

After Years Of Hard Work, A New Beginning

By Christina Villalobos

Editor's Note: Christina Villalobos is a participant at Southern California Tribal Chairmen's Association (SCTCA) TANF in Escondido. Here is her story, in her own words

I am a San Pasqual Band of Mission Indians descendant and a proud mother of three.

I became a parent at 18, but I knew I wanted to continue my education after high school. After attending high school in Valley Center, I took a year off to be with my son. I started taking a few classes at Palomar College, aiming for my Associates Degree. It was not until my third year that I realized I had an interest in Sociology. I continued to attend Palomar part-time and decided to major in Sociology. In between my second and third child, I started working in retail full time.

I found myself in a very difficult situation. I was a single parent struggling to support all three of my kids and myself. I continued to go to school, but worked and became a participant in the TANF program to make ends meet.

I graduated from Palomar College with my Associates Degree in 2010 and made the decision to transfer to California State University San Marcos. I remember questioning myself, "How am I going to afford going to a university?" It was after receiving my first financial aid award letter that I



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realized going to a four-year university was not an unattainable goal for a low-income single parent. It would just take dedication from me to go to class and do the work. I also contacted the San Pasqual Band of Mission Indians education department for scholarships and grants. I was awarded financial assistance from not only my tribe,

but from other tribes as well.

I remember loving the CSUSM campus as soon as I did my orientation. I was excited to be attending a university at last. It was difficult at times to juggle work, school and being a mom. Yet I did my best to balance all three. There were plenty of times when I was forced to use my work lunch break as a study period. Every time I felt stressed, I ran to my mom for comfort and words to help me get through the day. My mom was my biggest support system. I could also depend on Tribal TANF for anything else I needed to accomplish my goals.

I always tell my peers how fortunate I am to have had a program like Tribal TANF assist me with my educational and career goals. I see some parents struggle with childcare and I feel privileged to have help with childcare. It was hard leaving my kids at daycare while I was a school and work. I felt selfish at times, but I would remind myself that the end result would be absolutely rewarding.

In May 2014, my dreams started to become a reality. My hard work finally was paying off. I graduated from CSUSM with my Bachelor's in Sociology. It was one of the

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SCTCA Tribal Digital Village Director Accepts Broadband Technology Award

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Matthew Rantanen

The Tribal Digital Village (TDV) Network, led by Matthew Rantanen, Director of Technologies for Southern California Tribal Chairmen's Association (SCTCA), has been honored by the Corporation for Education Network Initiatives in California (CENIC) as a recipient of the 2016 Innovations in Networking Award for Broadband Application.

SCTCA, a multi-service non-profit corporation supporting 19 federally recognized Indian tribes in Southern California, is addressing the lack of internet access for its tribal communities. TDV is taking its wireless broadband network

to the next level of support for 17 Indian reservation communities in San Diego County.

"It is a truly an honor to be awarded by CENIC for "Innovations in Networking: Broadband Applications," for the work that I've done since 2001 here at SCTCA," Rantanen said. "It is rare that an individual can have a job where they are involved with the physical implementation of change, influence policy at the federal and state level, and see the benefits in the community from that work. The Tribal Digital Village Network/SCTCA has afforded me these opportunities and I would like to make sure that everyone knows that this is a team effort, and that I could not have done it without them."

"Matthew Rantanen is deserving of this recognition," Loris Taylor, President and CEO of Native Public Media, told CENIC.

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proudest days of my life and I was fortunate enough to share that pride with my three children, friends and family. Weeks before the main graduation event, the campus held a special ceremony that recognizes graduates of Native American descent. I was blessed to have Kelly Allen and Desiree Herrera from Escondido TANF come to support me on that day.

After graduation, I was burdened with yet another challenge. I had this feeling of "What do I do now?" I was so used to a routine of going to school and working, I was somewhat afraid of taking on the next step: starting a career path and putting my education to use.

I wrote countless cover letters and resumes. I would receive feedback from some employers, some of them only mildly promising and some not. I remember feeling discouraged every time I was not offered an interview.

Then one day, while sitting in the billing office of Rincon Indian Health Council's dental department, something prompted me to ask Shanika (an IHC staff member), "How do I get a job here?" It was that very moment she let me know about an open position called a Patient Service Representative and printed the application for me. The next day, I was turning in a polished application, resume and cover letter. My guardian angel must have been looking down on me that day, because within one week I was hired!

I have been working for Indian Health Council for about almost two months and absolutely love it! They really made me feel

welcomed and the staff is great. Almost everyone that works there is engaged in exercising activities during lunch and living a healthy lifestyle. It has inspired me to become involved with my own well-being more than ever.



I also love the work I do. As a patient service rep, I use my customer service skills, but I am also learning a lot about the medical field.

I still want to go back to school and pursue my Master's degree one day. My next big step, hopefully, is to work towards a Master's Degree in Social Work, concentrating in Behavioral Health. I'd like to help people in my community face drug and alcohol addictions, get them in recovery and help restore their lives.

I would just like to end by giving my advice for anyone struggling to make their goal a reality: surround yourself with positive people, think positively even if times look bleak - and do not underestimate yourself. Remember that your mind is a powerful thing. If you fill it with positive thoughts, you will feel good about yourself and attract good things in life. And to my children - Robert, Kaylah and Mariyah - I love you. 🖤

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SCTCA Tribal Digital Village Director Accepts Broadband Technology Award

"His service to Indian Country is not only important but critical. With much of Indian Country still in need of broadband and other telecom infrastructure and support. Rantanen's voice at the local and national policy tables is making a difference. He is our champion and his work with the Southern California Tribal Digital Village, Native Public Media, National Congress of American Indians and the Federal Communications Commission is a remarkable example of his leadership and dedication to rural broadband access across tribal communities."

As Director of Technology for SCTCA, Matthew assists tribes with technology development, ranging from radio station application, to tribal administration technologies, to technology policy development. Matthew serves on the Federal Communication Commission (FCC) Native Nations Broadband Task Force and is co-chair of the National Congress of the American Indians (NCAI) Technology and Telecommunications Subcommittee and the Technology Task Force and NCAI.

Since 2001, it has been TDV's long-term goal to have its Tribal Digital Village Network (TDVNet) bring internet services to communities by creating more than 350 miles of point-to-point and point-to-multi-point links supporting 86 tribal buildings, including tribal administration buildings, EPA departments, fire stations, law enforcement, utilities departments, libraries, schools and Head Start programs. Its goal is to provide broadband access for the 3,000 homes and more than 8,900 people on reservations and to the approximately 2,500 adjacent homes unserved by commercial broadband companies, according to CENIC.

Because of the SCTCA team's commitment to and understanding of the importance of bringing internet to homes, businesses, and key social institutions, TDVNet is creating thriving, self-sufficient communities. With the expansion of TDVNet into tribal community homes, TDVNet and SCTCA will be fulfilling one of the major goals of their missions to help these tribal communities get ahead in life. 🖤

Native American Coach Honored by Iipay Nation

By Brandie Taylor, Legislator, Iipay Nation of Santa Ysabel and Warner School Board Member



Brandie Taylor and Tom Vargas

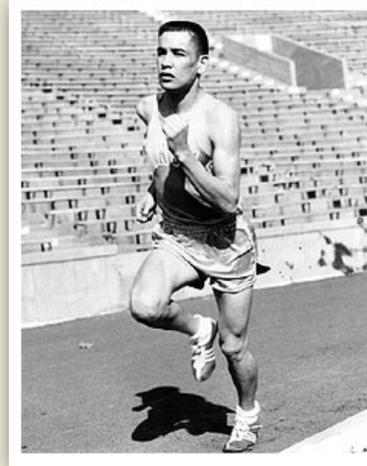
On March 1st, we honored Coach Tom Vargas (Iipay Nation of Santa Ysabel tribal member) at the Warner High School Basketball Banquet.

Coach Vargas was recognized for the many years he coached Lady Wildcats basketball team. Several young Native women played on his team in the past years and he taught them strength and perseverance. He also built their confidence and above all their teamwork ethic. Many of these young athletes went on to college or entered the work force believing in themselves.

Coach Vargas also had the pleasure of coaching his daughter, Marquel, and granddaughter Taylor. Both were All-League players. We are hoping that he will now coach the Santa Ysabel Basketball C Team through Inter-Tribal sports. 🖊️

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Tokyo



The Summer Olympics are in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, this year.

Brazil is half a world away from Tokyo, where in 1964 Billy Mills stunned the world of Olympic track and field when he won the 10,000 meter race.

Mills – an Oglala Lakota Sioux – stormed from behind to narrowly defeat a field that included several other Olympic medalists and world-record holders.

He was the first American – and to date still the only one – to ever win Olympic Gold in the 10,000 meters.

Mills’ accomplishment was remarkable not only because it was completely unexpected, but he won with a late surge that set a then-Olympic record time of 28 minutes, 24.4 seconds. His finish was also 50 seconds faster than he’d ever run before in the 10,000 meters.

In the online site *Running Past*, the excitement of Mills’ victory is captured by a writer who was a young man at the time:

“The Australian guy’s name is Clarke; the announcer just said it, and I’ll remember it ‘cause he looks like Clark Kent half-changed in Superman. He looks like he eats barbed wire for lunch. He keeps trying to run away from our guy, but Billy always catches up with him.

“It’s the last lap...and these guys are running faster than before. Billy and Clarke are shoulder-to-shoulder just ahead of the little Tunisian guy...HE’S GONNA DO IT! I KNEW IT! Lookit him go... Dad’s screamin’ like it was Jimmy Brown about to score for Syracuse.. he’s gonna do it, he’s got his hands up in the air and a big smile (and) he’s got leg muscles the size our Buick and the announcer says it’s a new Olympic record and no American’s ever done anything like this before.

“They’re interviewing him now and his father was a Sioux Indian and he is a Marine lieutenant and he has an Olympic gold medal for running six miles. You can’t get any more American than that.”

Mills was born on June 30, 1938 in Pine Ridge, South Dakota and was raised on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation. His given Lakota name is Makata Taka Hela, which means “love your country” or more traditionally translated, “respects the earth.”

He was inducted into the United States Olympic Hall of Fame in 1984, and is a member of the United States Track and Field Hall of Fame, the National Distance Running Hall of Fame, the Kansas Hall of Fame, the San Diego Hall of Fame, and the National High School Hall of Fame, according to *Running Past*.

Mills, who now lives in Sacramento, spends most of his time these days as a motivational speaker, inspiring thousands of kids over the years. “The ultimate is not to win, but to reach within the depths of your capabilities and to compete against yourself to the greatest extent possible,” Mills tells his audiences. “When you do that, you have dignity. You have the pride. You can walk about with character and pride no matter in what place you happen to finish.”

San Diego TANF Always Busy, Always Focused



Angelina Perez



Michael Cervantes

At Southern California Tribal Chairmen's Association (SCTCA) TANF San Diego, the number of participants may vary – but attention to them does not.

"I've been employed at San Diego Tribal TANF seven years this March," said Eddie Perez, TANF Caseworker. "To this day I continue to be very excited about serving our families. Working with participants to overcome challenges and ultimately achieve their goal of self-sufficiency is what keeps me believing that Tribal TANF is doing tremendous work for Native families."

Perez is one of two caseworkers at the office, along with LaTasha Gamble. The two of them work with Angelina Perez, Career and Vocational Development Specialist; Cynthia Gilliam and Samantha Itami-Sevilla, Eligibility Specialists; Michael Cervantes, Educational Coordinator; Tanya Bigfeather, Administrative Assistant; Kenia Ledezma, TANF Clerk; and Paul Miranda, Site Manager.

The office also includes TANF Drivers Joe Whitley and Jason Prieto, who transport participants throughout southern San Diego County.

Ledezma is the newest member of the San Diego office – but she is not new to TANF. She was the clerk at the Pala TANF office for two and a half years before transferring to San Diego in mid-February. "The last month has been a learning experience," Ledezma said. "The entire San Diego staff has been very welcoming and helpful. I'm happy to be here and look forward to meeting the rest of our TANF participants."

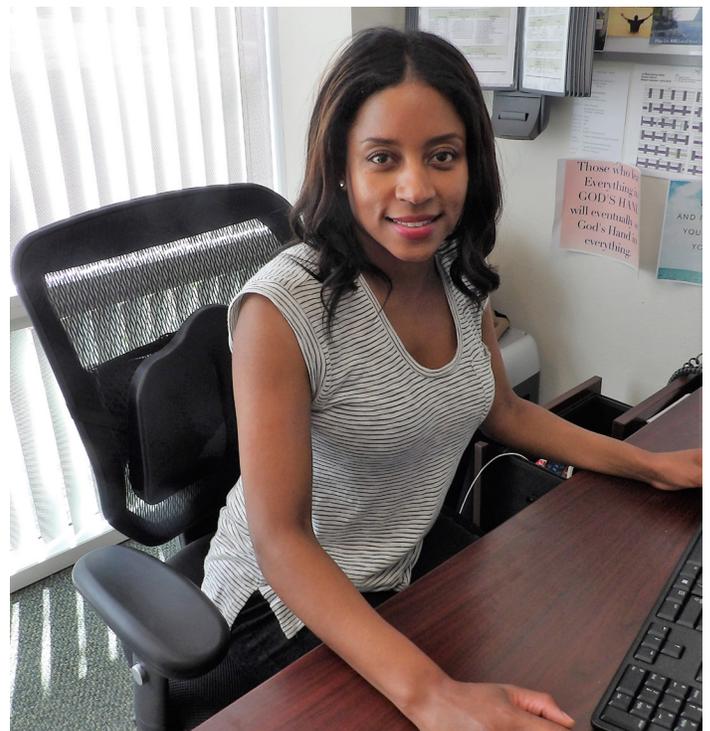
Miranda has been the site manager at San Diego for more than a year, overseeing the office as staffers provide assistance to a wide range of participants, their children and families. It's a combination

that pleases him.

"I have found a distinct pleasure working with not only my staff, but also each of our participants," Miranda said. "(And) participants should be on the look-out for new staff that will soon be onboard at the San Diego office."

The San Diego office currently has open positions for TANF Clerk and another Career and Development Specialist. Once those positions are filled, the office will be fully staffed and will continue to focus on helping participants, Miranda said.

- GARY TAYLOR



LaTasha Gamble

Pablo Tac: Life and Customs of a Mission Indian

Contributed by Colleen Turner, SCTCA TANF



Editor's Note: Pablo Tac was a Luiseno Indian who was born at Mission San Luis Rey in January of 1822. This is the first of two excerpts from his book, *Indian Life and Customs at Mission San Luis Rey*.

The Franciscan Fathers of whom I speak are called Padres Fernandinos in Mexico, because their college or convent is called the Convent of San Fernando Rey de Espana. These Fathers came to Alta California and one of them came to our country which we call Quechla, and because of this we called ourselves Quechnajuichom.

My people were astonished when they saw the missionary coming over a hill with seven Spanish soldiers. They brought our captain and us gifts. The missionary's name was Fr. Antonio Peyri. They camped with us for several days. In the morning he would say Mass, and then he planned how he would baptize them, where he would put his house, the church, and as there were 5,000 Indians, how would he sustain them. Having the captain of the village for his friend, he was afraid of nothing. It was a great mercy the Indians did not kill the Spanish when they arrived.

The Indians could understand Fr. Peyri somewhat. He ordered the Indians to get stone from the ocean for the foundations. He taught them how to make bricks, roof tiles, to cut beams, reeds and what was necessary. The Indians worked with the masters who were helping them and within a few years they finished working. They built a church with three altars, two chapels, two sacristies, two choirs, a flower garden for the church, a high tower with five bells, two small and three large, the cemetery with a crucifix in the middle for all those who died here.

After the church is the place of the masons; here they have a work shop with supplies of mortar, lime, etc. After this comes the storehouse for wine. Within are 200 casks of wine, brandy and white wine, 400 barrels, for Mass, to sell to the Spanish and English travelers who often came to the mission to sell cloth, linen, cotton and whatever they bring from Boston. Then there is a room for the General of California, when he comes to the Mission. And, four other rooms for travelers. In the middle is the reception room, with three portraits – one of St. Louis King of France, the second of the Good Shepherd, and the third of the Virgin of Guadalupe.

In one corner is a clock and beyond the refectory, next is the room for Fr. Peyri, with a small door to get out in hurry in case of an earthquake, a room for the servant of the missionary. Next is a house for travelers which has the biggest door of all. There are houses for the Spanish people of the Mission. Large room for the Indian boys with its patio and two gardens. A soap house. Room for the Indian girls. Corral for the stock. Mill. Enclosure for the lambs. House of the shepherds. Corral. Grainery. Barn for the horses of the mission and sacks of fodder. Infirmary for the women. Infirmary for the men. Kitchen where posole and atole are made. Barracks. Bakery. Storehouse for blankets and supplies. Oil mill. Flour mill. Blacksmith shop. Carpenter shop. Place for skins. Room for presses. In a few years all was done. The Indians learned all the skills to run the mission, from carpentry, gardening, cooking, blacksmith, cutting cattle, to soap making. The Indian children went to the mission school.

Towards the south there was a very big kitchen garden with a pasture to the side. We said that the Mission was placed on a hillock. Below this hillock there is an ever-flowing fountain from which the Indians and the missionary bring water to drink. They made two fountains before the gate of the garden. The garden is extensive, full of fruit trees, pears, apples, peaches, quinces, pomegranates, figs, watermelons, melons, vegetables, cabbage, lettuce, radishes, mints, parsley and others.

Over to the west of the garden is the pasture for the horses. In this area of the mission, workmen found a California lion which is the same as the cat of Europe, but more powerful than a tiger, not for its strength but for its agility. It is very difficult to kill. It kills the horses, seizing them with a leap. The workmen that found it, and because there were many of them, the lion was afraid of them. It ran leaping here and there around the pasture. The Indians were hiding behind the trees and one of them threw a stone at the lion and stuck it in the middle of the forehead weakening it falling and then died. 🖊️



At Rincon IHC, Native American Art

In a corridor off the main lobby of the Rincon Indian Health medical building, more than a dozen paintings hang on the walls. The paintings – some in bright colors, others in muted shades of black and white – reflect Native American culture and history.

Some of the paintings are rendered in vivid detail; others are distant recreations. All, though, are displayed prominently, in places clearly visible to anyone, any time. On these two pages are several of the pieces. 🖌️



Is Colorful - And Always on Display



- GARY TAYLOR





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- A blanket and sleeping bag per person
- Change of clothes and shoes
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- Extra set of keys
- Basic toiletries
- Flashlight and extra batteries
- Specific items for the elderly, infants, and disabled
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Space #8 – Classroom 1 Classes: January 4th – February 12th, 2016

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	Life Skills 8:30AM–10:30AM Beth Moffat		Loving Solutions 8:30AM–10:30AM IHC Staff	Tribal Culture 8:30AM–10:30AM Bonnie Salgado
DMV Preparation 10:45AM–12:45PM Laura Rizza	Culture Class 10:45AM–12:45PM Bonnie Salgado		Tribal Culture 10:45AM–12:45PM Bonnie Salgado	Indep. Tribal Culture 10:45AM–12:45PM
	Independent Culture 1PM–4PM		Indep. Tribal Culture 1PM–4PM	

Space #8 – Classroom 2 Classes: January 4th – June 30th, 2016

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Study Hall	Study Hall	Study Hall	Study Hall	MATH TUTORIAL 9:45AM–12:45PM J. Murphy
	Study Hall	Diploma / GED 10:45AM–1:45PM J. Murphy	Study Hall	No classes
Study Hall	Study Hall	Study Hall	Study Hall	No classes

Space #39 – Computer Lab Classes: January 4th – June 30th, 2016

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Self Paced Class 8:30AM–10:30AM Staff	MICROSOFT Word 8:30AM–10:30AM Wanda	Intro to PC's 8:30AM–10:30AM Charles	MICROSOFT Word 8:30AM–10:30AM Wanda	10 Key Class 8:30AM–10:30AM Wanda
Self Paced Class 10:45AM–12:45PM Staff	MICROSOFT Excel 10:45AM–12:45PM Wanda	Intro to PC's 10:45AM–12:45PM Charles	MICROSOFT Excel 10:45AM–12:45PM Wanda	Keyboarding 10:45AM–12:45PM Wanda
Self Paced Class 1PM–4AM Staff	Self Paced Class 1PM–4AM Staff	Computers Lab 1PM–4PM OPEN LAB	Self Paced Class 1PM–4AM Staff	Computer Class closed @ 12:45PM on Fridays

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ABE/GED 9AM–11AM Spanish 9AM–11AM Phillip Roy/ Health Care 9AM–11AM Keyboarding 9AM–12PM Reading Horizons 9AM–10AM & 12PM–2PM Applied Skill Practice (GED) 11:30AM–1:30PM Open Lab/Job Search /Applied Skills 8:30AM–4PM (VARIES BY CLIENT)	Life Skills/ What Color Is My Parachute 9AM–11AM Life Skills/ Practical Life Skills 11:30AM–1:30PM Math Refresher 9AM–11AM Open Lab/ Job Search/ Applied Skills 8:30AM–4PM (VARIES BY CLIENT)	ABE/GED 9AM–11AM Spanish 9AM–11AM Math Refresher 9AM–11AM Keyboarding 8:30AM–12PM Reading Horizons 9AM–10AM Computer Skills (GED Prep) 11:30AM–1:30PM Open Lab/Job Search 8:30AM–4PM (VARIES BY CLIENT)	Phillip Roy/ Welding 9AM–1:30PM Reading Horizons 9AM–11AM 11AM–1PM Computer Skills (General) 11AM–2PM Open Lab/Job Search /Applied Skills 8:30AM–4PM (VARIES BY CLIENT)	Spanish 9AM–11AM Phillip Roy/ Clerical Office 9AM–11AM & 11:30AM–1:30PM Keyboarding 9AM–12PM Reading Horizons 11AM–1PM Open Lab/Job Search 8:30AM–4PM (VARIES BY CLIENT)

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Job Readiness 9AM–4PM Individual Training Plan 9AM–4PM Counseling Services 9AM–4PM Quickbooks Certification Training 9:30AM–11:30AM Microsoft Computer Certification Training NOON–2PM Academic Tutoring (All Subjects) 1PM–6PM/BALLARD CENTER	Academic Tutoring (All Subjects) 9AM–3PM Job Readiness 9AM–4PM Individual Training Plan 9AM–4PM Counseling Services 9AM–4PM Quickbooks Certification Training 9:30AM–11:30AM Microsoft Computer Certification Training NOON–2PM Academic Tutoring (All Subjects) 1PM–6PM/BALLARD CENTER Traditional Parenting Training 4/12: NOON–2PM Ready to Work Training 4/26: 12:30PM–1:30PM	Job Readiness 9AM–4PM Individual Training Plan 9AM–4PM Counseling Services 9AM–4PM Quickbooks Certification Training 9:30AM–11:30AM Academic Tutoring (All Subjects) 10:30AM–5:30PM Microsoft Computer Certification Training NOON–2PM Academic Tutoring (All Subjects) 1PM–6PM/BALLARD CENTER Women's Circle 4/6, 13 & 27: NOON–2PM Sacred Pipe TUPE Program 4/6, 13, 20 & 27: 3:30PM–5:30PM Ready to Work Training 4/20: 12:30PM–1:30PM	Job Readiness 9AM–4PM Individual Training Plan 9AM–4PM Counseling Services 9AM–4PM Quickbooks Certification Training 9:30AM–11:30AM Parenting Training 11AM–1PM Academic Tutoring (All Subjects) 11AM–4PM Microsoft Computer Certification Training NOON–2PM Sacred Pipe TUPE Program (SDAIHYC) 4/14 & 28: 4PM–6PM Coffee with the Director 4/21: NOON–1PM	Academic Tutoring (All Subjects) 9AM–3PM Job Readiness 9AM–4PM Career Development 9AM–4PM Individual Training Plan 9AM–4PM Counseling Services 9AM–4PM Structured Computer Lab 9AM–4PM

**No Microsoft Computer Certification Training

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Monday Office Hours: 8AM - 4:30PM	Career Building 9AM	Life Skills 9AM	Parenting 9AM	Friday Office Hours: 8AM - 4:30PM
	Open Lab/ Job Search 12:30PM-2PM	Open Lab/ Job Search 12:30PM-2PM	Open Lab/ Job Search 12:30PM-2PM	
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Culture/ Entrepreneurial Class 9AM-12PM	GED Prep 10AM-1PM	World of Work 9AM-12PM	GED Prep 10AM-1PM	Tutorial 9AM-12PM
Native Arts & Crafts 12:30PM-3:30PM	Computers 10AM-1PM	GED Prep 12:30PM-3:30PM	Computers 10AM-1PM	
	Parenting Class 12:30PM-3:30PM			

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APRIL 11, MONDAY	BARONA VIEJAS	9 AM – 10 AM 11 AM – 12 NOON
APRIL 12, TUESDAY	SAN PASQUAL	9 AM – 12 NOON
APRIL 14, THURSDAY	MESA GRANDE SANTA YSABEL	9 AM – 10 AM 10:30 AM – 12 NOON
APRIL 18, MONDAY	MANZANITA/LA POSTA OLD CAMPO	9:45 AM – 11 AM 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM
APRIL 19, TUESDAY	PAUMA PECHANGA	9 AM – 10 AM 11AM – 12 NOON
APRIL 20, WEDNESDAY	RINCON	9 AM – 12 NOON
APRIL 25, MONDAY	CAMPO	10 AM – 12:30 PM
APRIL 27, WEDNESDAY	PALA	9 AM – 11:30 AM



Coming in May:

- What was the theme of this year's *Dream the Impossible* Conference?
- How many Native American students attended the event?
- What were some of the workshops and presentations?

In our next issue, read about the annual *Dream the Impossible* Conference at the University of San Diego.