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Tribal STAR News:

Indian Child Welfare Act Under Fire: Federal Judge Strikes Down 40-Year-Old Law, Appeals Could Lead to Supreme Court

Author: The Chronicle of Social Change: John Kelly

Published: October 7, 2018

Information: A federal judge has declared unconstitutional a 40-year-old law that was passed to protect against the separation of American Indian children from their families and tribes by state-run child welfare systems.

CELEBRATION 2018



"On September 21, 2018, Tribal STAR celebrated 15 years of community, collaboration and successful outcomes for Native American youth.

During the event, we were able to recognize our champions, tell stories and connect with friends and relatives. We are humbled by the work we have been allowed to do on behalf of Native youth, families, and communities. We express our gratitude to all of the champions who have joined our efforts over the years, and are deeply grateful to our community leadership and elders for their wisdom, support and guidance. We are looking forward to continued collaboration, new partnerships and new ways to keep our children connected to their families, their tribes and their culture.



Tribal STAR 2018 Special Thank you to:

*Pala Band of Mission Indians, our co-host
Season Goodpasture
Margaret Orrantia
Linda Ruiz
Joanne Wilis Newton
Robert White
Jennifer Tucker-Tatlow
Lisa Tange
and event volunteers*

This year, Tribal STAR:

Tribal STAR Champions 2018

Remembered Our Champions: Larry Banegas, Virginia Hill and Tim Peck

Celebrated our Champions: Recognizing Tom Lidot

Recognized Our Champions: Marilyn Robinson

Award for Excellence: Brenda Bagwill

Champions for Protecting and Caring for Children: Yolanda Osuna; Vicka and James Doll; Sharom and Chris Talcott; Brenda Billings; and Eric and Isabel Ortega

Champion for Community, Families and Children: Shirley "Kippi" Begay

Champions for Justice and ICWA Compliance Through Training: Tamara Strohauer

Champions for Support and Advocacy: Voices for Children

Champions for Innovation: Rincon Band of Luiseno Indians-- Wellness Courts

Champions for Systems Change: Riverside County DPSS Children's Services Division

Champions of Collaboration: Lisa Tange; Angie Rascon; Tina Kerrigan; Mike Eakes; Jose Refuerzo; Sophia Baltronic; Janice Yuwiler; and Wanjiru Golly

LaPrincess Greene



The Tribal STAR family is pleased to introduce its newest member: LaPrincess Greene, Tribal STAR's new Administrative Assistant. She is a member of the Navajo-Dine tribe from Northeastern Arizona. She is from the Red Bottom Clan, Tł'ááshchí'í; born for the Red Running into the Water Clan, Táchi'nii.

In the past 16 years, LaPrincess has focused her time on supporting her family, educational goals and serving in her community as a volunteer for local non-profits. She is a graduate from Arizona State University with her Bachelors in Organizational Leadership. She is excited to develop as a part of the Academy for Professional Excellence in the Tribal STAR program and to work with a team of forward thinkers, who have a common vision to make a positive contribution to the community.

In her personal time, LaPrincess loves to spend quality time with her 5 children, supporting them through their growth and development. She also loves to play sports, mainly softball; as well as, spend time at the beach, read, and listen to music. Welcome, LaPrincess!

Work with the Academy at:

[careers-sdsurf](#)



Dear Colleague:

We are currently collecting information about victim service providers to include in the **Tribal Resource Tool**, and we need your assistance.

Our team is working to identify any and all organizations that provide resources or support to American Indian and Alaska Native (AI/AN) crime victims living on and off tribal lands, Alaska Native villages, and in urban areas. If your organization provides services to help American Indian and Alaska Native (AI/AN) survivors recover from crime and abuse, please submit your information to be listed in the Tribal Resource Tool by visiting our website at www.tribalresourcetool.org.

This web-based resource map and searchable database will:

- **Connect** AI/AN survivors of crime and abuse to resources
- **Provide a listing of services** available for AI/AN survivors of crime and abuse
- Help **identify and address gaps** in services

The Tribal Resource Tool is an innovative collaboration between the **Office for Victims of Crime**, the **National Congress of American Indians**, the **Tribal Law and Policy Institute**, and the **National Center for Victims of Crime** with the input and guidance of **tribal stakeholders** across the country.

Help us engage others in this important project by sharing information widely and asking providers to fill out our inclusion form.

For additional information about the project, to request materials to help promote the tool, or to share outreach events where the project team can present the tool, contact Kaylana Gates at kgates@victimsofcrime.org. Please find sample Facebook and Twitter posts below.

Sample Facebook post:

The Tribal Resource Tool needs your assistance! If your organization provides services to help American Indian and Alaska Native survivors recover from crime and abuse, submit your information to the Tribal Resource Tool by visiting our website: www.tribalresourcetool.org.

Sample Twitter post:

The Tribal Resource Tool is a web-based map and searchable database to connect American Indian and Alaska Native survivors of crime and abuse to resources. Find out how to get involved at victimsofcrime.org/docs/default-source/Tribal-Mapping/trt_flyer_print.pdf.

SUBMIT YOUR INFORMATION NOW



TRIBAL STAR PARTNER NEWS:



Informational Meeting for Public Domain Allottees

(federal public lands, usually not on reservations, held in trust for individual Indians)

Are you an interest holder in a Public Domain allotment?

- Do you know what your rights are as an allottee or an heir?
- Do you know how you can make your voice heard on allotment issues?

Come to a free informational meeting presented by California Indian Legal Services to find out!

Presented by California Indian Legal Services with the support of the Indian Land Tenure Foundation, the State Bar of California, and the Legal Services Corporation.

This event is generously being hosted by Redding Rancheria.

When:
October 3, 2018
Time:
12:30 PM – 2:30 PM

Where:
Redding Rancheria
Tribal Health Center
Shasta Room, 3rd floor
1441 Liberty Street
Redding, CA 96001

Reply to hold your space!
Laura Svoboda at lsvoboda@calindian.org or (800) 347-2402 OR
Kimberly White at kwhite@calindian.org or (800) 829-0284



COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Walking Shield's 8th Annual Charity Golf Tournament



Barona Creek Golf Club in Lakeside, CA
MONDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2018
10:00am Shotgun Start

Walking Shield is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization
Serving American Indian Families Since 1986

Proceeds to benefit
American Indian Scholarship and Education Program

For further information and registration materials please contact:
Phone: (657) 900-2197 Email: info@walkingshield.org
www.walkingshield.org





Call 1-877-287-2624
for Walking Shield Fundraiser
room rates. Mention code "GWALKIS"
Subject to availability

Sponsorship Opportunities

Educational Partner (\$25,000)
This partnership includes year-round recognition at all events we attend, acknowledgment on all our multimedia sites and news releases. Articles about our association with you in our newsletters that are distributed nationwide. In addition, at our annual golf tournament you will receive two four-somes, extensive event signage visibility, four tee signs, full-page recognition in the program booklet and stage time during the awards luncheon.

Tournament (\$5,000)
Two foursomes, extensive event signage visibility, four teelgreen signs, full-page recognition in the program booklet and recognition in Walking Shield's newsletter and news release.

Eagle (\$4,000)
Two foursomes, two teelgreen signs, full-page recognition in the program booklet and recognition in Walking Shield's newsletter and news release.

Spirit (\$3,000)
One foursome, two teelgreen signs, half-page recognition in the program booklet and recognition in Walking Shield's newsletter.

Tee Sponsor (\$200)
One teelgreen sign.

Program Ads

Business Card	\$100
1/4 Page	\$150
1/2 Page	\$250
Full Page	\$500
Full Page Ad (Back cover)	\$1,000

Ads due by September 7, 2018
Please contact us for additional sponsorship opportunities at info@walkingshield.org

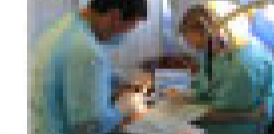
We are a 501 (c) (3) nonprofit organization
(Tax ID #33-0209754)

Our Mission Statement:
Walking Shield's mission is to improve the quality of life for American Indian families by coordinating programs that provide shelter, healthcare, community development support, educational assistance and humanitarian aid.

Through our partnerships we have assisted American Indians by:

-Awarding \$1.7 million in college scholarships

-Coordinating healthcare for more than 135,000 people



-Relocating 1,230 military base homes to 15 reservations

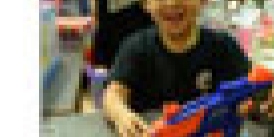
-Repairing/installing more than 950 miles of roads & utility lines



-Providing free eye exams & glasses for more than 40,450 people



-Distributing tons of school supplies, backpacks, toys, clothes and more





Walking Shield, Inc.
8th Annual
Golf Tournament



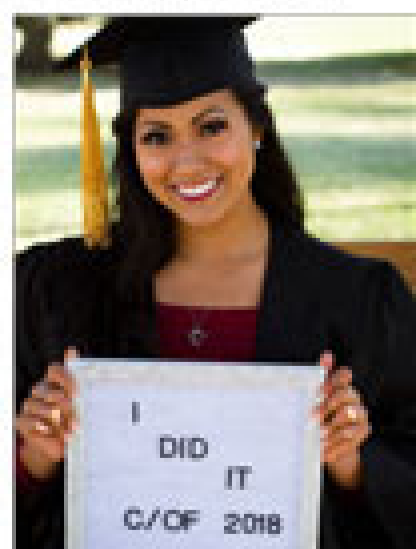
at the
**Barona Creek
Golf Course**
1932 Wildcat Canyon
Road
Lakeside, CA 92040

Monday, October 22, 2018
Proceeds to benefit the
American Indian Scholarship
and Education Program

American Indian Scholarship and Education Program

Walking Shield, Inc. is hosting its 8th Annual Charity Golf Tournament to help American Indian college students. The proceeds will assist students with the rising cost of college tuition and college related expenses. These funds make it possible for them to achieve their dream of a college degree.

Several students will graduate this June and we are very proud of them!



"Walking Shield made it possible to finish my undergrad strong. They have been helpful and supportive during this journey. I appreciate everything they have done for me while I have been in school. They provided financial and emotional support throughout my college journey."

Cherokee Memorial Inn
(Part of Laguna Barona Band of Komeey Indians)
B.S. in Commercial Studies
Majors in Business Management and Sociology

Schedule

Registration & Continental Breakfast
8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

Putting Contest
9:00 a.m.

Shotgun Start
10:00 a.m.

Food, prizes and opportunity drawings immediately following the final hole.

Cost

4 Person Scramble
Single Player- \$225
Foursome- \$800

Includes:

- Continental Breakfast
- Complimentary Indian Tacos on the Course
- Course Refreshments
- Lunch
- Contest Prizes
- Gift Bag
- Longest Drive
- Closest to the Pin
- Putting Contest

Opportunity Prize Drawing
\$1 per ticket
Or
25 tickets for \$20

Not a Golfer?

There are other ways to participate:

- Donate merchandise for prizes and opportunity drawings
- Join us for lunch: \$40
- Donate items for players' gift bags
- Make a tax deductible donation directly to Walking Shield, Inc.

Registration

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Educational Partner | \$25,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tournament Sponsor | \$5,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Eagle Sponsor | \$4,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Spirit Sponsor | \$3,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tee Sponsor | \$200 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Individual Player | \$225 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> # of players _____ | total \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Foursome | \$800 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lunch Only | \$40 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Opportunity Prize Tickets | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Donation Only | \$ _____ |

1. Name _____
Email _____

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4. Name _____
Email _____

How to register:

Mail - Send form and check to:
Walking Shield, Inc.
3100 Airway Avenue, Suite 118
Costa Mesa, CA 92626

Phone - (657) 900-2197
Fax - (657) 900-2196
Email - info@walkingshield.org
Online - www.walkingshield.org
via PayPal



Golf Tournament Income as of 9/10/2018

Colusa	\$5,000	Tournament Sponsor
Rincon	\$4,000	Eagle Sponsor
Sycuan	\$4,000	Eagle Sponsor
Barona	\$3,000	Spirit Sponsor
Pala	\$4,000	Eagle Sponsor
Soboba	\$4,000	Eagle Sponsor*
San Pasqual	\$1,000	Donation
Santa Rosa	\$250	Donation*
	\$25,250	
John Castillo	\$200	Golfer
John Tim O'Malley	\$225	Golfer
	\$425	
Pete Tagni	\$140	Business Card Ad & Lunch
	\$140	
	\$25,815	

*verbal commitments

Golfers "Paid/ Probable" as of 9/10/18

PAID	Edison	Pala
John Tim O'Malley	1.) TBO	1.) TBO
John Castillo	2.) TBO	2.) TBO
Gene Webster	3.) TBO	3.) TBO
	4.) TBO	4.) TBO
Colusa Indian Community Council	5.) TBO	5.) TBO
1.) TBO (Vets, Students, San Manuel)	6.) TBO	6.) TBO
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5.) TBO	Barona Band of Mission Indians	
6.) TBO	1.) TBO	Dennis Tafaya (4)
7.) TBO	2.) TBO	Michelle Holiday (1)
8.) TBO	3.) TBO	Louie's Group (1)
Wicon Band of Luiseno Indians	4.) TBO	Linda's Cousins (8)
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Sycuan Band of Kameyayay Nation		
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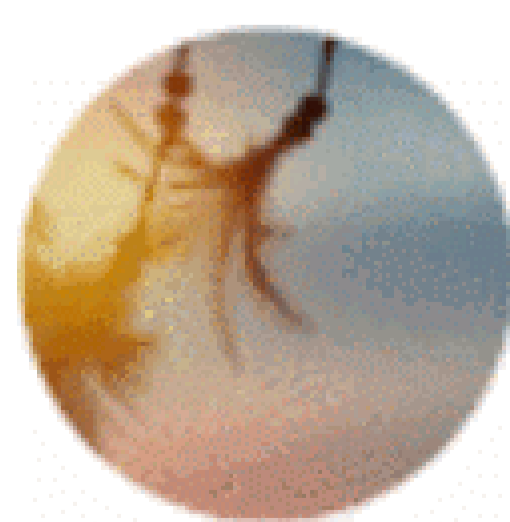
2018 Golf Tournament Sponsorship Needs

Item	Amount	Donor	Paid
Opportunity Drawing Item	\$50.00		
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Pro V1 Balls	\$60.00		
Longest Drive Women - 1 player x \$100.00	\$100.00		
Longest Drive Men's - 1 player x \$100.00	\$100.00		
Putting Contest - 1 player x \$100.00	\$100.00		
Closest to the Pin - 1 player x \$100.00	\$100.00		
Centerpieces	\$100.00		
Postage	\$100.00		
Continental Breakfast	\$100.00		
Golf Lunch Booklet	\$120.00		
Golfer photo	\$130.00		
Save the Date Cards	\$130.00		
Golf Supplies (frames, etc.)	\$150.00		
Gift Bag Items/Snacks	\$150.00		
Sponsor plaques	\$200.00		
3rd Place - \$50.00 x 4	\$200.00		
2nd Place - \$75.00 x 4	\$300.00		
Gift baskets/supplies for silent auction/opp drawing	\$300.00		
Golf Brochures	\$300.00		
1st Place - \$100.00 x 4	\$400.00		
Navajo Tacos	\$1,500.00		
Gift item for all Golfers	\$3,000.00		



TRIBAL STAR TRAINING

The trainings provide up-to-date, research-based information in a variety of areas for those that work with Tribal foster youth and their communities.



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You can't wake a person who is pretending to be asleep.

~ Navajo



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