

## Twiggy's Corner

### INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE WATER AND SEWER ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE

The Indian Health Service, Office of Environmental Health and Engineering, offers programs to install water and sewer facilities to qualified Indian Homeowners. Funding and construction of sanitation facilities, such as wells, water service lines, septic tanks and drain fields, wastewater lagoons and sewer service lines, are available.

CDIB. Property owner must possess a Certified Degree of Indian Blood (CDIB).

•HUD homes must be paid in full before services can be provided.

Documentation of tribal affiliation and home ownership or long-term lease will be required with the application for services. Mobile homes must be tied down, skirted and wheels removed prior to service.

Absentee Shawnee and Citizen Pottawatomie Nation tribal members must apply for services through their tribal OEH offices.

Please note that applying for service does not guarantee you will receive service. Service depends on the availability of funding.

Please call (405) 214-4200, or stop by our office at 14106 Highway 177, Shawnee, Oklahoma, for more information.

#### Minimum eligibility requirements include:

•Property must be located within the local Indian Health Service jurisdiction: The greater portion of Oklahoma County; Pottawatomie County north of the North Canadian River; Cleveland County west of the Indian Meridian; Lincoln County; Logan County, and a portion of southern Payne County.

•You must be a member of a federally recognized Indian tribe, band or group;

•If renting, you must obtain a lease agreement (minimum of five years) and a copy of the landowner's deed/title and



Behavioral Health Center Alcohol Awareness Booth: During the month of April the Behavioral Health Center set up a booth to promote alcohol awareness. (From Left); Danita Kollars, Laura Guest, Clarissa Littlehead and Hope Thrush-McAlister.

## Sac and Fox Nation Behavioral Health Center Presented Alcohol Awareness Booth

On April 16-17 the Sac and Fox Nations Behavioral Health Center (South Office) hosted an Alcohol Awareness Booth.

The booth was presented to make aware that alcohol is a growing problem in the United States and is even a problem in teenagers. Unfortunately, there are a variety of negative effects that are associated with the consumption of alcohol. The effects may not become apparent immediately, but as time goes on, it will become more and more noticeable. Alcohol not only affects the person using it, but it can also damage the innocent, such as unborn children. Legal problems are also a negative effect.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention report, "From 2001-2005, there were approximately 79,000 deaths annually due to alcohol use. Alcohol use

is the 3rd leading lifestyle-related cause of death.

Native Americans and Alaskan Natives are at a much higher risk than other minority populations for heavy drinking, binge drinking, and alcohol dependence. In 2002-2005, 10.7% suffered from alcohol use disorder, whereas 7.6% of other ethnic groups reported the same disorder. Alcohol related birth rates are higher. The rate of fetal alcohol syndrome, 5.6 every 1,000 births, is nearly three times higher than non-Indians. Overall, 11.7% of death is alcohol related.

#### CONTACT:

Sac & Fox Nation Behavioral Health  
918-968-9531 or 800-830-0683  
For more information: www.streetdirectory.com or http://en.wikipedia.org

### SAC AND FOX TAX COMMISSION REVENUE

March 2013

Tobacco Tax. . . . .	\$22,915.20
Wholesale Tobacco Tax. . . . .	\$47,025.56
Beer/Liquor. . . . .	\$140.32
Motor Vehicle. . . . .	\$3,369.00
Sales Tax. . . . .	\$10,411.23
Treasury. . . . .	\$145.00
Oil & Gas. . . . .	\$799.22
Gaming. . . . .	\$142,402.14
<b>TOTAL . . . . .</b>	<b>\$227,207.67</b>

## ATTENTION TRIBAL MEMBERS

**A MEMBER OF THE TAX COMMISSION STAFF WILL NOW BE AT THE SHAWNEE MULTIPURPOSE CENTER TWICE A MONTH. THE TAX COMMISSION WILL BE THERE ON THE FIRST (1ST) AND THIRD (3RD) THURSDAYS OF EACH MONTH. WE WILL BE ABLE TO BETTER SERVE TRIBAL MEMBERS LIVING IN THE SHAWNEE AREA WITH MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION AND ANY OTHER SERVICE THAT WE CAN ASSIST YOU WITH.**



### MONTH of MAY

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
		1 Hamburger Steak Mashed Pots Mixed Veggies Spiced Pears	2 Polish Sausage w/sauerkraut Fried Hominy Van. Pudding	3 Fish Coleslaw Mac & Cheese Peaches
6 Navy Beans Spinach Cornbread SF Apple Cob.	7 Chili Dogs Chips Fresh Veggies Mixed Fruit	8 Chef Salad Crackers SF Strawberry Cake	9 Baked Ham Dressing Green Beans Pumpkin Bars	10 Breakfast Casserole Bacon Biscuits Juice
13 BBQ Wieners Baked Beans Cornbread Celery Sticks Apricots	14 Pork/Potatoes Yellow Squash Frybread Jello	15 Hamburgers Macaroni Salad Fresh Veggies Fruit Compote	16 Liver & Onions Brown Rice Salad Applesauce	17 <b>Closed for Sac &amp; Fox Victory Day (No Delivery)</b>
20 Ham Salad Sandwiches 3-Bean Chips Fresh Fruit	21 Swiss Steak White Rice Carrots Jello	22 Pork Chops Scalloped Pots Bread Cot.Chs Salad	23 Spaghetti Green Beans Garlic Bread Pears	24 Scram. Eggs Pancake Sausage Banana
27 <b>Closed for Memorial Day</b>	28 Chicken Broccoli/Rice Tomato Slices Peaches	29 Pot Roast w/ potatoes Carrots Bread Apricots	30 Frito-Chili Pie French Fries Cookies Mixed Fruit	31 Pinto Beans Potato Wedge Cornbread B.S. Pudding

**2013-2014**

**SAC AND FOX NATION APPLICATION FOR MISS, JR. MISS AND LITTLE MISS SAC AND FOX NATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Tribal Member  
Sac and Fox Roll #: \_\_\_\_\_

Descendant

If not an enrolled tribal member, please describe Sac and Fox lineage;  
\_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) Name and Tribe: \_\_\_\_\_

Maternal Grandparents Name and Tribe: \_\_\_\_\_

Paternal Grandparents Name and Tribe: \_\_\_\_\_

**DEADLINE FOR THE APPLICATION WILL BE**

**April 26, 2013**

## SAVE THE DATE

Make plans now to enter the 2013 Jim Thorpe Native American Games

**June 9-15, 2013 • Oklahoma City**

Entry forms available soon!

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