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The CIMC Movement: Creating Positive Change for Native Communities

<u>37th CIMC MEMBERSHIP MEETING</u> November 6-7, 2015 - <u>Nugget Hotel Resort</u>, Sparks, Nevada



This annual meeting is an important gathering for CIMC members. Attendees will receive key information about the transition from the Workforce Investment Act (WIA) to the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA). The meeting will feature a dynamic keynote address, informative presentations about CIMC programs, recognition of CIMC members, board members, and staff, and elections of officers and GSA representatives. For information, contact: Carol Jennings at carolj@cimcinc.com or (916) 920-0285.

Arts & Crafts / Information Exhibits - due October 21, 2015. <u>No vendors/exhibits will be accepted</u> <u>after this date</u>. Arts and Crafts Vendors - \$50.00 per day, per table; Information Exhibits - \$25.00 per day | <u>Click here for more information and form</u>.

Thank you to sponsors of the CIMC 37th Annual Membership Meeting.



Sponsorships opportunities are still available. Click here for information and form.

Netbooks Awarded for Youth Achievement





Serenity Lozano, from Oroville, CA, completed her short-term work experience activity as a Office Assistant at the Enterprise Rancheria. Serenity is working on completing her education. Megan Rowell, from Marysville, CA, completed her short-term work experience activity at the Farmers Marketplace. She volunteers with her tribe and is interested in entering the health field.

The CIMC Workforce Development Program is providing a limited number of netbooks to youth who complete specific youth development activities. These individuals are from the CIMC Redding Geographic Service Area.

CIMC Native Entrepreneur Training Update



Dates have been set for the next training series.

Session1: December 8-10, 2015 - Pala Casino Spa Resort - Pala, CA

Session 2: January 12-13, 2016 - Viejas Casino & Resort - Alpine, CA

Session 3: February 23-25, 2016 - Feather Falls Casino - Oroville, CA (pending)

Session 4: March 22-23, 2016 - The Hotel at Black Oak Casino - Tuolumne, CA (pending)

APPLICATIONS ARE DUE NOVEMBER 10, 2015.

Visit <u>CIMC website</u> for more information.

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For information, contact Teresa Marie Willson, CIMC Native Entrepreneur Training Co-Coordinator at <u>teresaw@cimcinc.com</u> or (916) 920-0285.

As in years past, CIMC continues to see a severe decrease in funding from the US Department of Labor and is finding it increasingly more difficult to cover the expenses of this training. As such, we are grateful for the ability to continue this investment in Native communities. <u>Sponsorship</u> opportunities are still available.



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"Workin' with Tradition" Soft Skills Training held at Sacramento Field Office







The <u>Workin' Skills into Careers (WSC)</u> project is pleased to announce that the CIMC Sacramento Field Office (SFO) hosted their first soft skills training on October 13-15, 2015. Training was provided by CIMC staff members: Susan Morla, Ann Kochamp and Kristi Synold.

Each attendee learned about time management, conflict resolution, goal setting, reducing stress, and interpersonal communication. The training was free to attend and each person who completed the training received a certificate, which is a great resume boost during a job search.

If your tribe, organization, or group is interested in becoming a host site for a free WSC soft skills training please contact: ANA Project Coordinator, Kristi Synold, at CIMC Central or at kristis@cimcinc.com for more information.

CIMC Elders Program Upcoming Training

November 6-9, 2015 - <u>CIMC Caregiver Training</u> Location: <u>Nugget Hotel Resort, Sparks, NV</u> Applications period is closed. Class is full.

Students will learn the skills needed to be a respite care provider. Each attendee will have the opportunity to learn the following about caregiving: Role of Caregiver, Consumer Rights, Mental and Physical Conditions, including Aging Process, Observation and Reporting, Safe Environment, Infection Control/Universal Precautions, and Personal Care.

Upcoming Caregiver Training: April 2016 -Oroville, CA



CIMC Elders Program Provided Medicare and Will & Trust Training held at Robinson Rancheria.

Elders from Robinson Rancheria and other Rancherias in the area attended a Medicare and Will & Trust training session and luncheon on October 7, 2015 at the Robinson Rancheria Resort and Casino in Nice, California, hosted by the CIMC Elders Program. They received training in Medicare Informational Basics including who is eligible, what does it cost and how do you get started; and Medicare Part D - Prescription Drug Coverage. Training was provided by Paula Holden. Will and Trust Training was provided by Nicholas Mazanec and Sonia Montero from the California Indian Legal Services.

Recent Staffing Changes at CIMC

Alexandra Alvarado-Fierro is now the Workforce Development Coordinator II at the San Bernardino / San Jacinto Field Office. She has been with the CIMC Escondido Field Office for a number of years.

CIMC Participated in Wilton Rancheria's Native Breast Cancer Awareness Event



CIMC "Condors" at Wilton Rancheria's 1st Annual Native Breast Cancer Awareness Walk/Run Event - October 10, 2015

CIMC was pleased to participate in the <u>Wilton Rancheria Department of Health's First</u> <u>Annual Native Breast Cancer Awareness Walk/Run event</u> as a "Pink Level" sponsor. The event took place on October 10, 2015 at the Elk Grove Park in Elk Grove, California. CIMC had a team of 28 that walked or ran in the event. The CIMC Sacramento Field Office also shared program information at the event.

UPCOMING CIMC MEETINGS / EVENTS

November 5, 2015 - 3:00 p.m.: <u>CIMC Native American Workforce Investment Council Meeting</u> – <u>Nugget</u> <u>Casino Resort</u>, 1100 Nugget Avenue, Sparks, NV

November 6-7, 2015: <u>CIMC 37th Annual Membership Meeting</u> – <u>Nugget Casino Resort</u>, 1100 Nugget Avenue, Sparks, NV

November 6, 2015 - 8:30 a.m.: <u>CIMC Board Committee Meetings</u> – <u>Nugget Casino Resort</u>, 1100 Nugget Avenue, Sparks, NV

November 6, 2015 - 4:30 p.m.: <u>CIMC Board of Directors Meeting</u> – <u>Nugget Casino Resort</u>, 1100 Nugget Avenue, Sparks, NV

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December 8-10 2015: <u>CIMC Leadership Training for Entrepreneurial / Small Business / Economic</u> Development - Session 1 – Pala Casino Spa & Resort, 11154 Highway 76, Pala, CA

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March 22-23, 2016: <u>CIMC Leadership Training for Entrepreneurial / Small Business / Economic</u> <u>Development - Session 4</u> – <u>The Hotel at Black Oak Casino</u>, 19398 Tuolumne Road North, Tuolumne, CA (location pending)

April 15-18, 2016: CIMC Caregiver Training - Gold Country Hotel, 4020 Olive Highway, Oroville, CA

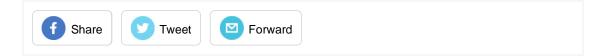
Click here for CIMC Calendar for more information on each meeting.



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