

Cocopah Times Newsletter

COCOPAH INDIAN TRIBE

APRIL 2017 ISSUE

Tribal Phone Directory

ADAPP	627-2161
Cocopah Casino	726-8066
Cocopah Korner	341-1444
Cocopah Resort	722-6677
Cocopah Speedway	344-1563
Cocopah Wellness	627-2681
Community Center	627-5658
Cultural Resources	627-4849
CVT	627-8026
Daycare	627-3729
Education	627-4973
Elderly Program	627-4166
EPO Director x.7454	627-2025
Head Start	627-3197
Housing	627-8863
IHS 1(800) 862- 4911	
Judicial	627-2550
Museum	627-1992
Manpower	627-0616
Pesticide x.7455	627-2025
Prosecutor x.7452	627-2025
Public Works	627-0616
Purchasing x.7448	627-2025
Resort Gift Shop	217-1068
Rio Colorado Golf	627-0057
RV Park	343-9300
Social Services	627-3729
Title VI/XX	627-1148
Tribal Gaming	217-7718
Tribal Headquarters	627-2102
Tribal Police	627-8857
Wild River	627-0980
Youth Home	627-1298

28th Annual Easter Egg Hunt & Barbeque



Date: Saturday, April 8, 2017

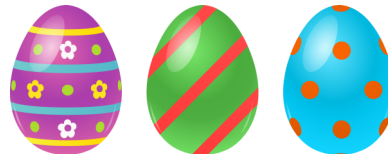
Time: 10:00am to 2:00pm

Place: Steamboat Park on the West Cocopah Reservation

Egg Hunters: Age 0-12 years young. The egg hunt will start at 10:30am sharp. Don't be late!

Activities will include: games, contests, prizes, and the hunt for the lucky eggs!

Bring your own baskets!



Barbeque will be served at 12:00 noon.

For more information, contact Cocopah ADAPP at (928) 627-2162.



MEMBERSHIP NOTICE

MEMBERSHIP MORATORIUM EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY

NOTICE:

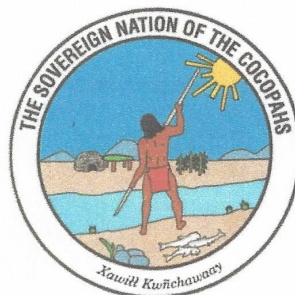
THERE IS A MORATORIUM ON THE COCOPAH TRIBE'S
ENROLLMENT OF MEMBERS.
(applications will not be acted on during this time)

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THIS DOES NOT AFFECT MINORS
QUALIFYING UNDER THE CONSTITUTION OF THE COCOPAH
TRIBE, ARTICLE III SECTION 1.

APPLICATION MUST BE SUBMITTED IN A TIMELY MANNER;
WITHIN ONE YEAR OF CHILDREN'S BIRTH FOR
CONSIDERATION.

THIS WILL BE IN EFFECT UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

COCOPAH TRIBAL COUNCIL



ADAPP ANNOUNCEMENT

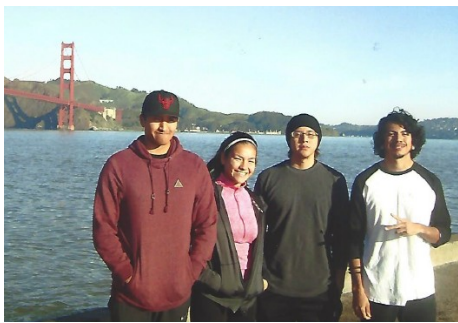
SINCE NOVEMBER 2016

Manuel Mills and I (Neil White) have been working with some of our youth and young adults to start a running group.

On the weekends we sometimes take them to Telegraph Pass to walk/run the mountains.

As well as Smuckers Park or around the west reservations.

Current active runners are Elizabeth Twist, Emilio Alvarez, Epi Diaz, Sid May III, Jere May, Ammom May and Manuel Mills.



Cocopah ADAPP

9803 Veterans Place
Somerton, AZ 85350

Phone: (928) 627-2161

Fax: (928) 627-3173

E-mail: adapp@cocopah.com

ADAPP WELLBRIETY NEWS

Yuma territorial half marathon held at Cocopah Casino
January 28th Elizabeth Twist and Manuel Mills got to compete in the Marathon.

Ms. Twist came in first in her age group competing against 9 others out of 400 participants. Mr. Mills came in 9th in his age group competing against 28 other out of 400 participants.

**They were sponsored by the Cocopah Wellness Center. Thank you.
GREAT JOB RUNNERS!**

“Run when you can, walk when you have to, crawl if you must, just never give up.” Dean Karnazes

On February 12th We had an opportunity to go to San Francisco to attend and participate in the The Longest Walk 5.2, “Ending Drug Abuse and Domestic Violence”.

It is a walk/run from San Francisco to Washington D.C. stopping at various Native communities calling attention to and seeking guidance on drug related issues and domestic violence. They are scheduled to arrive in Washington D.C. in the middle of July 2017.

Some Elders spoke on the past runs they took part in, running thirty (30) miles a day, and what drugs and domestic violence do to our communities.

Elizabeth Twist, Emilio Alvarez, Epi Diaz, and Manuel Mills had the opportunity to run across the Golden Gate Bridge. The first Cocopahs to run across the bridge. **GO COCOPAH!**

COMMUNITY GETTING TOGETHER HELPING OUT

We had fundraisers to cover some of the cost of the trip, vehicle rental, one hotel stay, gas and food. We had a lot of help from our community buying our breakfast burritos, chili dogs, cupcakes, cookies and Fry Bread

Some employees and Tribal members donated money. Some of these were donated from community members. THANK YOU FOR BELIEVING IN US.

A BIG THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING:

The Cocopah Museum and staff allowing us to use the Cultural Center for our fundraisers. Community Center staff for your donations. The Volunteers who donated their time and some food for the fundraisers. Taleena Garcia and Family, Elizabeth Twist and Family, Manuel Mills and Family, Karen Thomas and Family, Deanna Thomas and Family, Debbie White. We went loaded down with breakfast burritos, sandwiches, fruits, Gatorade, water, and various snacks. Thank you Wesla Twist, Karen Thomas, Ronnie Mack, Deanna Thomas for your help and use of your hotdog equipment.

WE ALL MADE IT HAPPEN!

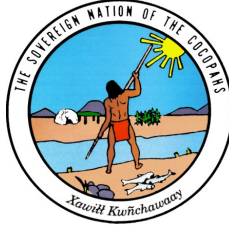
We will continue with our sales to raise monies for future events. Keep investing in our young adults and youth runners.

Those that have a desire to run or walk come on out.

COCOPAH VOCATIONAL TRAINING CENTER

APRIL 2017

Training for Success!



14250 S. Avenue I
Somerton, AZ 85350

Phone: 928-627-8026
johnsonjj@cocopah.com

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
2	3 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	4 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	5 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	6 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	7 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	8
9	10 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	11 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	12 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. In- takes by Appointment	13 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	14 Good Friday	15
16	17 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	18 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	19 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	20 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	21 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	22
23/30	24 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	25 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	26 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	27 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	28 B.I.A., N.A.U. N.E.W. & W.I.O.A. Intakes by Appointment	29

ANNOUNCEMENTS



The Elders Meeting will take place on April 20, 2017

At 10:00am

All Elders 55+ Welcome

Any questions please call

(928) 627-1992

Cocopah Indian Tribe Cocopah Vocational Training Center

Out of School?

(High School Graduated, GED or Student Drop Out)

CVT Can Help!!!

Are you: Between the ages of 16-24? Looking for Education?

Join the WIOA (Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act)

Program Out of School Youth Program

Eligible Youth will receive: Enrollment in GED Program, Assistance in getting back to High School, Vocational Training (Need H.S. or GED to qualify), Incentives, Support Services, Guidance Counseling

Please contact Sandy L. Johnson or Diana A. Navarro to schedule your appointment at (928) 627-8026.

Equal Employment Opportunity Employer/Program. Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request to individuals with disabilities.

TTY #(928) 329-6466

ARIZONA @ WORK™
Innovative Workforce Solutions

ELDERS LUNCH MENU APRIL 2017



Nutrition Program Lunches Provided Monday—Friday

Title VI/XX @ 627-1148

* Menu may be substituted due to shortages of needed items.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
3 Chicken Pasta Toss	4 Southern Beefy Skillet	5 Turkey Sandwich, Lettuce- Tomatoes	6 Cream of Asparagus	7 Chicken Cranberry Salad
10 Teriyaki Grilled Chicken & Veggie Rice Bowl	11 Skinny Burrito Bowl	12 Tuna Salad Sandwich	13 Chili Beans Corn Bread	14 GOOD FRIDAY
17 Ground Beef over Rice Mix Vegetables	18 Cheese-Steak Casserole	19 Roast Beef Sandwich lettuce tomatoes	20 Potatoes Soup	21 Italian Pasta Salad
24 Squash Casserole Cracker	25 Ham Sandwich Lettuce and Tomatoes	26 Beans and Cheese Burrito Fresh Salsa	27 Barbeque Beef Mix Vegetables	28 Fiesta Rice Corn chips

ENVIRONMENTAL & SAFETY CLEAN-UP

ENVIRONMENTAL & SAFETY CLEAN-UP

This is in addition to normal collection days and is strictly for the pickup of ordinary household bulk.



.CLEAN-UP SCHEDULE.

WEST RESERVATION

Mon., April 24
Tues., April 25

7:00 AM - 1:00 PM

EAST RESERVATION

Wed., April 26
Thurs., April 27

7:00 AM - 1:00 PM

NORTH RESERVATION

Fri., April 28

7:00 AM - 1:00 PM

All items must be placed out on curb.

ACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- Refrigerators, stoves, washing machines & other appliances
- Furniture
- Electronics
- Tires without rims (5 per household)
- Bagged lawn clippings

UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- Chemicals/paint/soils/poisons
- Large auto parts
- Large tree stumps
- Large concrete
- Dead animals
- Sewage/rotten meat

Man Power will assist Elders and Handicap homes. Please call in advance for assistance.



FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL
MAN POWER DEPT. 928.627.0616 OR
HOUSING DEPT. 928.627.8863

COCOPAH ANNOUNCEMENTS

COMMODITY DISTRIBUTION



May 4th, 2017 (Thursday)
from 1:00pm to 5:00pm
Distribution will be inside the
Cocopah Community Center lobby
"First Come, First Served" Basis



COCOPAH PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

Attention Community Member

The Public Works Department will be picking up trash on :

Thursday 4/13/17,

There will be NO trash pick up on: Friday 4/14/17

In observance of Good Friday

EDUCATION DRIVER'S COURSE

APRIL 5th AT THE COCOPAH COMMUNITY CENTER

10am – 12 NOON

TRIBAL MEMBERS WHEN YOU PASS TEST AND DRIVER'S COURSE

YOU WILL BE ELIGIBLE TO HAVE CVT ASSIST YOU WITH PAYMENT AT THE MVD

AGES 16 AND UP

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTION FEEL FREE TO CALL

NANETTE AT 627-4973

Cocopah Newsletter Submission Form

The last day you can submit any information for the May Issue is: **Monday, April 24th by 5:00 p.m.** Any late submissions will be added in the next month's newsletter. Community, Tribal departments and local events submissions are welcomed. We reserve the right to edit all submissions for length, language, multiple submissions, clarity or reject inappropriate submissions. You can complete this Submission Form which includes your name, date, and a contact phone number. Please fax or email us (museum@cocopah.com) with all information

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Message: _____
