



2017 Mandaree Celebration, largest gathering in North Dakota



Photo By: Jordan Rose Fox

First Grand entry of the 2017 Mandaree Celebration. Friday Night Live!

Mandaree, ND

The 2017 Mandaree Celebration held July 13-16 had an excellent turn out for the West Segment community! There were approximately 1,500 registered and 30 registered drum groups.

Pow-wowing is a way of life for many who came to witness the largest celebration held in North Dakota. The West Segment Staff would like to thank

all those who helped make this celebration a success.

The Hidatsa Herald will be guided by our fundamental aspirations to focus our efforts on activities within the West Segment Community to conserve and enrich the Hidatsa culture.



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West Segment Representative Update



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(Hello) West Segment Community members and relatives. Before I begin this update I would like to give my condolence and sympathy to the family and relatives of Chaske' Fox, Joan Mandan, Sharon Young Wolf, Kip Aldean Baker, and Maurice White Mountain.

The summer went by quickly and there are many events such as Bakken Days, Mandaree Celebration, and The MHA energy symposium that happened in the West Segment Community. Each event brought so many visitors and positive recognition to our community.

I had the opportunity to meet with President Trump and Vice President Pence. In that meeting we discussed the nature of the relationship of The Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara Nations and the U.S. concerning our tribal sovereignty. It is important for them to know this is our land and we make the decisions.

I would like to say the Bakken Days was an excellent turn out and would like to thank the West Segment Staff and Community for coming together and putting on an exciting and fun filled

event.

The 2017 Mandaree Celebration Committee did an outstanding job in representing the West Segment Community and Fort Berthold Reservation in holding the largest pow-wow in North Dakota. There was over 1,500 registered dancers and 30 registered drum groups.

Along with these community events we also held the first MHA Energy Symposium at the Mandaree Public School. I would like to thank MHA Energy, Mandaree Public School, and all the N.D. dignitaries who came, MC Charlie Moran, and MHA Tourism for all their hard work.

I would also like to welcome all the new West Segment babies King Jerome Hunts Along, Kaius Beaks, Jurnee Robertson, William Lane Looking Horse, Cody Lincoln, and Manuel Lucio Jr.

I am also looking forward to the first INFR event to be held on Sept. 01 at the new rodeo grounds, On a Slant Arena.

I would also like to wish all the students: Head Start, K-12, and College a great year in getting their education.

Thank you and keep up with our daily updates on the West Segment Facebook page. Go Wits!





Hidatsa Elders



Greetings from the Mandaree Elders Program Staff and West Segment Team. We have completed many of our program goals during the month of July which was a busy month. Beginning with our Elder Bingo during the Bakken Days where we had some elder visitors who came and played Bingo with us. We even had our Bingo King up seated by a new bingo king from across the lake. It was a fun event and helped the elders keep cool during the excessive heat during the holidays. A special thank you to the caller, floor walkers and cook who provided us with a delicious meal and treat of Root beer floats.

Our Elder Trip to Deadwood was a good way for Elders to socialize and get out and visit with others. We had one lucky gambler and many other elders who enjoyed the sites in and around the Deadwood area. Again, Thank you to the West Segment Council Representa-

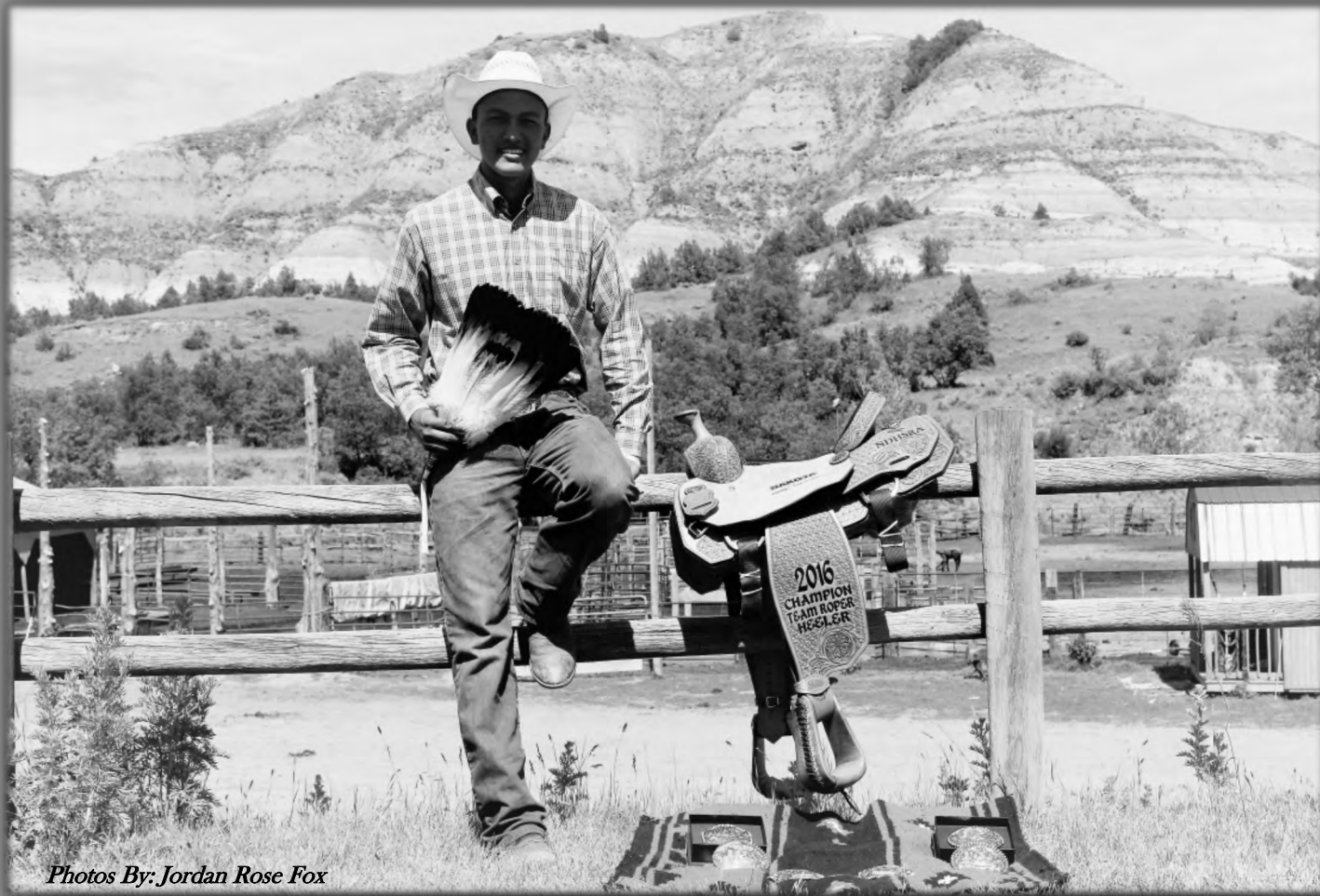
tive Mr. Randy Phelan who sponsored the travel stipends for our elders.

We continue to have our Mandaree Hidatsa Elders Organizational Board monthly meetings where this is your chance to provide input for the Mandaree Community Elders and our next meeting is on August 9th, 2017 11AM Elder Building. Thank you to our Mandaree Hidatsa Elders Board for their diligence in meeting and addressing the elders input.

Our elder appreciation dinner was great for our elders who are 75 and older to show our appreciation for their years of community involvement and contributions. We currently have 19 elders who are above the age of 75. Unfortunately, we have many who were too young under 75 who are also making great contributions to our community and Hidatsa tribe. The Elders were provided with a meal and a gift on July 13, 2017.

We are currently getting ready for our elder disbursements on July 25th, which is held at the Four Bears Casino Ballrooms and the agenda include a lunch for our elders. A special thanks to the photographers, Leeann and Jordy for their picture taking skills and input for this report. Until next month stay cool. Gowids.

Back-2-back-2-back National High School Champion Heeler Jesse Chase



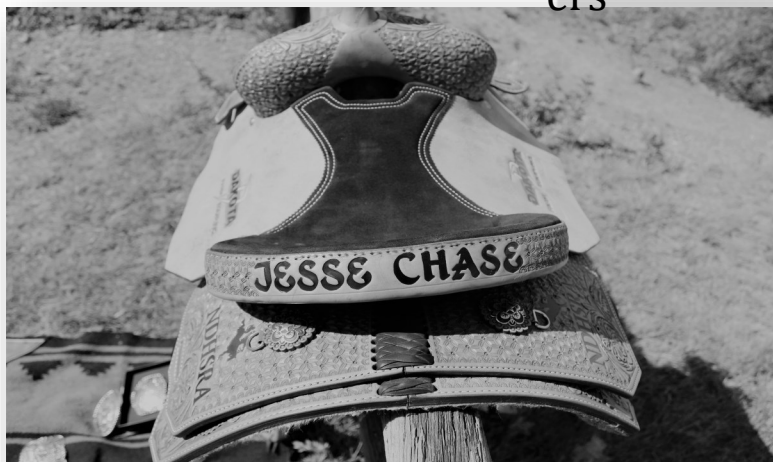
Photos By: Jordan Rose Fox

Jesse Chase at his family ranch displaying some of his awards.

Jesse Chase a junior at Mandaree Public School set the bar high again in accomplishing another North Dakota National High School Championship! Congratulations from the West Segment community!



Chase with his horses, Skeeter and Checkers



Introduction of Fort Berthold Police Officers serving West Segment

West Segment would like to welcome:

Sgt. Officer Albert Bahr– Jickarilla/
Apache, 13 years of Law Enforcement
Services,

Officer Preston Danks– MHA Nation

Officer Britney Larvie- Rosebud

Officer Kristy Parisien– Turtle Mountain

We currently have four officers patrolling the West Segment Community. Each respective officer will be available to help and protect the people of the Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara Nations.

If you are in need of assistance please call Fort Berthold Police Department at 701-627-3617 or 911 for an emergency.

Thank you for your services!



Mandaree Field Clinic Hours:

Maxine Bosko FNP M-W 8am-4:30pm

No provider on Thursdays

Andrea Richter, FNP-C 8am-4:30pm

Please contact 701-759-3422 for any questions!

Fort Berthold Tribal Licensed Daycares:

Creative Care Daycare 701-421-2451

Little Braves Daycare 701-862-2225

Little Nations Daycare 701-627-5244

Chipper Hearts Daycare 701-381-1005

Small Beginnings 701-421-4060

Ma'a'his Taxaas Daycare 701-881-1477

Fairy Godmother 701-627-3175

Janet Benton 701-627-4127

Howling Wolves Daycare 701-460-6130

New Town High School Daycare Campus Enrollment only.

Callie Young Bird– Not excepting children at this time

Lisa Thundercloud– Not excepting children at this time.

What is Love?



What is Love?

Love is NOT butterflies in your stomach when you see that girl/guy. It's not just words we say to each other! It's not even really an emotion we feel towards someone! Pastor Teacher John MacArthur said it best, he called true love a "useful deed".

When we look at the Bible's explanation of true love it says it like this:

"Love is patient and kind. Love is not jealous or boastful or proud or rude. It does not demand its own way. It is not irritable, and it keeps no record of being wronged. It does not rejoice about injustice but rejoices whenever the truth wins out. Love never gives up, never loses faith, is always hopeful, and endures through every circumstance." 1 Corinthians 13: 4-7 (New Living Translation)

Love is Patient: for true love to take hold this part is paramount! This is why it is first, without patients, none of the other attributes are achievable!

Love is Kind: True love in all of its essence is kindness! Also, this is when it's most effective! Kindness does not mean weak, because love does mean doing the hard stuff too.

Love is not jealous, boastful, proud, or rude: These things

are all telling us what love is NOT! Basically, true love is not thinking of itself first! Its own needs or wants come after the needs and/or wants of the other.

Love does NOT demand its own way: this is a hard one for most. Because our natural desire is to have our needs met, and if it's not happening we often turn toward demanding it in some way. This is why we fight in most of our friendship, family, and romantic, relationships because someone is demanding their way as opposed to the way things are going and they don't like it.

Love is not irritable: this again goes back to the first thing, "patients". If we have done all of the things we have talked about, then there is no way we could be irritable. If we are, then we are lacking somewhere in the things we already looked at.

Love keeps no records of wrongs: this one is huge! If you truly love someone, there is no score sheet! **Let me say it again, there is no score sheet!** True love does not save a record for later use, it does not need to use things of the past to try and hurt someone now or in the future.

Love rejoices in the truth: even when someone may be at fault, true love wants the truth to win. This may be hard for us to swallow, but even when it means it may hurt or effect our loved one(s), true love rejoices when the truth is revealed, and not to hide behind injustices or lies to keep you or them "safe".

Love never gives up, never loses faith, is always hopeful, and endures through every circumstance: this last part is self-explanatory, true love will endure any storm! True love is a "useful deed", it is a choice, a big commitment, but a choice! And if you choose and commit to Love, you have given the greatest gift of all....

Be Blessed,

Phil



Visiting Youth Pastor Tash Williams along with Brother Dustin Elmore went around West Segment Community the new 18-passanger van , picking up 32 children.

Living Waters Family

Church Services:

Thursday 7pm

Sunday 11:30 am

Meal is provided after service.

Children's and Teen's services are also available during service.

Volunteers are always welcome!

Come and Celebrate His Word

At the Black Bear

Building, Lyda

BearsTail Residence.

June 18th 2017

Living Waters Family Worship Center's Annual Summer Camp Meeting

By: Lee Anna Nation

Mandaree, ND.

The Living Waters Family Worship Center held their Annual Summer Camp Meeting over Father's Day Weekend, with cool summer breezes along with some replenishing rain showers, followed by amazing North Dakota sunsets.

Sister Harriet Good Iron welcomed the Camp at her beautiful residence just a few miles south of Mandaree.

Pastor Lyda Bearstail along with Officiating Pastor Woody Elmore and his wife Lana arranged a 4-day weekend, filled with sermons from The Word of God, Children's Vacation Bible School, as well as a Teen Outreach Party, which were available and open to the public.

Visiting Pastors delivering God's Amazing Grace were Pastor Kim Brien of Billings Mt, Pastor Titus Upham of Brown Mt, and Pastor Sundance Brass along with his wife Sunshine Eagle- Brass of Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada.

Service started with Worship Services offering excellent guitar, drum, and bass playing, and beautiful voices singing songs of glory and praise to God. Along with astonishing, uplifting and encouraging testimonies of God's Love.

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Please contact WSPR if you would like to share your information with us on FaceBook or in the latest issue of the Hidatsa Herald! Maacigaraac!

Add us on FaceBook: West Segment. To stay up-to-date with current events, public notices, and happenings!

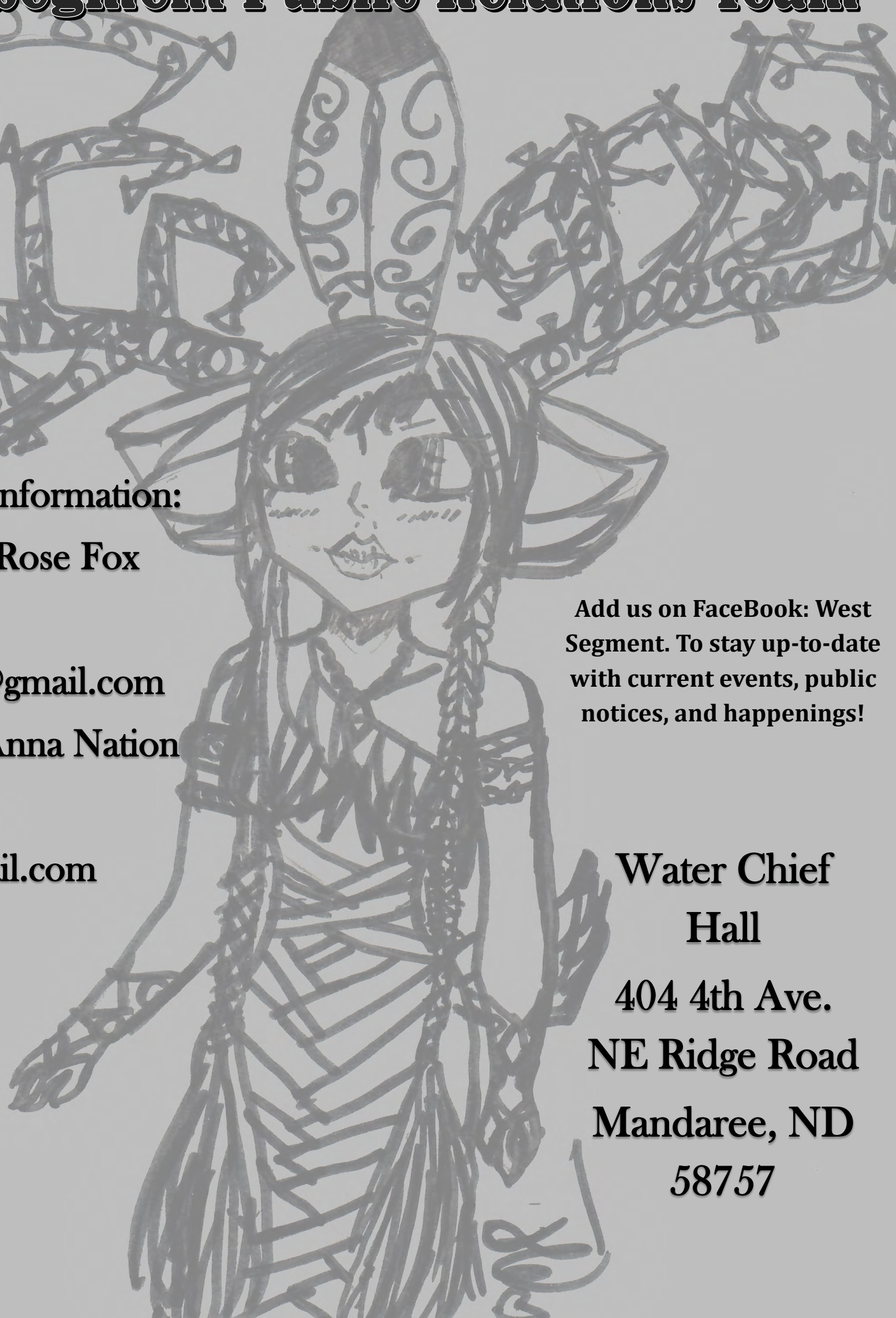
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Hall**

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Mandaree, ND

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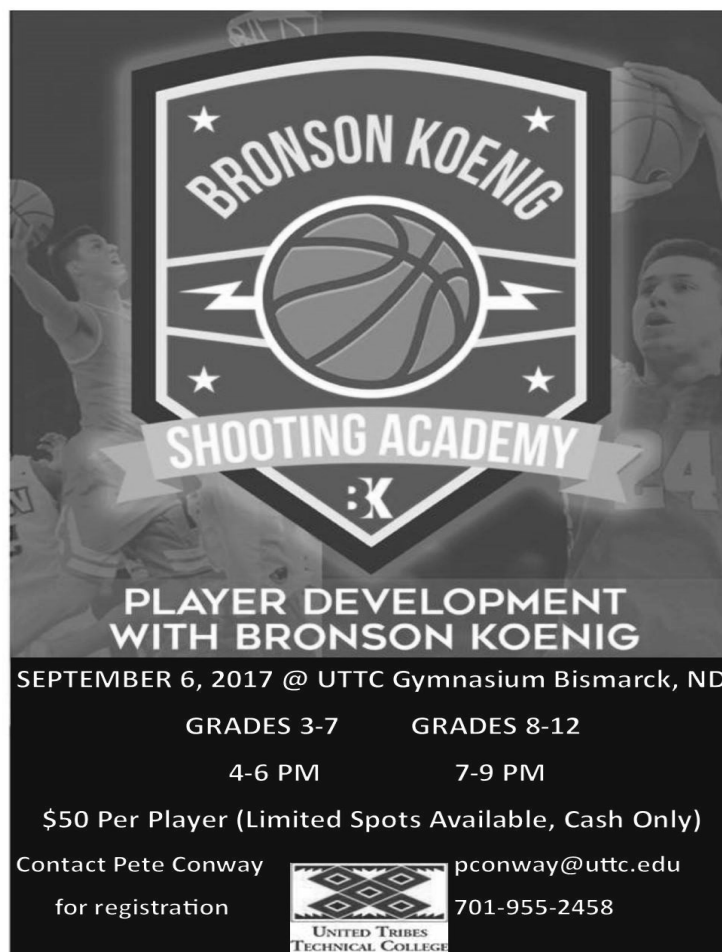
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Happy Birthday to the West Segment Elders

Tillie Walker, July 2nd
Vivian Gillette, July 6th
Martha Bird Bear, July 8th
Laverne Fettig, July 9th
Elmer Fredericks, July 15th
Tillie Lone Fight, July 16th
Joan Young Bird, July 31st
Linda Baker Aug 08
Harold Hank Bolman Aug 23
Mary Casarez Aug 15
Ken Danks Aug 8

Congratulations to the newest members of the West Segment community!

King Jerome Hunts Along
Kaius Beaks
Jurnee Robertson
William Lane Looking Horse
Cody Lincoln
Manuel Lucio Jr.



BRONSON KOENIG
SHOOTING ACADEMY
PLAYER DEVELOPMENT WITH BRONSON KOENIG
SEPTEMBER 6, 2017 @ UTTC Gymnasium Bismarck, ND
GRADES 3-7 GRADES 8-12
4-6 PM 7-9 PM
\$50 Per Player (Limited Spots Available, Cash Only)
Contact Pete Conway pconway@uttc.edu
for registration 701-955-2458
UNITED TRIBES TECHNICAL COLLEGE

2017 #ColorRushMandaree



Mandaree, ND

By: Jordan Rose Fox

The West Segment Fitness Center held Mandaree's first Color Rush on June 10, 2017. Although it was windy, it didn't stop the Color Rushers from walking/running 3.5 miles of Mandaree hillside. In attendance of the event were Mandaree EMT's and Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara Nation Police Officers to partake in the safety of the children and parents involved.

The Rush began mid-morning in the Elder's Cafeteria, decorating white shirts with brightly colored markers and a lot of fun crazy items to wear while Color Rushing.

After decorating, it was time to get the participants into their respective heats. The fastest rushers went first

and then the next two groups of rush followed.

There were four stations set up along the course. Each station had different colored chinks that were sprayed or thrown at the rushers as they passed by. Snacks and water was also available at the stations.

After finishing the 3.5 miles, refreshments were available to the participants, also by participating, color rushers were eligible for door prizes.

The Color Rush was held to promote wellness and hold a tenacious community awareness. The Fitness Center staff, Angela Stiffarm and Denise Fimbres are planning other events that will be involving the West Segment Community to promote healthy active living events. Mandaree Fitness Center hours 9am-10pm Mon-Fri 701-759-3780.



Timber Johnson covered in chalk and happy



Mandaree EMT's keeping up with the Color Rush fun.

Mandaree Warrior News!

Submitted by: Brianna Danks

Welcome back to school K-12 students to a new year and look forward to a new administration! The 2017 year started off with the Mandaree Warriors Football team traveling to Alexander for a scrimmage game on Aug 19. With the ending score of 35-28! Great Job Warriors! Offensive star of the game honors went to Senior Richard Fox. Fox was lead scorer with two touchdowns. He ran for 80 total yards on 3 carries. In addition, he had 4 receptions for 75 yards.

Defensive star honors went to Austin Lone Bear. He had 8 tackles with 1 fumble recovery.

The Warriors forced 3 fumbles with numer-

ous sacks. Collectively they had 23 solo tackles and 6 assisted tackles.

Have a great school year from the West Segment Staff and Community!

MANDAREE GENERAL EDUCATION CLASS SCHEDULE

TUESDAY 1 PM – 4 PM
 WEDNESDAY 2 PM – 5 PM
 THURSDAY 1 PM – 4 PM

General Education classes has started we are Located @ the Water Chief Hall community center If you are interested just come up and apply at the Mandaree NHSC mentor site. GED students are required to have a total of 32 hours. Contact Frances "Buff" White @ (701) 421-9064 OR Mandaree mentor site @759 – 3545



2017 FITNESS AND RECREATION YOUTH FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

SEPTEMBER 5, 2017	6pm New Town Purple vs New Town Gold
	7pm Parshall Braves vs Bismarck
	8pm White Shield vs Mandaree
SEPTEMBER 16, 2017	11am Parshall Braves vs White Shield Warriors
	12pm Bismarck vs New Town Purple
	1pm New Town Gold vs Mandaree Warriors
SEPTEMBER 23, 2017	11am Bismarck vs White Shield Warriors
	12pm New Town Gold vs Parshall Braves
	1pm New Town Purple vs Mandaree Warriors
SEPTEMBER 30, 2017	11am White Shield vs New Town Purple
	12pm Mandaree vs Parshall Braves
	1pm Bismarck vs New Town Gold
OCTOBER 7, 2017	11am Mandaree vs Bismarck
	12pm Parshall vs New Town Purple
	1pm White Shield vs New Town Gold
OCTOBER 10, 2017	CHAIRMAN'S BOWL

West Segment Youth Activities will begin Aug 28 for K-12

Please provide transportation for your children.

Contact DeRae Mann 701-421-2704/701-759-3377

Week 1 (CT time)

9-7 KC Chiefs V. NE Pats 7:30pm NBC
9-10 NY Jets V. Bills @ 12pm CBS
Falcons V. Bears @ 12pm FOX
Ravens V. Bengals @ 12pm CBS
Steelers V. Browns @ 12pm CBS
Cardinals V Lions @ 12pm FOX
Jaguars V. Texans @ 12pm CBS
Buccs V. Dolphins @ 12pm FOX
OAK V. Titans @ 12pm CBS
Eagles V. Redskins @ 12pm FOX
Colts V. Rams @ 3:05pm CBS
Seahawks V. Packers @3:25pm FOX
Panthers V. 49ers @ 3:25pm CBS
Giants V. Cowboys @ 7:25pm NBC
9-11 Saints V. Vikings @6:10pm ESPN
Chargers V. Broncos @9:20pm ESPN

Week 2

9-14 Texans V. Bengals @7:25pm NFL
9-17 CLE V. BAL @ 12pm CBS
BUF V. CAR @12pm CBS
ARI V. IND @12 FOX
TEN V. JAX @12pm CBS
PHI V. KC @12pm FOX
NE V. NO @12pm CBS
MIN V. PIT @12pm FOX
CHI V. TB @12pm FOX
MIA V. LAC @3:05pm CBS
NYJ V. OAK @3:05pm CBS
DAL V. DEN @ 3:25 pm FOX
WSH v. LAR @ 3:25pm FOX
SF V. SEA @ 3:25pm FOX
GB V. ATL @ 7:30pm NBC
9-18 DET V. NY @ 7:30pm ESPN

Week 3

9-21 LAR V. SF @ 7:25pm NFL
9-24 BAL V. JAX @8:30am
DEN V. BUF @ 12pm CBS
NO V. CAR @ 12pm FOX
PIT V. CHI @12pm CBS
ATL V. DET @12pm FOX
CLE V. IND @ 12pm CBS
TB V. MIN @ 12pm FOX
HOU V. NE @12pm CBS
MIA V. NYJ @12 CBS
NYG V. PHI @ 12pm CBS
SEA V. TEN 3:05pm FOX
CIN V. GB 3:25pm CBS
KC V LAC @ 3:25pm CBS
OAK V WSH @ 7:30pm NBC
9-25 DAL V ARI @ 7:30 ESPN

Week 4

9-28 CHI V GB @ 7:25pm CBS
10-1 NO V MIA @ 8:30am FOX
BUF V ATL @12pm CBS
PIT V BAL @ 12pm CBS
CIN V CLE @ 12pm CBS
LAR V DAL @ 12pm FOX
TEN V HOU @ 12pm CBS
DET V MIN @ 12pm FOX
CAR V. NE @ 12pm FOX
JAX V NYJ @12pm CBS
SF V ARI @ 3:05pm FOX
PHI V LAC @3:05pm FOX
NYG V TB @ 3:05pm FOX
OAK V DEN @ 3:25pm CBS
IND V SEA @ 7:30pm NBC
10-2 WSH V KC @ 7:30pm ESPN

West Segment Youth Learning Hidatsa



Mandaree ND

By: Jordan Rose Fox

The Hidatsa Language camp was held June 13-15 at the Water Chief Hall in Mandaree from 2-6pm each day. Fifty students attended the three day camp.

Each day the children were picked up by a bus provided by the Hidatsa Elders Center or dropped off by their parents/guardians. The ages of the children were 3 years old and up.

The opening day began with smudging and acknowledging our ancestors. The children learned how to introduce themselves in Hidatsa. They learned the basics of colors, numbers, animals, and the Hidatsa clan system.

The children took part in a respectful manner. Many of the children already knew most of the basic Hidatsa words and were able to spell in Hidatsa.

Although our language is not a written language, the children did well.

They were provided a meal each day that was catered by local vendors of the West Segment Community. The children each received t-shirts, a bag of candy, and a small gift at the end of camp.

It was a wonderful turn out and the West Segment Public Relations Team would like to thank Councilman Phelan, the Hiraaca Language Program, and the West Segment Hidatsa Speakers who participated in helping the children carry on our language and culture.

Hiraaca Aru Iree Aru Atii



Hidatsa Language enthusiast Lisa Casarez displaying her Hiraaca Camp Certificate



Hiracca speaker LouAnn Phelan receiving a gift for her contribution of knowledge.



Hiraaca Language campers



Councilman Phelan and Camp coordinator LeeAnna Nation

Summit Seeks to Preserve Language, Culture



Hiraaca linguist Dr. Indrek Park, Arvella White and CarolAnn Newman

By Edna Sailor
Associated Press

If you do not recognize the word Hiraaca, it is likely you do not speak that language. The Hiraaca language is the focus of the Third Annual Language Summit in Mandaree on June 8 and 9. More commonly known to non-speakers of the language as Hidatsa, the summit promises a variety of activities with one goal in mind by its organizers.

Arvella White and Carol Newman will be on board with a host of others to provide instruction and activities related to learning the language. The event will be held at the Elders Site in Mandaree from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. both days.

If you wonder why the summit is so important there is an answer.

“Our language is our identity. It is who we are. To learn our own language again brings us closer together and spiritually helps us be with nature as it was before,”

White said.

Throughout the event, participants will also talk about clanships and how the groups are related. People will learn the cultural ways and bring those values back to the younger generations.



Summit attendants enjoying a meal together.

Never Turns Back Basketball Camp



Bears Tail Family with High School Ballers

Photo courtesy of Bears Tail Basketball Facebook Page

By: Lee Anna Nation

Mandaree Public School

West Segment Councilman Randy Phelan sponsored 3rd grade through 12th grade students to attend the “Never Turns Back Basketball” camp held on June 12-14 at the Mandaree Public School, which was an old stomping grounds for the Bears Tail family legacy.

Helping along with Coach Daryl BearsTail and his wife Jackie, were sons Wylee and Wesley, daughters Kristen, Billie Jo “Sweetie” and granddaughter Maddy.

“The Bears Tail Basketball Camp was a vision I had and made it a reality this summer. My dream was to have my entire family as staff and coaches. Over the years as a player and a coach of the game of basketball I often wondered why do us natives have a difficult time winning big games? We have all the talent in the world but we just can't seem to WIN and stay on the top of the game. What do we lack? I then realized, its FUNDAMENTALS!!! Thus, came the dream of Bears Tail Basketball Camp. God has blessed my family with talent in the game of basketball but more importantly to coach the game as well. I am by no means trying to brag but feel like myself along with my family can help the youth in the area of fundamentals. Like anything else in life without a good foundation it's very hard to be successful. Our vision is not only to teach the fundamentals of basketball but also how to be good re-

spectable people”, says Coach Bears Tail.

Daryl BearsTail, who has 14+ years as Head Girls and Boys Basketball Coach is currently the Head Girls Coach for Shiloh Christian Skyhawks in Bismarck N.D. The Skyhawks, under Coach BearsTail, won the school's first ever State Class B Girls Basketball Championship in 2016! He was also given the honor of being named Head Girls Coach for the 2016 Lions All-Star Basketball Team. Daryl served 3 years as the Head Boys Coach, and Alcohol/Drug Counselor with Mandaree High School, making it to the state Class B Boys Basketball Tournament in 2002 placing 7th.

Eldest son, Wylee is the 1999 Mandaree Athlete of the Year, District 15, Region 8, and the ND All State 1st team selection, breaking the scoring record at the State High School Basketball Tournament of 109 points. He has many accomplishments in his college career as well, earning 1st Team All American Honors, Region XIII Champions, and Jack Cistriano Best Small Man MVP Award. You can read more of Wylee and his siblings' accomplishments on their website bearstailbasketballcamp.wordpress.com.

With many years of experience and accomplishments behind them the campers were ecstatic to be learning from our home town role models. They were shown the proper shooting skills, practicing the “goose neck” release, effective ways to make lay-ups, and the importance of utilizing the back board. They also learned the different types of passing, bounce pass, chest pass, over the head pass and how to decipher which pass to use in game situations. Dribbling, defensive and offensive fundamentals were also important skills taught over the three-day camp.

The family's mission is to help basketball players from all levels to evolve their basketball game. Teach them to become a pure shooter, perfect their offensive moves, improve fundamentals and expand the overall basketball IQ of the player.



2017 Mandaree Celebration Winners!

Golden Age Women Traditional

- 1st Place - #126 Sharon Roberts
- 2nd Place - #226 Joneda Sage
- 3rd Place - #295 Charlene Cozad
- 4th Place - #319 Mabel Cozad
- 5th Place - #452 Laura Draper
- 6th Place - #293 Elsie Wuttunee

Golden Age Women Jingle/Fancy

- 1st Place - #517 Grace Her Many Horses
- 2nd Place - #497 Dianne Desrosiers
- 3rd Place - #309 Patricia Eagleman
- 4th Place - #247 Vickie Hindsley
- 5th Place - #327 Carolyn Reyes
- 6th Place - #782 Karen Walks

Golden Age Men Traditional

- 1st Place - #577 Timothy Eashappie
- 2nd Place - #105 Jim Red Eagle
- 3rd Place - #500 Edmond Nevaquaya
- 4th Place - #372 Lewis Cozad
- 5th Place - #123 Terry Fiddler
- 6th Place - #133 Charles Tail Feathers

Golden Age Men Grass/Fancy

- 1st Place - #631 Jonathan Windy Boy
- 2nd Place - #579 Tommy Draper
- 3rd Place - #488 Daryl Bearstail
- 4th Place - #184 Pete Moore
- 5th Place - #122 Boye Ladd
- 6th Place - #143 William Doctor Hindsley

Jr Women's Southern Traditional

- 1st Place - #415 Cheyenne Brady
- 2nd Place - #495 Amanda Harris
- 3rd Place - #501 Ashley Harris
- 4th Place - #280 Charish Toehay
- 5th Place - #496 Elizabeth Nevaquaya
- 6th Place - #227 Whitney Sage

Jr Women's Northern Traditional

- 1st Place - #472 Randi Bird
- 2nd Place - #749 Delmarina Onefeather
- 3rd Place - #305 Patti McarthurIsnana
- 4th Place - #329 Tierra Labelle
- 5th Place - #578 Tia Lonetree Gray
- 6th Place - #498 Taylor Clairmont

Jr Women's Jingle

- 1st Place - #755 Lacy Albert
- 2nd Place - #473 Tonia Jo Hall
- 3rd Place - #272 Mallary Oakes
- 4th Place - #504 Ashleigh Bonaise
- 5th Place - #627 Yanabah Redhouse
- 6th Place - #540 Ashley Phelps

Jr Women's Fancy

- 1st Place - #217 Laryn Oakes
- 2nd Place - #158 T'ata Roberts
- 3rd Place - #303 Jocy Bird
- 4th Place - #146 Amber Cleveland
- 5th Place - #542 Beedoskah Stonefish
- 6th Place - #103 Oke-tw'sha Roberts

Jr Men's Southern Traditional

- 1st Place - #314 Marshall Funmaker Sr
- 2nd Place - #347 Kiowa Charlie Cozad

- 3rd Place - #380 Skush Brady
- 4th Place - #138 Matthew Sheka Jr
- 5th Place - #346 Audie Todome
- 6th Place - #618 Quinton Duran

Jr Men's Northern Traditional

- 1st Place - #598 Talon Whiteye
- 2nd Place - #506 Keith Tacan
- 3rd Place - #307 Darius Isnana
- 4th Place - #348 Lakota Little Sky
- 5th Place - #451 Hunter Blessingame
- 6th Place - #328 Eli Snow

Jr Men's Grass

- 1st Place - #419 Alphonse Obey
- 2nd Place - #152 Lee Jack Jr
- 3rd Place - #610 Jason Cook Sr
- 4th Place - #389 Misun Mills
- 5th Place - #359 Gary Villa
- 6th Place - #407 Desmond Medera

Jr Men's Chicken

- 1st Place - #429 Rooster Top of the Sky
- 2nd Place - #566 TJ Warren
- 3rd Place - #335 Angelo Begay
- 4th Place - #609 Ronnie Harris III
- 5th Place - #569 Shauntay Begay
- 6th Place - #508 Gabe Desrosiers Jr

Jr. Men's Fancy

- 1st Place - #344 Canku One Star
- 2nd Place - #564 Kenny Pratt Jr
- 3rd Place - #269 Terrance Cleveland
- 4th Place - #279 Davey Madera
- 5th Place - #250 Walter Runsabove
- 6th Place - #317 Sonny Means

Jr Girls Traditional

- 1st Place - #642 Selma Ruiz
- 2nd Place - #277 Wanbli Bull Bear
- 3rd Place - #620 Angela Stump
- 4th Place - #635 Ave St Syr
- 5th Place - #388 Kamyille Nez
- 6th Place - #117 Shawntay Iron Horse

Jr Girls Jingle

- 1st Place - #572 Omiyosiw Warren
- 2nd Place - #464 Kitahna Silas
- 3rd Place - #298 Mia Bird
- 4th Place - #323 Lalaina Juanita-Jean Becenti
- 5th Place - #778 Taylor Jishie
- 6th Place - #382 Toiree Brady

Jr Girls Fancy

- 1st Place - #331 Alva Snow
- 2nd Place - #476 Rayanna Bird
- 3rd Place - #213 Lennyn Paskemin
- 4th Place - #214 Tianna Wright
- 5th Place - #775 Neveah Jishie
- 6th Place - #140 Macyquinn Johnson

Jr Boys Traditional

- 1st Place - #398 Bryson Wallahee
- 2nd Place - #586 Kealan Hamilton
- 3rd Place - #373 Makiya Kiya Denny
- 4th Place - #249 Nowah Shayne Campos
- 5th Place - #434 Redsky Starr
- 6th Place - #511 Blaze Standingready

Jr Boys Grass

- 1st Place - #310 Jackson Taken Alive
- 2nd Place - #364 Wyatt Baker
- 3rd Place - #340 Raynen McNab
- 4th Place - #442 Thomas Bearstail
- 5th Place - #178 Lincoln Cleveland
- 6th Place - #489 Elijah Bearstail

Jr Boys Fancy

- 1st Place - #292 RJ Tvester
- 2nd Place - #554 O.D. Draper
- 3rd Place - #173 Levi Cleveland
- 4th Place - #549 Adlai Cleveland
- 5th Place - #301 Darnell
- 6th Place - #175 Lucas Cleveland

Sr Women's Southern Traditional

- 1st Place - #350 Danita Goodwill
- 2nd Place - #257 Tonya Moore
- 3rd Place - #583 Dyanni Hamilton
- 4th Place - #159 Patsy Grant
- 5th Place - #302 Jamie Jon Whiteshirt
- 6th Place - #560 April Draper

Sr Women's Northern Traditional

- 1st Place - #352 Tosha Goodwill
- 2nd Place - #439 Joelle Bearstail
- 3rd Place - #458 Lonna Street
- 4th Place - #186 Andrea Redman
- 5th Place - #197 Orrie Little Sky
- 6th Place - #646 Randi Hart

Sr Women's Jingle

- 1st Place - #134 Cassie Lasley
- 2nd Place - #396 Winona Tahdooahnippah
- 3rd Place - #585 Leah Omeasoo
- 4th Place - #104 Rowena Roberts
- 5th Place - #538 Alice Phelps
- 6th Place - #289 Brisa Paskimin

Sr Women's Fancy

- 1st Place - #471 Bobbi Lynn Frederick
- 2nd Place - #107 Nahmi Lasley
- 3rd Place - #531 Kellie LeBeau
- 4th Place - #453 Candance Gadwa
- 5th Place - #459 Rose Track
- 6th Place - #414 Robyn Morin

Sr Men's Southern Traditional

- 1st Place - #482 Erwin Morris
- 2nd Place - #157 Kelly Grant
- 3rd Place - #375 Billy Komahcheet
- 4th Place - #137 Matthew Sheka Sr
- 5th Place - #436 Anthony Monessy
- 6th Place - #606 Sean Spicer

Sr Men's Northern Traditional

- 1st Place - #759 Joe Syrette
- 2nd Place - #449 Richard D Street
- 3rd Place - #115 Tony Wahweotten (Prairie Magic)
- 4th Place - #411 Brando Jack
- 5th Place - #438 Gabe Cleveland
- 6th Place - #221 Ace No Braid

Sr Men's Grass

- 1st Place - #201 Randall Paskemin
- 2nd Place - #313 Jon Taken Alive

3rd Place - #351 Clifton Goodwill

- 4th Place - #441 Shorty Bearstail
 - 5th Place - #191 Shylo Baker
 - 6th Place - #261 Rusty Gillette
- Sr Men's Chicken

1st Place - #456 Dustin Whitford

- 2nd Place - #238 Marty Thurman
- 3rd Place - #417 Shawn Scabbyrobe
- 4th Place - #275 Lance McNab
- 5th Place - #288 Dennis Nevaquaya
- 6th Place - #468 Richard Pacheco

Sr Men's Fancy

- 1st Place - #108 Tyler Lasley
- 2nd Place - #614 Bucky Johnson
- 3rd Place - #270 George Abeyta
- 4th Place - #165 Cortney Yarholiar
- 5th Place - #658 Sheldon Johnson
- 6th Place - #494 R.G. Harris

Teen Girls Traditional

- 1st Place - #623 Jayla Iron
- 2nd Place - #639 Elyza Robertson
- 3rd Place - #199 Wamblie Littlelesky
- 4th Place - #198 Sparrow Littlelesky
- 5th Place - #271 Lalani Bull Bear
- 6th Place - #110 Neena Lasley

Teen Girls Jingle

- 1st Place - #383 Jonna Grace Brady
- 2nd Place - #528 Aidyn Nevaquaya
- 3rd Place - #385 Breauna Nez
- 4th Place - #291 Asjha Tvester
- 5th Place - #565 Chante Speidel
- 6th Place - #384 Lillian Eagle Speaker

Teen Girls Fancy

- 1st Place - #156 Morning Star Roberts
- 2nd Place - #574 Hozhoni WhiteCloud
- 3rd Place - #299 Eahtosh Bird
- 4th Place - #387 Kiki Crowoldman
- 5th Place - #575 Raina Buffalo
- 6th Place - #369 Shawntay Yelowhair

Teen Boys Traditional

- 1st Place - #455 Jonah Jackson
- 2nd Place - #174 TJ Good Nature
- 3rd Place - #276 Myles Bull Bear
- 4th Place - #397 DJ Scott
- 5th Place - #282 Seymour Eaglespeaker
- 6th Place - #109 Lennox Lasley

Teen Boys Grass

- 1st Place - #132 Deo Top Sky
- 2nd Place - #457 Peyton White Buffalo
- 3rd Place - #466 Jakobi Omeasoo
- 4th Place - #584 Hunter Street
- 5th Place - #510 Siksika Scabbyrobe
- 6th Place - #179 BJ John Jr

Teen Boys Fancy

- 1st Place - #241 Tyler Thurman
- 2nd Place - #166 David Cleveland
- 3rd Place - #170 Buster Cleveland
- 4th Place - #286 Sincere Toto
- 5th Place - #595 Silas Whitebuffalo
- 6th Place - #136 Maximus Romeo Sheka

2017 Mandaree Celebration pics...



Saturday Evening Grand Entry



Saunders BearsTail Memorial Winners



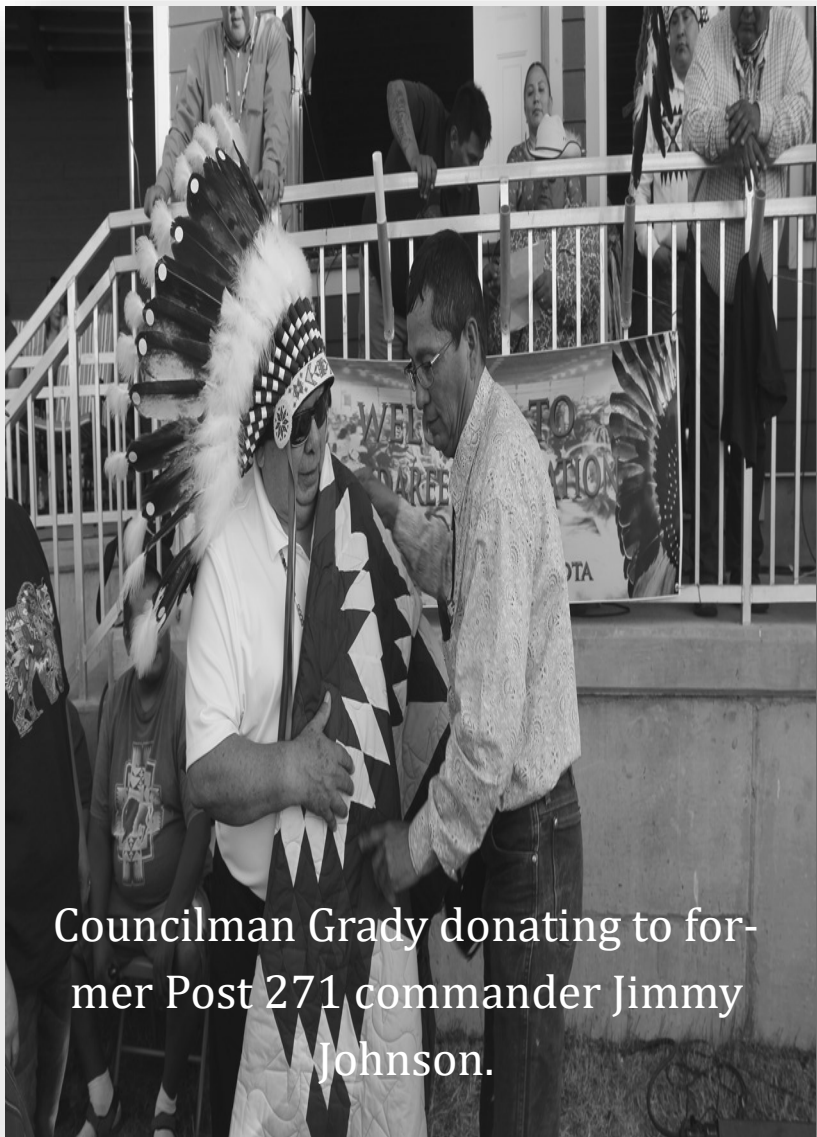
Tiny Tot Jingle Dress Dancer Phoebe



Chicken Dancer



Post 271 and veterans honoring.



Councilman Grady donating to former Post 271 commander Jimmy Johnson.



The 2017 MHA Nations Tribal Council.



Singer Pharrel Williams (center) with the Phelan Family.



Veterans of Post 271 bringing in the flags.



Councilman Phelan with announcer Hail Eagletail



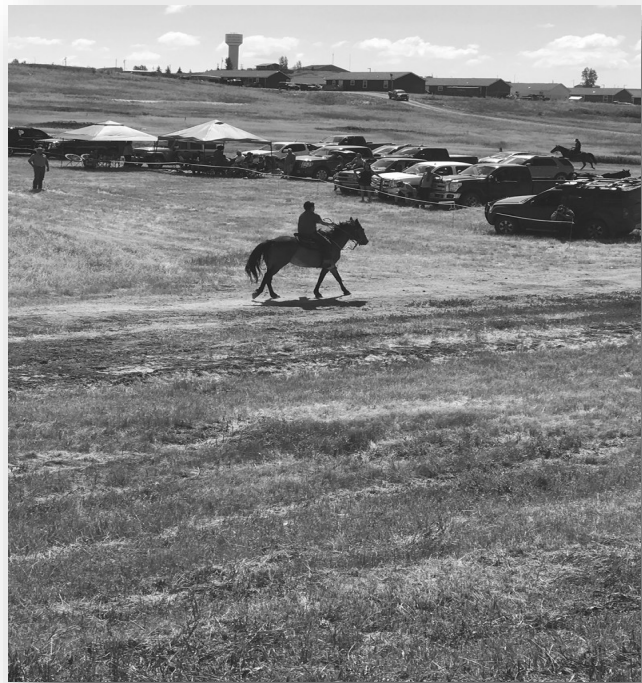
Tanner Abbey



Breakfast line after flag raising.



Councilman Phelan's feed for the Chicken Clan



Horse racer



Mandaree Celebration President Martha Phelan and family



Jingle Dress Dance Special in honor of Jessica Phelan



Mother Daughter Dance Contestants



Grass dance special winners



Chairman Fox honoring Councilman Phelan's Wife, Jessica with a Star quilt and gift.

WEST SEGMENT TO BAKKEN JULY 3-4 MANDAREE, ND



By: Jordan Rose Fox

Mandaree, ND

The 2017 West Segment Bakken Days held on July 3- 4, was sponsored by West Segment Representative Randy J. Phelan and staff.

This annual event is now in it's third consecutive year. With each year the crowd of participants has grown immensely . Both days were filled with activities that gave each age group a chance to win money or door prizes.

Along with the West Segment Staff working in the hot weather was Charlie Moran, commentating each activity and making sure the crowds stayed informed and entertained.

Bakken Days kicked off with a parade in which

participants were able to sign up for three categories: patriotic, cultural, and rez car. Following the parade was the calcutta and horse race. All ages of the horse races were filled with riders looking to regain their reign or take over until next year's celebration! There are so many activities during this time that the Tire Flip ran consecutively with the horse races.

The Bakken Days doesn't forget the Elders on these warm days. The Elders enjoyed prize bingo and were also served a meal while they stayed cool at the Hidatsa Elder's Center.

The youth were able to stay cool on the water

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slide “bounce house”. Which was open for both days. Along with the bounce houses was the Colorado Health Massage and Acupuncture Clinic located at the Safe Haven Home.

The community and visitors also watched and were able to partake in various activities; such as sack races, adult and senior games, door prizes, foot races, shoe scramble, tug-of-war.

While these activities were happening there was a 3-on-3 basketball tournament held at the Mandaree Public School Gym. A Hand Game tournament which team Brady took

home. A meal was provided by Kasen’s Kitchen which was followed by quick rain storm that helped cool off Bakken Days. It did not slow down the activities they continued until the sun went down. That is when The Band ND22 set up stage and shut down the first day.

The Fourth kicked off with a walk run followed by the truck/side by side pull conducted by Mandaree Fitness program. All vendors were welcome to the two-day event .

A calcutta and mud run was the main attraction of the mid-day events. For the evening a meal was provided by QEP.

A Pow-wow and fire works display closed the long list of the two day event!

September Activities for Mandaree Boys & Girls Club

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 Branch Manager:
 Ollie Spotted Bear
 (701) 421-0161
 Activities Coordinators:
 Peter Falcon

3:00-4:00 Power Hour
 (homework)
 4:00-4:30 Snack
 4:30-6:00 Triple Play (softball)

1

No club
 Labor Day

4

3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Parachute)
 4:00-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 Project Learn (Journals)
 6:00-7:00 Nat'l Fine Arts (Draw-Off)

5

6
 3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Hike)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 Traditional Knowledge (Hand-
 games)
 6:00-7:00 Career Launch (Job Settings)

7

3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Water Ballon Fight)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 Project Learn (Duct Tape Flow-
 ers)
 6:00-7:00 Date Smart (5 W's)

8

3:00-4:00 Power Hour
 4:00-4:30 Snack
 4:30-6:00 Triple Play (Jump
 Rope Challenge)

11

3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Bingo)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 Power Hour (Homework)
 6:00-7:00 Project Learn (Pictionary)

12

3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Man-Hunt)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 Power Hour (Homework)
 6:00-7:00 Traditional Knowledge (Hand
 Games)

13

3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Hike)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 STEM (Mentos Geysers)
 6:00-7:00 Date Smart (Differences)

14

3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Obstacle Course)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 Power Hour (Homework)
 6:00-7:00 Nat'l Fine Arts (Skin Stories)

15

3:00-4:00 Project Learn (Lego
 Build)
 4:00-4:30 Snack
 4:30-6:00 Triple Play
 (Basketball Tourney)

18

3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Parachute)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 Power Hour (Homework)
 6:00-7:00 Date Smart (Pros &
 Cons)

19

3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Dodge Ball)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 Nat'l Fine Arts (Painting)
 6:00-7:00 Project Learn (Tipis)

20

3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Hike)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 STEM (Colorful Convection
 Currents)
 6:00-7:00 Traditional Knowledge (Hand
 Games)

21

3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Parachute)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 Power Hour (Homework)
 6:00-7:00 Project Learn (Slime)

22

3:00-4:00 Power Hour
 (Homework)
 4:00-4:30 Snack
 4:30-6:00 Triple Play (Pool
 Tourney)

25

3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Dodge Ball)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 Power Hour (Homework)
 6:00-7:00 Project Learn (Paintings)

26

3:00-4:30 Triple Play(Parachute)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 Power Hour (Homework)
 6:00-7:00 Traditional Knowledge
 (Handgames)

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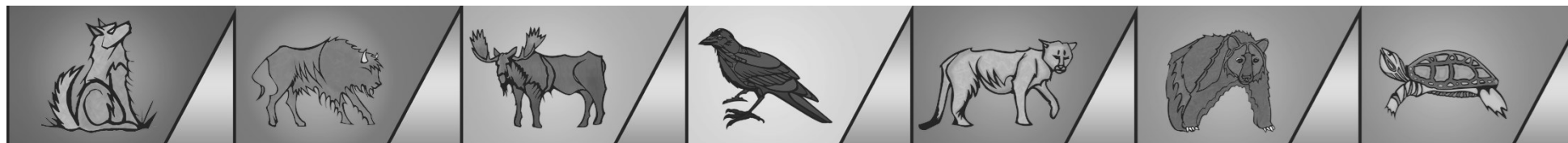
3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Hike)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 STEM (Cork in the bottle puz-
 zle)
 6:00-7:00 Date Smart (trust fall)

27

28
 3:00-4:30 Triple Play (Jump Rope)
 4:30-5:00 Snack
 5:00-6:00 Power Hour (Homework)
 6:00-7:00 Career Launch (Career Goals)

29

3:00-4:00 Power Hour
 (Homework)
 4:00-4:30 Snack
 4:30-6:00 Triple Play (Foos
 ball Tourney)



A very special thank you to Linda Baker for assisting the West Segment Public Relations Team with her time and wisdom in writing. It is greatly appreciated.



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Ursala Stiffarm: 759-3177

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TAT Fire Management Officer-

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Fax: 759-3112

Mandaree Public School Business Office: 759-3120

Mandaree Public School Bus Garage:

759-3395

TERO Compliance Officers Mandaree-

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Jake Dyer mills: 421-3322

TAT Tribal Ranch and Lodge:

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Fax: 759-3133

Director: Adam Tony Johnson

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Adam Fredricks; 897-1613

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Corporation- Trena Baker; 759-3399

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TAT tribal court

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444-3654

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