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Elveda Martinez: ·

History was made today (6.4.21). Nevada Governor Sisolak signed into law 3 bills that will benefit and impact natives in Nevada. One bill will provide funding for the Stewart Indian boarding school, one will do away with the sundown siren in Douglas county and one will waive the tuition for native students, allowing them to attend colleges and universities.

Thanks Stacey Montooth, Nevada Indian Commission Executive Director, for planning this signing event. She was very emotional in talking about the history of Stewart, in light of what's happened in boarding schools across America and Canada. The orange drape on the signing table is there for the 215 children that never made it home in Canada. We'll never forget them and all of the other children who endured such suffering.

Thanks freshman Assemblywoman Natha Anderson for pushing forth AB262, the tuition waiver bill. Thank you Natha for mentioning the weekly meetings and our team that pushed this bill. Thanks to [Marla McDade Williams](#) and the PL lobbyist for being there on a daily basis. The day began and ended with beautiful honoring songs.

Here's some of our AB262 team that worked all legislative session on the tuition waiver bill. They were at today's signing ceremony in Stewart.

You are all leaders that paved the way for more educated natives. It was great to be a part of this awesome team.

[Teresa Magnuson Melendez](#) [Brian Melendez](#) [Marla McDade Williams](#) [Markie Lechelle](#)



EXTENSION
College of Agriculture,
Biotechnology & Natural Resources



Mineral County and Native Programs 4-H Camp
July 8-11, 2021 at Lake Tahoe

Tentative Schedule
July 8, 2021 Drop Off 1-3 p.m.
July 11, 2021: Pick up 8:30 to 10 a.m.

\$125
Per Camper

For More Information Contact:
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If you are interested, please call or email Mineral County and/or Native Program staff. A registration packet and an online payment link can be sent to you. There are scholarships available upon request.



R'cd. 6.4 after Friday Journal went out

[Staci Emm](#). We are going to hold a Mineral County and Native Programs 4-H Camp this year. Please share and contact us if you have youth that would like to attend. A schedule will be released next week. We are currently looking for campers 9-13 years old, teen counselors 14-18 years old, and adult volunteers. The beach is awful nice at Lake Tahoe!!!

Tribal Consultations

- Jun 15 2021 01:00 PM to 03:00 PM Eastern
- Jun 17 2021 01:00 PM to 03:00 PM Eastern
- **Buy Indian Act**
The Department of the Interior is considering revisions to the regulations implementing the Buy Indian Act which provides Indian Affairs (IA) with the authority to set aside procurement contracts for qualified Indian-owned businesses, known as “Indian Economic Enterprises.” The draft revisions would eliminate barriers to Indian Economic Enterprises from competing on certain construction contracts, expand Indian Economic Enterprises’ ability to subcontract construction work consistent with other socio-economic set-aside programs, and give greater preference to Indian Economic Enterprises



ndnsports.com. (best coverage of Indian athletes)

Shout out and congrats to Jeremy Bockus (Blackfeet), out of Browning HS in Montana, who placed 3rd place in the 800m run at the Montana State Track and Field Championships.

[#NativePreps](#) [#Blackfeet](#)

From Delaware Sea Grant Project

Next week, we have a new installment of 75 Minute Science, a professional development series we launched last year for teachers. Two representatives of a graduate student organization at the University of Delaware will discuss their new initiative, Life of a Scientist, meant to connect classrooms with real scientists. [Learn more and register](#)

<https://apple.news/AfIjKTqvpTWKnpozIjUJLdg>



Schooney Bear

15h · 🌐



This picture made me sad and I never could forget the story to it. See the teepees? They were families who missed their babies so much, they camped there just to get a glimpse of their baby, even just for a second. I am sure they were told to leave. But imagine you being that parent??? This story made me cry. 🥺❤️🙏



Oh, Beer.

In a new study published in *Frontiers in Sustainable Food Systems*, researchers from Spain's Neiker Basque Institute for Agricultural Research and Development investigated using agricultural and beer byproducts, mixed with fresh cow manure, to come up with [organic biodisinfestation treatments](#), also known as pesticides.

So many chemical fumigants in agriculture have proved to be harmful to human health and the environment that they've been banned from use. Rapeseed plant has conventionally been used in the agricultural industry for the production of edible vegetable oil and as feedstock for animals. So in a continuing effort to reduce industry waste and minimize the amounts of harmful chemicals being used, researchers have been studying ways to use rapeseed cake and beer bagasse as a potential method to disinfect soils, preserve healthy soil microorganisms and increase crop yields.

Root-knot nematodes damage crops by penetrating a plant's root tissue to lay their eggs, an activity that causes galls, or knot-like swellings, to form on the root, compromising its development. Crops can't take up nutrients efficiently and plant growth slows, ultimately reducing yields. Researchers tested their theory by introducing the agricultural and beer byproducts, along with fresh manure, in plots. After the first crop post-treatment, the nematode populations and galling on plant roots were significantly reduced as compared to control plots. Additionally, the organic matter treatment boosted populations of beneficial microorganisms in the soils, as demonstrated by a significantly higher soil respiration rate. Plots also demonstrated increased yields by around 15% after one year, compared to the control plots.

According to the lead author of the new study, the high nitrogen content of rapeseed cake and beer bagasse "promotes the activity of beneficial microorganisms in the soil, which helps to

break down organic matter like manure and kill off nematodes and other parasites which damage crops." Bottom Line: the study demonstrates that not only does usage of these agricultural byproducts reduce waste and benefit the environment, it can also achieve higher crop yields and promote sustainable food systems. Not since [The Martian](#) has poop been put to such good use. ([phys.org](#))



Fernley HS Graduation by Janet Davis (click on corners to enlarge)

By the New York Times, 6/1/2021

Some farmers, furious about water rights and fearing financial ruin, are already organizing a resistance. **“Tell Pharaoh let our water feed the Earth,”** said a sign erected near the nearly dry irrigation canal that would usually be flowing with water from Upper Klamath Lake in southern Oregon. The brewing battle over the century-old Klamath Project is an early window into the water shortfalls that are likely to spread across the West as a widespread drought, associated with a warming climate, parches watersheds throughout the region.

University Suspended Diversity Courses Because of an Incident That Almost Certainly Didn’t Happen

An incident in which a conservative student was allegedly subjected to ideological bullying and harassment was a pretext to cancel courses addressing diversity issues at Boise State University. An outside law firm's investigation found no evidence to substantiate the account which came from someone outside...

Native American tribe in Maine buys back island taken 160 years ago

The Passamaquoddy’s purchase of Pine Island for \$355,000 is the latest in a series of successful ‘land back’ campaigns for indigenous people in the US

Read in The Guardian: <https://apple.news/A3PbqEb19QJi1EzqfFB2qg\>.



vimeo.com

[The Fight for Oak Flat](#)

[A Western Apache spiritual leader fights to stop the destruction of his ancestral homeland... Two former miners worry this new mine will destroy their town's...](#)

Numu-relatives, this short documentary about Oak Flats fighting a copper mine is what we have been going through for years in our homelands. Indigenous people are standing all across turtle island to protect their sacred sites, the water and their homelands!



The Death of Indian Johnny Governor “Honest John” Sparks listened as an interpreter argued on behalf of a Shoshone family. They had come to Carson City to plead for the life of Indian Johnny. They failed.

(always hated sitting at that table)

“We are perhaps the only nation which tried as a matter of national policy to wipe out its indigenous population. Moreover, we elevated that tragic experience into a noble crusade.” -- Martin Luther King, Jr.

For some fabulous Nevada photography:

Extreme Social Distancing.

For 13 years Trish and I lived in Eureka. In January 2018 we sold our place, packed our van and hit the road. We're still on the road. **Read More**

Calendar (Courtesy of Long Beach State University American Indian Studies Alumni Association & Office of Alumni Relations and the American Indian Reporter)

DEADLINE. June 7th, 2021. • Call for Session Proposals. **Association on American Indian Affairs, 7th Annual Repatriation Conference, "Accountable to Our Past, Committed to Our Future."** <https://bit.ly/3xzXXrC> Virtual Conference Dates, November 3rd, 10th, & 17th, 2021. CONTACT: general@indian-affairs.org <https://www.indian-affairs.org/sessionproposals.html>

June 7th, 9th, & 11th, 2021 • NICWA Training Institute: "Working with Substance-Abusing Families." <https://www.nicwa.org/training-institutes> LOCATION: ZOOM/Online. Register: <https://web.cvent.com/event/d59e9599-bddb-40fe-ba9d-2347711f1c1c/summary>. Summary - June Working with Substance-Abusing Families Training Institute ([cvent.com](https://web.cvent.com)) CONTACT: (503) 222-4044, info@nicwa.org

Tuesday, June 8th, 2021. • 10am - 11:30am, pacific time. Virtual Tribal Consultation Session: **IHS Tribal Consultation Policy and Process.** Seeking input on how to improve the Tribal Consultation Policy and process. LOCATION: Telephone or ZOOM/online. TELEPHONE: (833) 568-8864. Meeting ID: 161 5609 4640. Passcode: 571603. ZOOM: <https://zoom.us> ZOOM Meeting ID: 161 5609 4640

NIWRC, 2021 Women Are Sacred Conference, "Carrying Our Medicine and Strengthening Our Vision To End The Violence." <https://www.niwrc.org/VirtualEvent>. Registration Fees: \$150. CONTACT: (406) 477-3896, (855) 649-7299. <https://www.niwrc.org/was> Registration Eventbrite: <https://eventbrite.com/e/women-are-sacred-2021-registration-68924257309>, Women Are Sacred 2021 Registration | Eventbrite

Wednesday, June 9th, 2021. • 11am-12:30pm. Pacific time. Virtual Urban Confer Session: **IHS Policy on Conferring with Urban Indian Organizations.** Seeking input on how to improve the Urban Confer Policy and process. LOCATION: phone conference or zoom/online. TELEPHONE: (833) 568-8864. Meeting ID: 161 998 2193. ZOOM: <https://zoom.us> ZOOM Meeting ID: 161 998 2193. CONTACT: Shannon Beyale, (301) 945-3657, shannon.beyale@ihs.gov Written comments and recommendations: please send comments and recommendation on the IHS Urban Confer Policy and process as follows, emailurbanconfer@ihs.gov—Subject line: IHS Urban Confer Policy.

June 11th, 2021. • Inter Tribal Sports, 11th Annual ITS Golf Tournament Fundraiser. LOCATION: Journey at Pechanga, 45000 Pechanga Parkway, Temecula CA 92592. CONTACT: (951) 719-3444, info@intertribalsports.org, <https://www.intertribalsports.org> Register: <https://birdeasepro.com/intertribalsports/>

June 11th, 2021. • 12pm – 1:30pm PDT. **NIWRC WEBI-NAR: LGBTQ2S, Policies and Practices for Tribal Shelters and DV Programs.** <https://www.niwrc.org/upcoming-events> National

Indigenous Women's Resource Center, <https://www.niwrc.org> LOCATION:Online/
VirtualRegister:<https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/7709055764147403533>,Registration
(gotowebinar.com)

June 14th, 2021. • Flag Day Program: Honoring the American Flag through Native Art.

National Museum of the American Indian.<https://americanindian.si.edu> LOCATION:Online. CONTACT:(202) 633-1000,NMAIPressOffice@si.edu

June 14th -17th, 2021 • NICWA Training Institute: "Positive Indian Parenting."<https://www.nicwa.org/training-institutes> LOCATION:ZOOM/Online. Register:<https://web.cvent.com/event/bd8a1c0e-ff83-47f0-9d37-32c57b3caacb/summary>. Summary -June Positive Indian Parenting Training Institute (cvent.com) CONTACT:(503) 222-4044,info@nicwa.org

Tuesday, June 15th, 2021. • 10 am -2pm. (PT). Tribal Leaders Diabetes Committee. TLDC is a tribal leader advisory group to the IHS Director on chronic disease issues and the Special Diabetes Program for Indians [SDPI] grant program.<https://www.ihs.gov/sdpi/tldc/> CONTACT:Carmen Hardin, (844) 447-3387.

Wednesday, June 16th, 2021 • 6:30pm (PDT). TACUNA Wellness Gathering. "Benjamin Hale (Diné); The Medicine Wheel, A Cultural Understanding of Self and the World Around You." CONTACT:(866) 477-9672,asktacu-na@rand.org.

June 17th, 2021. • 4pm (ET). WEBINAR: Youth in Action: Indigenizing Pride.<https://americanindian.si.edu> Registration:https://smithsonian.zoom.us/webinar/register/421688639594/WN_VcOVur0fRaS1_R53Oq1Zyg. LOCATION:Online. Webinar Registration -Zoom

Thursday, June 17th, 2021. • 7pm –8:30pm. (PT). "Oh, Jupiter! We Thought We Knew You." Caltech Theodore von Kármán Lecture. Free Online Event.<https://events.caltech.edu/calandar/theodore-von-karman-lecture-1> CONTACT:events@caltech.edu. Theodore von Kármán Lecture I Caltech-Live!

June 20th –24th, 2021. • NCAI 2021 Mid Year Conference & Market-place.<https://ncai.org> LOCATION:Dena'ina Center, Anchorage Alaska. CONTACT:(202) 466-7767. Register NetForum:netforum.org ProFEES:\$175 -\$545

June 21st -25th, 2021. • Tribal Healing to Wellness Court Virtual Enhancement Training. A tribal-specific national training for tribal problem-solving courts. Four separate tracks for Adult Wellness Courts; Juvenile Wellness Courts; Family Wellness Courts; and Veteran's Courts.<https://www.enhancementtraining.org> Enhancement Training is FREE to all participants. LOCATION:Online. CONTACT:(323) 650-5467,wellness@tlpi.org.

June 24 –25, 2021. • The 2021 California Statewide Child Welfare Conference, "Gathering Our Strength, Navigating Uncertain Times." Hosted by Enterprise Rancheria.<https://caltribalfamilies.org> LOCATION:In-Person or Online. CONTACT:(916) 583-8289,contact@caltribalfamilies.org EventBrite:2021 California Statewide I.C.W.A. Conference Tickets, Thu, Jun 24, 2021 at 8:00 AM | Event-brite FEES:\$50.

June 25th & 26th, 1876. •Celebrate the Anniversary,Battle of the Greasy Grass. Saturday June 26th, 2021. •11am to 7pm. The 14th Annual Sycuan Traditional Gathering, "Ipai-Tipai Mataayum." <https://sctca.net> Enjoy a day of Bird Singing, Bird Dancing, Games, Food, Peon, and more! LOCATION: TBA. CONTACT: Cworrell@Sycuan-nsn.gov Facebook: Sycuan Traditional Gathering, <https://www.facebook.com/sycuan.gathering> Mark Your Calendar: -JUNE 1-30, 2021

Courtesy of Long Beach State University American Indian Studies Alumni Association & Office of Alumni Relations and the American Indian Reporter

High Mark Construction is now hiring equipment operators and general laborers for a reclamation project in Yerington and the surrounding area.

High Mark offers competitive wages, travel pay, insurance, and 401K. Wages are dependent on experience.

To apply contact our Elko office at 775-753-0986 or fill out an application online at

www.highmarkconst.net



Donna Cossette

Any interested in becoming a Hidden cave tour guide? Would love to have our story be told by our people. Hit me up if you think you got what it takes.

Private Hidden Cave tours will resume soon.

There will be formal training bfrom BLM and me, you will be given notes and you will do a walk along with both BLM and me. There is also a little \$\$ too. You can call me at 423-3677.



Bill McKibben | Big Oil's Bad, Bad Day

McKibben writes: "In what may be the most cataclysmic day so far for the traditional fossil-fuel industry, a remarkable set of shareholder votes and court rulings have scrambled the future of three of the world's largest oil companies." **READ MORE**















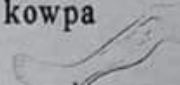
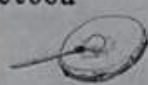












6.5. Ian Zabarte

The Shoshone Nation is the hottest place in North America. Timbisha Shoshone is at 118 degrees today!

Yolanda Manning is  feeling excited.

Sharing a useful **tool to help with reading & writing our Paiute Language**. The real key is listening & repeating what is spoken. Preferably from a fluent speaker. Plenty of practice gains confidence and better fluency! 😊

[Alana Crutcher Paiutie' Language 101 Words/laughter/Community events/Information](#)

THE NORTHERN PAIUTE ALPHABET			
a aa A 	i mi I 	ng wange'e Ng 	ts hootseba'a Ts 
b haba B 	k kootsoo K 	o oho O 	tz atzabana'a Tz 
d ada D 	kw kwe'na'a Kw 	oo soogoo Oo 	u puhu U 
e esa E 	m numu M 	ow kowpa Ow 	w wetooa W 
g agi G 	mm tamma Mm 	p pakootsoo P 	y yata Y 
gw togogwa Gw 	n tuna N 	s sake S 	z moogoozoo Z 
h hoona H 	nn tunna Nn 	t nota T 	' naka'e ' 



Say hi to Jonathan again

Great BIG Nature ·

Born in 1832 (5 years prior to the coronation of Queen Victoria), Jonathan the Tortoise is due to turn 190 years old in 2022. That makes him the oldest-known land animal alive today.

And introducing **Fernandina** [s://www.news9.com/story/60ae8a4f7afec80bd3aa9541/galapagos-tortoise-found-alive-from-species-thought-to-be-extinct-for-over-100-years](https://www.news9.com/story/60ae8a4f7afec80bd3aa9541/galapagos-tortoise-found-alive-from-species-thought-to-be-extinct-for-over-100-years)



Bucky Harjo ·

All I can say is that we are grateful to have a holy being, among the people. He traveled to many places to pray with the people, to heal those who asked. He carried great wisdom of the beautiful ways of the way of life. His legacy is that in the likes of those Great Leaders we know from before our time, Crazy Horse, Sitting Bull, and many more. He now walks with them in the Happy Hunting Grounds, the other side of the Universe.

I am going to miss the Chief of Chiefs, we all are going to miss **Chief Leonard CrowDog**. Thank you for all that you did, for your many sacrifices, for your blessings. Aho....

