

Quarterly News

The Hopi Foundation Newsletter

A Few Words from The Hopi Foundation

As we continue to emerge from a two-year global pandemic, we here at The Hopi Foundation recognize the need for our community to address its overall wellness, including mental, physical, social and spiritual. Many things have changed in our world, but we can work to improve our overall well-being for ourselves and the community through philanthropy. Giving does not always need to be monetary, it could also be volunteering in your community, doing acts of kindness or paying forward with other good deeds. Checking in on your friends and neighbors is another way to give back, while it can uplift the mental and social wellness for both you and those you check on.

As we head into the fourth and final quarter of 2022, The Hopi Foundation and our programs plan to participate in #GivingTuesday as a part of our mission to highlight and grow the culture of giving that is inherent in Hopi beliefs. Our theme for this year's campaign is "Supporting Community Wellness Through Giving."

By supporting The Hopi Foundation and our programs' during #GivingTuesday, you are helping to sustain the work we do within the Hopi and Tewa community. Whether it is around culture, youth, family, traditional agriculture, community awareness, leadership, or sobriety, your contribution elevates the work of The Hopi Foundation. To learn more about Giving Tuesday and our efforts around this year's campaign, be sure to visit our website using the button below.

SAVE THE DATE!

Join us as we participate in one of our **biggest** fundraising events of the year, #GivingTuesday.

This years event will take place on Tuesday, November 29, 2022.

Make a pledge to donate on the 29th by visiting the site below



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NATWANI COALITION

3rd Quarter Updates

October 2022

The 3rd Quarter proved to be a vibrant time for the Natwani Coalition as the program was able to see the completion of a successful 2022 Hopi Farmers Market Season with the final market being held at the Peace Academic Center. The Hopi Farmer's Market is operated through a partnership among community organizations and local farmers/growers.



Noova (food) from Hopi Farmer's Market participant



IFKN participants visiting a local field

A key highlight from the previous quarter was hosting the Indigenous Food Knowledge Network (IFKN) on Hopi Reservation. The network is composed of Indigenous leaders, community practitioners, and scholars (both Indigenous and non-Indigenous) who are focused on research and community capacity related to food sovereignty and Indigenous Knowledge.

IFKN seeks to build connections among Indigenous communities in the Arctic and the US Southwest.

Entering into the 4th quarter a focal point for the Natwani Coalition is to successfully host a remaining series of garden/food preservation workshops in partnership with UofA Cooperative Extension Agency. In Addition to hosting community workshops the NC team is also focused on scheduling new guests to be on the Hopi Farm Talk Podcast, a recently re-launched initiative of the Natwani Coalition. All Hopi Farm Talk episodes can be found on many of your popular podcast platforms and natwanicoalition.org

This year the Natwani Coalition is participating in Giving Tuesday, a global day dedicated to celebrating generosity, giving and raising awareness about the important roles non-profits play in their communities. Be part of the of the global movement on November 29th, 2022. Visit www.hopifoundation.org/givingtuesday to learn more today.



Water Bath Canning Workshop, hosted by NC staff in collaboration with UofA Cooperation Hopi Extension Office



KUYI-88.1 FM HOPI RADIO

3rd Quarter Updates

October 2022

Hopi Substance Abuse Program Hand Drum Recovery Celebration

On September 30, 2022 KUYI assisted the Hopi Substance Abuse Prevention Program in providing audio equipment for the evening Hand Drum Recovery event. KUYI did a live stream on their Facebook page and these videos are still available for viewing.



Hand Drum Recovery Celebration



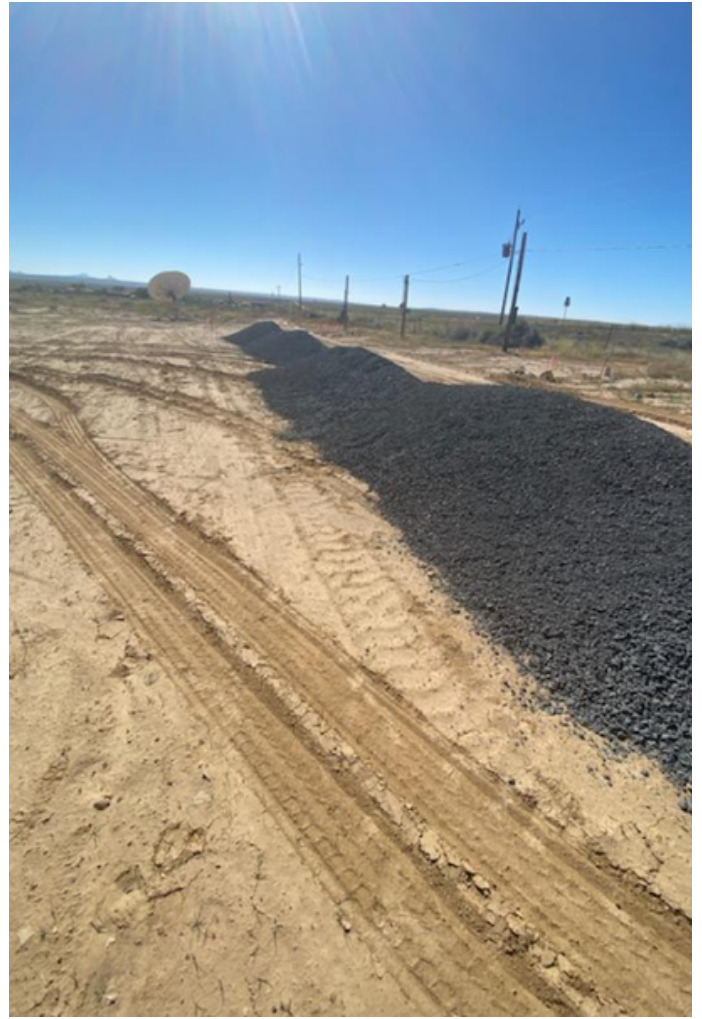
2022 Hopi Tuuvi Gathering

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KUYI Operations Coordinator, Darion Kootswatewa and volunteer, Merwin Kooyahoema attend the Tuuvi Gathering the weekend of October 8 and 9, 2022. KUYI was able to live stream the traditional dances from surrounding Hopi villages including the Olla Maidens dance group from Zuni, New Mexico on our Facebook page. Audio recordings of the Tuuvi dance groups will be aired on the radio in the near future.

Our other highlights:

- On October 23, 2022, Operations Coordinator, Darion Kootswatewa, Receptionist, Mariah Quanimptewa and Volunteer, Richard Davis attended the Moencopi Day School Indian Day. Audio recordings of the Indian Day will be aired on KUYI Radio in the near future.
- KUYI is proud to announce that we will be receiving a new home in the upcoming weeks! Our modular is expected to be delivered the week of October 24, 2022. Our first load of gravel was received on October 12, 2022.



First gravel delivery for KUYI's new home



Scan to read more about
#GivingTuesday

Save the Date! #GivingTuesday November 29, 2022

Join KUYI Staff and our sister programs under The Hopi Foundation as we begin planning to participate in this year's #GivingTuesday campaign, a global initiative aimed at inspiring worldwide collaboration and giving in all forms. Stay tuned to our socials for more info as the date approaches.



HOPI LEADERSHIP PROGRAM

3rd Quarter Updates

October 2022

During the month of July, the **Hopi Leadership Program** (HLP) hosted a virtual graduation for the 2021-2022 cohort. The 12 graduating participants of the program began their journey with the HLP in 2019 and demonstrated true leadership in overcoming the hurdles that prevented a 2020 graduation due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

HLP has graduated 6 classes since the start of the program in 2006 and now consists of 67 Alumni. We continue to build a strong Alumni network that can be relied on for mentorship, communication, and moral support. The program anticipates recruiting and advertising for the next cohort in 2023.

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Join HLP and all The Hopi Foundation programs, as they participate in **#GivingTuesday**

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During the month of August, HLP has been evaluating their internal capacity and working on scheduling a strategic planning session that will allow the program to revisit, revise, and establish goals for the next 5 years.

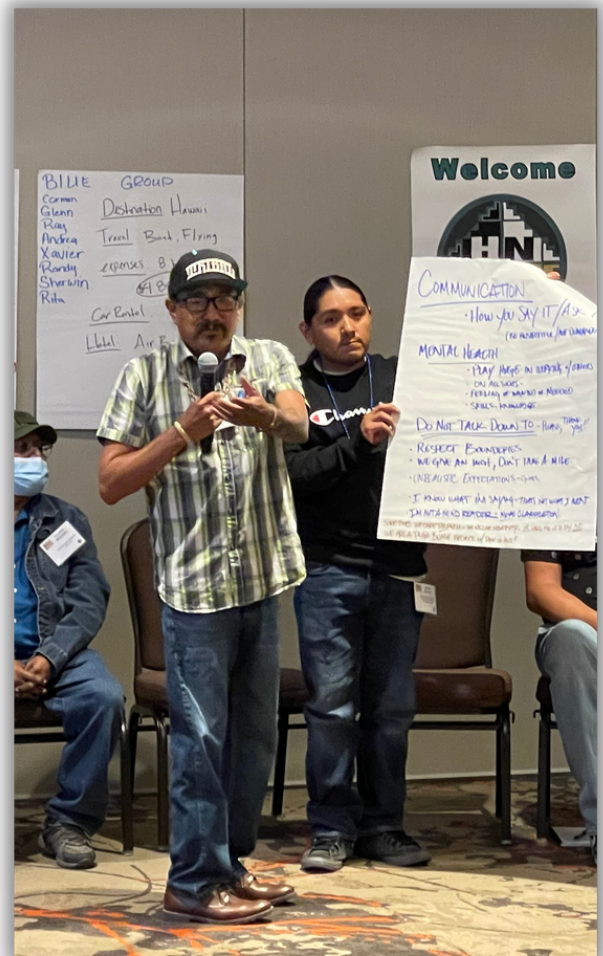
The strategic plan is a vital guide for the HLP in providing services to the community in the form of the adult **Hopi Leadership Program**, the **Hopi Youth Leadership Program** (HYLP) and the **HLP Alumni**. Members of the HLP Alumni form what we call the Hopi Alumni Committee (HAC) which serves as our community advisory board.



Santa Ana, NM

The HLP staff attended a Strengthen Your Facilitation Skills Training hosted by the Healthy Native Communities Partnership in Santa Ana, New Mexico on September 21-22, 2022. The workshop was designed to enhance the facilitation skills for individuals who work with community groups in helping achieve their respective community or organizational visions and goals. HLP staff were able to experience hands-on learning facilitation skills during the course of the training and look forward to incorporating those practices into the HLP and HYLIP.

September was also a month filled with good news as the Hopi Leadership Program was informed that it has been awarded a \$50,000 World Peace Grant from the Wayfarer Foundation. We look forward to sharing with you the details of this new partnership and its benefits to future programming



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HOPI SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION CENTER

3rd Quarter Updates

October 2022

HSAPC Staff attended the **BSBSAZ-Health Choice 9th Annual Tribal Summit** in August at the Twin Arrows Casino Resort in Flagstaff, AZ. The event consisted of two days filled with presentations on various tribal health issues and topics as well as updates from Health Choice. All attendees shared their experience and the impact COVID-19 restrictions had on their personal and professional life.



HSAPC Strategic Planning Session

Celebrated as **National Recovery Month**, September was jam packed for HSAPC staff and volunteers. The month started off with a strategic planning session. Hosted at the Hopi Wellness Center conference rooms and facilitated by **Honwungsi Consulting Services, LLC**, the session included Hopi Foundation staff, Community Advisory Board members and individuals & programs from the community willing to help HSAPC staff plan for the next 5 years of programming.



HSAPC Highway Clean up

In honor of National Recovery Month, staff and volunteers participated in the 2nd Highway Clean-up for 2022. HSAPC incorporates the traditional value of **Hitanangwa** (the initiative to do something without being told) into the program of recovery. As chosen stewards of this world, we have a responsibility to take care of our mother earth with out being told to do so.

HSAPC staff also participated in the **PAATUWAQATSI (Water is Life) Ultra Marathon Run**, by hosting an aide station. A big part of recovery is service work and giving back to the community. The cultural teaching of **Naminangwa** (helping one another in times of need) was strengthened in our own recovery program.

Closing out the month of September were two Recovery events hosted across the Hopi Reservation. The **Hopi Behavioral Health Services Recovery Celebration** was held September 27 at the Kykotsmovi Village Community Center. The event included educational booths from local and state programs, as well as testimonials from individuals sharing their heartfelt messages of Hope and Encouragement as they go through their own journey in recovery.



Singers close out the Hand Drum Recovery Celebration



The First Mesa Elementary School Brave shares his songs during HSAPC Hand Drum Recovery Celebration

In collaboration with KUYI Hopi Radio, HSAPC was able to once again host their **Hand Drum Recovery Celebration** outside of the KUYI Studio in Second Mesa, AZ. The event was streamed live on the on KUYI Hopi Radio 88.1fm and the KUYI Facebook page. A handful of individuals shared their gift of song throughout the event, including a few younger Hopi community members, such as the First Mesa Elementary School Brave.

This event was a fundraiser for HSAPC which consisted of food and merchandise sales. Local and surrounding programs provided informational booths while enjoying the songs. KUYI also held a contest for tickets to two concerts in Flagstaff, AZ. Participants had to guess the name of their two koyala dolls to win.

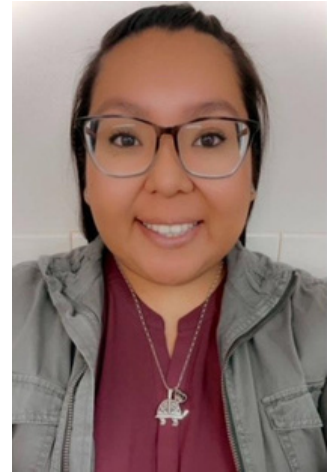
New Hires within The Hopi Foundation



Kristy Honie joined The Hopi Foundation in October 2022 as the newly hired *Finance Director*



KUYI Hopi Radio welcomed **Darion Kootswatewa** on September 8 2022 as the *Operations Coordinator*



Angel Abeita joined the HF team in October 2022 as the new *Marketing Coordinator* for KUYI Hopi Radio

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