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PUBLIC, JUDGES AND JUSTICES INVITED TO JUSTICE DAY

The public and retired judges and justices of the Navajo Nation Courts are invited to the Supreme Court and Window Rock Judicial District's Justice Day to be held April 1, 2019, at the Supreme Court east of Navajo Nation Veterans Memorial Park.

The Judicial Branch is planning to take a photograph of all current and retired judges that attend the event as April 1 is the 60th anniversary of the Navajo Nation Courts.

Also planned for the event is a proclamation signing proclaiming April 2019 the month to celebrate the creation of the Navajo courts.

The Judicial Branch is further recognizing the anniversary with commemorative posters to be given out to the public during the Justice Days at all judicial districts. One poster will feature the Chief Justices of the Supreme Court and one poster will feature current judges of the Navajo Nation. The color posters are 11x17 inches and are available free of charge on a limited basis as supplies are available.

The events for the Supreme Court and Window Rock Judicial District Justice Day start at 6:30 a.m. with a fun run and walk. A program will begin at 10 a.m. at the Supreme Court. Service providers are also invited to set up to provide information to the public.

Other Justice Day activities include the following:

April 4, 2019
Dził Yijiin Judicial District, Pinon, Arizona

April 5, 2019
Chinle Judicial District, Chinle, Arizona
Kayenta Judicial District, Kayenta, Arizona
Tuba City Judicial District, Tuba City, Arizona
Ramah Judicial District, Ramah, New Mexico

Shiprock Judicial District, Shiprock, New Mexico

April 12, 2019
Alamo Court, Alamo, New Mexico

April 15, 2019
Aneth Judicial District, Aneth, Utah

April 26, 2019
Dilkon Judicial District, Dilkon, Arizona

May 3, 2019
Crownpoint Judicial District, Crownpoint, New Mexico
To'hajiilee Court, To'hajiilee, New Mexico

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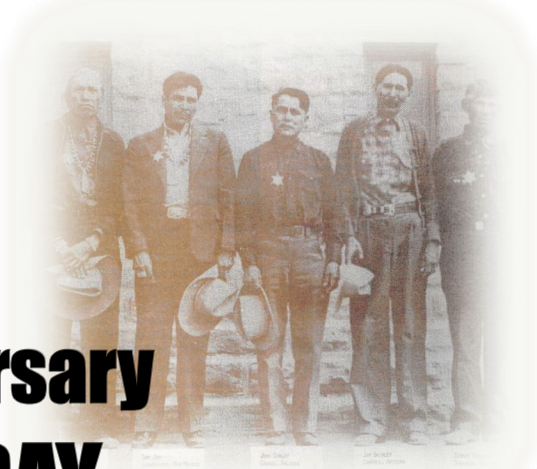

60th Anniversary
JUSTICE DAY

“Diné Bigóóldi hastádiin nááhaidęęʼ nátʼąąʼ nánílį.”

Supreme Court, Administrative Offices of the Courts & Window Rock Judicial District

APRIL 1, 2019
Supreme Court, east of Navajo Nation Veterans Memorial Park

6:30 a.m.—Registration for 3 mile Fun Run/1 mile Fun Walk. Co-sponsored by Navajo Nation Special Diabetes Program and Tsehotsooi Medical Center

Master of Ceremonies: Joseph Sandoval*, Traditional Diné Researcher,* Peacemaking Program
10:00 a.m. Invocation—Victor Clyde, *Judicial Hearing Officer*
10:15 a.m. Welcome Address—Hon. JoAnn Jayne, *Chief Justice*
10:30 a.m.—Reading and Signing of Proclamation
Hon, Jonathan Nez, *President of the Navajo Nation*
Hon. Seth Damon, *Speaker of the 24th Navajo Nation Council*
Hon. JoAnn Jayne, *Chief Justice of the Navajo Nation Supreme Court*
11:00 a.m.— Hon. Robert Yazzie, *Chief Justice* 1992-2003
11:20 a.m.— Hon. Herb Yazzie, *Chief Justice* 2005-2015
11:40a.m.—Closing Remarks—Hon. Eleanor Shirley, *Associate Justice*
11:50 a.m.—Benediction—Elaine Henderson, Peacemaking Program

12 p.m.—Lunch
Entertainment provided by 2018-2019 Jr. Miss Sháá tóhó Erin H. Morris

Service Providers are invited to set up between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

60th Anniversary
JUSTICE DAY

The Supreme Court and Window Rock Judicial District

"Diné Bigóóldi hastádiin nááhaidęęʼ nátʼąąʼ nánílį."

APRIL 1, 2019
"Rock your mocs"

- **Registration will begin at 6:30 AM**
- **At Window Rock Veterans Memorial Park**

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Name: _____ Male/ Female Age:_____

Address: _____Phone No:_____

Emergency Contact Name: _____Phone No.: _____

Shirts Size: MD ___ LG ___ XL ___ ☐ 5K RUN OR ☐ 1 MILE WALK

***WAIVER*: In consideration of my entry, I am fit to participate in the Supreme Court/Window Rock Court Justice Day 5K run/walk and I will not hold liable or responsibility for any injuries or damages to the Sponsors.**

Signature: _____Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature : _____Date: _____
(If participant is under 18 years old)

DZIL YI JIN JUDICIAL DISTRICT

CELEBRATES 60TH ANNIVERSARY JUSTICE DAY

Thursday, April 4, 2019

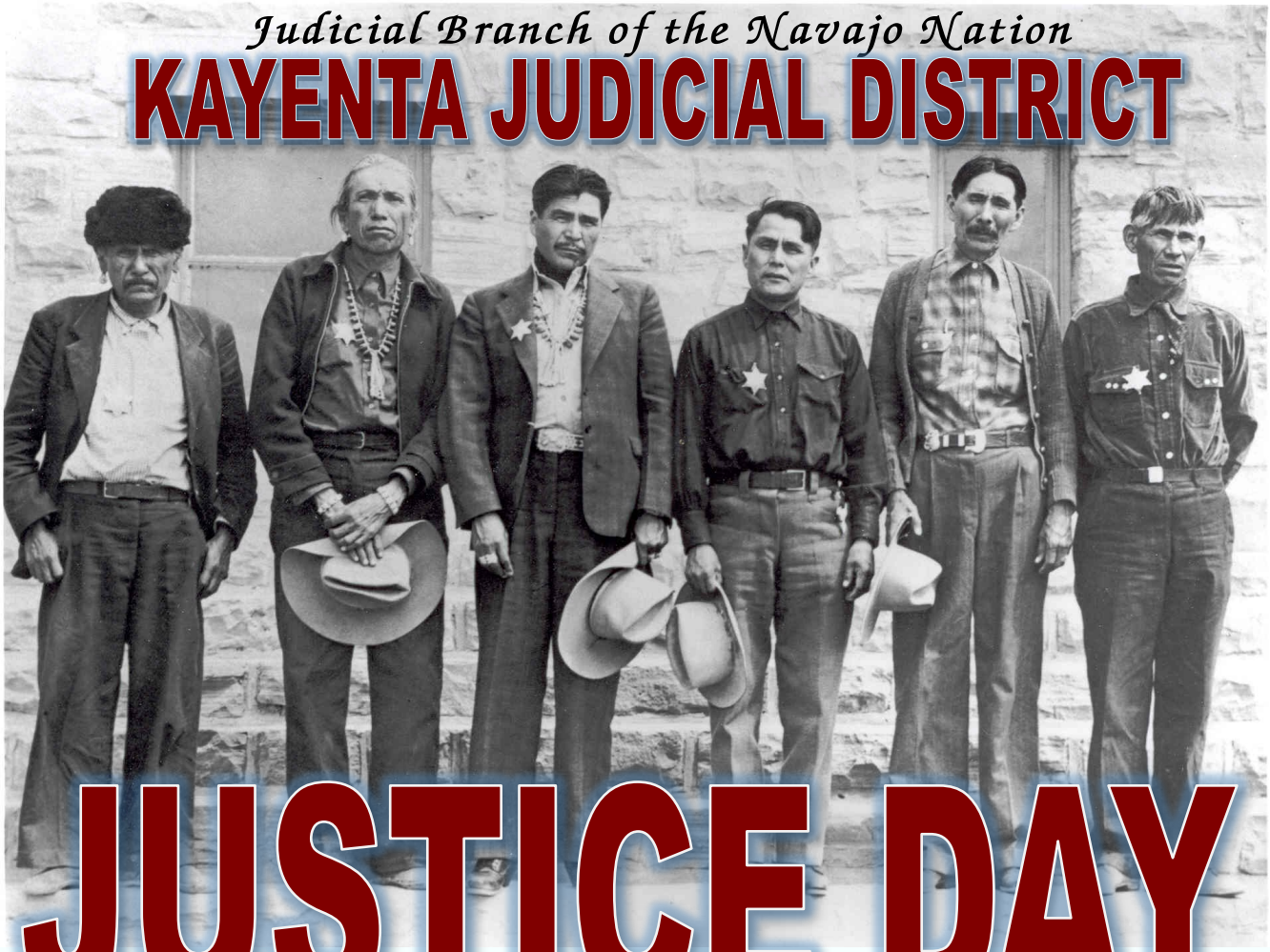
10 am to 2 pm at Pinon Chapter House

Resource Booths will be set up inside the Chapter House

For more information call (928) 725-3781

Judicial Branch of the Navajo Nation

KAYENTA JUDICIAL DISTRICT



JUSTICE DAY

Friday, April 05, 2019

10 am to 2 pm

Kayenta Judicial District Complex,

Kayenta, Arizona

OPEN HOUSE

Court, Probation and Peacemaking Presentations

Service Provider Booths

Free Lunch

Additional Information Call (928) 697-5541

RAMAH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

60TH ANNUAL JUSTICE DAY

"COMMUNITY JUSTICE & SAFETY FOR ALL"

April 05, 2019
Events

Invocation	**9:00 am**
Welcome address by Judge William Platero	**9:00 am-9:45 am**
Health & Safety Day – Sessions and Groups **(Parking lot next to Police Department)**	**9:45 am-3:00 pm**
Community Justice & Safety for All (Court Room) **By Victor Clyde, Hearing Officer**	**10:00 am-11:00 am**
Pro Se Clinic by Staff Attorney, Alisha Thompson (Court Room)	**11:00 am-12:00 pm**
Luncheon to the Public	**12:00 pm-2:00 pm**

Booth Providing Information and Services Offered by Program 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Throughout the day-Lobby area

COME ONE-COME ALL

ALAMO JUSTICE DAY

Friday, April 12, 2019

10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Alamo Judicial District

"Naasgo Hozho Whindzin"

Alamo, New Mexico

Open House

Service Provider Booths

Free Lunch.

Sobriety Fun/Walk Run

Easter Egg Hunt

For More Information Call Racquel Hurley

505-908-2817

ANETH JUSTICE DAY

Monday, April 15, 2019

10 am to 2 pm at ANETH CHAPTER HOUSE

Resource Booths will be at the Chapter House

OPEN HOUSE AND

MOCK TRIAL at 10:30 am.

Come in and see your Court House

For More Information Call (435)651-3545

"60 years of Jurisdiction: T'ááhwó'ájít'éego Iiná ázhdoolíił"

60th Anniversary

2019 Crownpoint District

Justice & Law Day

FRIDAY, MAY 3, 2019

10 am – 2 pm

Eastern Dine Justice Center

Crownpoint, New Mexico

Walk and Signing of Proclamation for Missing Indigenous Women

OPEN HOUSE

Service Provider Booths

Public luncheon

Info - (505) 786-2072

Crownpoint Judicial District / Crownpoint Police Department / Crownpoint Corrections