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Little Wound schedules Readers Theater/ Oral Interp camp

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KYLE - For the second year in a row, Little Wound School has scheduled a Readers Theater/ Oral Interp Camp; this year the camp will run July 29 through August 2 at Little Wound School,

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JoAnn Sierra has been working at the Wakpamni Service Center since 2007, as the employee with the most seniority, she was chosen to cut the ribbon as Wakpamni district broke ground on the new government services building this past Wednesday.

Wakpamni District breaks ground on new service center

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Slow Bull's Wife, photographed by Edward E. Curtis in 1907. Courtesy of the Library of Congress.

Hospitality and Hostages

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This is our Week 4 (July 22-28) "dispatch" from an infamous 1874 expedition to find gold in Paha Sapa that took place exactly one hundred and fifty years ago. We mine the rich archive of documentary records that it produced to ask what it reveals about

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Smoke Signals -Reprint

BY CRAIG HOWE AND LUKAS RIEPPEL

As the expedition marched south from the sacred cave that we described last week, the Black Hills came within view. "What a glorious moment," a private named Theodore Ewert exclaimed when he first saw them on July 17th.

But expedition soldiers were uneasy too. As we already discussed, Black Elk's account indicates they were under surveillance. And this week, they felt watched.

(If you'd like to track the expedition's movements, please visit our website: <https://tinyurl.com/rwaffkbbk>).

On July 13th, Captain McDougall saw a "body of Indians" whom he suspected of monitoring their movements. General

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Smoke Signals, by Oscar Howe, ca. 1953.

OST 2024 Election Timeline

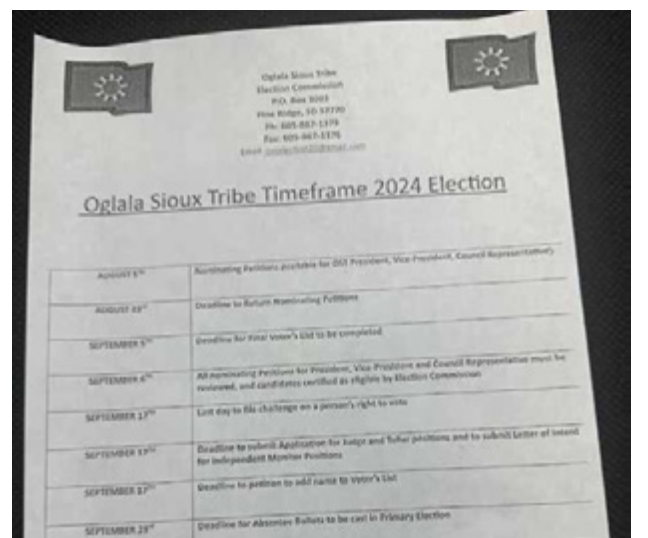
Petitions available Aug. 5

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Petitions for positions of OST President, Vice President and tribal council representatives are available from the OST Election Commission starting Monday August 5; completed petitions need to be returned no later than Friday, August 23 with candidates certified on September 6. OST Primary ballot posted on September 26 with OST Primary Election scheduled for Tuesday, October 4, polls open 8am closed 8pm, election results certified October 8.

Nominating petitions for Secretary, Treasurer, Fifth member and Sgt at Arms/Critic available October 24, General Election sample ballot posted

October 28, deadline to return nominating petitions for Secretary, Treasurer, Fifth Member and Sgt at Arms/Critic Nov. 4; OST General Election November 5, polls open at 8am, close at 8pm, certified results November 16; swearing in of new officials on December 3.



Her Many Horses new Chief of Police

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Oglala - Last week, the OST Council met in special session at the Prairie Wind Casino hotel conference room, after interviews of six of the eight Chief of Police candidates, Grace Her Many Horses was selected as the OST Department of Public Safety new Chief of Police.

Candidates inter-

viewed included Danielle Conroy Means who has been in law enforcement for 17 years and had worked in all nine districts; Mark Mesteth who has worked 25 years in law enforcement, had been an acting chief of police for almost a year and had been a captain; John Pettigrew, currently the interim chief, had been through basic training at Artesia and Criminal Investigation training and been

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Grace Her Many Horses. Photo: Sicangu Eyapaha



