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SAN DIEGO PUBLIC LIBRARY SCREENS *WE STILL LIVE HERE (ÂS NUTAYUNEÂN)*

A Wampanoag Linguist Helps her Tribe Revive its Mother Tongue

SAN DIEGO – The San Diego Public Library will host a Community Cinema preview screening of *We Still Live Here (Âs Nutayuneân)*, directed by filmmaker Anne Makepeace. The film will screen on Monday, November 21, at 6:30 p.m. in the third floor auditorium of the Central Library, located at 820 E Street in downtown San Diego. Professor David Kamper, chairperson of Department of American Indian Studies at San Diego State University, will be on hand to facilitate a question and answer discussion after the film. This event is free and open to the public.

The Wampanoag nation of southeastern Massachusetts ensured the survival of the first English settlers in America, and lived to regret it. *AS NUTAYUNEAN - We Still Live Here* tells the story of the return of the Wampanoag language, the first time a language with no Native speakers has been revived in this country. Spurred on by an indomitable linguist named Jessie Little Doe, the Wampanoag are bringing their language and their culture back.

Community Cinema is affiliated with the ITVS media organization (Independent Television Service). ITVS Community Cinema is a monthly screening series that pairs independently produced documentary films with leading organizations working to resolve related social issues in communities across the country. All films featured will broadcast nationally on the Emmy Award-winning PBS series Independent Lens.

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