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When Corbin Harney was a boy, he would run away from the missionary school where he was forced to sit and listen to a language h... [See More](#)

Just last month, militarized police raided the Wet'suwet'en camps with assault rifles, dogs, sound cannons, and helicopters, while Indigenous elders and youth stood by in shock.

The assault on the Wet'suwet'en First Nation comes from the Canadian government, in support of fossil fuel giant TC Energy, which is attempting to build a 417-mile fossil fuel pipeline through Indigenous lands -- without the consent of hereditary chiefs. To protect their sovereignty and defend their lands from the pipeline, the Wet'suwet'en First Nation built camps along the pipeline route and have been living there for over 6 years now.

Stand up for Indigenous rights.



Right now, Wet'suwet'en hereditary chiefs are urgently calling out for massive global support.
Will you stand in solidarity?

Here in the U.S., we can support the Wet'suwet'en by fighting back against the financial backers of this climate-killing pipeline. We're taking this fight to the doorsteps of the largest banker of and a key investor in the Coastal GasLink pipeline: JPMorgan Chase and Kohlberg Kravis Roberts & Co (KKR).

Indigenous people and allies in Canada have led railway blockades, port shutdowns, sit-ins at government buildings, and huge rallies that have brought Canada to an economic standstill. Students across Canada are holding a nationwide student walkout, and global allies are shutting down Canadian consulates and banks that are funding the pipeline.

It's time we join them and demand action.

The world's biggest banker of fossil fuels, JP Morgan Chase, is helping funnel more than \$5 billion in loans to TC Energy, the company behind Coastal GasLink. And KKR — a New York City-based investment firm with a grotesque reputation for putting profits over employees, people, and the environment — is involved too. It has plans to purchase 65% of the pipeline

with Alberta Investment Management Corp (AIMCo). **But KKR's plans to invest in the pipeline aren't final: There's still time to stop their plans.**

We refuse to let a few billionaires destroy rivers, air, wildlife, and the climate, while hurting people that have endured so much violence already. It's time to get to work. [Are you with us?](#)

This is as much of a fight for Indigenous rights as it is for the future of the planet. The Wet'suwet'en First Nation never signed a treaty to cede their land. Pipeline funders must be held accountable for their role in destroying Indigenous lands and fueling the climate crisis.

[Rise up right now and join the #WetsuwetenStrong movement.](#)

There is no climate justice without Indigenous sovereignty,



Elana Sulakshana, Energy Finance Campaigner, Rainforest Action Network



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[Apsáalooke Women and Warriors](#) opens March 2020 at the Field Museum in partnership with the University of Chicago's Neubauer Collegium for Culture and Society, which will host a companion show. cherokeephoenix.org

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National Opportunities

Support for Diabetes Prevention Programs

The Sun Life Team Up Against Diabetes grant program is dedicated to addressing the prevention of diabetes and its related complications.

Creative Public School and Library Projects Funded

The Ezra Jack Keats Foundation offers Mini-Grants of up to \$500 to public schools, public libraries, and public preschool and Head Start programs in the United States and its territories.

Grants Promote Wildlife Adaptation to Climate Change

The Wildlife Conservation Society's Climate Adaptation Fund supports projects that implement effective interventions for wildlife adaptation to climate change.

Local Parks and Community Centers in the U.S. Supported

The HomeServe Cares Foundation's "Caring for Community" grant program supports nonprofit organizations and local government agencies that aim to help communities in the United States improve the quality of life for their residents.

Regional Opportunities

Funds for Health Initiatives in MN, ND, SD, and WI

The Medica Foundation, an affiliate of Medica Health Plans, provides funding to nonprofit organizations and government agencies within the company's service area in Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, and western Wisconsin

Grants Enhance Family Services Programs Serving East Coast States

Charlie's Heart Foundation supports nonprofit human service organizations and local or state government entities headquartered within the Eastern United States.

Support for Legal Services for Low-Income New Mexicans

The State Bar of New Mexico's Access to Justice Fund Grant Commission supports nonprofit organizations that provide civil legal services to low-income residents throughout New Mexico.

Efforts to Address the Social Determinants of Health in Ohio Funded

The CareSource Foundation is dedicated to improving the health and well-being of children, adults, and families throughout the state of Ohio.

Federal Opportunities

Funds Promote Drug-Free Communities

The Drug-Free Communities Support Program funds the efforts of community coalitions working to prevent and reduce substance use among youth.

Program Brings the Arts to the Underserved

The Challenge America program offers support to small and mid-sized organizations for projects that extend the reach of the arts to underserved populations, such as those whose opportunities to experience the arts are limited by geography, ethnicity, economics, or disability.

Nevada Humanities Grant Deadline Extended to April 10

You have extra time to apply for a Nevada Humanities grant! To accommodate the implementation of our new online grant application system, **we are extending our FY2020 grant application deadline from March 10, 2020, to April 10, 2020**. More information about

this deadline extension and the online portal for submitting future grant applications will be posted on the grants page of our website. [Learn More](#)



The poster features a blue background with a mountain range at the top. Five yellow stars are scattered across the sky. Below the stars, the title "The Younger" is written in a stylized font, followed by "POWWOW" in large, bold letters. The date "April 3rd - 5th" is displayed in yellow. The location "Events Complex - Exhibit Hall" and "Winnemucca, Nevada" are also included. The poster is framed by a decorative border featuring five Native American men in traditional headdresses.

HEAD STAFF

Master of Ceremonies
Ruben Littlehead, Lawrence, KS

Host Drums TBA

Head Dancers Picked per session

DAILY DRUM PAY

DANCE SPECIALS

Men's Traditional
Sponsored by Maxine & Dwayne Redstar

Teen Boys Grass
Sponsored by Nalope Kadjipaway

Grandmas & Granddaughter
Sponsored by Myra Smart Family

COMMITTEE SPECIALS

Red Dress Special

Tiny Tot Special

Many Draws, Raffles & Giveaways

DANCE CATEGORIES

Junior Girls (8-12) Fancy, Jingle, Traditional

Junior Boys (8-12) Fancy, Grass, Traditional

Teen Girls (13-17) Fancy, Jingle, Traditional

Teen Boys (13-17) Fancy, Grass, Traditional

Golden Aged Women & Men (50+)

Adult (18+) Fancy, Jingle, Grass, Traditional

GRAND ENTRIES

Friday - 7:00 p.m.
Saturday - 1:00 & 7:00
Sunday - 12:00 noon

LODGING INFORMATION

Host Hotel: Winners Inn
Rate: \$59.95 + tax
Code: Youth Conference & Powwow

CONTACT INFORMATION

Maxine Redstar (775) 403-3553
Email: samarim@rocketmail.com

Sponsored in part by the Winnemucca Convention & Visitor's Authority

Event organizers and representatives of the Fort McDermitt Paiute-Shoshone Tribe and the Nevada Department of Education are not responsible for accidents, theft, injuries and short funded travelers.

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***Now Playing: Historical Films of the U.S. Army Signal Corps**

The U.S Army Signal Corps Historical Films digitization project is now complete! More than 400 reels of film from Record Group 111 (Records of the Office of the Chief Signal Officer), Series H (Historical Films) have been digitized in their entirety to view in the National Archives Catalog.

Calling all Citizen Archivists and movie buffs!

Check out our latest mission and [help transcribe the production files and shot lists accompanying these historic films](#).

New to the citizen archivist program? [Learn how to register and get started.](#)

[View email in your browser](#)

This series features footage captured by the U.S. Army Signal Corps as early as 1914, highlighting activities of the Army during World War I. Much of the footage is typical of wartime photography, depicting distant, smoke-filled battlefields and displays of artillery in action. Off the battlefield, however, the cameramen of the Signal Corps focused on individual subjects, capturing intimate moments of smiling officers and shy civilians alike. In the scene below, members of the 53rd Coast Artillery Regiment sit atop a 340 mm railway gun nicknamed “Reveille Kate.”

There are still records from the Presidential Libraries available to tag and transcribe; join the [Road Trip](#) and see what you can uncover! And as always, take a look at our latest [topical missions](#) to get started contributing.

Questions or comments? Email us at catalog@nara.gov.

Comprised of 11 individuals specializing in juvenile justice, social service programs, Indian education, and mental and physical health, the **Alyce Spotted Bear and Walter Soboleff Commission on Native Children, established by Congress, will conduct a comprehensive study of the programs, grants, and supports available for American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian children at government agencies and in Native communities.** They will then issue a report containing recommendations to address the challenges currently facing Native children, with the goal of developing a sustainable system that delivers effective, culturally appropriate, meaningful wraparound services to Native children. The bipartisan Commission is the vision of former U.S. Senator Heidi Heitkamp (D-ND) and U.S. Senator Lisa Murkowski (R-AK) and has a unique and historic opportunity to fundamentally change the trajectory of American Indian, Alaska Native, and Native Hawaiian children for the better.

The Commission will be holding hearings in and reviewing documentation from tribal communities throughout the country to hear from Native children, their families, tribal leaders, and community members. The Commission will also hear from respected researchers and experts as they consider their recommendations. **The first hearing will be March 13-14, 2020 at the Talking Stick Resort in Scottsdale, Arizona.** Members of the public are invited to provide testimony on the afternoon of March 13, and are invited to hear from panels of invited

witnesses on March 14. Interested parties will be given an opportunity to be heard on topics related to the health, education, and well-being of Native children.

The Commissioners are excited to hold their first public hearing. Gloria O'Neill, Chair of the Commission and President/CEO of the Cook Inlet Tribal Council in Anchorage, Alaska, stated, "We are looking forward hearing from the community and experts about how to move the needle on positive outcomes for Native children. We have a great opportunity to make recommendations to the federal government and to get things done to make a difference for our children."

The Commissioners of the Alyce Spotted Bear and Walter Soboleff Commission on Native Children are:

Gloria O'Neill (Chair), President/CEO, Cook Inlet Tribal Council, Inc., AK
Tami DeCoteau, Ph.D. (Vice-Chair), DeCoteau Trauma-Informed Care & Practice, PLLC, ND
Carlyle Begay, Former State Senator, AZ
Dolores Subia BigFoot, Ph.D., Director, Indian Country Child Trauma Center, OK
Jesse Delmar, Director, Navajo Nation Division of Public Safety, AZ
Anita Fineday, Managing Director, Indian Child Welfare Program, Casey Family Programs, MN
Don Atqaqsaq Gray, Board Member, Ukppeagvik Inupiat Corporation, AK
Leander R. McDonald, Ph. D., President, United Tribes Technical College, ND
Elizabeth (Lisa) Morris, Administrator, Christian Alliance for Indian Child Welfare, ND
Melody Staebner, Fargo/West Fargo Indian Education Coordinator, ND

What: Public hearing

Who: Alyce Spotted Bear and Walter Soboleff Commission on Native Children

When: Open public hearing: Noon-5:45 p.m. local time on Friday, March 13 (lunch from noon-1:00 p.m.). Panels of invited witnesses (open to public): 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. on Saturday, March 14

Where: Talking Stick Resort, 9800 Talking Stick Way, Scottsdale, Arizona, 85256

For more information about the Commission or the hearing, please contact
asbwsnc@gmail.com.

More Deadlines

March 13 Deadline - Inter Tribal Council of Arizona Census 2020 Essay Contest. For high school, college, or university students in Arizona. For more information, click here [Application information](#) or call Millie at (602) 307-1534.

March 13 Deadline - American Indian Alumni Club (AIA) Scholarship for University of Arizona. Three scholarships available. For more information [click here](#).

March 20 Deadline - Summer Research Enhancement Program of Dine' College. 10 week program designed to prepare Native American freshman and sophomore college students for careers in public health and health research. For more information click [here](#).

March 31 Deadline - 2020 Native American Journalism Fellowship Applications. Selected fellows will get to build their reporting skills during an on-site immersion newsroom experience. For more information [click here](#).



March 31 Deadline - Soroptimist International of Phoenix - Women Investing in Successful Education Scholarship Opportunity. For female residents of Maricopa county. For students, high school graduates or GED holder. For more information click [here](#).

March 31 Deadline - Governor's Youth Commission for high school sophomores, juniors, and seniors. For more information click [here](#).

April 1 Deadline - Northern Arizona University's 9th Annual Andy Harvey Broadcast Journalism Workshop from June 14-20. For more information click [here](#).

April 4 Deadline - American Indian Education Fund Scholarships. For more information click [here](#).

April 30 Deadline - Native American Journalism Association's NAJA-Facebook Journalism Project Scholarship Applications. For more information [click here](#).

May 1 Deadline - NABI College Scholarship Fund. For 2020 NABI player/senior and planning to go to college in the fall. For information click [here](#).

May 22 Deadline - 2020 AZ Pride Multi-Sports Camp. Basketball, football, baseball, and track. June 8-11 at Pinon High School, Pinon, Arizona, Navajo Nation. For information call Ray at (480) 799-7959. Limited to 300 youth. Ages 8-18. Free. Limited lodging available.

May 31 Deadline - Valley of the Sun Cherokees Post Secondary Education Scholarship. For more information contact [them](#).

Summer 2020 Internship Opportunity - JP Morgan Chase For more information click [here](#).

A Roadmap for Increasing Access to Justice & Opportunity for Tribal Members with Criminal Records Through Collaboration and Partnership - From Root & Rebound and the Yurok Tribal Court. For more information or to view the document click [here](#).

Native American Children's Literature

Recommended Reading List - For information click [here](#). For additional information on the [American Indians in Children's Literature website click here](#).

Use of Technology with Young Children -

Departments of Health and Human Services and Education released a joint policy brief on the use of technology with young children to help families and early educators use technology to promote active, engaged, meaningful, and socially interactive learning. The American Academy of Pediatrics suggest for children younger than 18 months to avoid use of screen media other than video-chatting. Parents of children 18-24 months of age who want to introduce digital media should choose high quality programming, and watch it with their children to help them understand what they're seeing. For children ages 2-5 years, one hour of technology use is appropriate per day, inclusive of time spent at home and in early learning settings and across devices. Another great resource for families is [Common Sense Media](#).



"Extremists have shown what frightens them most: a girl with a book."

— Malala Yousafzai



How can we harness technology to create a more sustainable and equitable world?

https://www.upworthy.com/how-can-technology-be-harnessed-for-a-sustainable-and-equitable-world?utm_source=The+Upworthiest&utm_campaign=c747605800-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2019_07_22_07_15_COPY_01&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_78f827fba6-c747605800-237970625

More Calendar

March 13 - Southwest Indigenous Women's Coalition's Membership Gathering. RSVP by March 6. Held at NATIVE HEALTH, 4041 N. Central Avenue, Building C, Phoenix. 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. For more information contact [Tania](#).

March 13-14 - 1st Public Hearing of the Alyce Spotted Bear and Walter Soboleff Commission on Native Children. Talking Stick Resort, Scottsdale. Open Public Hearing: Noon-5:45 p.m. on Friday, March 13. Individuals who wish to provide testimony at the public hearing should contact them by March 9 at 5:00 p.m. MST. For more information: asbwsnc@gmail.com

March 14 - 20th Annual Ancient Technology Day: Prehistoric and Historic. 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Hands on throwing spears, weaving, sample roasted agave, and more. Free. For information call (602) 495-0901 or check the [website](#).

March 17-19 - 11th Annual National Indian Health Board National Tribal Public Health Summit. Omaha, Nebraska.

March 21 - Westwood High School's 17th Annual Social Pow Wow. Westwood Football Field, 945 West Rio Salado, Mesa. Alma School and Rio Salado in Mesa. Gourd Dance at 11:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Grand Entry at 1:00 and 6:00 p.m. For information call Wayne at (480)472-4556.

March 23-24 - Piestewa Fall Heroes Memorial. Gold Star families, Veterans, Tribal Leaders and Public. 6:30-8:30 a.m. Piestewa Peak Ocotillo (Apache) Ramada. Please park at Lincoln Heights Christian Church, 2121 E. Lincoln and take shuttle. Dinner, March 24, 5:30-8:30 p.m. at Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Cathedral, 1973 E. Maryland, Phoenix. RSVP required. Call Laureen at (602) 505-9006.

March 25-26 - 2020: New Opportunities for Urban Indian Health. Nationals Park, Washington DC. National Council for Urban Indian Health. For more information click [here](#).

March 27-30 - Heard Museum's Student Art Show and Sale. For more information click [here](#).

March 28 - 25th Annual Madison NAPC Social Pow. Madison Park School, 1431 E. Campbell, Phoenix. 11:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m. For information contact [them](#).

April 2 - 16th Annual American Indian Disability Summit's "Gathering Native Voices to Advocate for Native Americans with Disabilities". Desert Willow Conference Center, Phoenix. For more information [click here](#).

April 10-12 - ASU Pow Wow. Sun Devil Stadium, Tempe. For more information click [here](#).

April 13-16 - American Indian Institute, University of Oklahoma. 2020 Native Women and Men's Wellness and Diabetes Prevention Conference, The Red Road, Journey to Health and Wellness for Future Generations. San Diego, California.

April 17 - Native American Transfer Day, University of Arizona, Tucson. 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m. For more information click [here](#).

April 17-18 - Symposium for American Indian Languages. UA . For more information click [here](#).

April 18 - Ak-Chin Earth Day. Milton Paul Antone Memorial Park, 46869 W. Farrell Road, in Maricopa. 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. For information call Ross at (520) 568-1176.

April 23-26 - AAIP 2020 27th Annual Cross Cultural Medicine Workshop. Albuquerque, New Mexico. For more information click [here](#).

April 26 - Dia del Nino at the Heard Museum. Free admission with Tribal ID or CIB. Storytelling, crafts, and much more! 11:00 am.-3:00 p.m. For more information click [here](#).

April 27-May 1 - Native American Fitness Council's Native Fitness Week. Flagstaff, Arizona. For more information click [here](#).

April 28-30 - 20202 Native Broadcast Summit, Residence Inn, Phoenix. Hosted by Native Public Media. For more information click [here](#).

April 29-May 1 - Our Nations, Our Journeys: Indigenous Public Health Forum. Casino del Sol in Tucson. For more information click [here](#).

April 30-May 1 - 2nd Annual Tribal Opioid Conference. Harrah's Ak-Chin Hotel and Casino, Maricopa, Arizona. For more information click [here](#).

Clean energy produced on Navajo land could help power Los Angeles

By Salt Lake Tribune, 3/5/2020

In a city renowned for its green policies, Prius drivers and biodegradable straws, it was only a matter of time before officials would vote to move away from coal powered electricity. To transition to clean energy, the city sold its shares of a coal-powered generating station on the Navajo Nation in 2016, ending a decades-long relationship. What seemed like a bright new sustainable future for Los Angeles presented a harsh reality for the tribe, whose members relied on jobs at the Navajo Generating Station, which shut down completely in November. The generating station near Page contributed \$51 million a year to northern Arizona and southern Utah.

Tribes ask for a greater share of disaster recovery work for locals

<https://www.chicoer.com/2020/02/27/tribes-ask-for-a-greater-share-of-disaster-recovery-work-for-locals/>

Did a Seventh-Century Warrior Queen Build the Maya's Longest Road?



[Dude, I'm From The Rez](#) is with [Victor Ramirez](#) and [Jcharlez Paul](#).

[March 3 at 5:20 PM](#) .

All Female Native American warriors serving in Afghanistan. - meme credit pending.