



The San Pasqual Calling Rock



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New Home for San Pasqual Public Works and Planning Departments

The San Pasqual Public Works and Planning departments have a new home on the south-east corner of Kumeyaay Way and Kumeyaay Path. The new facility will provide expanded and upgraded office and meeting space for the departments. The street address for the new building is 16180 Kumeyaay Way.



New Public Works and Planning building nearing completion



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KUMEYAAY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

College Degree in Kumeyaay Studies Now at San Pasqual Education Department!

The San Pasqual Education Department has purchased a new One Screen system to connect with Kumeyaay Community College (KCC). This amazing new technology provides a remote learning experience and has expanded San Pasqual's on-site College Program. San Pasqual can now offer students an on-site Associate of Arts Degree Program in Kumeyaay Studies, as well as a Kumeyaay College Studies Certificate. These two programs can be taken on-site at San Pasqual Reservation.

San Pasqual is part of Kumeyaay Community College which is a consortium of 10 Kumeyaay Tribes and is associated with the Baja Kumeyaay. The consortium has a partnership with Cuyamaca College for accreditation and student services. A Kumeyaay Studies Department has been added now to Cuyamaca. Dr. Stanley Rodriguez is the Department Chair for Kumeyaay Studies and he is also the Executive Director for Kumeyaay Community College. College students, high school students, and community members can take Kumeyaay Studies classes at San Pasqual. Classes include, Kumeyaay Language I, II, and III, Kumeyaay History I and II, Kumeyaay Humanities, Ethnobotany, and Kumeyaay Archeology. High school students can use these classes for high school graduation requirements as AP classes.

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Chairman's Corner



Dear Tribal Members,

Summer is coming to an end and our children have started school. Our Education Department has great programs to help our children academically and culturally, and the Department provides leadership and mentorship particularly through the Inter-Tribal Sports (ITS) Program. There are also programs to help adults. So, I encourage all Tribal Members and Lineal Descendants to take advantage of the learning opportunities. Our recent community information meeting was a success with good attendance. Most of the discussion focused on the Duro Rd Housing and Road Realignment Projects which will greatly benefit that community. We look forward to hosting more of these meetings to update you on the ongoing and planned Reservation projects and listen to your recommendations and address your concerns. Public Works and the Planning Department are now ready to provide services at their new location on Kumeyaay Way. As we are in the midst of the fire season, ensure that you take precautions to prevent fires and have a good defensible space around your home. We expect SDG&E to continue to program power outages when there are high winds; so, be prepared for these events. We will try to give as much advance warning as possible to Reservation residents when outages are imminent. I encourage all Tribal Members to take advantage of the General Welfare II program and submit in your receipts now for significant tax savings. It is a yearly benefit that is available to only Native Americans and you do not want to miss out on it. On September 27th, Native American Day, please take the time to reflect and celebrate our culture, traditions, and heritage. It is important that we keep our Native American culture alive and share it with our families and peoples.

GET THE MOST OUT OF GWII



THE END OF THE YEAR IS FAST APPROACHING. DON'T WAIT UNTIL DECEMBER TO TURN IN YOUR RECEIPTS! REACH OUT TO YOUR HR TEAM FOR MORE INFORMATION.



Items you can claim for the tax year....

Medical Premiums



Vehicle Purchase



Education Tuition



General Welfare News

General Welfare II is a non-cash accumulation towards a tax deduction at the end of 2019. The tax deduction accumulation can be up to \$24,000.00! The items that qualify are the same as for General Welfare I. You submit the documentation, and at the end of the year, you will get a statement you can use when filing your taxes. This is a great benefit to the Tribe! If you have any questions, please contact Nola Alvarado at 760-651-5123 or email at nolaa@sanpasqualtribe.org

Domestic Violence



WALK-IN LEGAL CLINIC

SPONSORED BY CALIFORNIA INDIAN LEGAL SERVICES ("CILS")*

FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE, SEXUAL ASSAULT, STALKING AND SEX TRAFFICKING VICTIMS/SURVIVORS

LOCATION:

Indian Health Council, Inc.
Conference Room B
RINCON INDIAN RESERVATION
50100 GOLSH ROAD
VALLEY CENTER

WHEN:

2nd WEDNESDAY OF EACH
MONTH
FROM 11:00 AM – 2:00 PM
COMMENCING January 11, 2017

SCOPE OF SERVICES:

- ADVOCACY ON SAFETY PLANNING AND CRISIS INTERVENTION
- ASSISTANCE WITH FILLING OUT RESTRAINING ORDER
- RESTRAINING ORDER HEARING PREPARATION
- OTHER LEGAL CONSULTATION RELATED TO VICTIMIZATION

FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED - ALL SERVICES WILL BE FREE OF CHARGE AND ARE NOT INCOME DEPENDENT.

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Summer Nights Event

On July 8 - 11, the Education Department hosted its Summer Nights events. On these evenings we invited high school students grades 9-12 to come hangout at the Education Department to enjoy food and fun activities. The students also had a chance to connect with some community leaders and partners through interactive discussions and presentations that touched on substance abuse prevention, domestic violence, healthy relationships, and the importance of giving back to the community. In addition, the students participated in a talking circle where they were able to share some of the positive personal choices they have made in their lives and how they plan to achieve goals they have set for themselves in the future. Summer Nights wrapped up with a dance at the Tribal Hall on the final evening. Students enjoyed an evening of great music, dancing, and free pizza! We look forward to hosting Summer Nights again next summer, and this was a great kickoff to our “Fifth Quarter” events we plan to host throughout 2019-2020 school year. Stay tuned for more details!



Students on the summer beach trip during Summer Nights

Young I'Ipai Movement Summer Program

This summer the Education Department had many students participate in the Young I'Ipai Movement (YIM) summer program. Some of our amazing youth mentors this summer included: Heaven Martinez, 'Eshash Morales, Karli Martinez, Savannah Blanco, Aheylya Hayes, and Ushla Morales. Each day was started with blessings and smudging's to help cleanse the body and spirit. The participants then gathered into their different clans. Each clan created their clan name and clan flag. Some of the clan names were Ipah Omar (Eagle Champions), Hamoi Nyemii (Grey Wildcat), Spirr Hashuupil (Strong Ocean), Hattepah (Coyote), Hattepah Ewah (Coyote House) and Meswir'aaw (Hawk). The youth were able to participate in the cultural game, Shinny. For many, it was their first time to ever play the game. Students made their own medicine bags and learned that medicine bags represent healing in the Native American community. The youth went on two field trips. The first trip was to Scripps Research Aquarium, where the children were able to learn about different sea life, climate control, and were able to walk the pier. The second field trip was to Torrey Pines. While at Torrey Pines, the children went on a hike and learned about some of the plants that the Kumeyaay used in their daily lives. Some of these include: Broom baccharis (used as a toothbrush), Yerasanta (medicine), Black sage (helped relieved back aches) and many more. The students did so much more during the summer program ensuring that the children were given the opportunity to learn as much about their culture as possible. Overall, the children were able to bond with not only each other but with their culture.



Students participating in their YIM groups



Students presenting their clan during YIM

Fire Department News

Prepare for Wildfire—Maintain Defensible Space

Creating defensible space is essential to improving your home's chance of surviving a wildfire. It's the buffer you create between a building on your property and the grass, trees, shrubs, or any wildland area that surround it. This space is needed to slow or stop the spread of wildfire and it protects your home from catching fire- either from direct flame contact or radiant heat. Defensible space is also important for the protection of the firefighter defending your home.

Zone 1– This zone extends 30 feet out from buildings, structures, decks, etc.

- ◆ Remove all dead plants, grass, and weeds.
- ◆ Remove dead or dry leaves and pine needles from yard, roof, and rain gutters.
- ◆ Trim trees regularly to keep branches a minimum of 10 feet from other trees.
- ◆ Remove branches that hang over your roof and keep dead branches 10 feet away from your chimney.
- ◆ Relocate wood piles to Zone 2.
- ◆ Remove or prune flammable plants and shrubs near windows.
- ◆ Remove vegetation and items that could catch fire from around and under decks.
- ◆ Create a separation between trees, shrubs, and items that could catch fires.

Zone 2– This zone extends 100 feet out from buildings, structures, decks, etc.

- ◆ Cut or mow annual grass down to a maximum height of 4 inches.
- ◆ Create horizontal spacing between shrubs and trees.
- ◆ Create vertical spacing between grass, shrubs, and trees.
- ◆ Remove fallen leaves, needles, twigs, bark, cones, and small branches. However, they may be permitted to a depth of 3 inches.



Example of Defensible Space Zone
Two zones make up the required 100 feet of defensible space.

Be sure to check with your local Fire Department for red flag warning and burning permits. Contact the San Pasqual Fire Department (non-emergency) at 760-749-7542.

Kumeyaay Community College—Continued from front page.

The One Screen technology allows students to communicate with the Kumeyaay College Classes and instructors at KCC main campus. Instructors will be on site also at San Pasqual weekly. The One Screen technology expands the number of classes and services from the main campus. Spring semester of this year was the first time using the large One Screen technology in the main classroom at the Education Department. The classes were so successful that Sycuan and San Diego Padres each donated \$50,000 for a total amount of \$100,000 donation to expand the One Screen technology to the other remote and non-gaming Kumeyaay Tribes.

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- SOLID WASTE
- GREEN WASTE



The Environmental and Water Department are here to service the Community. If you have questions or issues please see the list of contacts above.

Calendar of Events:

Events

Indian Housing Plan Citizen Participation Meeting

September 20th, 2019 5pm - 7pm - Tribal Hall

San Pasqual Reservation Fire Prevention Day

October 12th, 2019 10am - 2pm - Ball Field

General Council Meeting

October 13th, 2019 @ 10:00am - Tribal Hall

Office Closures

September 27th, 2019 Kumeyaay Day

Fire Academy News

San Pasqual Reservation Fire Academy #37 graduated Sept 7, 2019 and Academy 38 started Sept 9, 2019.



Academy 37

San Pasqual Reservation Fire Department



Prevention Day

Saturday, October 12, 2019
10 AM—2 PM
27315 N Lake Wohlford Rd



IPAI COMMUNITY LOAN FUND

CONSUMER TIP – WHEN TO BUY – WHAT!!!

Whether it's furniture, mattresses, or air conditioners — everything hits a rock-bottom price sometime during the year. The problem is most people can never remember when those times are!

Here's a list of items to help you out over the next three months.



September

Mattresses, iPhones, plane tickets, cars, denim clothes (jeans), school supplies, appliances, bikes

October

Grill and smokers, camping gear, patio furniture, garden supplies

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