

SMOKE SIGNALS

December 2016



The Kaibab Paiute Tribal Council and Administration would like to wish everyone a happy holiday season and a happy new year!!

With the new year approaching very quickly we look forward to making it a very productive one.

We have learned a lot this year and will be looking for ways to improve our communication with the tribal membership. With those that utilize the tribal website, technology is becoming the trend, and we will strive to make it better, however, we still need to remember the value of face to face communication.

So with that in mind we would like to wish everyone a wonderful holiday season.



Office Closure

December and January

The Tribal Office will be closed on:

- ❖ December 23rd half day and all day on December 25th & 26th
- ❖ January 2nd - New Years

Have a wonderful Day of

Thanks and have a Merry

Christmas and Happy New

Year!!!

Chairman's report to Council

Indian Health Service (IHS):

I participated in a call-in with IHS Area Office on October the 4th, at which time I made reference to our tribe's unique situation, in that we must travel out of state to acquire all needed medical services. That we are in the northern most region of the state and that there are no in state facilities that are to be considered local.

The IHS Director of Field Operations, Rose Weahkee requested that either myself or other Tribal Leader/Council person attend the Principal Deputy Director's, Mary Smith IHS Washington D.C. Office, visit to the IHS Area office, on the 13th of Oct., to make a statement to the visiting Washington D.C. Dignitary concerning our lack of IHS facilities.

Amicus Brief:

Council at the September regular Council meeting, at the request of our Water Attorney, Alice Walker, to become a part of the Amicus Brief for the NARF litigation against the US Army Corp of Engineers (USACE) for their permitting of the Dakota Access Pipe Line (DAPL), has agreed to sign onto the Amicus Brief. Kaibab Band of Paiute Indians will offer written opinion as to the conducting of the permitting process by the USACE.

Standing Rock Sioux Tribe/Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe:

On October the 17th I participated in a Tribal Leader Call-in concerning the DAPL project and the potential effects it will have on their water supply, also how the lack of meaningful consultation with the area Tribal Governments has affected the tribes.

There was a lot of talk about the whole permitting process and differing laws and policies, and if the claims of clear and meaningful consultation had been followed thru with. The fact that there is no nor has there been a permit issued from the USACE for their lands nor for the Missouri River or Lake Oahe to be drilled and subterraneously traversed by the pipe line, is just one issue addressed.

Swearing in:

I participated in the swearing in ceremony for our re-elected Council Members Yolanda Rogers and Manuel Savala. This was held on the 18th of October in our council chambers. They have been re-elected for a three year term, to end in 2019.

Natural Resource Conservation Service (NRCS):

I had a meeting with Kyle Spencer of the NRCS to finalize our contract with them concerning our new greenhouse, this was installed in our community garden area in Kaibab Village. The greenhouse will begin operations in the early spring of 2017, it is hoped to be able to provide starts for our community members who wish to have their own gardens.

Garkane Electric Co-Operative ROW:

On the 26th of October I had a call with our attorney, Jacklyn Johnson, for our on-going negotiations with Garkane Electric Co-Operative concerning their soon to be expired Right-of-Way for their service transmission lines. We covered the necessary clearances that will need to be performed and the need for a new appraisal with a transmission profit margin figured into the valuation of the ROW. Ms. Johnson also mentioned that we could be able to negotiate an apprenticeship program for our youth.

Judge:

The Kaibab Band of Paiute Indians Tribal Council has decide to reinstate our current Tribal Court Judge, Mrs. Serena Cutchens, for a second two year term to expire in 2018. I as the Tribal Chairman handled the swearing-in of the judge.

Travel:

I have no plans for travel.



Community Christmas Party

Saturday, December 17, 2016

4 p.m.

Community Center

(Tentatively at Community Center, if the work at Gym is complete the party will be held at the gym)

Village Assignments:

Kaibab: Rolls, Bread

Juniper: Desserts

Redhills: Side Dish

Eagle Mountain, Off Reservation: Side Dish

Main Dish: Ham, Turkey (Provided)





Education Connection

December 2016

Library Hours
 Monday thru Thursday 12-6
 Fridays 9-3

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 KCS D Board Mtg. 7 p.m.	2	3
4	5	6 Education Committee 10 a.m. FMUSD Board Mtg. 6 p.m.	7	8	9 Kids Christmas Craft 1-3 p.m.	10
11	12 CCSD Board Mtg. 6 p.m.	13	14 Adult Coloring 5-6	15	16	17
18	19	20 Christmas Book Club 5-6	21	22	23 Library Closed	24
25 Christmas Day	26 Library Closed	27 Library Closed	28 Library Closed	29 Library Closed	30 Library Closed	31

Check out our new webpage for current information and flyers
<http://kpteducationlibrary.weebly.com/>

GED Classes at the Library
 Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday
 from 12:00-2 p.m.

Book Club

Tuesday, December 20th
5-6 p.m. @ Library



This month's book selection is "A Man Called Ove"
by Fredrik Backman

"Meet Ove. He's a curmudgeon—the kind of man who points at people he dislikes as if they were burglars caught outside his bedroom window. He has staunch principles, strict routines, and a short fuse. People call him "the bitter neighbor from hell." But must Ove be bitter just because he doesn't walk around with a smile plastered to his face all the time?"

We will be having a Christmas celebration, there will be yummy holiday goodies. Please feel free to bring something to share.

If you are not able to attend, but would like to read the book and participate, please email me for the book report form.
abundy@kaibabpaiute-nsn.gov

Adult Coloring Night

December 14th
5-6:00 p.m.

Come relax and unwind with an adult coloring book.

Coloring can reduce stress, anxiety, negative feelings, and much more. It is a therapeutic way to create mindfulness and focus. Materials will be provided.

Women's Crafting
Will resume in January.
Have a Happy Holiday!



Tutoring

Mr. Beebe will be out of town for the month of December beginning on November 30th. Tutoring hours for November 30th-December 20th are as follows:

Monday-Thursday--until 5:30
(later by appointment)
Fridays from 10-2

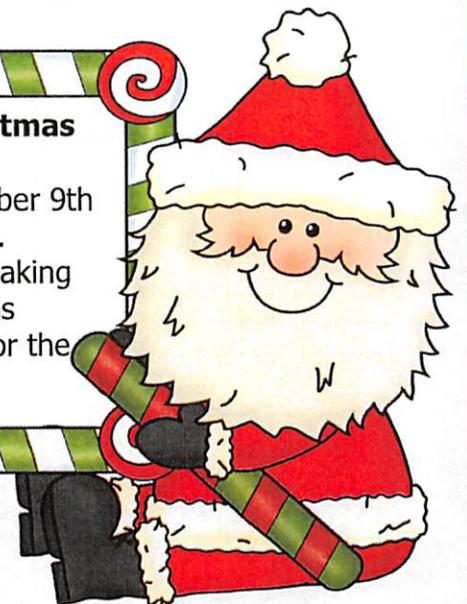
Youth Book Club

Youth Book Club will resume in January! Here are some books for your children to read over the holiday break.

- ♦ The Polar Express
- ♦ How the Grinch Stole Christmas!
- ♦ Mooseltoe
- ♦ The Christmas Miracle of Jonathan Toomey
- ♦ Christmas Trolls
- ♦ Mr. Willowby's Christmas Tree

Youth Christmas Craft

Friday, December 9th
1-3 p.m.
We will be making Christmas ornaments for the tree!



The Library will be closed December 22nd through January 2nd.
Have a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

KAIBAB PAIUTE TRIBAL COURT

Phone: 928-643-7214

Hours of Operation

Monday - Thursday

9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Friday

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

In case of emergency after hours call or message

Tribal Clerk, Jeri Bussière

435-689-0187



KAIBAB PAIUTE TRIBAL PROBATION OFFICE

Phone: 928-643-7214

Hours of Operation

Monday, Wednesday, Friday

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Tuesday & Thursday - by appointment

In case of emergency after hours call or message

Probation Officer, Ona Segundo

435-689-1830

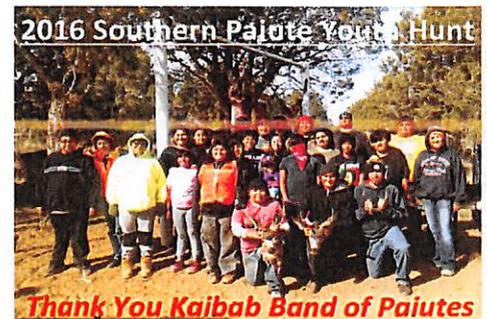
Wildlife, Fisheries & Parks

The Department would like to clarify some issue from hunting;

1. Hunting Permits – per the Wildlife, Fisheries & Parks Ordinance:
“Except as otherwise provided under this ordinance, no person shall take or attempt to take any wildlife on the Kaibab Indian Reservation unless at the time of taking or attempted taking the person has a valid tribal permit to do so in his personal possession”.
This means that a Tribal Member needs to have a permit with them to Take (Hunt) any wildlife, you cannot make a kill then come and get a permit and permits are only good for the dates written on it and you cannot use someone else permit.
It also states on the Hunting Rules form that “1. Do not shoot or attempt to shoot a deer without a Tribal Permit or any game for that matter, permit need to be picked up before going out to hunt”.
2. The Certified Hunter Program was designed for Tribal Members that can't go out to hunt for them self to have someone to go out for them so that they could get deer meet for personal use. The Certified Hunter cannot be paid in MONEY, but can take a portion of the meat. In the Ordinance a “**CERTIFIED HUNTER**” means any Indian whose tribe is a federally recognized Tribe who's designated by a tribal member to hunt for them, recognized and designated by letter signed by said tribal member and certified hunter.
Chapter 3, Permits – Sec. 3.1 (I) Certified Hunter permits may be issued to other Federal Recognized tribal members to hunt for a Tribal member if he/she 1) cannot hunt for themselves 2) is a single Parent, 3) is handicapped or disabled in anyway. A Request needs to be made on forms provided by the Department along with a copy of his Tribal Enrollment card or a Certificate of Indian Blood; as this is for the tribal member to have deer meat the permit will be for Doe Only, approved by the Tribal Council on a yearly basis.
The Wildlife Committee up graded this by adding that a Certified Hunt must be 18 years old, know how to field dress a kill, and know how to cut up the meat.
3. All Tribal Member hunters need to turn in the White Stub Paper, it needs to be filled out and brought to this Department as soon as you can we need to know how many kill were made and what kind were killed.
4. All Tribal Members need to know that any Violations out of the Wildlife, Fisheries & Parks Ordinance can be procured in Tribal Court or administratively thru the Wildlife Committee.

Youth Hunt – Involved the Las Vegas Band, Moapa Band, Shivwits Band and the Koosharem Band, we had about 30 Youth, each band had a two shooter who were assigned to take a deer for the band. the Tribal Guides helped with this part. they all learned Hunter Safety, Archery, Camping, Cutting Deer Meat up, Tanning a Deer hide and Cultural Hunting, it was a long 3 days but it went well, next year we should have more Youth, the funding for this came from each of the Bands that were involved.

Hunt for other Tribes - we had 10 hunters most were Hopis, two were from New Mexico, and one was from California, and Southern Paiutes, all but two made kills, there were 7 bucks and 2 does taken - No Problems were encountered.



Tribal Hunt - we had 50 hunters, as of this writing there were 20 deer killed (19 bucks and 1 doe) there is more but some Tribal Members have not turned in the white paper, So Please turn it in.

The Big Game hunts will start on November 19 and end on December 7 all hunting is closed during the Big Game hunt.

Tribal Members can hunt from December 8 to 31 you need to come in and pickup another permit with new dates and remember that Moccasin Mountain is **CLOSED** from the horn gate to the Tower, (OLD MANAGEMENT AREA) you can be cited for hunting in a closed area under the Wildlife Ordinance.

REMEMBER TO ALWAYS TELL SOMEONE WHERE YOU ARE GOING TO HUNT AND ABOUT WHAT TIME YOU WILL BE BACK, DRESS WARM, TAKE SOME WATER AND SOME THING TO MAKE A FIRE.

If you have any questions, you may email, call or come see me.
Thank You.



The new *Seat Belt Safety* campaign pulls from the insight that as a parent, sometimes you have to let your kids have their way. But your kid's safety should never be up for negotiation, no matter how much they push back on the seat belts being uncomfortable, unnecessary for just a "short drive" or any other excuses. The campaign utilizes the concept that "life as a parent is full of compromises, but seat belt safety for my children is not up for negotiation." Never give up, until they buckle up.

The Top 5 Things You Should Know About Buckling Up

1. Buckling Up Is The Single Most Effective Way to Save Yourself in a Crash

- In 2012, seat belts saved more than 12,000 lives nationwide. From 2008 to 2012, seat belts saved more than 62,000 lives—enough people to fill a large sports arena. During a crash, being buckled up helps keep you safe and secure inside your vehicle, whereas being completely thrown out of a vehicle is almost always deadly. Seat belts are the best defense against impaired, aggressive, and distracted drivers.

2. Air Bags Are Designed to Work With Seat Belts, Not Replace Them



- In fact, if you don't wear your seat belt, you could be thrown into a rapidly opening frontal air bag; a movement of such force could injure or even kill you. Learn about air bag safety and advanced frontal air bags.

3. How to Buckle Up Safely

- Follow the tips shown in the photo to the right. The lap belt and shoulder belt are secured across the pelvis and rib cage, which are better able to withstand crash forces than other parts of your body.

4. Fit Matters

- Before you buy a new car, check to see that its seat belts are a good fit for you.
- Ask your dealer about seat belt adjusters, which can help you get the best fit.
- If you need a roomier belt, contact your vehicle manufacturer to obtain seat belt extenders.
- If you drive an older or classic car with lap belts only, check with your vehicle manufacturer about how to retrofit your car with today's safer lap/shoulder belts.

5. Seat Belt Safety for Children and Pregnant Women

- Find out when your child is ready to use an adult seat belt and learn about seat belt safety when you're pregnant.

- See more at: <http://www.adcouncil.org//Our-Campaigns/Safety/Seat-Belt-Safety#sthash.FDxrJ3IN.dpuf>

<http://www.adcouncil.org//Our-Campaigns/Safety/Seat-Belt-Safety>

<https://www.safercar.gov/parents/SeatBelts/Top5-Buckle-Up.htm>



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For the Newsletter for December 2016

A concernFENTANYL!

In reading an article lately about how it may be just as bad as

HEROIN*****

This drug is used medically for pain relief from Cancer and surgeries at one time. Fentanyl has become a rival to heroin in the overdose deaths now seen. REASON for this is it being mixed with heroin so it is powerful....without them knowing about it.

It has the ability to significantly depress the user's respiratory system in just minutes. I have known people who have used this and almost died. I have seen them suffer as well as family members. It is between 20 and 100 times more potent than heroin itself. This is a very serious public health crisis that cannot be controlled by the law enforcement. It wasn't noted until 2013 that fentanyl seizures and deaths became evident. It appears the IMF is being mixed with heroin for a greater effect. Traffickers are selling it as heroin, which means that individuals that are dying from the drug are predominately users of heroin. Most of these heroin users have no idea that they are being exposed to such a potent and deadly drug. We do know that fentanyl is becoming so popular because it is stronger and cheaper.

These are the same reasons that caused prescription opioid users of OxyContin to switch to heroin over the past several years. The only difference with fentanyl is that it isn't the users who are deciding to switch, it is the drug traffickers who are out to increase profits. SO what is going to happen when they decide to use a more powerful drug such as crystal meth? Heroin is dangerous enough especially for the users when they are not expecting the increase?

Please talk to someone and get help.

The CHR Department

Care for Your Feet

Diabetes puts your feet at risk for serious problems caused by nerve damage or poor circulation. Even a minor, seemingly harmless skin irritation can cause a major problem in your high-risk feet. Fortunately, taking care of your feet every day can go a long way toward preventing serious problems. Follow the foot-care guidelines described below.

How to care for your feet

- Wash your feet every day.** Use warm water, and be gentle! Don't use hot water, or soak or scrub your feet. Doing these things can damage the skin. Afterward, dry your feet really well, especially between the toes.
- Avoid temperature extremes.** Don't use heating pads or hot water bottles. Never put your feet near a fire or on a heater vent where they can easily get burned.
- Prevent and treat dry skin.** Use petroleum jelly (Vaseline) on your skin. It's especially good for places that dry and crack, like feet, hands, and elbows. But be careful not to get it between your toes. It can trap moisture and cause infection.
- Don't use sharp tools or harsh chemicals on your feet.** Don't try to remove calluses, warts, or corns yourself with razors, scissors, or chemical agents. Leave this to your healthcare providers.
- Keep your toenails trimmed.** Cut toenails straight across, and use an emery board to smooth the edges.
- Be "shoe smart."** Taking care of your feet means being smart about footwear. Here are a few guidelines.

 - Always wear shoes or slippers to protect your feet. Never go barefoot, even indoors or when running to the bathroom in the middle of the night.
 - Always wear socks with your shoes — but don't wear tight socks or garters. Don't wear socks that have holes in them or socks that have been mended.
 - Don't wear plastic shoes, flip-flops, and open-toed or pointy-toed shoes.
 - Break in new shoes over several days or weeks.
 - Buy and wear comfortable shoes that don't pinch or rub. When buying new shoes, make sure the toe box is roomy enough to allow you to wiggle your toes, and make sure the heel fits without slipping.
 - Check the inside of your shoes for rough, worn, or sharp internal parts. Your foot may not feel a problem with your shoe.
 - If you often have foot problems, consider wearing customized shoes or inserts that are made to protect areas of the feet that are easily injured.
- Inspect your feet every day.** This helps catch problems before they become serious. If you have trouble seeing your feet, use a hand mirror or ask someone to help you. Look closely at each foot — top, bottom, and in between your toes. Look out for the following:

 - Cuts, scratches, and sores
 - Blisters, corns, and calluses
 - Dry skin and cracked skin
 - Thickened or ingrown toenails
 - Color and temperature changes
 - Areas that are cold, tingling, red-colored, or puffy (swollen)

If you see any of the problems listed above, call your healthcare provider.

The Diabetes Program and CHR will be having a fun night on

-- DECEMBER 13th, 2016 --

TUESDAY Night at 5:00 PM to 7:00 P.M.

Bring a Sugar Free Dessert and the Recipe to share with everyone!
Talk about your most favorite thing about the Holiday Season!
and Your favorite memory too!

Call Amelia if you have any questions:
643-8333



CHR POLICY & PROCEDURES MEETING

5:30 - 7:00 P.M.

ON

NOVEMBER 29TH, 2016

Conference Rm#2

Elders!

On December 2nd, 2016, we will be travelling down to the Tuba City to go to the Swap Meet and we will be staying the night. If you would like to go \$50.00 will reserve you a spot.

Please contact Claudina Teller or leave a message at the office 643.7245.

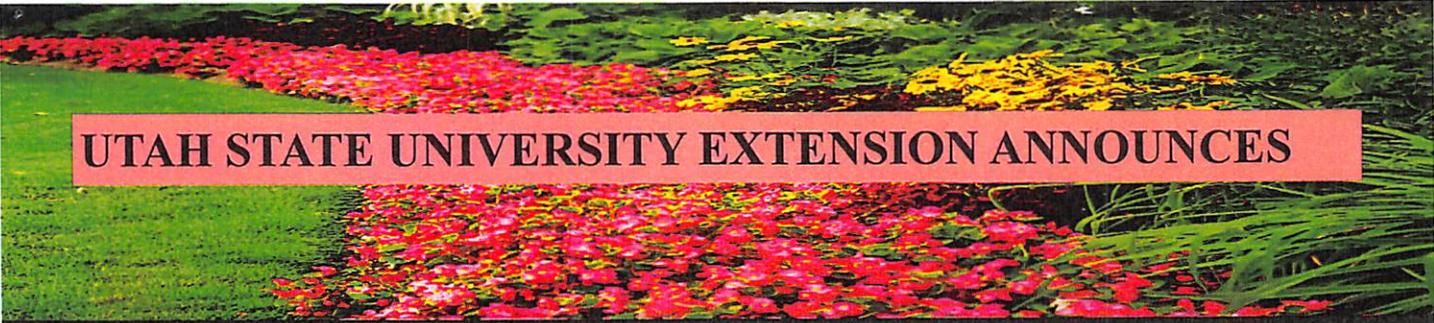


Happy Holidays to all. It has been a busy few months so here is what has been happening:

The greenhouse (high tunnel) is now formerly complete. Due to unforeseen delays I was not able to finish in time to get a fall crop in. We will put the cover on in late February and begin the season then. This greenhouse will allow us to start the season sooner and extend farther into the fall. I am working with an individual that has invited several community members to come up to Northern Utah to tour some greenhouses up there and then be instructed on how to start and run a greenhouse. This invitation is open to any tribal member. Spaces are limited, so if you are interested please contact myself or the tribal administrator. As part of the training we will be given the opportunity to plant and cultivate seedling vegetable plants to bring back with us. This is a great opportunity to learn from expert greenhouse gardeners.

I will once again be sponsoring a summer youth camp in 2017. Our youth that attended this year did really well and I think they learned a lot. I do not have all of the details but I would like to begin hearing from those that are interested in going in 2017. It is a one week camp in the Mings Mountains that is fully funded thru the Water Quality Department and the EPA Clean Water Act 106/319. Please contact me if you have any questions or would like to sign up for either of the above events. Thank you for allowing me to serve you.

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UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION ANNOUNCES

2017 MASTER GARDENER CLASS

Learn basic gardening and landscaping practices recommended for Southern Utah.

Find out hard to answer questions about weeds, insects and diseases.

Become a volunteer and help others with home horticulture.

Instructors are USU Extension Specialists/Agents and Local Gardening Professionals.



Classes start on January 5th and run thru February 28, 2017

Tuesdays and Thursdays at 6:00 pm

Registration is \$125.00/ person or \$135 /couple

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CHR Program:

LITE THE NIGHT WALK FOR

LEUKEMIA & LYMPHOMA

Las Vegas, NV - Nov 5th 2016



WALK FOR ALZHEIMER'S Las Vegas, NV - Oct 8, 2016



A Day of make believe at the Kaibab Paiute Early
Learning Center

If you can dream it! You can Achieve it!
Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!!!

WANTED

We are still looking for a few good people
to sit on the Election Committee.
Please stop by the Tribal Office to pick
up an application!!!



Pipe Spring National Monument News Release

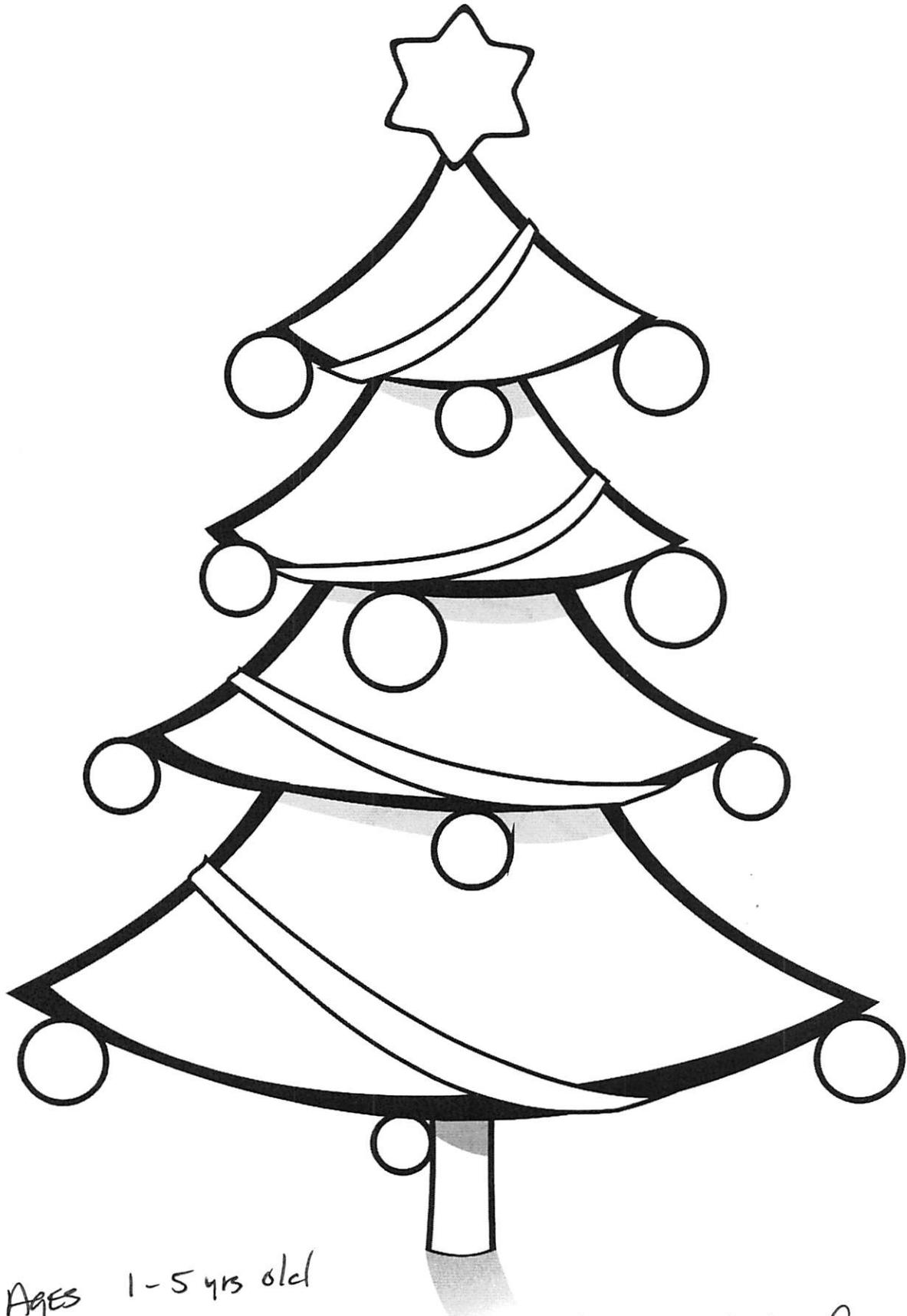
The Peace Car is Coming!

The Peace Corps, a government-sponsored organization to provide volunteer aid to other countries, is recognizing the celebration of the National Park Service Centennial. A returned Peace Corps volunteer is driving the Peace Car, a small, smart car sporting a Peace Corps logo wrap, to several national park units in Arizona.



The intent is to meet with returned Peace Corps volunteers who currently work or volunteer for the National Park Service, but this is also an opportunity for park visitors and community members to meet with recruiter Sophia Ewing to discuss potential Peace Corps volunteer opportunities. “People develop certain skill sets by volunteering for organizations such as the park service, and those skills are invaluable and transferable for international opportunities with the Peace Corps,” said Ewing. “Successful fulfillment of an assignment with the Peace Corps also provides opportunities for the returned Peace Corps volunteer to apply for federal jobs under a special hiring authority. It is a winning situation to share your skills with people of need in another country, develop your own skills, and qualify to apply for federal employment once you return to the US.”

If you would like to meet Sophia and learn more about the Peace Corps and opportunities, she and the Peace Car will be arriving at the Pipe Spring National Monument visitor center and Kaibab Paiute tribal museum on **Thursday afternoon, December 1, 2016**. For more information about the Peace Corps, visit <https://peacecorpswest.com/>. For information about volunteer opportunities at the national monument, call 928-643-7105.



FOR AGES 1-5 yrs old

When you are done! bring down to the tribal office for your free surprise!