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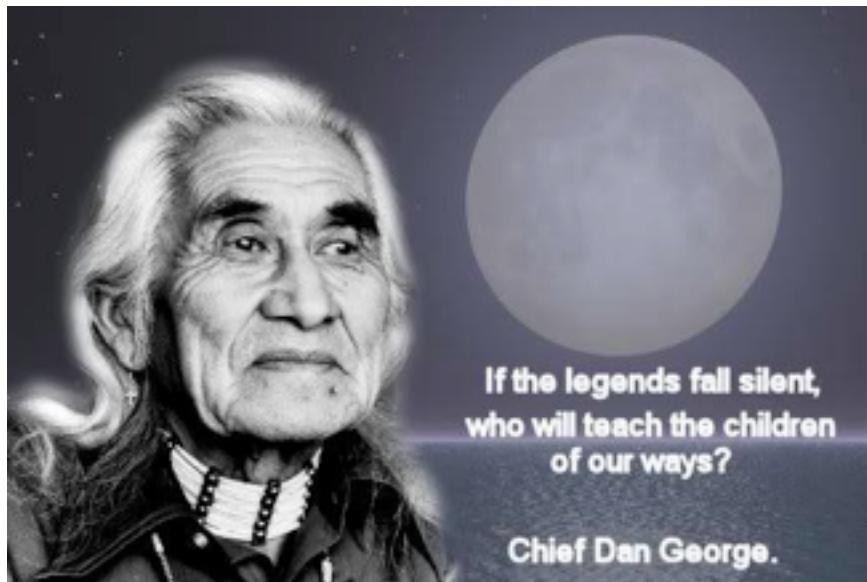
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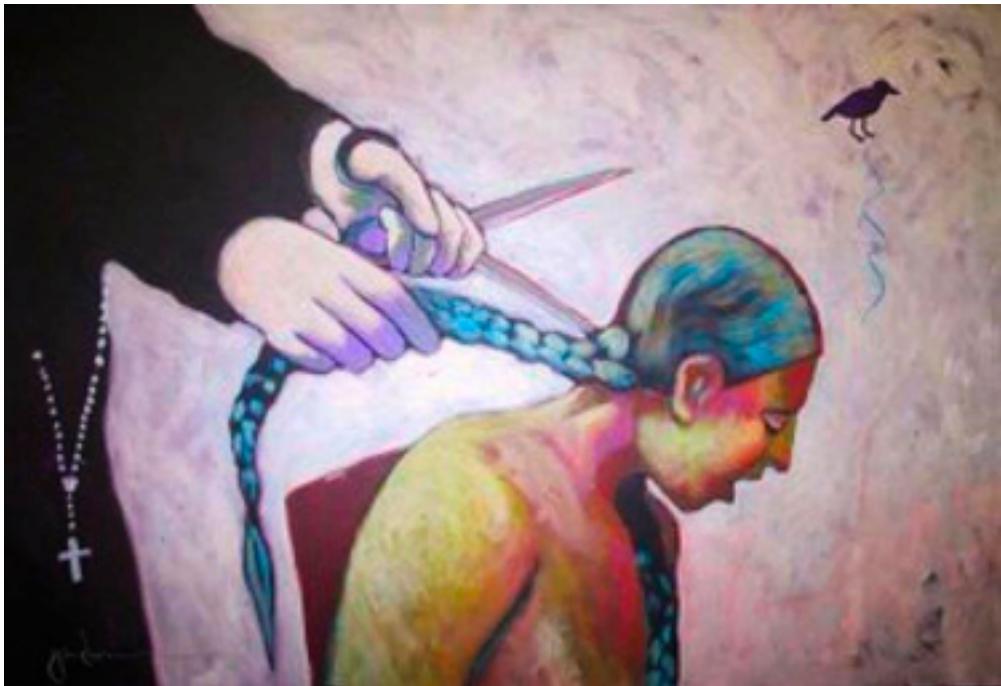
Sylvie Kinney shared Wesley Dick's photo.

I've seen many Natives of our area following other traditions of other tribes ... Being of the Paiutes, Washoe & Shoshone id like to see our own people teach our youth what our people practice our own Ways of this area Nevada n California tribes !! I enjoy other traditions & learning their ways but it's time we start practicing our own ways!! And Wesley I know your A strong believer n have knowledge !!! Keep it going and I thank you for your words n posting this on Wovoka this is good to see !!!

Wesley Dick

Wovoka..Northern Paiute..was well known throughout the western u.s. He was one of the last

spiritual leaders from our area...his message to the people was given to him at a young age through his adult lifetime; the answers and instructions by the Creator and our ancestors when he visited a mountain/cave, lake/ spiritual places and through dreams and visions and the many ceremonies that were alive and strong then. Many people understood the ways of living good lives and the danger that came along with the whitmans arrival. The non believers were and still subject to the man-caused failures and destructiveness to todays times. Few people held onto the ways of our ancestors. Many didn't and became lost with no identities and directions. Kwassuh has learned the importance of these ways and believes with other traditionals that we still have time to recognize the strength and powers we all possess within from our own people and past generations also for the future. Many tribal leaders ignorance of our ways continues towards failure.



You can cut our hair, you can kill our people, you can steal our land, you can take us from our homes and families and put us in your schools and punish us for speaking our language, but you will never break our spirits... We Shall Remain

Pomo Dancers need a little help

From Tom King: One of California's better preserved and interpreted historic sites is Fort Ross, the early 19th century Russian fur-hunting settlement on the Sonoma County coast. In recent years the California Department of Parks and Recreation, which administers the site, has done a fine job of working with the Kashia Pomo community on whose ancestral land the settlement was built. In contrast with the state's Spanish, Mexican, and American colonizers, the Russians enjoyed relatively cordial and collegial relations with their Pomo neighbors, and these relations have been renewed in recent years.

Now the Su Nu Nu Shinal Dancers – traditional Pomo dancers – are going to Russia on a performance tour. They've raised almost enough money for the trip, but still need a little more. I've just made a contribution, and hope you will too. The Fort Ross Conservancy, a 501(c)(3)

non-profit, is helping organize the trip and handling donations. You can learn more and make a contribution at <http://www.fortross.org/krasnoyarsk.htm> . A worthwhile cause

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Usually a great venue for exposure:

Work is underway on the 9th annual **NCET Small Business Expo**, which will be held on Friday, September 26 at the Atlantis Casino Resort Spa.

NCET is teaming with the [Reno-Tahoe American Marketing Association](#) to bring you a four-hour block of the marketing information that YOU want. Please [take our brief survey](#) and let us know what you'd like us learn.

Thanks, and see you at the Expo!

Dave Archer, President and CEO, NCET

American Indian Scouting Association Annual Seminar Coming Up in Idaho

The American Indian Scouting Association will hold its Annual Seminar for youth...

Indian Country Today Media Network.com

Senior Klamath Basin rights holders issue call for more water

Eric Mortenson, Capital Press

For second year in a row, junior water rights holders in the Klamath Basin find themselves shut off.

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A library in the middle of a community is a cross between an emergency exit, a life-raft and a festival. They are cathedrals of the mind; hospitals of the soul; theme parks of the imagination. On a cold rainy island, they are the only sheltered public spaces where you are not a consumer, but a citizen instead.

caitlin moran

USAJOBS - Search Jobs

This position is located in the Museum Assets and Operations Group, Collections Management Office of the National Museum of the American Indian (NMAI), Smithsonian, Institution. The employee is responsible for assisting in all aspects of the management, accountability, care, preservation, and use o... usajobs.gov



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51st Annual Shoshone-Bannock Festival

August 7th -10th, 2014

Fort Hall, Idaho

"Connecting Families through Tradition & Pride"

POW WOW

Master of Ceremonies

Tyson 'Eagle Voice' Shay, *Shoshone-Bannock, Ft. Hall, ID*
Vince BeyL, *Olive, Benji, MV*

Area Directors

Joseph High Eagle Baldwin, *Levi Shoshone/Bannock,
Ft. Hall, ID*
Bart Powsuker, *Nat Pow/Us, Fort Dickson, UT*

Dress Judge

Dan Nanankin, *Nat Pow, Nez Perce, WA*

Local Host Drum

Spring Creek Singers, *Ft. Hall, ID*

Northern Host Drum

Stoney Park, *Merib, Alberta, Canada*

Southern Host Drum

Coxad, *Okahoma, Oklahoma*

GRAND ENTRIES

Aug. 7th, Thursday - 7 pm Veterans Recognition powwow (open to public)
Aug. 8th, Friday - 7 pm (open to public)
Aug. 9th, Saturday - 1 pm & 7 pm
Aug. 10th, Sunday - 1 pm

Dance & Singing Registration open Thursday, Aug. 7th @ 6 pm-10 pm & Friday, Aug. 8th @ 12 noon - 10 pm

For more details on any of the Festival Events or Hotels please go to
www.sbrtribes.com/festival



2014-2015 Miss Indian World
Taylor C. Thomas

Additional Dance Presentations, Contests & Specials

- Special dance presentation by the California Bird Singers
- Owl Dance Contest (Age Categories: 17 & under and 18+)
- Team Dance Contest (Age Categories: 17 & under and 18+)
- Miss Shoshone-Bannock L (50+) - Taylor C. Thomas (current Miss Indian World)
\$1,500 Women's Shell Dress & high top moccasin dance Special (Ages 18+) & \$1,000 Free Style Two-Step (Coupled) Special (Ages 18+)
- Outstanding 2013-2014 Festival Princess - Timinalousa Powsuker - \$2,500 Teen vs. Adults Women's Jingle Special, Sponsored by the Powsuker Family
- Outstanding 2013-2014 Festival Little Princess Ser-Rae Running Eagle Special - Jr. Girls Jingle (6-12), 5 places to be awarded, Sponsored by the Running Eagle Family
- Honoring Tristan Compeach to the Circle, Winner Take All - Men's Fancy Feather Special (18+), Sponsored by Family
- Helena Jack - \$5,000 Women's Northern Traditional Buckskin Special: Honoring Mothers (ages 28-49) (Dancers must be mothers) Sponsored by Family & Friends
- Welcoming to the Circle: Mika Rose (daughter of Leela Abrahamson) & William LaSalle Temske Jr. (Son of Summer Baldwin & William Temske Sr.) - Tiny Tot Boys & Girls Special (walkling ages old) \$1000 in cash and prizes to be awarded
- More Specials TBA (Website & Facebook Event page)...

~Sound System provided by Bear Sound Systems~



2013-2014 Festival Princess
Timinalousa Powsuker

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Festival Royalty Pageant
Friday, Aug. 8th @ 11 am
Contact Nahima Yabney (208) 488-3940
nahimayabney@gmail.com

Art Show
Contact: Irene George (208) 221-7412
irene_george@yahoo.com

Hand Game Tournament
Contact Ft. Hall Casino (208) 497-4231

RODEO - Jr/Sr Rodeo & INFR Tour Rodeo
Contact Anna Lovren (208) 361-2814 annalovren@gmail.com
Chris Washakie (208) 488-6136 chriswashakie@hotmail.com

Indian Relay Races
Contact: Anna Washakie (208) 216-7781 or
Casper Appousy (208) 4728

Soft Ball & Golf Tournament
Ft. Hall Casino (208) 478-3779



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June 5, 2008

VIA FACSIMILE AND U.S. MAIL

Principal Antonio Wilkins
Purnell Swett High School
11344 Deep Branch Rd.
Pembroke, NC 28372

Superintendent Johnny Hunt
Public Schools of Robeson County
410 Caton Road
Lumberton, NC 28358

John Campbell, Chairman of Board of Education
Public Schools of Robeson County
410 Caton Road
Lumberton, NC 28358

Re: Purnell Swett Senior's Right to Wear Eagle Feather at Graduation

Dear Principal Wilkins, Superintendent Hunt and Chairman Campbell,

The American Civil Liberties Union of North Carolina Legal Foundation (ACLU-NCLF) and the Native American Rights Fund (NARF) have been contacted by the parent of a student at Purnell Swett High School in Pembroke who wishes to wear eagle feathers on either his cap or gown during his upcoming graduation ceremony on Friday, June 13, 2008. Samuel Bird, father of Corey Bird, contacted our organizations, seeking assistance after Principal Wilkins informed Corey that he could not wear his eagle feathers in light of a mandatory graduation dress code

to continue:

From delanceyplace.com:

Today's selection -- from ***The American West*** by Anne M. Butler and Michael J. Lansing. In the late 1700s, the western parts of North America now referred to by scholars as Comancheria and Apacheria were the scene of large-scale sex slavery little commented on by historians:

"The land that seemed so distant and romantic, so receptive to myth-building -- French Louisiana and Spanish Texas -- should have drawn the close scrutiny of the Americans. There they would have seen that the Spanish moving north out of Mexico and the French moving south out of Canada and the Ohio Valley mingled with Indians in places that would be known as Comancheria and Apacheria. The overlay of cultures produced a world distinct from other regions of Native-European interaction.

"After the French and Indian War, Spain gained administrative control of Louisiana. By this time, the French had added the Comanche and Wichita Indians to their earlier alliance with the Caddos. These Indian tribes came to a position of economic and political dominance across the region. A prominent component of these interlocking commercial relations included a vigorous trade in female slaves.

"The armies of men see-sawed between military aggression and peace-keeping ventures. In the teetering back and forth, women and children of the foe became targets for capture. Within this environment, the most vulnerable of the enemy camp were actively pursued as captives. This system led to widespread occasions of human slavery, predicated not on race, but on gender.

"Although a woman in a Native society often held carefully delineated economic and political power, when separated from her cultural community, a woman could find that her decision-making and personal agency evaporated. Instead, now held by an enemy camp, a woman became quite powerless, transformed into a slave to be used for forced labor -- domestic, mercantile, or sexual. Often referred to almost benignly as 'captivity,' the condition was, in fact, slavery, one in which women had no control over what happened to them.

"In this unsavory circumstance, women were valued as war booty. Men were not seen in the slave trade, as they either killed themselves before capture or were murdered when apprehended. Women and children, however, might be captured as punishment against an offending tribe, such as when the Spanish carried off Apache women. In addition to inflicting emotional pain on the enemy, the Spanish anticipated the value of the captives as a trade item during peace discussions, which they assumed would materialize at some point. The women, however, had no idea how long their slavery might last or its outcome -- sold off to a jobber for labor and death, given as a 'gift' during peace talks, exchanged for female slaves held by their captors' foes, murdered, raped, or married.

"The French moving south and west on the Plains during the eighteenth century more than dabbled in this slave trade, as they stoked the fires of their Indian alliances. Natchitoches and its nearby fort was a trade center, where the French acknowledged the most valuable goods were horses, pelts, and slaves. The trade in female slaves allowed men on both sides of the table to enhance their commercial and diplomatic ties.

"In this swirl of several Indian tribes, Spanish administrators, and French traders, men of opposing sides cooperated in perpetuating the traffic in women, holding them in a bondage that was neither gentle nor brief. Women were an instrument to be used for the advance of masculine political and economic strategies. In the meantime, female captives changed the demographics of American slavery, forcibly held in western lands that were increasingly mythically regarded as a paradise of unfettered freedom. Such unattractive elements in western life, as this female slavery, were typically minimized or ignored."

The American West: A Concise History

Author: Anne M. Butler

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LITTLE BEAVER
POWOW

July 18-20, 2014 Dulce, New Mexico

HEADSTAFF

Master Of Ceremonies	Lawrence Baker - Newtown, North Dakota
Arms Director	Sunny Eagle-Speaker - Yelm, Washington
Head Dance Judge	Terry Pidder - Rochester, Minnesota
Head Drum Judge	Dale Koenig Sr. - Superior, New Mexico
Head Man Dancer	Geron Vossell - Albuquerque, New Mexico
Head Woman Dancer	Hudson Blackbird - Dulce, New Mexico

****\$10,000 DRUM CONTEST****

CONTEST CATEGORIES

Golden Age 55+
Adult Women & Men's 18-54
Teen: 13-17
Junior: 6-12
Tiny Tots 5 and under (Pend Daily)

GOURD DANCE

Friday - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday - 10:00 a.m. & 5:00 p.m.
Sunday - 10:00 a.m.

SPECIALS

Head Man Dancer - Men's Northern Traditional
Head Woman Dancer - Women's All Around 20-35
Old-Bull-Birthday Special - Men's "Old Style" Grass by Family
Jicarilla Tribal Council Special - TBA
Powwow Committee Special - TBA
More Specials to be Announced

VENDOR INFO

Please call (575) 759-4578/4579

GENERAL POWWOW INFO

www.facebook.com/Jicarilla.NDNCLUB

ALL DANCERS AND DRUMMERS WELCOME!

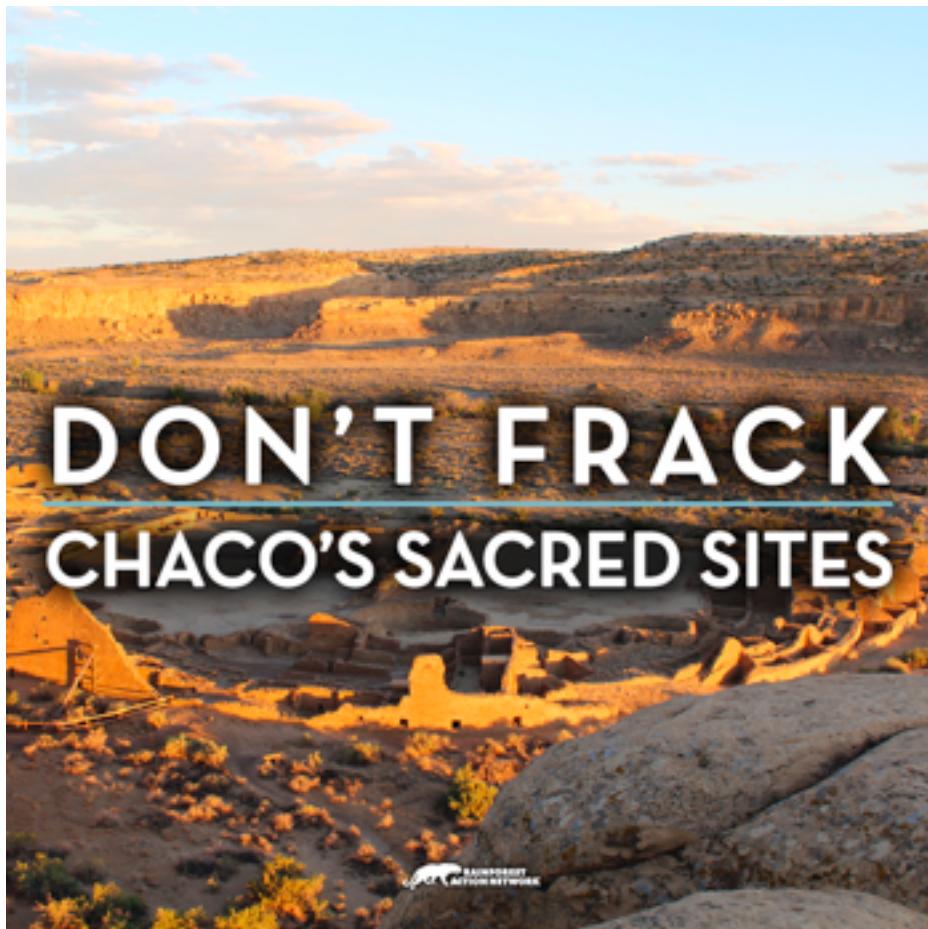
EVERYONE IS WELCOME to join us for a weekend of fun! Little Beaver Events include: a Carnival, Auction, Parade, Pony Express Race, Concert/Dances, Men & Women's Softball Tournaments, Rodeo, and much more!

The Powwow Committee and the Jicarilla Apache Nation will not be responsible for theft or loss of personal items, accidents or short handed travelers. No weapons or firearms allowed on property. This is an alcohol and drug free event. Schedule is subject to change.

http://m.washingtonpost.com/national/health-science/a-second-language-may-help-sustain-the-brain/2014/06/09/d476f536-ec4d-11e3-93d2-edd4be1f5d9e_story.html

A second language may help sustain the brain

Researcher concludes that learning another language can help predict brain health in old age.
Washington Post



[Rainforest Action Network](#) with [Alan Dawson](#)

SOME THINGS
ARE SACRED: The
ancient Anasazi
ruins in New
Mexico's Chaco
Canyon area should
be off-limits to
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