




Indian Education Program February Newsletter 2014

Long ago, Native Tribes of the north & east called February's full moon *Snow Moon* because of heavy snow fall during this month.



Some Tribes called February's full moon *Hunger Moon* because harsh winters made hunting difficult. February's full moon is Saturday the 15th! Source: Farmer's Almanac

 Families, please join us at our next Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) Meeting & Culture Night:

- ◆ Thursday Feb. 6, 2014
- ◆ 5:30-7PM
- ◆ Firgrove Elementary, portable 35
- ◆ 13918 Meridian S, Puyallup 98373.

Agenda: 2014-15 Grant Application-Initial Counts & Family Survey

Menu: Pasta & Salad

Craft: Seahawk T-Shirts! (Please RSVP size)

Reminder: All parents/guardians, students, & family members are welcome at our PAC meetings. Meetings are potluck, please share a favorite dish.


2013-14 PAC Meetings:

February 6	May 1
March 6	May 29: Graduation Celebration
April 10	



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District & Community Events

- Feb. 2: Groundhog Day
- Feb. 3: School Board Mtg @ Ballou JH 6PM
- Feb. 11: Remember to Vote! 
- Feb. 14: St. Valentine's Day
- Feb. 17: President's Day-No School
- Feb. 18: Mid Winter Break-No School
- Feb. 19: Supplemental Day-No School
- Feb. 24: School Board Mtg @ Ballou JH 6PM

Powwows & Cultural Events

- Feb. 1: Chief Leschi Schools/Puyallup Tribe Powwow. Grand Entry 7PM
- Feb. 5: 40th Anniversary of the Boldt Decision. Treaty Tribes will come together from 10AM-4PM @ Squaxin Skookum Event Center
- Feb. 7: First Friday with Swil Kanim @ Stuarts (Seattle Public Market) from 7-10PM. Swil (Lummi) is a world-class virtuoso violinist. Free & donations of wool socks are welcomed!
- Feb. 15-16: Sa' Heh' Wa' Mish Days @ Skookum Creek Event Center in Shelton. Grand Entries: Sat. 1 & 7PM, Sun. 1PM
- Feb. 27-28: Western WA Native American Education Consortium (WWNAEC) Educator's Conference @ Emerald Queen Event Center

Family Survey Coming Soon!

Please look for our Title VII Indian Education Program Survey to arrive in your email this month. Please take a few minutes to provide us with your valuable feedback that helps us to develop our goals for next school year.

Cherokee Language Lesson:

Happy Valentine's Day: Ha-li-he-li-g(a)
a-da-ge-y(u)-di hu-do-da-gwi-sv-l

Source: Bo Taylor, Museum of the Cherokee Indian Archivist



February Birthdays

Kaitlynn Adkins Ross Amell Layla Bain Michael Bald Eagle Coleton Brannon Shayla Dickerson		Sammy Espinosa Aidan Fernando Hunter Grabowski Miguel Guillen Sara Haines Kaylin Harmon		Jenny Harwood Laleesha Lerma Simon Perryman Joseph Sherry Chase Skuza Alison Smith		Brody Smith Sam Tschida Elysia Williams Happy Birthday!
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January Perfect Attendance— 107 Students!!!

Kaitlynn Adkins Abigail Alonso Joseph Alonso Alicia Aragon Austin Aragon TylerRaye Arola Garrett Arthur Zach Baermann Brooke Bair Valerie Ballard Chase Baker Michael Bald Eagle Michelle Bald Eagle Mia Beaver Muttellokee Beaver Nathaniel Bernson Rebecca Bernson Kaylie Bjurback Mackenzie Broyles Victoria Cartwright Baehmer Jessica Clubb Zack Clubb Dawson Cory Atticus Crain Duane Crinklaw Shelby Cross	Aaron Crow Makayla Crow Mariah Cruz Kylie Davis Annalise Douglas Aidan Fernando Alexandra Fernando Kailer Fisher Katie Flores Jessie Foster Shannon Freeman Abigail Gilsdorf Jacob Gilsdorf Hunter Grabowski Kaylin Harmon Jelani Heath Emma Hodges James Hook Abigail Hopkins Tristan Hopkins Zach Hopkins Jamie Horner Tyler Humphrey Bradley Jamison Paisley Jamison Kali Jardine Lani Jardine	Nathan Johnston Kiana Joyner Livia Joyner Austin Kerr Isabella Kieffer Amy King Laleesha Lerma Sam Marcoe Braden Matt Audrey McGowan Nashell Mendoza Amber Morrison Madison O'Leary Cruz Perez Isabella Perryman Simon Perryman Connor Peters Frances Redshirt Ian Reed Payton Reed Sierra Reeves Lance Richmond Luke Richmond McKenna Roan Amanda Rogers Jamie Root Stephanie Sales	Breanne Searing Bryce Shade Chase Skuza Raven Sloan-Clark Chloe Smiley Alison Smith Brianna Soulier Gabriel Soulier Kaileigh Sterling Marissa Stewart Griffin Stiffarm Shelby Stiffarm Kelsey Stryker Abigail Tkach Giselle Tkach Samuel Trahan Ben Tschida Katie Tschida Sam Tschida Tristan Valdez Darin Villarias David Ward Branden Wescott Ayden Williams Theresa Williams Sarah Willie CONGRATS! WAY TO GO!
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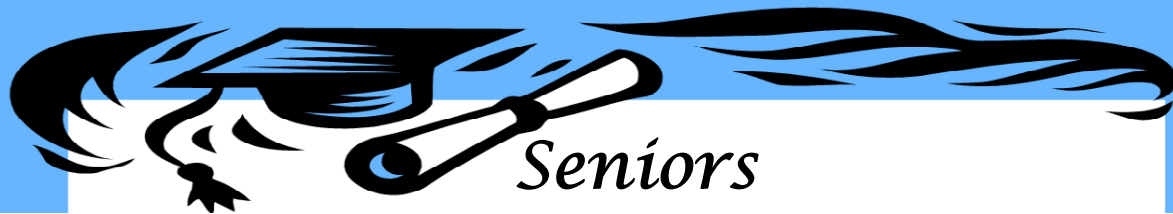


Is your child interested in playing violin?

We have gently used violins that are in need of good homes!

Martha Sherman, a supporter of our Program, has graciously donated 10 violins to our Program. If your child is interested in a violin, please contact Indian Education Specialists Laura or Michelle at 253-840-8852 or email: goodall@puyallup.k12.wa.us or marcoma@puyallup.k12.wa.us A special thank you to Martha Sherman!





- ◆ **Class of 2014 Indian Education Program Graduation Celebration** will be held on Thursday May 29th from 5-7PM at Firgrove Elementary. Please share with us your ideas for food, activities, & recognition. We look forward to honoring you!
- ◆ We would like to feature you in a future newsletter and our webpage. Please share your high school highlights, achievements, & post high school plans. We are excited to hear about your future plans!
- ◆ Please check your email for college scholarship information. More scholarships & financial aid info can be found on our webpage. Find Title VII Indian Education Program under Programs at www.puyallup.k12.wa.us

Thank you to the Puyallup & Muckleshoot Tribes for awarding our Program Charity Fund Grants of \$1500 each . These grants will help in meeting our goals in the areas of :

- ◆ Attendance Recognition
- ◆ Graduation
- ◆ Tribal History
- ◆ Cultural Learning



Title VII Indian Education Budget 2013-14

Budget Category	Category Subtotal
Personnel	\$39,400
Travel	\$ 1,100
Equipment	\$ 0
Supplies	\$ 500
Contractual	\$ 270
Other	\$ 468
Indirect Costs	\$ 1,756
Budget Total	\$43,494



The Puyallup School District Title VII Indian Education Program serves 239 students in 30 schools.

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Title VII Indian Education Program Webpage:

Our webpage contains info, resources, curriculum, events & opportunities. Look under the Programs tab from the PSD main page: **Puyallup School District > Programs > Title VII Indian Education**

We value your ideas! Comments or questions? Contact: Title VII Indian Education Specialists: Laura Goodall & Michelle Marcoe Phone: 253-840-8852

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