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**January-February PowWows** 

**January 18 - January 20** 12th Annual Sarasota Native American Indian Festival (2019)

3000 Ringling Blvd, Sarasota, FL - 34237

**January 26 - January 27** 3rd Annual Winter Pow Wow (2019)

37600 Onigamiing Drive, Red Cliff, WI - 54814

January 31 - February 03 Dakota Nation Winter Fest (2019)

1175 18th St #1, Brandon, MB - R7A 7C5

**February 02 - February 03** Brooksville Native American Festival (2019)

5360 Lockhart Rd., Brooksville, FL - 34602

**February 02 - February 02** Cuyamaca College 5th Annual Powwow (2019)

900 Rancho San Diego Parkway, B Building Quad, El Cajon, CA - 92109

February **08 - February 10** 2019 Seminole Tribal Fair and Pow Wow

1 Seminole Way, Hollywood, FL - 33314

**February 09 - February 09** 18th Annual Stockton Community/UOP Winter Benefit

**Powwow** 

3601 Pacific Ave, Stockton, CA - 95211

February 16 - February 17 Living Sky Casino 10th Anniversary Pow Wow (2019)

1700 17th Avenue S.E., SWIFT CURRENT, SK - S9H3V5

**February 23 - February 24** Princess Place Pow Wow Flagler County Native American

**Festival** 

2500 Princess Place Road, Palm Coast, FL - 32137

#### The Community School Comes of Age By DAVID L. KIRP

The model is expanding rapidly. Is it a fad, or the future?

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#### **GrantStation**

#### **National Opportunities**

#### **Support for Research to Address Gun Violence**

The mission of the National Collaborative on Gun Violence Research (NCGVR) is to fund and disseminate nonpartisan scientific research that offers the public and policymakers a factual basis for developing fair and effective gun policies.

#### **Grants Address Diabetes and Hypertension Prevention**

The Community Health Grants program, an initiative of the American Medical Association (AMA) Foundation, supports innovative programs targeting the prevention and reduction of type 2 diabetes and hypertension.

#### Programs to Encourage Diversity in the Interactive Software Industry Funded

The Bigglesworth Family Foundation is dedicated to building a bridge for underrepresented communities to meaningful careers in the Interactive Software Industry.

#### **Support for Fair Elections and Political Equality**

The Gaia Fund values the democratic principles that govern and guide our country's political process: fair elections, representation for all, and equal opportunity for political participation.

#### **Regional Opportunities**

#### **Grants Promote Economic Mobility in Bank Communities**

The Bank of America Charitable Foundation works to advance pathways to economic mobility in order to build thriving communities.

#### Organizations Serving People with Disabilities in Company Communities Supported

Brady Shines, a charitable giving program of the Brady Companies, supports nonprofit organizations in the communities served by the company in the states of Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Nevada, New Mexico, and Utah, as well as the Los Angeles, CA; El Paso, TX; and Washington, DC, metropolitan areas.

#### **Funds for Social Justice Initiatives in Alaska**

The Alaska Community Foundation works to connect people, organizations, and causes to strengthen Alaska's communities.

#### **Grants Expand Healthcare for Massachusetts Residents**

The Blue Cross Blue Shield of Massachusetts Foundation seeks to expand access to healthcare for low-income and vulnerable residents of Massachusetts.

#### **Federal Opportunities**

#### **Program Supports Culturally Specific Services for Sexual Assault Victims**

The Sexual Assault Services Culturally Specific Program provides support to create, maintain, and expand sustainable sexual assault services provided by culturally specific organizations.

#### **Funds Available to Assist Housing Programs**

#### 10 Reasons to Feel Hopeful About Climate Change in 2019

Humanity's on the brink, but signs are emerging that we'll pull back Photo by Gilltukha/iStockBy Wendy Becktold | Jan 10 2019

In 2018, hurricanes, floods, fires, and droughts wreaked a level of destruction on the planet that, according to scientists, is just a taste of what is to come. In October, the International Panel on Climate Change <u>issued a report</u> stating that we have about 12 years to avoid catastrophic climate change. Meanwhile, global greenhouse gas emissions reached a record high in 2018. So is it still reasonable to hope that we can wean ourselves off fossil fuels in time to avert global calamity?

As <u>David Roberts of Vox points out</u>, that's the wrong question. Climate change is happening now, and lots of change for the worse is already locked into place. But, as Roberts puts it, "we have some choice in how screwed we are." Climate change isn't a binary—safe or unsafe, screwed or not screwed—but rather a spectrum. That will remain true no matter how we respond to the task of reducing greenhouse gas emissions, or how severe the weather gets. "Yes, it's going to get worse," Roberts writes, "but nobody gets to give up hope or stop fighting." Exactly right. Here, then, are 10 glimmers of hope that humanity will opt for less screwed over more screwed in 2019.

#### 1. The Divestment Movement Keeps Growing

In 2012, Unity College, a small liberal arts school in Maine, announced that its trustees had voted to sell their shares in coal, oil, and gas companies. Six years later, more than 1,000 institutions have sold their investments in fossil fuels, bringing the total size of portfolios and endowments in the fossil fuel divestment campaign to nearly \$8 trillion. At the start of 2018, New York City took the first steps to divest its \$189 billion pension fund from fossil fuels. In July, Ireland became the first nation to do so. The fossil fuel industry is feeling the impact. In 2014, Peabody, the world's largest coal company, warned investors that divestment could factor into declining profits; the company filed for bankruptcy in 2016. Earlier this year, Shell called divestment a material risk to its business. The divestment movement is forcing the fossil fuel industry to grapple with the real possibility of a future in which its stocks become stranded assets.

#### 2. The Paris Agreement Holds Steady

Coming on the heels of President Trump's announcement that the US intended to withdraw from the Paris Agreement, 2017's UN Climate Talks (COP23) were full of defiance, as country after country reaffirmed their commitment to keeping the planet from warming more than 1.5°C (2.7°F). A year later, this global resolve has faltered but not failed. As countries met in Poland in November for COP24, delegates had to contend with the power vacuum left by a recalcitrant United States and its <u>blatant support of the fossil fuel industry</u>. Even worse, the US government's climate denialism has emboldened backsliding from other countries, <u>most notably Brazil</u>. Nevertheless, the Paris Agreement still stands. Delegates at COP24 managed to negotiate a rulebook for how to measure the progress each country makes in reducing greenhouse gas emissions, ultimately reaffirming international cooperation in the effort to combat climate change.

#### 3. The Rule of Law Still Rules

The Trump administration came into office intent on undoing decades of environmental protections and upending the Obama's administration's efforts to tackle climate change. There's no denying that two years in, these policy goals are being realized. According to a recent *New York Times* report, as of December 2018, the Trump administration has eliminated, or is in the process of eliminating, a total of 78 environmental rules. But the administration has often fumbled in its attempts to unravel environmental legislation. It has <u>failed to provide a credible legal argument</u> for proposed changes or has skipped steps in the rule-making process, and the courts have ruled accordingly. For example, in July, <u>a judge rescinded permits</u> for the 300-mile-

long Mountain Valley gas pipeline, declaring that federal officials had neglected to fully vet possible impacts on Jefferson National Forest. In November, a judge blocked the long-contested Keystone pipeline, ruling that the administration had "simply discarded prior factual findings related to climate change." And federal courts have knocked back the administration's efforts to rewrite regulations around the leakage of methane, a potent greenhouse gas. In short, judges are insisting that if the Trump administration wants to pulverize the planet, it has to at least be able to provide legal justification.

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#### 4. Renewable Energy Is on the Rise

In case you missed it, renewable energy is thriving. A <u>recent report from Wood Mackenzie</u> <u>predicts that clean energy technologies</u> have now become so cost effective that they will replace fossil fuels as the main source of energy within the the next 20 years. Already, five states—California, Nevada, Hawaii, Massachusetts, and Vermont—generate 10 percent or more of their energy from solar energy. More than 100 cities and counties across the country have committed to transitioning to 100 percent clean energy. Germany produced enough renewable energy in the first half of 2018 to power every household in the country for a year, and Portugal ran on renewable energy for the entire month of March. In many places, it's now cheaper to <u>build and</u> run new wind and solar farms than to run existing coal plants.

#### 5. Coal Is Going, Going...

President Trump has promised to revive the coal industry, but, well, that hasn't happened. If anything, the shrinkage of the coal industry has accelerated. The <u>US Energy Information</u>

<u>Administration</u> reports that during Trump's first two years in office, approximately 20 gigawatts of coal-fired electricity have been retired—that's compared to a reduction of 15 gigawatts of coal during Obama's first four years. The <u>Sierra Club's Beyond Coal campaign predicts</u> that, based on the average rate of coal retirements over the past three years, all US coal plants will be closed by 2035. That means that the United States is on track to meet the IPCC's requirement of totally phasing out coal in the US within 17 years.

#### 6. Technology Is Advancing

It's tempting to cross our fingers and hope that a technological fix for climate change will come along and we'll be off the hook for doing the hard work of enacting deeper systemic change. This isn't going to happen. However, the recent headline-grabbing climate reports do assume that what are called "negative emissions technologies" will play a crucial role in reducing emissions. Some of these, like reforestation and no-till agriculture, aren't high tech at all and, if employed on a large scale, can do a lot to draw carbon out of the atmosphere. But a recent panel convened by the National Academies concluded that higher tech solutions like direct carbon capture (which likely involve storing extracted carbon deep in the ground) can and should be in the mix. The report stated that given recent breakthroughs, direct air capture of CO2 could become profitable within 10 years. Meanwhile, renewable energy technology keeps advancing, including innovations such as solar-panel-cleaning robots, taller wind turbines, solar panels that float, and better batteries for storing all that clean energy.

#### 7. Transportation Is Headed in the Right Direction

Transportation is the biggest source of carbon pollution in the United States. Fortunately, there are some encouraging signs that a transportation overhaul is underway. In December, nine states —Connecticut, Delaware, Massachusetts, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Virginia, and Vermont—and the District of Columbia announced a regional plan for limiting carbon emissions in the transportation sector. Meanwhile, California, along with 16 other states, is fighting the Trump administration to hold onto strict tailpipe standards for cars, trucks, and SUVs. As with renewable energy, economics may end up being the game changer. EVs are getting cheaper and more reliable, so much so that *Wall Street Journal* auto columnist Dan Neil concluded that buying a new internal-combustion engine car is now equivalent to buying a flip phone in an era of smartphones.

#### 8. The Scales of Justice Are Tipping

It used to be if you were worried about global warming, you were supposed to change your lightbulbs and recycle. As the political movement to address climate change has evolved, so has the understanding that some players have made outsized contributions to the problem; researchers have established, for example, that the business practices of about 90 companies are responsible for nearly two-thirds of the observed increases in global surface temperatures. Now, an effort is underway to hold the fossil fuel industry responsible for its actions. In 2018, seven cities, counties, and states filed lawsuits against some of these companies, seeking to recover damages brought on by climate-change-related disasters. In November, West Coast crab fishermen sued 30 fossil fuel corporations, alleging that global warming has led to fishery closures and lost revenue. And the our Children's Trust lawsuit—in which 21 young people are suing the US government for fueling global warming—is still making its way through the court system. Climate liability cases are a part of a global trend: Lawsuits are ongoing in the Netherlands, Peru, the Philippines, Canada, and other countries.

#### 9. The Political Winds Are Shifting

When it comes to dealing with climate change, there are few obstacles to progress as great as the hot mess of greed, denial, and incompetence that is the current US federal government. Happily, that is not the whole political story in the United States. The grassroots opposition to President Trump came to fruition this past November, sweeping a historic number of Democrats (many of them women and people of color) into the House of Representatives and establishing a formidable counterforce to the Trump administration. One of the most famous new representatives, Alexandria Ocasio-Cortez of New York, is already busy advocating for a Green New Deal—basically, an enormous policy and stimulus package that would tackle both climate change and income inequality. Election night brought lots of green victories on the state and local level as well, with pro-environment governors elected in Illinois, New Mexico, Kansas, Michigan, and Pennsylvania. This is important because, as Sierra Club Beyond Coal campaign director Mary Anne Hitt points out, states and cities are where the decisions are made in this country about how to produce electricity.

#### 10. Youths Are on the March

Every Friday, 15 year-old Greta Thunberg skips school to sit outside the Swedish Parliament and protest the failure of politicians to act on climate change. She has inspired thousands of kids around the world to do the same. At the end of 2018, 15,000 Australian students marched against plans to build a massive coal mine in Queensland. American kids are agitating for change too. In July, 16-year-old Jamie Margolin led hundreds of youth activists in a march in Washington, D.C., to denounce inaction on climate change. In November, young people from the Sunrise Movement occupied the offices of Representatives Nancy Pelosi, Steny Hoyer, and Jim McGovern to push for the establishment of the Green New Deal. Righteously pissed that adults are not acting in their best interests, young people around the globe are taking matters into their own hands. As Thunberg put it in a Guardian op-ed, "We can no longer save the world by playing by the rules because the rules have to be changed." Here's to changing all the rules in 2019.

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#### **Bigstone Empowerment Society**

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## **Scholarships with February 1-15 Deadlines**

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AAAS Minority Science Writers Internship	<u>Varies</u> \$1,000	02/01/2019 02/01/2019
AAHA Lou Manzione Scholarship		
Accounting & Financial Women's Alliance Scholarship - Bellevue AFDO Scholarship Awards	\$1,500	02/01/2019
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Alice W. Rooke Scholarship	\$20,000	02/10/2019
Alliant Energy Innovation Scholarship	\$1,000	02/15/2019
Alpha Delta Kappa XI Education Scholarship	<u>Varies</u>	02/01/2019
Alpha Kappa Psi Scholarship	\$20,000	02/01/2019
Amber Huber Memorial Scholarship	<u>Varies</u>	02/01/2019
American Atheists Chinn Scholarships	\$500	02/03/2019
American Atheists President's Scholarships	\$500	02/03/2019
American Council of the Blind Scholarship	Varies	02/15/2019
AMS Father James B. Macelwane Awards	\$1,000	02/11/2019
AMS Freshman Undergraduate Scholarship	\$5,000	02/03/2019
AMS Graduate Fellowship in the History of Science	\$15,000	02/08/2019
AMS Graduate Fellowships	\$25,000	02/08/2019
AMS Minority Scholarships	\$6,000	02/08/2019
AMS Named Scholarships	Varies	02/08/2019
Animal Health International Scholarship	\$1,000	02/01/2019
ANS John & Muriel Landis Scholarship	\$3,500	02/01/2019
ANS Undergraduate Scholarship	\$2,500	02/01/2019
APS Undergraduate Summer Research Fellowship	\$4,000	02/01/2019
APS/IBM Research Internship for Undergraduate Women	\$2,500	02/15/2019
Archie C. Towle Aviation Scholarship	\$1,500	02/01/2019
Arizona CPA Foundation High School Scholarship	\$500	02/03/2019
Army ROTC Four-Year High School Scholarship	Varies	02/04/2019
Arthur and Gladys Cervenka Scholarship	\$2,000	02/01/2019
Arthur Lockwood Beneventi Law Scholarship	\$2,000	02/10/2019
Arts for Life! Scholarship	\$3,000	02/01/2019
AWS Airgas Jerry Baker Scholarship	\$2,500	02/15/2019
AWS Airgas Terry Jarvis Memorial Scholarship	\$2,500	02/15/2019
AWS Arsham Amirikian Engineering Scholarship	\$2,500	02/15/2019
AWS Barbara and Richard Couch Hypertherm Scholarship	\$5,000	02/15/2019
AWS Edward J. Brady Memorial Scholarship	\$10,000	02/15/2019
AWS Howard E. and Wilma J. Adkins Memorial Scholarship	\$5,000	02/15/2019
AWS John C. Lincoln Memorial Scholarship	\$14,000	02/15/2019
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AWS William A. and Ann M. Brothers Scholarship	\$10,000	
AWS William B. Howell Memorial Scholarship	\$10,000	02/15/2019
Beautiful Minds Challenge	Varies	02/01/2019
Bemidji State Music Scholarships	Varies	02/12/2019
Benjamin and Patricia Allen Scholarship	Varies	02/02/2019
Beta Gamma Recruitment Grant	Varies	02/01/2019
Betty Harlan Memorial Art Scholarship	Varies	02/01/2019

Bill Kirk Scholarship Endowment	\$1,000	02/01/2019	
Billy Smith Memorial Scholarship	Varies	02/01/2019	
BMI Founders Award for Radio Broadcasting	\$5,000	02/01/2019	
BMI Future Jazz Master Scholarship	\$5,000	02/01/2019	
BMI Student Composer Awards	\$20,000	02/01/2019	
Boren Scholarships	\$20,000	02/08/2019	
California Strawberry Growers' Fund Scholarships	Varies	02/01/2019	
Carol Becker Memorial Scholarship	\$250	02/15/2019	
Caroline E. Holt Nursing Scholarship	\$2,500	02/10/2019	
Central Florida Fair Youth College Scholarship	\$2,500	02/15/2019	
CFPCA LGBT Endowed Scholarship	\$500	02/01/2019	
Charleston Women in International Trade (CWIT)	\$3,000	02/21/2019	
Christian A. Herter Memorial Scholarship	Varies	02/03/2019	
•	\$5,000	02/01/2019	
Clair A. Hill Scholarship			
Clark E. DeHaven Scholarship Trust	\$5,000	02/15/2019	
Clinton J. Helton Manufacturing Scholarship	\$1,200	02/01/2019	
Colorado State Balanced Man Scholarship	\$1,000	02/04/2019	
Community Impact Scholarship Program	<u>Varies</u>	02/04/2019	
Corvias Foundation Scholarship for Children of Active-Duty Servi		0.000.000.00	
	\$50,000	02/09/2019	
Courageous Persuaders Video Scholarship Competition	\$3,000	02/09/2019	
CPS Energy SAFE Program	\$5,000	02/03/2019	
Dan Klepper Memorial Scholarship	\$2,000	02/01/2019	
DAR American Indian Scholarship	\$4,000	02/15/2019	
DAR Centennial Scholarship	\$2,500	02/10/2019	
DAR Good Citizen Award	<u>Varies</u>	02/10/2019	
DAR Occupational/Physical Therapy Scholarship	\$2,000	02/15/2019	
David A. Hicks Memorial Scholarship	\$1,800	02/13/2019	
Dean Foods Company Scholarship	\$1,000	02/01/2019	
Dixie Youth Baseball Scholarship	\$2,000	02/01/2019	
Dr. and Mrs. William J. Yonker Scholarship	\$1,700	02/01/2019	
Dr. Aura-Lee A. and James Hobbs Pittenger American History Scholarship			
	\$8,000	02/10/2019	
Dr. Gussie M. Ware Memorial Scholarship	Varies	02/01/2019	
DuPont Pioneer Scholarship	\$1,000	02/01/2019	
Edward G. and Helen A. Borgens Elementary and Secondary Teac	her Education		
Scholarships	\$1,500	02/15/2019	
Edward S. Roth Scholarship	Varies	02/01/2019	
Elaine Laughlin Scholarship Fund	\$1,200	02/14/2019	
Elks National Foundation Legacy Awards	\$4,000	02/02/2019	
Enid Hall Griswold Memorial Scholarship	\$5,000	02/10/2019	
Ethan Saylor Memorial Scholarship	\$500	02/01/2019	
Eugene C. Figg, Jr. Civil Engineering Scholarship	Varies	02/10/2019	
Excellence in Service Leadership Award	\$3,000	02/15/2019	
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Tribal leaders fault state plan, say wild rice in Minnesota is endangered

State report clashes with scientists working with tribes, who say grain is imperiled. http://strib.mn/2AKjlhN

#### Students in Rural America Ask, 'What Is a University Without a History

### **Major?** By MITCH SMITH

Mark your Calendars

United National Indian Tribal Youth (UNITY),

https://unityinc.org/events/national conference/February 15th-18th, 2019 2019 UNITY Mid-Year Conference Scottsdale, AZ (480) 718-9793

https://unityinc.org/product/2019-unity-midyear-conference

<sup>&</sup>quot;There is always more to do – each day offers more opportunities to serve." Mary Ann Martin Andreas Chairwoman, Morongo Band of Mission Indians

**Native Financial Education Coalition**'s (NFEC) primary goal is to provide financial education in Indian Country.

The need for financial education in Indian Country is critical. As Tribal Government become financial solvent as a result of gaming and other business ventures and the development of their natural resources such as gas, oil and coal due to the deregulation prohibitive regulations

The current efforts by (NFEC) is to meet the tribal educational needs in the area fiscal management to in- crease the knowledge andunderstanding of tribal policymakers at the tribal, federal and state levels.

The current level of tribal expertise in finance of the majority of the Tribal Government vary from entry level to management. NFEC offers the Tribal Governments and Tribal organization with an opportunity to formulate and share key policy priorities for the purposeof strengthening financial capability among Native people and in tribal communities.

## Robotic Milkers and an Automated Greenhouse: Inside a High-Tech Small Farm By STEVE LOHR

Rivendale Farms outside Pittsburgh is a laboratory for applying technology to smaller farms.

#### Things Are Getting Crazy on the Colorado River

By Ry Rivard, Voice of San Diego, 1/14/19

The Colorado River may not look like it, but it's one of the world's largest banks. The river is not only the source of much of the American West's economic productivity – San Diego, Phoenix and Denver would hardly exist without it – but its water is now the central commodity in a complex accounting system used by major farmers and entire states. Now, when talking about the river, water officials across the West use terms like bank, payback and surplus. Often the analogies to finance don't stop there – they put money behind deals that dictate who gets water and who does not.

# Draft Environmental Impact Report for Removal of Klamath River Dams Available for Comment By California Water News Daily, 1/13/19

The Draft Environmental Impact Report pertaining to the removal of the dams and associated facilities that together form the Lower Klamath Project (FERC Project No. 14083) is now available for public review and comment until February 26, 2019. The Lower Klamath Project is located along the Klamath River, in Siskiyou County, California, and in Klamath County, Oregon. On September23,2016, PacifiCorp and the Klamath River Renewal Corporation (KRRC) filed a joint application with the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) to separate PacifiCorp's Klamath Hydroelectric Project facilities into two separate projects – the Lower Klamath Project and the Klamath Hydroelectric Project

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