualapai Powered by The Hualapai Business Incubator & Syncurrent

WANT TO BUILD A BUSINESS?
You'll learn to...

- Build a winning business idea
- Sell your product with ease
- Work smarter, not harder
- Master the art of business plans

Point your camera below to get started!



or visit hualapai.syncurrent.com

KWLP "The Peach" - New Show • Julian Taylor's Jukebox
Submitted by: Billie Imus | KWLP 100.9FM—The Peach

KWLP's NEWEST NV1 PROGRAM

JULIAN TAYLOR'S JUKEBOX



Award-winning artist Julian Taylor (Mohawk) takes listeners on a genre-defying musical experience in this three-hour weekly mix, focusing on BIPOC and independent artists like himself.

BIPOC: Black, Indigenous and People of Color



"On my show, listeners can expect to hear what I would play them if we were hanging out at my place," Taylor explains. "It's all-inclusive, and I'll be spinning stuff that I love to listen to."

-Julian Taylor



Every Saturday from 11am to 2pm

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KWLP "The Peach" - New Show • The Main Stream with Brett Maybee
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THE MAINSTREAM

with **BRETT MAYBEE**

Redefining Traditional Radio

Saturday 2pm to 7pm

Host Brett Maybee (Seneca) curates a program that explores the best recorded music of yesterday and today.

Safe enough to play at work, but daring enough to never get bored.

Brett draws upon his love of all music to create the very best listening experience.

Brett is also a producer & host of Gaënö' Radio Show which airs on KWLP on Sunday's @ 2pm.



The Peach



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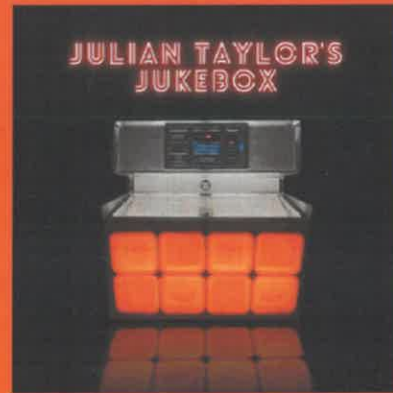
KWLP "The Peach" • New Shows on KWLP
 Submitted by: Terri Hutchens | KWLP 100.9FM—The Peach

Check out these new shows on KWLP!

Julian Taylor's Jukebox

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11:00 a.m. Saturdays



The Mainstream with Brett Maybee

Host Brett Maybee (Seneca) curates a three-hour daily program that explores the best recorded music of yesterday and today. Safe enough to play at work, but daring enough to never get bored, Brett draws upon his love of all music to create the very best listening experience.

2:00 p.m. Saturdays



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KWLP "The Peach"—April Volunteer of the Month • Lyndee Hornell AKA DJ Chica
Submitted by: Terri Hutchens | KWLP 100.9FM—The Peach

WE LOVE OUR VOLUNTEERS



*"The Peach," Proudly Announces and Congratulates
 April 2024 Volunteer of the Month
 Lyndee Hornell, aka DJ Chica*



After a long hiatus, Lyndee Hornell, aka DJ Chica, is back on The Peach Airways regularly! Yeah!!!! She brings her vibrance and enthusiasm to KWLP during two local and live shows: Chica's Playlist Tuesdays 3 to 5 and Roots and Riddims Thursdays 3 to 5. If your afternoon is dragging, her upbeat music selections and energetic talk are sure to rev it up for you! She'll bring you up to speed about what is happening with cultural activities in the PSA too. This year, she was again central in helping KWLP staff with all the amazing spring Reggae Concert GiveAways—both in hosting the drawings and in voicing some of the promotional spot. She also kept listeners in the know with Facebook posts—all in addition to being a busy mom & performing duties for the Cultural department, including co-organizing and participating in LaPaz this month. As Volunteer of the Month, Lyndee receives incentives from our advertisers and sponsors valued at over \$100.00 and is eligible to be Volunteer of the Year 2024 and possibly win \$500.00 worth of incentives.

If you might be interested in joining our Peach Volunteer crew and receiving great incentives and have tons of fun too, please stop by the station or give us a call at (928) 769-1110.

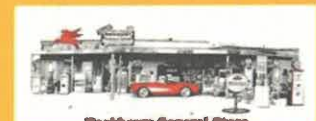
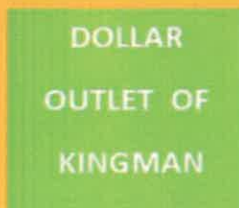
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KWLP “The Peach” • Thank You to Our April Advertisers
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KWLP 100.9 FM wants to send out a big HANK ‘YU to these local businesses for their support of The Peach during April 2024!

These local businesses supported KWLP and the community listeners by sponsoring shows, purchasing ads, providing gift cards and making other donations for KWLP’s LISTEN TO WIN giveaways and volunteer participation incentives!



- Some of these businesses are giving discounts to customers who mention hearing their ad on KWLP!
- Stop by these businesses and get the benefits when you can and please thank them for supporting your live and local station!
- Be sure to listen to *100.9 fm* for details about these promotions!



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KWLP 100.9FM - California Roots • Friday, May 24th - Sunday, May 26th

Submitted by: Terri Hutchens | KWLP 100.9FM—The Peach

2024 California Roots MONTEREY, CA

SPECIAL FRIDAY PERFORMANCE BY

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FRIDAY - MAY 24

**ZIGGY • E-40 &
MARLEY • TOO \$HORT**

**J BOOG • THE ELOVATERS • FORTUNATE YOUTH
XAVIER RUDD • LIVING LEGENDS • KABAKA PYRAMID
TROPIDELIC • ARISE ROOTS**

SATURDAY - MAY 25

TRAFFIC JAM

**DAMIAN JR. GONG & STEPHEN
MARLEY • MARLEY**

BURNING SPEAR

**TRIBAL SEEDS • THE EXPENDABLES
SOULS OF MISCHIEF • RAWAYANA • L.A.B
CLAIRE WRIGHT • THE WIDE EYED KIDS**

SUNDAY - MAY 26

REBELUTION • ICE CUBE

**PEPPER • LUPE FIASCO • COLLIE BUDDZ
THE GREEN • LITTLE STRANGER • ARTIKAL SOUND SYSTEM
COYOTE ISLAND • DMP**

MONTEREY COUNTY FAIR & EVENT CENTER

CALIFORNIAROOTSFESTIVAL.COM

Hualapai Recreation • May Calendar of Events
 Submitted by: *Omaovensi Coochwyetewa* | Hualapai Recreation



May 2024

HUALAPAI RECREATION



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
5	6 Men's Night 6:00pm-7:30pm	7 Chair Volleyball 12pm Adult Volleyball League 6pm	8 Women's Night 6:30-8pm	9 Chair Volleyball 12pm 13-17 Co-Ed League 6pm	10 10am - 4:30pm Mother's Day Bazaar	11 Fireball Tournament
13 <i>Mother's Day</i>	14 Chair Volleyball 12pm- Dunk Show w/Flight 3 pm - 5:30 pm Adult Volleyball League	15 Women's Night 6:30-8pm	16 Chair Volleyball 12pm 13-17 Co-Ed League 6pm	17 10-12 College Presenter	18 Open Gym	19
19	20 Men's Night 6:00pm-7:30pm	21 Chair Volleyball 12pm Adult Volleyball League 6pm	22 Women's Night 6:30-8pm	23 Chair Volleyball 12pm 13-17 Co-Ed League 6pm	24	25 10-12 Year Old Tournament
26	27 Closed Memorial Day	28 Chair Volleyball 12pm Adult Volleyball League 6pm	29 Women's Night 6:30-8pm	30 Chair Volleyball 12pm	31	



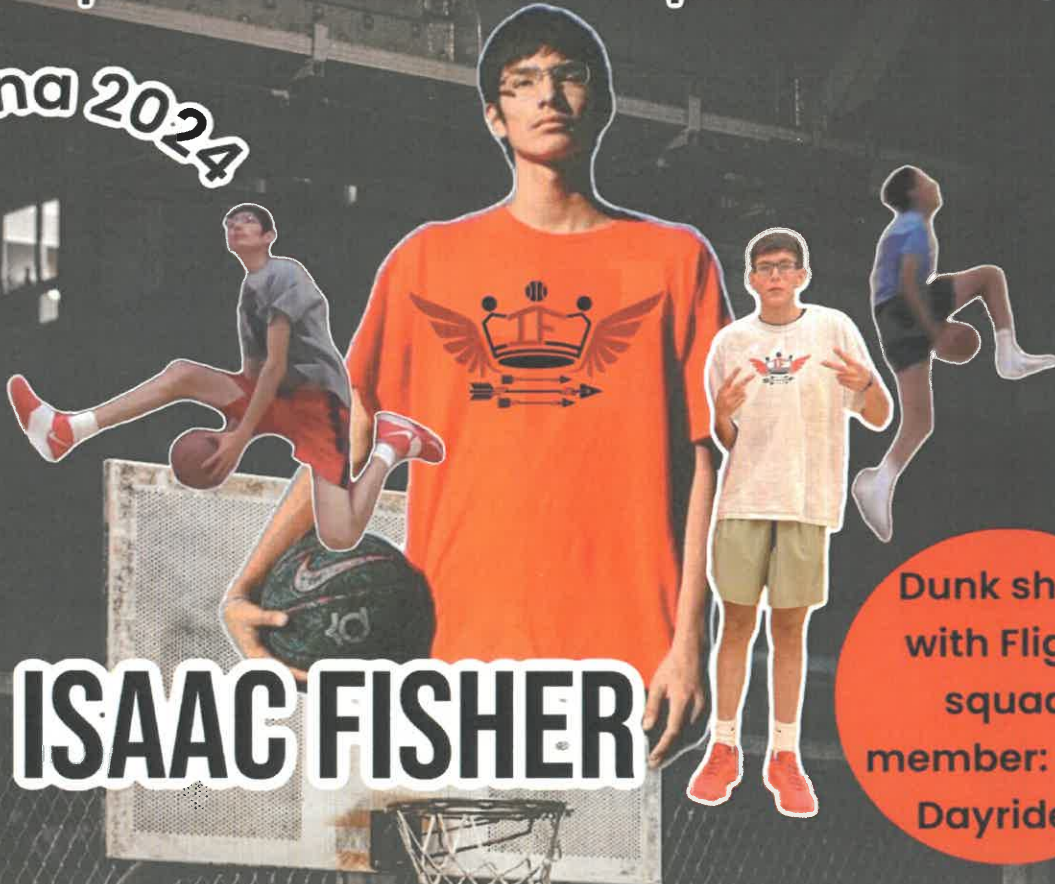
“Around here, however, we don’t look backwards for very long. We keep moving forward, opening up new doors and doing new things... and curiosity keeps leading us down new paths.”



The Hualapai & White Mountain Apache Dream Tour • Tuesday, May 14th
Submitted by: Adeline Crozier | Hualapai Tribal Administration

The Hualapai & White Mountain Apache Dream Tour

Arizona 2024



ISAAC FISHER

Dunk show
with Flight
squad
member: Syllis
Dayrider.

Inspirational/Motivational Speaker/Basketball Dunk Artist

Facebook: Isaac Fisher

Instagram: Slender_giant33



Music Mountain Jr / Sr High school

05/14/2024 At 10 am

Community Gym At 3 pm

isaacfisHEREvents@gmail.com

10-12 Year Old Co-ed Basketball Tournament • Saturday, May 25th
Submitted by: Omaovensi Coochwyetewa | Hualapai Recreation

HUALAPAI RECREATION

10-12 YEAR OLD
CO-ED

BASKETBALL

TOURNAMENT

SATURDAY MAY 25, 2024

GET IN THE GAME, AND COME TO

HUALAPAI TRIBAL GYMNASIUM

10 PLAYER LIMIT | DOUBLE ELIMINATION | \$100 ENTRY FEE

ENTRY FEE DEADLINE: FRIDAY MAY 17 BY 5PM

ONE CHAMPIONSHIP GAME - 1ST, 2ND & 3RD PLACE

ALL TEAMS MUST DEPOSIT \$50 HALF OF ENTRY FEE BY THE DEADLINE DATE & THE REMAINDER MUST BE PAID BEFORE FIRST GAME. NO PAY NO PLAY!! HUALAPAI RECREATION ACCEPTS MONEY ORDER ONLY! ENTRY FEE IS NON-REFUNDABLE.

FOR INFORMATION CALL 928-769-2652

13th Annual Summer Sizzler: Open Boys & Girl's Basketball Tournament • June 1st & 2nd
Submitted by: Omaovensí Coochwytewa | Hualapai Recreation



2024
13TH ANNUAL
**SUMMER
SIZZLER**

OPEN BOYS & GIRLS
BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT
JUNE 1ST & 2ND
PEACH SPRINGS TRIBAL GYM
ENTRY FEE: \$150 <> DEADLINE: MAY 24TH BY 5PM

HIGH SCHOOL 13-18 YR OLDS

***10 Player Limit *Double Elimination *MVP**

***Hoodies *One Championship Game *1st, 2nd & 3rd Place**

ALL TEAMS MUST deposit half of entry fee \$75.00 by the deadline date & the remainder MUST be paid before first game. NO PAY NO PLAY! Money Order Payments ONLY! (Entry Fee is Non-Refundable) To enter your team or for more information call Hualapai Recreation @ 928.769.2652

"THIS IS NOT A CO-ED TOURNAMENT"

Hardwood Classic: Open Men's & Women's Basketball Tournament • July 26th & 27th

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HARDWOOD CLASSIC

★ OPEN MENS & WOMENS ★
BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

JULY 26 & 27, 2024
PEACH SPRINGS, ARIZONA

1ST, 2ND, & 3RD
PLACE DRYFIT
SHIRTS
*MVP

ENTRY FEE: \$150 DEADLINE: JULY 19TH BY 5PM

ENTRY FEE IS NON-REFUNDABLE ALL TEAMS MUST DEPOSIT HALF OF FEE \$75.00 BY DEADLINE DATE & REMAINDER MUST BE PAID BEFORE FIRST GAME "NO PAY NO PLAY" HUALAPAI RECREATION ACCEPTS MONEY ORDERS OR COMPANY CHECK ONLY! TO ENTER YOUR TEAM OR FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL 928-769-2652; PLEASE LEAVE YOUR NAME, TEAM NAME & CONTACT INFORMATION.

Hualapai Days: All Indian Men's & Women's Basketball Tournament • September 21st & 22nd

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2024 HUALAPAI DAYS
ALL INDIAN
Mens & Womens
BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

PEACH SPRINGS TRIBAL GYM
SEPTEMBER 21 & 22, 2024

10 PLAYER ROSTER
Incase of a protest, each player must bring proof of C.I.B

DOUBLE ELIMINATION
1ST, 2ND & 3RD PLACE
*** ALL TOURNEY *MVP**

ALL Teams MUST have deposit of \$150 by deadline date in order to be considered for tournament, the remainder of fee MUST be paid before FIRST game; "NO PAY NO PLAY" ENTRY FEE MUST be paid by MONEY ORDER or COMPANY CHECK ONLY & is also NON-REFUNDABLE. To enter your team or for more information please contact the Hualapai Recreation @ 928.769.2652 Please leave your name, Team name & contact phone number.

ENTRY FEE
\$200
DEADLINE
SEPT 13TH BY 5PM

Turkey Tip Off: Open Men's & Women's Basketball Tournament • November 15th & 16th

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OPEN MENS & WOMENS
BASKETBALL
TOURNAMENT

NOVEMBER 15 & 16, 2024
 HUALAPAI TRIBAL GYM, PEACH SPRINGS, AZ
 Entry Fee: \$150 <> Deadline Nov 8 By 5pm

10 PLAYER ROSTER
DOUBLE ELIMINATION-WINNER TAKE ALL
1ST, 2ND & 3RD PLACE AWARDS

ALL TEAMS MUST DEPOSIT HALF OF ENTRY FEE OF \$75 BY DEADLINE DATE IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED FOR TOURNAMENT, AND REMAINDER MUST BE PAID BEFORE FIRST GAME. "NO PAY, NO PLAY" HUALAPAI RECREATION ACCEPTS MONEY ORDERS OR COMPANY CHECKS ONLY! TO ENTER YOUR TEAM OR FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT HUALAPAI RECREATION @ 928.769.2652. PLEASE BE SURE TO LEAVE YOUR NAME, TEAM NAME & CONTACT PHONE NUMBER.