

Cocopah Times Newsletter

COCOPAH INDIAN TRIBE

AUGUST 2016 ISSUE

Tribal Phone Directory

ADAPP	627-2161
Cocopah Casino	726-8066
Cocopah Korner	341-1444
Cocopah Resort	722-6677
Cocopah Speedway	344-1563
Cocopah Wellness	627-2681
Community Center	627-5658
Cultural Resources	627-4849
CVT	627-8026
Daycare	627-3729
Education	627-4973
Elderly Program	627-4166
EPO Director x.7454	627-2025
Head Start	627-3197
Housing	627-8863
IHS 1(800) 862- 4911	
Judicial	627-2550
Museum	627-1992
Manpower	627-0616
Pesticide x.7455	627-2025
Prosecutor x.7452	627-2025
Public Works	627-0616
Purchasing x.7448	627-2025
Resort Gift Shop	217-1068
Rio Colorado Golf	627-0057
RV Park	343-9300
Social Services	627-3729
Title VI/XX	627-1148
Tribal Gaming	217-7718
Tribal Headquarters	627-2102
Tribal Police	627-8857
Wild River	627-0980
Youth Home	627-1298

A Big "Thank You!"

We, the Cocopah Election Board, would like to thank the following department heads for their service and their commitment to the tribe for making our Tribal Elections run great. We remember being attacked by gnats, mosquitoes, flies, and those pesky red ants crawling up our legs, but no more! THANK YOU!! To E.P.O Director Mr. Camilo Perez, for taking care of that and many more that are unnamed. Mr. Domingues, from Public Works who saw to it that the parking lots were watered and leveled, the Palo Verde trees cut back and trimmed. THANK YOU!!

To our Tribal Police Chief, Chief Jenkins and his police staff, THANK YOU for keeping the peace and making sure that law and order was kept. A big THANK YOU goes to Manpower Director Mr. Martinez, working hard before and after elections, cleaning up when we all went home, putting away the equipment and before that setting up the tents, generators, lights, and filling up the tin tanks with bottled water and ice. Not only your duty, but you were first to arrive there from early sunrise and the last person to leave. THANK YOU!! Another person we could not do without is Purchasing Director Juanita Rivera, not only did she order all the equipment but worked side by side with each company that came in to greet and let them know where they were to be placed, and she probably was there when they came to get them. She watched the equipments and saw to it that the cords and mics were put away. She was another that stayed until everything was over, THANK YOU!!

Another person that we saw running here and there turning on the lights, and carrying ice and water bottles, and us Election Board Members calling him over for water bottles, was Sammy Thomas. Mr. Thomas works with Purchasing and he kept up with the people wanting water and ice and I'm sure he did more that I'm unaware of. THANK YOU!!

Another person we want to thank is our Assistant Tribal Administrator, Veronica Menta, she attended our Director's meeting and was a great support to our Election Board. THANK YOU!! Mr. Paul Soto who oversaw the vendors and made the connection with them. THANK YOU!!

And to you, the Cocopah People. We want to thank you for respecting our Election process, it works only because you respect the beliefs of our great leaders in the past who wrote the bylaws. THANK YOU!!

Cocopah Election Board:

Chair, June Stillings - Clerk, Fern Soto - Clerk, Shirley Miller
Clerk Rene Jones - Clerk, Ladonna Crabb - Police Chief, Joe Jenkins

ANNOUNCEMENTS



NINETEEN TRIBAL NATIONS WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT BOARD **Workforce Innovations and Opportunity Act**

Dislocated Worker Program **Orientation**

Wednesday, August 10th, 2016

1:00p.m. – 2:00p.m.

Cocopah Indian Tribe

Cocopah Vocational Training Building

Any questions please call (928) 627-8026

- ✚ Have you been laid-off?
- ✚ Collecting Unemployment Insurance benefits or has exhausted benefits?
- ✚ Are you a stay at home male or female who has been providing unpaid services to a family member and been dependent on the income? Have you now lost that income because of divorce, legal separation, or by the death of that person?
- ✚ If you answered **YES** to any of these questions, you are encouraged to attend the orientation to find out more about the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Dislocated Worker Program.

Equal Opportunity Employer/Program

Auxiliary aids & services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities

TTY: 7-1-1

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Cocopah Indian Tribe Cocopah Vocational Training Center

Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act

Are you:

Looking for Training?

Now Is Time To Invest In Yourself and Your Future
Nutrition and Food Services Management
Training

(Training will be held at Regional Center for Border Health, Inc. College of Health Careers)

Requirements:

All interested participants must submit a completed admission application and qualify for WIOA.

- Participants must read at 8th grade level and 8th grade math level.
- Score 8.0 in reading and 8.0 in math, on the Test for Adult Basic Education (TABE)
- GED or high school diploma is required.
- 18 years of age or older.
- Students must have the ability to fully participate in classroom, laboratory, or clinical setting program activities. (**Must have Driver's License and reliable transportation**)
- Students will test for the ServSafe National Certification.

Please contact Sandy L. Johnson or Diana A. Navarro to schedule your appointment at (928) 627-8026.

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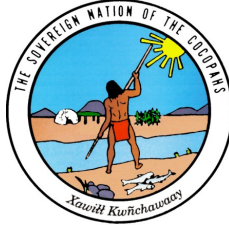
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The Elders Meeting for August is cancelled until further notice. Should any meetings be scheduled, notices will be sent out. Thank you.

Out of School? (High School Graduated, GED or Student Drop Out) CVT Can Help!!!

Are you: Between the ages of 16-24? Looking for Education?

Join the WIOA (Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act) Out of School Youth Program

Eligible Youth will receive:

Enrollment in GED Program, Assistance in getting back to High School
Vocational Training (Need H.S. or GED to qualify)
Incentives, Support Services, Guidance Counseling

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Play, Learn and Grow Together!

Join the Cocopah Indian Tribe Library's Free Program

1000 Books Before Kindergarten

5 Years Old and Younger

Must be accompanied by an adult

Fridays at 2:00 p.m.



For more information please contact
Shirley Miller, Library Aide at (928) 627-8026 extension 7527

ELDERS LUNCH MENU AUGUST 2016



Nutrition Program Lunches Provided Monday—Friday

Faye Ortega, Title VI/XX @ 627-1148

Menu may be substituted due to shortages of needed items.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1 Cod fish over rice.	2 Spaghetti meatballs and green beans.	3 Turkey sandwich.	4 <i>Garden salad.</i>	5 Chicken strips and spring mix.
8 Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, and vegetables	9 Meatloaf, peas and carrots, dinner roll.	10 Roast beef sandwich.	11 Chicken and rice soup.	12 Chef salad.
15 Fiesta rice.	16 "Three Sister" Stew	17 Ham and cheese sandwich.	18 Meatballs soup.	19 Tuna salad.
22 Baked chicken, potatoes, and mix vegetables	23 Tortilla soup/corn chips	24 Eggs and potatoes salad.	25 Bean and cheese burrito/ salsa.	26 Southwest salad/crackers.
29 Beef macaroni, green beans.	30 Au gratin potatoes –ham.	31 Chicken sandwich, lettuce – tomatoes		

COMMUNITY CENTER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cocopah Community Center Calendar of Events



2016

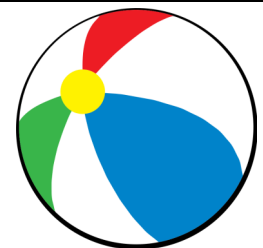


Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat	Sun
1 	2 Kids Basketball Drills at 3:30	3 Back to school Splash Day 2:00pm	4 Commodity Distribution 1:00 - 5:00	5 Wii and PS3 available	6 	7
8 	9 	10 Wii and PS3 available	11 Kids Basketball Scrimmages at 3:30	12 Wii and PS3 available	13 	14
15 	16 Kids Basketball Drills at 3:30	17 Movie and Ice Cream Social	18 Kids Basketball Scrimmages at 3:30	19 Women's Sewing Circle 11:00 - 3:00	20 	21
22 	23 Kids Basketball Drills at 3:30	24 2:00 Kids Fishing	25 Kids Basketball Scrimmages at 3:30	26 Women's Sewing Circle 11:00 - 3:00	27 	28
29 	30 	31 2:00 Adult Fishing				

4:00pm - 5:00pm Healing Journey meets here on Wednesday's



Commodity Distribution
August 4th, 2016 (Thursday)
from 1:00pm—5:00pm



Distribution will be inside Cocopah Community Center Lobby
"First Come, First Served" Basis

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Call for Artists!

**The Cocopah Museum is accepting submissions for the
20th Annual Cocopah Cultural Celebration
T-Shirt and Logo design.**

**The winning design will be announced in the
September Newsletter. All entries must be submitted by email
in the form of a JPEG, or in person to the Museum.**

Please use a limited color range when creating your design.

All entries must incorporate “20” into the design.

All submissions must be entered by 5pm on August 12th.

Please contact the Museum at museum@cocopah.com

or (928) 627-1992 for questions.



Cocopah Newsletter Submission Form

The last day you can submit any information for the September Issue is: **Friday, August 26 2016 by 5:00 p.m.** Any late submissions will be added in the next month's newsletter. Community, Tribal departments and local events submissions are welcomed. We reserve the right to edit all submissions for length, language, multiple submissions, clarity or reject inappropriate submissions. You can complete this Submission Form which includes your name, date, and a contact phone number. Please fax or email us (museum@cocopah.com) with all information

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Message: _____
