# Ram Nation Newsletter





Indigenous Peoples Day festivities on campus. Hand-game tournament between LBHC Students and Faculty/Staff. Winners were LBHC Students. *Photos by Letha Gun Shows*.

Jeanea Wyles

### Interview with Miss LBHC Jeanea Wyles.

Bv: Lorna Little Owl

Jeanea Wyle is a first-year student at LBHC. She is a graduate from Lodge Grass High school, MT. A member of the Whistling Water clan and child of the Ties the Bundle clan. She is a full-time student, majoring in Crow Studies. Her educational goals include earning her associate's degree at LBHC. Then moving on to achieving her goal to become a doctor, with a focused career in Anesthesiology.

Outside of her schooling, Jeanea enjoys attending powwows; and dancing the traditional Crow woman style. She also enjoys sewing and creating traditional outfits. Her favorite garments to create are ribbon skirts and ribbon shirts. This past September, Jeanea competed for the title of Miss Crow Nation. The competition required participants to assemble a speech and traditional dance performance. The winner was determined by a total point system conducted by the competition judges. Jeanea in her efforts, came up short in points and a close win for the title. However, despite her loss, she has continued to stay motivated and moved on to earn her spot as Miss Little Big Horn College Princess.

Jeanea is a member of the following LBHC student clubs, Indian club and AIHEC. She and a group of other students are brainstorming with the idea of starting up a Native Fashion club on campus as well. Jeanea, with her positive and outgoing nature, will be representing her new title by attending local area powwows. Fundraising for the LBHC powwow, which is scheduled to take place in the Spring of 2024.

It was in this interview Jeanea stated "I really enjoyed when the local elementary school attended the Native American week powwow on campus. I loved seeing all the young kids dance in grand entry, and dancing alongside them was fun." She encourages the native youth to dance more at powwows; and to someday host a youth public speaking workshop.

#### **Announcements**



#### Little Big Horn College

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## **ELECTION NOTICE**

Notice is hereby given for District Election's to be held **Wednesday December 6, 2023** for **Big Horn, Black Lodge and Pryor** (4-year terms) and **Center Lodge, Lodge Grass and Wyola** (2-year terms) for the following:

#### LITTLE BIG HORN COLLEGE

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES (BOT)** 

Two (2) members per district will be elected. Candidates petitioning for BOT position must meet requirements\* set by Little Big Horn College:

- · Candidate must be an enrolled member of the Crow Tribe
- · Candidate must be at least twenty-five (25) years of age
- · Candidate must be registered within their home districts
- Candidate cannot have been an employee of LBHC in the last three (3) years
- Candidate cannot have any felony convictions (background checks will be conducted)
- Candidate must possess a minimum of an Associate Degree unless over fifty-five (55)
  years of age

\*SEE LBHC BOT ELECTION POLICY INCLUDED WITH PETITION FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

All petitions must be submitted with a One Hundred-dollar (\$100.00) <u>money order</u> filing fee payable to Little Big Horn College.

Ten (10) signatures of eligible registered voters within said district is required on each petition to nominate a candidate.

FILE DATE DEADLINE FOR THE ELECTION IS 4:00 P.M. MST, THURSDAY NOVEMBER 16, 2023. PETITION AND FILING FEE MUST BE SUBMITTED TO LITTLE BIG HORN COLLEGE BEFORE DEADLINE (Computer Clock Will Be Utilized As Official Clock).

PETITIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE <u>LITTLE BIG HORN COLLEGE</u> ADMINISTRATION RECEPTION DESK

DATED THIS DAY, OCTOBER 25, 2023.

Dr. David Yarlott, Jr.
Little Big Horn College-President

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#### FYI!

Message from HiSET coordinator:

The HiSET/GED Program is a department within Little Big Horn College that offers FREE classes to anyone who is 18 and older and NOT currently enrolled in high school. We provide HiSET preparation (formerly GED) classes. Registration is offered every Monday at 9:30 AM. We are located on the second floor of the Driftwood Lodges. Come and pick up an application and a study guide!!

Check Out Our New website for more information: https://lbhc-hiset.org/

Contact information: Office DWL #137 (406) 638-3147 Classroom DWL #215

Email: morsetteje@lbhc.edu or hiset@lbhc.edu

#### **Health and Wellness Center:**

- Sign up is still available for 100-mile club.
- League Volleyball every Tuesday night at 5:30 pm.

#### Apsaalooké Word of the Month.

Akissatdee Isbaapúua (úu) proper noun (holiday) Veterans Day

Crow Dictionary, 1st Ed, (2022).

#### Quick Calendar for Month of November

- November 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023, Veterans Day Holiday. No classes and offices closed.
- November 16, 2023, Deadline to file for LBHC Board Elections.
- November 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023, Graduation applications due for spring graduation 2024.
- November 20<sup>th</sup>, 2023, Apsaalooke Cultural bowl.
- November 21<sup>st</sup>, 2023, LBHC Thanksgiving dinner.
- November 22-25, 2023, Thanksgiving Break. No classes and offices closed.