

A full moon is visible in a clear blue sky above a river. The river is surrounded by trees with vibrant autumn foliage in shades of orange, yellow, and brown. The moon's reflection is clearly visible in the calm water of the river.

Can-wa-pe-ka-sna Wi

The moon when the wind shakes off the leaves.

Wakpa Ipaksan
October 2025

You are invited!



FLANDREAU
SANTEE
SIOUX TRIBE
TRIBAL DINNER
+ ENTERTAINMENT

SAT, OCT 25, 2025

5PM: DOORS OPEN + APPETIZERS

5:15PM: FSST YOUTH DRUM GROUP

5:45PM: WELCOME BY FSST TRIBAL PRESIDENT
TONY REIDER

5:50PM: PRAYER BY MATO OHODA MANI
DUSTIN BEAULIEU

6PM: DINNER + DESSERTS

7PM: ENTERTAINMENT BY NAVAJO MAGICIAN
BRIAN YAZZIE

GIFTS FOR ENROLLED FSST MOODY COUNTY TRIBAL MEMBERS

ADULTS AGES 18+ : \$100 CASH

{RECEIVE AT CASINO CAGE - 3PM START}

CHILDREN AGES 0-17 : \$50 VISA GIFT CARD + BOOK

{RECEIVE AT ROYAL ROOM ENTRANCE - 5PM START}

LISTS FROM TRIBAL OFFICE. NAME MUST BE ON LIST TO RECEIVE GIFT. PICK UP OWN GIFT ONLY.

APPETIZERS | 5PM

SHRIMP COCKTAIL
VEGETABLE TRAY WITH RANCH
SPINACH + ARTICHOKE DIP WITH PITA CHIPS
PRETZEL BITES + CUBED MEAT WITH BEER CHEESE

DINNER | 6PM

BROASTED CHICKEN
BLACKENED WALLEYE
ROSEMARY CRUSTED BEEF TENDERLOIN
SEASONED GREEN BEANS
MAC & CHEESE WITH SMOKED PORK BELLY
FIRE ROASTED CORN WITH PABLANO PEPPERS
BABY RED GARLIC MASHED POTATOES WITH GRAVY
TOSSED SALAD WITH RANCH + ITALIAN DRESSINGS
PRETZEL DINNER ROLLS WITH BUTTER

DESSERTS

CAKE + ASSORTED COOKIES
STUFFED WOJAPI BITES WITH HUCKLEBERRY ICE CREAM

ENTERTAINMENT | 7PM

NAVAJO MAGICIAN BRIAN YAZZIE





Inter-Tribal Free Trade Agreement

**Tulalip Nation of Washington & The
Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe**



Preamble

The Tulalip Tribes of Washington ("Tulalip") and Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribe ("Flandreau Santee") both being federally recognized Indian Tribes, (collectively "the Tribes" or "Parties") recognize the inherent sovereign right and tradition of Indian Nations to engage in mutually beneficial trade between tribes, and each Tribe aims to enhance economic opportunity, foster cultural exchange, and promote food sovereignty on each respective reservation. The people of the Tulalip Reservation and their ancestors have relied upon the annual salmon runs within Tulalip's usual and accustomed fishing grounds to provide sustenance for its tribal people, in addition to utilizing this resource as a trade good for commerce with other tribes. The people of the Flandreau Santee Reservation have likewise long relied on the buffalo to provide resources for its tribal people, including food. Recognizing the unique and valuable food resource of each reservation, the Tribes hereby enter this Intertribal Free Trade Agreement ("Agreement") to promote the free trade of traditional foods between the Tribes.



Left to Right

Hazen Shopbell, Secretary Herrick, Vice President Weddell, Trustees Schrader, Trustee Ross, and Cyrus Fryberg Jr.

Hazen presented the Tribe a gift, a Hand Carved Fish Rattle.





Large Fishing Boats float nearby to purchase Salmon from fisherman whose catch is not purchased by the Tulalip Buyer.

Salmon Fishing 5 A.M. in the morning!

Salmon prefer cooler mornings and waters.

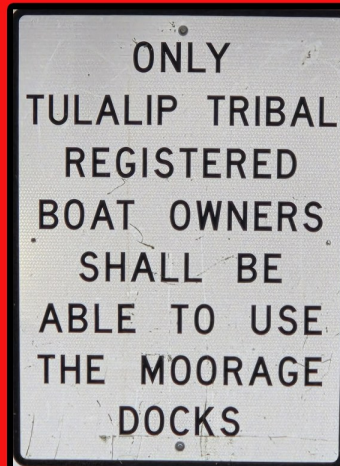


The Tulalip Buyer purchased 16,000 lbs. of salmon on the day we were there to observe the harvest.



Tulalip Nation Bay

Tulalip Fisherman can only
harvest the bay
Monday through Friday



Tulalip Fisherman Only

The Bay is strictly reserved for Tulalip Members Only
Members must participate in a daily lottery for the best fishing spots in their bay.



These pesky but playful seals are quite clever at stealing the Tulalip Fisherman's hard earned catch of the day!





Article IV - Trade Facilitation

1. The Tribes agree to annually exchange Traditional Foods with the other Tribe on a dollar for-dollar basis according to prevailing market rates for each food, in an amount to be determined between the Tribes annually based upon availability. Such negotiations shall occur and a determination of the trade amount made no later than March 31 of each year, unless otherwise agreed to by the Tribes.
2. Each Tribe shall bear the costs of shipment of their Traditional Foods to the other Tribes, and shall ensure that such delivery shall be conducted in a manner that preserves the quality of such products. Specifically, each Tribe agrees their Traditional Foods will be shipped F.O.B. Destination and subject to reasonable inspection within three (3) business days. Such transport shall be conducted in a manner that complies with all applicable food safety codes for the product being shipped.
3. Both Tribes agree that any Traditional Foods received under this Agreement, after passing inspection, become the sole responsibility of the receiving Tribe. If such Traditional Foods are later sold for purchase, such sale(s) will be made in accordance with applicable laws of the Tribe or jurisdiction in which the sale occurs. Furthermore, both Tribes acknowledge and agree that each Tribe will be solely responsible for ensuring proper storage of the Traditional Foods after taking possession and title to the Traditional Foods.
4. The Tribes agree to encourage further trade between each Tribe's respective tribal members with respect to Traditional Foods and other such goods as may be traded.



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

PRESENTS
HALLOWEEN FUN FOR THE FAMILY

BINGO

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31ST

DOORS OPEN AT 5 P.M.

GAMES START AT 6 P.M.



EASTMAN HALL
612 SOUTH CENTER
FLANDREAU, SD



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

PRESENTS
HALLOWEEN FUN FOR THE FAMILY

COSTUME CONTEST

BINGO PARTICIPANTS ONLY

ADULT PRIZES

1ST PLACE - \$100
2ND PLACE - \$75
3RD PLACE - \$50

KIDDO PRIZES

SCARIEST, CUTEST
AND MOST UNIQUE
GIFT CARD AWARDS

TRUNK O' TREAT
WITH WAKPA IPAKSAN
POLICE DEPARTMENT!

SCAREY DELICIOUS
HALLOWEEN
MENU!



Hillside Resilience Center

Drive By and see all the changes made to the old clinic building near the Flandreau Indian School. Robert Byrnes and his team have been working all summer to renovate this historic building.



Storage for Moody County Resources, our FSST THPO and Shelter

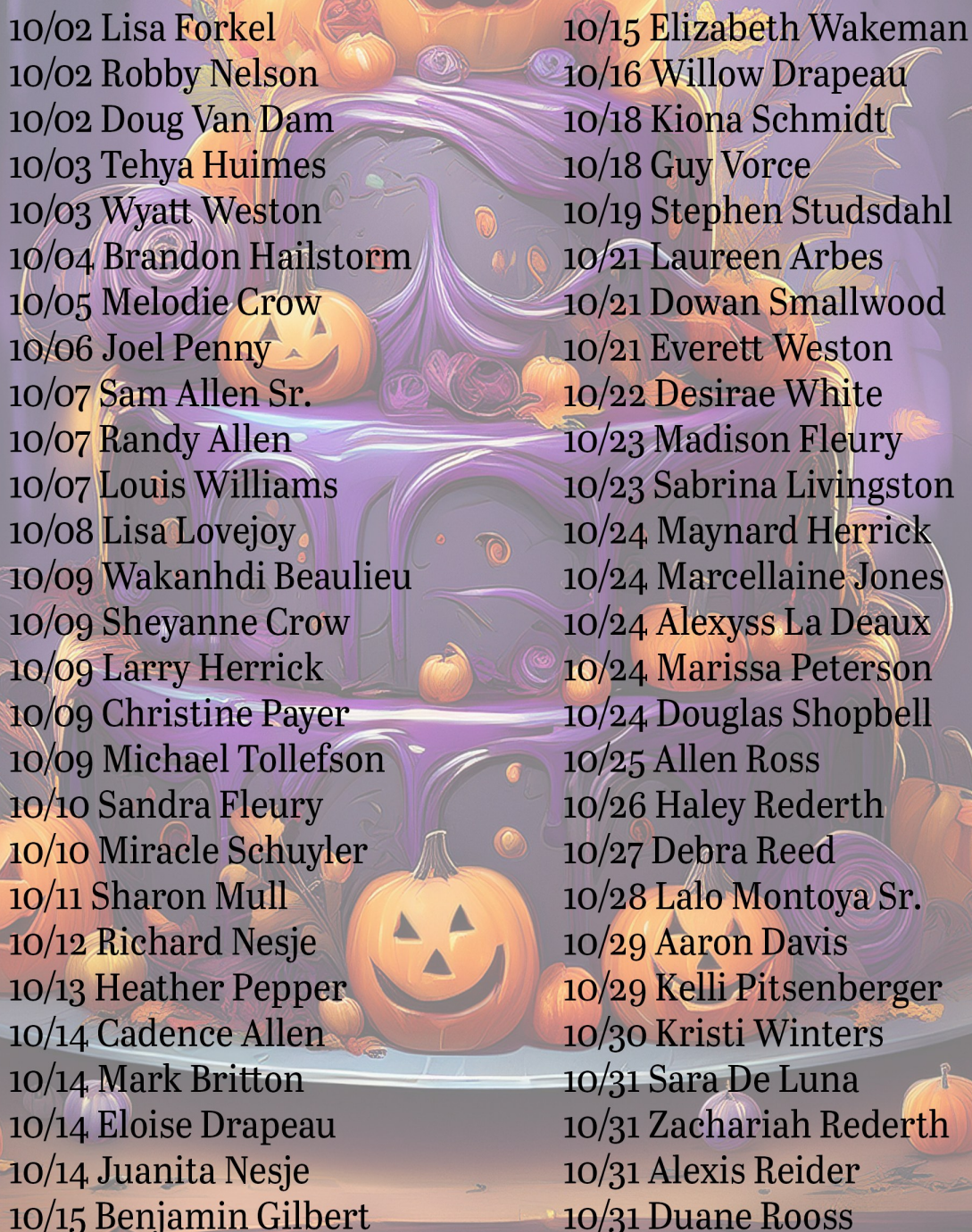


Rainwater Capture for irrigation and other uses.



Member Birthdays

Please join us in wishing our fellow members near and far a
very Happy Birthday!



10/02 Lisa Forkel	10/15 Elizabeth Wakeman
10/02 Robby Nelson	10/16 Willow Drapeau
10/02 Doug Van Dam	10/18 Kiona Schmidt
10/03 Tehya Huimes	10/18 Guy Vorce
10/03 Wyatt Weston	10/19 Stephen Studsdahl
10/04 Brandon Hailstorm	10/21 Laureen Arbes
10/05 Melodie Crow	10/21 Dowan Smallwood
10/06 Joel Penny	10/21 Everett Weston
10/07 Sam Allen Sr.	10/22 Desirae White
10/07 Randy Allen	10/23 Madison Fleury
10/07 Louis Williams	10/23 Sabrina Livingston
10/08 Lisa Lovejoy	10/24 Maynard Herrick
10/09 Wakanhdi Beaulieu	10/24 Marcellaine Jones
10/09 Sheyanne Crow	10/24 Alexyss La Deaux
10/09 Larry Herrick	10/24 Marissa Peterson
10/09 Christine Payer	10/24 Douglas Shopbell
10/09 Michael Tollefson	10/25 Allen Ross
10/10 Sandra Fleury	10/26 Haley Rederth
10/10 Miracle Schuyler	10/27 Debra Reed
10/11 Sharon Mull	10/28 Lalo Montoya Sr.
10/12 Richard Nesje	10/29 Aaron Davis
10/13 Heather Pepper	10/29 Kelli Pitsenberger
10/14 Cadence Allen	10/30 Kristi Winters
10/14 Mark Britton	10/31 Sara De Luna
10/14 Eloise Drapeau	10/31 Zachariah Rederth
10/14 Juanita Nesje	10/31 Alexis Reider
10/15 Benjamin Gilbert	10/31 Duane Rooss

THURSDAYS | 5PM-9:30PM

HOT HIBACHI *Nights*

RIVER'S BEND RESTAURANT

\$24.99

Enjoy an All-You-Can-Eat Customizable Asian experience with a variety of vegetables, noodles, and meats sauteed in your favorite sauces right in front of you!

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Hungry?



11AM-2PM

BRUNCH *Sundays*

RIVER'S BEND RESTAURANT

Enjoy a delicious buffet with an assortment of all your breakfast and lunch favorites.

ADULTS
\$20

CHILDREN
\$13

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11AM-8PM

11AM-2PM ON
SEAFOOD BUFFET NIGHT

FRY BREAD *Fridays*

RIVER'S BEND RESTAURANT

ADULTS

\$15

CHILDREN

\$10

Enjoy traditional fry bread
made fresh and top with a
large selection taco toppings
and wojapi!

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RIVER'S BEND
RESTAURANT

**DAILY
7AM-7PM**

\$5 OFF
Senior Meal Deal
Ages 50+



Earn 5 points or higher with your
Royal Rewards Card and receive \$5
in COMPS from the kiosk directly to
your card. Redeem at the River's
Bend Restaurant or Snack Bar.



OCTOBER 2025

***Breast Cancer Awareness and
Women's Health Month***

WICOZANI GATHERING

**FSST Health Center Community Room
Tuesdays from 9:00am to 11:30am**

October 7th - Daily practices for DM Management

On the Menu - Bison Chili

October 14th - What to expect at DM check

On the Menu - Chia Seed Pudding

October 21st - Immunization

On the Menu - Cabbage Soup

October 28th - Health Screen recommendations

On the Menu - Egg Burritos

Retirement

— PARTY —



Annie, a registered nurse for 56 years, has spent 22 of those years with us at the Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribal Health Center!



As she retires to focus on her family and grandchildren, we invite you to visit & share your best wishes for her new adventure!

HAPPY RETIREMENT, ANNIE!

Flandreau Tribal Health Community Room

Wednesday, October 8th, 2025

1:00pm - 3:00pm

RIVER'S BEND RESTAURANT

ALL-YOU-CAN-EAT PRIME RIB

SATURDAYS
4:30PM-9:30PM

\$21.99

Enjoy tender & juicy, house made dry-rubbed, and slow cooked prime rib with an assortment of sides and salad bar!

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Hungry?



EVERY THIRD FRIDAY
4:30PM-9:30PM

SEAFOOD BUFFET

RIVER'S BEND RESTAURANT

ADULTS
\$50

CHILDREN
\$25

Enjoy unlimited crab legs and
an assortment of seafood.

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**OCTOBER 31ST
8AM-MIDNIGHT**

WITCH'S CAULDRON WHEEL

**EARN 25 POINTS
WIN FREE PLAY!**

Weekly Promotions!

HAPPY *Royal Birthday*

EARN AND WIN FREE PLAY UP TO 4X!

DAILY | 8AM-MIDNIGHT

Celebrate your birthday month with Royal River and
win Free Play + more!

KIOSK GAME SPINS

Win Free Play with each spin:

1ST SPIN Free + 2 Free Drinks

2ND SPIN Earn 50 Points

3RD SPIN Earn 100 Points

4TH SPIN Earn 200 Points

DIAMOND & PLATINUM MEMBERS

Receive a FREE Royal River Shirt

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Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribal Health

BOOO

to the

FLU!

FLU VACCINE

Feel free to drop in any
weekday after school from
October 1st through Halloween!

NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY

GET A TREAT WHEN YOU TRICK THE FLU!

Little ones snag a goody bag for braving the flu shot!

The poster features a background of vibrant autumn leaves in shades of orange, red, and yellow. A dark brown, hand-drawn style frame surrounds the central text. Several large, stylized leaves are placed at the corners and along the sides of the frame. At the top, an orange banner contains the center's name. The main title 'COLORS OF FALL' is in large, colorful, textured letters. Below it, a red banner reads 'October Wellness Challenge'. The central text describes the challenge and encourages active participation. At the bottom, another orange banner provides contact information.

Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribal Health Center

COLORS OF FALL

October Wellness Challenge

This October, the challenge is to enjoy the “Colors of Fall!” Stay active while enjoying the beautiful fall colors. Whether you're hiking through vibrant, leaf-covered trails, cycling along scenic routes, or simply taking a leisurely walk in the crisp autumn air, there are countless ways to embrace the season. You'll not only enhance your physical well-being but also nurture your mental health by connecting with the beauty around you.

Let's celebrate the season by staying active and soaking in the beautiful colors that fall has to offer!

Stop by the Wellness Center to grab a calendar!

503 W. Broad Ave | Flandreau, SD | 605.573.4188



Breast Cancer Awareness & Women's Health Month

OCTOBER 2025

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			HEALTH FAIR 2025 1 10am-2pm	2	3	4
5	6	7 Wicozani Gathering 9-11:30am	8	9	10	11
12	13 Indigenous Peoples' Day CLOSED	14 Wicozani Gathering 9-11:30am	15 Sanford Mammography bus onsite	#indigenousPINK 16	17	18
19	20	21 Wicozani Gathering 9-11:30am	22 Women's Health Event @ WOCC 10a-2p	23	24	25
26	27	28 Wicozani Gathering 9-11:30am	29	30	31 HAPPY HALLOWEEN	

INDIGENOUS

2025

THE POWER OF PINK:
EDUCATE. EMPOWER. ASSESS.

October 16, 2025

HEALTH FAIR 2025

Wednesday, October 1st, from 10am - 2 pm

Located throughout the Health Center!

It's going to be EPIC"

facebook @ Flandreau Santee Sioux Tribal Health Center

Instagram @ FSST_HC

RIGHTEOUS REWARDS GIFT

Earn & Get

**SUNDAYS
8AM-2PM**

Earn 100 points with your Royal Rewards Card & receive a gift. Swipe at a kiosk after earning 100 points to receive your gift voucher and redeem at the Player's Club.

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Weekly Promotions!

SENIOR PLAY DAY

TUESDAYS 8AM-8PM

AGES 50+

**PLAY \$10,
GET \$10 FREE PLAY**

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Grace Moore Senior Center Fall Fling

**Friday October 24, 2025
Eastman Hall 8:00am-2:00pm
612 South Center Flandreau**

“Fundraiser for Senior Center”

**Chili or Wild Rice Soup, Ham &
Cheese Sandwich, Corn Salad,
Chips & Drink**

\$10.00 per plate

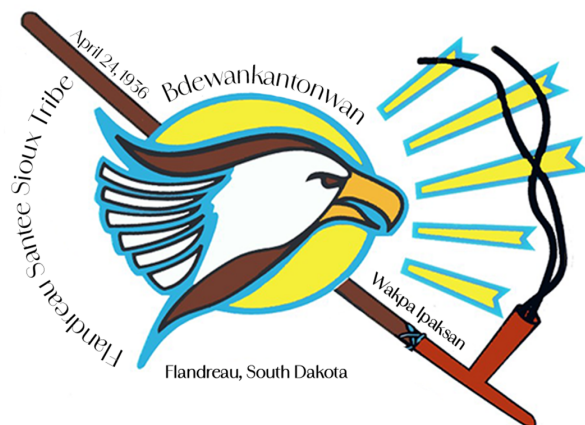
**Senior center will be selling bake
goods! Carmel rolls will be ready
at 8:00am**

Calling all vendors!!

Rent a table to sell your items!

\$15.00 per table

**Call senior center 997-2924 to
reserve your table or questions!**



Save the dates!

10/25/25

Casino Anniversary Party / 5 p.m.
Royal Room

10/30/25

Halloween Community Gathering / 5 p.m.
Community Center

10/31/25 HALLOWEEN

BINGO & TRUNK O'TREAT

Eastman Hall / 5 p.m.

11/01/25

Quarterly General Council Meeting / 9 a.m.
Royal Room

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October 2025 Menu


Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

French Toast Stix Scramble Eggs Hash brown Pattie Sausage Patties Fruit	6	Tator Tot Hotdish Mandarin Orange Salad Carrot Cake	7	Swedish Meatballs Mashed Potato/gravy Glazed Carrots Silver glade Salad Choc. Chip Potato cookie	1	Bean & Beef Burrito Green Chili Rice Red Bean Toss Cream Puff Dessert	2	Chicken Noodle Soup Roast Beef Sandwich Mac. Salad Pumpkin Crunch	3
CLOSED NATIVE AMERICAN DAY	13	Ranch Chicken Breast Rice Pilaf Broccoli Autumn Tossed Salad Vanilla Pudding	14	Braised Pork Chops Scalloped Potato's Cali-blend veggies Tossed Salad Fruited Jello	15	Polish Sausage Sauerkraut Parslied potato's Buttered Corn Nuttly Apple Salad Strawberry Jam Bar	9	Beef Stew Corn Bread Tossed Salad Apple Crisp	10
Spaghetti w/meat Sauce Garlic Bread Caesar Salad Pears	20	Cheesy Chicken Rice Casserole Corn & Celery Saute Hummingbird Cake	21	Chicken Fried Steak Mashed Potato's/gravy Buttered Corn Royal Salad Fruit Cocktail cake	22	Wisconsin Cheese Soup Ham Salad Sandwich Broccoli Salad Rhubarb Dessert	23	Potato Soup Ham Salad Sandwich Crunchy Veggie Salad Boston Cream Poke Cake	17
Beef Stroganoff Over noodles Mixed Veggies Broccoli/cauliflower salad Banana Bar	27	Baked Ham w/sauce Mashed Potato/gravy Green Beans Spinach Salad Pineapple upside down cake	28	Halloween Meal! 	29	CLOSED FALL FLING EASTMAN HALL 8:00AM-2:00PM	24	CLEANING DAY CENTER CLOSED	31

Grace Moore Senior Citizens Center 997-2924

*Menu subject to change without notice.