UTE NEWS for the week of October 19, 2026
MykwH Ute Country!

GENERAL COUNCIL: Save the Date November 4th @ 10:00am in the Tribal Auditorium. A lunch will be served. For additional questions call 435-722-5141

SENIORS: Activities are as follow;

- October 20th – Scary Super Hero Bingo from 12pm-2pm
- October 21st – Trick or Treat Bag Activity @ 9:30am
- October 22nd – Senior Trip to Lapoint Corn Maze
- October 27th – Scary Bingo your Choice from 12pm-2pm
- October 28th - Pumpkin Painting Activity @ 9:30am
- October 29th – Scary Movie @ 1:30pm & Education and Senior Trunk –R-Treat.

If you should have any questions about any of the activities give Seniors a Call @ 435-725-4282

PAINTED HORSE DIABETES PREVENTION PROGRAM: **Activities are as follows,**

- **Pony Bead Loom Making** will be at the Community Bldgs. From 5pm-7pm.
  -October 20th: Whiterocks Community Bldg.
  - October 27th: Randlett Community Bldg.
- **Pumpkin Fun Run/Walk** will be held on October 24th @ 10:00am at Painted Horse. Pumpkins are first come first serve while supplies last.
- **Halloween Masquerade Pow-wow** will be held on Thursday October 29th grand entry @ 7:00pm. will be held at the Fort Duchesne Community Bldg. there will be cake walks, musical chairs and Dance exhibition in tiny tots, jrs, teens and adults. Vending space is $25 dollars' contact Jennifer Cesspooch @ 435-725-4912.
- **A1C Testing** will be available every Tuesdays from 9am-12pm & Thursdays from 1pm-4pm.
- **Addict Athletes Class** will be held every Wednesday from 5pm-6pm.

- **CPR/First Aid & Narcan Training:** Will be held every first Wednesday of the month. At the Painted Horse Bldg. from 1-5pm. Sign up by calling U&O Public Health @ 435-725-6838 or 435-725-6828.
- **Zumba:** Classes with Sary every Monday & Wednesday's from 12:10pm – 12:45pm at Painted Horse.
- **Yoga** class will be held every Thursday @ 12pm with Tim McCreary.

For more information, contact Painted Horse @ 435.725.4913 or Jeannette @ 435-725-4905

UIT RECREATION: 2nd Annual Youth Handgame League signups deadline is on October 28th leagues will begin in November. Limited Handgame supplies, you don't have to know how to play to sign up.
If you should have any questions or would like to sign you children up, contact UIT Recreation @ 435-722-2249

MYTON COMMUNITY: Presents a Halloween Party on October 24th @ 5pm. there will be a costume contest, prizes, food, games and fun. If you should have any questions, contact them @ 435-401-1826.

HALLOWEEN CRAFT FAIR: Will be held on October 27th-28th from 10am-5pm. north side of the powwow grounds (weather permitting) there are 10x10 spots available with a $20 donation. All crafters and food trucks welcome. Must provide your own table and chairs. To register or more information contact Leslie Chapoose @ 435-724-6710 or Trini Wopsock @ 435-549-4336

LIVING HOPE: New Christian Church Victory Chapel will be held at the following locations:
- Fort Duchesne Community Bldg on Sundays @ 10:30am
- Cotton Wood #M4 on Sundays @ 6:30pm & Wednesdays @ 7:30pm.

If you should have any questions call 435-823-5005

FLU VACCINE CINIC FOR OCTOBER: Mark Your Calendars, every clinic will be held from 1:00pm-4:00pm.
- October 21st: Randlett Community Bldg.
- October 22nd: Myton Community Bldg.
- October 28th: Whiterocks Community

50 and older ask about the RSV Vaccine. All individuals should consult with their healthcare provider to understand their options regarding vaccinations. For further questions, contact IHS Public Health @ 435-725-6838 or 435-725-6828

FREE PHONES & SERVICE FOR THE UINTAH & OURAY RESERVATION: Criteria, must qualify with SNAP, Medicaid, Section 8, SSI, General Assistance, FDPIR (Commodities), and Low Income. You will need to bring a Valid Tribal or State ID, Last 4 of SSN and Proof of benefit. Must live on federally recognized tribal land. They will be at the Fort Duchesne Community Center from 9:30am-5pm on October 20th which is today and on October 22nd-23rd at the UIT Food Distribution from 9:30am-5pm whiles supply last. Event will end early if they run out of phones.

UTE FAMILY SERVICES: Trunk or Treat on October 22, 2026 from 3:00pm-5:00pm. walk around inside the building, visit different doors and collect some Halloween treats. if you should have any questions contact Ute Family Services @ 435-722-4054

EDUCATION: Fall Family Fun Night at the Lapoint Corn Maze on October 21st from 4:30pm-6:30pm. all students, their families and community members are welcome to attend this free event. If your student is not signed up with the UTTM Program, we will have applications on hand.
- Save the Date Ute Tribe Trunk or Treat will be held on October 29th at the Fort Duchesne Powwow Grounds. To reserve a spot, contact the UIT Education at 435-722-2331 or Korin @ 435-725-4083.

UTE STRONG & UINTAH BASIN: Addict Athlete 5th Annual Fundraiser Dinner & Auction. On November 21, 2026 from 4:30pm-8:00pm. at the Uintah Conference Center 313 East 200 South Vernal, UT. There will be resource booths, free drawings, guest speakers, Daniel Stratton “Heart of a Champion” Award, and live auction. $20 a Ticket. Dinner will be catered by The Sloppy Pig Mexican Buffet. For more information or tickets contact Coach Jonah Grant Sr. @ 435-621-8680

SAVE THE DATE THANKSGIVING POWWOW: Will be held on November 26, 27 & 28, 2026. Limited specials available please inquire

immediately, also Tiny-Tot Sponsorship is available. If you should have any questions, contact the Powwow Committee Chairman Sapianaze LaRose @ 435-724-8311 or Vice-Chair Alonzo Jim @ 435-401-3183. For the Vending Coordinator contact Daniel Santio @ 435-823-2901.

UTE TRIBE PEES-CHEU DAYCARE: Is Accepting Applications. We offer infant care (6 weeks – 2yrs old), toddler care (2 – 5yrs old), afterschool care (6 – 12yrs old). Application available at Pees-Cheu Daycare facility located in Ft. Duchesne. Childcare assistance available to those that qualify. For more information, you may contact the Pees-Cheu Daycare @ 435-722-8390

NATSU BEHAVIORAL HEALTH: Reclaim past traditions, heal today, strengthen tomorrow and build healthier generations through culturally centered medical and behavioral healthcare services. Culturally grounded residential treatment center supporting women in their recovery from substance use, integrating trauma-informed care, clinical services, and whole-person healing rooted in dignity, strength and respect. Contact the clinic @ (435) 850-1823 Behavioral Health @ (435) 714-7376. Email-admissions@natsuhealthcare.com

LIHEAP/LIHWAP: Feel free to come in and fill out an application. Documents needed are….
*Identification as a Tribal ID or Driver License
*Social Security Cards for entire household for eligibility
*Proof of income from employment for all adults
*Birth Certificates for children 0 to 5 yrs only
*FYI Tribal Percapita is not considered income. Please continue to pay your utility bills after submitting your application into the LIHEAP Office. For more information, you may contact Lora Garcia Liheap Coordinator at 435-725-4878.

ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT: The Administration Department is offering limited financial assistance for tribal member 65 & older**,** based on funding availability.
Eligible utility services include:

- Gas/Propane

- Water/Garbage
- Electric
- Phone

Assistance will only be provided for services that directly benefit the elder submitting the application, utility bill must be in the name of the elder. To apply you must submit form along with the applicable utility billing to the Administration Department for processing as soon as possible. For questions or additional information, please contact the Administration Department at 435-725-4110

UIT SANITATION: Friendly Reminder avoid placing the following particles in trash bins and dumpsters. Rocks, dirt or sod, tree limbs, car parts, fence posts and wire, dead animals or animal parts, major appliances, hot ashes, batteries, bulky scrap metals, building materials or waste, oil or paint not contained in leak proof containers, bodily fluids. Should any of these particles be found at time of pick up, your garbage will be rejected also be sure to have your bins out for pickup by 6am.

EMPLOYMENT & WIOA OPPORTUNITIES:
The Ute Indian Tribe is currently accepting applications for **Emergency Employment** and the **WIOA (Workforce Innovation & Opportunity Act) Program**.
*The **Emergency Employment Program** is a 9-month temporary, full-time employment program for Ute Tribal Members only. Responsibilities include various general and manual labor duties, as well as assisting with cultural events such as Bear Dance, Powwows, and Sundance. Applicants must complete an application and submit two forms of identification (I.D.).

*The **WIOA Program** is a temporary employment program that provides financial support to individuals working toward obtaining a High School Diploma through the Ute Indian Tribe Adult Education Program. Participants may also be eligible for assistance with childcare and training expenses, if applicable. The WIOA Program is available to Native Americans, Ute Indian Tribe, Tribal Descendants, and members of other tribes etc.
If you are interested in either program or would like more information, please contact Fololina Tauaalo at 435-725-4055.

JOB ANNOUNCEMENTS: for the Ute Indian Tribe and Ute Tribe Enterprises are available online at www.utetribe.com or at the Human Resource office.

THE NEXT UTE BULLETIN DEADLINE: Is Monday November 2, 2026 and the paper will be out Wednesday November 11, 2026. Please submit your articles and photos to bulletin@utetribe.com

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