

# Eastern Shawnee Tribe

## AOA-June 2003

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
<b>2</b> Spaghetti, Corn, Salad Bar, Garlic Bread	<b>3</b> Baked Chicken, Broccoli & Rice, Salad Bar, Bread	<b>4</b> Swiss Steak, Mashed Potatoes, Peas, Salad Bar, Bread	<b>5</b> Ham & Beans, Spinach, Salad Bar, Corn Bread	<b>6</b> Chili Dogs, French Fries, Salad Bar
<b>9</b> Macaroni & Cheese, Carrots, Salad Bar, Bread	<b>10</b> Sweet & Sour Chicken, Rice, Salad Bar, Bread	<b>11</b> Enchiladas, Corn, Salad Bar, Bread	<b>12</b> Chicken & Noodles, Green Beans, Salad Bar, Bread	<b>13</b> Ham Salad Sandwich, Potato Soup, Salad Bar
<b>16</b> Taco Salad, Corn, Salad Bar	<b>17</b> Pizza, Corn, Salad Bar	<b>18</b> Sausage, Scrambled Eggs, Gravy, Biscuits	<b>19</b> Chicken Tenders, Scalloped Potatoes, Green Beans, Salad Bar, Bread	<b>20</b> Fish, French Fries, Coleslaw, Salad Bar, Bread
<b>23</b> Hamburgers, French Fries, Salad Bar	<b>24</b> Pork Chops, Dressing & Gravy, Peas, Salad Bar, Bread	<b>25</b> BBQ Chicken, Baked Beans, Fried Okra, Salad Bar, Bread	<b>26</b> Lasagna, Corn, Salad Bar, Bread	<b>27</b> Vegetable Soup, Grilled Cheese, Salad Bar
<b>30</b> Chicken Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes, W/Gravy, Spinach, Salad Bar		Serving Time is from 11:00 to 12:20	Each meal is served with milk, juice, coffee, or tea & dessert.	<b>CHR Health Screening is the Last Monday of each Month 10:00 to 11:45</b>

### Border Town Bingo

## June Events Schedule

SUNDAY	Sun-Mon-Tue-Wed. -BUDGET BINGO-	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1 \$500 Games</b> \$10 Admission Pack \$8 Extra pack \$5 Book	<b>Budget Bingo</b> Sunday Evening Mon-Tue-Wed	<b>5 \$500 Games</b> \$10 Admission Pack \$8 Extra pack \$5 Book	<b>6 \$500 Games</b> \$10 Admission Pack \$8 Extra pack \$5 Book	<b>7 \$1,000 Games</b> \$15 Admission Pack \$10 Extra Packs \$8 Books
<b>8 \$500 Games</b> \$10 Admission Pack \$8 Extra pack \$5 Book	<b>\$8 Admission Packs</b>	<b>12 \$500 Games</b> \$10 Admission Pack \$8 Extra pack \$5 Book	<b>13 \$500 Games</b> \$10 Admission Pack \$8 Extra pack \$5 Book	<b>14 "Lucky 7-11"</b> \$700 & \$1,100 \$15 Admission Pack \$10 Extra Packs \$6 Books
<b>15 \$500 Games</b> \$10 Admission Pack \$8 Extra pack—\$5 Book Plus Special Game for the "Father"	<b>Games Pay</b>	<b>19 \$500 Games</b> \$10 Admission Pack \$8 Extra pack \$5 Book	<b>20 \$500 Games</b> \$10 Admission Pack \$8 Extra pack \$5 Book	<b>21 \$700 &amp; \$1,000 Super-Odd Ball</b> \$12 Admission Pack \$10 Extra Packs—\$6 Books Odd \$1,000 — Even \$700 Regular Games Only
<b>22 \$500 Games</b> \$10 Admission Pack \$8 Extra pack \$5 Book	<b>\$200</b>	<b>26 \$500 Games</b> \$10 Admission Pack \$8 Extra pack \$5 Book	<b>27 \$500 Games</b> \$10 Admission Pack \$8 Extra pack \$5 Book	<b>28 \$500 to \$1,000 "Luck of the Draw"</b> \$12 Admission Pack \$8 Upgrades \$5 Books
<b>29 \$500 Games</b> \$10 Admission Pack \$8 Extra pack \$5 Book	<b>Early Birds — 6:30 p.m. Regular Session 7:00 p.m.</b>			<b>\$1,000 on each Pig #</b>

### Election Board

Kimberly Martinez Linda Hilderbrand  
Virginia Fanning Donna King  
Justin Forbes Donnie Enyart

### Bank Board

Glenna Wallace  
Jim Sherwood  
Lena Elliott

### Pow Wow Committee

Linda Shores Glen Brock  
Barbara Sherwood Betty Sullivan  
Kimberly Martinez Melissa Jackson

### Phone Numbers & Extensions

ESTO OFFICE 918-666-2435  
FAX 918-666-2186  
BEARSKIN CLINIC 888-864-0725  
BRUMMETT, AARON 254  
EPA  
ALTUM, STACY 236  
Bingo Bookkeeper  
WASHINGTON, BRYCE 231  
Business Manager  
ENYART, CHARLES 242, 250  
Chief  
MITCHELL, JEAN 233  
Accounting Supervisor  
ANDERS, NANCY or JOYCE HOGNER 260  
Accounting  
CAPTAIN, DANNY 253  
Bingo Manager  
SCRIBNER, DEBBIE 235  
AOA Director  
KING, DONNA 227  
Bingo Bookkeeper  
DIXON, GENE 240  
HIP/Hardship  
DURBIN, GLORIA 200  
Operator  
ROARK, JANIE 234  
Administrative Assistant  
EBY, KAREN 226  
CHR  
NUCKOLLS, LORA 224, 243  
Library/Print Shop  
BETTIS, MONICA 239  
Vital Stats/Tribal Roll  
KISSEE, R. C. 307  
Education/Employment/Roads  
WELDON, ROXANE 228  
EPA/Land Management  
NESVOLD, SHARI 223  
Depty Gaming Commissioner  
HILL, ROB 259  
Maintenance  
ELECTION BOARD 306  
Office  
WOOD, ROBERT 304  
EPA  
BEARD-HOOK, SHARON 229  
Bingo Bookkeeping  
KILLION, DEE 305  
ICW  
MULHOLLAND, CHRISTY 248  
Child Care  
WORLEY, JOHN 918-666-4180  
Tribal Police  
MCKEE, BILL 241  
Self-Governance Director  
SULLIVAN, BETTY 448  
Tribal Treasurer  
SAPPINGTON, AMBER 222  
Human Resource Director



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## Long Term Employee Leaves For New Adventure



Tribal member Debbie Scribner has been employed with the tribe as AOA Director since May 22, 1989, but will be leaving us soon to start an at home daycare business. Her husband Tony and their three boys, Robert, Arthur and Michael are very excited about the venture.

Debbie served on the Business Committee as secretary/treasurer for one term and helped with many tribal activities. We will certainly miss her bright smile, witty ways, and her cooking.

### ANUAL ELECTION FOR SECRETARY

September 6, 2003

Bluejacket Bldg.

9:00 am - 4:30 pm

FILING PERIOD

June 9 - June 30, 2003

File with Election Board Secretary Virginia Fanning or Election Board Representative Monica Bettis.

### 12th Annual Eastern Shawnee Pow Wow

September 12, 13, &amp; 14, 2003

Limited Vendor Space Available

Call for more Information.

1-866-674-3786

### Regular Business Committee Meetings Scheduled for:

June 6 &amp; June 20

6:30 Bluejacket Bldg.

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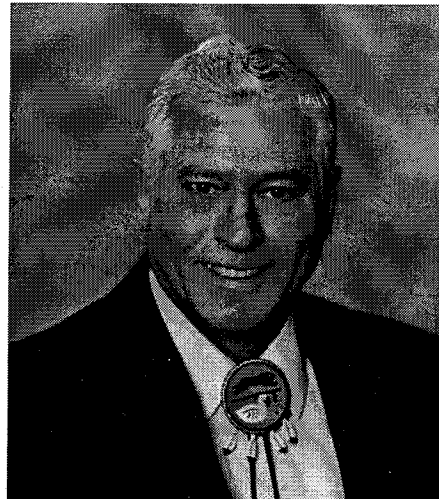
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# The Chief's Report . . .



Charles Enyart

Dear Tribal Members:

Just when I think the Gaming Compact with the State of Oklahoma is a dead issue new life is pumped into it. At the time of this Shooting Star issue there is a good possibility the bill will be up for vote Friday, May 30, 2003. It would appear it has a chance to pass and become law. Just what impact it will have on our gaming is still being evaluated by our gaming staff.

We are also meeting with the Governor's staff regarding our Tobacco Compact with the state. We signed a 10-year compact in 1998 which gave the State 25% of the Revenue created by a cigarette tax at the time. On the new compact presented by the Governor's staff they are wanting 50% of the revenue generated by a new tax on tobacco. I voiced my concern that we are next to the State of Missouri and if the new tax put the cost of tobacco products higher in Oklahoma than Missouri it would put us out of the tobacco business.

I represented the Tribe at the Sovereignty Symposium co-sponsored by the Oklahoma Supreme Court and the Oklahoma Indian Affairs Commission. I always take great pride in carrying

in our tribal flag at the opening day ceremony-Tribal Leaders flag procession. It is quite a sight to see the 39 flags of the federally recognized tribes in Oklahoma being carried into the great hall. Each Tribe is recognized by the Executive Director of the Oklahoma Indian Affairs Commission and the flag bearer is announced to the audience.

It was my privilege and honor to be the keynote speaker at the Seventh Annual Honor Breakfast on Friday, May 16, at the Golden Oaks Educational Center, Kansas City, MO. The North Kansas City School District and the American Indian Educational Grant Program was honoring the Native American class of 2003. Tribal member Betty Admusson also participated at the breakfast by giving the opening prayer. We had several Tribal members that were students and parents attending the breakfast.

I received notice from Governor Brad Henry's office he was appointing me to be a member of the Oklahoma Indian Affairs Commission. My wife Betty and I went before the Oklahoma Human Resources Committee on Monday, May 19, who passed my nomination unanimously, it now must be confirmed by the Oklahoma State Senate when and if it is confirmed, I will be a member of the Oklahoma Indian Affairs Commission. Taking office in September 2003. It is quite an honor for me to be nominated for the position.

*Until Next Time*



*The Shooting Star is published for members and friends of the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma.*

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## Business Committee Members:

Second Chief - Danny Captain  
Secretary - Glenna Wallace  
Treasurer - Betty Sullivan  
First Council - Shawn King  
Second Council - Cliff Carpenter  
Third Council - Perry Hauser

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Deadline for submitted items is the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month for inclusion in that month's publication. All items received after the 20<sup>th</sup> will be held for inclusion in the next edition.

All submissions are limited to a 250-word limit, staff will not edit editorials or letters to fit the 250-word limit. Submissions must be signed by author, addressed, and must contain a daytime telephone number and if available an email address for verification purposes. Please include good quality photographs if possible. All photos and original submissions will be returned upon request.

We encourage our Tribal members to send information about their families and special events in their lives that they would like to share with fellow Tribal members. Our editorial policy is intended to encourage input from Tribal members.

Editorial statements, guest columns and letters to the editor published in this newspaper contain the opinions and views of the writers. These opinions do not necessarily reflect the opinions or views of the Shooting Star or any elected official or tribal department or tribal administration. The Shooting Star reserves the right to edit letters and to refuse letters that are determined to contain libelous, obscene, or personal attacks on individuals, staff, tribal administration or elected officials. Not all letters are guaranteed publication upon submission. Thank you!

# Tribal Members Birthdays' for June

Adams, Shyanne	06/23	Hilderbrand, Linda	06/06	Pope, Joey	06/03
Agan, Darian	06/17	Himes, Brenda	06/24	Pope, Sadie	06/04
Alexander, Jr. Harold	06/02	Hoey, Harrison	06/04	Probst, Steven	06/17
Ashford, Micah	06/30	Holden, Charles	06/22	Purcell, Rachel	06/11
Atkinson, Michelle	06/27	Holden, Terry	06/17	Purevich, June	06/20
Bailey, Bobby	06/02	Hollinger, Marcy	06/17	Quillen, Tarin	06/24
Balls, Sara	06/08	Holmes, Dorothy	06/20	Randles, William	06/19
Barber, Stacy	06/13	Hudson, Charlotte	06/01	Ratliff, Melissa	06/16
Barrera, Wanda	06/25	Huggins, Jarrod	06/24	Reich, Leeanna	06/23
Barrett, Justin	06/03	Huggins, Shanna	06/17	Richards, Karen	06/05
Bartlett, Retta	06/16	Huggins, II. Jimmie	06/09	Roche, Patrick	06/12
Batori, Kathleen	06/17	Huggins, Sr. Jimmie	06/08	Rosenow, Aaron	06/06
Black, Colton	06/16	Huggins, Sr. John	06/09	Rosenow, Destiny	06/17
Blair, Jr. Chester	06/25	Hurley, Kyle	06/15	Ross, David	06/03
Blizzard, Shasta	06/05	Ione, Hannah	06/09	Ross, Jonathan	06/28
Bluejacket, Gary	06/02	James, Amy	06/26	Ross, Shawn	06/02
Bluejacket, Joetta	06/29	James, Wiconi-Was'te	06/03	Salazar, Sierra	06/02
Bluejacket, John	06/27	James, Winyan-Was'te	06/01	Saltarello, Leann	06/12
Bluejacket, Lori	06/17	Jenkins, Heather	06/16	Schubert, Hillary	06/20
Boatright, Kelly	06/03	Johnson, Terra	06/12	Seaman, Megan	06/17
Bowen, Monica	06/15	Johnston, Stacie	06/03	Sherwood, Donald	06/17
Branum, Clifton	06/21	Keliiheleua, Shelly	06/01	Sherwood, Shawn	06/01
Brendlin, Scott	06/09	Kelley, Velva	06/12	Sills, Jr. Gary	06/07
Broyles, Kati	06/23	Kissee, Ashley	06/19	Sims, Khadijah	06/08
Broyles, Sheila	06/20	Knight, Dylan	06/30	Smith, Pamela	06/17
Burnside, Ashley	06/16	Kraus, Norma	06/11	Smothers, Amanda	06/22
Buttram, Joseph	06/14	Kuykendall, Blain	06/15	Sorrell, Cody	06/27
Buttram, Scott	06/22	Kuykendall, Lance	06/27	Stadler, Braden	06/03
Cain, Scott	06/22	Lacy, Janice	06/12	Stephenson, Yannah	06/28
Childers, Dallas	06/12	Laird, Sonia	06/14	Storey, III. Lance	06/19
Clary, Maurice	06/13	Landis, Kamberly	06/08	Strickland, Robert	06/12
Colvard, Mike	06/22	Leahy, McKenna	06/02	Susser, Melissa	06/16
Corkrum, Daniel	06/18	Martin, Dixie	06/06	Taylor, Chante	06/18
Cunliffe, Jacob	06/28	Matthews, Haley	06/11	Taylor, Ethel	06/13
Darwood, Brandy	06/22	Maxwell, Nancy	06/16	Thompson, Linnea	06/11
Dilliner, Julie	06/12	McGill, Robert	06/03	Thrasher, Brandon	06/13
Duclos, Melanie	06/18	McKinney, Andrea	06/11	-Tilley, Samuel	06/03
Edmonds, Addrienne	06/07	Milbern, Samantha	06/16	Triplett, Charles	06/19
Edwards, Jason	06/14	Miller, Jimmy	06/12	Truelove, Marc	06/24
Fanning, Madison	06/07	Millhollin, Dennis	06/17	Tucker, Johnathan	06/15
Fanning, Virginia	06/30	Millhollin, Norma	06/18	Wallace, Chance	06/27
Garrett, Janice	06/19	Murphy, Cody	06/06	Washburn, Trace	06/14
Gehrig, Caleb	06/25	Nelson, Matthew	06/06	Watters, David	06/15
Gehrig, Erin	06/01	Nichols, Alexander	06/08	Welch, Lindsay	06/01
Gibson, Christopher	06/23	Nichols, Eliot	06/11	Werth, Andrew	06/14
Gibson, Karlee	06/27	Nichols, Jordan	06/06	Williams, Tyra	06/12
Gokey, Keely	06/06	Nichols, Madeline	06/01	Wilmoth, Liberty	06/18
Gordon, Jason	06/11	Nunes, Jake	06/27	Wilson, Gail	06/01
Graham, Judas	06/06	Park, Stephanie	06/14	Wyatt, Kalena	06/16
Harding, Tammye	06/28	Payton, Bonita	06/29	Zenzel, Lawanda	06/02
Heck, Conner	06/11	Piland, Shara	06/09		
Higbee, Sean	06/18	Pittman, Teanna	06/29		



## Shawnee Moccasins, ca. 1829

### Cincinnati Art Museum 1913.661,662



By Bill Mercer  
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This unique pair of Woodlands style moccasins, which appear to have never been worn, is from the permanent collection of the Cincinnati Art Museum. There was little information accompanying them when they were donated in 1913, however, written in ink on the inside of one is, "From Gov. Clark 1829". One possibility is that Governor Clark may be a reference to William Clark of the Lewis and Clark expedition who served as the governor of Missouri from 1813 to 1820. He continued to serve in St. Louis as the United States Superintendent of Indian Affairs until 1838 and is reputed to

have acquired an extensive collection of Native American objects.

The stylistic characteristics of this pair of moccasins confirms that they indeed date to the first part of the nineteenth century and might be attributed to being Shawnee or possibly Delaware manufacture. The red paint on the exterior, which originally must have been a rich, deep hue, has faded to a dusty pink. They are soft soled and constructed from a single piece of softly tanned deerskin with added flaps. All of the seams are sewn with thread rather than sinew. The front seam extends to the toe and is sewn together so that it is slightly gathered. Covering the front seam is green and yellow embroidery thread that has been applied in a modified feather stitch. The embroidery work is outlined by a single zigzag pattern of white 13/0 seed beads. The seam up the heel (not visible in this photograph) is covered by a single row of similarly stitched yellow

embroidery thread. The flaps are trimmed with a cloth binding that is adorned with white edge beading using green thread. Each flap is decorated with an identical design that combines both embroidery and beadwork. There is a row of yellow and green thread embroidered in a double curve motif. Like the embroidery on the seams it is also outlined by a zigzag pattern of white seed beads.

Although there are few extant examples of this style of moccasin, with its painted surface and combination of thread embroidery and beadwork decoration, they may actually be fairly typical of Woodlands moccasins of the early nineteenth century worn by tribes such as Shawnee. They also give a tantalizing hint as to the extraordinary objects that may have once been part of the William Clark's collection.

Bill Mercer is Curator of Native American Art, Portland Art Museum, Portland, Oregon.

## Business Manager's Report . . .



Bryce Washington

Dear Tribal Members:

The Longhouse Enterprise Board is currently evaluating a number of business possibilities. I've listed those possibilities below. It is important to understand that the tribe might not get involved in any of these operations. We are merely evaluating the merits of these businesses.

1. **Denture Operation** – There is a businessman from Oklahoma who wants to build dentures on our property. This would be a simply lease arrangement.
2. **EPA** – The tribes operates an Environmental Protection

Agency. This agency is a government agency that provides government services. The question before us is: does this agency have commercial value for us on the open market?

3. **Printing Department** – The tribe also operates a small printing program out of our library. The chief wants us to determine what needs to be done to create a full-fledge printing operation.
4. **Lumber Company** – There is a businessman in Seneca who wants to sell his business to us. We are looking into the profitability of that businesses, and whether or not we would want to operate this business (whether it makes a profit or not).
5. **On-line Pharmacy** – This business was a moneymaker when it first came out. We are studying how we can get this operation up and running, and of course, the profitability status of this kind of business today.
6. **Water Bottling Company** – For sometime now, a group of busi-

nessmen and women, from Seneca, have wanted the Tribe to build a water bottling distribution plant here in town. We will soon be analyzing that possibility, and what the arrangements would be with those who are urging us to do this.

7. **Food Distribution Business** – We are currently in discussions with folks from Las Vegas and New York concerning building (and leasing) buildings for a food operation business on tribal land.
8. **Class II Gaming in Fort Scott Kansas** – And finally we are currently in negotiations with the leaders of Fort Scott about putting in Class II gaming next to our motel in Fort Scott Kansas.

There is a lot on the table for the tribes Enterprise Board, and there will be a lot more. Once again, evaluating businesses does not necessarily mean that we are going into that business. It simply means we are testing the profitability merits.

As always, it is my honor to serve you as your Tribal Business Manager.

## Self-Governance Report . . .



Bill McKee

The Self-Governance program is currently examining budget requirements for each program in preparation of de-

veloping a operating budget for FY 04. The current FY 03 expenditures appear be up over this same period last year. This was expected because some positions were vacant then.

We plan to complete a program review of all SG programs to determine their efficiency and effectiveness. This program review will strengthen our capability to provide services. One example of this effort is to identify program overlaps and assign them to the proper department. This will require us to assign more SG program activity to our Indirect Cost Pool.

We have tentatively scheduled FY 04 Funding Agreement negotiations with

the Department of Interior. They will occur July 2, 2002 at the Eastern Shawnee tribal headquarters. Ken Reinfeld will be the chief negotiator for the Feds. The Eastern Shawnee Self-Governance Director will assume the same responsibility for the Tribe. This formal negotiation should be completed without any significant problems or unresolved issues.

Merle Boyd, Second Chief of the Sac and Fox Nation passed away May 26. He was a great advocate for Self-Governance. His unselfish and tireless commitment to the SG movement is well chronicled. He will be missed by many.

## Eastern Shawnee Tribe Gregurek Graduates From Shidler High School



Amberly Gregurek

I will graduate from Shidler High School, Shidler, OK on May 23, 2003 and Pioneer Vo-Tech at Ponca City, OK. as a Veterinarian Assistant. I live

with my grandmother, Mandy Bluejacket of Kaw City, OK and am the granddaughter of Gary Bluejacket of Searcy, Arkansas. My parents are Gene Gregurek of Duncan, OK and Denise (Bluejacket) Butts of Chickasha, OK and I have a brother and sister, Gus and Alexis of Duncan, OK.

I would like to give a big "THANK YOU" to my tribe for all the support and assistance the tribe has given me through my years at Shidler High. Without the support of the tribe and my family it would have been a lot tougher. Right now my plans for when school is out is to continue my full time job at Wal-Mart until I decide how much farther I want to go in my training for a veterinarian or marry my high school sweetheart, David Yerby or maybe both.

My hobbies are horse back riding and Pow Wow's. I have served as Shidler Schools Indian club princess for 1 year, been on the Student Council for two years, was Senior Prom queen and on the Principals Honor Roll the last two years at Pioneer Vo-Tech. I have spent my summers at Pow Wow's around this area and attending the Eastern Shawnee Pow Wow most of my life. My Indian heritage means a lot to me and I will always be proud of my Tribe. Matter of fact, Chief Enyart's Mother sent me the pattern for my first traditional Eastern Shawnee dress. I still have the pattern in my scrapbook. Many thanks. Also, a special Thank You to Monica Bettis, who has always been there to answer all of my Grandma's questions. We appreciate you.

Hope to see you all at the Pow Wow again this year!

recently honored by the Oklahoma Fellowship of Christian Athletes as "FCA Athlete of the Year." Zack Bro a fellow classmate of Brandon's was also honored with this award.

The plaque that they received read: "Fellowship of Christian Athletes 2002-2003 - The Oklahoma Fellowship of Christian Athlete of the Year, representing Fairland High School - In recognition of outstanding leadership and success in advancing the cause of Christ through FCA in the local church, school and community."

FCA is the largest interdenominational, school-based, Christian sports organization in America. FCA focuses on serving local communities by equipping, empowering and encouraging people to make a difference for Christ.

Brandon was also named as a corner infielder baseball player on the Lucky Seven All-Conference Team.

*Janice Taylor, Staff Report American*



Senior Brandon Blizzard who is the son of Diana Culver Blizzard, the grand-

son of Delores Johnston and the greatgrandson of Thelma Sullivan, was

## Eastern Shawnee Tribe of OFFICIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_

SS# \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Roll # \_\_\_\_\_ Field of Study \_\_\_\_\_

Level of Education: \_\_\_\_\_ High School or GED \_\_\_\_\_ Less than 30 hours \_\_\_\_\_ 30-60 hours  
61-90 hours \_\_\_\_\_ 91-130 hours. Degree or Certificate in \_\_\_\_\_

Present Employment (Or past if not working now) \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated Employment (After Schooling) \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address of School \_\_\_\_\_

Business/Bursar Office: Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Fax # \_\_\_\_\_

Application is for: \_\_\_\_\_ Summer \_\_\_\_\_ Fall \_\_\_\_\_ Winter \_\_\_\_\_ Spring \_\_\_\_\_ Other  
Above Applicant will be: \_\_\_\_\_ Full Time \_\_\_\_\_ Part Time. Enrolled in \_\_\_\_\_ hours

Please check the blank beside the applicable document if included with application.

\_\_\_\_\_ Official College Billing \_\_\_\_\_ Release of Information Form \_\_\_\_\_ Copy of FAFSA

Signature of Student \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### OFFICIAL RELEASE OF INFORMATION FORM

I hereby authorize \_\_\_\_\_ to release my Official School Billing

Name of School

To: The Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma, P.O. Box 350, Seneca, Missouri 64865

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_ SS# \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: Please notify the Eastern Shawnee Tribe of any changes in the above information.*

*You may mail your Scholarship Application and other forms or Fax to (918) 666-2186*

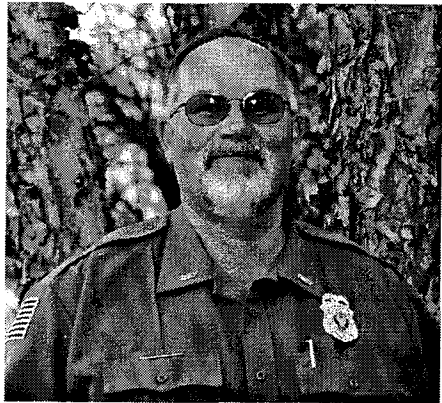
### INFORMATION REQUESTED FROM APPLICANTS THAT DO NOT APPLY FOR THE PELL GRANT

Cost of Schooling: Tuition and Fees \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Room & Board \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Books & Supplies \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Personal Expenses and Travel \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Resources: Parents Contribution \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Student's Contribution \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Other Resources (Scholarships, grants, employer, etc.) \$ \_\_\_\_\_



## Eastern Shawnee Tribe Report From the Tribal Police Department



Chief of Police John Worley Report  
from 4-1-03 TO 5-3-03

- CALLS: 59  
OTHER AGENCY ASSISTS: 19  
SECURITY CHECKS: 640  
BUILDING CHECKS: 1794  
REPORTS: 16  
FIELD INTERVIEWS: 62  
CITIZEN'S ASSISTS: 39  
ADULT MALE ARRESTS: 2  
WARRANTS SERVED: 2  
USE OF FORCE INCIDENTS: 1  
DRUG RELATED INCIDENTS: 2  
COMITY POLICING: 15  
VEHICLE CHECKS: 4  
WARNINGS ISSUED: 3
- Grant applied for with Oklahoma Emergency Response. 100% funding available amount of \$1,000. Grant must be used by end of 2003 year. Final grant has to be returned by May 23, 2003.
  - John Worley, Police Chief and

Officer, Troy Ragsdale attended a two day Criminal Investigation and Crime Scene Investigation school. Instructors were from the FBI.

- John Worley and Officer, Jim Drake attended a one-day Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault class. Instructors were from CLEET and Oklahoma Community Policing Dept.
- All three tribal policemen attended training at the Bearskin Wellness Center in Wyandotte,

Oklahoma on the operation of the Heart Defibrillators. Class was open to anyone with the Wyandotte or Eastern Shawnee Tribes. Several Bingo and Eastern Shawnee employees attended.

- Working on the new 2003 TRGP Grant application.
- 1998, 2000 Grants are used. Both grants can be closed out in June 2003.
- 2002 Equipment Grant is almost used up and can be closed out sometime this year.



*In May several of the Eastern Shawnee staffers attended a class on Heart Defibrillator Emergency Care offered at the Bearskin Wellness Center.*

*Standing instructor Roxane Teerer, Police Chief, John Worley, Bingo Security, Chad Peterson, Wyandotte Nation Policeman, Shawn Corbit and Bingo Security Wanda Convors.*

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Housing Authority. On the 17th Robert attended the recycling coop board meeting in Neosho.

On the 21st Robert and I attended a soil remediation workshop at the Bearskin Clinic. The class taught us how to remediate the soil after a diesel/oil

spill, etc.

On the 24th we all attended Earth Festivities as we do every year at MSSC and educated the students and others about recycling and watershed protection.

One the 26th we all attended March for Parks at George Washington Carver National Park and gave demonstrations to the public and the in the

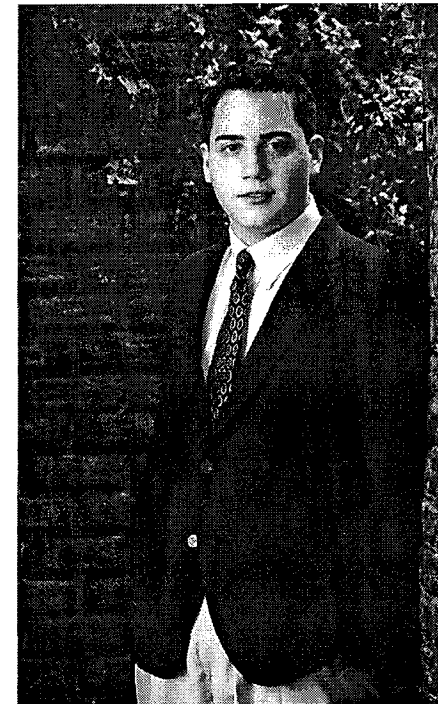
area girl scouts for credit.

On the 29th we attended the Tri-state Partnership Meeting at MSSC and Robert attended on the 30th.

On the 30th Aaron and I attended a recycling Conference/Workshop in Oklahoma City which is a GAP deliverable.

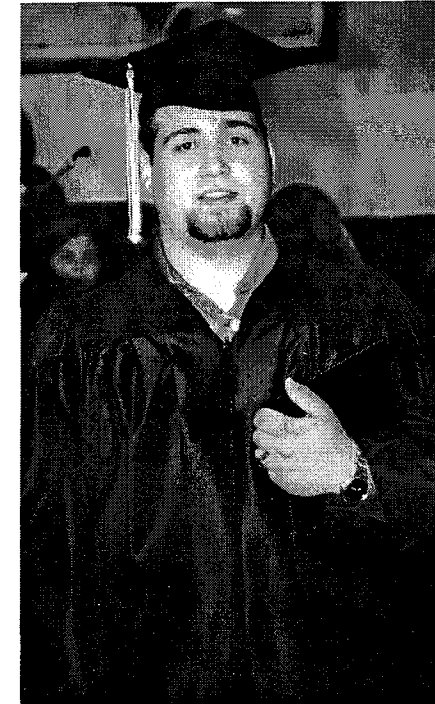
This month Aaron worked on Trust packages for the Fort Scott properties.

## Eastern Shawnee Tribe High School Senior Graduation Day 2003



Ryan Andrew Kelley is a recent graduate from Jenks High School, Jenks, Oklahoma. He graduated May 19, 2003 at Oral Roberts University Mabee Center.

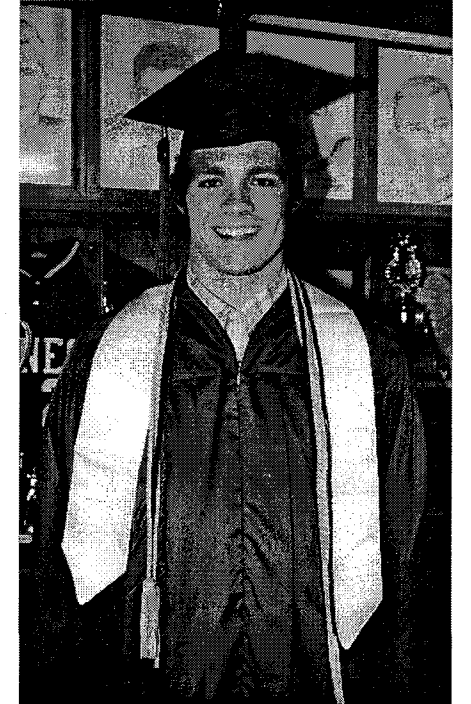
He is the son of Jaque Kelley, grandson of Junior Bluejacket, and the great grandson of former Chief Clyde Blujacket.



Christopher Charles Hollis recently graduated from Wyandotte High School on May 23.

Chris has spent his whole school career at Wyandotte and was active in many sports. He is the grandson of Dorma Hollis.

CONGRATULATIONS!



Skylar Wallace recently graduated from Seneca High School with honors. Skylar received many awards in academics and athletics. He will attend William Jewell University in Liberty Missouri after graduation. He is the son of Ronald Wallace, grandson of Glenna Wallace and the great grandson of Virgie Enyart.



Jase Krauser

## Tribal Member Inducted Into the Who's Who Among American High School Students

Jase Krauser of Eastern Shawnee descent has been inducted into the Who's Who Among American High School Students – Sports Edition for the year 2003.

He was also chosen for Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Jase is a sixteen year old sophomore at Vinita High School and maintains a 3.70 GPA. He plays second base and centerfield for the varsity baseball team and is starting pitcher for the Junior Varsity team.

Jase's future goal is to become a computer programmer.

He is the son of Debbie & Randy Kees of Vinita, grandson of Jean Buxton and great grandson of Virgie Enyart of Miami.

## Eastern Shawnee Tribe Tribe Hires New Human Resource Director



Amber Sappington

To all tribal members, officials and employees, my name is Amber Sappington. I am pleased to introduce myself as the newly hired Human Resource Management Director. I bring the Eastern Shawnee Tribe 10 years of HR experience. The experience has been, but not limited to recruitment and retention, benefits coordination, employee relations, and policy development.

My goal is to develop the best Tribal HR department in the nation. Human Resource management is a dynamic process which requires constant examination and contact with department

managers and other employees. An efficient and effective HR program will reduce anxiety in employees work related environment and increase greater acceptance, cooperation and productivity.

I look forward to engaging each employee as the need arises whether it is to help with insurance, or conflict within your department or another coworker. I have an "open door policy" and I am here to advocate on your behalf. Please feel free to call me at any time or drop me an email at asappington(a)netins.com.

## Biles Hired as New E.S. Travel Center Manager



Debbie Biles

Dear Tribal Members, I would like to introduce myself, my name is Debbie Biles. As of April 7, I have been hired to manage the Eastern Shawnee Travel Center.

Making a profit and a success of the Travel Center is my number one goal. We are doing this by first reorganizing several areas of our operation. We have hired a new deli manager and will soon have daily specials. We are keeping our gas prices very competitive and we have begun to lower prices inside the store to make stopping at the Eastern Shawnee Travel Center more affordable. We will also begin the Employee of the Month to help booster employee moral.

My work experience has always

been geared toward management. I have worked at Best Western in Joplin, as a night auditor, managed Braums in Tulsa, and managed apartment complexes in the Tulsa area.

Being of Cherokee and Choctaw descent, I am originally from Wagoner, OK. I moved to Joplin, MO four years ago to help raise my granddaughter Arianna. We are now currently living in Quapaw, OK.

When I am not on the job, I enjoy fishing, spending time with my granddaughter and going to church.

We the staff of the Travel Center would like to personally invite all tribal members to stop in and fill up your gas tank the next time you're in the area.

## Indian Art & Crafts

Hello, My name is Dorothy and I am considering opening a small business selling only Authentic Indian artifacts, crafts (including jewelry) and art work.

I want to obtain these items exclusively from the craft people so they will

get the money directly.

I am writing to ask your help in connecting me with tribe members who are craftspeople and would be interested in selling me their work.

Please ask them to contact me and send any information, prices and if

available pictures of what they make to:

DOROTHY BAUERLE

PO Box 625

BURLINGTON

NEW JERSEY 08016

E-MAIL: DLGINDIAN@yahoo.com

## Program Reports

### EPA Department Report by Director Roxane Weldon

Our department started off the month with an environmental/land management meeting on the 1st. We decided to meet at least once a week to catch up on assignments-what was accomplished-what was not and plan out the rest of the week for job duties and deliverables, meetings, workshops, etc. If someone finished their list first then they will pitch in and help the others with their workload. We all worked on revising the Quality Management Plan which we have to do every year if there are changes in the department and we are having an audit by EPA the end of July this year also so we are getting ready for that. I worked on a standard operation procedure which a checklist for the QMP was made to make sure all tasks are performed under the QMP. The Emergency Notification List was revised.

On the 1st I went to BIA in Miami to drop off some paper work and deliver a letter to Charles Head. I also met with James Leak one of the commissioners of Ottawa County to see what his role in the Local Emergency

Planning Committee was and to see how often they met so we could start attending the meetings and be involved. He said they meet only once a year if that was needed. Newton County's LEPC meets once a month and we attend those meetings regularly.

The 1st-3rd Aaron and Robert went to a "C" level wastewater operator's class that was presented by Accurate Labs in Tulsa and is a deliverable in our EPA grants.

On the 3rd I attended the Tar Creek Trustee Council Meeting Tulsa to discuss Tar Creek Superfund issues.

On the 4th they also attended an environmental outreach meeting with Tinker Air Force Base. The meeting was very good according to Robert and we are looking at potential training events that may be put on through Tinker at no cost to the tribes.

On the 4th I attended the

Business Committee meeting to present two resolutions to be approved: one was for the GAP EPA proposal and the other for the Energy grant proposal-both were passed. I also gave a land management update.



On May 26th, Director Roxane Weldon, Robert Wood and Aaron Brummet attended March for Parks at George Washington Culver National Park and gave detailed demonstrations of the enviroscape to the public on how the toxins pollute the environment.

On the 7th we met with Melinda Simms, from ITEC, to start the process of an environmental characterization of all our tribal lands.

On the 10th Aaron and I attended a Nature meeting at the Bearskin Clinic.

On the 13th we attended the Dogwood Tour at the National Fish Hatchery in Neosho Missouri. We had an educational booth set up with our envirosapes and gave several demonstrations throughout the day along with handing out educational literature and coloring books for the children.

On the 14th bacterial analysis was performed on all the homes at the ESTO

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# Program Reports

## Child Care Development CCDF Funds by Dee Killion

During the month of March we had 77 children enrolled in licensed childcare centers and 36 in licensed day care homes within a one-hundred mile radius, totaling 113 enrolled children on the CCDF program.

One hundred-ten children were paid for out of Eastern Shawnee Daycare funds. Three children did not attend in the month of February or have been taken off the program.

**TOTAL CHILDCARE PROVIDER EXPENSE FOR THE MONTH was Centers \$15,252 Homes \$7,128 The CCDF program paid out total \$22,380 in the month of February for daycare subsidies.**

Parents of these children are either employed full or part time, seeking employment, training, receiving an education, children are in tribal cus-

tody at risk, or parent is receiving medical care.

All daycare facilities are licensed by the state in which they are located. This is a requirement for any child to be placed in a particular facility. The facility is monitored on a regular basis by the state. However the tribe can and frequently does go in behind the state and monitor the facility.

## CHR Report by Karen Eby

Phone contact was made to check on clients totaled 14. Home visits totaled 26 and in home health screenings totaled 19.

Two Community Health Screenings were held. On April 25th, screening were held at Pine Place. Volunteers were Debi Wesley, Northeastern Tribal Health Center and Karen Eby, Eastern Shawnee CHR. Thirteen people were screened.

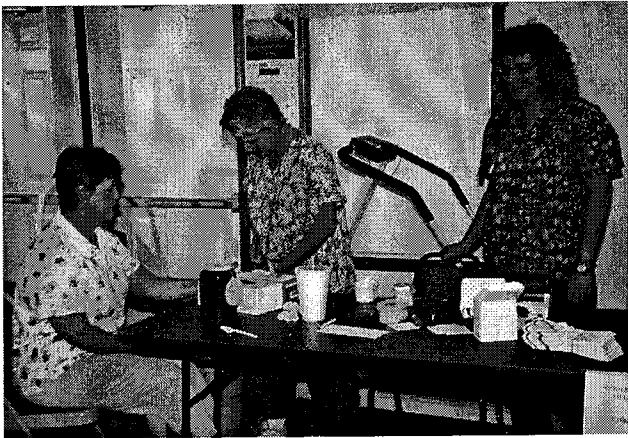
The April 28th, screening (pictured at right) was held at the AOA Center, Eastern Shawnee Tribe, where 22 were screened. Volunteers were Pam Golden, Eastern Shawnee Liason,

Donna Krewson, Bearskin Diabetic Director, Alta McKee, Ottawa Tribe CHR, Virginia Fanning, Miami Tribe CHR, and Karen Eby, Eastern Shawnee CHR.

Thirteen client transports were made. One transport was made to Fayetteville, Arkansas

Medication was picked up and delivered to fourteen individuals.

Commodities were picked up at Jay



and delivered to two individuals.

Worked on March report, shopped for CHR program and administration, attended a department head meeting.

## Social Services Budget by Director Monica Bettis

Social Services Budget	FY 2003	MONTH EXP	YEAR EXP	YEAR SERVED	BUDGET	BALANCE	1st TIME USERS
Clothing		\$2,673.60	\$36,188.16	207	\$83,500.00	\$47,311.84	5
Optical		\$5,700.86	\$34,026.88	224	\$57,000.00	\$22,973.12	4
Rx		\$4,151.96	\$26,992.50	279	\$40,500.00	\$13,507.50	4
Dental		\$6,018.15	\$27,525.66	191	\$38,000.00	\$10,474.34	5
Burial		\$0.00	\$3,000.00	2	\$12,000.00	\$9,000.00	1
Ortho		\$500.00	\$3,840.00	8	\$6,000.00	\$2,160.00	
Med Eqp		\$129.41	\$806.61	9	\$1,000.00	\$193.39	
Auditory		\$0.00	\$200.00	1	\$1,000.00	\$800.00	
Flower		\$25.00	\$184.00	6	\$500.00	\$316.00	
TOTAL		\$19,198.98	\$132,763.81	927	\$239,500.00	\$106,736.19	19

# Eastern Shawnee Tribe

## Tribe Holds CRP Training for Employees



Harvey Peacock

On May 12, 2003 approximately 27 employees of the Eastern Shawnee Tribe and the Wyandotte Nation attended a cardioplumonary resuscitation (CPR) class given by a certified instructor.

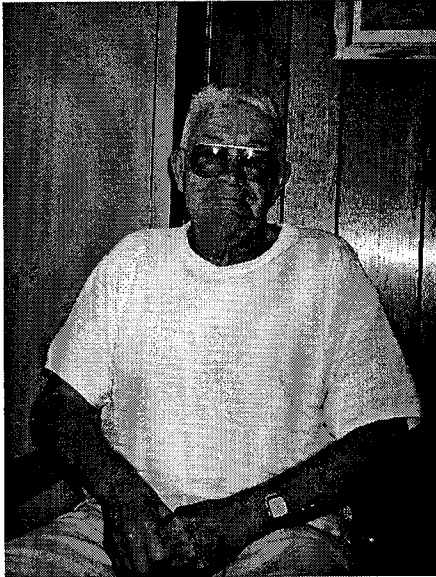
The class taught students the proper action to take in emergency situations. CPR can help revive someone whose heart has stopped until he or she can be taken to the

hospital.

The instructor refreshed the class on the use of the electronic heart defibrillator used to send electrical shock to the heart via two metal plates placed on the heart wall.

Pictured on the left is tribal member Harvey Peacock learning the proper hand placement on "Brad" to administer life saving CPR techniques.

## Get Well Soon... We Miss You!



Our best wishes and love go out to tribal member Chester Blair for a speedy recovery from his recent surgery.

We are so glad to hear that Joan Morris will soon be relased from St. John's Hospital in Tulsa after a short stay. Our prayers are with you.



## Congratulations New Tribal Member Enrollees

**HARLIE RENEE MILLER**  
DOB: 9/28/2001 Daughter of Diana Lynn Miller (ID 1045) Granddaughter of Alvie Ray Strickland (1964 #730) Great Granddaughter of Jessie MILLHOLLIN Strickland (1938 #188)

**PAIGE NICOLE MILLER**  
DOB: 9/28/2001 Daughter of Diana Lynn Miller (ID #1045) Granddaughter of Alvie Ray Strickland (1964 #730) Great Granddaughter of Jessie MILLHOLLIN Strickland

(1938 #188).

**ANDREW EDWARD SWEAT**  
DOB: 12/2/1998 Son of Jeanne Marie DuShane (1964 #249) Grandson of Jack Warren DuSHANE (1938 #95)

**CODY ALAN WHITE** DOB: 10/11/2000 Son of Shanna Alayne White (ID #1272) Grandson of Harley David Huggins (1964 #394) Great Grandson of Ruth CRAIN Huggins (1938 #156)

## Vital Statistics

Address/Name/Status  
Changes 393  
Deaths 2  
Enrollees 19  
Total MEMBERSHIP = 2175

Membership/CDIB Cards 84  
Voter Registration 0  
Total REGISTRATION = 958

# Program Reports

## Education Report by R.C. Kisse

For most students, May means that school is out and you may be preparing to enroll in summer school or beginning a summer job. Please fill out a scholarship application if you are planning on going to school and have not submitted one recently. It is good for the school year unless something changes such as your address or you have a name change.

Please be sure and include the school's address and fax number if it is possible for you to do so. It is best to apply early so I can submit a scholarship letter to your school. This usu-

ally allows you to enroll and charge your books and you don't have to put any money out up front. The school will then bill us for up to the allowable amount per semester for tuition and books, which is still \$1,000.

During April, there was a total of \$6,834 spent on scholarships. \$1,622 of this was spent within the service area, leaving \$5,212 that was spent outside the service area. There was also \$400 spent for senior benefits during April.

## It's Time to fill out your Scholarship Application!

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## Tribal Tag Program by Gloria Durbin



Gloria Durbin

For the month of May we've only sold 7 tags, so you can see we've not been that busy. Please feel free to call anytime to ask questions about the tags and prices.

**We are Open:**  
**Tuesday -- Thursday**  
**9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.**  
**12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.**

Items that you need to bring to get your tags: original title, tribal membership card, social security card, drivers license, insurance verification form,

current mileage on the vehicle, lien papers (if there's a lien on the vehicle), we need to know dollar amount you paid for the vehicle.

We do not accept personal checks,

we only take cash, money orders or cashier checks.

We are now issuing Travel Trailer tags, which is any trailer, camper, or 5th wheel.

### Eastern Shawnee Tribe of Oklahoma TAX COMMISSION Motor Vehicle Registration Fees

Passenger Vehicles, Pickup, Truck, Motorcycle, Motor Home

1-4 years	5-8 years	9-12 years	13-16 years	17 & Up
\$72.00	\$64.00	\$48.00	\$32.00	\$16.00

Travel Trailers

1-4 years	5-8 years	9-12 years	13-16 years	17 & Up
\$36.00	\$32.00	\$24.00	\$16.00	\$8.00

#### OTHER TITLE FEES:

New Title.....	\$15.00
Replacement Title.....	\$10.00
Transfer Title.....	\$15.00
Lien Change.....	\$10.00

#### OTHER REGISTRATION FEES:

Replace Registration.....	\$10.00
Replace Tag.....	\$15.00
Transfer Registration.....	\$10.00
Notary Fee (on all registration).....	\$5.00

#### PENALTIES: (TITLE)

After number of days.....	\$0.30
Minimum Penalty.....	\$10.00
Daily Penalty.....	\$0.50
Maximum Penalty.....	\$50.00

#### REGISTRATION:

After number of days.....	\$0.30
Minimum Penalty.....	\$0.25
Daily Penalty.....	\$0.25
Maximum Penalty.....	\$25.00

# Program Reports

## Report by Pam Golden Eastern Shawnee Liaison

Health screenings were held as usual at the Title VI building at the Wyandotte Nation on April 16th where 39 people were screened.

A screening was held at the Eastern Shawnee AOA building on April 27th where 23 people were screened.

At these two screenings we did cholesterol checks. We are going to try to do the cholesterol check every

six months from now on.

I attended the Consumer Board Advisory meeting on April 30. There were no members present from the Eastern Shawnee Tribe. All members from the Wyandotte Tribe were present.

The Bearskin Clinic had a total of 261 visits for the month of March. 160 of the visits were Wyandotte and

101 were Eastern Shawnee. There were also 24 visits that were non-Indian visits, bringing the total to 285. There were 110 dental appointments and 29 optometry appointments.

April's figures were not yet available at the time that I did this report. I will include them in June's report.

## Title VI Nutrition Report by Director Debbie Scribner

April 2003 Eligible Congregate Meals Served 341--Eligible Carryout Meals Served 201--Visitors Meals Served 231--Employee Meals served 88--TOTAL MEALS SERVED 861

Menu was prepared for the month. Elder's files updated, meal revenue deposits completed, monthly report

for Business Committee completed, daily and weekly paper work completed.

Monthly inventory completed, check requisitions completed and mailed.

Food supplies ordered, regular daily and weekly cleaning was done.

Freezer and cooler cleaned, daily meal preparation completed. Helped two elders with meal planning, check on five elders by phone. There was a CHR Health Screening held on Monday, April 28, 2003. Performance report completed.

## Program Reports by Director Gene Dixon

Authorized a handrail be constructed on elderly's tribal property by contractor. An handicap ramp was constructed for elderly tribal member by contractor.

Old barn was torn down at the Rickner property. Wrote request for new storm door for north side of the Rickner property. Engaged Crafton Pump to repair water pump at Rickner Property.

Young property renter is requesting a new hot water heater.

Recently had electrician do some rewiring at Harkins property (bad short),

now renter requests roof leak repair, window repair and screen door repair.

I am in contact with Home Depot trying to set up a charge plan for our ESTO Home Maintenance Program.

Storage units are all rented except for 5, all payments are made in a timely manner with one exception.

Rickner property is again rented. New renter is making repairs himself on garage and outbuildings.

I have received one application for 121, water sewer service.

Have completed two ESTO Home Maintenance projects this month and

have two applicants awaiting approval for charging.

Shawnee Tribe in Miami notified me they have LIHEAP money to assist 7 or 8 homes. I referred one person to them already. My LIHEAP monies were exhausted in March.

Due to repeated requests from renters of our three rental houses for minor repairs and maintenance problems, due to the age and original condition of these properties, a suggestion, lower the rent of these three properties and have the renter be responsible

## From The George J. Captain Library

During the month we checked out 422 books, videos, and media. Of these 16 were checked out by Eastern Shawnee Tribal members, 41 by Cherokee Tribal members, 19 by Seneca Cayuga; 17 by Wyandotte

Tribal members, 50 by other tribal members, and 279 by nontribal members. There were approximately 139 library users, 7 children, 15 Internet users, 3 new users, 1 reference user, 1 person utilized the tv/vcr combo;

there were 12 browsers.

We published the April edition of the Shooting Star and the Print Shop earned \$716.60 from printing Bingo programs. New library shelving has arrived and will be installed soon.