



T'epot'aha'l

The People of the Salinan Tribe

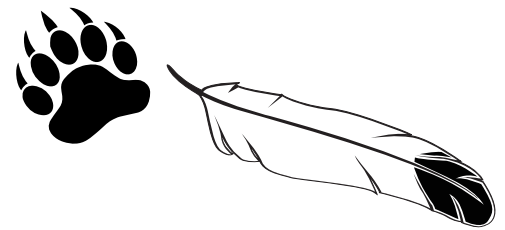
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Mission San Antonio de Padua has some great news. The new mural honoring the Salinan people has been installed in the museum.

The Salinan room has some other new changes that look wonderful.



They have also been working hard continuing their work with the restoration work. One of the projects just finished is the interior garden. It looks so pretty and fresh with all the new pathways and native plants.

They have also added a new area so all the bedrock mortars are all in one spot.



**Winter Solstice Celebration Tuesday
December 21st. Morro Rock (Lesamo),
Morro Bay Ca. 12 noon to sunset.
Make sure you bring your chairs and
dress warm and food to share.**





PANDEMIC EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE FUNDING

NFRTT has been granted additional funding to provide support to families that have been affected by the COVID-19 Pandemic.
Was your family affected by COVID-19? A loss of a job, loss of wages, school closures, having to care for a family member who was infected by COVID-19, additional costs for food, inability to pay rent, utilities.

NFRTT may be able to help you meet your emergency needs.
 In order to be eligible, families must meet the following criteria:

- Be an American Indian/Alaska Native family residing in Madera, Fresno, Mariposa, Merced, Monterey, San Benito or San Luis Obispo
- Have a minor in the home
- Provide a completed application and verification of the support being requested
- Have monthly income at or below 300% of the Federal Poverty Guidelines

FAMILY SIZE	MONTHLY INCOME
1	\$3,220
2	\$4,355
3	\$5,490
4	\$6,625
5	\$7,760
6	\$8,895
7	\$10,030
8	\$11,165
9	\$13,285
10	\$14,405

Examples of an emergency can include:

Hotel Assistance for homelessness • Rental Assistance to include up to 3 months of unpaid back rent and associated late fees • Move in fee's • Security deposit • Food assistance • 3 months of past due unpaid utility charges such as gas, electric, water, garbage, wood, cooling units • Uncovered charges for Mental Health and Substance Abuse counseling charges • Medication management • Work related expenses for specialty tools • Work clothing • Grooming for those families who are seeking or actively employed • Costs for mobile hotspots, Wi-Fi Booster, laptop, Chromebook • Monthly household credit per person for up to four months to assist with hygiene/cleaning items • Children clothing allowance • Vehicle assistance to include traffic infractions • Insurance • Registration • Repairs

**Please visit our website to download
a PEAFF Intake Application**

Scan the QR code to take you to our application website.
 Or contact our locations with any questions pertaining to this process.
 Fresno TANF Office (559)298-5700 • North Fork TANF Office (559)877-5500
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December Elder Birthdays

11th, Toni Woody (Pierce). Toni was born in Santa Barbara, California to Edward J. Pierce and Virginia L. Deleisseques. She is the granddaughter of Edward R. Pierce and Maria A. Bylon.

14th, Nancy Rangel. Nancy was born in San Luis Obispo, California to Lena (or Colena) Lugo and George L. Rangel. She is the granddaughter of Viviana aka Rosita Acedo aka Pico and Frank Lugo-Higuera.

16th, John Walter Burch. John was born in San Bernardino, California to George F. Burch and Edna M. Lamb. He is the the grandson of Margaret R. McCormack and John Wesley Burch.

23rd, Pamela H. Flood (Pierce). Pamela was born in San Luis Obispo, California to Ernest R. (Skinner) Pierce and Vera J. DeMartini. She is the granddaughter of Edward R. Pierce and Katherine (Catarina) McCormack.

December 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8 Tribal Business meeting 6:30pm	9	10	11 Happy Birthday Elder Toni Woody (Pierce)
12	13	14 Happy Birthday Elder Nancy Rangel	15	16 Happy Birthday Elder John Walter Burch	17	18
19	20	21 * Winter Solstice Celebration	22	23 Happy Birthday Elder Pamela H. Flood (Pierce)	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	1
Tribal business meeting is the 2nd Wednesday of each month						

THERE ARE NO DRUGS OR ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES ALLOWED AT ANY TRIBAL EVENTS.

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WE ONLY LIST THE BIRTHDAYS FOR TRIBAL ELDERS.

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REMEMBER TO PRAY TO kensha:nel (CREATOR) TO keeheak (PROTECT) ALL lu wa' (MEN) AND lets'e (WOMAN) WHO ARE SERVING OUR COUNTRY. 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.

