

T'epot'aha'l

The People of the Salinan Tribe

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Salinan Tribe To Meet San Salvador In The Bay

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The **August General Meeting** was held at the residence of Don and Evelyn Pierce on Sunday August 14th, where many tribal members gathered for the construction of the Tule canoes to be used to meet the San Salvador with all the tribal regalia. We would like to thank all those present for their time and the wonderful food provided for those in attendance. "The meeting was a great success."



Pictured here is the finished canoe, and a smaller one used as a model for construction. The following pictures were taken during the construction process as well as the luncheon that followed.

The finished canoes



Preparing the floats



Tribal updates



Bound Tule foats



Rope braiding table
created by Melanie and Lee



Binding Tule



Preparing the floats



Tule rope braiding



Don Pierce Jr. addressing the
tribe regarding re-creation
of the event and the meeting
of the San Salvador
at Morro Bay harbor



Testing the waters

September 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27	28	29	1	2	3
4 Happy Birthday Elder Judith Andersen	5	6 Happy Birthday Elder Anthony Williams	7	8	9 Happy Birthday Elder Janet Roberson	10 Happy Birthday Elder Harold Montgomery
11	12 Happy Birthday Elder John Pierce	13 Happy Birthday Elder George McCormack	14 Tribal Business meeting 6:30pm	15	16	17
18	19 Happy Birthday Elder Coleen Brown	20	21 Happy Birthday Elder Joseph Gandara	22	23	24
25	26 Happy Birthday Elder John McCormack	27	28 Reenactment of the San Salvador will take place on one of these days	29	30	1

Tribal business meeting is the 2nd Wednesday of each month

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REMEMBER TO PRAY TO kensha:nel (CREATOR) TO keeheak (PROTECT) ALL lu wa' (MEN) AND lets'e (WOMAN) SERVING IN THE WAR. AND BRING THEM Ta'ma (HOME) SAFE.

Vision of the Salinan Tribe

We, as the Salinan Tribe, follow the way of our ancestors as we walk the path of our heritage toward becoming complete individuals. We exercise our rights as a sovereign entity. We continue to reawaken our culture. Each and every tribal member has an equal voice.

We, as the Salinan Tribe, commit to honoring the rights of each and every tribal member to practice our spiritual, individual, or religious beliefs. We remember and honor our ancestors, elders, and children now and for all generations to come.

We as the Salinan Tribe, continue to gather as a tribal family.

