

## COUNCILMAN SPOTTED BEAR'S GREETINGS

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### Tashkanito'sha Aame!

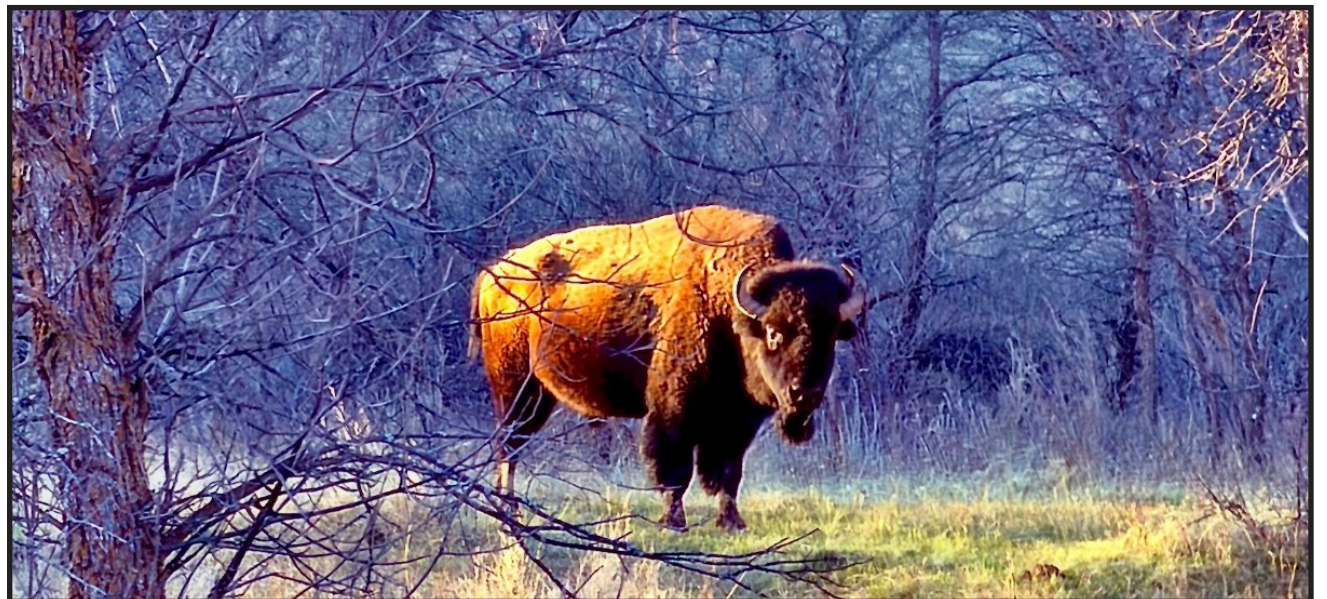
*Greetings to all!*

I hope everyone is having a great spring season as we kick off summer. Congratulations to all our 2026 headstart, kindergarten, 8th grade, high school, and college graduates, you did it! I wish you all the best as you navigate your education. Both of my grandmas used to remind me the importance of an education. They would say, "your education is something no one can ever take from you." Once you acquire it, that knowledge stays with you forever.

There are many exciting activities to look forward to as we kick off summer. We recently hosted a youth wrestling camp that was presented by our very own tribal members Skylar and Taylon Little Soldier, in collaboration with our local Fit and Rec Department. The camp was a success with many of our local youth wrestlers participating.

Summer Youth Program is just around the corner providing employment opportunities to our community youth. Twin Buttes powwow celebration and annual rodeo are in a few weeks during Father's Day weekend. The rodeo will take place Saturday June 20th at our outdoor arena. Our annual Fishing 101 is just a few days away. Our 4th of July activities is just a month away.

Summertime is gardening time. I hope everyone that is interested can get some seeds planted and get some vegetables growing. Our MHA Nation has a rich history



of successful food production along the Missouri River.

Our busy construction schedule has been slowing down but will be picking back up again with on-going Twin Buttes High School and campus construction and four new homes that will arrive this fall. These new houses will be set in our new West Hills Subdivision, which is in close proximity to our existing West Housing Subdivision. These new homes will provide more housing opportunities to our growing community and future High School and Assisted Living employees. There are also seven campground cabins that will be set up near the three earth lodges just west of town near the bison pasture.

Our solar panel system has been installed at the bison pasture campus and is now

providing off grid power to the several buildings in that area. We will continue to supplement our power generation throughout the community utilizing renewable energy sources. One day all the households in Twin Buttes that want to have solar supplemented energy will have solar installed. This will reduce the cost of our monthly energy bills.

The assisted living is nearly 100 percent constructed with only small details to tend to. There is a firm hired called "The Project Team" a subsidiary company of "Ho-Chunk, Inc." that is contracted to aid in the process of opening our assisted living and qualifying some of the services that will be offered into revenue generating billable services. This

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# COLLEGE GRADUATES CLASS OF 2026



Morning Grace Spotted Bear  
South Dakota Mines



Kooper Dahlen  
UTTC



Vanessa Holen  
University of North Dakota



Geneva Kazena  
UTTC



Danelle Fox  
UTTC



Dione Otten  
North Dakota State



Stephan Packineau  
Minot State



Michael Moreno  
Mayville State

# HIGH SCHOOL CLASS OF 2026



**Avrie Mae Hall**  
Killdeer High School



**Ophelia Howling Wolf**  
Killdeer High School



**Tierra Rave**  
Bismarck Legacy High School



**Eli Eaglestaff**  
Mandan High School



**Colter Makes Him First**  
NHSC GED



**Coulee Mossett**  
NHSC GED

**Councilman Spotted Bear's Greetings  
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will ensure that our assisted living is funded and financially secure. The Twin Buttes assisted living is a beautiful facility with a commercial kitchen, spa retreat area, salon, garage parking, and several gathering spaces for socializing and family gatherings. The landscaping and view from the assisted living is breathtaking.

The bison pasture expansion pasture fencing is nearly complete. This will expand our 4,000-acre Hans Creek pasture by an



additional 5-6,000 acres. Most of the expansion is continual tribal trust acreage. We will be able to offer some tourism opportunities and bring some seasonal visitors to our area to support our local economy. The expansion will also allow us to increase the size of our herd with access to more grazing lands. Our Little Missouri breaks just west of our community are a showcase special place for our visitors as well as our local people to enjoy.

I hope everyone has a good summer season. There are lots of outdoor activities to enjoy in our homelands of Twin Buttes. Take some time this summer to enjoy the shoreline or lake Sakakawea, the rolling hills of our prairie lands and the abundance of our rich coulees and wooded draws. Take the time to take a drive out west of Twin Buttes and experience the beautiful views of the badlands clay buttes and the Little

Missouri breaks. Go see the earth lodges and you might catch a glimpse of some bison or herd of elk.

*With that I say "hahoo, a'taro'nito'sh!  
That is all for now!*

*Cory Spotted Bear*

**Councilman Cory Spotted Bear  
Twin Buttes Representative  
Vice Chairman of the MHA Nation**



**SUMMER YOUTH**  
Jobs

**REMINDER:**  
APPLICATIONS ARE DUE IN FULL BY TOMORROW, FRIDAY JUNE 5<sup>TH</sup>, 2026 BEFORE 10AM CST!  
APPLICATIONS TURNED IN AFTER THIS TIME ARE SUBJECT TO DENIAL  
APPLICATIONS THAT ARE INCOMPLETE, WITHOUT TWO FORMS OF ID (SOCIAL SECURITY, BIRTH CERTIFICATE ECT.) WILL ALSO BE SUBJECT TO DENIAL

**REQUIREMENTS**  
\*AGES 14 - 18  
\*RESIDENT OF TWIN BUTTES  
\*ENROLLED MEMBER OF MHA NATION  
\*MUST HAVE TWO (2) FORMS OF ID  
\*MUST COMPLETE AND RETURN APPLICATIONS BEFORE DEADLINE

Please contact Blanche Hunts Along @ 701-421-0351 with any questions

**FATHERS DAY WALK**

**ALL ARE WELCOME!**

During the Twin Buttes Celebration!  
**SATURDAY, JUNE 20TH 2026**

TWIN BUTTES POWWOW GROUNDS  
10:00 A.M. CST

Join us for a special Fathers Day Honor Walk celebrating our dad Virgil Eagle and ALL Fathers, Father Figures, Grandpas, Uncles, Brothers, loved ones.

FOR MORE INFO: JUSTIN FOX 701-421-2562 OR MARIE BAKER 701-421-4029

## FLAG RAISING

FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 2026 - 8 AM

CPL Nathan J. Good Iron - Army NG, KIA- Afghan.  
Elgin Crows Breast - Army  
G. Russell Gillette - Air Force  
Lester Lone Bear - Army

SATURDAY, JUNE 20, 2026 - 8 AM

CPL Nathan J. Good Iron - Army NG, KIA- Afghan.  
PVT Lester Crows Heart - Army, KIA- WWII  
Spencer Elk - Army, Korea  
John "Buzz" Fredericks, Jr. - Army

SUNDAY, JUNE 21, 2026 - 8 AM

CPL Nathan J. Good Iron - Army NG, KIA- Afghan.  
Ronald Sam Little Owl - Army  
Philip Benson - Army- WWII  
Roger Old Mouse - USAF  
Tom Beaks - USMC

## GRAND ENTRIES

FRI: 7pm (cst) SAT: 1pm & 7pm (cst)  
SUN: 1pm (cst)



# FATHERS DAY WEEKEND JUNE 19-21, 2026 TWIN BUTTES, ND

YOUTH GRAND ENTRY: 7:00 PM (THURS)

### HOST DRUM

Southern Cree - Rocky Boy, MT

### (LOCAL) HOST DRUMS

Ridge Road (FRI), Oakdale (SAT),  
Shell Creek (SUN)

### POWOW STAFF

**FLAG BEARER:** Aron Abbey

**DRUM KEEPER:** Damian Gillette

**PRESIDENT:** Justin Lee Fox, Sr.

**VICE PRESIDENT:** Jake Sage

**SECRETARY:** Kytell Mason

**ANNOUNCER:** Jackson Tahuka

**ANNOUNCER:** Charlie Moran, Sr.

**ARENA DIRECTOR:** Rusty Gillette

**HEAD MAN DANCER:** Tanner Lone Bear-Smith

**HEAD LADY DANCER:** Kaszady Bearstail

**HEAD SINGING JUDGE:** Dillon Fox

**HEAD DANCE JUDGE:** Walter Runs Above

**SOUND:** Hoka Sound

**TABULATIONS:** Pine Country Tabulations

### COLOR GUARD:

Myron Johnson/Nathan Good Iron Post 271

Young Hawk/Bear Post 253

Fort Berthold VFW Post 9061

### VENDOR REGISTRATION

\$600/Food • \$500/Craft

Contact Kiara Mason: (701) 421-1891

### SINGING CONTEST

1ST \$20,000 2ND \$10,000

3RD \$7,000 4TH \$3,000 5TH \$2,000

### SPECIALS / EVENTS

**Chairman Mark N. Fox Feed** (FRI at 4 pm cst)

**Chairman Fox Feed Tiny Tot Special** (FRI After Grand Entry)  
(Friday) Sponsored by MHA Chairman, Mark N. Fox

**Councilman Cory Spotted Bear Feed** (SAT at 11am cst)  
Sponsored by South Segment Rep, Cory Spotted Bear

**Walk/Run Honoring Virgil Eagle** (SAT at 10am cst)

Starting Point will be at the Pow wow Grounds parking lot,  
honoring all Dads, Grandpas, Uncles and Brothers. Virgil is a Elder  
and veteran in the community and still walks 4 miles a day.  
For more information, contact Marie Baker Family.

**Tanner Lone Bear-Smith "Men's All-Around Special"** (Fri)

Men's Traditional, Grass (SAT Afternoon), Chicken (Sat Evening)  
Top 2 from each category will dance in finals.

All dancers must be registered in their respective categories

**Kaszady Bearstail Old Style Jingle "Pink" Dress**

**"Breast Cancer Awareness"** (FRI Evening)

In Memory of Magu Jackie Hall-Bearstail

**Junior Boys Chicken Special** (SAT Afternoon) Sponsored by Damian Gillette Family

**Women's 18+ Jingle Dress Special Honoring Hailey Abbey** (SAT Evening)

Sponsored by Flag Bearer Aron Abbey & Family

**Tiny Tot Special** Sponsored by Secretary Kytell Mason Family (SAT Evening)

**Men's Traditional Special In Honor of Delmar Crows Breast, Sr.** (SAT Evening)

Payout/ Prizes Sponsored by the Fox Family

**\$3,000 Winner-Take-All 3-Man Hand Drum Contest** (FRI, SAT, SUN)

Sponsored by Head Singing Judge, Dillon Fox

**Saturday Night Special "Best Dressed Drum Group"** (SAT Evening)

Sponsored by 2026 Twin Buttes Powwow Committee

**Teen Boys Chicken Special** (SUN) Sponsored by Shayne Lone Bear-Smith

### PRIZE MONEY

Golden Ages (55+)

Men's Traditional, Fancy/Grass  
Women's Traditional, Fancy/Jingle

Adult Categories (18-54)

Traditional, Jingle, Fancy  
Traditional, Grass, Fancy, Chicken  
NEW Veterans Category

1ST \$1,600 2ND \$1,400

3RD \$1,200 4TH \$1,000

5TH \$800 6TH \$600 7TH \$400

Teen Categories (13-17)

Traditional, Grass,  
Jingle, Fancy, \*Chicken

4 WINNERS OF \$400

Junior Categories (6-12)

Traditional, Grass,  
Jingle, Fancy, \*Chicken

4 WINNERS OF \$150

\*Junior and teen Chicken  
category is sponsored by  
Richard Gillette Family

Twin Buttes Celebration  
Committee is not responsible  
for accidents, theft,  
vandalism, or lack of  
travel funds. No drugs,  
alcohol, or firearms  
allowed! Poster subject  
to and will change.

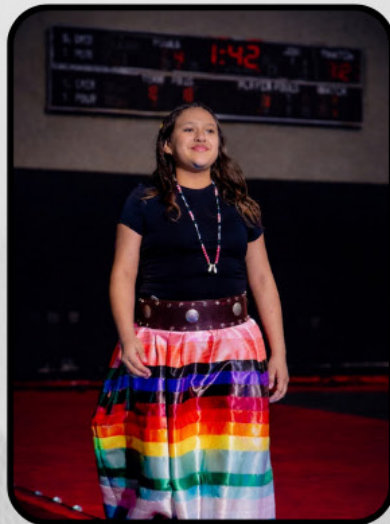
# 8TH GRADE GRADUATES



**Essence Bell**  
Twin Buttes 8<sup>th</sup> Grade



**Karma Gillette**  
Twin Buttes 8<sup>th</sup> Grade



**Billie Kazena**  
Twin Buttes 8<sup>th</sup> Grade



**Kate Martinez**  
Twin Buttes 8<sup>th</sup> Grade



**Trenton Mossett**  
Twin Buttes 8<sup>th</sup> Grade



**Tristan Thompson**  
Twin Buttes 8<sup>th</sup> Grade



**Urijah Laine McKinney**  
Beulah 8<sup>th</sup> Grade



**Jacquelyn Vidaurri**  
Twin Buttes 8<sup>th</sup> Grade



**Kylarann Wounded Face**  
Twin Buttes 8<sup>th</sup> Grade



**Lily Anna Swaney**  
Killdeer 8<sup>th</sup> Grade



**Jewel Martinez**  
Beulah 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

# TWIN BUTTES UNIT BOYS & GIRLS CLUB

## SUMMER REMINDERS

JUNE 2026



BOYS & GIRLS CLUB  
OF THE  
THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES



### Club Information

#### Club Hours

Hours, programs, activities, and events will **VARY** each day throughout our summer programming. Some days and/or programs will be for SPECIFIC age groups. We HIGHLY suggest you stay updated through our monthly calendars, Facebook posts, activity flyers, etc. **All hours and calendars subject to change due to staffing, events, facility closures, etc. Keep updated via our Facebook!**

#### Bus Drop-Off

Throughout summer school Parents/Guardians must call & notify the Twin Buttes Elementary School to ensure their children are dropped off at Club each day.

#### Pick-Up Policy

Members **MUST** be picked up by a Parent/Guardian, or have permission to walk home, at the end of their designated Club program or activity. **Failure to pick-up your child, or to notify Club staff of late pick-up, may result in members being excused from Club from 1 - 3 days.**

**Friendly reminder that the Wellness Center requires an adult be present for children under 12.**

#### Transportation

Transportation, or home drop-offs, will be had for SELECT dates, events, or activities. Staff will inform parents/guardians when transportation will be provided home or when it will be the parent/guardian's responsibility for pick-up **no later** than 2 days before a scheduled event, program or activity. Regularly scheduled Club days/programs we will be unable to provide transport home.

#### Closure Notice Policy

Club closures can happen for a myriad of reasons: Federal Holiday's, Unexpected Building Closures, Inclement Weather, Training Days, etc. Planned closures will be on each unit's current calendar. If an unexpected closure takes place each unit's Branch Manager will inform their local school of the closure before 12PM or will post on Facebook, or will communicate with parents on said closure (Letter, Facebook Post, etc.)

**For our full pick-up policy, and other relevant policies, please see our Parent Handbook.**

### Reminders

**Memberships need to be renewed YEARLY.** Staff will be sending home Membership Applications with those who will need to renew their status.

**Active participation in regularly scheduled Club programs and activities is REQUIRED to attend B&GC. See our calendar for our daily activities!**

**Programs and/or activities may be age specific this summer. Be mindful that this may mean your child(ren) may need to be picked up at certain times each day. Staff will send reminders as needed!**

### Event Information

**Membership Applications are required to participate in Club events and activities.**

**Permission slips may be required for some events; please ensure you are signing these no later than the day before an event.**

**Transportation is NOT guaranteed after every event. Please read our flyers and posts closely to stay updated.**

### Contact Info

#### Phone:

**Office:** 701-938-3641 ext. 106

**Branch Manager Cell:** 701-421-3240

**Email:** keaunafox@mhanation.com

**Facebook:** Twinbuttes Bgctat



# TWIN BUTTES HEAD START



Noah Buffalo Horse De La Cruz  
Twin Buttes Head Start  
Graduate



Echo River Woman Benson  
Twin Buttes Head Start  
Graduate



Octavia Sanders  
Twin Buttes Head Start  
Graduate



Solomon Iron Boulder  
Twin Buttes Head Start  
Graduate



Lloyd McKinney  
Twin Buttes Head Start  
Graduate



Kshikshe Xopini Demaray  
Twin Buttes Head Start



Brandon McKinney  
Twin Buttes Head Start



Maximus Everett  
Twin Buttes Head Start



Midas Martinez  
Twin Buttes Head Start



Stormi Dogskin  
Twin Buttes Head Start



Laylah Porter Altringer  
Twin Buttes Head Start



Conrad Wisham  
Twin Buttes Head Start

# A Special Message from Councilman Spotted Bear

Dear Head Start Graduates, congratulations, you did it! Kindergarten here we come! Your imagination is your superpower! The sky is your limit, you can do anything you dream of! We are all so very proud of you. Learning is a lot of fun, keep learning and having new ideas.

Parents and Guardians, thank you. You are your child's first and most important teacher! Your support and involvement make a world of difference. It is a privilege to witness your children's growth, curiosity,

and positive energy! I am excited to witness all the wonderful things they will do!

To the head start staff, thank you to an amazing head start family. As we celebrate our head start graduates moving on, we want to extend our deepest gratitude and respect. Your role is selfless and dedicated. Head start is not just a classroom, it is a school family. Thank you for sharing your joy with the children of our community, the Home of the Champions!



## TWIN BUTTES UNIT BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF THE TAT



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	<b>1</b> 7:15—8:15AM <b>Strength Training Ages 12+</b> 9—10 ARTS Home 10—11 Summer Brain Gain 11—12 Lunch 12—1 TP: Body 1—2 Healthy Habits 2—3 Triple Play: Social	<b>2</b> 7:15AM —8:15 <b>Miles Club Ages 10+</b> 11 – 12 Summer Brain Gain 12—1 DIY STEM <b>Softball Fundamentals Ages 8+</b> <b>1PM – 3PM</b>	<b>3</b> 7:15—8:15AM <b>Strength Training Ages 12+</b> 12—2 <b>Golf Fundamentals Ages 10+</b> 2—3 TP: Social 3—4 <b>Beading Club Ages 10+</b>	<b>4</b> 7:15AM —8:15 <b>Miles Club</b> 9—10 ARTS Home 10—11 Summer Brain Gain 11—12 Lunch 12—1 TP: Body 1—2 Healthy Habits 2—3 Triple Play: Social	<b>5</b> 7:15AM — 8:15 <b>Miles Club</b> 9—10 <b>Positive Club Climate</b> 10—11 Summer Brain Gain 11—12 Lunch 12—1 TP: Body 1—2 ARTS Home 2—3 <b>MHA Language</b>
<b>Club Hours:</b> <b>Direct Services</b> Mon.: 12—1 & 3—4 Tues.: 11PM – 1PM Wed: 2—3PM Thurs. & Fri.:9AM – 3PM Please see schedule for special programs, events & specified age groups.	<b>8</b> 7:15—8:15AM <b>Strength Training Ages 12+</b> 12—1 Daily Challenges 1—3 <b>Horse Culture</b> <i>MUST SIGN-UP IN ADVANCE: Only 6 Spots Available!</i> 3—4 <b>Healthy Habits</b>	<b>9</b> 7:15AM —8:15 <b>Miles Club Ages 10+</b> 11 – 12 Summer Brain Gain 12—1 DIY STEM <b>Softball Fundamentals Ages 8+</b> <b>1PM – 3PM</b>	<b>10</b> <b>7:30AM – 11AM FISHING FUNDAMENTALS w/ Corey Spotted Bear &amp; Hank Starr</b> 12—2 <b>Golf Fundamentals Ages 10+</b> 2—3 TP: Social 3—4 <b>Beading Club Ages 10+</b> 4—5 <b>Strength Training Ages 12+</b>	<b>11</b> 7:15AM —8:15 <b>Miles Club</b> <b>Youth Movie Showing Ages 6—10 (PG) 5PM – 6:30PM</b> <b>Tween &amp; Teen Movie Showing Ages 11+ (RATED R) PERMISSION SLIP REQUIRED 7PM—8:30PM</b> <b>No Regular Direct Services</b>	<b>12</b> 7:15AM —8:15 <b>Miles Club</b> 9—10 <b>Positive Club Climate</b> 10—11 Summer Brain Gain 11—12 Lunch 12—1 TP: Body 1—2 ARTS Home 2—3 <b>MHA Language</b>
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<b>Staff:</b> <b>Keauna Fox</b> <b>Branch Manager</b> <b>Kiara Mason</b> <b>Activity Coordinator</b>	<b>22</b> 7:15—8:15AM <b>Strength Training Ages 12+</b> 12—1 Daily Challenges 1—3 <b>Horse Culture</b> <i>MUST SIGN-UP IN ADVANCE: Only 6 Spots Available!</i> 3—4 <b>Healthy Habits</b>	<b>23</b> 7:15AM —8:15 <b>Miles Club Ages 10+</b> 11 – 12 Summer Brain Gain 12—1 DIY STEM <b>Softball Fundamentals Ages 8+</b> <b>1PM – 3PM</b>	<b>24</b> 7:15—8:15AM <b>Strength Training Ages 12+</b> 12—2 <b>Golf Fundamentals Ages 10+</b> 2—3 TP: Social 3—4 <b>Beading Club Ages 10+</b>	<b>25</b> 7:15AM — 8:15 <b>Miles Club</b> 9—10 ARTS Home 10—11 Summer Brain Gain 11—12 Lunch 12—1 TP: Body 1—2 Healthy Habits 2—3 Triple Play: Social.	<b>26</b> 7:15AM — 8:15 <b>Miles Club</b> <b>Three Affiliated Tribes National Park Trail Hike 10AM – 2PM Ages 11+</b> <b>No Regular Direct Services</b>
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To inspire, guide and empower our youth, especially those that need us the most, to realize and reach their full potential as productive, responsible, caring community members.

# Champions in the Making: Twin Buttes Wrestling Camp a Success

Submitted by Skylar & Taylon Little Soldier

The wrestling camp was a great success, with approximately 30 athletes attending to either try the sport for the first time or continue building on their fundamental skills. Throughout the day, wrestlers were introduced to new techniques and had the opportunity to practice them in a positive, encouraging environment. The athletes stayed engaged, worked hard, and showed a strong willingness to learn. It was exciting to see their confidence grow as the camp progressed, making the day both productive and rewarding for everyone involved.

*“Overall it was great to be able to give back to the sport I’ve done forever. I love seeing the younger generations getting to learn the lessons that this sport teaches. I’m excited to see where the coaching side of this sport takes me in the future and would love to come back again next year.”* -- Skylar Little Soldier

*“The camp went great it was really good giving back and being able to help the kids learn. And I hope to see good things from them in the future.”* -- Taylon Little Soldier



Wrestling Coach  
Skylar Little Soldier



Wrestling Coach  
Taylon Little Soldier



## Thank You, Coach K



On behalf of Twin Buttes School and the Twin Buttes community, we would like to extend our sincere gratitude to Mr. Christian Kilwein for his hard work, dedication, and service to our students and community.

During his time at Twin Buttes School, Mr. Kilwein served as a Physical Education teacher for two years and as Assistant Principal for two years.

He also took on the important role of Athletic Director, helping to develop and support our athletic programs.

Mr. Kilwein generously dedicated countless hours to coaching student-athletes in numerous sports, including Cross Country,

Basketball, Wrestling, Volleyball, and Track. Beyond coaching, he played a vital role in organizing and supporting various Three Affiliated Tribes (TAT) sporting events, creating opportunities for students to compete, grow, and succeed.

Mr. Kilwein's commitment to our school extended far beyond his job responsibilities. His leadership, positive influence, and dedication to students have left a lasting impact on Twin Buttes School and the community we serve.

We greatly appreciate all that you have done for Twin Buttes School and wish you the very best in your future endeavors. Thank you for your service and the difference you have made in the lives of our students.

*Best wishes, Mr. Kilwein, and thank you for everything!*

# END OF SCHOOL YEAR REFLECTION AND SUMMER PROGRAMMING ANNOUNCEMENT



Dear Families and Community Members,

As we wrap up another successful school year, we want to take a moment to celebrate the great experiences our youth enjoyed through our afterschool programming at the Twin Buttes Unit. In addition to our usual educational activities, our members explored creativity and culture through activities like beaded earring making, graduation cap decorating, monthly paint nights, movie nights at the Wellness Center theater and so much more. We are excited to carry that energy into an active and meaningful summer filled with opportunities for our youth to learn, grow, and stay connected.

This summer, members will have the chance to participate in Softball Fundamentals, Golf Fundamentals, Horse Culture, Beading Club, Miles Club, and our Strength Training Program. Alongside these specialty programs, we will continue offering our regular programming focused on STEM, recreation, wellness, leadership, arts, academic enrichment, and positive social development.

These opportunities would not be possible without the support of our amazing community partners. We would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to South Segment & South Segment staff, South Segment Parks & Recreation, South Segment Horse Culture staff, Twin Buttes Wellness Center & staff, and TAT Fit & Rec. & staff for partnering with us and helping make this summer possible for our youth and families. Your continued support, encouragement, and collaboration make a lasting impact on the children and community we serve. Thank you for your hard work, care, and commitment to creating safe, fun, and meaningful experiences for our youth each day.

Families are encouraged to stay connected throughout the summer by watching for program schedules, flyers, and updates. For daily highlights, reminders, and announcements, please follow our Facebook page at Twinbuttes Bgc-tat.

Parents and guardians who are interested in signing their children up for programs are encouraged to reach out to Club staff for more information regarding enrollment, availability, and program details.

Summer at the Club is more than just activities; it is a time for youth to build friendships, discover new interests, stay active, and create positive memories in a safe and supportive environment. We are grateful for the trust of our families and community, and we look forward to another summer of learning, laughter, and growth together.

At the Club, we remain committed to providing a safe, welcoming, and supportive environment where every young person feels valued and encouraged to succeed. We are grateful for the trust and support of our families, members and community, and we look forward to making this summer one filled with fun, learning, and memorable experiences!

Sincerely,  
Twin Buttes Unit Staff  
Boys & Girls Club of the Three Affiliated Tribes





## Twin Buttes Claims Second Straight Sakakawea Cup Championship

*Submitted by:  
Coach Stubby Starr*

The Twin Buttes Elementary Volleyball team was eager to finish their second undefeated season.

Their final challenge was competing for the Sakakawea Cup. After sweeping both New Town teams in the quarter-final and semi-final matches, they met their volleyball segment-rival, White Shield in the championship.

A competitive game resulted in Twin Buttes defeating White Shield 2-1 in the championship game, earning the Sakakawea cup for the second year in a row!

## Head Start Students Visit the Community Garden

*Submitted by:  
Bobby Burr*

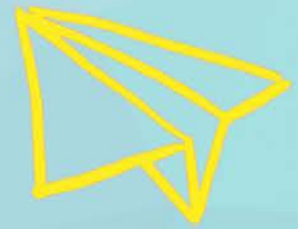
Hello Twin Buttes! My name is Bobby Burr for those of you who don't know me. I'm currently working as the Sustainability Coordinator in Twin Buttes which includes maintaining the Orchard and Community Garden.

Through Cory Spotted Bears initiatives I'm here to help with his vision of the future, while using the teachings from the our past heritage.

Our community garden is a perfect place to teach our youth about our past traditions. Help them find a peaceful place to come to and become more acquainted with our Mother Earth. Last week the head start kids came for a visit. We were able to plant watermelons and visit about the garden. The joy and happiness was amazing!!

I'll be giving more updates throughout this season.







**BOYS & GIRLS CLUB  
OF THE  
THREE AFFILIATED TRIBES**

*Twin Buttes Unit*  
**BEADING CLUB**

**Work on a current project or start a new beading project during this specialized program hour!**

**Every Wednesday in June (starting June 3rd).**

**Ages 10+  
3-4PM**

**Current membership required to attend.**

**Contact Keauna Fox at 701-421-3240 for any questions or to get your child signed up.**






**Wristlets, Lanyards, Earrings, Dangle Earrings, & Grad Caps. All supplies provided!**

# Keeping Our Language Strong

*Submitted by:  
Bheri Rose Hallam*

Tashkánito'sha (How's it going, everyone?),

My name is Bheri Rose Hallam and I am a Núú'etaa Language Mentor for the MHA Culture and Language Department. Our Department's Núú'etaa language team continues to work on learning the language so that we can share it with the community, and I would like to share some of our accomplishments from this last year. First, we would like to congratulate our Núú'etaa Language Apprentice, Sam Demaray, on finishing up his first year of teaching language at the Head Start. Our Núú'etaa Coordinator, Elijah Benson, has not only finished another year of teaching language at the elementary school, but also his first year hosting a Culture Club after school program. I have been working with the Twin Buttes Elders Meal site to incorporate language translations on their calendar, as well as posting a "word of the day" on our MHA Culture and Language Facebook page. As for our future, I am happy to announce that we are currently in the process of starting another community language class here in Twin Buttes! I am also working on pre-recorded lessons to be posted weekly, for those who are not able to join an in-person class.

If anyone would like to reach out to us, you can find our contact email information on the MHA Nation website. You can also find me and Sam at the Twin Buttes Wellness Center in office 203. Our Núú'etaa Language Mentor, Denver Spotted Bear, has his office at the Johnny Bird Memorial Building in office suite 210. Á'tanito'sh (That's it, everyone).




**TWIN BUTTES UNIT  
JUNE 2026  
HORSE CULTURE DATES**

**EVERY MONDAY IN JUNE: STARTING ON THE 8<sup>TH</sup>, 15<sup>TH</sup>, 22<sup>ND</sup>, 29<sup>TH</sup>**

**SPACE IS LIMITED TO 6 MEMBERS PER SESSION.**

**LIABILITY WAIVER AND A CURRENT MEMBERSHIP ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND.**

**PLEASE ENSURE YOUR CHILD(REN) ARE PROPERLY ATTIRED!!  
CLOSED TOED SHOES, JEANS, HAT, ETC.**

**CONTACT KEAUNA FOX TO GET YOUR CHILD(REN) SIGNED UP:  
701-421-3240 OR 701-938-3641 EXT. 106**

**REMINDER: IF YOU DO NOT RESERVE A SPOT, SPOTS ARE FILLED ON A FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED BASIS.  
REGULAR DIRECT SERVICES WILL NOT BE HELD DURING HORSE CULTURE SESSIONS!**



# TWIN BUTTES COMMUNITY 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY CELEBRATION



**THURSDAY JULY 2ND**  
**TWIN BUTTES POWWOW ARBOR**  
 FOOD, GAMES & PRIZES!  
 REGISTRATION STARTS AT 4:30PM  
 FIREWORKS AT DUSK



# TWIN BUTTES BACK To SCHOOL BASH

**THURS  
JULY 30<sup>TH</sup>  
2026**

TWIN BUTTES POWWOW ARBOR  
 REGISTRATION STARTS @ 4:30PM CST

-DJ JURASSIC JAMS-

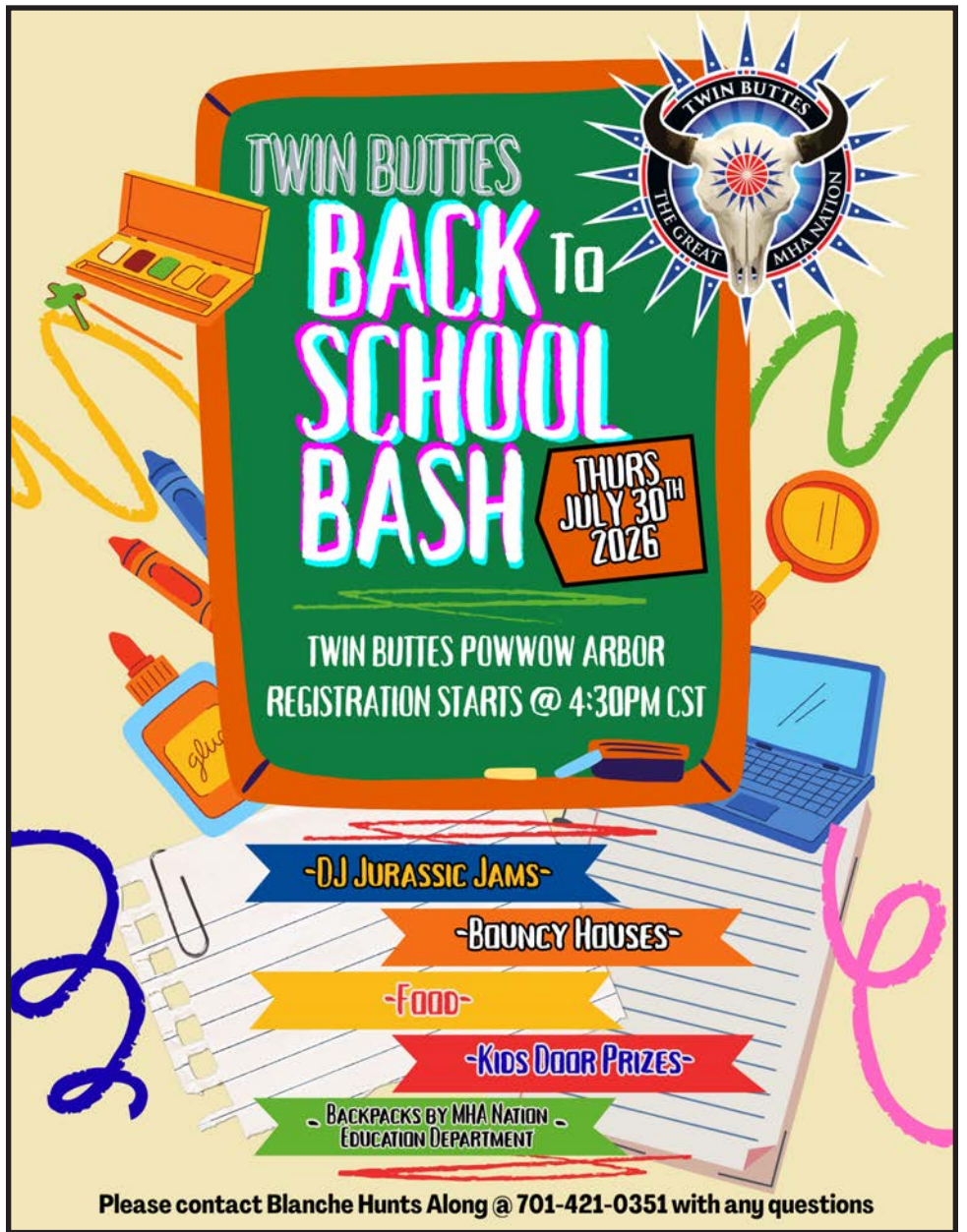
-BOUNCY HOUSES-

-FOOD-

-KIDS DOOR PRIZES-

-BACKPACKS BY MHA NATION  
EDUCATION DEPARTMENT-

Please contact Blanche Hunts Along @ 701-421-0351 with any questions



# YOUTH RODEO

June 19<sup>th</sup> Twin Buttes, ND

0-5, 6-8  
 DUMMY ROPING  
 STICK HORSE RACE  
 GOAT TAIL UNTYING  
 BARREL RACE  
 FLAG RACE

ENTRY FEES  
 \$10/EVENT

MEMBERSHIP  
 \$40

9-12, 13-15  
 GOAT TYING  
 BREAKAWAY ROPING  
 BARREL RACE  
 FLAG RACE  
 MIXED TEAM ROPING

1-DAY PERMIT  
 \$20

ENTER HERE

ROUGH STOCK  
 2 DIVISIONS  
 BAREBACK  
 SADDLE BRONC  
 BULL RIDING



OFFICE OPENS 10AM CT  
 START TIME 12PM CT  
 Online entries close June 18<sup>th</sup> at 12pm  
 No walk up entries!



# Fishing 101

Join Instructors Hank Starr & Cory Spotted Bear  
 for Fishing Fundamentals!

Children Ages 6 & Under must be accompanied by an adult

Kids who bring their own poles  
 will receive special incentives!

Fishing poles will  
 also be available for  
 kids who do not  
 have one

June 10<sup>th</sup>, 2026  
 7:30am  
 Twin Buttes  
 Rodeo Grounds



## *In Memory of*



### **DR. CHAD DAHLEN**

*Oowii xoobah*  
"Holy Paint"

Nov 3, 1969 — Feb 13, 2026

Dr. Chad Beldon Dahlen, Holy Paint (Oowii xoobah), was born on November 3rd, 1969, in Dickinson, North Dakota, to Dennis and Roberta (Spotted Bear) Dahlen. He was raised in Werner, North Dakota, a place he proudly called "God's Country." Growing up on the ranch with his younger sister, who always kept him on his toes, he learned early the value of hard work, family, and faith.

Chad attended elementary and high school in Halliday, ND, where he graduated in 1988. During his high school years, he was President of FFA, earned All-State Cross Country, was All-District in Basketball, and became a State Qualifier and Region Champion in track. He was also a member of Letterwinners club, Pep Club President, yearbook staff, band, and even won Wendy's MVP. From an early age, he showed leadership, work ethic, and team spirit that would follow him throughout his life.

He continued his education and athletic career at Lake Region State College, where he played basketball. He later attended Minot State University, where he ran cross country and earned his Bachelor of Science degree in Psychology and Education in 1994. He went on to earn his Master's degree in Educational Leadership from the University

of Mary in 2006. Continuing his lifelong dedication to education, he earned his Ph.D. in Educational Leadership from the University of North Dakota in 2018.

Chad was known for his big heart and his dedication to serving others. He served as an EMR for the New Town Ambulance, always ready to help when his community needed him. He served in multiple roles within the New Town Public School District, including teacher, principal, athletic director, and head coach of the girls' basketball team from 1994 to 2005. He eventually returned to Halliday as Superintendent of Twin Buttes Elementary School. He never wanted to stop growing or learning, always striving to better himself and the communities he served.

He met his best friend and love of his life, Michelle, and united in marriage on May 20th, 2006. For 19 years they stood side by side, supporting one another and creating a strong and loving home. Through this union, they were blessed with four beautiful daughters: Rylee, Tyra, Kooper, and Baylee, and twin sons, Jekori and Nekori Dahlen, who were a huge source of pride and joy in his life. Chad was also a proud grandfather to his grandson, Dallas Yahola. He proudly carried the title of "king of stale dad Jokes" and known for having the "best scary camping stories."

Chad loved rock 'n' roll, especially Prince. He attended countless concerts with Michelle over the years, and in true Chad fashion, he celebrated their 11th anniversary by arranging for Everclear to sing to them acoustically backstage. Summers were spent camping with the family, and the only time Michelle stepped away from cooking was when Chad took over the Coleman grill. During the summer, he also loved going berry picking and making homemade jam and wine, which he proudly shared with family as gifts. He loved winter skiing, water skiing, playing Fortnite with his boys, hunting, traveling,

and spending time on his ranch with his cattle. Chad was also a huge basketball fanatic. Morning, day, or night, he was either reading about basketball, playing, coaching, or officiating games. He was always looking for a challenge and never took the easy way out.

From 2018 to 2021, Chad returned to coaching after first working with his daughter Tyra and her friends in middle school. That opportunity led him to serve as the head girls basketball coach at Killdeer High School, where he had the honor of coaching both Tyra and his niece, Rowyn. During that time, he also helped coach traveling basketball teams for his boys from elementary through high school. In August 2022, he returned to the classroom as an English teacher for 8th and 9th grade in Killdeer, ND, and had additional other traveling basketball teams. No matter the season of life, he was always looking for athletes to mentor and coach.

Chad spent his later years ranching, in which he enjoyed his weekly Ranch Safety meetings held by Ranch Foreman Terry Bakken at Ma & Pa's kitchen table. He was also proud of being called on to help with the planning and concept development of the new Twin Buttes High School. Chad continued serving his community as a member of the Halliday ambulance board as Vice President, a basketball referee for local high schools, substitute teacher, substitute bus driver, board member for the Dunn County Soil Conservation District for 11 years, and Vice-President to AIRO (All Indigenous Recruiting Organization). No matter how busy life became, he made the time to show up. He rarely missed an event, whether it was a birthday, concert, basketball game, track meet, graduation, or family trip. Chad often spoke about the importance of family and education. In his doctoral acknowledgements, he wrote that his children, wife, and family, were the reason

he pursued his dream, hoping they would see how education could help them achieve their independence. He believed a trail had been broken for them to continue, and that belief guided the way he lived, taught, coached, and loved. He loved his wife and children, and being present for his family was one of his greatest joys.

On February 13th, 2026, surrounded by family, Chad entered the spirit world, in the city of Prince, Minneapolis, MN.

Chad is survived by his wife Michelle Dahlen; parents, Dennis and Roberta (Spotted Bear) Dahlen; father in-law, Alan Lee; children, Rylee, Tyra, Kooper, Baylee, Jekori, and Nekori Dahlen; son in-law, Robert Sam; grandson, Dallas Yahola; sisters, Coven Dahlen, Darcy Blue Earth; brother, Ronald Blevins; brother in-law, Bradley Lee, Glenn Murray, Ryan Perhus; nieces, Kimberlee Blevins, Jurnee Murray, Trae Murray, Donny Leigh Blevins, Emilee Taylor, Rowyn Murray-Gibbons, MaTaya Blevins, Berkley Lee, Harley Lee; nephews, Chad Blevins, Jayden Blevins, Donald (Lil Don) Blevins III, Taiven Murray; aunties, Donna Cook, Marian Spotted Bear, Ivetta (David) (Spotted Bear) Holding Eagle, Helyn (Mark) (Spotted Bear) Zarfos, Karen Joseph, Donna Rouillard, Patti Jo (Todd) Hall, Julie Beston; uncles, Barry Benson, and Leland 'Sal' Beston. He is also survived by numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, and dear friends.

Chad was preceded in death by his grandparents, Lorenzo "Larry" Spotted Bear, Olive "Ollie" Spotted Bear-Benson, and Albert and Irene (Cook) Dahlen; dad, Donald Blevins Sr.; mother in-law, Deborah Lee; aunts, G. Janet Spotted Bear-Gunderson, Sandy "Spook" Spotted Bear, Alyce Spotted Bear, Karen Lynch, Rhonda Schettler, Dawne Voigt, Maureen Benz; uncles, Marty Benson, Kelly Spotted Bear; sister, Chelsey Dahlen; brothers, Delry Dahlen, and Donald Blevins Jr.

# Twin Buttes Hosts 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual MHA Seed and Food Summit

Submitted by:  
Dr. Ruth De La Cruz

On Monday, May 18th, the Twin Buttes community hosted the 3rd annual MHA Seed and Food Summit. The importance of our traditional art and craftwork were highlighted by Marty Young Bear, who shared about his flint knapping for arrowhead and knife making, as well as by Gloria Wilkinson, who is an MHA master basket maker. Nellie Boyd talked about harvesting, preserving, and cooking with foraged wild turnips. She also displayed a braid of turnips that is over 4 feet long.



South Segment Council Representative, Cory Spotted Bear, shared the vision of the community and how food sovereignty has been and continues to be a core initiative. Bobby Burr shared about the work he does with the segment's orchard and garden. Amy Mossett shared about the roles of women in Mandan, Hidatsa, and Arikara agriculture. An Indigenous meal was prepared by Bear Roots and sponsored by the South Segment. It included Mandan white bean soup,

Mandan blue corn mush, Arikara squash leather, Shell Creek-style bison stew (with bison from the Hans Creek Bison Pasture, and Oneida strawberry drink.

The Twin Buttes Headstart students joined the summit for lunch and shared about how they learned to make cornballs, started seeds for their own garden, tried fresh raw bison kidney, and had the opportunity to eat local bison throughout the year, as well as MHA corn and squash for their lunches.

Then there were learning circles with demonstrations of traditional garden tool making by Darian Kath from Knife River Indian Villages National Park, traditional gardening by NHSC Native American Studies faculty member Bernadine Young Bird, vermicomposting by Jeremy Lewis from NHSC's Agriculture Department, and seed starting by Jessica Uran also from NHSC's Agriculture Department. The day closed with a tour of the gardens, orchard, and bison pasture.

Another highlight of the Seed and Food Summit was the Indigenous Food demo. Four Indigenous chef prepared samples of bison and elk sliders, fresh berries, corn soup, bison roast, bison and wild rice casserole, blue corn muffins with wild plum sauce, and berry pudding with frybread.



# Twin Buttes Fairgrounds

April 13, 2026  
2026 Twin Buttes Barrel Race  
Photo Credit: Rockin' Pj Photography





# MHA Rodeo Awards Banquet



January 10, 2026  
MHA Rodeo Awards Banquet  
Photo Credit: Rockin' Pj Photography



**TWIN BUTTES**



# MHA RODEO Association



*Home of the Champions*

**JUNE 20, 2026**

**TWIN BUTTES, NORTH DAKOTA**

**SATURDAY • SLACK: 9:00 AM CST • PERFORMANCE: 5:00 PM CST**

**\$1,000 ADDED**

- LADIES BARREL RACING
- LADIES BREAKAWAY
- TEAM ROPING - HEADER
- TEAM ROPING-HEELER
- SR. TEAM ROPING -HEADER
- SR. TEAM ROPING-HEELER
- WOMEN'S TEAM ROPING - HEADER
- WOMEN'S TEAM ROPING -HEELER
- SR. PRO BREAKAWAY

**\$1,000 ADDED**

- BAREBACK
- SADDLE BRONC
- BULL RIDING
- TIE DOWN ROPING
- STEER WRESTLING
- RANCH BRONC MEN'S
- RANCH BRONC WOMEN'S

**\$500 ADDED**

- JR. BULL RIDING
- JR. BREAKAWAY
- JR. TEAM ROPING - HEADER
- JR. TEAM ROPING -HEELER

**NOVICE BARRELS - 8 AND UNDER \$250**

INDIVIDUAL	JR	SR	FAMILY
\$100	\$75	\$75	\$150
PERSONAL	STOCK	PERMIT	
\$60	\$75	\$50	

SR: 50+ • JR: 17 & UNDER  
FAMILY: IMMEDIATE/SAME HOUSEHOLD

**EMAIL ENTRIES:** June 12, 2026 8 am cst closes on June 14, 2026 10 pm cst  
mharodeoentries@yahoo.com

**CALL IN ENTRIES:** June 15, 2026 5:00-10:00 pm cst

**LATE ENTRIES:** June 16, 2026 5:00-8:00 pm cst

**CALL BACKS:** June 17, 2026 5:00-8:00 pm cst

**CALL:** Karyn Wegner (701) 721-3610





**TWIN BUTTES UNIT**




# YOUTH SUMMER MILES CLUB



WALK OR RUN WITH US DURING AN HOUR LONG SESSION AND TRACK YOUR MILES ALL SUMMER LONG!  
**EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY**  
**STARTING JUNE 4<sup>TH</sup> - JULY 30<sup>TH</sup>, 2026**  
**7:15AM - 8:15AM**  
**AGES 10+**

INCENTIVES EARNED AT:  
**25 MILES. 50 MILES. 75 MILES & 100 MILES**  
**WATER & SNACKS PROVIDED EACH SESSION**  
INCENTIVES WILL BE HANDED OUT AT THE END OF THE PROGRAM!

**START AT TWIN BUTTES WELLNESS CENTER**  
**CURRENT BGC-TAT MEMBERSHIP & PERMISSION SLIP REQUIRED TO PARTICIPATE!**  
**CONTACT: KEAUNA FOX 701-421-3240 OR KEAUNAFox@Mhanation.com**

# SOFTBALL

## Fundamentals

**EVERY TUESDAY IN JUNE**


JOIN US FOR EXCITING DAYS OF SOFTBALL!  
 LEARN THE FUNDAMENTALS OF PITCHING, THROWING, BATTING, AND INFIELD/OUTFIELD DRILLS WITH TAT-FIT & REC. ALYSSA STARR AND OUR BOYS & GIRLS CLUB STAFF

**CURRENT B&GC MEMBERSHIP AND PERMISSION SLIP REQUIRED TO PARTICIPATE**

**1:00PM-3:00PM**

**CONTACT:**  
**KEAUNA FOX (701) 421-3240**  
**KIARA MASON (701) 421-1891**

**AGES 8+**







# YOUTH STRENGTH TRAINING

Join South Segment Parks and Recreation & the Twin Buttes Unit of BGC-TAT for early morning strength training workouts.

**Every Monday & Wednesday**  
**starting June 1<sup>st</sup> - July 29<sup>th</sup>, 2026**  
**7:15AM - 8:15AM (CT)**  
**Ages 11 - 18 (senior in high school)**

Permission slip & liability waiver required to attend  
**INCENTIVES FOR PARTICIPATION (varies per sessions completed)**  
Incentives provided upon completion of the program.  
Current BGC-TAT Membership & liability waiver required to attend.

**CONTACT:**  
**KIARA MASON 701-421-1891**  
**KEAUNA FOX: 701-421-3240**





# YOUTH GOLF

## Fundamentals



Learn the basics of golf in a fun, supportive environment designed for beginners and developing players. Participants will build confidence while learning proper grip, stance, swing fundamentals, putting, chipping, golf etiquette, and course safety. The program focuses on skill development, sportsmanship, and enjoying the game at your own pace. Equipment guidance will be provided, and all skill levels are welcome!

**EVERY WEDNESDAY IN JUNE 2026**  
**(STARTING JUNE 3<sup>RD</sup>) 12PM - 2PM**

**AGES 10 - 17**

**TWIN BUTTES WELLNESS CENTER**  
**CURRENT BOYS & GIRLS CLUB MEMBERSHIP & PERMISSION SLIP REQUIRED TO ATTEND.**

**CONTACT: KIARA MASON 701-421-1891**  
**KEAUNA FOX 701-421-3240**



It's everything MHA Nation South Segment, in your pocket.



MHA NATION COMMITTEE MEMBERS & AGENDA CONTACTS

**Cultural Committee:**

Chair: Councilwoman Sherry Turner-Lone Fight  
 Member: Councilman Cory Spotted Bear  
 Member: Councilwoman Monica Mayer

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**Education Committee:**

Chair: Councilwoman Sherry Turner-Lone Fight  
 Member: Councilwoman Monica Mayer  
 Member: Councilman Mervin Packineau

\*Agenda Contact: West Segment Office: Phone: 701-627-8121, 8148, or 8186. email: sturner-lonefight@mhanation.com

**Energy Committee:**

Chair: Councilman Fred Fox  
 Member: Councilman Cory Spotted Bear  
 Member: Councilwoman Monica Mayer

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**Executive Committee:**

Chair: Chairman Mark N. Fox  
 Member: Vice Chairman Cory Spotted Bear  
 Member: Executive Secretary Fred Fox  
 Member: Treasurer Mervin Packineau

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**Health and Human Resource Committee:**

Chair: Councilwoman Monica Mayer  
 Member: Councilman Fred Fox  
 Member: Councilwoman Sherry Turner-Lone Fight

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**Housing Committee:**

Chair: Councilwoman Monica Mayer  
 Member: Councilman Robert White  
 Member: Councilwoman Sherry Turner-Lone Fight

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**Judicial Committee:**

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 Member: Councilman Fred Fox  
 Member: Councilwoman Sherry Turner-Lone Fight

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**Natural Resources Committee:**

Chair: Councilman Cory Spotted Bear  
 Member: Councilman Fred Fox  
 Member: Councilman Robert White

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