West Segment News

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As you can see old man winter is upon us here is a picture as you enter our Valley.

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Last year during Halloween we didn't have any snow at all! This photo was taken the last day of October, it is unfortunate for our trick or treaters who probably won't be venturing out doors this year. On a positive note, West Segment sponsored a Halloween Bash that was held at the Mandaree School for our youth. They had a free carnival games and prizes and a photo booth. A masquerade and had prize monies for elders to juniors. Also a contest for best couple costume. The Halloween bash started at 10am to 3pm. Also those who want to get spooked and scared, West Segment had their haunted house open at the CARE building from October 24-30th. Even though we had chilly weather and snow West Segment came through for our kids along with the Mandaree School and offered them the trunk and treat and free carnival that all happened on Halloween day! Now we are in November this is just the beginning of our winter! Always be prepared for the weather!

Councilwoman Turner-Lone Fight Update



Happy Thanksgiving to everyone to those who live off the reservation and to those who live here in our community. Thanksgiving is a time to give thanks and be grateful for the many blessings we have. A time to be thankful for our families. Before I begin this update, I would like to remember those who are in the hospitals, nursing homes and those

who are sickly. We send our prayers of comfort to each and every one of you. Its hard to have loved ones in hospitals, and nursing homes, especially when the holidays are here. My sincere sympathies to the family and relatives who have lost beloved ones from our other segments.

Would you believe the last day in October we got our first winter storm watch, according to North Dakotans winter has arrived. Let us all take precautions as more winter days approach us.

We would like to thank the school for allowing us to have our community carnival during school hours in the new school gym so all the kids could participate and stay warm. This was a free event for all.

I would also like to thank our events staff and volunteers who made our haunted house a great success.

We celebrated our Veterans on the first of this month with a celebration and a meal. We had eight drum groups with specials for Posts and Auxiliary units in regalia and non-regalia categories. Thank you for your service. You can see pictures of our celebration on page six and seven of the West Segment News.

Just a reminder of some of our West Segment Up-coming Events.

November 21, 2023: Little Plume Head Start Thanksgiving meal at 12:45 at the Water Chief Hall.

November 21, 2023: Handing out Thanksgiving baskets to the community at 6pm during the Community Gathering Dinner.

December 1, 2023: We will be sending Christmas care packages to our active military, please contact our veteran's liaison Aaron Abby at (701) 421-5076 for more information or with a person you would like us

to include in our list.

December 8, 2023: Community Christmas Dinner at 5pm. Potato dance, musical chairs, ugly sweater contest and open microphone.

December 9, 2023: Parade of lights at 6pm. Tree lighting ceremony, and gingerbread contest.

December 18, 2023: Housing Decorating Contest and Country Homes judging (please have your lights on and sign up country homes.

Also for the elders who want their Thanksgiving baskets delivered can call 759.3377 for Renay and let them know.

On another note, I would like to say congratulations to LeeAnna and Frank Bear Claw. On the birth of their baby girl born on November 11, 2023 her name is Molly LouAnn Ellen Bear Claw. Again congratulations!

We are having a talent show for all West Segment community members for enrolled and non enrolled.

Judges will be announced. All prizes will have consolations. The Emcee will be Elton Spotted Horse and the DJ will be Les Yellow Wolf.

Sponsors: West Segment, A/P Contractors, Tex G. Hall, Baker Consulting LLC, WSDA, Lovina Fox. Organizers: Elton Spotted Horse, Cordell Mann, LeeAnna Nation, Jordan Fox, West Segment Events department. A meal is sponsored by West Segment.

We have a lot going on in our community for all our members to enjoy.

This is all I have for now, I would like to thank you for being a good reader. Have a Happy Thanksgiving!

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Councilwoman Gladys Sherry Turner-Lone Fight



Winter Safety Tips for Older Adults

HealthinAging.org

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Conditions and Warning Signs:

<u>Hypothermia:</u>

Hypothermia occurs when your body temperature drops to a dangerous level. Your body can drop when you are out in the cold for an extended time because it begins to lose heat quickly. Older adults are at an increased risk of hypothermia due to changes that happen to your body with aging.

Warning Signs:

- Cold skin that is pale or ashy
- Feeling very tired, confused and sleepy
- Feeling weak
- Problems walking
- Slowed breathing or heart rate.

Note: shivering is not a reliable warning sign because older people tend to shiver less or not at all when their body temperature drops.

- Stay indoors (or don't stay outside for very long)
- Keep indoor temperature at 65 degrees or warmer.
- Stay dry because wet clothing chills your body more quickly.
- Dress smart protect your lungs from cold air.
- Layer up! Wearing 2 or 3 thinner layers of loose-fitting clothing is warmer than a single layer of thick clothing. Think about getting your thermals!
- Essential winter wears; hats, gloves or preferably mittens, winter coat, boots and scarf to cover your mouth and nose.

Call 911 if you think you or someone else is experiencing hypothermia

Frostbite:

Frostbite occurs when your body experiences damage to the skin that can go all the way down to the bone. Not surprisingly, extreme cold can cause frostbite. It is most likely to occur on body parts farthest away from your heart. Common places include your nose, ears, cheeks, chin, fingers and toes. In severe cases, frostbite can result in loss of limbs. People with heart disease and other circulation problems are at higher risk.

Warning Signs:

- Skin that's white or ashy or grayish yellow
- Skin feels hard or waxy
- Numbness

Precautions to Take:

- Cover Up! All parts of your body should be covered when you to out in the cold.
- If skin turns red or dark or starts hurting get inside right away.
- If frostbite has happened.
- Run the affected area under warm (not hot) water.

Call for medical help if you think you or someone else has frostbite.

Falls:

- Make sure steps and walkways are clear before you walk. Be especially careful if you see wet pavements that could be iced over.
- Clear away snow and salt your walkways at home, or hire someone to do it.
- Wear boots with non-skid soles-this will prevent you from slipping.
- If you use a cane, replace the rubber tip before it is worn smooth.
- Consider an ice pick like attachment that fits onto the end of the cane for additional traction.

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Around West Segment

Mandaree School Students Accepting Monetary Donation From MHA Nation Tribal Business Council



It was a great day for the Mandaree School students who were on hand at the MHA Tribal headquarters located in New Town. On behalf of the Mandaree School there were students there personally to accept the monetary donation from the Tribal Business Council members.

MHA Tribal Business Council members who were there are as follows from left to right back row; Four Bears Segment Councilman Robert White, East Segment Councilman Fred Fox, West Segment Councilwoman Gladys Sherry Turner-Lone Fight, MHA Chairman Mark Fox, North East Segment Councilman Mervin Packineau, South Segment Councilman Cory Spotted Bear and Finance CFO Mr. Whitney Bell.

Students who were present are from left to right: Priscilla White Owl, Jaylese Baker-Espino, Passion Lincoln, Cora Mann. The boys are Korday Johnson and Ky Grady.

Around West Segment

Mandaree VFD Thanks Councilwoman Gladys Sherry Turner-Lone Fight & Tribal Business Council

Submitted by Marle Baker, West Segment Fire Chief



A very heartfelt thank you also to the fire guys that kept pushing and getting all the information and getting the necessary footwork that was needed. Mandaree VFD received their new 3000-gallon Water Tanker. This will enable us to triple our fire suppression capability! A much needed addition to the Fire Department arsenal in their mission to protect the community. A good day. –Marle Baker

This new 3000 gallon water tanker is a plus for our Mandaree VFD. We are very proud of our Mandaree Volunteer Department they all have come a long way. They have accomplished a lot in our community. We have our new fire emergency building and now this water tanker. We are very grateful for those who helped in this and for those who made sure all the important information got to the right people.

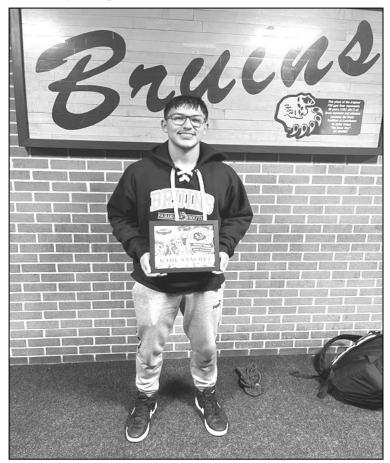
We are full of pride when it comes to our Mandaree VFD who are always on call when we need them. Thank you to each Volunteer Fire Department and everyone of you for your much needed service to our West Segment community.

You are all very much appreciated for all that you do.

Spotted Horse Earns Spot on Kickoff

For the Fargo South Bruins Team

Submitted by Elton Spotted Horse



Gabe Sanchez Spotted Horse is the son of Jessica Spotted Horse of Mandaree. Gabe is a freshman (9th grade). Who was recently called into duty on the kickoff and made a heck of a tackle after blowing through their wedge. Gabe has earned a spot on kickoff return teams. He currently plays with the Fargo South Bruins football team. Presently, Gabe is maintaining a 3.5 grade point average. He is doing excellent in his school academics. According to his grandfather Elton. His Coach will start him in varsity next year. Gabe is the grandson of Elton and Jeanine Spotted Horse. His mother and grandparents and family are very proud of him and his grade point average. He is doing very well.

On behalf of West Segment, we wish him the best in his athletic career and to keep up the good work on his school academics.

West Segment Veterans Dance

Veterans Day is celebrated in all our communities honoring service members. In part of the celebration each community invites local drum groups to come and sing so our community members can dance in celebration. Also for those who wish to have their personal song rendered by their selected drum group. I remember my aunt Wanda Sheppard telling me when we do something on our reservation it is always best to use our drum groups. These drum groups are a vital part of our culture in any celebration that we have here in each of our communities. thought it would be interesting to let everyone know the history of Veterans Day.

In 1968, Congress signed the Uniform Holiday Bill to ensure that a handful of federal holidays including Veterans Day would be celebrated hoping this decision would spur travel and family activities over a long weekend and stimulate the economy, according to the Department of Defense.

Under this bill, Veterans Day was set to be celebrated on the fourth Monday of every October, with the first Veterans Day under the new bill being held on October 25, 1971.

Most citizens were confused and unhappy about the change in and Bill Reeves, unknown. Mary Gachupin honored dates, and many chose to continue celebrating Veterans Day on November 11. After a few years of contention with the October holiday, former President Gerald Ford signed another law into effect on September 20, 1975, that returned Veterans Day to it's original November 11 observance, starting in 1978.

All communities within the Fort Berthold Reservation boundaries gathered at different times to honor the Veterans. Some families honor their Veterans during the celebration and usually a personal song or Veterans song is rendered so the ones honoring a veteran will dance with their family.

West Segment community had their Veterans dance recently and had veterans honored at that time. Councilwoman Gladys Sherry Turner-Lone Fight honored her husband who is a Veteran with a give away and a Veterans dance special. (pg. 16 for winners)

Others honored Veterans were; Mary Gachupin honored her good friend Ethel Baker Reeves, Preston Danks was honored. Colleen honored her aunts Lujuanna Young Bird and Glenda Good Bird. So as each community takes the time and effort to honor our veterans which is an honor for family and relatives. We remember if it wasn't for these veterans we wouldn't have our freedom.

Photos taken by LeeAnna Nation



From left to right; Mary Gachupin, Ethel Baker Reeves her good friend Veteran Ethel Baker Reeves, during the Veterans dance.



Far right is Colleen Halverson who honored her aunts who are veterans; Glenda Good Bird and Lujuanna Young Bird who served our country.

West Segment Veterans Dance

This photo was taken by Karen Lone Fight



Councilwoman Lone Fight with her husband veteran Ted Lone Fight III and veteran Tom Mandan.



During Ted Lone Fight's giveaway he honored Mary Gachupin with a star quilt. Rosie White Owl wraps her in her gift.



Ted also honored veteran Ethel Baker Reeves with a shawl and satin star quilt. Ethel was very honored as you can tell in this picture she is happy and smiling. Ethel is a very proud veteran. Pictured to your left is Ethel being escorted by one of her relatives. No name was given for the person helping her.

Rest of the photos taken by LeeAnna Nation



Clayton Danks dances with his son Preston and his mother Paula Danks.

Veteran Preston Danks is fighting a rare cancer, there has been several fundraisers held in New Town for him to help defray medical and travel costs. So to help with that a blanket dance was held for him during the Veterans dance here in Mandaree. In the photo below you will see four young ladies; in the front are Cora Mann, Christine Driver and the back are Charlee Driver and Telesia IU who carried the blanket around so people could donate. The young girl looking at the camera is Cora Mann, she is the daughter of Mychal Mann & LeeAnna Nation. Cora is the Sr. Princess and lead the blanket dance at the veterans celebration.



For Your Information

Letter to the Editor

We want to thank you for including Thomas Powers' review of our Sacagawea book in the paper. He is an outstanding, Pulitzer Prize winning author who supports the major finding that Sacagawea was Hidatsa, not Shoshone. He has also found additional information to discount the Ft Manuel story that says Sacagawea died there in 1812. The work on the Sacagawea book started in the Mandaree community in 2015 when we held a Sacagawea/Cherry Necklace Summit. The Sacagawea board members and authors of the book are Gerard Baker, Carol Newman, Calvin Grinnell, Bernie Fox and Wanda Sheppard. It is titled, Our Story of Eagle Woman, Sacagawea: They Got It Wrong.

Sandra and I have been enjoying the West Segment newspaper. The paper keeps us up on the people and happenings in the Mandaree area and some of the plans for further development there. The changes in the community are unbelievable. We remember when Mandaree was just an elementary school and the housing was for only employees of the school.

We thank Councilwoman Turner-Lone Fight for allowing off reservation elders to receive the paper.

Mr and Mrs. Dennis Fox

Albuquerque, New Mexico

Mark Your Calendars!

- Community Gathering & Talent Show will be on <u>Monday, November 20th</u> door open at 5:00pm. Thanksgiving baskets will be given out at 9:00am to 5:00pm. (page 20)
- The Christmas Community Party is already scheduled for <u>Saturday</u>, <u>December 9th at 1:00pm</u>.
- If you have any questions regarding any information you may call the Water Chief Hall at 759-3377.

Thank You To Councilwomen Gladys Sherry Turner-Lone Fight

Hello Councilwoman Lone Fight, on behalf of the Young Hawk/Bear Post 253 American Legion Auxiliary.

THANK YOU so much for your \$1500 donation. It is greatly appreciated! The donation will help us with our activities: Memorial Day, Flag Day, Veteran's Christmas Social, Welcome Home for active Service men and women and other activities as they arise.

If you are able to please join us for our Veteran's Day Program November 11 at 11am at the Old Ralph Wells Complex. God Bless you.

Madonna Azure, Lifetime Member Post 253 Auxiliary

Update From NDDOT On Highway 73 & Highway 22

The portion of Highway 73 that was closed for the roundabout construction is <u>now open</u> to traffic. However, some work remains to be completed this year. We ask that motorists slow down and use caution throughout the work zone.

David Finley

Assistance Communications Director

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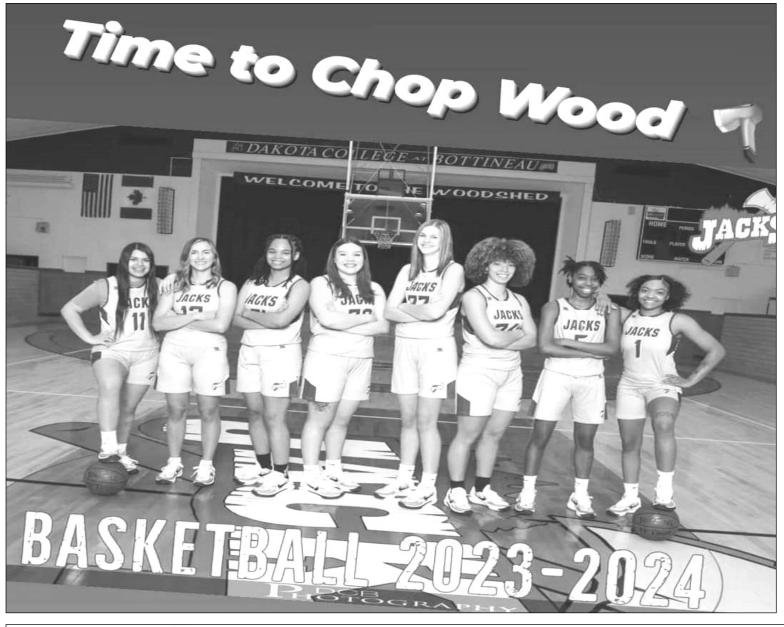
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Website: www.dot.nd.gov



Transportation

2023-24 Lumberjack Women's Basketball



Two students who recently graduated from Mandaree High School are now playing for the Lumberjack Women's Basketball team from Bottineau College. In the team photo on your left is number 11 Jewels Lone Fight, her parents are Ted & Sherry Lone Fight. The fourth one down from Jewels is number 30 BrandeeRhae Mays, her parents are Acorn & Anastasia Holds the Enemy. On behalf of West Segment we are very proud of these girls we wish them the best of luck in this years season!

2023-24 Lumberjack Women's Basketball Roster

Number \$	Name 🗢	Position \$	Class	Height	Hometown	High School
1	Kiara Comeaux	Guard	FR	5'8"	Lafayette, LA	Highland Baptist High School
5	Amari Butler	Guard	FR	5'9"	Franklin, LA	Franklin High School
11	Jewels Lone Fight	Guard	FR	5'8"	Mandaree, ND	Mandaree High School
12	Rozalind Strong	Guard	SO	5'8"	Dunseith, ND	Dunseith High School
21	Hadiya Woods	Forward	FR	6'1"	Shalotte, NC	West Brunswick High School
23	Hanna Plumbtree	Center	FR	6'3"	Fullerton, NE	Fullerton High School
30	BrandeeRhae Mays	Forward	FR	6'0"	Mandaree, ND	Mandaree High School
34	Karrington Eugene	Forward	FR	6'1"	Youngsville, LA	Southside High School

Appreciation Dinner for Elementary Cross-Country Team & Parents

Submitted by Tia Mandan



We recently had an appreciation dinner for our elementary cross country team and parents. It was an awesome turnout! Thanks again parents for bringing your awesome dishes and showing your support to the kiddos.

Thanks to the coaches; Mike, Amanda, Marea and Hunter, you all did an awesome job this season!

Thank you, DeVille family, for providing the team with personalized sweaters for each runner, and for gifting me with the beautiful Pendleton, also to West Segment staff for the help this season allowing us to utilize the jump house.



Great turn out of parents and grandparents who attended the appreciation dinner at the jump house in Mandaree.





Here is a picture of the personalized sweaters that were donated by the DeVille Family for each runner.



Here is the beautiful Pendleton blanket that was gifted to Tia Mandan from the DeVille family.

Elementary Cross Country Team with their Awards



Couch Mike DeVille hands out awards to the kids.



Amiah DeVille



Aurora Baker & Willow Baker



Autumn Young Bird



Brit Lachney



Moziz McCormmick



Eva Goodiron

Nyles Mandan



Kamrie Bad Hand



Kiah DeVille



Winona Lincoln





Rylen Holds The Enemy

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From District 4A Representative Lisa DeVille



During 68th Legislative Assembly of ND Special Session I introduced and proposed an amendment 23.1164.01001 to HB 1544 Workforce grant for all ND tribal colleges in the Joint Appropriations committee. HB 1544, Statement of Purpose of Amendment, "This amendment increases the \$500,000 general fund appropriation for workforce development grants to tribally controlled community colleges to \$2.5 million and requires the Department of Commerce to provide \$500,000 to each tribally controlled community college in the state rather than providing \$500,000 only to a tribally controlled community college in the Turtle

Mountain area." A copy of the ND Tribal College System CTE proposal was given to this joint committee.

There was much discussion but it did fail. It is my understanding that the focus was not to add additional funding only focusing on existing bills. The joint committee did say next session will look at. Thank you to Dr. Twyla Baker president of NHSC for submitting written comment, Dr. Brown president or Turtle Mt College for being present and giving verbal support, Representative Davis, Senator Mathern who helped me introduce this amendment and helped push it, and the house and senators who voted for my amendment to HB 1544.

History, this past 68th Legislative Assembly of ND Turtle Mt College is the only tribal college to receive workforce grant in the amount of \$500,000. Below is my verbal and written testimony.

Good afternoon. My name is representative Lisa Finley-DeVille. I represent district 4A, Ft. Berthold Reservation.

I am honored to address you today in support of a workforce grant for North Dakota's Tribal Colleges and the vital role they play in empowering individuals, fostering economic growth, and enhancing the overall well-being of our communities. North Dakota is home to 5 tribal nations. Each offer low -cost secondary education at local accredited institutions for their communities. These grants serve as a crucial investment in our future, and I would like to highlight several reasons why their continued funding is essential.

 Skill Development and Employability: Workforce grants enable our citizens to gain access to training and education programs that enhance their skills and employability. These grants open doors for individuals to learn new trades, improve existing skills, and stay competitive in the evolving job market.

2. Job Creation and Economic Growth: By supporting workforce development for NHSC, we can create even more opportunities for a skilled workforce that is attractive to local businesses and growing industries in our region.

3. Meeting Industry Demand: Investment in tribal colleges through workforce development grants can be tailored to address the specific needs of local industries. They ensure that individuals receive training that directly aligns with the skills and qualifications required by employers, making the labor force more adaptable and responsive to market demands. 4. Closing the Skills Gap: The workforce landscape is constantly changing, and the skills gap is a persistent challenge. Workforce grants play a vital role in closing this gap by funding education and training programs that target indemand skills, helping us keep pace with technological advancements.

development grants to tribally controlled community colleges to \$2.5 million and requires the Department of Commerce to provide \$500,000 to each tribally controlled community college in the state rather than providing \$500,000 only to a tribally controlled community college in the Turtle f the ND Tribal College System CTE proposal was

6. Public institutions: Tribal colleges are affordable and accessible to Native and non-Native students alike.

7. Growth of economic contributions: In 2019, tribal colleges contributed over \$145 million to North Dakota's economy according to the 2020 Economic Modeling Specialists International North Dakota's Tribal colleges would greatly benefit from the workforce grants are not merely investments in education and training; they are investments in the people who make up our community and the economic prosperity of our region. I urge you to continue your support for these grants, recognizing their profound impact on our citizens' lives, our local businesses, and the overall vitality of our community.

On a personal note. I received my higher education on Ft. Berthold Reservation. I received my Associate of Arts and Associate of Sciences, Bachelor, and my Masters degrees from NHSC. Three of my children graduated from ND tribal colleges with one more soon to graduate from NHSC. My youngest is anticipating attending UTTC. We chose to continue our education at home where tribal colleges are more affordable with low-cost tuition and culturally relevant curriculum.

Thank you. I stand for questions.

*Update

On 10-24-23 my proposal amendment 23.2164.01001 to HB 1544 Workforce grant for all ND tribal colleges failed in House. 10-25-23 amendment failed in senate.

I want to reaffirm my commitment to advocating for essential legislative issues that directly impact the lives of North Dakota's Native American people. With a shared vision of progress and commitment I will continue to work diligently to address pressing concerns and improve the overall well-being of all our Tribal Nations.

From District 4A Representative Lisa DeVille

68th Legislative Assembly of ND Special Session

HB 1546, Relating to the clean sustainable energy authority's fertilizer development incentive program; to provide for retroactive application; and to provide an effective date was voted on by House, passed 60 yes and 30 no. Although ND state is number one in many crops in the world. I voted no because of environmental impacts fertilizer has on the water and land and our food. Our water is being transported to the eastern ND. In research the Red River in eastern ND is contaminated from agriculture run off. I was told that is not the reason why our water is being transported to eastern ND.

On 10-23-23 HB 1546 was passed in joint committee. Today 10-25-23 HB 1546 was voted passed, 40 yes and 7 no.

Representative Lisa Finley-DeVille

I am very excited to share that the federal district court granted motion summary judgement in Walen V. Burgum case. An order vacating the December trial will be forth coming. The order upholds House Subdistrict 4 A that I and MHA fought to secure during the redistricting process.

NARF will send out a formal press release to media by Monday.

This is a link to a blog post.

https://narf.org/walen-nd-redistricting/

Representative Lisa Finley-DeVille



National Caucus of Native American State Legislators (NCNASL)

On November 9-10, 2023 I attended the 2023 Annual Meeting of the National Caucus of Native American State Legislators in Denver CO. Hosted by the National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL). This "annual meeting brings together state legislators to exchange, learn and build state policy resolutions that improve state-tribal relationships and improve Native American communities".

The first day we met with Colorado Commission of Indian Affairs, Building Government to Government Relationships: Discussion on State-Tribal Engagement Efforts. In the afternoon we had a site visit at Centers for American Indian and Alaska Native Health, location Nighthorse Campbell Native Health Building where we were giving presentation and networked on Diabetes Prevention, Behavioral Health, and Medical Reimbursement for Traditional Medicine with their staff. We also toured the beautiful building.

The second day we met at the National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL) building where Native American Rights Fund (NARF) gave an update on Native American Voting Efforts, Indian Child Welfare Act, and Boarding Schools. Next NCSL Department of Energy (DOE) gave updates. Lastly NCNASL held our business meeting where we discussed priorities and elected Executive Committee (2023-2025).

There are 90 Native American legislators in the U.S. I am excited to be a member of the National Caucus of Native American State Legislators (NCNASL).

Representative Lisa Finley-DeVille

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For Your Information

Mandaree Job Announcements: Job Positions Open At Mandaree School COMMUNITY HEALTH REPRESENTATIVES: TEACHING POSITIONS • Art Teacher: Closing Date November 14, 2023 **CHR - Mandaree** CTE Teacher (any concentration) Closing Date Closing Date November 14, 2023 Location: Mandaree, ND Management: No **AUXILIARY POSITIONS** Description: Regular, Full-Time, Benefits Business Manager Closed Nurse Closing Date Closing Date November 14, 2023 Pay: \$20.00/hour • Guidance Counselor- Closing Date November 14, 2023 Deadline: Open until filled • Part Time Pool - Open Recruiting • Special Ed Paraprofessional Closed Questionnaire: Child Care Paraprofessional Closing Date Closed Full Job Description >>> • Bus Driver FT Position Closing Date November 14, 2023 Kitchen Aide Closing Date November 14, 2023 • **SOLID WASTE:** Transportation Manager Closing Date November 14, 2023 **Transfer Technician - Mandaree** Day Time Security Guard Closing Date Closed Location: Mandaree, ND **COACHING POSITIONS** Management: No Description: Regular, Full-Time, Benefits All Coaching Positions will Closing Date November 14, 2023 Pay: \$17.85/hour Deadline: Open until filled and re-open if we do not receive and applicants Questionnaire: Not Required Apply online: http://www.applitrack.com/mandaree/ onlineapp TAT Boys & Girls Club: If you have any questions, please call the Business Office The Boys & Girls Club is looking for a few good at (701)759-3120. employees!!! There is a site on each segment; Full Time, Part Time and Youth Positions AVAILABLE!!! **Mandaree Job Announcements:** Must be able to plan and conduct activity/programs with kids. **Cemetery Restoration:** Must be able to think on your feet! Location: Mandaree, ND Must be able to pass a background check and drug Management: No test. **Description: Regular, Full-Time, Benefits** Call or text me. Thank you for your interest. Pay: \$23.00/per hour Kristen Morsette, CEO BGC-TAT Questionnaire: Not Required. (701)421-9239 (cell) (701)627-4415 (office)

For Your Information

Mandaree School Building Security Policy

The Building Security Policy:

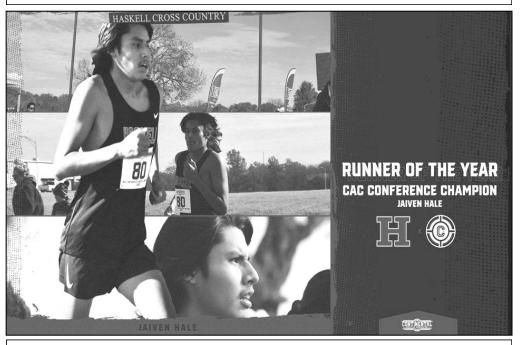
All Visitors/Parents/Vendors will no longer be permitted unaccompanied access into the school during the school day.

If you have business or an appointment you must sign in at the front office and we will contact the staff member to meet you at the front office.

Vendors must wear a VISITOR badge and be accompanied by a member of the staff while working in the building.



Tribal Member is Runner of the Year CAC Conference Champion Haskell Cross Country



Pictured is Jaiven Hale, his parents are Ky and Jay Hale. He is the grandson of Diana Hale and the great grandson of the late Bill Hale Sr. Jaiven is looking at the 2x CAC individual Champion Runner of the Year.

West Segment Public Relations Depart.

West Segment community; here is a public service announcement from the West Segment Public Relations department.

If you would like your food sales/fundraisers/rummage sales/bingos or any other information posted to our page. Please send in your information to myself Jordi at (701) 421-9214. (I am available to make flyers if you need them done).

LeeAnna Nation at (701)421-1868 is also available to post information to the West Segment Community Updates and Events page. Or you can message your information to our Facebook messenger.

We also have our new sign the marquee for information, you can contact Monte at (701)421-9276.

If you are putting flyers up in the Mandaree community, please do not post your flyers over the top of other flyers/ information. If you need help with knowing where to hang your information up, please let me know Jordi and I will help you.

Thank you

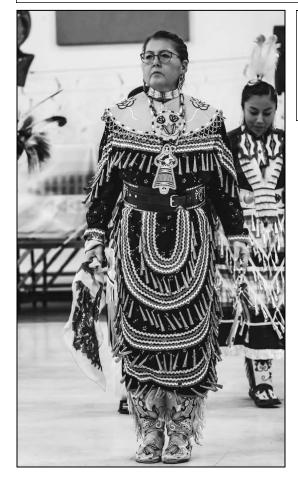
Jordi Mann

West Segment Veterans Dance

Photos by LeeAnna Nation



Standing in the back from left to right: Jon Malmourie placed 5th for \$100. Jason Morsette placed 4th for \$200 Lorenzo Stabler placed 3rd for \$300 and Will Reeves placed 2nd for \$400, Clayton Young Bear was the champion who won \$500. unknown \$50 consolation and Misty Danks \$50 consolation. These are the veterans non regalia dance sponsored by the family of Ted Lone Fight III, her honor for serving. His personal honor song was composed by Randy Phelan.



In these bottom photos are our beautiful women dancers at the bottom. Dancers your left Alanna Tootoosis Baker, fancy shawl dancer Winona Lincoln.





Men's traditional dancer enjoying the celebration.



Two young dancers enjoying themselves.



From District 4A Representative Lisa DeVille

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Contact: Representative Lisa Finley-DeVille District House Representative for District 4A 701-421-8020 Ifinleydeville@ndlegis.gov

I Stand in Support of Crucial Legislative Issues

Bismarck, North Dakota – Last week, North Dakota Legislative Assembly convened in a Special Session to address the appropriation of funding on various projects. I introduced and proposed an amendment to HB 1544, the Workforce Grant appropriation bill to include all North Dakota tribal colleges to receive funding through the Joint Appropriations committee.

HB 1544, Statement of Purpose of Amendment, "This amendment increases the \$500,000 general fund appropriation for workforce development grants to tribally controlled community colleges to \$2.5 million and requires the Department of Commerce to provide \$500,000 to each tribally controlled community college in the state rather than providing \$500,000 only to a tribally controlled community college in the Turtle Mountain area." A copy of the ND Tribal College System CTE proposal was given to this joint committee. Only one of the state's five tribally controlled colleges currently benefit from the Workforce Grant.

There was much discussion on how this bill would benefit all of our tribal colleges, unfortunately, it did fail. It is my understanding that the purpose of this special legislative session was to focus on funding passed from previous existing bills from the regular session, not to add additional funding for projects that have been overlooked. The Joint Committee did promise to reconsider funding all tribal colleges in the next session in 2025.

Thank you to Dr. Twyla Baker president of NHSC for submitting written comment, Dr. Brown president or Turtle Mt College for being present and giving support, Representative Jayme Davis, Senator Mathern who helped me introduce and support this amendment, and to the House Representatives and Senators who voted for my amendment to HB 1544.

Here are the other bills that went through at the 2023 Special Legislative Session:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4021, a concurrent resolution affirming support and unwavering commitment to the welfare, security, and survival of the State of Israel was passed in the House 86 yes and 6 no. On 10-24-23 it was passed in the Senate. On 10-23-23 SCR 4021 was passed in the Joint Committee meeting. I voted no. We should be calling for peace and not choosing sides.

Senate Bill 2396 Relating to a special penalty for death or injury through distribution of illegal drugs; to provide a penalty; and to provide an effective date was voted on in the House and passed. This is an important bill for me because our communities face so many deaths from illegal drugs and

someone needs to be held accountable. On 10-24-23 Policy Joint Committees voted a do pass. On 10-24-23 Senate voted on 47 yes and 0 no.

HB 1546, Relating to the clean sustainable energy authority's fertilizer development incentive program; to provide for retroactive application; and to provide an effective date was voted on and passed 60 yes and 30 no. Although North Dakota is the number one producer of many crops, I voted no because of potential environmental impacts that fertilizer has on the water, land, and food. In the regular session it was decided that our water from will be transported to eastern North Dakota. In my research, the Red River in eastern ND is contaminated from agricultural runoff (contamination), yet I was told that is not the reason why our water is being transported. On 10-25-23 the HB 1546 was voted passed, 40 yes and 7 no.

I want to reaffirm my commitment to advocating for essential legislative issues that directly impact the lives of North Dakota's Native American people. With a shared vision of progress and commitment I will continue to work diligently to address pressing concerns and improve the overall well-being of all our Tribal Nations.

Representative Lisa Finley-DeVille, District 4A

My name is Representative Lisa Finley-DeVille, and I have represented District 4A in North Dakota since 2023.

I proudly voted against both book banning bills this session. I think North Dakota libraries did a great job this session, especially the Minot Public Library, in communicating the importance of libraries and the love they have for their communities and for free information. I believe in libraries. When I was growing up, they were where I turned to for a lot of information. I live on the Fort Berthold reservation, and at that time I didn't have much knowledge about the outside world. So, I would read from newspapers and books at the library, and I learned a lot.

I fear people don't want to know our history. Next will they try and erase the history of who I am? I am Native American. I am a member of the Mandan Hidatsa Arikara Nation, a descendent of the Mandan and Hidatsa. I don't want my tribe or any tribe erased from history. I don't want a very vocal and radical group to dictate our story. That's what I feel these book bans will do. Please join me in keeping our libraries free from censorship.

Nugta Hidatsa Sahnish College News

Submitted by Chad Wright Marketing Specialist

Events:

- Horse Nation Club Student Night Thursday, November 2nd at 5pm in the Cafeteria
- All Staff Meeting-Friday, November 3rd at 12:30pm in the cafeteria.
- NHSC Alumni Meeting-November 14th & 28th at Noon in Room 37 (lunch provided)
- Achieve The Dream Representative on Campus-November 15th and 16th.
- Sunday Reading Program-November 19th-All ages at NHSC Library 1pm-2pm.
- Friendsgiving-Monday November 20th at 12pm in the cafeteria.

Lunch & Learn Schedule:

- November 14th-Meal Prep at Noon in Room 37
- November 30th-Chunky Blanket at Noon in Room 37.

Storm Family Study Night:

On Wednesday November 1st & 28th at 4::30pm in the cafeteria.

Campus Closed:

- Friday, November 10th-Veterans Day
- Wednesday November 22-24-Thanksgiving Break

Upcoming Application Deadlines:

- Spring Applications Deadline-November 15th
- Spring Documents Deadline December 10th
- Summer Applications Due– April 30th
- Summer Documents Due– May 10th





- **Storm Basketball Schedule:**
- ▶ 11/3/23 (HOME) OLC @ NHSC
 (M&W) 6pm & 8pm
- 11/4/23 (HOME) OLC @ NHSC
 (M&W) 1pm & 3pm
- 11/7/23 (AWAY) NHSC @ TMCC
 (M&W) 5pm & 7pm
- 11/8/23 (AWAY) NHSC @ UTTC (M&W) 5pm & 7pm
 - 11/11/23 –(HOME) NHSC @ CDKC (M&W) 1pm & 3pm
- 11/12/23 (HOME) NHSC @ CDKC (M&W) 1pm & 3pm
- 11/17/23 (HOME) SWC @ NHSC (M&W) 6pm & 8pm
- 11/18/23 (HOME) SWC @ NHSC (M&W) 1pm & 3pm



Are you interested in:

- Obtaining our GED? NHSC can help! Check out our website at www.nhsc.edu/degrees-certificates/ged/ for additional information you can contact the following individuals.
- NHSC Main Campus-Betty Lockwood at (701) 421-0034 blockw@nhsc.edu
- White Shield Liaison-Elissa "Elise" Argent at (701)743-4552 eargent@nhsc.edu
- Mandaree Liaison– Frances "Buffy" White at (701)759-3528 fwhite@nhsc.edu
- Parshall Liaison- Delrene "Susie" Simpson at (701) 862-2106 dsimps@nhsc.edu
- Joining our Alumni Club? If you are a former NHSC or FBCC student and want to join our Alumni group, reach out to our Alumni team at alumni@nhsc.edu for additional information.

NHSC November 2023 Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Storm Family Study Night @ 430pm in the Cafeteria	2 Horse Nation Club Student Night @5pm-8pm in the NHSC Cafeteria	3 All Staff Meeting @ Noon in the Cafeteria	4
5	6	7	8 All Chief's Society Meeting @ Noon in the Cultural Center	9	10 Veterans Day – Campus Closed	11
12	13	14 Lunch & Learn/ – Meal Prep @ Noon in the NHSC Cafeteria Alumni Meeting Room 37 @ Noon	15 Achieve The Dream Representative on Campus	16 Achieve The Dream Representative on Campus	17	18
19 Sunday Reading Program @ 1pm-2pm in the NHSC Library	20 Friendsgiving – 12pm in the Cafeteria	21	22 Thanksgiving- Campus Closed	23 Thanksgiving- Campus Closed	24 Thanksgiving- Campus Closed	25
26	27	28 Alumni Meeting Room 37 @ Noon Storm Family Study Night @ 430pm-730pm	29	30 Lunch & Learn – Chunky Blanket Making @ Noon in the NHSC Cafeteria		

NB 3 Month



NB3 Month

Getting Active and Inspiring Youth to Live Healthy Lifestyles



Elementary PE Class Activity

Fitness Kickball

Schools:

Twin Buttes: 11/08/2023

- Mandaree: 11/15/2023
- **Parshall:** 11/21/2023
- White Shield: 11/22/2023
 - **New Town: 11/27/2023**

For More Information Call 701-627-7931

	2023-24 Mandaree Warr	iors Boys & Girls Bas	sketball Schedule
Day	Date:	Opponent:	Location:
Friday	Dec. 8	Alexander (DH)	Watford City

			
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Friday	Dec.15	Trenton (DH)	Trenton
Saturday	Dec.16	New Town (DH)	New Town
Thursday	Dec. 27-28	Hunkpapa Classic (DH)	McLaughlin, SD
Friday	Jan.5	Garrison	Garrison
Thursday	Jan.6	Powers Lake (DH)	Powers Lake
Thursday	Jan.11	White Shield (DH)	Mandaree
Saturday	Jan.13	New Salem (DH)*	Mandaree
Saturday	Jan.20	Central-McLean(DH)	Central-McLean
Saturday	Jan.27	Berthold (DH)	Berthold
Friday	Feb.2	Wilton-Wing	Mandaree
Saturday	Feb.3	Washburn (DH)	Washburn
Thursday	Feb.8	Center-Stanton	Center
Thursday	Feb.15	Williston-Trinity	Williston
M/Tu/Th	Mar.4-5-7	Region 3 "B"	Bismarck TBA
Saturday	Mar.9	State Qualifiers-West	New Town TBA

Thursday, Friday, Saturday: March 14-16: State "B" Tournament in Minot TBA

*Parents Night for Boys Basketball on Saturday, Jan.13, 2024 (Dates and Times are subject to change)

2023-24 Mandaree Warriors Girls Basketball Schedule:					
Day:	Date:	Opponent:	Location:		
Friday	Dec.8	Alexander (DH)	Watford City		
Saturday	Dec.9	Wilton-Wing	Mandaree		
Friday	Dec.15	Trenton (DH)	Trenton		
Saturday	Dec.16	New Town (DH)	New Town		
Thursday	Dec.27-28	Hunkpapa Classic (DH)	McLaughlin, SD		
Tuesday	Jan.2	Garrison	Garrison		
Thursday	Jan.4	Center-Stanton	Stanton		
Thursday	Jan.11	White Shield (DH)	Mandaree		
Friday	Jan.12	Williston-Trinity	Williston		
Saturday	Jan.13	New Salem (DH)*	Mandaree		
Saturday	Jan.20	Central-McLean (DH)	Central-McLean		
Tuesday	Jan.23	North Shore-Plaza	Plaza		
Saturday	Jan.27	Berthold (DH)	Berthold		
Saturday	Feb.3	Washburn (DH)	Washburn		
Tu/F	Feb.19-21	Region 3 "B"	Killdeer		
Tuesday	Feb.24	State Qualifiers-West	Minot		
Th/F/Sat	Feb.29-Mar.1-2	State "B" Tournament	Jamestown		
*Parents Night for Girls Basketball on Saturday, Jan.13, 2024 (Dates and Times are subject to change)					

Trick Or Treat



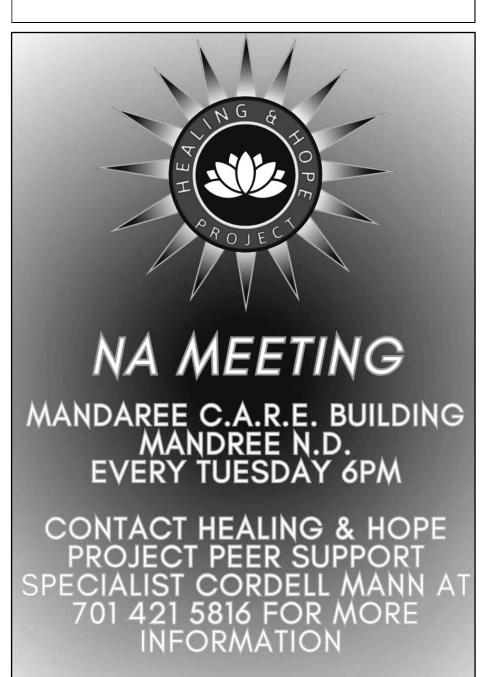
Apparently, mother nature decided that we, living in this part of God's country, needed to experience a trick rather than a treat. (I am writing this just a few days before Halloween). The first snowfall of this season has been an all too familiar reminder to us and somewhat of a disappointment, of what can happen at this time of year.

"It's too early to have this 'stuff'!" "Didn't we just go through this not too long ago?" "I just was not ready for this!" Well, no matter how we express our distaste, or appreciation, for this frozen precipitation, it does fulfill a much-needed requirement for man and beast alike...moisture. Without moisture, life would be difficult, if not impossible. Would you agree? Okay then, we know we need moisture, but does it have to come in a frozen state? Once again, a beneficial life-giving element is presented in a way that, to most people, is less than desirable.

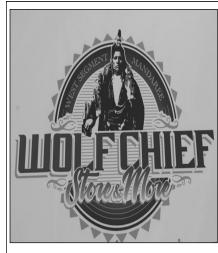
That last sentence reminds me of another life-giving element that is presented to us in a less than desirable way. It does not come to us in frozen form...in fact it does not come to us in any practical form whatsoever. (maybe...maybe not). What life giving element am I referring too?? Mercy! No, not just any kind of mercy, mind you, but the *mercy* of God the Father. The one element we need in our lives to bring us back to center and back on track to meet God the Father's expectations of us. The mercy we need from God the Father to repair our heart, mind, and soul that have become damaged or broken, through our own misgivings (that would be through sin). Yet, this element of mercy is so often not even considered or acknowledged. Either by denial or by complete ignorance. To deny the existence of God's mercy is to deny the existence of God. (it helps tremendously if you were to believe that God does exist!)

In less than two months from now, we will be celebrating the anniversary of the birth of Jesus the Christ. Who, as we know is the Son of God the Father. I am pretty sure that most of humanity knows the story of Jesus and why God the Father allowed Jesus' birth to happen. But I wonder if most of humanity realizes that through the birth of Jesus, we have been given the life-giving element of God's mercy in the form of flesh and blood? (and there we have it...a life-giving element *in* physical form). The mercy of God the Father in the physical form of the Son...Jesus. Confused by this? Don't be. The proper response to these elements is up to each of us. Pray to the Father and the Son for clarity. The answer is there waiting for you. Peace!

May God Bless you always Have a great day with Jesus Christ Love and prayers Deacon Dan Barone St. Anthony's Catholic Church/New Town and Mandaree



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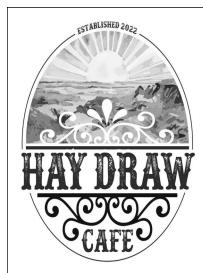
Wolf Chief Store & More hours are as follows:

Monday through Friday: 7am to 8pm

On Saturday and Sundays the Wolf Chief Store will open at 10:00 a.m. to 6:00p.m. 759-3140.

<u>Thrive & Vibe Coffee Shop:</u> Open Monday-Friday 8:00am to 5:00pm. Coffee shop is inside the Wolf Chief Store & More.

* <u>The Emergency Closet</u> is open Monday thru Friday 6:00am to 2:00pm . Lindsey Fox Sepeta will be there if you have any questions you can call her 421-6347.



<u>Breakfast daily: Monday</u> <u>thru Friday</u> from: 8:00am-2:00pm

Lunch daily: Monday thru <u>Friday</u>: from: 11:00am-2:00pm.

Times and dates may change:

<u>Café Manager:</u> Lindsey Fox-Sepeta at 759-3140 or cell 421-6347

<u>St. Anthony's Catholic Church Schedule:</u> <u>Saturday:</u> 7:30 pm New Town <u>Sunday:</u> 8:30am New Town <u>Sunday:</u> 11:00am Mandaree

> <u>Mandaree Post Office Hours:</u> Monday-Friday: 12:00-4:00pm Saturday: 11:00am– 1:00pm

Numbers for Your Convenience

Water Chief Hall Hours: 9:00am to 5:30pm Phone number (701) 759-3377

Mandaree One Stop: (701) 759-3609 Open Monday-Friday 6am-8pm (Not Open on weekends)

Wolf Chief Store & More: (701) 759-3140

West Segment Elders Advocate Rosie Johnson: at (701) 759-3377 ext.227 Her cell (701) 421-8519.

Mandaree Clinic: Monday-Friday from 8:00am to 4:30pm phone 759-3422 (Pharmacy is open daily)

Mandaree School: 759-3311

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Mandaree Field Clinic Hours

Clinic is open Monday-Friday: 8:00am-4:30pm: Closed for Lunch 12pm-1pm

<u>FNP Lori Jepson:</u> is in the Mandaree Clinic on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Fridays

<u>Every Wednesday:</u> a Nurse will be at the Clinic for immunizations only by appointment.

<u>Mandaree Clinic Pharmacy:</u> is open everyday during the week Monday-Friday 8:00am to 4:30pm

Mandarge Young Bucks Traveling Basketball Team

Submitted by Hale Family

Our season has begun 3 weeks ago with conditioning & practice. But our tournament play won't begin till December.

OUR TEAM IS FULL! We wish we could take everyone but that's not possible at the moment. We're not a program, or with the school, we're just a couple of Parents (Fred & Jamie R. Hale) who wanted to get our own kids and youth going, by volunteering our time. With the help and support from Our Parents, Our Siblings to now having Our Young Bucks Family Blessed.

Grateful to the Coaches for volunteering and investing their time into the team. Coach Fred Hale, Coach Preston "Bucky" Johnson, Coach Denver Spotted Bear and the Parents' involvement.

I'm thankful the boys have each other. Thankful for the Parents/Guardians, Families and our support system.

Looking forward to all God has in store for us. It takes a village.

On behalf of West Segment we applaud these parents and volunteers who help and support these young boys. To the coaches who take the time out of their busy lives to help these boys play basketball. It's awesome to know these boys have been doing well and are on their way to being excellent ball players.

Again kudos to all those who help and support and encourage these young bucks as they travel.

YOUNG BUCKS

20 / Flint Hale / 1st 12 / Ahsini Abbey / 1st 10 / Darren Spotted Horse / 1st 41 / William Looking Horse / 1st 8 / Kaius Beaks / 1st 6 / Shooter Williams / 1st 15 / AJ Abbey / 2nd 34 / Russell Johnson / 2nd 3 / Colten Chase / 2nd 21 / Ryland Jetty / 2nd 4 / Braylen Close / 2nd 24 / Ry'Len Holds The Enemy / 2nd 35 / Warrior IU / 2nd 13 / Arias Baker / 2nd 5 / Warren Chase / 2nd 32 / Hooper Williams / 2nd 23 / Kingman Hale / 3rd 11 / Moziz McCormick / 3rd 31 / Heath Bear / 3rd

COACH: Fred Hale ASSISTANTS: Preston Johnson, Denver Spotted Bear

1 / Britt Lachney / 3rd

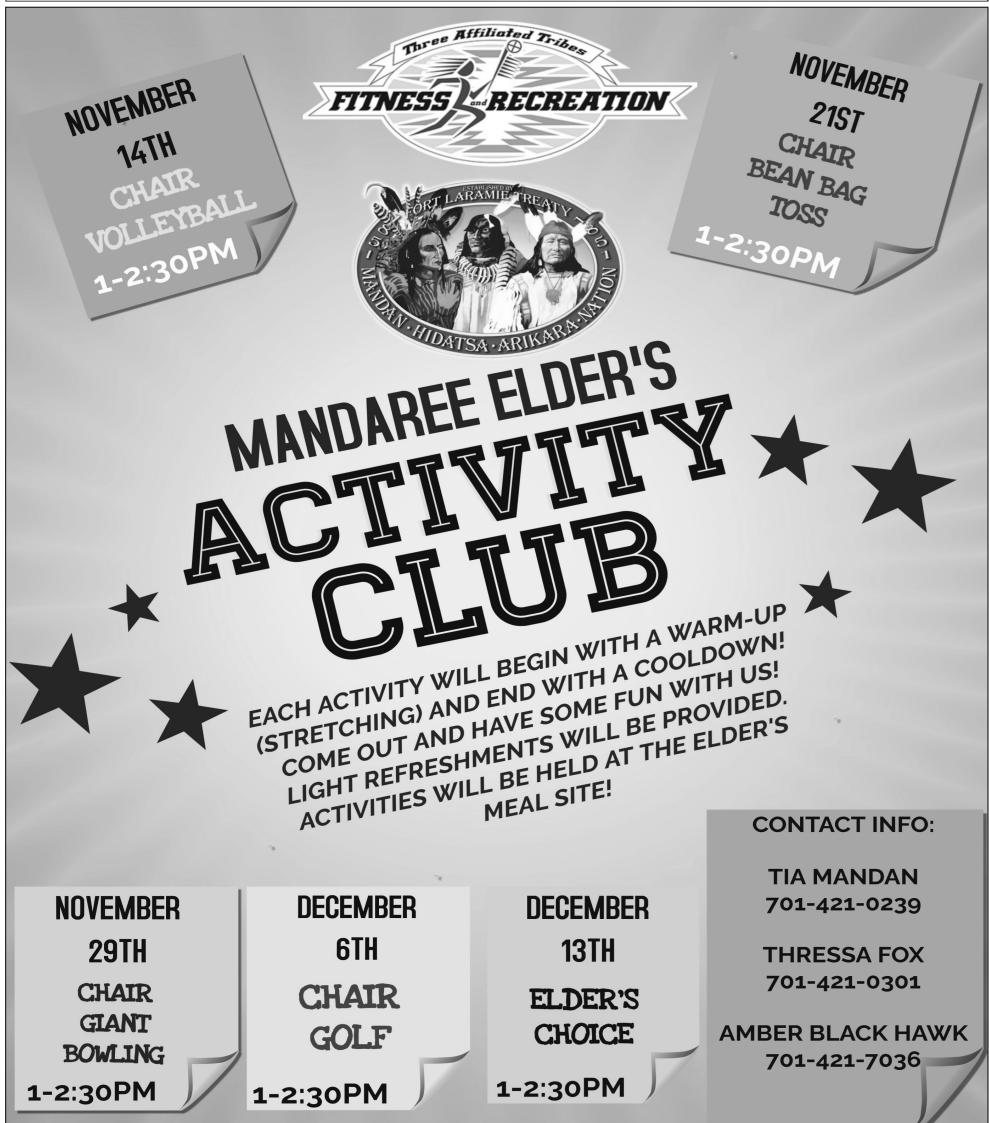
Mandarge Elders Meal Site Calendar

November 2023

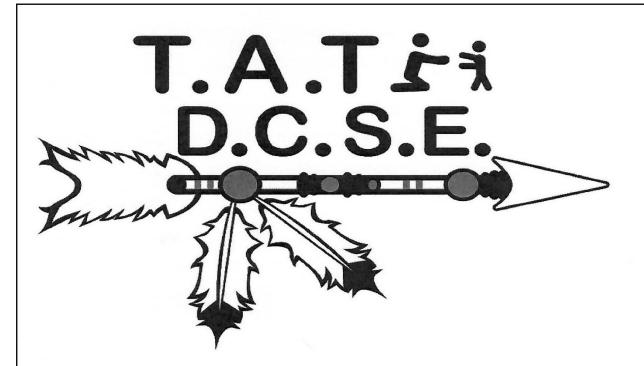
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Mon	Tue	Wed 1	Thu 2	Fri 3
		CHILI COTTAGE CHEESE BREAD & PEACHES	BBQ CHICKEN MACARONI SALAD CARROTS PUDDING	BOILED EGGS SAUSAGE LINKS HASHBROWN MUFFIN
6	7	8	9	10
POLISH SAUSAGE BUN BAKED BEANS CORN ON COB CUP OF FRUIT	SPAGHETTI GREEN BEANS BREAD STICK JELLO	CHICKEN WILD RICE SOUP BISCUITS CRACKERS AND PEACHES	CHEESEBURGER LETTUCE PICKLES TOMATO WEDGES & GRAPES	NO MEALS VETERANS DAY!!!
13	14	15	16	17
TUNA SALAD SANDWICH	THANKSGIVING MEAL	HAM & BEAN SOUP	GOULASH	FRENCH TOAST
CHIPS CARROT AND	TURKEY & TRIMMINGS	FRY BREAD	GREEN BEANS	SAUSAGE PATTY
CELERY STIX CUP OF PEARS	PUMPKIN PIE	JELLO WITH FRUIT	BREAD & CAKE	BOILED EGG RASPBERRY YOGURT
20	21	22	23	24
BEEF STEW BISCUITS CRACKERS	KNOEPHLA SOUP TURKEY SANDWICH	BREAKFAST SANDWICH HASHBROWN	HAPPY TURKEY DAY	NO WORK
CUPCAKES	RICE KRISPIE BARS	YOGURT	NO WORK	
27	28	29	30	
HAMBURGER GRAVY OVER POTATO CORN	PORK CHOPS	CHICKEN TACO SOUP	SUB SANDWICHES	
BREAD AND FRUIT COCKTAIL	RICE/GRAVY GREEN BEANS APPLESAUCE	CUP OF PEARS	CHIPS AND FRUIT SALAD	

Meals are subject to change due to availability of products! If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact Thressa Fox at 701-759-3092 or Polly Chase 701-627-4913.

Mandarge Elders Activity Club



For Your Information



THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES DIVISION OF CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT

• COMMUNITY OUTREACH •

"All the work we do is for the child"

LOCATIONS • DATES • TIMES

Twin Buttes Memorial Hall • Nov. 14, 2023 1:00 - 4:30 p.m. White Shield Complex Building • Nov. 15, 2023 1:00 - 4:30 p.m. Mandaree Water Chief Hall • Nov. 16, 2023 1:00 - 4:30 p.m.) Parshall Red Hall (Elders Room) • Nov. 16, 2023 1:00 - 4:30 p.m. Sage Coulee Outreach & Wellness Center • Nov. 17, 2023 1:00 - 3:30 p.m.

All Community members welcome! DCSE staff will be available to assist you with your child support application and answer your questions • APPLY FOR SERVICES

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• GET MORE INFORMATION ABOUT OUR CHILD SUPPORT PROGRAM

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> **TAT CHILD SUPPORT** 9281 Highway 23 New Town, ND 58763 701-627-2860

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Your Support Shapes a Childs Future!

Mandarge Hunters



MANDAREE HUNTERS!!!

THIS MILES CHALLENGE IS FOR YOU!!

-STARTS NOV 3RD ENDS NOV 28TH!

-PRIZES FOR TOP 5 CHALLENGERS!

-INCENTIVES FOR YOUTH PARTICIPANTS (17&UNDER)

-MILES MUST BE LOGGED IN MAPMYRUN ADD TIA MANDAN

LABEL WORKOUTS "Mandaree hunter's challenge'

for assistance with the app call 701-421-0239

MUST HAVE MHA HUNTING LICENSE West Segment News November 2023

Mandarge Has Talent Show

OPEN TO ALL MÁNDAREE RESIDENTS MANDAREE SCHOOL GYM doors open 5pm show begins 6pm

ALL TALENTS WELCOME: NOT LIMITED TO: TRADITIONAL OR CONTEMPORARY DANCE OR SINGING, STAND UP COMEDY, STORY TELLING, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, SKITS (GROUP OR INDIVIDUAL)..ETC ALL TALENT IS WELCOME

EMCEE ELTON SPOTTED HORSE MUSIC PRESENTED BY LES YELLOW WOLF REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN, PLEASE CONTACT CORDELL MANN TO REGISTER 421-5816 CATEGORIES: (K=3RD GRADE) TEA

4TH-8TH GRADE 1ST- \$600, 2ND- \$400, 3RD- \$200 9TH-12TH GRADE 1ST- \$600, 2ND- \$400, 3RD- \$200 18 Y.O- 50 Y.O 1ST- \$800, 2ND- \$500, 3RD- \$300 51 Y.O+ 1ST- \$800, 2ND- \$500, 3RD-\$300

OUR MISSION IS TO PREVENT THE USE OF DRUGS AND ALCOHOL BY HEALING OUR COMMUNITY THROUGH OUR YOUTH. WE WANT TO SHOW THAT BEING SOBER IS THE GREATEST GIFT YOU CAN GIVE YOURSELF WE WANT TO BRING OUR PEOPLE TOGETHER IN A GOOD WAY TO PROMOTE CULTURAL IDENTITY, HEALING, AND COMMUNITY

WEST SEGMENT



55YRS+ 1ST PLACE \$300 31-54YRS 1ST PLACE \$200 18-30 YRS 1ST PLACE \$200 14-17yrs 1st place \$100

UGLY SWEATER CONTEST 55YRS+ IST PLACE \$200 04-54YRS 1ST PLACE \$200, 2ND PLACE \$100, 3RD PLACE \$50 0-3 YRS 1ST PLACE \$100. 2ND PLACE \$75. 3RD PLACE \$50

41-54YRS MEN'S & WOMEN'S IST PLACE \$200 18-40 YRS MEN'S & WOMEN'S IST PLACE \$100 14-17YRS CO-ED 1ST PLACE \$50 9-13 YRS CO-ED 1ST PLACE \$50 4-8 YRS CO-ED 1ST PLACE \$50

PLEASE CONTACT RENAY BROWN 701-421-4641 FOR MORE INFORMATION

West Segment Parade of Lights

PARADE

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Satunday December 09,2023 6PM Sine up at Mandaree School Parking Sot

B.Y.O.B. GINGERBREAD HOUSE CONTEST- 1ST PLACE \$300, 2ND PLACE \$200, 3RD PLACE \$100.

FLOATS/VEHICLES 1ST PLACE \$1000, 2ND PLACE \$800, 3RD PLACE \$700, 4TH PLACE \$600, 5TH PLACE \$500

ATV/HORSE 1ST PLACE \$700 2ND PLACE \$500 3RD PLACE \$400 4TH PLACE \$200

PLEASE CONTACT WEST SEGMENT EVENTS DEPT RENAY BROWN 701-421-4641 FOR MORE INFORMATION CHRISTMAS TREE CEREMONY WILL FOLLOW PARADE OF LIGHTS ALONG WITH CAROLING AND HOT COCOA

LIGH*S





On behalf of West Segment we would like to say "Happy Thanksgiving" to all families and relatives.

We want you to all enjoy this time with your family, extended family and relatives. May our Creator bless everyone.

From Councilwoman Sherry Gladys Turner-Lone Fight & Personnel



Arvella White Diane Johnson Sharon Long Fight Annette Peck Curtis Hall Sr. Darryl Finley Kathering Holding Eagle Sherry Turner-Long Fight Dora Gwin



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Happy Birthday Wishes To Our

Clders!!

Please forgive us if we forgot to mention your name, it was not done intentionally.

9AM-5PM TUESDAY NOVEMBER 21, 2023 MANDAREE ND WATER CHIEF HALL AT 5PM THE COMMUNITY IS WELCOME TO A MEAL AND ATTEND THE MANDAREE HAS TALENT SHOW!

> Please contact West Segment Brent Dept Remay Brown 701–421–4641 for more information ce follow and shake West Segment Community Updates and Brents Pacebook Pa