



November 1965

The First Major Battle of the Vietnam War

The la Drang Valley, Vietnam

“Valley of Death”



Submitted by: David Jefferson IV, Lummi Veterans

Lummi's own Robert Earl Jefferson (middle in left picture) served in the US Army the 1st Cavalry division (Air-Mobile), they were ordered to Vietnam on 28 July 1965 under then President Lyndon Johnson.

November 14, 1965, some 450 men of the Air Cav were

dropped by helicopter into what is known as Landing Zone X-Ray in the la Drang Valley. They were immediately surrounded by 2,000 North Vietnamese Soldiers.

For three days these men fought for each other fednign off wave of attacks at times by hand to hand combat radioing in both artillery and air std both he Bronze Star and the Air Medal for Meritorious



achievement during his time in Vietnam.

For those that may not know the 1st Calvary division was George Custer's unit. The top enlisted man in Robert's platoon asked him this "It's ironic isn't is?What's that top? here we are Native American's serving in the very unit that Custer commanded, if you want out I understand" He was actually asking Robert

if he wanted a transfer out of the 1st Cavalry.

These are just one of many stories' the Veterans in your families experience. This Veterans day 2015 remember to thank them for their selfless sacrifice they have given up to go and serve our country.

Hyshqe.

Thank You

Johnny Felix, LIBC Council member & Lummi Nation JOM Program would like to thank all of the LIBC Programs and individuals who participated in the 2015 Trunk or Treat and Dance.

LIBC Programs and staff, that stepped up to the plate to make sure that everyone enjoyed the evening of Family Fun.

LIBC Programs:

- Commods Squad for providing and preparing the dinner thank you Elaine Lane & Staff
- CARE for providing some door prizes thank you Rosalie Scott
- Behavioral Health Door prizes
- LCC Seahawk fan hats
- LIBC Photo booth
- Youth Wellness DJ "Big Rez" and make & take items
- Silver Reef Casino Frank Cornett water, fruit and veggie platters. Door prizes Overnight stay room for 2, 60 massage, Dinner or Lunch for 2



\$30 times 3, Dinner for 2 \$50 & Dinner for 2 \$60.

- Lummi Law & Order candy & police on duty
- JOM face painting Patricia Hite & Juliene Jojola. Make & Take tables, candy, decorations food snack for dance and door prizes. Make & Take staff: Daphne Howard, Zoe Howard, Stella Gladstone, Paris Mielke, Maxim Shportko, Yekaterina Shportko, Denise James
- Culture & Lena Tso candy
- NWIC Karen Tom Decorations & Candy
- Individual Community members - Trunk or

Treat tables - Sunshine Fitzgibbon & Cathie Jefferson, Janice Jefferson, Tim & Leanne Ballew, Anita & Hutch James, Cindy Cultee, Cristie James & family, Alexandria Mackel & Kenny Miller, Angel Jefferson & family, Rosanne Martin, Jeff & Akesha James, Theresa & Ralph Bob, Lynette Jefferson & Lora Lee Solomon, Jay Martin Jr. & Ralph Long, Johnny Felix, Karen Tom & Tammy Tom.

- Johnny Felix for tons of candy
- Donations for Cake walk - Lena Tso, Janice Jeffer-

son, Rosa Revey-Jacobs, Johnny Felix family, KaTina LaClair, Cynthia Wilson, Elders Program Little Bear and JOM Tutoring Staff.

- Entertainment - Thrilling ham Althea Wilson
- Advertisement - Julie Jefferson, Candace Solomon & Doug Bob Jr.
- Clean Up Crew - Leno Alaniz, Kaitlyn, Mariana, Beau Felix & Beau Copper, Simon Jr. & Aubree James, Tyler Martin, Daphne & Zoe Howard, Denise James, Cynthia Wilson, Doris & Leonard Jefferson Jr., Ben & Candy Jefferson and many more youth that I cannot remember their names.

My apologies if I have not mentioned your name on our list of wonderful people who have made this event a success from our sign-in sheets we had 918 people sign in but we know that we had close to 1000 community members in attendance.

Hy'shqe

2015 Quad-District 1/2/3/4 1B Football Playoffs

Friday 11/06/16

Lummi Blackhawks vs Oakville Acorns

Location: Lummi Nation School

Time: 6pm

2015 WIAA 1B State Football Championships

PENDING WIN

1st Round

Friday 11/13/15

Lummi Blackhawks vs Evergreen Lutheran

Location: Franklin Pierce High School

Time: 6pm

PENDING WIN

Quarter Finals

Friday 11/20/15 or Saturday 11/21/15

Opponent: TBD

Location: TBD

Time: TBD

PENDING WIN

Semi Finals

Friday 11/27/15 or Saturday 11/28/15

Opponent: TBD

Location: Tacoma Dome

Time: TBD

PENDING WIN

Championship

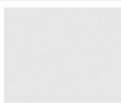
Friday 12/04/15

Opponent: TBD

Location: Tacoma Dome

Time: 4pm

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POSITIVE INDIAN PARENTING

Honoring our Children by Honoring Our Traditions

Group Class Meets for 8 Weeks
Thursday, October 1-November 19th
 1:30 pm-3:00 pm
 Kwina Village Community Room



POSITIVE INDIAN PARENTING draws on the strengths of historic Indian child-rearing patterns and blends old parenting values with modern skills. This class is for parents of any age child, aunts and uncles or grandparents who are raising Native American children.



Participants who attend all 8 classes will receive a certificate of completion; however, "Drop-In" participants are welcome.

Participants planning to receive certificate of completion must PRE-register.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Call Lummi Behavioral Health Reception @ 312-2019.
 Request Registration for Positive Indian Parenting (PIP).

POSITIVE INDIAN PARENTING CLASS TOPICS INCLUDE:

- Welcome & Orientation/ Traditional Parenting (Oct. 1)
- Lessons of the Storyteller (Oct. 8)
- Lessons of the Cradleboard (Oct. 15)
- Harmony in Child Rearing (Oct. 22)
- Traditional Behavior Management (Oct. 29)
- Lessons of Mother Nature (Nov. 5)
- Praise in Traditional Parenting (Nov. 12)
- Choices in Parenting / Graduation (Nov. 19)



Please submit your Veteran's Pictures to Lummi Communications

Lummi Communications would like to use the pictures for:

**Veteran's Day
 Memorial Day
 Stommish**

And for recognition of all Veterans



Please email pictures to squolquol@lummi-nsn.gov or bring them by the communications office and we will scan them for you.

For questions, call 360-312-2135

Thank you

Veterans Day 20th Annual Breakfast

**When: Wednesday
 November 11th 2015**

**Where: Vets Building
 2608B Kwina Rd. (Old headstart)**

**Breakfast to be served @
 0900**

**Any questions call Dave
 Jefferson
 at 758—9999 or 389—1360.**

Lummi Nation School Elementary Classroom Student November Student of the Month

Each month, Lummi Nation Elementary School honors a student from each classroom for hard work and dedication to the school and the community. Teachers from kindergarten through 6th grade choose a star student to be selected for this prestigious to honor.



Kindergarten:

Dredan Carter is Ms. Neverdahl's kindergarten Student of the Month of November at Lummi Nation School.

Dredan is a wonderful example for his classmates. He is here every day, works hard, follows directions, and does his homework every day! Dredan always has a smile on his face. His favorite subject at school is math. To be the Student of the Month makes Dredan feel very special and happy.



First Grade:

Daecia Carter is Ms. Vogel's first grade Student of the Month of November at Lummi Nation School.

Daecia is a very attentive student in class. She is a hard worker and always has a positive attitude. No oops slips this whole year. She always listens and follows directions. Daecia love doing homework and science "because we get to write about formulas." She is great citizen and always helps her classmates and her teacher. To be the Student of the Month, Daecia said, "it makes me feel good. I am happy because I love this class."



Second Grade:

Makaya Morris is Mr. Brink's second grade Student of the Month of November at Lummi Nation School.

Makaya is a great role model for her classmates. She consistently is prepared to learn, exhibits positive behavior, and shows consideration and kindness to all. She always has a smile on her faces, which warms up the room. Makaya is almost always the first student to help tidy up the classroom. She is much appreciated! The be the Student of the Month makes Makaya feel very happy. One of her favorite classes is computers because "it is fun."



Third Grade:

Robyn Jones is Mrs. Hubert's third grade Student of the Month of November at Lummi Nation School.

Robyn come to class prepared and eager to learn. She is productive and focused during instruction and helps others when she has completed her work. Robyn is a pleasure to work with and her enthusiasm for learning is infectious. In class and on the playground, she has a positive attitude and a caring nature. Her peers look to her for support. Robyn's favorite subject at school is math and her favorite special is cultural art.



Fourth Grade:

Tristah George is Mrs. Marshall's fourth grade Student of the Month of November at Lummi Na-

tion School.

Tristah says, "It makes me proud to be student of the month. My favorite subject in school is math. I am good at reading. So far this year, Tristah has demonstrated amazing growth in her self-control. She smiles more and has gained confidence where she never had it before. She knows that she can do it, and demonstrates her "I CAN!" attitude in her daily learning. This improvement in her self-confidence is a great example to her peers about what hard work does for individual learning.



Fifth Grade:

Payton Brockie is Mrs. DeYoung's fifth grade Student of the Month of November at Lummi Nation School.

Peyton has a very positive attitude. He makes both his teacher and his classmates smile a lot. He is an exceptionally bright student and young man. "I really respect how involved and interested he is in his culture. It's important to him and I believe that kind of respect will take him far in life" states his teacher Mrs. DeYoung. Peyton's favorite classes at LNS are culture and PE. To be the Student of the Month

makes Peyton feel both proud and very happy.



Sixth Grade:

James Jones is Mrs. Hawley's sixth grade Student o the Month of November at Lummi Nation School.

James is an exceptional sixth grade leader and role model for all elementary students. He is often the first one ready to learn, to complete an assignment, and is always puts forth his best effort. James often helps his peers when they struggle to understand a concept. He is a focused learner who takes pride in his work. "I like Lummi Language because I feel like it would make my grandpa proud and feel like it will be cool to speak my own language" states James. When asked how James felt to be the Student of the Month, he replied "it makes me proud because I've never been a Student of the Month before."

REMINDER

LIBC and the Lummi Clinic will be Closed on Wednesday, November 11

In observance of Veterans Day

Hy'shque to all our Veterans past and present

Lummi Youth Wellness Center

Office: 360-820-6645

Nov. 4: FSD K-12 1/2 day

Nov. 5: FSD K-5 1/2 Day Parent Conf.

Nov. 6: FSD K-5 1/2 Day Parent Conf.

Nov. 9: FSD K-5 1/2 Day Parent Conf.

Nov. 10: FSD K-5 1/2 Day Parent Conf.

Nov. 11: NO BASP Veteran's day

Nov. 13: LNS K-12 1/2 Day

Nov. 19: FFN Movie Night 6-8PM

Nov. 23: FSD 6-12 1/2 Day | LNS K-12 1/2 Day Parent Conf.

Nov. 24: FSD 6-12 1/2 Day | LNS K-12 1/2 Day Parent Conf.

Nov. 25: FSD 6-12 1/2 Day | LNS K-12 1/2 Day Parent Conf.

Nov. 26: No BASP LIBC Holiday Thanksgiving

Nov. 27: No BASP LIBC Holiday

Lummi Head Start

Office: 360-312-2446

Nov. 2: Head Start Review

Nov. 3: Head Start Review

Nov. 4: Head Start Review

Nov. 5: Head Start Review

Nov. 6: Head Start Review

Nov. 11: No School LIBC Closure Veteran's Day

Nov. 19: Parent Activity Day, No transportation Home

Nov. 26: No School LIBC Closure Thanksgiving

Nov. 27: LIBC Closure



Angel Tree Applications



**are available at
Commodity Foods**

**Deadline to return applications
no later than:**

November 20, 2015

360-380-6957



Holiday Food Basket

Distribution:

Elders: Monday

November 23, 2015

Everyone: Tuesday

November 24, 2015



Community Updates



Halloween Dance



Community Updates



Halloween Dance



From the Lummi Youth Academy

Submitted by: Amy Shimek

Cultural Identity

At LYA our youth are encouraged to work with our partnering programs to support and strive for their cultural identity. Two of our LYA students; one prior and one present have been selected to attend the United Nation Conference on Climate Change in Paris with the Lummi IPOD/LYCF. Congratulations! So proud and happy for you all! Thank you to the Indian People Own Determination (IPOD) and the Lummi Youth Canoe Family (LYCF) for lifting up our youth and instilling cultural pride and leadership. Both of those LYA participants were leaders at the July 2015, Spirit of the Sxwo'le – Coast Salish Mini University. They were a part of our youth's language and cultural revitalization effort. It is good to witness the *Keepers of the Tradition and the Protectors of*

the Circle of Life in action; for without our environment, we do not have our health.

One of our health promotion goals from an Indigenous Public Health perspective is to support this cultural identity. As Indigenous elders and medical research have stated, "you must know who you are and where you come from." This supports holistic health.

Infection Prevention and Control

Every year since 2008, our youth and employees have participated with the Lummi Tribal Health Clinic's public health outreach program for annual tuberculosis testing and influenza prevention strategies. The LYA nurse annually provides the students and staff up to date reference materials from the CDC and in house opportunities for vaccination; as well as working with administration to ensure a variety of

additional measures are set in place to help reduce transmission of infection and disease.

Nutrition

LYA also knows nutrition goes hand in hand to keep the immune system strong. This October, along with providing annual flu vaccinations, we are working with the LTHC Diabetic Prevention Program to encourage the "Let's Be Healthy" Initiative. In the near future, we will be able to show our community how our LYA youth have been staying healthy by submitting pictures of them playing their favorite sport, eating their favorite fruit or vegetables, drinking 0 sugar beverages and participating in activities that are not related to TV: daily study hall sessions, family meetings, reading, doing school work on the computer, beading, crocheting, drawing, walking or going to the fitness center as they often do.

Education

Grade checks are continuing to be done bi-monthly and we are making strides as an academic team with our youth. Our current cumulative GPA is 2.53 with 54% of our residents maintaining above a 3.0 GPA.

In keeping up to date with current health information, our nurse received a \$350 scholarship and continuing education credit to attend the 8th Annual Pathway into Health Conference. This annual conference for the American Indian and Alaska Native was supported by organizations such as the American Dental Association, University of Washington School of Medicine Center for Health Equity and Diversity Inclusion and the Indigenous Wellness Research Institute. This conference provided an important opportunity to speak to leaders in our dental health organizations

about our inherent right to clean food and water and the impacts of toxins on our youth and community member's health. As well as discuss partnering for future pipeline programs that will help our student's gain access to the medical, dental, nursing or traditional health and wellness fields. Overall, it was good to listen to and network with individuals who support an Indigenous way of knowing health, illness and healing and see our community House of Tears Healing Totem Pole Journey being honored at the University of Washington National Library of Medicine!

Community

As always, we encourage any and all community and family members to visit us for dinner at 5:30 Monday through Thursday. We look forward to seeing you!

Sincerely,
Lummi Youth Academy Team

YOU'RE INVITED TO OUR BOOK FAIR!

November 23rd-November 25th

During conferences

Lummi Nation School Library

Stock up on books for Christmas Presents!

SCHOLASTIC

REMINDER

LIBC and the Lummi Clinic will be closed From Thursday and Friday, November 26 and 27 In Observance of Thanksgiving.

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Opinions & Perspectives



Submitted by Bob Aiken
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Once again, we're nearing the end of the year. Once again, the nights are longer, the winds are chillier, and the campfire that we are huddled around is warmer and that much more welcoming. The tall tales that we are sharing add to the warmth of the fire, and on the heels of Halloween, it seems appropriate to relate a ghost story – of sorts.

The subject of this ghostly tale is a 1949 Ford sedan that was bought by either *Mechanix Illustrated* magazine, or by Tom McCahill, who was a columnist for the magazine. This machine came to be known as the "MI Ford", which turned out to be a project car for the *Mechanix Illustrated*, and more to the point, for *Mechanix Illustrated*'s star automotive writer, Mr. McCahill himself.

I would imagine that the legend of the MI Ford started innocently enough when Tom Mc-

Cahill noted with interest the radical and positive changes that came about with Ford Motor Corporation after Henry Ford's death in 1947, and the old man's grandson, Henry Ford II's ascendancy to the CEO's chair. Henry II realized that the old man's reactionary policies were creating huge market share losses in spades and that the old man's final favor to the organization was to have his ticket punched with a massive cerebral hemorrhage. Within two years, Henry II had managed to turn the company around and introduce a line of cars and trucks that basically saved Ford Motor Corporation from collapse.

Evidently, Tom McCahill had a long-running affinity for Fords as evidenced by his purchase of a then-new 1946 Ford Tudor and writing a driving report on it for *Mechanix Illustrated*. In three years, he'd made quite a reputation for himself with the magazine and was their featured automotive journalist. I'm guessing that the brass at the magazine weren't surprised when he approached them with the idea of taking a stone-stock new car (a brand new '49

Ford Tudor sedan that he may have purchased on his own) and giving it the same "hot-rodding" treatment that a lot of kids were doing with old cars out on the west coast of the US.

The magazine brass bit.

Actually, McCahill was looking to bring a cannon to a gunfight. He'd enlisted the aid of Andy Granatelli (of STP and Indy 500-winning team owner fame) to help in getting the flathead V-8 in the Ford to pump way more serious power than it had rolling off the showroom floor. Andy was one of the three Granatelli brothers out of Dallas, Texas who'd risen to fame doing miracles with Detroit engines such as Ford's flathead V-8 (which really wasn't a very good base to start from). This was no weekend garage-type project. McCahill and Granatelli were out for blood.

In February of 1950, *Mechanix Illustrated* ran an article by McCahill on the project that the magazine was now touting as the "MI Ford". Very little of the original car had been altered other than the engine, which had received among other things, custom heads, a free-flowing intake manifold, and higher

lift and custom-ground camshaft. That alone had produced thrilling results. The MI Ford gained a huge following among the magazine's followers, and they were further entertained by McCahill's antics as outlined in *Mechanix Illustrated*'s November, 1950 issue which detailed further performance tweaks, and results from testing and racing the car. It was as though they were having as much fun reading about the car as McCahill was having beating the crap out of it.

They detailed the performance improvements over the stock Ford in those articles. The yardstick McCahill used for acceleration was the time a car could go from 0 to 60 miles per hour. That has become a standard for automotive journalism now, but then McCahill was pretty much inventing this stuff as he went along. The MI Ford could go to 60 from a standing start in 10 seconds, which is still impressive for a car that heavy and bulky. Top speed eventually wound up being 112 miles per hour.

What happened to the car turns out to be the big mystery. In 1951, The MI Ford was a media phenomenon, transitory at best. Here today, gone tomorrow. Roughly 65

years on, it is historically significant. In the May, 1951 issue of *Mechanix Illustrated*, the managing editor, Bill Parker, bade farewell to the MI Ford: "... Well as it must to all cars, D-day finally came for the MI Ford...." Parker then turned the narrative over to McCahill, who basically said that he had taken delivery of a new Cadillac 61, and couldn't keep both cars. He was also worried about selling the car as it was to someone who might be injured or killed in such a volatile machine. After briefly recounting the adventures he and others had with the Ford, he said that he'd replaced all the stock equipment on the car and sold it to "...a used car wholesaler who I didn't know, and who didn't know me...."

He further added: "...She's probably on some lot right now, looking like any other used Ford. I wish her luck...."

And so, it motored off into obscurity, and eventually to the crusher. But I like to think that the Ford's ghost is still out there in the night, still running the roads with the autumn winds blowing leaves across the beams of its headlights.....and keeping it between the ditches and the shiny side up.

Traffic Safety fee eligibility Requirements

The JOM Program is working with the TANF Program to get the fee's paid for. The students need to come through the JOM Program.

Eligibility Requirements are as follows

If you are on any of these listed programs bring in your approval letter:

- Lummi TANF
- DSHS
- Social Security
- Food Stamps
- Energy Assistance
- Lummi Commodity Foods

And if you are not eligible for any of the above when you pay keep the receipt and bring it in with the Certificate of completion and you will be refunded that amount from TANF Program

For more information please feel free to contact the JOM office 384-7170 or e-mail dorisj@lummi-nsn.gov or candyj@lummi-nsn.gov

Thank you

Doris Jefferson, JOM Director

FYI this is the one to choose from Nelson's:

Nelsons Driving School

The **BEST VALUE**** teen package includes:

- * 30 hours of classroom
 - * 4 hours of Driver's Zed (a computer drive simulation program)
 - * 5 behind the wheel sessions
w/1 hr minimum of observation
 - * WA State Drive Skills & Knowledge test
- COST: \$435**

When you come into our office with proof of your Registration please bring along your Drivers Permit, before we send your paper work up for a check to Nelsons Driving School.

Also if you have any school fees or fines bring the receipt in or have the ASB office email JOM will pay for them.....

Turkey Day 5K

FUN RUN & FAMILY STROLL
LUMMI FITNESS CENTER 2600 KWINA ROAD

Event: Third Annual Turkey Day 5K sponsored by LUMMIFIT
Date: Thursday, November 26th (Thanksgiving Day)
Location: Lummi Fitness Center 2600 Kwina Road, 98226
Time: Registration **ONSITE ONLY** from 8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m.
Race starts at 9:00 a.m.

- Open invitation to ALL
- FREE for all ages
- Stroller friendly route
- Pets on leash are welcome

Registration for Turkey Day 5K includes:

- Race bib, entry for raffle and post race snacks

Please join us

For more information contact:
 Anna Leigh Finkbonner or Reatha Tom
 Phone: 360-380-6964
 Email: lummifit@lummi-nsn.gov

Army: "This We'll Defend"



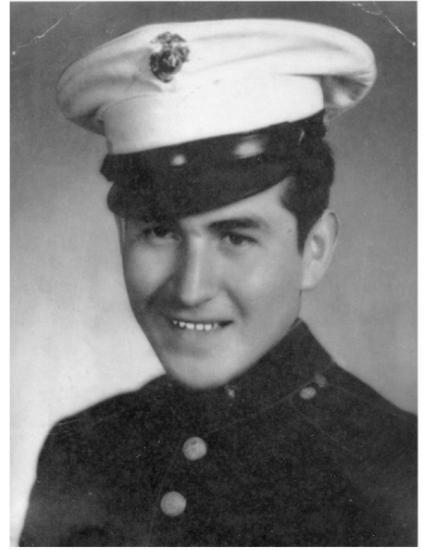
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- USMC



Adams, Perry
- US Navy Vietnam



Birdinground, Thomas
- US Army Vietnam



Cagey, George
- Korea



Cagey, Henry - US Navy



Cagey, Jack
- US Air Force



Charles, Clifford
WW II



Charles, Gordon
- Korea



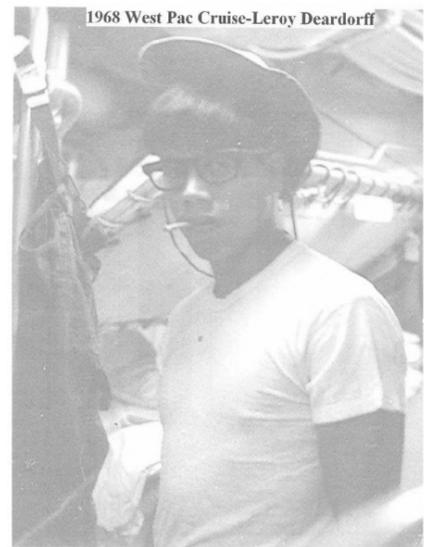
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Cultee, Nathan Jr.
- USMC Iraqi Freedom



Davis, Micheal
- US Army



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Deardorff, Leroy



Decouteau, Anthony
Cain U.S Marine Corp



Dennis, William USMC
Iraqi Freedom



Dixon, Leonard - US
Navy Desert Storm.



Finkbonner, Dolly
- US Army

Coast Guard: "Semper Paratus" (Always Prepared)



Finkbonner, Kellen - US Navy Enduring Freedom



Finkbonner, Sandra - US Army



Garcia, Howard - USMC Vietnam



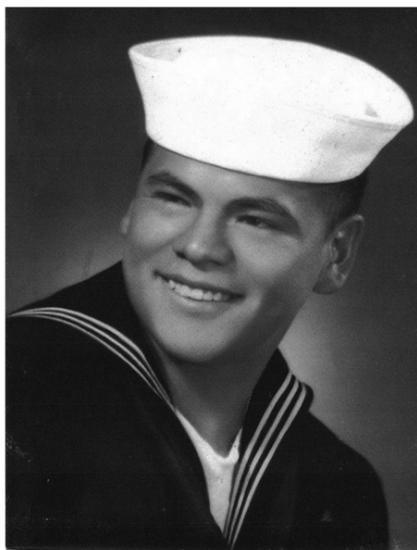
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Hillaire Locklear, Gary - USMC



Hillaire, Henry - WW II



Hillaire, Lewis Gary - U.S Navy Vietnam



Hillaire, Voir - US Navy Desert Storm



Hillaire, Willard - US Navy



Hunter, Kevin - US Navy Desert Storm



James, Armour Joe - Korea



James, Henry - US Air Force



Jefferson, David IV - US Navy Desert Storm



Jefferson, Robert Earl - US Army Vietnam



John, Phillip - US Navy Iraqi Freedom



Johnson, Scott - US Navy

Navy: "Non sibi sed patriae" (Not Self, but Country)



Jones, Audrey
- US Army Desert Storm



Jones, Edward
- USMC



Kamkoff, Charles
- US Army Vietnam



Kamkoff, Edward
- US Air Force



Keeler, Henry
- USMC Vietnam



Keeler, Henry
- US Army Vietnam



Kinley, Gerald Bardy
- US Navy



Kinley, Larry
- US Army



Kinley, Lloyd Nick
- USMC



Kinley, Patricia
- US Army



Kinley, Randy Jr.
- US Army Kosovo



Kinley, Thomas Jr. - US
Air Force Iraqi Freedom



Kinley, Thomas Sr.
- US Air Force Vietnam



LaClair, Richard
- US Air Force



Lawrence, Colin
- US Navy

Marine Corps: "Semper Fidelis" (Always Faithful)



Lewis, Mann and Nick
- US Navy Iraqi Freedom



Lorenze, Faunt
- US Army



Lorenze, Carmen
- US Army



Marois, Debbie - US
Navy Desert Storm



Martin, Greg



McCluskey, Roy Jr.
- US Army



McCluskey, Russell
- US Navy WW II



Misanes, Dorris
- USMC



Point, Jeffrey



Priest, Lawrence
- US Army



Rodriguez, Katrina



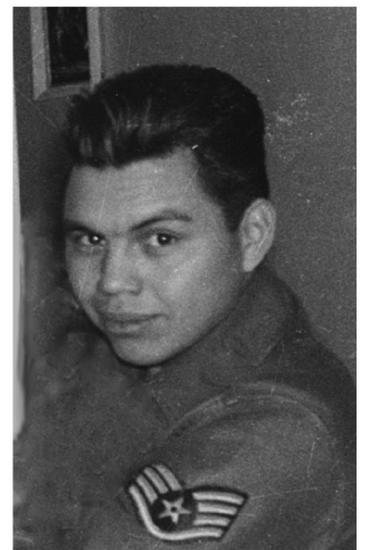
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- USMC



Scott, Ralph
- US Air Force



Sisneroz, Jeremy
- US Army



Solomon, John Robert
- US Air Force

Air Force: "Aim High...Fly, Fight, Win"



Solomon, Lawrence US Navy Enduring Freedom



Solomon, Nathan - US Army



Sturgeon, Derik



Toby, William Bucky -US Air Force



Tom, Lawrence - WW II



Tom, Tyler - US Navy Iraqi Freedom



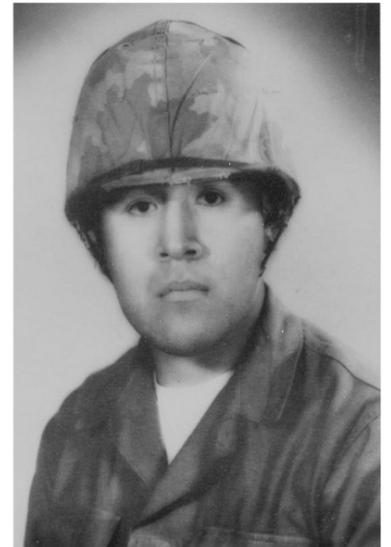
Victor, John - Korea



Warbus, Ron, Richard - US Navy Vietnam



Washington, David - US Army Vietnam



Washington, Lawrence - USMC



Washington, Victoria - US Army



Washington, William Jr. - US Army



Wilson, Reginald - US Army



Wright, Virginia

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Dear Editor

To The People of the Lummi Nation~

We would like to take this opportunity to send out a heartfelt "THANK YOU" to everyone at this time.

Almost from the time you knew of our late Wes Bob Sr.'s condition so many stepped forward to say "What can I do to help". Even when we were unable to answer you at that moment you stayed long enough to figure out what would help and you did it without hesitation or question. Until you are in the same situation you have no idea what that truly meant to each and every one of us.

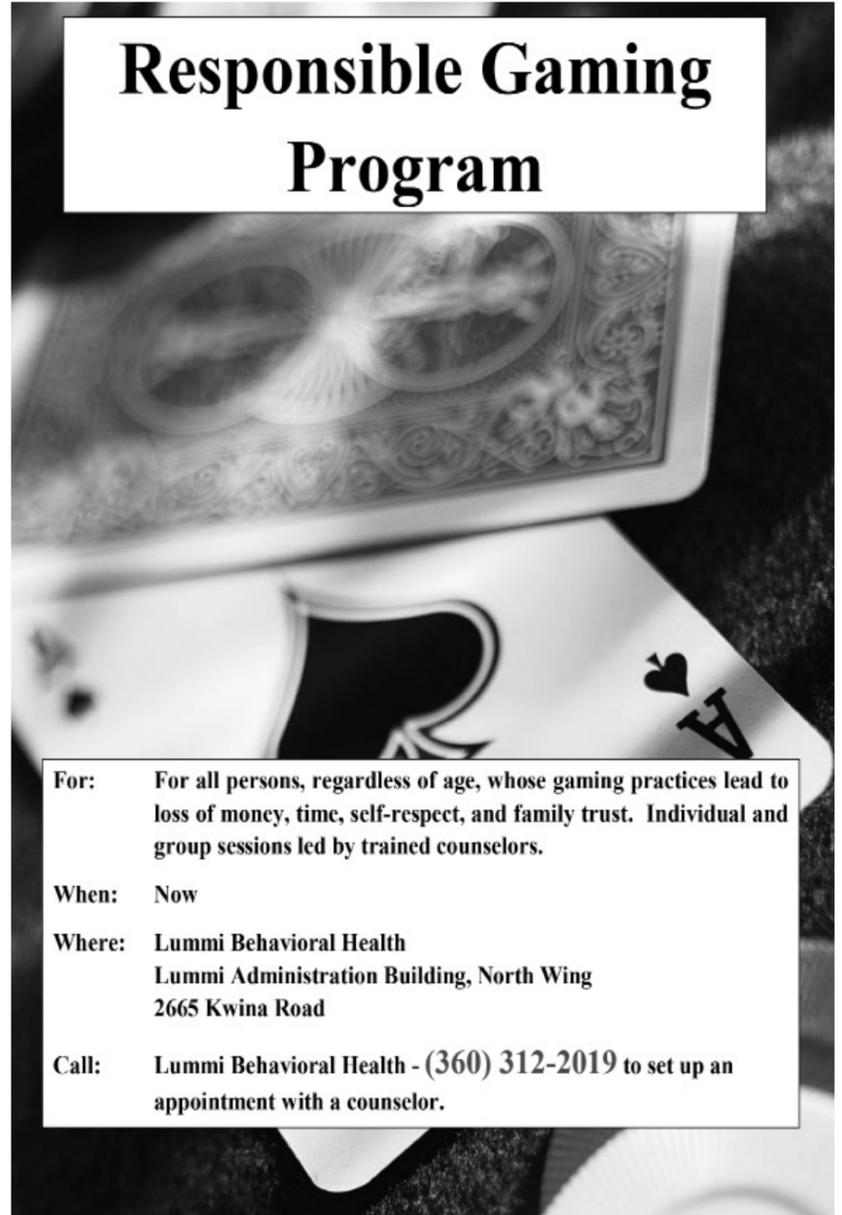
And then on that unforgettable day that our loved one went home you came by our home to help in the home, to cook, to visit, to cry, to pray with us. But the one thing that helped were those times you made us laugh or smile when you shared a story or two about our loved one and the life you shared with him even if it was for a short time. Those will be treasured by each of us.

To the members of LIBC and Early Learning Center our hands go up to you for your support, prayers, but mostly for your time that you sat next to us. You came and helped us walk that last walk with our beloved. You truly gave us strength that day. We thank you.

Today is different. Our life is forever changed. Often we struggle to continue to move forward but we have and will always do our best every day. Once again, we the "Bob Family" would like to say "THANK YOU" to our extended families, friends, co-workers, and the Nation for your outpour of encouragement, time, prayer and your love.

Love and respect
The BOB Family

Responsible Gaming Program



For: For all persons, regardless of age, whose gaming practices lead to loss of money, time, self-respect, and family trust. Individual and group sessions led by trained counselors.

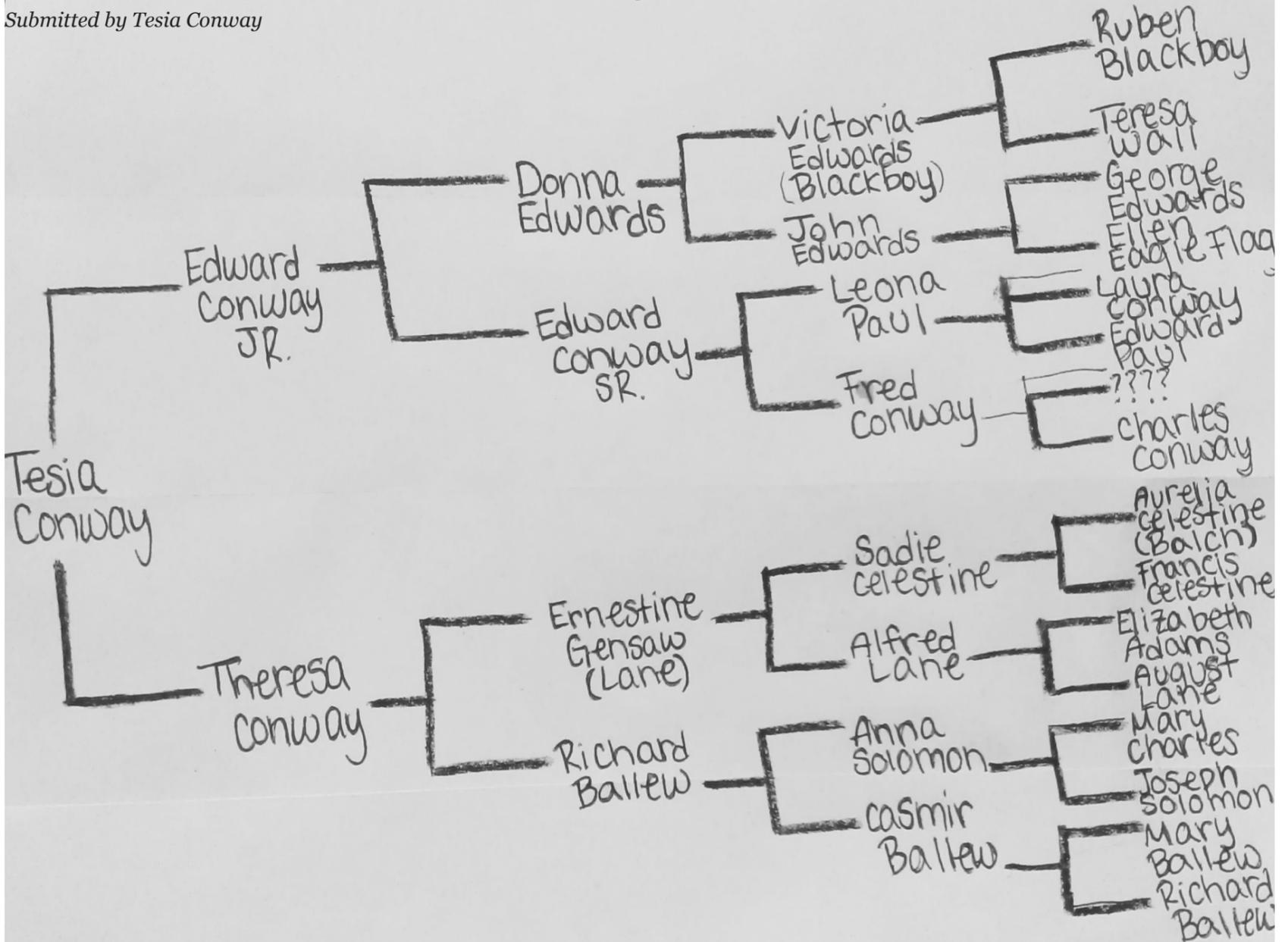
When: Now

Where: Lummi Behavioral Health
Lummi Administration Building, North Wing
2665 Kwina Road

Call: Lummi Behavioral Health - (360) 312-2019 to set up an appointment with a counselor.

Family Tree

Submitted by Tesia Conway



Elders November Birthdays

Adams, Larry James
 Alcayaga, Michael
 Bill, Michelle Ruth
 Bradley Sr., Larry Joseph
 Brewer, Diane Marie
 Brown Sr., Donald Raymond
 Brown, Susan Kay
 Cadiente Sr., Richard Ludivico
 Cagey, Clarence Joseph
 Cardoza, Mary Louise
 Cooke, Patricia Ann
 Cooke, Virginia Marie
 Crane, Robert Francis
 Dick, Josephine Janice
 Finkbonner, Joan Marie
 Finkbonner, Raydean Colleen
 Gainer, Robert C.
 Garipee, Cassandra Marie
 Gensaw, Ernestine Marie
 Greene, Richard Michael
 Henderson, Edward Paul
 Hight, Mr. Natalia Ellen
 Hillaire Jr., Richard Raymond
 Hillaire, Carla Rae
 Hinsee, Samuel Frank Kuuipo
 Hurn, Kathleen Marie
 James, Garfield Robert
 James, Gayle Ellen
 James, Harold Leroy
 James, Robert Rosario
 James-Laville, Linda Lee
 Jameson, Ms. Alita Mae
 Jefferson Sr., John Brazil
 Jefferson, Dana Andrew
 John Jr., Ernest Francis



John, William Lloyd
 Johnson, Julia Ann
 Jones, Daniel Lee
 Jones, Edward Lee
 Kinley, Lloyd Levine
 Lane, Geneva Stephanie
 Locklear, Gary
 Looney, Doreen Kay
 Martin Sr., Mark Louis
 Martin, Angela Marie
 McCluskey, Della Margaret
 Morganroth, Marilyn
 Nelson, Mary Katherine
 Oliver, Lawrence Emmett
 Olsen, Russell James
 Phair, Marcella Ann
 Phair, Margaret Ann
 Plaster, Elizabeth May
 Revey Sr., William Casimir
 Revey, Mary Ann Irene
 Rivera, John Phillip
 Schuetzler, Georgia A
 Schulz, Henry Timothy
 Scott, Charles Albert
 Seims, Betty Lou
 Simmonds Sr., Ward Christopher
 Solomon Sr., Steven Sidney
 Tina Solomon
 William Sturgeon Jr..
 Paul Tanner
 Thomas Tom
 Labelle Urbanec
 Doreen Vargas
 Richard Waldemar
 Charles Wilson



Lummi Indian Business Council Public Hearing



re: Amendment to Titles 3 4 6 7 9 12 14 15a 16 17 18 19 22 23 24 26 30 32 33 38 39 of Lummi Code of Laws

November 9th, 2015

5pm ~ Council Chambers



Lummi Indian Business Council Public Hearing re: Title 28



November 10th, 2015

5pm ~ Wexliem

In Loving Memory

Joseph Michael Jefferson

1957 - 2015

Joseph Michael Jefferson, age 37, of Bellingham, WA, and the Lummi Nation, passed away on Wednesday October 14, 2015. A prayer service was held on Sunday October 18, 2015 at 6pm, and funeral service on Monday October 19, 2015 at 10am. Both services were held at the Wexliem Community Building.

Merceline "Mercy" Bland Leonard

1935 - 2015

Mercy passed away on Saturday, October 3rd peacefully and surrounded by family at the Whatcom Hospice House.

Mercy will be greatly missed by her children; Les Bland, Carol Perry, and Glenda Hill; and many grandchildren and great grandchildren. She is predeceased by her children; Dale, Roberta, and Morris.

The family would like to offer a special thank you to the Doctors at Lummi Health Center, the CHR van drivers, and the staff at the Peace Health Cancer Center.

A Celebration of Mercy's life took place on Saturday, October 17th

Scheyi'ye-Lut I Anthony Bright

2015 - 2015

Scheyi'ye-Lut I, age four months, son of Jeannie Marie Finkbonner and Marcel Anthony Bright, passed away on Saturday October 24, 2015. A prayer service was held on Wednesday October 28, 2015, and a funeral service on Thursday October 29, 2015. Both services were held at the Wexliem Community Building.

Daniel Ray Cooper, Jr.

1939 - 2015

Daniel Ray Cooper, age 76, passed away at his home on October 7th, 2015 surrounded by his family. Dan enjoyed beading and spending time at the casino. Daniel is survived by his loving wife of 54 years Velma, his 2 daughters Tammy (Steve) Goodrich, Charmaine (Mark) Jimmie, his three sons Jason (Paula), Mark and Aaron Cooper and his two sisters Eileen and Della (Robert) Finkbonner.

Prayer/Rosary service was held Sunday October 11th 6:00pm followed by the Funeral Mass Service on Monday October 12th, at 10:00am. Both services were held at the Nooksack Community Building.

Haynes Rodney "Rod" Julius

1944 - 2015

Haynes Rodney "Rod" Julius, age 70, of Bellingham, WA and the Lummi Nation, passed away on Wednesday September 30, 2015. A prayer service was held on Sunday October 4th at 6pm, and funeral service on Monday October 5th, at 10am. Both services were held at Wexliem Community Building.

Wesley Douglas Bob

1943 - 2015

Wesley Douglas Bob, age 72, of Bellingham, WA and the Lummi Nation, passed away on Thursday October 1, 2015. A prayer service was held Tuesday October 6, 2015 at 6pm, and funeral service on Wednesday.



Announcements

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Ed jones- shout out to my father, happy birthday dad nov. 1st just wanted to let you know how much you are loved and appreciated. I don't know what i would do without you. You are such a barrel of fun and laughs! Enjoy your day dad, love you all heart from michelle, moon, reyna, guy-guy, tre, jayden and owen.

"HAPPY BIRTHDAY Tas.sicel.wit"
Hope you have an Awesome Day Carla!!!
Nov. 9 th ~ Love You Sis!, Sileqwi'e

Happy Birthday Darrell Derrick. We hope you have a wonderful birthday. We love you hola bunches. 51 spans and a pinch to grow an inch. Love and birthday wishes from Tisharalee, Michella, Alexie, Monajo, Landon, Mom (Granny) Mary, Devon, Pork Chop and everyone from up and down the hill. Special Birthday wish from me Mona.



Wishing our Grandfather Edward Jones a very happy birthday on Nov 1st. We appreciate everything you do for your family. We are truly blessed to have you in our lives. Wishing you the best today and always. Love : Mia, Willy, Addy and Billy Lummi



Happy Birthday to my best friend Sharayah Lee!! Keep up the hard work girl! You have so much accomplishments to be proud of!!
CES & Fam

Wishing our son Willy Owings a very happy birthday on Nov 5th. Time sure has gone by fast. Next year you will be in middle school. Love you as big as the world. Love Mom, Dad and Adison



Happy 23rd Birthday to our youngest baby Hillary Cagey! We love you so much! Very proud of the young lady you have turned out to be! With love, Mom & Dad!



Mom, Grandma, Grandma-Grandma, you have the most beautiful eyes in the world. Your personality says all about your journey of life. Your big heart is the most precious item I've ever found in my life. I wish I could be like you.
From All Your Angles,
Happy birthday.



like to wish my saucey and very happy birthday. Love you from mom and boyd.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Valerie A. Casimir Happy Birthday 10th Birthday 11/02/05 Mommy & Daddy's Baby Boo, we both love you!!! Today is your very special day J I want you and the world to know how blessed we are to be your parent.

To: gramma *marilyn morganroth* a very happy birthday on the 22nd of nov!!! Love your daughter shaleena b & grandson ryland bowechop



Congratulations to TEAM Lummi Spartans for conquering the Spartan Race: Seattle Super (8 Miles, 27 obstacles) on October 17th, 2015 in Snohomish, Washington. Picture (Left to Right, Top: Daryl James, Phillip Ginn, Anthony Madera, Jay Martin. Bottom: Jennifer Alvarez, Nicole Lewis, Teela Lewis, Jeannette LaClair.)

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I would like to wish My dad Paul Scott Sr. (11/03) & Favorite Uncle James Scott Sr (11/21) the very best Birthday's EVER! You both deserve the best! Thanks for being so AWESOME! We love you lots! Ces & Family



Our threenager is growing up so fast! We're so proud of you Princess K. Happy 4th Birthday lovins. - Love mommy and daddy

- November
- 2 Shayna Peters
- 14 Brad James
- 15 Sasha Johnson
- 15 Lamiah Hillaire
- 16 Allyson Lumbert

Happy birthday to our November babies! We love you each only every day! The Thomas Family



Happy Birthday Katherine Harper – on your 12th birthday! I'm so proud of the young woman you are becoming. You are performing well in school and in are a good example in church. I love you. From – Grandma Harper...Hugs and Kisses

Happy Birthday Cousin Gary Hillaire-Locklear! I hope this birthday year is the best ever. I hope to see you again in summer of 2016 if that works out. Enjoy your birthday – and I hope the New York weather treats you well this year.



Grandma, you have the most beautiful eyes in the world. Your personality says all about your journey of life. Your big heart is the most precious item I've ever found in my life. I wish I could be like you. Happy birthday. Love you too much! From Ryker, Marc, Liz & Dougie



Della mccluskey- shout out to our beautiful mother, happy birthday nov. 12Th, thank you for all that you do for me and my lil' family, don't know what we would do without you! Enoy your special day. Love you all heart from michelle, moon, reyna, guy-guy, tre, jayden and owen.

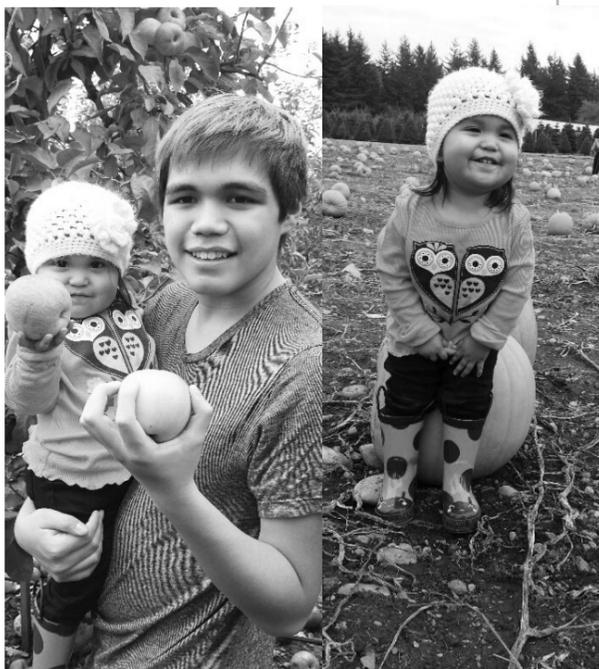
I want to say Happy B'Day! I want to wish my beautiful BIG sister, Laura Faith Edwards a HAPPY BIRTHDAY on October 12th. Thank you for holding it down w/.e. I love you with all my HEART. Love your baby sister, Lucy Lou Cooke (Martin)

I also wanna wish my lil sister, Tasha (Tottie) Perkins a happy 23rd birthday on October 15th. I love you Tottie

My Granddaughter's birthday is November 26 And I would like to wish Celina Wilson a very happy birthday! Love Grandma Becki and Grandpa Dave



On your birthday, we'd like to take some time to think about all of the wonderful times we've shared together. We're thankful for our adventures and all of the things that we've done as family. We look forward to making many more memories with you. Happy Birthday Fuzz, Brother Bear, Son, Nephew, Uncle, Grandson, Cousin



The Lil Johnson family had the best day at the Pumpkin Patch! Following tradition of the season! Thank my family for staying together! Pictures: 1) Great granddaughter Juliet and Grandson Kamron 2) Great Granddaughter Juliet 3) Turtle Kamron Mathias Evie and Baby DJ Jr enjoy the hay ride 4) Mathias LaMiah and Lizzy having fun with the props! 5) Mathias LaMiah Grandma Andrea Kamron and Lizzy stop to take a break. Thank you Andrew and Howard for joining the fun! Love each of you everyday!

