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WEEKEND & BUSINESS COUNCIL
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SEPTEMBER 30

ORANGE SHIRT DAY

OCTOBER 3

**MONTHLY BUSINESS COUNCIL
MEETING (MIAMI, OK)**

OCTOBER 5

**TECUMSEH MEMORIAL DAY
(TRIBAL OFFICES CLOSED)**

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(TRIBAL OFFICES CLOSED)**

NOVEMBER 7

**MONTHLY BUSINESS COUNCIL
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NOVEMBER 11

**VETERANS DAY
(TRIBAL OFFICES CLOSED)**

GENERAL COUNCIL

AND ELECTION WEEKEND

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

7PM

DINNER /
STOMP DANCE

– Dancing after sundown



MIAMI TRIBE COMMUNITY CENTER
2319 Newman RD, Miami, OK 74354

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

8AM

ELECTION
POLLS OPEN

– Learn more about your candidates for Business Council on page 6.

8:30–11AM

PORTRAITS,
PRIZES & MORE

– Gifts for all citizens! Door Prizes! Free Family Portraits!

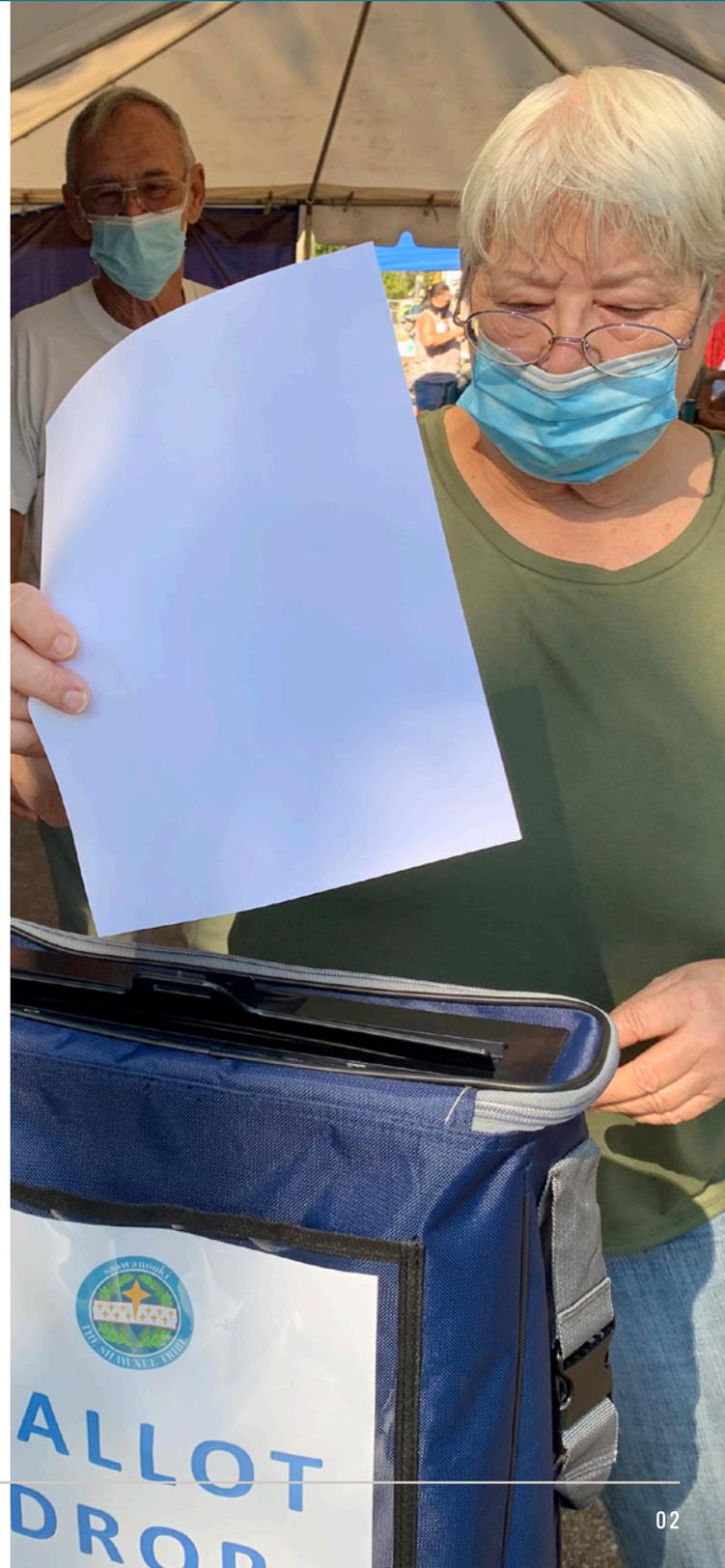
11AM

GENERAL COUNCIL
MEETING BEGINS

– Election Polls Close



OTTAWA POWWOW GROUNDS
11400 S. 612 RD, Miami, OK 74354



UPDATES FOR

PROGRAMS & SERVICES

FALL 2022 HIGHER EDUCATION AWARDS

Undergraduate, graduate, doctorate and vocational program financial assistance available.

Deadline to apply: August 15!

NEW! EMERGENCY A/C REPAIRS & HOME COOLING ASSISTANCE

Citizens in need of air conditioner repairs or window unit installation are eligible for up to \$3,000 in assistance. Program is available through September 15, 2022.

Contact: housing@shawnee-tribe.com
or (918) 542-2441, ext. 139

NEW! DOWN PAYMENT CLOSING COST ASSISTANCE

The Tribe will provide financial assistance up to \$7,500 assistance in down payment closing costs to relieve a portion of the financial burden to purchase a new home.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Program assistance may only be used for the applicant's primary residence.
- Only one (1) Down Payment Closing Costs Program grant per household is allowed.
- All payments or checks will be paid directly to the title company or appropriate financial closing institution.

NEW! PK-12 SCHOOL CLOTHING REIMBURSEMENT

New guidelines for this program were recently approved by the Business Council. **Every Shawnee child 4 years and older now qualifies for \$100-\$400 in assistance for clothing and shoes.** All clothing purchase receipts must be turned in before September 15.

NEW! SHAWNEE CODE RED: CITIZEN ALERT SYSTEM

Sign up for the Tribe's new emergency alert system to start receiving messages from our Emergency Management Office. Get notifications about weather emergencies, missing persons, utility outages and other potentially life-saving information.

Three easy ways to sign up:

- **TEXT:** Text SHAWNEETRIBE to 99411 and follow the on-screen instructions.
- **ONLINE:** Visit shawnee-nsn.gov/services/codered and click "Sign Up Now"
- **OUR STAFF:** Contact Corey Collett, Director of Emergency Management by calling (918) 542-2441, ext. 130 or emailing ccollett@shawnee-tribe.com.

For full program guidelines and more information about all citizen programs & services, including child care assistance, vehicle tags, burial assistance and more, visit shawnee-nsn.gov/services.

MEET THE CANDIDATES

RUNNING FOR SHAWNEE BUSINESS COUNCIL



The Fourth Seat, Seventh Seat, and Treasurer's Seat are up for election at the Annual General Council Meeting to be held Saturday, September 17 at the Ottawa Powwow Grounds in Miami. Polls will be open from 8:00-11:00 am.

TREASURER

BRITTANY HALL
MARK MCDOWELL

FOURTH COUNCILMAN

COREY WINESBURG
JANA JOHNSON

SEVENTH COUNCILMAN

KENNETH HOOD



BRITTANY HALL

TREASURER CANDIDATE

HOMETOWN: CLAREMORE, OK
 CURRENT CITY: LAWRENCE, KS
 OCCUPATION: GRANT COORDINATOR

Hato! My name is Brittany Hall, and I am running for Treasurer. I am Bird Creek Shawnee and the great-great granddaughter of Joseph Axe Washington. I graduated from Haskell Indian Nations University with a degree in Indigenous American Indian Studies in 2012 and then earned an MBA from Baker University in 2015. I have been working in the business since 2016 and in higher education since 2018. Currently I am a grant coordinator at The Life Span Institute with a work portfolio totaling 10-11 million. I was also an adjunct professor in the School of Business at Haskell from 2020-2022 academic years. I currently serve as the Secretary for the Shawnee Tribe Cultural and Historic Preservation Committee and Treasurer for Native Staff and Faculty at Kansas University, the advisor for the Phi Iota Alpha chapter at KU and was recently elected President of the Haskell National Board of Regents. I believe in change. I have a strong background in finance, planning and grant administration from my profession and volunteer organizations which contributes to knowing the tribal need to build a stronger financial framework for all citizens.

If elected, what personal qualities will you bring to the Business Council?

Some of the personal qualities I will bring to the Business Council is honesty, leadership, transparency, resilience, interpersonal skills, time management, problem solving and the drive I have for our culture and citizens. When I set my mind to a goal I always finish! With goal setting comes listening, which I am great at! I will listen to all citizens on any concerns and always prioritize tribal members. Living in Kansas has allowed me to stay invested with our tribal interests in our historical presence. I am also just a few hours from our tribal

headquarters where I have traveled regularly to attend general council to vote in person. My son and I enjoy being with our people for ceremony and stomp dances so I can better raise him in his Shawnee identity. Commitment is huge for me. I have made the commitment to be involved in our Tribe and our culture. My commitment is with our people and I will be there to show it.

What issues affecting Shawnee citizens would you intend to prioritize most?

If elected some of the issues I will prioritize are our Elders, Healthcare, Cultural Sustainability, and more Economic Developments. Our elders deserve more. There are multiple avenues in helping our elders, such as a retirement account or caregiver program. This will help our elders who are on fixed incomes and truly give back to them. Everyone deserves healthcare and not every Shawnee lives next to an IHS. We can develop a healthcare system, such as health insurance for every individual to help ease financial burdens to help with dental, vision and RX. We have a fabulous language program that has reached more citizens during the pandemic. Let's add to that and bring a secure app and be current in today's technology trends and could encourage more individuals to want to learn our language. Adding more social events, such as feeds and stomp dances, that target our diverse counties instead of solely in Miami, OK. We have great programs provided by the Tribe but we can add more. Create more job opportunities for our citizens and revenue opportunities to build our Tribe.

If a citizen has further questions for you, what is the best way for them to contact you?

The best way to reach me is my cell phone via text or phone call, **785.218.8204**. My email is **bhall@shawnee-nsn.gov** or **bkhall@ku.edu**. I will be hosting a series of videos for my campaign so please join me on Facebook at **www.facebook.com/bcheer12**.



MARK DOWELL

TREASURER (INCUMBENT)

HOMETOWN:	MIAMI, OK
CURRENT CITY:	AFTON, OK
OCCUPATION:	MANAGEMENT & DEVELOPMENT

I was elected to serve on the Shawnee Tribe Business Council in September of 2018. I accepted the appointment to Treasurer in October of 2019. Since that time our Business Council has made so many positive growth decisions and I am so proud to have been part of that process. I hope that I am able to continue with the honor of serving the people of the Shawnee Tribe. In addition to being Treasurer of the Tribe, I relatedly serve on the Shawnee Development, LLC Board, the Golden Mesa Casino Business Board and the Shawnee Tribe Investment Committee. During my time of service to the Shawnee Tribe, we have seen the opening of the Golden Mesa Casino. We have developed an internal Revenue Allocation Plan that uses our resources to help with (1) the immediate expenses of today, (2) the reserve that will help build solvency for the future of our tribe and (3) to develop business for future income to the Tribe. During this time, we also successfully and rapidly used our CARES fund allocation and Citizen Impact Relief. If re-elected, I want to continue with the forward path of growth and continue my service for the Shawnee people.

If elected, what personal qualities will you bring to the Business Council?

I bring my management and development knowledge and experience coupled with a desire to continue my service to provide growth and preservation of the Shawnee Tribe and its people.

What issues affecting Shawnee citizens would you intend to prioritize most?

I would like to continue with the improvements being made to the Fiscal and Fiduciary responsibilities that we have. We have made great improvements to our accounting processes and to our Federal Compliance where needed. I would like to continue working with our professional finance team in the preparation of comprehensive tribal budgets that help with the services that we are now able to provide to our citizens. I would also like to continue working on our Golden Mesa Casino expansion and its ancillary development planning as this is the greatest current source of income. I would also like to continue with the exploration of other development opportunities so that we become more diverse in our sources of income.

If a citizen has further questions for you, what is the best way for them to contact you?

If a citizen has a comment or question, I can be reached by email, mmcdowell@sdllc.org.



FOR SEVENTH SEAT

KENNETH HOOD

is unopposed for Seat 7 and will not appear on the ballot.



COREY WINESBURG

FOURTH SEAT (INCUMBENT)

HOMETOWN: WHITE OAK, OK
CURRENT CITY: VINITA, OK
OCCUPATION: WELDING EDUCATOR

I'm a lifetime resident of NE Oklahoma and was raised around powwows and ceremonial dances. Father to two young ladies and one young man, I attended welding school in Afton, OK. The past 13 years, I have been a welding instructor at the same school I attended, working to improve the job prospects of our area teenagers and adults. I want to stay involved in educating our tribal citizens and taking care of our elders. I hope to work to motivate our young people to get more involved in tribal affairs and be a voice for those who are unable to serve on the council.

If elected, what personal qualities will you bring to the Business Council?

With my background in industry and education, I have been able to better support my family and lead others to do the same. I'm not afraid to speak up when necessary and advocate for others. I pride myself on being honest and carrying myself with integrity.

What issues affecting Shawnee citizens would you intend to prioritize most?

Creation and maintenance of programs to help tribal members with education, career advancement, emergency assistance and improving the health of our citizens maintaining solvency of our tribal funds.

If a citizen has further questions for you, what is the best way for them to contact you?

I welcome any questions, please feel free to contact me, preferably by email or text.

corey@shawnee-tribe.com



JANA JOHNSON

FOURTH SEAT CANDIDATE

HOMETOWN: MIAMI, OK
CURRENT CITY: TULSA, OK
OCCUPATION: SPECIAL EDUCATION COMPLIANCE SPECIALIST

What issues affecting Shawnee citizens would you intend to prioritize most?

It is an honor to introduce myself to the citizens of the Shawnee Tribe. A graduate of Miami High School with a Bachelor of Science degree in Elementary Education from Pittsburg State University. An educator of 23 years, an advocate for children with disabilities, and an employee of Tulsa Public School as a Special Education Compliance Specialist. Currently, attending the University of Oklahoma, College of Law, working towards a Master of Legal Studies in Indigenous Peoples Law. Seeking election to the Business Council allows for the opportunity to assist with the developing, administering, and maintaining the implementation of growing tribal operations. Additionally, the development and continuation of programs supporting the physical, emotional, social, and spiritual needs of tribal elders to ensure a wholistic life.

If elected, what personal qualities will you bring to the Business Council?

Being an elected Business Councilman allows the opportunity to share a passion for research and tribal historical law. At the same time, utilizing the ability to abide by all state and federal guidelines and staying abreast of new tribal laws. As your Business Councilman, communication, interpersonal, problem-solving, and program management skills will be effectively utilized. The knowledge gleaned from the Indigenous Peoples Law program will enhance advocational skills needed to address today's ever-changing tribal laws.

A Business Councilman's role is to advocate for the tribe as a community and individual tribal citizens, hearing their needs and desires and not allowing personal opinions or biases to drive decision-making, a daily skill in present employment. The Shawnee Tribe is forward-thinking and has many ongoing services and cultural programs. As a Business Councilman developing an understanding of programs already in place and the proposed future programs is a priority. One must understand where the tribe is before being able to add to the discussion.

A potential focus issue is the decline of Indian students attending post-secondary educational institutes, especially students with learning disabilities. Educating tribal parents on the necessary steps and how to access information will empower our parents and our tribal students when entering the post-secondary world. Helping develop educated and successful tribal members and leaders is essential for tribal growth. It has been a life-long goal to have a seat at the council table to assist in helping the Shawnee Tribe continue to flourish as a sovereign nation.

If a citizen has further questions for you, what is the best way for them to contact you?

Please get in touch with me with any questions regarding my candidacy for Business Councilman. You may reach me by email at johnsonje226@gmail.com or by phone at **918-961-7300**

SHAWNEE LEADERSHIP INVOLVED IN

MORE HISTORIC FIRSTS

IN THE NATIONAL MOVEMENT FOR BOARDING SCHOOL TRUTH & HEALING

The June Issue of the Shawnee Journal included a story detailing Chief Barnes's and Second Chief Baldrige's trip to Washington D.C. in early May at the request of the U.S. House of Representatives Subcommittee on Indigenous Affairs. The Subcommittee held a historic hearing on H.R. 5444, "The Truth and Healing Commission on Indian Boarding School Policies in the U.S. Act." Testimony was also provided by boarding school survivors and leaders of the National Native American Boarding School Healing Coalition in support of a national strategy to increase public awareness and bring about healing for the historic trauma caused by boarding school policies.

This summer, Chief Barnes has maintained the Shawnee Tribe's involvement in continuing the push for Truth and Healing legislation and raising awareness of the issue. On June 22, the Tribe co-hosted Breaking the Silence, a day-long summit for survivors, tribal leaders, researchers, archivists and others to explore the historical impacts of federal boarding schools in Oklahoma, Kansas and Texas.

Breaking the Silence was held at RiverSpirit Casino and presented in partnership with the National Native American Boarding School Healing Coalition and United Indian Nations of Oklahoma.

On July 9, Chief Barnes joined many other Tribal leaders, boarding school survivors and their descendants at a field hearing held by the U.S. Department of the Interior at Riverside Indian School in Anadarko, OK. Interior Secretary Deb Haaland chose Oklahoma—home to the greatest number of Indian boarding schools in the U.S.—as the first of several stops on a Road to Healing Tour.

"The legacy of boarding schools and removal from families is real, present and existential," Chief Barnes said at the hearing, "The time for truth-telling, reconciliation and healing is now."

– Chief Ben Barnes



(from left) Shawnee Tribe Chief Ben Barnes, Prairie Band Potawatomi Chairman Zeke Rupnick, and Prairie Band Potawatomi Secretary Camilla Chouteau

BREAKING THE SILENCE

SEEKING TRUTH, JUSTICE, AND HEALING FROM INDIAN BOARDING SCHOOLS IN OKLAHOMA, KANSAS, AND TEXAS

JUNE 22, 2022 | 9AM-5PM

TULSA, OKLAHOMA - RIVER SPIRIT CASINO RESORT



RIVER SPIRIT
CASINO RESORT



TO VIEW LIVESTREAMS OF BREAKING THE SILENCE, VISIT THE TRIBE'S FACEBOOK PAGE AT [FACEBOOK.COM/SAAWANOOKI/VIDEOS](https://www.facebook.com/saawanooki/videos)



READ MARY ANNETTE PEMBER'S STORY COVERING THE JULY 9 HEARING ON INDIAN COUNTRY TODAY



SPEAKERS & PANELISTS



BEN BARNES
CHIEF,
(SHAWNEE TRIBE)



MARGO GRAY
CHAIRWOMAN UIINO,
(OSAGE NATION)



SANDY WHITE HAWK
NABS PRESIDENT,
(SICANGU LAKOTA)



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SPIRITUAL LEADER,
(CHEROKEE NATION)



WILSON PIPESTEM
PIPESTEM LAW,
(OTOE-MISSOURIA, OSAGE)



LOUIS GRAY
RETIRED,
(OSAGE NATION)



MITCH WALKING ELK
(CHEYENNE AND
ARAPAHO)



SEDELTA OOSAHWEE
NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION
(THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES
FORT BERTHOLD RESERVATION)

STAFF PROFILE

JOSHUA SHAWNEE



Interview by
PRINCESSA PARKER REDCORN

This year, the Shawnee Tribe Higher Education Awards Program was officially reinstated. The Tribe has updated the department's programmatic scope, student award amounts, eligibility guidelines, and the application process. Joshua Shawnee joined the administrative team in March and has already made a huge impact in his time on staff.

Joshua, you've had quite a journey at Team Shawnee—you started at the front desk as the Administrative Assistant, quickly moved into serving as our Higher Education Director and now you're taking on even more duties as the Education and Social Services Director. Can you tell us about yourself?

Joshua Shawnee: Of course, my name is Joshua Shawnee. I come from the Shawnee and Delaware peoples. In addition to my role as Education & Social Services Director, I also serve as the Pastor of the Parish Church of St. Jerome in Tulsa, OK and Vicar General of the Society of Mercy. I come to this position with ten years of experience in Higher Education, including classroom teaching, community education, and education administration. It is an honor to serve our tribal citizens in this important capacity!

We are lucky to have you in this role! Can you tell me a little more about your higher education background?

I hold a bachelor's degree in Theology from St. Gregory's University with an emphasis in Liturgical Studies and Church Music, a Graduate Diploma in General Theological Studies from Phillips Theological Seminary, and a Master of Library and Information Science degree from Emporia State University with dual emphases in Archives and Administration. Finally, I am currently in the thesis phase of a Master of Theological Studies degree, also from Phillips, with an emphasis in Religious History. I hope to begin doctoral study this fall.

That's quite the résumé—niyaawe for sharing. Since you began in the Higher Education Department, what has the position been like?

This position requires a wide variety of skills and aptitudes, making it really engaging and fulfilling work. It really is a “dream job” for me. I'm happy to report that since stepping into this role,

“we have processed 112 Higher Education awards totaling nearly \$250,000 in education assistance for our tribal citizens!”

This is something our tribal members and their elected and employed leadership should be exceedingly proud of. We're moving toward a four-phase “education life-cycle” approach to our Higher Ed program that I think will strengthen and expand the support we offer our students and their families.

Can you describe the goals for each phase of the “education life-cycle” approach?

Phase 1 will focus on College and Vocational School prep. This phase will utilize one-on-one consultation with students and their families to assist the student in assessing aptitudes and interests and in exploring relevant career paths. This phase will culminate in a flexible “Educational Pathway” designed to meet the student's educational and vocational goals. We hope to utilize this phase to assist students in applying for college, trade schools, or other vocational training programs.

Phase 2 will focus on “Funding Your Future.” We plan to use Saturday workshops in the summer, fall, and spring to introduce students and their families to their options for educational funding, including government grants, student loans, and relevant scholarships. We will also provide students and their families with assistance in completing the FAFSA, student financial aid applications, and the application for Higher Education assistance with the

Shawnee Tribe. Our goal in Phase 2 is to encourage our tribal citizens to be informed, responsible borrowers who complete their educational goals with minimal student loan debt.

Phase 3 focuses intentionally on Higher Education success and retention. Using biannual one-on-one consultation and referral, we will connect students in Phase 3 with student support services (like tutoring or counseling) at their higher education institutions and in their wider communities. We also hope to use this phase to assist students in identifying relevant professional internships and mentoring programs to supplement their educational program.

Finally, the end of Phase 3 will focus on assisting the student with interview and professional development skills to assist them in entering the workforce or applying for further study. The goal of Phase 3 is to do everything we can to ensure that our students are successful in attaining their educational and vocational goals.

Phase 4 is where we get to celebrate student success! I'm working with a small group of tribal citizens who are designing a graduation stole that we can gift to graduating students along with financial assistance for those who need assistance in purchasing a cap and gown. Phase 4 will also include an intentional conversation about "giving back" to the Shawnee Tribe through professional service, volunteerism, and cultural engagement. We want our graduates to invest their time and talents in the Shawnee people who have invested so generously in them. Finally, we are planning an annual banquet to honor our graduates and celebrate graduation as both a personal rite of passage and an occasion for communal celebration. Higher education is hard work. Let's make sure we celebrate as often as we can along the way!

Love the idea of academic celebration and bringing it back to the community. What do you hope the timeline for the phases will be?

As with any substantial multi-phase program, we want the "rollout" to be intentional, measured, and timely in the hopes of ensuring program reception, utilization, and success. Ideally, we will begin taking applications for students to enter Phase 1 of our program as early as the fall of 2022. Our first Phase 2 funding workshop is also scheduled for this fall. We will begin student Phase 3 consultations in the 2023 new year and hope to host our first Phase 4 graduation banquet in the spring of 2023. The program is ultimately set up where students may enter a relevant phase in the cycle at any time. Flexibility and adaptability are essential for the success of any Higher Education program, as educational pathways are rarely linear and uninterrupted.



What vision do you have for the long-term future of the Higher Education department?

Put simply, my goal is that in ten years, the Shawnee Tribe will be a national leader in Higher Education programming and student success! This four-phase "education life cycle" program is just the firm foundation upon which our Education programs will be built. I also envision collaborative relationships, programs, and initiatives with our language and cultural preservation teams, and other departments within the Shawnee Tribe. I would also like to see us engaged with tribal and nontribal educational initiatives and organizations on the local, state, and federal levels. I can't wait to see how our Department of Education grows and evolves to meet the needs of our tribal citizens and the wider world. Our Higher Education program will be instrumental in shaping the already bright future of the Shawnee Tribe.

The Fall 2022 Application for Higher Education Awards is currently open, with an August 15 deadline. Keep a lookout for Spring 2023 Award Applications and other forthcoming programs from Joshua and Team Shawnee.

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SHAWNEE LANGUAGE WORD SEARCH

WORD BANK

holelwi
(swim)

ka'siceeyaaki
(cucumber)

m'kwama
(ice)

m'skeekwi
(lake)

m'skwatewalwi
(tomato)

nepi
(water)

pelaawi
(summer)

skitameki
(watermelon)

taami
(corn)

FIND THE FOLLOWING WORDS IN THE PUZZLE.
WORDS ARE HIDDEN LEFT, DOWN AND DIAGONAL.

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"little news messages"

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EDITOR'S NOTE

We recognize that digital communications via social media and the internet are not necessarily preferred by or accessible to every citizen of the Shawnee Tribe. As such, we will always strive to introduce new services & programs for citizens through the Shawnee Journal or other direct mailings to all citizens before we broadcast them online.

KNOW ANY SHAWNEES WHO'VE MOVED RECENTLY?

Let them know to update their address with our enrollment department so they continue receiving tribal news!

CUT OUT AND MAIL YOUR COMPLETED FORM TO:



**SHAWNEE TRIBE
29 S HWY 69A
MIAMI, OKLAHOMA 74354**



- I WOULD LIKE TO SIGN UP FOR MONTHLY EMAIL UPDATES
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MAILING ADDRESS: _____

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