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## NAECC NEWSLETTER - SPRING 2025

**Friday, May 23, 2025**



***CONGRATULATIONS***

***PURDUE BOILERMAKERS  
CLASS OF 2025***

On behalf of the Purdue NAECC, we extend our heartfelt "congratulations" to the Class of 2025 Purdue graduates. We thank you for being part of our campus community and wish you success as you start the next chapter of your lives.

# NAECC NEWS



## SUMMER IS HERE

After a long and successful academic year, we're happy to switch gears into summer mode. We are open throughout the summer but will operate on limited hours, Mondays through Friday from 10 am to 4 pm. We'll be closed for university holidays on Monday, May 26th and Friday, July 4th.

This newsletter will take pause for the summer, we'll publish three monthly editions in June, July, and August. Once fall classes start in August, we'll resume our regular hours of operation and weekly newsletters.

Lastly, we'll host two events in June and July, I hope you join us for a summer edition of "Spilling the TEA" and "NAECC Book Club" discussion. We are revisiting a classic, "Love Medicine" by Louise Erdrich.

If you're on campus, stop by and visit us. Enjoy your summer!

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Felica Ahasteen-Bryant

NAECC Director





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# 2025 SUMMER HOURS

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## MONDAY - FRIDAY 10 AM - 4 PM



Summer hours will begin on Monday, May 12th through Friday, August 22nd.

In observance of the University Holidays, the NAECC will close on

Monday, May 26th and Friday, July 4th.



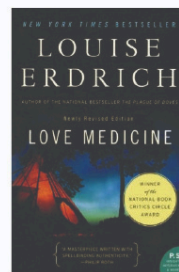
# 2025 SUMMER EVENTS

**Spilling the TEA**  
**Wednesday, June 25**  
12 noon - 1:30 pm



## Summer Book Club

**Tuesday, July 8**  
12 noon - 1:30 pm  
featuring "Love Medicine" by  
Louise Erdrich



All events are free  
and open to the  
public

Visit NAECC website  
for more info.



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CCO & PPA WISHES YOU THE BEST IN YOUR FUTURE ENDEAVORS!

**CONGRATULATIONS**



**INDIGENOUS  
GRADUATES**

YOU DID IT, CLASS OF 2025!

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# THOUGHTS ON CYCLING?

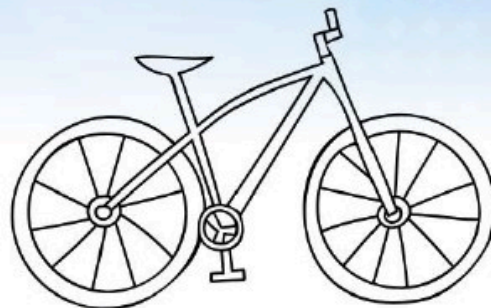
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## COMMUNITY NEWS

2025 - 2026

# LAST MINUTE QUESTIONS WEBINAR

May 27, 2025 - 6:00 PM MDT

  
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The Native American Food Sovereignty Alliance (NAFSA) is sponsoring this upcoming webinar focused on "growing together in spirit, community, and purpose." Webinar focus on food, seed, and community sovereignty. Visit the website for registration information, click [here](#).

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***The NAECC acknowledges the traditional homelands of the Indigenous People which Purdue University is built upon. We honor and appreciate the Bodewadmik (Potawatomi), Lenape (Delaware), Myaamia (Miami), and Shawnee People who are the original Indigenous caretakers.***



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