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Councilman Fred Fox's Greetings

Hello Elders, Community Members and Relatives,



USMC Silent Drill Platoon in New Town

I would first like send my condolences to the many families that have lost loved ones just recently. Special condolences to the family of Ellen Otterman/Smith, the very tragic loss of the family hit the reservation very hard. Ellen was a classmate of mine and a person I grew up with, hearing of this devastating news really makes a person think about life and your loved ones around you. Life is very short, enjoy it and treasure your family and friends forever.

I would like to congratulate Councilman Cory Spotted Bear and Councilman Mervin Packineau on being elected for another 4 years to the MHA Tribal Business Council. The results have shown the community members were overwhelming happy with the progress in building for the future generations. I am very proud to serve on the Tribal Business Council with these two fine young gentlemen. The Chairman and Four Bears race has gone down to the last two candidates, I wish them the best of luck and hope they all have a clean race and keep it like gentleman.

We have several upcoming events in the next few weeks planned for the community. The first one is the Pawnee and Arikara Reunion. The Reunion is September 29 - October 2nd and will be taking place at the Ponca Tribe of Nebraska, Norfolk Nebraska. The schedule will be posted in the newsletter.

The White Shield Elders will be traveling to Mille Lacs Casino in Minnesota October 5th - 8th, I'm sure they will have a good time like always.

Someone usually is a big winner when they go on their elder casino trips.

The White Shield School will be having their Football Homecoming Festivities September 26th - 30th. There will be a lot of Tailgating going on with a full Homecoming Parade. We will be playing the Mandaree Warriors and the White Shield Segment will be sponsoring a free barbecue tailgate meal starting at 4pm. This will be for community members and visitors, so come and enjoy the Friday Night Lights in White Shield!!

I wanted to touch on something briefly, during this season of MHA Election. We all tend to say hurtful things about this candidate or that candidate. We all have different ways to invest in the future. Did we put any revenue away? Questioning building of new schools and community centers? There's only so much a person and a family can take. Rumors that try to ruin everyone's lives and then people start to really believe these awful rumors. People will always point out the bad and never the good, I always wonder about that.

Well, the reason I'm here today, is because I want something for our children and grandchildren here in the community of White Shield. When I grew up in White Shield, all we

had was a basketball court in Low-Rent and the lake for swimming. I would never think that we would have the State of Art Facilitates like we have today. Now White Shield has a football field, track, baseball field, two giant indoor basketball courts, fitness center, water park, splash pad, ice skating rink, theater, indoor track, new clinic (with optometry, dental and x-ray services), new elder building, fire department, new head start, Veterans building, and just so much more to mention. When I see a child in the water park or see them running through the splash pad or community members cheering on a Friday night football game, it gives me chills. This is what a community is about, and that's the reason I'm here.

As summer comes to an end and fall is here, seasons are changing but we all love the smell of crisp air. Stay safe and say good things to one another, and if you haven't anything good to say, keep it to yourself, that is a quote from my mom.

Travel safe and take care.

Fred Fox

White Shield East Segment Representative
MHA Nation Executive Secretary

White Shield Warriors to have six-man football team

BY ETHYN WILLIAMS-CALVERT
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McLean County has a new kid on the block to root for in football this season.

Aug. 3 marked the first meeting of White Shield's sixman football team.

Head coach Shannon Hodges has quite the task laid out in front of him as this program is uncharted territory for the White Shield Warriors.

Six-man football is not the typical 11-man style of play many are used to and features some key changes from standard 11-man gameplay.

In six-man football, every player on the field is an eligible receiver. The player receiving the snap (the quarterback typically) is not allowed to advance the ball past the line of scrimmage themselves. Quarterback

sneaks and direct snaps to the running back are out the door in this game. It takes 15 yards to gain a first down versus the standard 10, and extra points are flipped in six-man football.

A PAT is worth two with one point conversions being actual plays ran after the touchdown.

Playing six-man football significantly limits the competition the Warriors will be able to schedule matchups against. This leaves them with a season schedule of: Trenton at home, an away game at Drayton, a home matchup against Center-Stanton, a home game against Mandaree, and an away game against Center-Stanton to close the season out.

White Shield's five-game football schedule will kick off on Sept. 2 at home at 7 p.m. against Trenton.



The White Shield Warrior's six-man team will play against five other schools in North Dakota.



MHA Division of Drug Enforcement K9 Teams Place Nationally in the 23rd Annual American Working Dogs (AWD) K9 Olympics in Denver, Indiana

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AUGUST 30, 2022

The MHA Division of Drug Enforcement's K9 Teams were invited to compete in the 23rd Annual American Working Dogs (AWD) K9 Olympics held August 21-26, 2022 in Denver, Indiana at Vohne Liche Kennels.

K9 Teams from various Law Enforcement and Public Safety Agencies across the United States and other countries from around the world competed in the following Patrol

and/or Detection Events as part of the K9 Olympics. K9 Handlers also participated in various Training Seminars and Certification Trials.

K9 Patrol Events: Area Search, Building Search, Control, Hogans Alley, Obedience, Tracking, Obstacle Course. K9 Detection Events: Building Detection, Luggage, Open Area, Road Clear, Scramble, Exterior Vehicle, Interior Vehicle, Warehouse, Residential.

Out of 150 K9 Teams competing, MHA Drug Enforcement had

two K9 Teams place high in two events. Patrol Agent Nate Miller and K9 Broder placed 1st in the Narcotics Residential Event. Patrol Agent Britney Larvie and K-9 Riki placed 2nd in the Narcotics Vehicle Exterior Event.

Other MHA Drug Enforcement K9 Patrol Units who competed in multiple events this year were Patrol Agent Coby Janis with K9 Metin, Patrol Agent Joshua Pastir with K9 Zorro, and Patrol Agent Joseph Larvie, Jr. with K9 Roxo. This is the second year competing at the K9 Olympics for MHA Drug Enforcement's K9 Teams. In 2021, Patrol Agent Pastir with K9 Zorro placed 2nd in the Narcotics Building Search Event.

MHA Drug Enforcement Deputy Chief Jeff White as a K9 Trainer was invited as a Judge for the Explosives Detection Events. Deputy Chief White has been an event judge at the K9 Olympics for the last 3 years.

"Highly trained law enforcement dogs are instrumental to suspect apprehension, locating missing individuals by tracking, detection

of narcotics, and detection of other potentially harmful devices and substances. Our Patrol Agents are dedicated to training with their dogs consistently and expanding their skillsets as a team. All of our K9 Teams did an outstanding job and are a credit to the Mandan Hidatsa Arikara Nation," Deputy Chief White.

MHA Emergency Operations Center on behalf of MHA Nation Division of Drug Enforcement







Up in enrollment

BY JAMES C. FALCON
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Enrollment in schools throughout McLean County have increased for the most part as doors opened for the first day of classes over the past two weeks.

Except for Max, the remainder of schools in the county – Garrison, White Shield, Underwood, Turtle Lake-Mercer, Washburn and Wilton – have all seen increases. Enrollment there was down a total of 12 students, said Larry Sebastian, dean of students at Max Public School.

“We had a large senior class last year and a smaller incoming pre-Kindergarten class,” Sebastian said, noting that this year has a class of 14 seniors and eight pre-Kindergartners.

“I think this is normal,” he said in relation to the fluctuating sizes of incoming and outgoing classes affecting the student census. “It just depends on the year.”

Garrison

While the Kindergarten class is “one of our smallest,” superintendent Nick Klemisch noted that the school’s population is “up some from last year.”

“We do have a number of new kids that are new to the community, which is nice to see,” he said. “That’s at both schools.”

There are a total of 222 students at Bob Callies Elementary School and 162 students at Garrison High School; if the district’s 16 homeschooled students are included into the numbers, the Garrison Public School District has an even 400 students. The school district is by far the biggest in terms of enrollment in the county.

Of the 384 students who attend classes at the elementary or high school, 40 are open enrolled students who live in other school districts.

“We’re getting more open enrollments from out west,” Klemisch said. “That started a couple years ago.”

About 30, or 75 percent of the open enrolled students, are from Parshall or White Shield.

White Shield

The number of students currently enrolled at the White Shield School is “significantly up from last year,” noted superintendent Wayne Fox.

As of Aug. 25, the school had 191 students, which was an increase from the number of students the school had last year, Fox said. “We were sitting around 172.”

Fox attributed the increase “The jump is probably (because of) our football season,” Fox added. “Having our first football six-man team for the first time in a long time, I’m pretty sure we have the influx of young boys coming in to play. That’s probably where we can contribute it to.”

While the number of open enrolled students at the school is small, the majority – like Garrison – are from the Parshall School District.

“Being a new school and new environment with everything kind of going up, it’s the place to be,” Fox said.

The numbers are a departure from when Fox taught sixth grade at White Shield in 2014.

“When I first took the job, the teacher ratio was 12:1,” Fox said. “Right now, we’re sitting at 17:1 or 18:1.”

2022-2023

White Shield School Student Council

Junior High / High School

President: Riley Esquibel

Vice President: Koya Bearstail

Secretary: Mauryce Demarce

Treasurer: Frankie Black Cloud

Social Media Manager: Cotto Little Wind

Spirit Leader: Mark Young Bird Basurto

Elementary School

President: Teagan Vetteson

Vice President: Syree Red Fox

Secretary: London Demarce

Treasurer: Carmella Krueger

Social Media Manager: Dustin Ward

WHITE SHIELD SCHOOL

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FRIDAYS
September 30th
October 7th
November 4th
December 16th

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2022-2023

White Shield School Calendar

AUGUST 15	FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL
SEPTEMBER 5	LABOR DAY - NO CLASS
SEPTEMBER 23	WARRIOR DAY / TEACHER IN-SERVICE
OCTOBER 7	WARRIOR DAY / TEACHER IN-SERVICE
OCTOBER 10	INDIGENOUS PEOPLE'S DAY
OCTOBER 17-19	FALL BREAK
OCTOBER 20	TEACHER CONVENTION
NOVEMBER 4	WARRIOR DAY / TEACHER IN-SERVICE
NOVEMBER 11	VETERANS DAY
NOVEMBER 24-25	THANKSGIVING BREAK
DECEMBER 16	WARRIOR / TEACHER IN-SERVICE
DECEMBER 23-31	CHRISTMAS BREAK
JANUARY 3	SCHOOL RESUMES
JANUARY 16	MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY
FEBRUARY 10	WARRIOR DAY / TEACHER IN-SERVICE
FEBRUARY 20	CHIEF'S DAY
FEBRUARY 23	PARENT / TEACHER CONFERENCE
MARCH 3	WARRIOR DAY / TEACHER IN-SERVICE
MARCH 13-17	SPRING BREAK
APRIL 7	WARRIOR DAY / TEACHER IN-SERVICE
APRIL 14	GOOD FRIDAY
MAY 19	WARRIOR DAY / TEACHER IN-SERVICE
MAY 26	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL
MAY 29	MEMORIAL DAY

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

PAWNEE-ARIKARA REUNION SEPT. 30 - OCT. 2, 2022

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Friday, Sept. 30:

Dinner hosted by Pawnees @ 6 pm
followed by Meet & Greet

Saturday, Oct. 1:

Brunch hosted by Arikaras @ 9 am
Pipe Ceremony
Cultural Exchanges
Early Supper @ 5 pm
Evening Dance (Bring your regalia)

Sunday, Oct. 2:

Brunch Sunday Morning @ 9 am
Hymns
Cedar Blessing

Dismissal / Safe Travels

For more information contact:
Herb Adson
(918)762-3621 ext. 222
hadson@pawneenation.org

In Memory of



KYLE BRUCE GIFFEY

MARCH 7, 1951 - AUGUST 27, 2022

Kyle Bruce Giffey entered into the arms of Jesus on August 27, 2022, surrounded by his loving family. A Funeral Service will be held at 10:30 AM Thursday, September 1, 2022, at St. Paul Lutheran Church, Garrison, ND. Burial will follow at the Garrison Cemetery.

Visitation will be held from 5:00-7:00 PM on Wednesday, August 31, 2022, at Thompson Funeral Home.

Kyle was born March 7, 1951, in Minot, ND, to Ernest and Venetia Giffey, the oldest of four children. He graduated from White Shield High School in 1969, then went on to two years at Dickinson State University. He met the love of his life, Sandy Wagner, in the pep band while attending Moorhead Technical Institute where he graduated with a degree in restaurant management. They married on November 25, 1972, and moved to Mandan, ND, in 1973 where Kyle began his lifelong career in the restaurant industry as the manager of the Seven Seas. A year later, Kyle and Sandy moved to Garrison where they bought the Stone Inn restaurant, expanding the kitchen and adding the bar and banquet dining. In 1985, Kyle transitioned to restaurant management at the Lakeroad Restaurant in Garrison. He was there 12 years before starting Kyle's Katering and Giffey's Yard and Garden Center which he enjoyed until his death. One of his greatest joys in his life was serving people and he was absolutely the best at it.

Kyle was very involved in Flickertail Farmers 4-H through the years, the County Fair Board, Dickens Festival committee, and Garrison Area Improvement Association. He enjoyed old westerns, books of all kinds especially North Dakota History, and oldies on the radio. He raised sheep all of his life and was very proud of his yard full of beautiful flowers and plants of all kinds. He had the kindest heart and wittiest sense of humor. Kyle touched many lives in his 71 years and has left a lasting legacy through his three children, and 11 grandchildren.

Kyle was preceded in death by father, Erny Giffey; father and mother-in-law, Ronald and Ida Wagner; brother-in-law, Bruce Wagner; and nephew, Curtis Giffey.

Kyle is survived by his wife, Sandy; son, Travis (Gail) Giffey, Sparta, TN; daughter, Trista (Josh) Rust, Mercer, ND; daughter, Tawna (Derick) Hermanson, Fargo, ND; sister, Kandis (Tracy) Horn, Ryder, ND; brother, Kelly (Colette) Giffey, Roseglen, ND; sister, Kari (Jerry) Evenson, Coleharbor, ND; mother, Venetia Giffey, Garrison, ND; sister-in-law, Debbie Wagner, West Hills, CA; brother-in-law, Ross (Lynette) Wagner, Brainerd, MN; brother-in-law, Reed (Kim Cooke) Wagner, Bloomington, MN; brother-in-law, Steve (Sherry) Wagner, Hancock, MN; 11 grandchildren; and 10 nieces and nephews.

In Memory of



LIAM DREVMY WILKINSON

AUGUST 26, 2013 - SEPTEMBER 3, 2022

Liam Drevyn Wilkinson, 9, White Shield, passed away September 3, 2022, in Garrison, ND.

Funeral Service will be held Friday, September 9, 2022, at 11:00 AM at the White Shield Community Complex. Wake Services will be held Thursday, September 8, 2022, starting at 7:00 PM at the White Shield Community Complex.

Liam was born August 26, 2013, to Cedrick Wilkinson Jr. and Jessica Ortega in Mobridge SD. Little brother to Sunni and big brother to Lincoln. He always had a mischievous look, like he had a secret. Didn't talk much or try to say many words until he was about three years old. Before he started to talk, he was already drumming along to "We Will Rock You" by Queen. He loved to play the drums and tried to learn his favorite songs.

Recently he started posting videos to YouTube and he had a dream of being a famous youtuber and giving away free stuff. After school and on the weekends, you could find Liam having a blast playing the Oculus or recording new videos to post on his YouTube channel. He also started to write his own rap songs and wanted to do a song with his dad as his producer. He was such a smart boy and he cared so much about everyone that he met. He enjoyed riding his bike and playing at the park. Also, his favorite things to do included swimming at the Fitness Center in White Shield and playing with his brothers. He recently started going to Boys and Girls Club and had made many good friends there as well.

Liam was always so selfless when it came to sharing things. He would give up everything he had if he thought he could make someone's day a little better. Liam loved going to school and telling anyone that would listen about his entire day. He also enjoyed telling people about a season recap of a show you wanted to watch and making plans for his next birthday/Christmas/Holidays or whatever he thought made sense to have a party type celebration for.

He loved his family and friends and always made an impact on the people he met. There is so much more about this special boy that should be said but no words could possibly be written

to express how much love and gratitude we have for the time we were able to have him in our lives. He will be so greatly missed by so many. We will love and miss you always Bubby.

Liam is survived by his parents, Cedrick Wilkinson Jr. and Jessica Ortega; sister, Sunni Ortega; brother, Lincoln Wilkinson; paternal uncles and aunts, Derick (Amber) Wilkinson Family, Jay (Chelsea) Brugh Family, Frankie (Ceanna) Wilkinson Family, Mia (Randy) Wilkinson Family, Selena (Kiana Chavez) Wilkinson, Jolie Bion Wilkinson Family, Noah Winisheck, William Wilkinson, Presley Wilkinson, Serene Wilkinson, Andrea Wilkinson Family, Ariana Esquibel, Melena Esquibel; maternal aunts and uncles, Michelle Ortega, Gabrielle Howard, Bradley Howard, Angel LeCompte, Jacob Takes The Gun, Larry (Kaye) Brown Jr., Daniel Brown, Christian LeCompte; paternal grandparents, Cedrick Wilkinson Sr., Maria Esquibel, Faith Dragswolf; maternal grandmother, Lisa (Sheldon Tree Top) Ortega Brown; maternal great-grandmother, Colleen Lawrence; great-grandparent, Ardith Esquibel; cousins, Emma, Princess, Evyn, Linda, Allie; and many other cousins, aunts, uncles, and grandparents.

Preceded in death by paternal great-great-grandparents, John and Agnes Fox, John and Helen Wilkinson; maternal great-great-grandparents, Frank Lawrence, Blanche Archambault Lawrence; paternal great-grandma, Beverly Wilkinson; maternal great-grandma, Adele Garreaux LeCompte; paternal great-grandpa, Anthony Daniel Esquibel; maternal great grandpa, Ivan LeCompte; paternal grandparents, William Wilkinson and Delancy Wilkinson Sr.; maternal grandfathers, Hank LeCom

JANICE HOSIE MEMORIAL
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2022
2:00PM - 7:00PM
RALPH WELLS COMPLEX

SPORTS SECTION

AUGUST / SEPTEMBER 2022



Starting from scratch

By Ethyn Williams-Calvert
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A new year of fall sports brings with it a new football team for the county. The White Shield School will be fielding a six-man football team for the 2022 season. Coached by Mitchell Two Crows, the group will look to revive a White Shield football program that has been sorely missed within the community. Restoring a sports program is never

an easy task, but White Shield has the facilities and passionate staff to facilitate this athletic growth. Playing six-man football will limit the number of opponents the Warriors will be able to face, with only four other schools – Trenton, Drayton, Center-Stanton, Mandaree and New Town – in the state. Warriors opened their play against Trenton on Sept. 2, coming away with a loss but a determination that will no doubt fuel the Warriors for the season.



WHITE SHIELD WARRIORS FOOTBALL ROSTER

#5	Dustin Halsey
#6	Wambdi LaCroix
#10	Madden Everett
#11	Jayden Garcia
#12	Koda Deegan
#15	Oscar Felix
#20	Riley Esquibel
#25	Weston Bird
#30	Sincere Red Fox
#40	Cameron Feather
#45	William Ebarb
#50	George Wilkinson
#55	Joshua Jeanotte
#60	Anthony Felix
#66	Red Star Fox
#79	Shawn Stranger Horse
#80	Kaden Norquay
#81	Jace Dickens
#91	Delancy Wilkinson
#98	Christopher Montclair
#99	Anthony Wolf

SCHEDULE

9/10 (Saturday)	@Drayton JH / HS	3:00 / 5:00pm
9/16 (Friday)	Center-Stanton JH / HS	5:00 / 7:00pm
9/23 (Friday)	Mandaree HS	7:00pm
9/26 (Monday)	@Mandaree JH / HS	5:00 / 7:00pm
9/30 (Friday)	New Town HS	7:00pm
10/7 (Friday)	@Center-Stanton JH / HS	5:00 / 7:00pm

COACHING STAFF:

Mitchell Two Crow
Mark Nolan
Elk Looking Back
Ed Basurto
Jason Dudley
Matt Howling Wolf
Preston Demarce
Mike Red Tomahawk

SPORTS SECTION

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Parshall Rodeo

Photo Credit: Karen Lone Fight





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For more information please contact:

Sheldon Rush, White Shield Athletic Director

701-897-6441



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**MENTOR SITE
(IN OLD COMPLEX)
MON-FRI 8:30AM-4:30PM**

1. Did you know that recent Fort Berthold High School graduates can qualify to receive a tuition waiver if they attend NHSC during the first year after they've graduated High School? For more information, you can talk with our Students Accounts Coordinator, Sasha Sillitti at ssillitti@nhsc.edu
2. NHSC will be celebrating 50 years of impact in May 2023. We will be holding campus town hall events starting at the end of September for community members, NHSC alumni and others to attend to help with our planning process. Please watch the NHSC Facebook page and our website for updates on the community planning events.
3. What's happening at NHSC? Check out a few of our upcoming events happening during September–
 - September 2nd – NHSC Cross Country at UND Ron Pynn Classic*
 - September 3rd – NHSC Four Sisters Gardens at the New Town Farmer's Market*
 - September 5th – Labor Day – NHSC Campus closed and No Classes*
 - September 7th – All Chiefs Society meeting – NHSC Cultural Building at Noon – lunch will be served*
 - September 9th – NHSC Cross Country at Dragon Twilight invite – MSU -Moorhead*
 - September 10th – NHSC Four Sisters Gardens at the New Town Farmer's Market*
 - September 12th and 13th – NHSC Golf at Jamestown Fall Invite*
 - September 17th – NHSC Four Sisters Gardens at the New Town Farmer's Market*
 - September 19th and 20th – NHSC Golf at Marauder Invite in Bismarck*
 - September 20th – 1st Annual NHSC Golf Scramble at Edgewater Country Club*

September 21st – NHSC Recruiting event at UTTC

September 23rd – NHSC Fall Graduation applications are due

September 24th – NHSC Four Sisters Gardens at the New Town Farmer's Market

September 28th – Brain Storm student event – sponsored by the Storm Leadership Team

4. We are now accepting applications for our Spring 2023 semester. Applications are due by November 15th and documents are due by December 10th. Apply now at www.nhsc.edu
5. We have openings for our NAS and NACTEP cohorts for our Fall and Spring semester. Both cohorts are available for students that are registered for the Spring semester. For additional information on each cohort contact Iman Moore for NACTEP or Shannon Gillis for NAS, or you can also go to www.nhsc.edu/students/student-cohorts.
6. Are you interested in obtaining your GED? NHSC can help! Check out our website at www.nhsc.edu/degrees-certificates/ged/ for additional information. Or you can contact the following individuals:
 - NHSC Main Campus – Betty Lockwood at 701-421-0034 blockw@nhsc.edu*
 - White Shield Liaison – Elissa “Elise” Argent at 701-743-4552 eargent@nhsc.edu*
 - Mandaree Liaison – Frances “Buffy” White at 701-759-3528 fwhite@nhsc.edu*
 - Parshall Liaison – Delrene “Susie” Simpson at 701-862-2106 dsimps@nhsc.edu*
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 - Computer Science Instructor*
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 - Tutor (English, Math, Science, Psychology and/or Computers)*
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9. Interested in playing for the Storm Athletics program? Contact our Athletic Director Kyle DeCoteau @ kdecoteau@nhsc.edu. We have Athletic tuition waivers available on a first come, first serve basis. Contact Kyle early to sign with us and apply for your tuition waiver! We are accepting applications for our Spring 2023 semester.
 - Men's Basketball*
 - Women's Basketball*
 - Golf*
 - Cross Country*

USMC Silent Drill Platoon in New Town for veteran appreciation

By John Salling

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NEW TOWN, N.D. (KMOT) – The MHA Nation celebrated their soldiers Tuesday in New Town with a special exhibition. The Marine Corps Silent Drill Platoon from Washington D.C. extended their tour season to come out and perform for North Dakota veterans. The tribes stated that a higher rate of Native Americans serve in the armed forces than other groups, and wanted to show appreciation to these and other local veterans for their service.

“They do, definitely, honor us a lot. For them to be able to come again and for us to be a part, even better. My uncle was the reason I joined and he was a marine so to be a part of it was even better,” said Amber Red Fox, Army Veteran. Free food and the ceremony brought out hundreds of people to check out the demonstration, including nearby schools to watch the performance and learn about service in their communities.

“The tradition, the culture, for them to see the hard work that these veterans have given us, have been giving us, and will be giving us,” said Jeremiah Prego, teacher.

The 24-man Silent Drill Platoon first performed in the sunset parades of 1948 in D.C., and the precision exhibition was so popular they made it a regular part of ceremonies.

“It was a great honor. I’m really touched by it being a Marine and seeing them perform, bringing them to the people. What I like is that the children and the schools get to see it and hopefully they think about joining military service,” said Mylo Spotted Horse, a Marine veteran.

The Marines in the platoon serve on a two-year ceremonial tour. They use 10.5-pound M1 Garands for the exercise.

This was the platoon’s second time in New Town, and officials hope to bring them back a third time for an even bigger event.

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SEPTEMBER

COVID VACCINE CLINICS

NEW TOWN
WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 14TH, 21ST, 28TH
 2PM - 4PM
 NORTHERN LIGHTS

MANDAREE
THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 15TH
 2PM - 4PM
 NEW SCHOOL

PARSHALL
TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 20TH
 2PM - 4PM
 PARSHALL TESTING SITE

WHITE SHIELD
TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 27TH
 2PM - 4PM
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EMHC

IMMUNIZATION CLINIC

WHITE SHIELD
SEPTEMBER 22ND
 1PM - 4PM
 W.S. CLINIC

PARSHALL
SEPTEMBER 29TH
 1PM - 4PM
 PARSHALL CLINIC

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Medican & Pharmacy	Tribal Health Insurance Patient Advocacy: Pam Lewis & Michelle Thompson	Prior to 12/31/2021	(833) 551-0859
Medical & Pharmacy	Boon Group-Claim Status	Prior to 12/31/2021	(866) 868-8914
Vision	Blue Link / Davis Vision	After 1/1/2022	(800) 283-9374
Dental	Blue Link / United Concordia	After 1/1/2022	(800) 332-0366

MHA Nation Tribal Health Insurance

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SPIRIT WEEK

SEPT 26th - 30th

SHOW YOUR WARRIOR PRIDE

<p style="font-weight: bold; writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">MONDAY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">CHARACTER DAY</p> <p style="font-size: 18px;">SEPT 26</p> <p style="font-size: 12px;">Dress up as your favorite Character from a movie, show or cartoon</p>	<p style="font-weight: bold; writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">TUESDAY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">MARVEL vs. STAR WARS Day</p> <p style="font-size: 18px;">SEPT 27</p> <p style="font-size: 12px;">Dress up in Marvel or Star Wars gear</p>
<p style="font-weight: bold; writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">WEDNESDAY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">DECADES DAY</p> <p style="font-size: 18px;">SEPT 28</p> <p style="font-size: 12px;">Dress up from any DECADE 50's 60's 70's 80's 90's 2000's</p>	<p style="font-weight: bold; writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">THURSDAY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">WARRIOR Day</p> <p style="font-size: 18px;">SEPT 29</p> <p style="font-size: 12px;">PEP Assembly at 3:10 pm</p> <p style="font-size: 12px;">Dress up in your warrior gear or red/white/black</p>
<p style="font-weight: bold; writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);">FRIDAY</p> <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold;">GAME DAY</p> <p style="font-size: 18px;">SEPT 30</p> <p style="font-size: 12px;">Parade @ 1pm TAILGATE @ 4pm JH @ 5pm VARSITY @ 7pm</p>	<p style="font-size: 12px;">LUNCH ACTIVITIES WILL BE AT 12pm for 7th-12th Grade</p>

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REC CENTER PRICES

\$3 for Children
\$5 Adults 18+

Memberships
\$30 Single/Month
\$100 Family/3 Months

Golf Simulator
\$10 Per Person

Three Affiliated Tribes Fort Bearhold Reservation Certification of Results of September 20, 2022 Primary Election

Pursuant to Chapter VII, Section 5 of the Election Ordinance and Article IV, Section 3(c) of the Constitution of the Three Affiliated Tribes, the Tribal Election Board hereby formally certifies the official results of the September 20, 2022 Primary Election of the Three Affiliated Tribes as Follow:

CANDIDATES	VOTES
* CHAIRMAN	
1. Carol Good Bear	165
2. Mark N. Fox	990
3. Ronald Brugh	30
4. Scott Satermo	473
5. Tex Hall	569
** PARSHALL REPRESENTATIVE	
1. Doris Packineau	57
2. Mervin Packineau	243
*** FOUR BEARS REPRESENTATIVE	
1. Edward "Tyke" Danks Jr.	96
2. Kevin Finley	29
3. Marcus D. Levings	43
4. Robert White	89
5. Wendi Wells	66
6. Yvette Young Bear	40
**** TWIN BUTTES REPRESENTATIVE	
1. Cory Spotted Bear	211
2. Margaret Pfeifer	30

*(Tex Hall and Mark N. Fox) are declared the winners in the Primary Election and shall advance to the General Election for the Chairman of the Three Affiliated Tribal Business Council.

**(Mervin Packineau) Should any Candidate receive a majority of the votes cast in the Primary Election, that Candidate, pursuant to Article IV Section 3 (c) of the Constitution and Bylaws of the Three Affiliated Tribes shall be declared Elected to their respective Office and no General Election for that office will be held.

***(Edward "Tyke" Danks Jr. and Robert White) are declared the winners in the Primary Election and shall advance to the General Election for the office of the Four Bears Segment Representative.

****(Cory Spotted Bear) Should any Candidate receive a majority of the votes cast in the Primary Election, that Candidate, pursuant to Article IV Section 3 (c) of the Constitution and Bylaws of the Three Affiliated Tribes shall be declared Elected to their respective Office and no General Election for that office will be held.

Dated this 21st day of September, 2022.

TRIBAL ELECTION BOARD

/s/ Cheryl Good Bird
Cheryl Good Bird, Chairperson

/s/ Veronica Serdahl
Veronica Serdahl, Member

/s/ Noreen Two Crow
Noreen Two Crow, Member

/s/ Holly Felix
Holly Felix, Member

/s/ Amanda Bracklin
Amanda Bracklin

/s/ Yvonne White Bear
Yvonne White Bear, Member

/s/ Marc Bluestone Sr.
Marc Bluestone, Sr., Member

NOTICE TO VOTERS PROCEDURE TO CONTEST THE SEPTEMBER 20, 2022 PRIMARY

Pursuant to Chapter IX, Section 1 A, of the Election Ordinance of the Three Affiliated Tribes, a defeated candidate or ten (10) qualified Tribal voters who desire to contest an election after the results thereof have been formally certified, shall file with the Tribal Election Board a duly verified written complaint setting forth a concise statement of the facts upon which the contest is based, together with a nonrefundable filing fee in the amount of Five hundred Dollars (\$500.00), within a period of three (3) days from the date on which the election results were certified, exclusive of Sundays and holidays.

Dated this 21st day of September, 2022.

2022 TRIBAL ELECTION BOARD

White Shield Star



July Answers

Ralph Wells Community Center Hours

WEEKDAYS		WEEKENDS	
ARIKARA FITNESS CENTER	6:00AM - 10:00PM	ARIKARA FITNESS CENTER	8:00AM - 10:00PM
ARIKARA NUTRITION	6:00AM - 5:00PM	ARIKARA NUTRITION	CLOSED
POOL	12:00PM - 8:00PM	POOL	12:00PM - 8:00PM
GYMNASIUM	6:00AM - 10:00PM	GYMNASIUM	8:00AM - 10:00PM
REC ROOM	10:00AM - 8:00PM	REC ROOM	10:00AM - 6:00PM
MOVIE THEATER	FRIDAY AT 7:00PM	MOVIE THEATER	10:00AM - 10:00PM

WHITE SHIELD STAR WORD FIND

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ARIKARA
 CALENDAR
 CLASSROOM
 CROSS COUNTRY
 ELECTIONS

ENRICHMENT
 FALL
 FOOTBALL
 HOMECOMING
 LABOR DAY

MARINES
 PAWNEE
 PICNIC
 SCHOOL
 SILENT DRILL PLATOON

STUDENT COUNCIL
 TEACHER
 TEAMWORK
 VOLLEYBALL
 WARRIORS

Happy
Birthday
to our
Elders

August Birthdays

- Bruce Nagel (8/4)
- Joesph Young Bird (8/5)
- Larry Trujillo, Jr. (8/11)
- Frank Felix, Sr. (8/14)
- Clarinda Hosie (8/14)
- Greta White Calfe (8/17)
- Roberta Bear (8/21)
- Kathryn White Bear (8/26)
- Dennis Yellow Bird, Sr. (8/29)

September Birthdays

- Yvonne White Bear (9/6)
- Frank White Calfe (9/8)
- Wayne White Bear (9/17)
- Austin Gillette (9/20)
- Weston Schettler (9/21)
- Jodie White (9/21)
- Gloria Wilkinson (9/26)
- Carol Seela (9/27)
- Kevin Bearstail (9/27)
- Beverly White Bear (9/28)
- Loren Robbins (9/30)
- Kandee Knight (9/30)
- William Trujillo (9/30)

*Apologies if we missed anyone
It was not our intention*

**WHITE SHIELD
SENIOR MEALS**

**701-421-4121
DELIVERY
OR PICK-UP
11:30AM - 12:30PM**

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FOR THAT MONTH'S ISSUE**

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