

UPCOMING EVENTS

March 8
Flag Football Team
Registration and
Uniform Order Due

March 9
Basketball
Championship Day
A & B - League

March 10
Basketball
Championship Day
C & D -League

March 24
Travel Ball Tryouts

March 30 Flag Football Camp

April 6
Flag Football Opening
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April 13
Dream The Impossible
Conference

April 15 ITS Scholarship Deadline

April 21
Easter Sunday

May 10 Softball Team Registration & Uniform Order Due @ 12pm

> May 12 Mother's Day

May 18
Flag Football
Championship Day

May 27
Memorial Day
Office Closed

Inter Tribal Sports The Rattle

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ANNOUNCEMENT

ITS SPOTLIGHT: ANDREW MASIEL, JR. PECHANGA BOARD MEMBER



ITS is honored to highlight our ITS board member from Pechanga, Andrew Masiel Jr. He is in his 14th year working at the Chámmakilawish Pechanga School. Andrew takes a lot of pride in being on the board as he states, "it allows me to assist other Sister Tribes/Bands in a positive way by reaching our collective youth via sports and other programs we offer." Andrew has enjoyed knowing that he can have a direct impact in his community and shape the youth while building a strong identity culturally, emotionally and academically. He feels very lucky to have had his education funded, so he feels that it is his duty/honor to give back in his current capacity. Andrew strongly feels, "it is in all of our best interest to have our own Tribal people in leadership positions rather than looking outside."

ITS IMPACT VIDEO



ITS is proud to release our "Impact Story" video. This video highlights the impact ITS has had on Native youth over the last 15+ year. This project was made possible by the Nike N7 Fund (N7).



ITS would like to announce and share that we have added a new sport into our program. Cross Country will be an official sport that will be offered to the ITS service area next fall in 2019!Our youth will now have the opportunity to participate in a great sport that offers many unique benefits that are different from our other sports. Cross Country will be the first ITS sport that features individual competition. All our participating tribes and organizations are encouraged to sign up their youth as there is no required number of athletes needed to join. For those coaches or volunteers that need a little extra help on how to coach and train your youth on cross country, please contact the ITS office. We are in the process of developing an outstanding coaches development program for this sport and we are excited to launch it next fall! Make sure to check out ITS social media and our Rattle for more news and updates about cross country. We look forward to offering this new sport next fall!

TRIBAL SPONSORSHIP

Tribes, independent businesses, corporations, and individuals are invited to become sponsors of ITS! Your generous support directly benefits youth by allowing Inter Tribal Sports to continue to offer outstanding athletics and enrichment programs.

For more information on sponsorship opportunities, please contact the ITS office. To become a sponsor, please complete and submit the following sponsorship agreement below to the ITS office.

Select the link to view our Sponsorship Packages.

ITS TRAVEL BASKETBALL



The ITS All Star Travel Basketball is a program designed and developed for young athletes who have the interest, commitment, and dedication to participate at a higher level of competition. Try-outs are held and players are required to commit to consistently attending practices and games. The teams are made up of athletes from a variety of communities in the ITS service area, who compete in local, regional, and national tournaments, proudly representing all of the tribal communities served by ITS.



SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS PROGRAM

ITS IS AWARDING SCHOLARSHIPS TO HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS OR CURRENT COLLEGE STUDENTS.

TO APPLY PLEASE VISIT OUR WEBSITE INTERTRIBALSPORTS.ORG

If you have any questions please contact the ITS office today. 951-719-3444 | ithompsoneintertribalsports.org

Inter Tribal Sports, Inc., announces the 2019 **ITS Scholarship Awards Program.** Under the Program, a total of \$4,000 in scholarships will be awarded to Native American youth from the ITS service area in southern California. Graduating high school seniors or current college students attending a university, junior college, or trade school are eligible to apply.

UPCOMING EVENTS

OUTREACH CHALLENGE

ITS is challenging all tribes to any ITS sport for an ITS Staff vs Youth game. The prize is a pizza party for everyone who accepts the challenge and wins!



2019 BASKETBALL SEASON



December 14th: Team Registration & Uniform Order Due @ 12pm

January 5th: 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament and Coaches Clinic @ Pechanga

Games Every Saturday

January 19th: Basketball Opening Day @ Pechanga

February 16th: Picture Day @ Pechanga

March 9th: Basketball Championship Day 1 (A & B-League) @ Pechanga

March 10th: Basketball Championship Day 2 (C & D-League) @ Pechanga

2019 FLAG FOOTBALL SEASON



March 8th: Team Registration & Uniform Order Due @ 12pm

March 30th: Camp @ San Pasqual

Games are on Saturday

April 6th: Flag Football Opening Day @ TBD

NO GAMES ON APRIL 13

May 4th: Picture Day @ TBD

May 18th: Flag Football Championship Day 1 (A & B-League) @ TBD

-Please don't forget to register your players online at our website: www.intertribalsports.org

10th ANNUAL ITS GOLF TOURNAMENT FUNDRAISER:



ITS would like to invite everyone to the 10th Annual ITS Golf Tournament Fundraiser. Participants will experience a great day of fun, food, drinks, and relaxation at the Morongo Golf Club at Tukwet Canyon nestled between the natural beauty of Beaumont's breathtaking mountain view. Your involvement, support, and generous donations will help benefit our native youth in southern California as 100% of the proceeds go back into the ITS youth programs! ITS would like to give a BIG thank you to The Morongo Band of Mission Indians for hosting this special event!

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