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ATTENTION FALL GRADUATES!

If you are interested in taking Graduation Pictures, United Tribes has reserved December 9 from 9:00 - 10:00 am, with Robert Knutson Photography - 405 Sweet Ave, Bismarck (1 Block West of Civic Center).

The price is: \$25.00. This includes the sitting fee, an 8X10 and 8 wallets. This is the minimum, additional pictures can be purchased. If you would like to borrow a cap and gown for pictures, come to the Bookstore to sign one out.

If you have questions, stop by the Bookstore or call t. 357. This is the only day and time that this will be offered.



Linda Beckler

Hello! I am new to United Tribes Technical College and enjoy teaching in the Injury Prevention Program. When not on campus I work as a public health

nurse with Custer District Health Unit where my primary responsibilities are home health and Health Tracks Screening. I enrolled at the University of Mary when my oldest daughter went off the UND and figure I'll make my last school loan payment with my first Social Security check. Because I was an older than average student it helps me understand many of the issues the IP students are managing. Ted & I live in Mandan with two of our five children, Sarah and Tyler, both of whom are out of school. Ben and Jesse attend Dickinson State University and are wrestlers. Our daughter, Jill, lives in Denver with her husband, Chris, and our two-month-old grandson, Riley. We are avid Viking fans, enjoy year-round outdoor activities and work to spend time together.



David Penrose

David Penrose, Injury Prevention Instructor, currently teaches two courses per semester. His interests are in "violence prevention" and "distance learning." When not working for the

Injury Prevention Program, he serves as the Distance Learning Curriculum Coordinator for the North Dakota Association of Tribal Colleges. David's extensive experience with technology is helping students to gain valuable experience in using hardware and software to promote Injury Prevention programs. David received his Masters of Arts Degree in Counseling Psychology at Michigan State University. David is married to Dawn, and has two daughters April (14) and Amber (12). David's hobbies are computers, acting for Dakota Stage, and directing "The Best of Broadway."

Committee Memberships

Shirley Ironroad will be updating committee memberships this week. Please call her if you would like to serve on another committee.

Also, call her if you are new on faculty/staff and have never indicated a committee preference. All are expected to serve on a UTTC committee.

Thank you.

Sister Kathryn Zimmer, Chair
Institutional Coordinating Committee



Weekly Menu

DINNER

November 29 - December 3

- Mon.- Goulash, Vegetable, Dinner Bun, Salad Bar, 2% or Skim Milk
Tue.- Bean Soup, Fry Bread, Salad Bar, Assorted Fresh Fruit, 2% or Skim Milk
Wed.- Turkey Club Sandwich, Soup, Salad Bar, Assorted Fresh Fruit, 2% or Skim Milk
Thu.- Variety Pizzas, Salad Bar, Dessert, 2% or Skim Milk
Fri.- BLT, Soup, Salad Bar, Dessert, 2% or Skim Milk

December 6

- Mon.- Honey Roasted Turkey Sandwich, Soup, Salad Bar, 2% or Skim Milk

SUPPER

November 29 - December 3

- Mon.- Hamburger on a Bun, French Fries or Potato Chips, Soup, Salad Bar, Brownies, 2% or Skim Milk
Tue.- Pork Chops, Rice, Vegetable, Salad Bar, Dessert, 2% or Skim Milk
Wed.- Meatballs over Noodles, Vegetable, Salad Bar, Dessert, 2% or Skim Milk
Thu.- Grilled Steak, Baked Potato, Garlic Toast, Tossed Salad, Fresh Fruit, 2% or Skim Milk
Fri.- Lasagna, Garlic Toast, Vegetable, Salad Bar, Dessert, 2% or Skim Milk

December 6

- Mon.- Baked Ham, Baked Potato Wedges, Vegetable, Salad Bar, 2% or Skim Milk

Thanks from the Nursing Department

The Nursing Department extends THANKS all who made possible the great dinner last Wednesday!

Now we move into the end of the semester. Blessing for all of that.

Submitted by Sister Kathryn Zimmer,
Director, AASPN Program

From the English Department:

Notable Quote: "The most important thing I learned in college was how to communicate." Lee Iacocca, former CEO, Chrysler Corporation.

Career Tip: Find a job you love, and you'll never have to work a day in your life.

ATTENTION!

Fall Semester Graduates! Graduation is on May 5, 2000. If you plan on attending graduation, you have to order a cap and gown. I have set aside the week of December 6-10 for measuring and ordering caps and gowns for Fall Semester Graduates ONLY! There will be other dates for Spring Semester Graduates. The hours are: Monday-Friday 8:00-12:00 & 1:00-5:00. Come to the Bookstore. If you have any questions, you can call me at Ext. 357.

Cathy Mastrud, Bookstore Manager

Student Senate Meetings for December, 1999

Dec. 3 at Noon, Bldg. 61, Student Senate/Reps
Dec. 13 at Noon, Bldg. 61, Student Senate/Reps

Full Student Body Meetings
THANK YOU !!!

Information for the Next
Newsletter must be submitted to Arrow Graphics
no later than December 3
Attn: Wanda Swagger

TESTING SCHEDULE

MONDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1999

8:00 - 10:00 a.m.

11:00 - 1:00 p.m.

2:00 - 4:00 p.m.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1999

9:00 - 11:00 a.m.

12:00 - 2:00 p.m.

3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1999

10:00 - 12:00 a.m.

1:00 - 3:00 p.m.

4:00 - 6:00 p.m.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1999 - All classes that are regularly scheduled after 4:00 p.m., or any irregular scheduled classes, will do their testing on this day. Also, this day will be used for test make-up's that do not fit into the above schedule.

If you have any problems with this testing schedule please let me know as soon as possible. Thank you.

All grades must be turned into the Registrar's Office by 5:00 p.m. Thursday, December 16, 1999.

Any grades that are incomplete must be in the Registrar's Office by **January 14, 1999.**

HOPE EVERYONE OF YOU HAS A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Reminder: The Finance Office will be closed to campus on November 30, 1999, in preparation for Month End Processing. No incoming documents will be processed until December 1, 1999. Also, any documents turned in on Friday afternoons will be processed the following Monday.

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FINANCIAL AID INFO.

• The Financial Aid Office will be closed on December 1 & 2, 1999 (Decentralizing Training)

• The Financial Aid Office has a number of scholarships and Internships for students planning to continue their education at a four year school. If you are interested, stop by the office and see if any of them are in your field of study.

• American Indian College Fund has series of 4 booklets out that have information and stories about the different tribal colleges they serve. They can be picked up at the Bookstore or Library.

• This is the only year that current enrolled college students can apply for the Gates Millennium Scholarship, for more info visit www.collegefund.org.

• The following list of students need to stop by the Financial Aid Office before the end of the semester and complete their Financial Aid file. Failure to do so will jeopardize Federal Student Assistance if you were considered eligible. Payroll checks will not be disbursed until completed.

Melissa Archambault

Blair Baker

Chasity Baker

Yvette Belgarde

Sean Casey

Johnna Cloud

Lee Ann Fox

Chev Hachett

Holly Hosie

Ree Hosie

Sandra Karlson

Thomas Keller

Maurice Lester

Donna Luger

Percy Lussier

Alan Schleath

Rose White Buffalo

Lacey Witt

Thought for the day . . .

MON: • When your dreams turn to dust its time to vacuum.

TUE: • Money ain't everything - it ain't even enough.

WED: • Something that cost \$5.00 ten years ago now cost \$10.00 to repair.

THU: • In life I started out with nothing and I still have most of its left.

FRI: • Some days you're the dog, some days you're the hydrant.

SAT: • The second day on a diet is always easier because by the second day you're already off of it.

SUN: • Why do we wash bath towels - aren't we clean when we use them?

UNITED TRIBES TECHNICAL COLLEGE CELEBRATES
 NATIVE AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH
 November 30, 1999

The following events are being held to celebrate the nationally proclaimed Native American Heritage Month. UTTC students, staff and faculty as well as individuals from throughout the Bismarck/Mandan community are encouraged to attend.

Admission is free, however, a food drive is also being conducted for purposes of donating to a local food pantry. Please, plan to bring a canned good for this purpose.

James Henry Memorial Building	Tentative Agenda
3:00 Tipi-Raising Contest	- Vocations vs. Vocations (Weather Permitting)
4:00 Opening Flag Song Opening Prayer	- United Tribes Drumgroup - Elder
	Post Eagle Staff
4:15 Opening Remarks	- Dr. David M. Gipp, President - Dr. John Derby, Dean of Academic & Vocational Programs
	“UTTC’s Role in Culture & Education”
4:30 Elder Presentation	- Felix Kidder, Sr., Standing Rock Sioux
	“Importance of Cultural Values”
5:00 Traditional Meal	- Cafeteria
7:00 Dance Performance	- Little Nations Dance Group
7:45 Polynesian Dance	- Timali Family
8:00 Contemporary Music	- Russell Parshall & Company
8:45 Honor Song	- UTTC Drumgroup

For information, contact Wendell White Eyes (Ext 233), or John Beheler (Ext 266).

A Teddy Bear Christmas



What: TJES Program

Date: Thursday, Dec. 9th

Time: 2pm

Place: UTTC gym

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Give thanks even for the bad things in your life

When my daughter was only 4 years old, I sat with her by her bed while she said her good night prayers. After she had asked for blessings for family and friends and thanked God for all the good things in her life, she went on to add, "Thank you, God, for all our troubles."

I looked at her, puzzled, not sure I had heard her right. "You're thankful for our troubles?" I asked her. "Sure," she replied (as if I were silly for even asking). "Without all our troubles, we wouldn't know what the good things were."

She still surprises me every now and then with bits of wisdom like that.

So, this Thanksgiving holiday, I plan

to be thankful for all of the things I have forgotten to be thankful for in the past. I will be thankful for ...

■ Those pants that are just a little too snug because it means I have enough to eat.

■ Those dishes I have to wash, the floors I have to mop and the furniture I have to dust because it means I have a home to live in.

■ The laundry I have to wash, iron, fold and put away because it means I have clothes to wear.

■ Being concerned with the rising cost of everything because it teaches me the value of money and shows me that I am not taking it for granted.

PHOTOGRAPH BY JENNIFER HUNTER FOR TRIBUNE



Four Directions

Cheryl Long Feather
Tribune columnist whose Dakota Indian name is Hunkwotawin

- The inconsiderate drivers on the street because they teach me to be more aware of my driving.
- Those people whose opinions dif-

fer from mine because they offer a different point of view and a different way of thinking.

■ Loud traffic noises because it means I have the ability to hear.

■ Having to park in Timbuktu to get to the mall because it means I have the wonderful ability to walk.

■ The people who have turned their backs on me because they have taught me to value true friendship.

■ The rude and unfriendly people I have met because they have taught me to value the smiles of strangers and the kind words of friends.

■ The ringing telephone that interrupts dinner or a good movie because it means someone out there knows and

cares that I am alive.

■ The ability to say any of this at all because it means we live in a country that values freedom.

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Congratulations and best wishes to Tamara Red Tomahawk and Vonnie J Albers. These two beautiful and good-hearted young women will be representing American Indian college students and North Dakota in this year's annual Macy's Thanksgiving Day parade.

The honor is truly deserved. We'll be looking for some big, cheesy smiles and hearty waves, girls.

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CHEMICAL HEALTH CENTER

BEFORE 6 BEERS

TURN



AFTER 6 BEERS

The Chemical Health Center would like to thank all the Staff and Students who came to our Open House held in honor of National American Indian Heritage Month November 1999. Grand Door Prizes were given out to many lucky staff and students who took the **pledge to learn, and teach our American Indian Heritage to our young, and to appreciate their Heritage with a healthy, drug free lifestyle.** We would like to also give a big **THANKS** to the Cafeteria staff and students who prepared our delicious Fried Bread, and Wōjā pī.

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A Minot State University representative
will be here:

DATE: Wednesday, Dec. 1st TIME: 2:00 pm

PLACE: Skills Center



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