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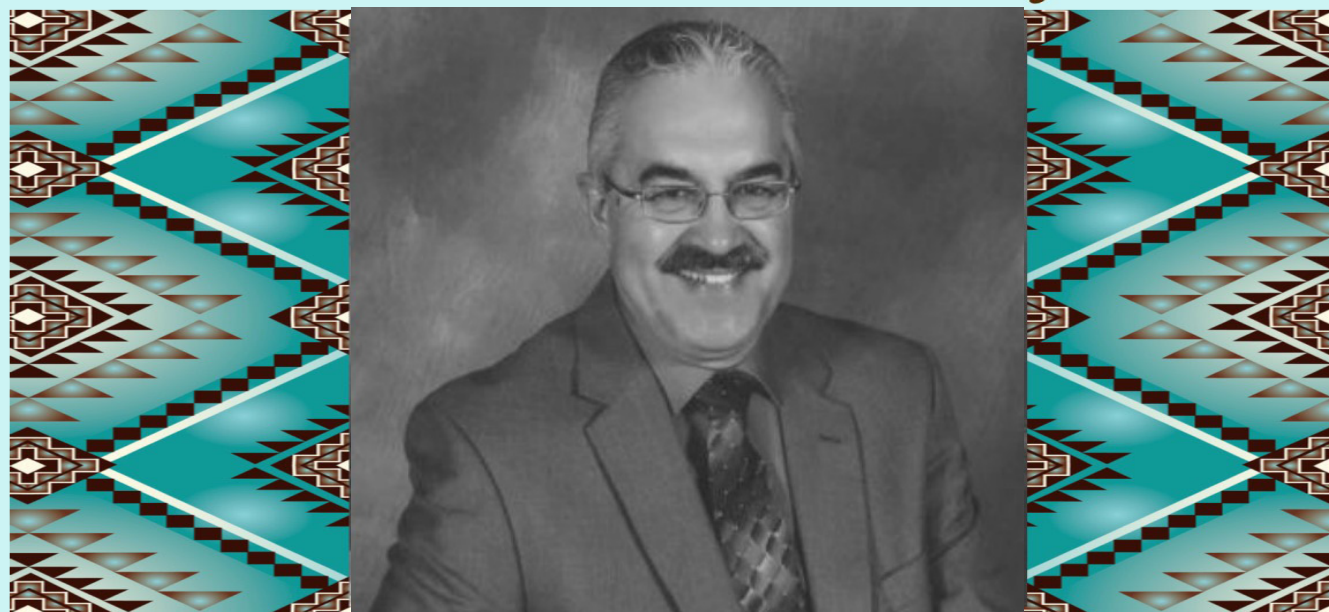
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Spencer Howington Will Always Remain In Our Hearts & Community



"See you soon, is so much more soothing to say than good bye"

Spencer was the guy with a huge heart and smile on his face every time you saw him. He was an avid supporter of our local community and he was always there when the Chamber needed him. Spencer's business Howington Office Products, was the recipient of the Business of the Year award at this years Pembroke Chamber awards banquet. He also received the 2016 UNCP Business Visions Entrepreneur of the Year award. We know that Spencer will continue to watch over us as he dances above us.

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I'm not sure how soon it will happen, but it's going to move faster than in the past 127 years. We have passed a speed bump.

Godwin, chairman of the Tribal Government



Harvey Godwin Jr., second from right and the chairman of the Lumbee Tribe of North Carolina, meets earlier this week with Rep. Robert Pittenger, Sen. Richard Burr, and Rep. Richard Hudson to discuss full federal recognition for the Lumbee Tribe. The meeting was held in Burr's office in Washington.



Congratulations to Alan Fowlkes, winner of our Pembroke Chamber Golf Cart Raffle.

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The Pembroke Chamber will be collaborating with Holiday Inn- Pembroke to host an after hours Museum of the SouthEast American Indian.

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Speech N Progress proudly supports the Pembroke community!



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September 7 - 9, 2017 (Tentative Schedule)

LUMBEE DAYS

Reception

Thursday, September 7

6:00 - 8:00 pm

Pre-event reception with live performance by Lumbee artist, Charly Lowry. Attendance by RSVP only. RSVP to cbrewer@lumbee Tribe.com.

Potomac Atrium

Demonstrations and Presentations

Friday, September 8

11:00 am & 1:00 pm

Cultural Presentation: Traditional Song/Dance, River Cane Flute Playing, and Tobacco Tying

Potomac Atrium

3:00 pm

Strike at the Wind: The Story of Lumbee Hero Henry Berry Lowrie. Historical video presentation and live performance*

Rasmuson Theater

Saturday, September 9

11:00 am & 1:00 pm

Cultural Presentation: Traditional Song/Dance, River Cane Flute Playing, and Tobacco Tying

Potomac Atrium

12:00 noon & 3:00 pm

Strike at the Wind: The Story of Lumbee Hero Henry Berry Lowrie. Historical video presentation and live performance*

Rasmuson Theater

Musical Performances

Friday, September 8

2:00 pm & 4:00 pm

Live Musical Performance by contemporary Lumbee artists, Mark McKinney & Co.

Potomac Atrium

Saturday, September 9

2:00 pm & 4:00 pm

Live Musical Performance by Lumbee Gospel group, The Deal Family

Potomac Atrium

Children and Families

Friday, September 8

11:00 am, 1:30 pm, & 3:00 pm

Hands-on activities including cornhusk dolls (11:00 am), gourd rattles (1:30 pm) and pottery making (3:00 pm)

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Saturday, September 9

11:00 am, 1:30 pm, & 3:00 pm

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* Strike at the Wind historical video will be shown on continuous loop in Rooms 4018 & 4019.



LUMBEE DAYS

NATIONAL MUSEUM OF THE AMERICAN INDIAN



Givens 2017-2018
PERFORMING ARTS CENTER SEASON

Sept. 14	Romeo & Juliet
Sept. 22	Extreme Illusions & Escapes
Sept. 26	Derik Nelson & Family
Oct. 19	Martial Artists & Acrobats of Tiajin
Oct. 27	Who's Bad: Michael Jackson Tribute
Nov. 20	Cirque Dreams Holidayze
Dec. 1	9th Annual Holiday Extravaganza
Jan. 23	Well Strung - String Quartet
March 13	Amazing Grace: The Musical
March 19	The Wizard of Oz
April 6	On Golden Pond

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Tammy Everett directs the NC Defense Business Association WID forum

The North Carolina Defense Business Association Women In Defense (WID) directed by Tammy Everett and chaired by Dr. Freda Porter held their monthly forum at UNC-Pembroke Entrepreneurship Incubator on August 17.

Keynote speaker was Lt. Col. USAF (Ret) René Locklear White, Culinary and Horticulture Specialist, Boulder Crest Retreat Veteran Wellness Center. René joined the Boulder Crest Retreat team as Head Chef and horticultural specialist in January 2017. As a self-taught, award winning culinary artist, René aims to prepare 5-star nutritious, seasonal meals for veterans staying at the retreat. Overseeing the Wallis Annenberg Heroes Garden, René manages the organic garden just steps away from the kitchen. René helps immerse participants in a farm-to-table experience with practical take-home knowledge and skills. She believes that growing and preparing food in a good way is part of the healing exchange and vital to reducing suffering for our military veteran families - one ingredient at a time.

Before arriving to BCR, René earned a Bachelor's degree in both Math & Art and Master's degree in Diplomacy. She has worked

with people of influence fostering critical interagency partnerships with the Pentagon, White House, State Department, Secretary of Defense, news media, embassies, etc. Her highest valued product managed was a \$250 million dollar contract solicitation. She is a Veteran; a U.S. Air Force retired Lt. Col. with 22 years active-duty military service and humble Native American Lumbee Indian Warrior. When not at BCR, she and her husband lead their own Native American Indian non-profit Native American Church of Virginia Sanctuary on the Trail helping leaders, bringing recognition to contributions of indigenous people to reduce suffering. She is a proud daughter, sister, wife, mother, grandmother and resident of Blumont.

The mission of the WID is to empower women business leaders in the NC Defense industry. Sharpen leadership skills and establish best business practices. Encourage and brainstorm. Elevate other WID members through our own connections.

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