



OHUWE OIOMALO November 2021 OHUWE OIOMALO

A message from Tribal Council

Munahoo Neum,

Tzow Tawano, Good November. May everyone have a happy Turkey Day!

An update on the new Social Services Community Center. The concrete slab has been set, walls have risen, and you can now see how massive this building is really going to be. The Tribe is about 80% complete with the new Emergency Housing Unit. It is a three 1 bed, 1 bath Studio style housing unit. If you wish to apply, please fill out a housing application. If you have a previous one on file, please update and resubmit a new application.

With COVID-19 cases rising, upcoming events will now be drive-thru. Tribal Council will have to have something set in place for Tribal Bingos. Thank you for all your time and energy, and like always have a blessed rest of your month.

REMINDER: The newsletter is available by email, if you would like to start receiving the newsletter through email rather than mail please contact the Tribal Office at 559.374.0066.

Council Meetings

Tribal Council	General Council
Wednesday, November 24, 2021	Sunday, December 12, 2021
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Tribal Office Holiday Schedule

Date	Holiday
Thursday, November 11, 2021	Veteran's Day
Thursday, November 25, 2021	Thanksgiving Day
Friday, November 26, 2021	Day after Thanksgiving

November Birthdays

Nicholas Baty
 Brianna Beecher
 Subahzai Beecher
 Destiny Bethel
 Marissa Calderon
 James Cogdell
 Jenny Cruz
 Jeffrey Davis
 Ruben Duran
 Whalen Edd
 Carlos Espinoza
 Linda Gagne
 Patricia Hall
 Lorna Huerta
 Nathaniel Johnson-Sias

Randy Lewis
 Monica Marquez
 Haley Martinez
 Joel Marvin
 Linda Minihane
 Jewels Moore
 Michael Nephew
 Desiree Oliver
 Jamie Oliver
 Jordan Oliver
 Tiffany Oliver
 Daniel Ortiz
 Anavey Pacheco
 Alexandra Perez
 Arleen Richards

Anthony Riley
 Reyann Riley
 Savannah Rodriguez
 Arrow Sample
 Mariah Sandoval
 Nancy Santillan
 Benjiman Sheddan
 Katalina Soto
 Karla Sylvas
 Alexis Telles
 Kyle Telles
 Jeannie Valles
 Alyssa Villanueva
 Kristen Villanueva
 Tanya Walker
 Aimee Wilson

HAPPY
 BIRTHDAY



**Community
 FOOD
 BANK**

NEXT FOOD BANK
Thursday, November 18, 2021

9:00am-12:00pm

Big Sandy Rancheria
 37387 Auberry Mission Rd

Auberry, CA 93602

*every third Thursday of the month

BSR General Store

Open Everyday

6:00am-10:00pm

559-825-6645

37302 Rancheria Lane

Auberry, CA 93602

Western Mono Language

Fall Word Search

Find each Mono Word.

m	s	u	k	h	f	q	n	c	l	v	q	k	k	b
b	a	c	a	e	s	g	e	l	j	k	o	f	j	e
i	u	i	o	n	a	w	a	t	s	i	m	c	v	z
h	o	j	z	e	h	t	w	a	e	d	e	v	y	s
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u	o	k	k	g	d	a	b	s	w	o	u	n	v	n
y	h	n	h	v	j	p	o	h	o	y	e	f	x	w
e	o	k	e	a	d	e	s	f	a	h	n	j	e	v
k	d	a	w	z	w	n	n	z	a	y	i	a	k	t
q	o	s	w	y	p	g	m	d	v	t	h	k	i	o
c	h	a	p	c	g	w	r	g	c	m	c	k	y	b
l	n	g	c	k	y	n	z	v	p	o	i	o	m	q
p	a	u	a	n	n	q	g	j	f	v	u	u	j	r
q	h	k	v	m	r	l	y	r	r	t	i	d	x	a
h	i	t	c	n	j	q	x	o	h	o	v	g	u	p

Pear

Pig-du-su

Squirrel

Eh-kwea

Turkey

Odoh-odoh-nah'

Apple

Apen

Acorn

Weah

Corn

Maize

Leaf

Gasa'

November

Ta-wa-no

Autumn

Yah-bah-nau

Elders Corner

Munahoo All Elders,

At the October Tribal Elders Meeting, the elders discussed a few events that they would like to have in November; November 11, 2021 early in the morning the elders will participate in the tribes float in the Veterans Day Parade. If you would like to attend, please contact Leann Anguiano at 559.374.0066. The next Tribal Elders Meeting will be held on Thursday, November 18, 2021 at 12:00pm. This will be a Thanksgiving dinner, there will also be a pie contest. Come share your favorite pie with us, the Elder with the best pie will receive a gift. The Elders will be having a paint night on Monday, November 22, 2021 from 5:00-7:00pm, here at the gym. Thursday, December 9, 2021 at 12:00pm will be the Tribal Elders Meeting. We will be having a gift exchange, so if you bring a gift you will receive one. Hope to see all the Tribal Elders at the November Events! Below are some pictures of the Elders who came to celebrate Halloween with us on Thursday, October 14, 2021.



Big Sandy Rancheria
Social & Human Services Department

Victims Assistance Program Monthly Zoom Meeting

November 3, 2021

@ 1:30PM

Family Literacy Month
(activities together)

November 17, 2021

@ 1:30PM

Family Literacy Continued
(importance of reading as a family)

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/8806916871?pwd=UXloN2RaZHIERVZMN0tUK1hKLzdWUT09>

Meeting ID: 880 691 687 1

Passcode: BSR2



Big Sandy Early Head Start

November 2021



ENROLLMENT

(ages 0-3yrs)

Applications for new school program year 2021 are now being accepted throughout the year. The EHS Program Offers:

- Education
- Health
- Nutrition
- Mental Health
- Social Services
- Parent Involvement

Various Services for Children with Disabilities. Early Head Start Programs reserves 10% of enrollment for children with disabilities.

This month we will be doing a survey monkey for families to comment on what style of fall gathering they would like. Please make sure to fill out your survey monkey for a chance to win a fall basket filled with family goodies.

Family Reminder: Families have 45day's to turn in the required health documentation. The deadline is November 10th for the current families



**NATIVE AMERICAN
HERITAGE
MONTH**



Employment Opportunities

- Teacher

Location: Big Sandy

Download application: ovcdc.com

CENTER HOLIDAY CLOSURE

NOVEMBER 11, 2021

NOVEMBER 25-26, 2021

37190 Jose Basin Rd. Auberry Ca. 93602 (559) 855-7511, fax (559) 855-7515

Brenda Franks, Site Supervisor- bfranks@ovcdc.com

Blossom Hunter, Family/Child Services Specialist- bhunter@ovcdc.com

Head Start



Big Sandy Rancheria Tribal Head Start Program

Since the covid pandemic began it has been hard to distinguish between the common cold and covid. Our center is fully open this school year and we are doing our best to get our students, families, and staff healthy. Please be cautious and keep your child home if they have any covid like symptoms. If you need help making an appointment for covid testing please let the staff know and we will be happy to help.

Germ Proof Your Child:

Here are a few tips to keep your family healthy during the cold and covid season. And just a reminder to get your flu shots.

- 1) Hand Washing: hands should be washed for 20 seconds. This should be done before meals, after bathroom breaks, and if your child touches other kids, toys, and pets.
- 2) Keep wipes & sanitizing gel while on the go.
- 3) Sneeze and cough into a tissue. Or use the crook of your elbow
- 4) Do not let your child share drinks, utensils, or personal items with anybody. Including you and siblings.

Special Day Reminders

Closed: Veteran's Day

November 11th, 2021

Community Food Bank

November 18th, 2021

Closed: Staff

Development Day

November 19th, 2021

Closed: Thanksgiving

Break

November 22nd, 2021

thru

November 26th, 2021

Center Reopen

November 29th, 2021

559 374 0066 ext.216

BSR Environmental Department November 2021

VEHICLE REMOVAL PROJECT

The EV department has continued to make strides in removing abandoned vehicles off the Rancheria. Three additional vehicles were removed as well as a 5th wheel trailer that will be remodeled into a tiny home.

Reduce, Reuse, Recycle!

With the holidays approaching remember the importance of reducing waste. Donate used clothes and toys, reuse packing material and wrapping, and recycle old batteries and broken electronics.

Importance of Native Plants

When selecting native plant materials, it is important to have knowledge of the geographic origin and genetic diversity of the plant source. A good practice is to choose plant sources from an area that matches the restoration site conditions as closely as possible. This helps ensure project success because the stock will be adapted to local climate and soil conditions, and more resistant to damage from freezing, drought, common diseases, and herbivores.

Why Use Native Plant Materials?

Native plant materials are used for a variety of purposes, such as stabilizing stream banks and floodplains, reducing soil erosion and sedimentation, reducing the spread of non-native invasive plants, improving wildlife and fisheries habitat, and mitigating the effects of wildfire and other types of disturbances such as illegal off-road vehicle use.



For additional information or for any questions contact:
Rebecca Riley @ 374-0066 ext. 240



Work Force Development

The two crews have been busy this past month. They are still working in Yosemite in the Merced Grove area with Calaveras Healthy Impact Solutions (CHIPS). The crew is still working in the Rancheria on the YSRCDC BSR PG&E Powerline project, clearing and cutting brush under the powerlines to reduce potential fire risk. The crew spent six days at Florence Lake working on the Piute Bridge. The crew rode horses fifteen miles into their camp and worksite. They worked on the bridge for four days replacing the runners, handrails, and repairing the bridge abutments. If you have any questions please contact

Rick Fleming WFD Director (559)374-0066 ext. 230



Before bridge repair



Josh Davis





Finished Bridge



Bridge abutment erosion




Bridge abutment repaired



Big Sandy Rancheria

&



Community Activities Program

PRESENTS



NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE DINNER DRIVE-THROUGH



NOVEMBER 13, 2021
1:00PM



While Supplies Last

CAP Department: Tammie Walker (559) 374-0067 or
email: twalker@bsrnation.com

GRADES
K-12TH

BIG SANDY RANCHERIA
COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES PROGRAM

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

WEEKLY DELIVERIES
**EVERY
MONDAY**



IN COLLABORATION WITH THE SCHOOL DISTRICT!

WE OFFER

- EDUCATIONAL PACKETS/SCHOOL SUPPLIES
- READING BOOK INCLUDED
- NATIVE CRAFTS/MONO LANGUAGE
- COOKING CLASS RECIPES
- FAMILY FORMATION GAMES/PHYSICAL FITNESS
- COVID-19 INFORMATION

CONTACT:

TAMMIE WALKER
PH: 559-374-0066 EXT. 214
TWALKER@BSRNATION.COM

CAP Computer Classes

- ▶ Computer Basics
- ▶ Elders Classes
- ▶ Tutoring
- ▶ Adult Education



Classes held Mondays and
Wednesdays @ 10am.

Questions? Contact
Rebecca Riley @
374-0066 ext.240



COOKING CLASSES IN THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

Explore some fun and easy
ways to satisfy your family
while cooking together!
Ingredients will be provided
along with the recipe.

VIA ZOOM @4PM

9TH AND 23RD

for more information on this
activity contact CAP dept.
559-374-0066 ext214



BIG SANDY RANCHERIA
COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAM
A FAMILY BONDING ACTIVITY

Shawl Making

**MONDAYS
IN NOVEMBER
At 5:00pm**



**FOR MORE
INFORMATION
PLEASE CONTACT
CAP STAFF AT
374-0066**



BIG SANDY RANCHERIA
COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES PROGRAM

OPEN GYM

MONDAY-THURSDAY
6:00-8:00

**DUE TO THE COVID-19, THERE IS NO
OPEN GYM UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

ALL ZOOM MOVED
DELIVERY PACKETS
WEDNESDAY-FRIDAY

37387 AUBERRY MISSION ROAD
AUBERRY, CA 93602

CONTACT THE CAP DEPARTMENT FOR MORE INFORMATION
559.374.0066 ext. 214



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BIG SANDY RANCHERIA
COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAM
A FAMILY BONDING ACTIVITY

Giving THANKS

Tuesdays in November

Zoom meetings at 5:00pm

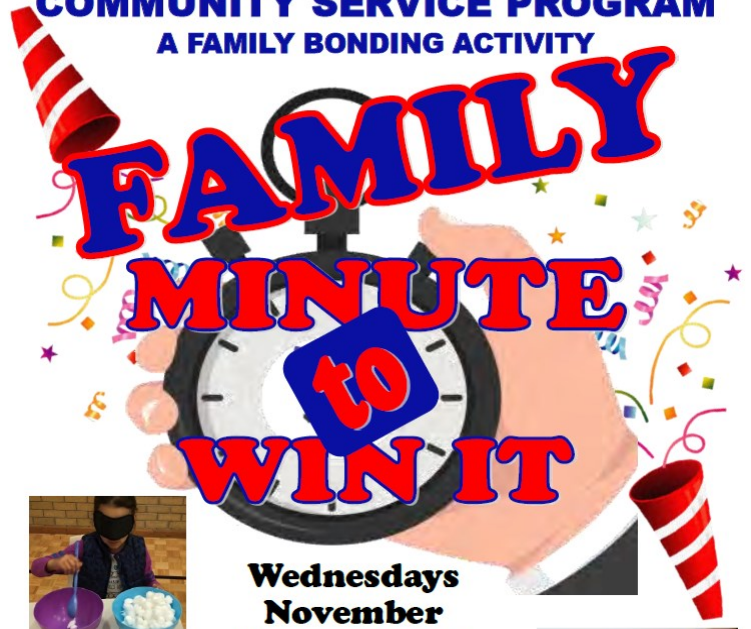
Join us every Tuesday to make a special gift for those you are thankful for and for those you to say thank you to

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT CAP STAFF AT 374-0066



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BIG SANDY RANCHERIA
COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAM
A FAMILY BONDING ACTIVITY



Wednesdays
November
Zoom at 5:00



FOR MORE INFORMATION
PLEASE CONTACT CAP STAFF
AT 374-0066



Teen Activity

Thursday's in the month of November

ZOOM@4pm

- *Making a sign language chart
- *Learning how to introduce yourself using sign language
- *Making a Braille Alphabet chart
- *Writing a message to someone in Braille



Being thankful and grateful!

Hearing each other and seeing each other everyday is something that is taken for granted.

For more information on this activity contact Tammie Walker @559-374-0066 ext.214

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FRIDAY'S IN

November FUDGE

VIA ZOOM @ 4PM
MEETING ID 870-3874-0611
PASSCODE 266709

5TH
12TH
19TH

All ingredients will be provided for the activity. Join the CAP dept. for some FUDGE TIME together as a community!

CONTACT THE CAP DEPT. FOR MORE INFO AT 559-374-0066 EXT.214



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Big Sandy Rancheria & Community Activities Program

Presents:



2021

Winter Gathering

December 18

More information to follow!



TOYS FOR TOTS

More information please feel free to contact
Tammie Walker @ (559) 374-0067 or
twalker@bsrnation.com



2021 November

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 After School Program Delivery BSR Computer Lab 10am Shawl Making ZOOM 5pm	2 Giving Thanks ZOOM 5pm	3 Computer Lab 10am Family Minute to Win It ZOOM 5pm	4 TULE RIVER FOOD DISTRIBUTION 10:30-12PM Teen ZOOM 4pm	5 Fudge Making ZOOM 4pm	6
7	8 After School Program Delivery BSR Computer Lab 10am Shawl Making ZOOM 5pm	9 Cooking Class ZOOM 4pm Giving Thanks ZOOM 5pm	10 Computer Lab 10am Family Minute to Win It ZOOM 5pm	11 TRIBAL OFFICES CLOSED VETERANS DAY	12 Fudge Making ZOOM 4pm	13 NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE DINNER DRIVE THRU 1PM
14	15 After School Program Delivery BSR Computer Lab 10am Shawl Making ZOOM 5pm	16 Giving Thanks ZOOM 5pm	17 Computer Lab 10am Family Minute to Win It ZOOM 5pm	18 FOOD BANK 9-12PM TRIBAL ELDERS MEETING 12:00PM Teen ZOOM 4pm Open Gym 6-8pm	19 Fudge Making ZOOM 4pm	20
21	22 After School Program Delivery BSR Computer Lab 10am Shawl Making ZOOM 5pm TRIBAL ELDERS PAINT NIGHT 5:00-7:00PM	23 Cooking Class ZOOM 4pm Giving Thanks ZOOM 5pm	24 TRIBAL COUNCIL MEETING 10AM Computer Lab 10am Family Minute to Win It ZOOM 5pm	25 TRIBAL OFFICES CLOSED THANKSGIVING DAY	26 TRIBAL OFFICES CLOSED THANKSGIVING DAY	27
28	29 After School Program Delivery BSR Computer Lab 10am Shawl Making ZOOM 5pm	30 Giving Thanks ZOOM 5pm				

2021 December

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Computer Lab 10am Sewing Projects ZOOM 5pm	2 Teen ZOOM 4pm	3 Perler Beads Crafts ZOOM 4pm	4
5	6 TULE RIVER FOOD DISTRIBUTION 10:30-12PM After School Program Delivery BSR Computer Lab 10am Beaded Ornaments ZOOM 5pm	7 Cooking Class ZOOM 4pm Winter Crafts ZOOM 4pm	8 Computer Lab 10am Sewing Projects ZOOM 5pm	9 TRIBAL ELDERS MEETING 12:00PM Teen ZOOM 4pm	10 Perler Beads Crafts ZOOM 4pm	11
12 GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING 10AM	13 After School Program Delivery BSR Computer Lab 10am Beaded Ornaments ZOOM 5pm	14 Winter Crafts ZOOM 4pm	15 Computer Lab 10am Sewing Projects ZOOM 5pm	16 FOOD BANK 9-12PM Teen ZOOM 4pm	17 Perler Beads Crafts ZOOM 4pm	18 WINTER GATHERING TBA
19	20 After School Program Delivery BSR Computer Lab 10am Beaded Ornaments ZOOM 5pm	21 Cooking Class ZOOM 4pm Winter Crafts ZOOM 4pm	22 Computer Lab 10am Sewing Projects ZOOM 5pm	23 Teen ZOOM 4pm	24 TRIBAL OFFICES CLOSED	25
26	27 TRIBAL OFFICES CLOSED	28 Winter Crafts ZOOM 4pm	29 Computer Lab 10am Sewing Projects ZOOM 5pm	30 Teen ZOOM 4pm	31 TRIBAL OFFICES CLOSED	
					CHRISTMAS EVE	
					NEW YEARS EVE	

**Big Sandy Rancheria
Transportation Services**



We will be reducing transports to one day a week. Please
your transport as soon as possible.
To schedule an appointment
Tammie Walker
374-0066 ext. 214
Or stop by the

**YOUR APPOINTMENT MUST BE MADE WITH TAMMIE WALKER *BEFORE* YOUR SPOT CAN
BE RESERVED FOR THE TRANSPORTATION SERVICES. ALL APPOINTMENTS *ONLY WITH TAMMIE.*
24 HOURS PRIOR FOR FRESNO TRANSPORTS. ONE WEEK IN ADVANCE FOR FRESNO TRANSPORTS.**

The transporter will arrive 15 minutes after your scheduled departure. If you do not
arrive on time, your appointment will be canceled and can be rescheduled *with Tammie only.*
The transportation services, please call the transporter for a copy of
The transportation services are for Big Sandy Rancheria tribal members.
We cannot transport kids to school that have missed the bus. All CVIH
appointments must be scheduled with CVIH transporter. If the CVIH transporter is unable to
transport you, they will need to reschedule your appointment. This applies to all medical, dental,
nutrition & referral appointments.

**DUE TO THE COVID-19, THERE IS NO
TRANSPORTATION UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

ATTENTION ALL TRANSPORTATION PARTICIPANTS

Big Sandy Rancheria will be requiring updated signatures for transportation rules and regulations.



Big Sandy Rancheria

37387 Auberry Mission Rd

P.O. Box 337

Auberry, CA 93602

