

Programs & Services Now Available in the RAP Department

Tribal Energy – Currently in the heating season from November 1, 2011 through April 30, 2012. Assistance up to \$250 per household for heating needs. Must utilize LIHEAP services first.

Elders Tribal Energy – Same as Tribal Energy only for ages 55 & up.

Hardship – Available on a 12 month revolving period from the last date of service through the program. Must be able to provide documentation to support a qualified hardship.

Emergency Appliance Assistance – Available on a 24 month revolving period from the last date of service through the program. This is a replacement program and the appliance being replaced must be surrendered.

Vision Program – Available on a 24 month revolving period from the last date of service through the program or annually with a statement and diagnosis from a physician verifying a medical condition requiring yearly exam exists.

Dental Program – Available on a 24 month revolving period from the last date of service through the program.

Denture Program – Available on a 48 month revolving period from the last date of service through the program or annually with a statement and diagnosis from a physician verifying a medical condition requiring more frequent exams exists.

Hearing Aid Program – Available on a 24 month revolving period from the last date of service through the program or annually with a statement and diagnosis from a physician verifying a medical condition requiring yearly exams exists.

Lawn Care Program – Available to members 55 & older and physically disabled members of any age. Fiscal Year 2012 is limited to 60 households on a first come basis. Fiscal Year 2012 applicants may opt for a 1 time brush hog service rather than the bi-monthly cuttings.

Tribal Emergency Home Repair

– Available to members owning and residing in their home. Program is for repairs and does not cover remodeling or customary homeowner maintenance. Lifetime maximum assistance amount is \$5,000.

Driveway Repair – This program is not funded for Fiscal Year 2012.

NEW PROGRAM

Orthodontic Program – This program is to assist with orthodontic procedures & devices for tribal members aged 7-18 years (younger with proper referral).

HOW TO APPLY

Applications may be picked up and completed at the RAP Department, Sac and Fox Nation Headquarters, Stroud, Oklahoma.

Applications may also be picked up at the SFN Multipurpose Center in Shawnee, Oklahoma & faxed to the SFN RAP Department.

Applications will soon be available online at www.sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov.

GUIDELINES

Changes have been made to the guidelines for these programs and services effective this Fiscal Year. For complete information on each program and service, please refer to the guidelines with the approval date of November 21, 2011, also available soon online at www.sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov.

CONTACT

To receive an application or guidelines via mail or fax, please contact the Sac and Fox Nation RAP Department at 918-968-3526 or 800-259-3970. You may fax us at 918-968-4207 or 918-968-0098. Or send your email inquiries to: swilson@sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov OR kay.hurst@sacandfoxnation-nsn.gov.

All programs and services are available to tribal members regardless of where you reside. The SFN RAP Department Team looks forward to being of service to all tribal members this coming year.



(From left) Sac and Fox tribal member Dona Gregory (grandmother), Gwen Renee Piccolella, and Sac and Fox tribal member Kelly Rice (mother).

Piccolella Earns Degree From Northern Arizona University

Congratulations to Gwen Renee Piccolella! She earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Public Management from Northern Arizona University. Mrs. Piccolella is affiliated with the Pawnee, Sac & Fox, and Otoe tribes. She resides in Pinetop, Arizona with her husband Brian and two sons, Gabe and Mason. Gwen is the daughter of James and Kelly Rice

and the granddaughter of Kenneth and Dona Gregory, all of Pawnee. Great-grandparents are Velma Peters Smith of Pawnee and the late Charlie Smith, Sac and Fox Tribal Member. Dona, Kelly, James, and her brother Zach traveled to Flagstaff, Arizona to attend her Commencement Ceremony on December 16, 2011.

Oklahoma Tobacco Helpline

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SAC AND FOX TAX COMMISSION REVENUE	
November 2011	
Tobacco Tax	\$33,777.60
Wholesale Tobacco Tax	\$52,690.08
Motor Vehicle	\$3,325.25
Sales Tax	\$11,298.27
Treasury	\$35.00
Oil & Gas	\$30.75
Gaming	\$119,030.52
TOTAL	\$220,187.47

Free Tax Assistance for 2011 Free Electronic Filing

Trained community volunteers will assist with tax preparation and **EFILE** for qualified individuals and families at no charge. If your income does not exceed **\$50,000.00** you may qualify.

Call 405-328-0187 for an appointment.

Documents required

- Valid Photo ID
- Social Security Cards for each family member.
- All W-2, 1099, and related Tax documents.

Both spouses must be present if filing jointly.

HELP WANTED!

SAC & FOX NATION EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITES

THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF JOB VACANCIES WITH
THE SAC & FOX NATION:

- Medical Coder (Stroud)
- RAP Specialist II (Stroud)
- Language Instructor II (Stroud)
- Language Instructor I (Stroud)
- Custodian (Part-Time) (Shawnee Multi-Purpose/Shawnee)
- Administrative Assistant (Stroud)
- Controller (Stroud)
- Indian Child Welfare Director (Shawnee)
- Registered Licensed Dietitian (Stroud)
- Senior Administrative Assistant (Black Hawk Health Center/Stroud)
- Substance Abuse Counselor (Juvenile Detention Center/Stroud)
- Resident Advisor (Juvenile Detention Center/Stroud)
- Economic Development Director (Stroud)
- Business Office Manager (Black Hawk Health Center/Stroud)

Applicants must successfully pass an OSBI/National background check and drug screen. Preference in hiring is given to qualified Native Americans. Applicants claiming Indian Preference must provide a copy of their CDIB. For more information and to learn how to apply please visit our website at:

www.sacandfoxnation.com

or contact Human Resources, Sac and Fox Nation, 920883 S Hwy 99, Bldg. A Stroud, OK 74079 or by phone (918) 968-4837

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