

April News

- **April Meeting on the 19<sup>th</sup>, 12:00 - 2:00 PM. This will be a potluck luncheon, so bring your favorite dish to share with everyone.**
- Interim President Jacob Swim suggested that we feed our First Responders on May 17<sup>th</sup>. Plans will be set in motion at our April meeting.
- Sewing classes for beginners and Native plant classes will be this summer. More information will be available once the dates are determined. The cost for these two events, which are open to the public, will be \$5.00 per person. Sewing classes will require attendees to bring their own materials. Other fundraising events are in the works as well.
- August 10<sup>th</sup>, 1-5 PM, we will have a crafting event for children, Native American foods and a cultural fashion show featuring designs by Jenna Henderson and members of NAPPB. There will be a flyer on this event soon.
- Membership dues are due April 19<sup>th</sup>, nominations for new leadership will be due May 17<sup>th</sup> and the NAPPB Annual meeting and seating of new leadership will be June 7<sup>th</sup>. Please add these dates to your calendars.

Recap from Last month's meeting.....

- We are still looking into venues for our 2026 powwow. The dates have been anywhere from April to June, so more discussion on this matter is needed.
- There will be activities in the Hollingsworth Hall meeting rooms and parking lot such as an area wide garage sale, local vendors, block party, funnel cake and frybread sale and much more.



**Monetary Donations accepted for sewing supplies on our website using "Donate Button" and indicate donation is for Education Programs. Thank you!!!!!!**

**Interested in becoming a member? Find the application on our website at <https://www.napbb.com> and go to the Membership link on the home page.**



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Exciting Times

So many good things are happening at NAPPB. Since receiving the amazing offer to use Hollingsworth Hall Cultural Center for our meetings and events, there is a new freshness and excitement in the air. Members are so involved in supporting NAPPB more.

Making future plans now is an exciting procedure. Everyone has input in sharing what activities and events we will be scheduling. Taking NAPPB into a Different Direction has been our motto for 2025 and we are doing just that!

There are some things we need at NAPPB. We need cotton blend material in quantity for our sewing classes and easy to sew patterns, both for children and adults. These will help those that cannot afford to purchase material themselves. We don't want anyone left out. Although we are charging \$5.00 per person, some won't have the means to provide their own materials. We also need rulers, scissors, thread and other items. You may donate funds on our website by using the donate link at the bottom of our home page on the website. Applications to attend will be available once the date has been set.

Our native plant class will be presented by Member Garrett Cowan, who has said he will provide all materials. \$5.00 each. Applications to attend will be available once the date has been set.

*One of our NAPPB Members has been making tote bags to sell, which will support NAPPB in its future fundraising efforts. These bags, some reversible, are all fully lined, are made from cotton blend materials. These and other member products will be available for sale at our fundraising events. Here are just a few of the bags we have to offer.*



These bags are 100% handmade, sewn by machine. First 3 are fully lined, and the last three flowered bags are reversible. We have different designs available and will add those at a later date. Let us know if you're interested in purchasing any one of these now by email at [napbbtexas@gmail.com](mailto:napbbtexas@gmail.com) with "Tote Bag" in subject line. (Photos 1 & 2 are the same bag, two sided. 3 is lined, 4-6 are reversible).

April Meeting Information

Happy Birthday  
 Shirley LeBlanc  
 Garrett Cowan  
 April 7<sup>th</sup>  
 April 16<sup>th</sup>  
 Happy Anniversary  
 Rex & Cyndi Slaughter  
 April 4<sup>th</sup>