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NEWS FROM THE SECRETARY'S OFFICE 11-07-2023

It has been a very busy summer this year and now we are just about to end the year 2023, two more months to go and that means new permits to be issued: Business Licenses, Commercial Fishing & Diving Permits, Resident and Employment. Application will be available for the first week of January 2024.

If you are running a business out of your home: Rental/Landlord, Marketing/Wholesale, Native Art, etc. You must have valid Business License approved, signed and posted.

Non-Members living and/or working on the Reserve must have a valid Resident and Employment permit. Please do not delay in getting your permits as this can jeopardize your employment status on the Annette Islands Reserve. Any questions can be directed to the Secretary's office at 886-4441 ext. 2223.

I hope that you all got out to VOTE in our local General Elections. Congratulations to all the candidates the won their seats. May your next two years be fruitful and prosperous for our community.

Last month I had the honor to represent the community at the FY2023 AFN. The theme and main address were on subsistence and sustainability. We've been doing this for over 135 years, of protecting our natural resources, maintaining our way of life, by learning to harvest and preserve our fish, wild berries, and seaweed. As I listened to the speakers, most of them were from central Alaska or further north. Fighting for lands, coastal lands, against mining, and oil pipelines. They gave up so much when they chose ANCSA and I'm so thankful that our forefathers made the strong decision not to join them.

WHAT DO WE DO WHEN WE LOSE A LOVED ONE?

Lean on one another, talk about the loss, allow yourself to grieve, pray, share your feelings, cry and remember those beautiful moments shared. I know how you feel and share your loss with you. Remember the following list of Members that have passed:

Matthew Wyatt, Jr.

2. Alice Dundas

James Snook, Jr.

4. Norma Lankard

Edward Chalmers

6. Heather Henderson

7. James Henderson

8. Michele L. (Stands) Patterson

9. Louis R. Buxton

10. Edward "Eddie" George

11. Thomas Leask

12. Eleanor McGlothlin

13. Carolyn (Booth) Carle

14. Allene Milton

15. Beatrice Booth

16. James Dundas, Jr.

17. Janet M. Guthrie

18. Timothy R. Booth

19. Nathaniel C. Mowers

If I have forgotten anyone, please let me know. Take care.





Honoring those that are still serving our country to keep us free THANK YOU! Make sure to thank our local Veterans for their service.

MEMBERSHIP:

If you were born in the year 2004 time is running out if you haven't applied for your Adult Membership. Give us a call (907) 886-4441 or email us: receptionist@metlakatla.com; cityclerk@metlakatla.com; or judi@metlakatla.com for Adult Membership application form. We'll be glad to send you one or just stop by the office and we'll give you one.

The following List is of Members that have Relinquished their Adult or *Minor* Membership with the Metlakatla Indian Community since FY2022 through today.

FY2022

- Booth, Seth Wellington (minor member)
- Harrell, Whitney Swan
- Woolen, Vata Olympia (minor member) 3. Anniskett, Leland J.
- Black-Crow, Nation Taylee (minor member)
 Williams, Sara Lorraine
- Booth, Kaleb Timothy Connor
- Brendible, Kathleen Theresa
- Guthrie, Janet L. (Steinberg)
- Guthrie, Roxanne (Commack)
- Valley, Jason Cameron
- Alguire, Katherine M. (Brendible, Barrett)
- Scudero, Jeri Lynn

FY2023

- Head-Bethel, Lauren Rain
- Hayward, Nancy M. (Anniskett)

- 5. Morrison, Carmen C. (Eaton, Milne)

WINTER:

Are you ready? I try to get all of my yard work done, plants secured, and remove any debris that may blow around and possibly break a window or something. Clean out the gutters, sweep the chimney, stock up on fire wood, batten down the hatches, place installation around leaking doors/windows so you can retain your heat.

WISHING YOU ALL A HAPPY THANKSGIVING! ENJOY YOURSELVES WITH FAMILY AND FRIENDS. Remember, what we are thankful for, a roof over our head, a pillow under our head, food in our tummies, and clothing on our backs. PRAY for those that are suffering through WAR, starvation, homelessness, and loss of a LOVED one.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO MY FAMILY & FRIENDS THIS MONTH. May your day be filled with Love, Laughter, and Happiness.

Trudy Horne-Hayward; Faylene Benito; Erica Nathan; Reginald Atkinson; Walther Clark, Sr. (I'll share my day with you 😊); Kendall Booth; Evie Hayward-Dickerson; Sharon Wagner; Vance T. Booth, Jr.; and Carlito Benito.

Don't forget to support our MISS CHIEFS & CHIEFS. GO BIG BLUE!

Judith A. Eaton, Executive Tribal Secretary



Metlakatla Indian Community COUNCIL ANNETTE ISLANDS RESERVE

OFFICIAL BALLOT

General Election November 7,2023

Per MIC Law & Order Code, Title Five Chapter 17.7 Election Procedures B. Ballots; writing in the name of an individual as a write in candidate shall invalidate the ballot

Mayor Vote For No More than ONE	Polls	Ab
Albert G Smith	326	70=396
Keolani Booth	126	45 = 171

Treasi Vote for no mor	Polls	Ab	
Darcy Booth	350	290	60
Veronica White	220	162	58

Secre Vote For No Mo	Polls	Ab	
Judith Eaton	339	264	75
Sharon Nelson	228	186	42

456 At Polls / 3 Rejected
119 Absentee/Shytins I Rejected

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	Council Vote For No More than <u>SIX</u>	Polls	Absentee
∙ ₩	Christina Martinez	239	62 = 301
6	Carl F Gaube	224	757 = 281
	Joseph Ridley	169	50 = 219
	Rachael Askren	216	40 = 256
_	Katherine "Kathy' Brendible	187	48 = 235
(2)	Desmond King Sr.	264	84 = 348
3	David R Boxley	238	69 = 307
	Alonzo Leisholmn	137	46 = 183
(5)	Frank "Butch" Hayward	241	48 = 289
0	Mark Gunyah	299	57 = 356
	Ada M Feak	201	53 = 254

If you make a mistake, please, return your ballot to the Verified by Election Officials and you will receive a new ballot.

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Public Notice

Thursday 11/09/23 1:40pm

Thanksgiving Turkey Distribution

MIC will be delivering Butterball turkeys, one per household, starting next week.

Happy Thanksgiving! from MIC Council and Executives





METLAKATLA INDIAN GAMING COMMISSION IS SEEKING INNOVATIED, ACTIVE, and HIGHLY MOTIVATIED INDIVIDUALS

To be part of a hard-working team.

A Team that oversees the:

A. Developing and promoting gaming operation on the Annette Islands Reserve in compliance with the Indian Gaming Regulatory Act, 25 U.S.C. §§ 2710, et seq., ("IGRA"), the regulations promulgated by the National Indian Gaming Commission ("NIGA) and the rules and regulations of the Council that are not inconsistent therewith; and

B. Providing employment for Community members in gaming activities and income for the Community.

SIGN UP HAS BEEN EXTENDED FROM NOVEMBER 13, 2023 UNTIL FILLED.

Any questions can be directed to the Secretary's Office

Mayor's Office



November 8, 2023 METLAKATLA INDIAN COMMUNITY MEMBERSHIP

The Metlakatla Indian Community (MIC) and Annette Islands Service Unit (AISU), Medical Records Department are working together to ensure that our Enrolled Members/AISU Patients have the correct and current Membership number and Certification of Enrollment with a Federally recognized Tribe. AISU staff will call it CIB (Certification of Indian Blood), however, Metlakatla Indian Community does not go by blood quantum but by lineal descendancy.

If you have had a legal name change through the court system, divorce, marriage, etc. Please come see us here at the Council Chambers and be sure to bring the legal court paperwork and name change on your social security card with you.

If you have had a newborn during the COVID Pandemic and still need to get your child enrolled with MIC, please bring in your child's state issued birth certificate and social security card.

THANK YOU!

Judith A. Eaton, Executive Tribal Secretary Enrollment Office



Dear Albert Smith,

Last spring, the Selective Service System (SSS) contacted Tribal Leaders, like you, to provide information about registration and local board member opportunities with the agency.

Federal law requires all men who are U.S. citizens, and those who have dual citizenship living abroad, to register with SSS between the ages of 18-25 years old.

Registration ensures young men retain access to educational loans, grants and scholarships, millions of federal jobs, free workforce training and a streamlined process for citizenship. To register, or to confirm a young man's registration, visit www.sss.gov.

I appreciate your continued support of the young men within your sphere of influence. Should you need additional materials sent to your community or support in sharing this information, please contact <u>TribalGovernmentConsultation@sss.gov</u>.

Finally, if you or any other members of your Nation are interested in becoming a pillar of knowledge by volunteering with SSS as a local board member, please send an email to the address above at your earliest opportunity.

I look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

Micheal Migliara

Associate Director for Public and Intergovernmental Affairs

Selective Service System

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PRIVACY ACT STATEMENT

The Military Selective Service Act, Selective Service regulations, and the President's The Internal Sentective Senters Are, selective Senter registroins, and the Presidents Proclamation on Registration require that you have one. The principal purpose of the requisited information is to establish or verifyyour registration with the Selective Service System. This information may be furnished to other government agencies for the stated purposes on a selective besis.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE - for review and processing of suspected violations of the Military Selective Service Act, or for perjuny, and for defense of a civil action arising from administrative processing under such Act. DEPARTMENT OF STATE & U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND IMMIGRATION SERVICES - for

collection and evaluation of data to determine a person's eligibility for entry/neentry into the United States and for U.S. citizenship.

DEPARTMENT OF DEFINES & U.S. COAST GUARD - for exchange of data concerning registration, classification, induction, and examination of registrants and fer identification of prospects for recruiting.

of prospects for recruiting. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR - to assist veterans in need of data concerning reemployment.

rights, and for determining eligibility for benefits under the Wolsforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (Jamesly Wolsforce Investment Act). DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - to determine eligibility for student financial assistance. OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT & U.S. POSTAL SERVICE - to determine

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES - to determine a person's prope

Social Security Account Number and for locating perents pursuent to the Child Support STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS - to provide data which may constitute evidence

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ALTERNATIVE SERVICE EMPLOYERS - for exchange of information with employers regarding a registrant who is a conscientious objector for the purpose of placement and supervision of performance of alternative service in lieu of induction into military service.

GENERAL PURSUIC - Registrant's name, Selective Service registration number, date of birth, and classification. (Military Selective Service Act, 50 U.S.C. 3006(h))

Fallure to provide the required information may violate the Military Selective Service Act. Conviction for such a violation may result in imprisonment for up to file years and/or a fise of not more than \$250,000.

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM PO BOX 94637 PALATINE IL 60094-4637

SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM REGISTRATION FORM

WHO MUST REGISTER?

Male U.S. citizens and immigrants, documented and undocumented, residing in the U.S. and its territories must register if they are age 18 through 25.

WHY REGISTER?



IT'S THE LAW

Virtually all Men living in the United States and U.S. citizens living abroad must register at 18 with Selective Service. Men may pre-register at 17 years and 3 months and when they turn 18, they will automatically be registered. Men 18 - 25 years old remain in a database for national emergencies, requiring a future rapid expansion of our Armed Forces.



PROTECT ELIGIBILITIES FOR FUTURE BENEFITS

By registering, a young man stays eligible for:

- -U.S. Citizenship for male immigrants
- -Student financial aid (federal and most states) and even admission to some state schools
- -Job training benefits
- -Most federal jobs and jobs with the U.S. Postal Service



FAIRNESS AND EQUALITY

By registering all eligible young men, the Selective Service System ensures a fair and equitable draft, if ever required; however, there has not been a draft since 1973.



CIVIC DUTY

It's your responsibility to ensure that young men, 18 - 25, understand the law so they can make an informed decision about registration compliance. Currently, more than 90 percent of eligible young men are registered. It's a civic duty of every young man to comply with the law.



INSURANCE FOR THE NATION

By registering, a man's voluntary participation helps provide a hedge against unforeseen threats. It is a relatively low-cost insurance policy for our Nation.

AFTER REGISTRATION

Within 90 days, you should receive a Registration Acknowledgement containing your Selective Service Number. You can also verify your Selective Service Number by going to sss.gov. MOVING - You are required, by Federal law, to submit an address change. You can do it online at www.sss.gov or at your local Post Office.



SELECTIVE SERVICE SYSTEM REGISTRATION FORM

Register online at sss.gov or complete this form

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SSS FORM 1 (Expires 09-30-2024) OMB APPROVAL 3240-0002 We estimate the public reporting burden for this collection will very from two minutes per response, including time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering data, and completing and reviewing the information, forced comments regarding the burden statement or any other aspects of the collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden for the Selective Service System, SSS Forms Officer (3246-0002), Artington, VA 22209-2425. The OMB control number 3240-0002, is currently valid. Persons are not required to respond to this collection unless it



Senior Center Menu

6 French Toast Sausage & Fresh Fruit	7 Hawaiian Chicken rice Mac Salad & Fruit	8 Ham/Scalloped Potato's w/Green Beans Jello/Fruit	9 Spaghetti Salad/Garlic Bread Sherbet ice cream	Closed for Veterans Day
13 Mac & Cheese W/Bacon Carrots Salad & Fruit	14 Lima Beans W/ Ham hocks Pilot Bread Peach Crisp	Pork Sweet & sour Rice/Peas Upside down cake	16 Turkey Diner with All the Fixin's	17 Pancakes Bacon Fresh Fruit
20 Pork Fried Rice/Bacon Eggs/ Peas & carrots w/ Fruit	21 Meatloaf Mashed Potato Gravy/Green Beans & Fruit Fluff	22 Bean soup Kielbasa Biscuits Jello Cake	Happy Thanksgiving Center Closed	24 太 Closed
27 Cranberry Chicken Rice a Ronit Mixed veggies Banana	28 Navy Beans Soup/W Kielbasa & Dinner Rolls / Peaches	29 Porkupine Meat Balls Rice Green Beans Fruit	30 Turkey Pot Pie/ Biscuit Topping Cranberry Fruit Fluff	

Home Delivered Meals Start at 10:45 am Daily

Suggested Donation for Clients is \$1.75 Guest Meals (non-clients) are \$5.00 If you are a residents, Native/55+or Non-Native/60+Please call 886-7191 to check eligibility.

As the temperatures start to drop, we need to work on being weather ready! Here's some weather safety information from our friends at NOAA.

- 1. Always leave a travel plan with a dependable relative or friend.
- 2. That first snow of the season often causes big impacts, remember to leave extra distance between you and other vehicles.
- Before winter weather arrives is the time to prepare. Clear debris from gutters and ditches to help with drainage and restock your emergency kit.
- 4. Know the difference between a watch, warning, and advisory.
- Winterize your vehicle. Stage other snow removal supplies such as the snow blower or shovels before the snow flies.





Winter Weather Safety Watch, Warning, Advisory



Winter Warnings, Watches, and Advisories

Take Action: A *Winter Storm Warning* is issued for conditions posing a threat to life or property. A winter storm is occurring, imminent, or very likely. Travel will become difficult and impossible in some situations. Delay your travel plans until conditions improve.

Be Aware: A **Winter Storm Watch** is issued when the risk of a hazardous winter weather event has increased, but its occurrence, location, and/or timing is still uncertain. It is intended to provide enough lead time so you can make plans to stay safe.

Be Prepared: A Winter Weather Advisory is issued when hazardous winter weather is occurring, imminent, or very likely. An advisory is for less serious conditions which may cause significant inconvenience and, if caution is not exercised, could lead to situations that may threaten life and/or property.









Winter Weather Safety Be Weather-Ready



How you can prepare for winter weather:

- Winterize your car, put on snow tires, and put a winter survival kit in it.
- Prepare your home by adding insulation and trimming branches.
- Restock your emergency kit with extra batteries, food, etc.
- Make sure your generator is in working order and review the safety manual. NEVER run a generator in an enclosed space.



Building a Weather-Ready Nation

www.weather.gov/safety



When it does start to get icy or snow starts to fall, be patient. Drive slowly so you can safely get to where you need to go. Understand that those who shovel, and salt entrances are doing as much as they can.

Stay warm and stay safe!





DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS Loan Guaranty/NADL

3333 North Central Avenue Phoenix, Arizona 85012

November 01, 2023

2393759_104*******SNGLP Metlakatla Indian Community Annette Islands Reserve Attn: ALBERT SMITH PO BOX 8 METLAKATLA, AK 99926-0008 ի/հուդ/կիլելի/հույկին-նգնվորկին այկ/իգներիկիկինը

Thank you for Your Participation in the Program

Dear ALBERT SMITH:

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) would like to thank you for your participation in our Native American Direct Loan (NADL) Program.

Our records indicate that Veterans within your tribe have not used loans from the NADL Program. VA would like to promote awareness of the NADL Program so all interested Veterans can participate.

NADL helps eligible Native American Veterans obtain home loan financing to purchase, construct, or improve homes on Federal Trust Land or to refinance an existing Native American Direct Loan to reduce the interest rate.



w are some of the benefits of a Native American Direct Loan:



VA is the lender



Minimal closing costs



No private mortgage insurance



VA offers a low interest rate of 2.5% with loan terms up to 30 years



Up to 100% loan to value



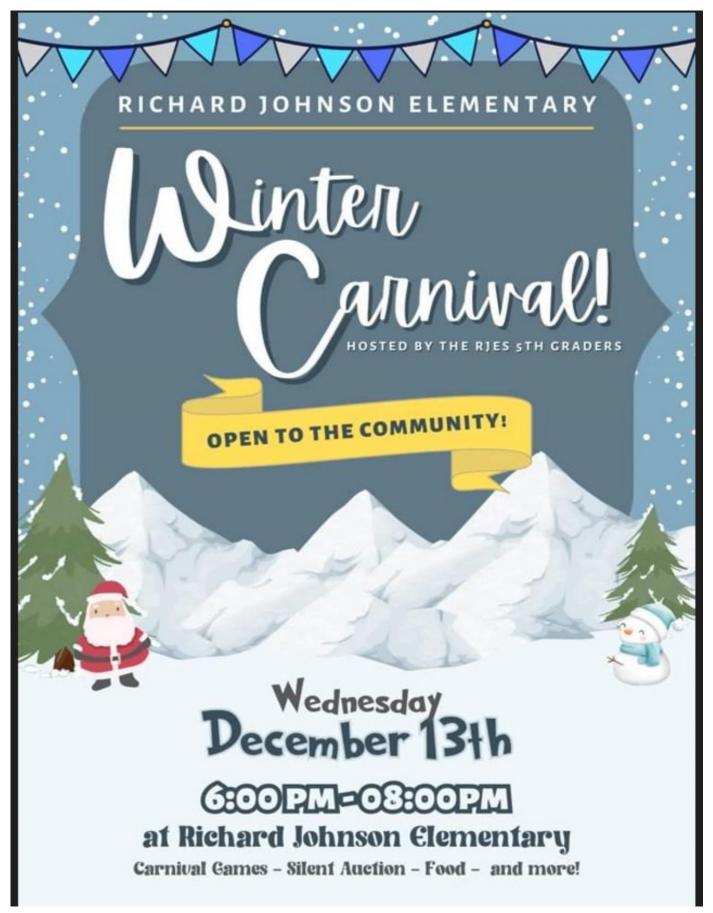
This re-usable benefit gives Native American Veterans the opportunity of home ownership and frees up tribal funding to be used in other areas

Veterans who are interested in applying for a VA direct home loan can contact our NADL team. A member of our team will be assigned to assist the interested Veteran to provide a comprehensive overview of the loan process and be available to assist throughout the Veteran's homeownership journey. Our team is dedicated to making homeownership on Trust Land a reality for Native Veterans and to make the process as smooth and simple as possible.

We appreciate your partnership and efforts in delivering NADL benefits to Veterans and their families. Our continued collaboration will help make the dream of homeownership a reality.

If you need assistance or have additional questions, please call 1-888-349-7541 or email NADL@va.gov. Sincerely,





AISD Information you can find on there Facebook page



Thank you to the ones who participated in the Halloween Coloring Contest

3 Pumpkins Winners (Elementary School) One Middle School Gift Card



One High School winner \$50 gift card & Two Adult winners \$100 gift card Thank you guys! Keep an eye out for more come.



Trennis Hayward 11/15

Dannica Hayward 11/16

Love Mom/Gram

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Ingredients

Caramel Sauce

CINNAMON APPLES

- 3 Granny Smith apples, peeled and diced
- 2 tsp lemon juice
- 1/8 tsp nutmeg
- 1 1/2 tsp cinnamon
- 4 tbsp (56g) packed brown sugar

CINNAMON WHIPPED CREAM

- 1 cup (240ml) heavy whipping cream
- 1/2 cup (58g) powdered sugar
- 1 tsp ground cinnamon





Caramel Apple Trifles

* * * * * 4.8 from 4 reviews

- 1 cup Cinnamon Granola (I used this granola)
- Cook Mode Prevent your screen from going dark

Instructions

- Make the caramel sauce according to the recipe. Cool caramel to about room temperature.
- To make the apples, combine apples, lemon juice, nutmeg, cinnamon and brown sugar in a medium pan and toss to coat.
- Cook apples for about 10-15 minutes, or until at preferred softness.
 Allow to cool for about 10-15 minutes.
- 4. To make cinnamon whipped cream, add the heavy whipping cream, powdered sugar and cinnamon to a large mixer bowl and whip on high speed until stiff peaks form.
- Once everything is made and ready, build the trifles. Add an even layer of whipped cream into the bottom of the cup or jar you are using.
- 6. Add about 2 tbsp granola in an even layer.
- Drizzle about one tablespoon of caramel sauce over granola.
- Spoon about 2 tablespoons of apples over the caramel.
- Repeat the layers once more then drizzle more caramel over the tops of each trifle.
- Store in the fridge for 2-3 hours, or until ready to serve. Trifles are best when eaten within 1-2 days.
- *You can replace the caramel sauce with a store-bought sauce, if preferred.

Last Month Malshk QR code

