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Miss Warm Springs 2018 Thyreicia Simtustus

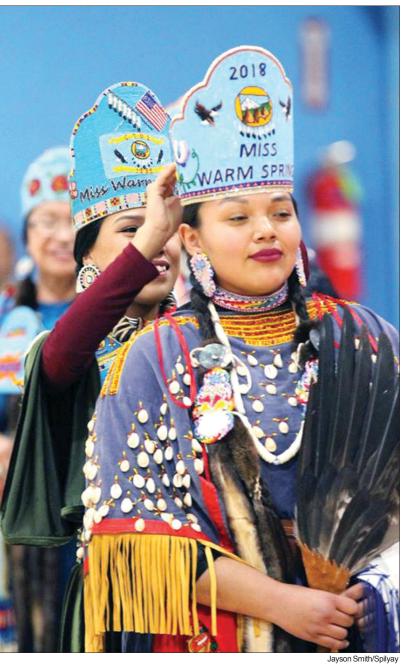
Thyreicia Stimtustus likes to keep busy. She goes to college in Bend two days a weekstudying to become a professional helicopter pilot-and works in Prineville on the other weekdays. Now she will have even more things to do, as Thyreicia is Miss Warm Springs 2018.

After the Pageant, her first appearance as Miss Warm Springs was at the Lincoln's Birthday Powwow, where she was well received by all.

The tribal royalty part of her new position-skill at horseback riding, for instance-will be familiar to Reicia: She was the 2017 Miss Lincoln's Birthday Powwow Queen, and the 2014 Miss Pi-Ume-Sha Princess.

Thyreicia, 19, is a 2017 graduate of Madras High School. A memorable event during her high school career was with the White Buffalos Swim and Water Polo team. During her senior year the water polo team was dominant, winning the Oregon State Championship.

Thyreicia now goes to Central Oregon Community College, where she studies in the COCC Aviation program, focusing on commercial helicop-



ter piloting. Potential career courses with this degree, she says, could be as a Medivac, with a fire agency, or in forestry, for instance.

The course study so far has involved knowing essential regulations and technology, plus simulation flights. Her first time piloting an actual helicopter will be next semester.

She has been interested for some time in being Miss Warm Springs. "I want to be more involved with my community," she says, "and to help preserve our culture and languages."

Thyreicia is the Forty-Second Miss Warm Springs. As an ambassador of the Confederated Tribes, she will represent Warm Springs at the local powwows and community events, as well as at powwows and county fairs throughout the region.

The month of April will see the Gathering of Nations in Albuquerque, New Mexico, where Thyreicia and other royalty from many tribes will compete in the Miss Indian World competition.

Miss Warm Springs 2018 Thyreicia Simtustus is given the crown by Miss Warm Springs 2017 Katrina Blackwolf.

Positive report from CPS

Tribal Council heard a promising report this week about Warm Springs Children's Protective Services. CPS director Cecelia Collins and Health and Human Services general manager Caroline Cruz met with Council for an update on the building renovation, and the state of CPS overall.

CPS had been without a permanent director for a period time, until Ms. Collins last year agreed to stay in the position. She had been serving as acting director.

The conditions for staff have greatly improved over the past several months, she said. Cecelia came to CPS from the courthouse, where she was the juvenile prosecutor.

When she started at CPS, there were three caseworkers handling more than 200 individual files. One of the workers had 90 cases. Each case requires weekly attention, including appearances at court, so the situation was untenable.

This is being addressed, with improvement already evident. Another promising point: The foster care program now has a coordinator.

And the CPS building itself will re-open soon, wholly renovated, with the nearby Vern Jackson Home, also renovated, adding to the resources available to staff.

Longhouse closed for a time

The Agency Longhouse has been closed for the past few weeks, and will remain closed possibly through March. Chief Operations Officer Alyssa Macy and Warm Springs Housing Authority director Danielle Wood earlier this week updated Tribal Council on the situation. Executive Management closed the longhouse after at least two areas inside the building tested positive for the presence of methamphetamine residue. Additional areas were tested, including kitchen area, and results were positive. The only area that did not turn up positive was the main entranceway of the building. The person or people responsible were likely using the drug in areas of the longhouse where they had some privacy, Ms. Macy said. The smokehouse behind the longhouse may also be contaminated. Due to unfinished wood used in the structure, if positive, it would likely have to be demolished, she said.

Co-managers discuss options for hatchery

Tribal Council and the Branch of Natural Resources met last week for a two-day summit with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, discussing the condition and future of the Warm Springs National Fish Hatch-



ery.

There are fundamental questions facing the hatchery, as well as significant recent improvements to the facility.

The first day of the meeting was for in-depth review and discussion. The second day included a tour of the hatchery.

The facility is on the Warm Springs River a few miles from Kah-Nee-Ta. Because of the location, water temperature at the hatchery is an ongoing issue.

The temperature issue has come to the forefront in recent years: In 2014 the summer heat required emergency removal of fish to a cooler facility, as the water temperature in the Warm Springs River at the hatchery site reached the mid 70s

The following year the fish were moved in order to allow workers to upgrade and expand the cooling system at the hatchery.

Then last year the work involved a major electrical system expansion. The hatchery is one of the largest Wasco Electric energy customers.

Another recent improvement at the facility is the development of lamprey passage.

About the water: The temperature can be effected by nearby hot springs, plus a buildup of silt be-

needs to be updated. The five-year plan of 2011 has expired, and the sides will be working toward a new agreement, addressing issues that have been developing, and continue to evolve.

The fish hatchery opened in

1978, thirteen years after the completion of the Round Butte dam.

Some time after completion of the dam-among other factorsthe tribes petitioned the federal

government to address the loss of salmon and steelhead in the region. This led to the eventual funding, planning and construction of the Warm Springs National Fish Hatchery.

The level of contamination indicates that the person or people had been using the drug in the longhouse for some time, said Ms. Wood.

At Housing, she contends with the hazardous and costly problem of methamphetamine contamination of the Housing units. The residue of the drug is toxic to others who enter the building, affecting the nervous system.

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Community update on downtown developments

Community members are invited to an update and future planning session regarding the Warm Springs Downtown-Campus area.

The meeting, hosted by tribal Planning, will be from 4 to 6 p.m. on Tuesday, February 20 at the Youth Center gymnasium, 1112 Wasco Street.

Planning and Management will give an update on the downtown demolition project; and will review past, present and future plans and projects for the downtown.

This is a kick-off meeting for the next phase of the Warm Springs Downtown Project.

Community members

can give their input on what they believe are needs for the downtown.

For information, log on to the tribal member portal, and look under 'Documents - Reports.' At the site you can review previous downtown plans including:

The Warm Springs Town Center: Property Summary of 2012; and the Warm Springs Downtown Development Plan of 2005.

Everyone is invited to participate in person or by submitting comments and concerns to tribal staff via email: publicrelations@wstribes.org Request to join the email

list for information updates.

Mt. Hood Meadows Tribal Ski Day in early March

Mt. Hood Meadows will host the Warm Springs Ski Day-with the theme 'Your Mountain Home'-on Monday, March 5.

Sign up at KWSO. Space is limited. Information and forms are available online at the KWSO site: kwso.org

A 'group consent' form is for everyone, and an unaccompanied minor 'consent to treat' form must be completed to participate.

Transportation, rentals, lessons, lift tickets and lunch provided by Mt. Hood Meadows.

The bus leaves the Warm Springs Community Center at 7:30 a.m., and will return around 4.

What skiers and snowboarders should bring:

Waterproof coat and pants (not denim); gloves, hat and scarf. Goggles or

sunglasses.

Synthetic fiber long underwear (no cotton). Synthetic socks (one layer only, thin is best). Personal water bottle and extra snacks.

For additional information call Sue at KWSO: 541-460-2255.

509-J board meets at Academy

The Jefferson County School District 509-J board of directors will hold a public meeting at the Warm Springs Academy to discuss the evaluation of current programs, and plans for future educational programs.

The meeting will be on Wednesday February 28, starting at 5:30 p.m. at the Academy cafeteria area. The school district annually affords its patrons, specifically Native

American parents and guardians, the opportunity to offer comments and make recommendations relative to the district programs, district outcomes, and offer feedback for all programs.

Anyone wishing to attend the meeting who has a disability requiring assistance, please advise Tessa Bailey at 541-475-6192 about specific arrangements that may accommodate your participation in this meeting.

Veterans Recognition Day in W.S.

Warm Springs will host a Vietnam and Korean War Veterans Recognition Day in March.

The Recognition Day

will be on Wednesday March 28.

Contact the Warm Springs VFW or American Legion to learn more.

Warm Springs Community Calendar

Brought to you by KWSO 91.9 FM

Thursday, February 15

There is an **Alcoholics** Anonymous meeting today at noon at the Behavioral Health Center, and Narcotics Anonymous meeting at 6 p.m. at the Shaker Church.

Fitness activities scheduled for today at the Community Wellness Center: There's Boot Camp class at 12:10 in the Aerobics room. and Functional Fitness in the Social Hall. There's Men's IBA tonight at 7:15.

The Water Control Board will meet from 1-3 p.m. at the Natural Resources Cougar Den.

Social dance class is today from 4-5:30 at the Community Center Aerobics room

Friday, February 16

At the Warm Springs Senior program today: Fitness class participants are invited to eat. On the menu today: Chili Stew with green chili corn muffins.

The Education Committee will meet from 10 a.m. to noon at the administration

Casablanca, a 1942 classic, at 7:30. Films are free to watch and shown at the Rodriguez Annex, behind the library in Madras.

A Free Family Saturday at the High Desert Museum in Bend is being sponsored by Mid Oregon Credit Union. Admission will be free. The museum is open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Saturday, February 17

There is an Alcoholics Anonymous meeting this morning at 10 at the Behavioral Health Center.

Sunday, February 18

Warm Springs Christian Fellowship is this morning at 9:30 at High Lookee Lodge.

The Warm Springs Baptist Church has Sunday School at 10, and Worship Service at 11 this morning.

The Warm Springs Food Bank is located at the Presbyterian Church. They are open from 11:30-1:30 today. All food banks and pantries do take donations of nonperishable food or cash

Tuesday, February 20

The Head Start Policy Council meets today at 9 am in room 2E at ECE

Fitness activities happening during the noon hour at the Community Wellness Center today are Functional Fitness class in the Social Hall, and Boot Camp class in the Aerobics room. There's Men's IBA tonight at 7:15. There is a Fusion Fitness class tomorrow morning at 6-suitable for all fitness levels-in the Aerobics room.

Seniors are invited to the Warm Springs Senior Center for lunch today from noon to 1 p.m. On the Menu Today: Rosemary Ranch Chicken. Those 60 and older eat for free. Lunch is \$5 for anyone age 12 to 59 and children under 12 cost \$3 each.

Today at the Behavioral Health Center: There is an **Alcoholics Anonymous** meeting today at noon, Men's Group at 1, Mending Hearts at 1:30, Relapse Prevention at 3:30 and Al-

Heights Community Building. It is open to anyone seeking sobriety and wellness.

Wednesday, February 21

The Land Use Planning Committee will meet from 9 a.m. to noon at the administration building, conference room 3.

Today's fitness schedule: Senior Fitness Class at 10:45 at the Senior Center. At 12:10 there is Functional Fitness class in the Aerobics room, and Pi-Yo class at the clinic atrium. And there is an afternoon Turbo Kick class at 4; and Ladies Night Basketball at 6:00.

At the Warm Springs Senior program today: Fitness class participants are invited to eat. On the menu today: Hot Ham & Cheese with To-

mato Bisque

Early Head Start Group Socialization is today from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in room C3 at ECE.

There is a Women's Group today at 1 at the Behavioral Health Center. Also today is Anger Management at 3:30, Wellbriety at 5:15 and an Alcoholics Anonymous meeting at 7this evening.

Conscious Discipline Skill Building class is this afternoon from 1:30 to 3 at ECE in room 2E. Its open to the community.

There is Warm Springs Christian Fellowship this evening at 6 at High Lookee Lodge.

The Warm Springs Baptist Church has Bible Study and Prayer at 6 p.m.

Thursday, February 22

An Alcoholics Anonymous meeting is noon today at the Behavioral Health Center, and Narcotics Anonymous meeting at 6 p.m. at the Shaker Church.

Fitness activities scheduled for today at the Community Wellness Center: There's Boot Camp class at 12:10 in the Aerobics room, and Functional Fitness in the Social Hall. There's Men's IBA tonight at 7:15.

Seniors are invited to the Warm Springs Senior Center for lunch today from noon to 1 p.m. On the menu today: Spaghetti, garlic bread and green salad Those 60 and older eat for free. Lunch is \$5 for anyone age 12 to 59 and children under 12 cost \$3 each

Madras Campus -OREGO R AL

building, conference room 3.

Here are some fitness activities happening today: Senior Fitness class is at 10:45 at the Senior Center. PiYo class is at 12:10 in Pod A at the Clinic, and Functional Fitness class at 12:10 in the Aerobics room.

There is a **Behavior** Health Walk-In Clinic is today. Appointments are available between 1 and 5 p.m. The medical social workers at the clinic can help with screenings, assessments, crisis intervention and many other things for children, adolescents and adults.

The Jefferson County Library Community Film Center will show the movie

Monday, February 19

There is no school, because it's Presidents Day. The tribal offices and IHS are also closed.

There is a Fusion Fitness class every Monday and Wednesday morning at 6 at the community center Aerobics room. The class is suitable for all fitness levels.

There is Women's Prayer Group at the Presbyterian Church from 12:15-12:45 today. All women are welcome.

Aglow Bible Study is this evening at High Lookee Lodge from 6:15-7:30. Everyone is welcome.

conol & Drug Education at 5.

The Jefferson County Food Bank is located at 556 SE Seventh Street in Madras. They are open for distribution this afternoon.

Warm Springs Vocational Rehabilitation has orientation today at 3 p.m. at the Behavioral Health Center. For information call 553-4952

Soaring Butterflies Warrior Spirit class is afterschool today at the Warm Springs Academy from 3:30-5.

There is a Wellbriety Warriors Accepting Recovery meeting this evening from 6:30-8:30 at the Greeley

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Question of value with Buy-Back

The value of certain allotments on the reservation-properties that could be sold back to the tribes through the Land Buy-Back program-was a point of discussion at Tribal Council last week.

Council met with appraisers from the Office of Appraisal Services, an office of the Department of the Interior. Appraisers from the office are working with tribes and the BIA to implement the Buy-Back component of the Cobell settlement.

One-hundred and five reservations, including Warm Springs, are identified in the 10-year Cobell Land Buy-Back process.

The Office of Appraisal Services last year used a process called 'mass appraisal' to come up with fair market value calculations for more than 340 tracts on the reservation.

Acquisition offers to the allottes will be the fair market value, as determined by the Office of Appraisal Services

Council members and

In some cases the mass appraisal figure for a tract can be significantly different-much lower, for instance—from the figure derived from a site specific appraisal.

staff last week expressed some concern about the fair market value figures that the office had calculated for at least some of the tracts.

The mass appraisal process is defined as: "The process of valuing a universe of properties as of a given date using standard methodology, employing common data, and allowing for statistical testing." In this process, details of hundreds or even thousands of land transactions from the surrounding region are collected.

The information is then applied to a certain tract, with adjustments if necessary, in order to determine its fair market value. Valuation factors can include acreage, road access, timber, urban rating, etc.

Another appraisal process is 'site specific,' defined as: "An appraisal process that analyzes one tract at a time, based on the physical and economic characteristics of the subject property compared to similar properties."

In some cases the mass appraisal figure for a tract can be significantly different-much lower, for instance-from the figure derived from a site specific appraisal. The goal then is to reconcile the figures.

The plan has been to mail offers to more than 300 allottees as early as this week. The Office of the Special Trustee, and the Warm Springs Land Buy-Back representative Randy Scott have suggested delaying the mailing until some fair market valuation questions have been clarified.

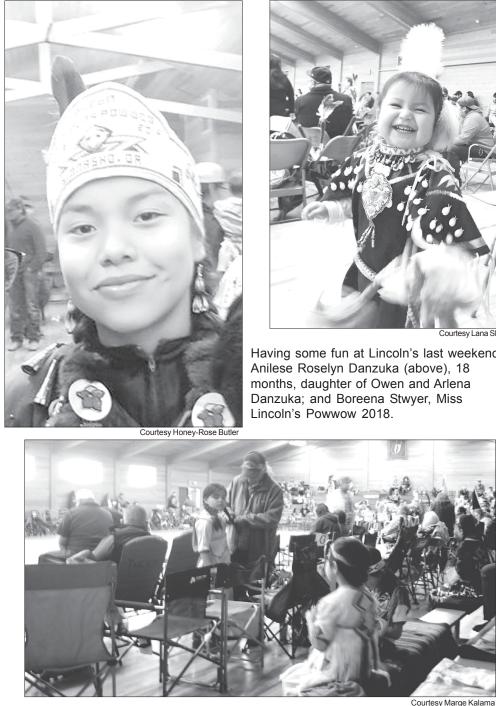
The appraisals that were done last September, though, are valid for nine months; so there is a time element. Council will address the issue again soon.



The Plateau Travel Plaza is set to open in early March. For tribal members the Plateau will open on Friday, March 2. The opening for the general public will be on Saturday, March 3. The official Grand Opening will be in early April. Picture below is the store area facing the main cashier desk.



41st Lincoln's Birthday Powwow





Veterans Memorial Park Committee working on funding

Individuals, businesses and other organizations can take a true part in the Warm Springs Veterans Memorial Park.

Personalized, engraved bricks-honoring Warm Springs veterans-will be incorporated into the memorial park pathway and central memorial feature. These would be perfect for family members of the vetfor instance-or add a military design.

The committee members to speak with about the bricks are Johnathan Courtney, Tamera Calhoun, Charles Tailfeathers or Dan Martinez. You can reach Mr. Courtney at:

Coujw196@gmail.com

The memorial park committee met with Tribal Council this week for an update. the Spirit Mountain Community Fund. The tribal capital fund and the bricks will add to the needed funding.

Veteran and family volunteers are already planning to help with the work, with Warm Springs Construction ready to do the site preparation work.

The design of the memorial, by architects of the Museum at Warm Springs, in-

Having some fun at Lincoln's last weekend:

The memorial park committee has different size and style bricks to choose from: The 4x8 bricks are \$150, and the 8x8 bricks are \$250. You can have just words on the brick-the veteran's name, branch and years of service

The group has the preliminary drawings for the memorial and park, and are now working toward design engineering blueprints.

The committee, working with the community development director, last year secured a large grant from

cludes an elevated mound, and walkways leading up to the central feature. Seven flags of the military branches, large basalt pillars with veterans names, a central fountain and flame feature, a bronze Warrior, and the Soldier's Cross add to the memorial.

Note from Warm Springs Sanitation

Warm Springs Sanitation has reported an increase of tires and hazardous materials such as motor oil and hydraulic fluid at the tribal landfill transfer stations.

They remind folks that tires cannot be left

at the transfer stations, and must be taken to the commercial entrance to be disposed of.

There is a cost to dispose of tires. The tribes pay an outside disposal company for this, and the prices have increased.

If anyone sees non-Warm Springs residents using the landfill and transfer stations, please report it to Russell Graham at 541-553-4943, or call the Warm Springs Police Department.

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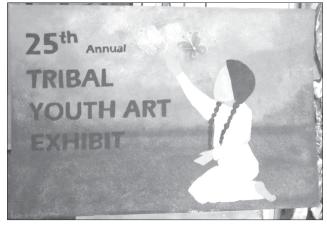


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Letters to the editor

Anniversary year at Museum



You can see exceptional artwork by Warm Springs youth at the museum through March 3.

The Museum at Warm Springs this year is celebrating its Twenty-Fifth Anniversary. There are some unique events-a Treaty of 1855 exhibit, for instancecoming up in 2018 at the museum. Some events on the calendar:

March 12: A Washat Service at 10 a.m.

March 17: Warm Springs community celebration of the anniversary. The museum opened in March of 1993. The exhibit Twanat: Celebrating Our Legacy opens.

April 14: Honor Dinner at the World Forestry Center. Presentation of the Twanat and Lifetime Achievement awards.

May 31: Seeds of Discovery science field day for

Wishes...

local fourth graders, supported by an Oregon State University and NASA.

June 7: Opening of the reception hall exhibit Patriot Nations, a banner exhibit from the National Museum of the American Indian.

June 21: Opening of the exhibit Memory of the Land: The Treaty of the Middle Columbia River Tribes and Bands.

August 18: Huckleberry Harvest annual banquet and auction.

October 1: Opening,. Middle Oregon Treaty of 1855 display.

October 25-27: Treaty symposium At Kah-Nee-Ta Resort.

November: Tribal Member Art Exhibit; and Native American Art Market.

Baby Fair

Warm Springs Recreation invites you to the Sweetheart Baby Fair from 5-7 p.m. on Thursday, February 22. There will be a family photo shoot and door prizes.

Join us at the Community Wellness Center Social Hall for a light dinner at 5 p.m. Enter your little one in the Crawler Race. Then sport your child's regalia across the stage for your walker to 5 years old.

Check out the baby board gallery and learn new information regarding issues facing our little ones and their families.

Michael Martinez from Prevention will provide information on the use of methamphetamine during pregnancy and the effects on newborns, infants and their environment.

For more information call Carol Sahme at 541-553-3243, or visit Recreation at the Community Center.

Seniors lunch

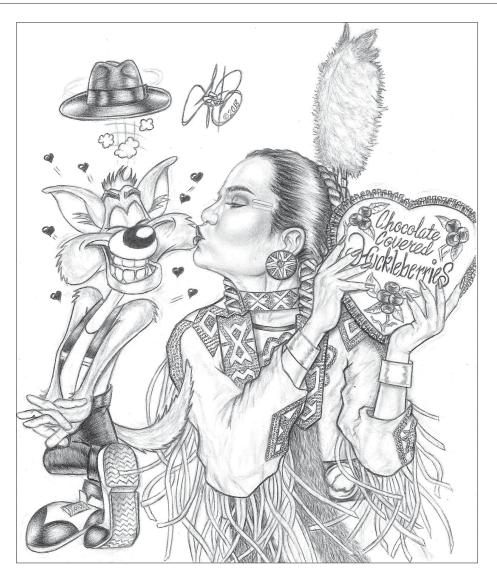
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Tribal Council

Coming up at Tribal Council:

Tuesday, February 20

9 a.m.: Secretary-Treasurer and Chief Operations Officer updates with Michele and Alyssa.



Warm Springs artist Travis Bobb wishes everyone a Happy Valentine's Day!

For any questions please contact Stephanie at 541-553-3205.

From Extension

Warm Springs OSU Extension is seeking volunteers for its Master Food Preserver program.

Volunteers help folks make safe food preservation choices. Warm Springs Extension is recruiting applicants to participate in 48 hours of indepth food safety and preservation training on Tuesdays April 10-May 29.

If possible, you need to apply by this Thursday, February 15. For more information, and to apply visit extension.oregonstate.edu. Get to the Deschutes County page, and click on 'food preservation.'

Veterans, Family Healing Circle

The Veterans and Family Healing Circle announced the annual gathering, coming up in April.

The gathering, April 25-29, will be at the HeHe Longhouse. This year the theme is 'Honoring Our Women in Service.' Everyone is welcome.

The weekend includes healing ceremonies, speakers, elders' wisdom, men's sweat lodge, women's sweat lodge, washing of the hands ceremony, free healing touch treatments, raffle, fun and friendship.

No fees of any kind are being charged. Contributions of food, volunteer



check to:

Bullseye, 3180 NW Gumpert Rd, Prineville, OR 97754 (with 'Veteran family healing' in the subject line.)

Contacts: Mike Williams, 541-912-1962. Heidi Katchia, 503-804-4177. Washington





I would like to wish a 'belated' Happy Birthday to our grandson Orion Wewa, who turned 9 on February 8, 2018.



Happy Valentines Day to Mato and Miayala Suppah and Metaeh Allen. Love you, Grama Bonnie and Grampa Ronnie.



We would like to wish a very Happy 12th Birthday to our grandson Ivan "Ka'Canus" Good Lance. Hope all your wishes come true on your special day, February 22, 2018. We love you very much, from Grama Bonnie and Grampa Ronnie.

Happy Valentines Day to Addy and Pete Jacobs Good Lance, with love from Grama Bonnie and Grampa Ronnie.

10: March agenda and minutes with the S-T.

11: Draft resolutions with the S-T

1:30 p.m.: Legislative update calls, federal and state. 2:30: Fee to Trust tribal

consultation.

3:30: Enrollments with Lucille Suppach-Samson of Vital Stats.

Adolescent group meetings

The Adolescent Alcohol and Drug Education Group meets every Monday 4:30-5:30 p.m. at the Warm Springs Behavioral Health Center.

The meetings are with Stephanie Wachter, certified alcohol and drug counselor (CADC II), and Alexis Salazar, CADC I intern.

Relay kick-off

A kick-off event for Jefferson County Relay for Life is at the Madras-Jefferson County Chamber Business after hours gathering this Thursday, February 15 at 5:30 p.m.

The after hours gatheirng will be at the Jefferson County Fairgrounds in the Mackie Conroy building. Evervone is invited to attend and learn more about the Relay for Life, coming up in July.

For sale

Nissan pickup, 1985. Contact Ricky Minthorn, 541-615-0325.

time and raffle items are greatly appreciated. To donate with giveaway item expenses you may send a state: Elke Bach-Zeerosah, 253-967-7905. Cody Black, 360-458-6840.



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Council seeks to fill tribal board positions

The Tribal Council of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs would like to advertise the following tribal board positions:

There is one position, non-member, on the Warm Springs Ventures board. This is the economic development corporation of the Confederated Tribes.

The candidate should be interested in the economic and social development of

the tribe and its membership; and possesses expertise in private industry, finance or banking, or some other field which would benefit corporation.

There is one position, non-member, open on the Warm Springs Composite Products board.

There are two position open on the Warm Springs Tribal Employment Rights Office (TERO) Commission, a division of Warm Springs Ventures.

There is one position open on the Kah-Nee-Ta Resort board of directors; and one position, non-member on the tribal Credit enterprise board.

For all of these positions: Letters of interest and resumes of applicants should be submitted by March 6 to the following address:

Michele Stacona, Secretary-Treasurer/CEO, P.O. Box 455, Warm Springs, OR 97761.

Authorization letter will be mailed to all applicants for a criminal and credit background check to be completed returned to Secretary-Treasurer/CEO office. Information will be submitted confidentially to the Secretary-Treasurer.

First Tribal Health Scholars learning at clinic

The Tribal Health Scholars at the clinic—Lynden Harry, Kaliyah Iverson and Enrique Ramirez are seeing first-hand the work of health professionals.

Over the next several weeks they will spend Monday mornings at the Warm Springs clinic, learning about a variety of health careers. During the final weeks of nine-week program, the students will choose an area where they want to focus.

Lynden, Kaliyah and Enrique are seniors at Madras High School. Each of them already has an interest in a specific health-care field: Lynden wants to work in the Physical Therapy field, Kaliyah in Dentistry, and Enrique in the Nursing field.

Enrique plans on going to Portland State University in the fall. Lynden and Kaliyah have not yet committed to a college, though schools are interested in offering them scholarships. Kaliyah just last week received a Dean's Scholarship offer; and various schools have shown interest in offering Lynden a basketball scholarship. This is the inaugural year of the Tribal Health Scholars program, sponsored by the Northwest Native American Center of Excellence, Madras High School, On Track, and the Indian Health Service.

The Center of Excellence, at the Oregon Health Sciences University, works to address health care needs by increasing the Native American voice in the health professions.

Dove Spector, program coordinator, is a mentor for the Tribal Health Scholars, providing them with resources and knowledge about college, and how best to pursue higher education to achieve their dreams.

Dr. Erik Brodt, director of the Northwest Native American Center of Excellence, summarized the program goal:

"American Indian people face significant health disparities, further jeopardized by a shortage of health care professionals who come from these communities. We aim to change that."

— Dave McMechan



Tribal Health Scholars Kaliyah Iverson, Lynden Harry and Enrique Ramirez.

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COCC Native program promoting students

Michelle Cary joined Central Oregon Community College last fall. She is the Native American Program coordinator at COCC.

Michelle, a Seneca-Cayuga member, worked for more than 20 years as a second-grade teacher, mostly at the elementary school in Prineville.

She went to college at the University of Oregon. Interestingly, at the U of O she had a partial football scholarship: She was the stats girl for Ducks football.

At COCC with the Native American program, she works to help ensure a successful college experience for Native American students. This work begins with high school students who are thinking about going to COCC, and lasts through the entire college experience.



Important notice to tribal hunters

The 2017-2018 hunting season has come to an end for offreservation and on-reservation subsistence hunting. The Wildlife Department is now gathering hunter harvest data and all tribal members who have issued tags for the 2017 tribal member subsistence hunts need to report as soon as possible.

Tribal Council resolutions 12,378 and 12,365 states:

Required reporting species hunting tag reporting requirements: Special species hunters, whether successful, unsuccessful or did not hunt, must complete and return harvest/hunting reports (the bottom portion of the tag) to the BNR Wildlife Department within 15 days after season closure.

General hunting tag reporting requirements: The bottom portions of all tags issued for the season must be filled out and returned to the BNR Wildlife Department by Feb. 15, 2018, unless specified otherwise, regardless of whether the hunter was successful, unsuccessful, or did not hunt. Information from these harvest/hunting reports assists in game population monitoring and management. results in loss of hunting/fishing privileges for the 2018 fishing and hunting seasons.

Harvest and hunting information is important for the department in determining wildlife population sizes, herd compositions and hunting pressure. In addition, this information helps determine where there are and are not animals, which helps focus habitat restoration efforts on the reservation. For off-reservation harvest, these results help the department and tribal staff in developing future offreservation area hunts and management goals within the state game management units. Your continued support and participation in hunter reporting are greatly appreciated.

For additional information

With the First Nations Club, the program hosts many events through the year. These include the annual events like the Salmon Bake in June, plus special cultural enrichment speakers and activities. Most recently were the screenings of *Our Spirits Don't Speak English: Indian Board School*, and the upcoming *Boys with Braids* event (see page 6). Speakers at *Boys with Braids* will include Wilson Wewa and Allison Schmiedel.

The COCC Native American program works on the Good Road, and STRIVE. The Good Road is a college preparation program at Madras High School, and the alternative schools in Warm Springs and Madras.

STRIVE is the Summer Training to Revive Indigenous Vision and Empowerment program. STRIVE allows students to spend several days at COCC during the summer, getting ready for the start of the school year.

The goal of STRIVE is to provide cultural and academic support and give young Native American students leadership skills. A grant from the Meyer Memorial Trust helps to fund these programs.

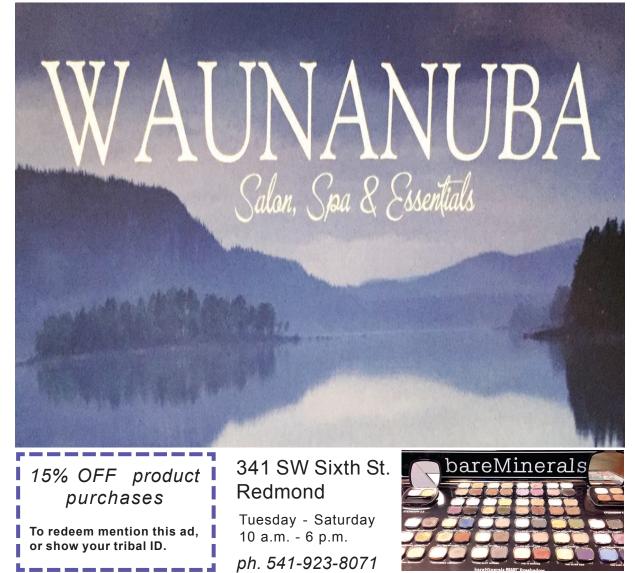
Michelle is at the COCC campus three days per week, and spends Mondays at the COCC Madras campus. If you would like to speak with her about COCC, you can reach her at 541-318-3782. Or email:

mcary@cocc.edu

Tribal Council Resolution 12,378 states: Failure to report or questions, contact: Wildlife Department biologists: 541-553-2037/2046. Wildlife Parks and Enforcement Manager: 541-553-2043.

Conservation Enforcement Ranger Manager: (541) 553-2033

Mail: CTWS Branch Natural Resources, Wildlife Department, P.O. BOX C, Warm Spring, OR 97761



Community notes...

There's will be an **Indian Taco fundraiser** next Tuesday, February 20 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Culture and Heritage office in the Education building. Proceeds will go towards the salmon bake during the Northwest Archivist Conference, coming up in Warm Springs this April.

The Second Annual Warm Springs **Healing our Spirits and Lands Round Dance** is coming up at the end of March at the Community Center. There will be sweats, pipe ceremonies and a feast.

Warm Springs Culture and Heritage Language Program is looking for volunteers to help chaperone, coach, judge and assist at the **2018 Language Bowl** in May at the Wildhorse Resort. To learn more call Culture and Heritage at 541-553-3290.

Assisted Living

Call 541-553-1182

2321 Ollallie Lane

(PO Box 6)

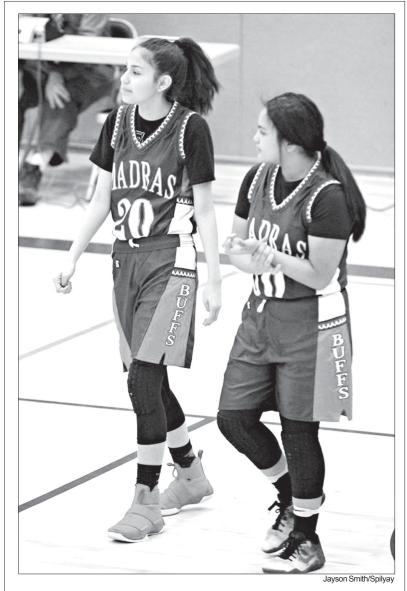
Warm Springs, OR



Perfect season in League play



The Madras High School varsity girls and boys basketball teams both play at Corbett this Thursday, February 15. The girls then have a game at Crook County on February 20, while the boys host Crook County that evening. At the end of their final 2017-18 home game last week—as the score board above shows, a 59-16 win against Estacada—the varsity girls were undefeated in the Tri Valley League.



Jefferson County Middle School eighth-graders Tasha Herkshan and Cha Ramirez getting ready start the game against the Warm Springs Eagles.

In youth sports

The Warm Springs **Academy girls basketball** team hosts Obsidian this Thursday, February 15. Seventh grade plays at 4, eighth grade 5. Academy wrestlers have a meet at Pacific Crest Middle School in Bend at 4.

The Academy girls basketball team plays at the Jefferson County Middle School next Wednesday, February 21. Seventh grade plays at 3:30, and the eighth grade at

4:30.

The next day, Thursday, February 22, the Academy girls play at Crook County Middle School in Prineville.

Note: The Warm Springs Academy Awards Assembly is on Friday, February 23. The assembly for grades 6-8 is at 8:25 a.m. The third through fifth grade assembly is at 9; and for kindergarten through second at 9:35.

Travelers tourney coming to W.S.

The Oregon Travelers 6 Foot-Plus 1-and Under Tournament is coming up in mid April at the Warm Springs Community Center. For information contact Edna David at the center, 541-553-3243. The awards for this tourney

include the Championship jackets; second and third place awards; 20 t-shirts for fourth place. Also:

The MVP, High Score and Mr. Hustle. The entry fee is

Tribes open Zone 6 commercial fisheries

The first Zone 6 Columbia River commercial fisheries of 2018 continues through 6 p.m. this Friday, February 16.

The open area is only The Dalles and John Day Pools. Allowed gear is gillnets with no mesh restriction.

Allowed sales are sturgeon between 43 and 54 inches fork length, salmon, steelhead, walleye, bass, carp, catfish, shad and yellow perch. These fish may be sold or kept for subsistence use.

Standard river mouth and dam closed areas applicable to gill nets are in effect. The Spring Creek hatchery sanctuary is not in effect this time of year. Fish may be sold after the period ends if caught during the open period.

Platform, hook and line

Commercial platform, and hook and line sales are open until 6 p.m., Wednesday, March 21. The open area is all of Zone 6.

Allowed sales are salmon, steelhead, shad, walleye, catfish, bass, carp and yellow perch, which may be sold or kept for subsistence use.

Legal-size sturgeon are between 43 and 54 inches fork length in The Dalles and John Day pools; and between 38 and 54 inches fork length in the Bonneville Pool and may be kept for subsistence use only.

During the commercial gill net fishery, ending at 6 p.m. Friday, February 16, sturgeon from The Dalles and John Day pools only may be sold commercially.

Allowed gear is hoop nets, dip nets, and hook and line. Dam closed areas applicable to platform gear, and hook and line are in effect. Fish may be sold after the period ends if caught during the open period.



aids

\$385. The tournament will be April 15-17.

65th Klamath tournament in March

The Sixty-Fifth Annual Klamath All Indian Basketball Tournament—'the oldest Indian tournament in the nation'—is coming up in March at Chiloquin.

Men's teams will have 10-man

rosters; women's will have 8woman rosters. All Stars for both divisions; MVPs in both divisions. For more information contact Louie Miller, 541-281-2901; or Ed Case, 541-891-9382.

Still time to take the health survey

Warm Springs Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey interviewers continue to seek Warm Springs adults 18 and old to participate in the survey.

Participants receive a \$30 gift

card for their time, and their participation helps the tribe in health care planning.

You can call Christina at Family Preservation to schedule a time: 541-615-0036.

February food tip of the month

Carbohydrates are one of your body's main sources of energy, and about half of your daily calories should come from them.

They're the comfort foods we crave when we're feeling down or stressed: pasta, fries, white bread, cookies are examples.

But these simple or refined carbohydrates cause rapid spikes in blood sugar—with ups and downs in mood and energy—and a build-up of fat, especially around your waistline.

The key is to choose the right carbs. Complex carbs



such as vegetables, whole grains, and naturally sweet fruit digest slower, resulting in stable blood sugar and less fat accumulation.

You'll not only feel healthier and more energetic, you could also shed a few pounds. Complex or 'goo' carbs include whole wheat bread, brown rice, oatmeal, spinach, tomatoes, beans, nuts and whole fruit.

This message is brought to you by the Warm Springs Diabetes Program and 91.9 FM KWSO! Learn the cultural importance of why Native males wear their hair long. Too many young Native boys experience bullying or discrimination due to their long hair. Often parents and their young boys struggle to find the correct words to answer the question, "Why do you have long hair?" A variety of guest speakers will share their personal experiences and how they overcme these situations.

Saturday, Feb. 17 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Coats Campus Center Bend Campus

Snacks and drinks provided FREE & OPEN to the public cocc.edu/mcc-events

CENTRAL OREGON community college cocc.edu

Questions: mcary@cocc.edu or 541.318.3782

6 In advance of College events, persons needing accommodation or transportation because of a physical or mobility disability, contact Joe Viola at 541.383.7775. For accommodation because of other disability such as hearing impairment, contact Disability Services at 541.383.7583

Longhouse

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The problem is especially dangerous to developing children, and those with weakened immune systems.

Clean-up cost of the Agency Longhouse will be several thousand dollars, and will take several weeks. The cloth on the benches in both rooms will have to be removed, and walls and floors will be sanitized.

Meanwhile, the Community Center and HeHe Longhouse will be made available, whenever possible, for family and community events that would usually happen at the longhouse.

It is possible that those responsible for the contamination are homeless, such as people who have been evicted by Housing for meth use in a Housing unit, Ms. Wood said.

The locks at the Longhouse have since been changed and the windows are secured. Tribal Council members were understandably disturbed by the news that the longhouse, a religious center for many members, had been used for drug use.

Ms. Macy said the situation is leading to a wider community discussion on an ongoing meth epidemic on the reservation. Use of the drug appeared to have slowed down a few years ago, but now is back, apparently as bad as before.

Councilman Jody Calica suggested that management come up

A community meeting will be held this coming Thursday, February 15, at the Community Center Social Hall

with a strategy to address the problem.

Ms. Macy said she has already started on this, talking with community members at large, and Culture and Heritage. Other partners in the strategy will be IHS, Social Services, Public Safety, Behavioral Health, plus recovering addicts, and others.

The situation with the longhouse is terrible, she said, but it could be a chance to begin more open discussion of the problem. "At some point we need to hit bottom," she said. "I hope this is that point."

Danielle said there is a meth prevention work group that meets twice month, and they are looking for more input, especially from recovering addicts. "They are the ones who know what it took for them to stop," she said.

Councilman Raymond Tsumpti said the longhouse leaders need to be involved in process, as there will be changes to policies of use of the longhouse. The court system, and Parole and Probation should also be brought into the discussion. A community meeting will be held this coming Thursday, February 15, at the Community Center Social Hall to discuss the results of the testing in the building, and to provide an opportunity for community members to learn more about current efforts to combat the drug. Community participation is encouraged.

Warm Springs is not the only reservation dealing with this problem, Ms. Macy said. The Yakama Nation Tribal Council issued an extraordinary order this month, announcing increased public safety measures on their reservation. This is the Yakama declaration:

Yakama measure

Persons engaged in unlawful activities on Yakama lands are on official notice through a Yakama Nation Tribal Council Resolution that could result in immediate exclusion, jail time, fines, suspension of all Treaty-reserved hunting, fishing and gathering rights, and banishment from the Yakama Nation with forfeiture of per capita payments.

The Yakama Nation Tribal Council, in asserting its sovereign

authority over Yakama lands and people, will impose harsher punishments and faster consequences against the recurrence of illegal activities and crimes occurring on the Yakama lands.

Washington State Patrol's refusal to actively patrol the Yakama Reservation since the Tribe's successful retrocession through PL-280 last year, mixed with rampant crime in the small town of White Swan, prompted the Tribe to take immediate action to halt illegal activities and crime here.

On Hollywood Boulevard



Dave McMechan/Spilyay

This Warm Springs Construction crew is working on Hollywood Boulevard, in the area between the Kot-Num Road intersection and Kuckup Street. Construction is building the curbs and sidewalks, and will begin road paving in a few months, when the paving plants are open, said Leslie Cochran-Davis, of Ventures-Construction. The road work is funded through BIA 638 Roads.

Summaries of Tribal Council

January 29

1. Roll call: Chief Delvis Heath, Chief Joseph Moses, Chief Alfred Smith Jr., Chairman Eugene Greene Jr., Vice Chairman Charles Calica, Raymond Tsumpti, Ronald Suppah, Valerie Switzler, Carina Miller, Lee Tom, and Brigette McConville. Minnie Yahtin, Recorder.

2. Secretary-Treasurer update. 3. Chief Operations Officer update

· Motion made by Valerie ap-

Resolution No. 12,426 approving a home site lease for Andrea Smith Sapuay. Second by Raymond. Question; 6/0/3, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

6. Federal and state legislative update calls.

7. Enrollments/relinquishments:

· Motion by Carina adopting Resolution No. 12,427 enrolling 10 individuals. Second by Brigette. Question; 8/0/1, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

to the WSCRE Board of Directors, terms ending on December 31, 2021. Second by Charles. Question; 8/0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

·Consensus to re-advertise for the Kah-Nee-Ta High Desert Board of Directors vacant position.

·Consensus to re-advertise for the Tribal Employment Rights Office Commission.

· Motion by Joseph adopting Resolution No. 12,431 appointing Tainontorake Oakes, term ending October 30, 2018 and Delford Johnson, term ending October 30, 2020 to the Water Control Board. Second by Charles. Question; 8/ 0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion carried. · Motion by Charles adopting Resolution No. 12,432 appointing Joseph Moses, to the Warm Springs Composite Board of Directors, term ending December 31, 2018. Second by Brigette. Question; 7/0/1, Chairman not voting. Motion carried. Vote carrying on to Non-Tribal member position to be re-advertised. · Motion by Joseph adopting Resolution No. 12,433 appointing Ronald Suppah and Kevin Nordt to the Warm Springs Power & Water Enterprise Board, terms ending January 1, 2021. Second by Charles. Question; 7/0/1, Chairman not voting. Motion carried. · Motion by Raymond adopting Resolution No. 12,434 appointing Lori Switzler, pending acceptance and background check, to the Ventures Board. And, that the vacant non-member position be re-advertised. Second by Joseph. Question; 8/0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion Carried.

February 5, 2018

1. Roll call: Chief Delvis Heath, Chief Alfred Smith Jr., Chairman Eugene Greene Jr., Vice Chairman Charles Calica, Raymond Tsumpti, Ronald Suppah, Valerie Switzler, Lee Tom, and Brigette McConville. Minnie Yahtin, Recorder.

2. Land Buy Back appraisals update.

·Motion by Charles amending the afternoon agenda include BIA Realty to present Janice Suppah Clements land sale from March 2016. Second by Brigette. Question; 7/0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

ond by Brigette. Question; 6/0/2, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

· BIA Realty will present 12 more land sales on February 20.

6. State legislature call update. 7. Tribal attorney update from Karnopp-Petersen.

8. 2:40-3:40 p.m.: Executive session.

9. Tribal Attorney update from John Ogan.

· Motion by Raymond approving Howard Arnett and John Ogan work together to develop an amicus brief supporting Washington tribes favorable rights be affirmed; and the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs be heard, and work with other tribes. Second by Brigette. Question; 7/0/1, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

proving the letter to Jefferson County school district for workforce housing initiative. Second by Carina. Question; 7/0/2, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

· Motion by Carina approving the Double Dam Adventure Ride fundraiser event for the Boys & Girls Club of Warm Springs and Kids Club of Jefferson County, and the Joint Committee prioritize this when they meet. Second by Joseph. Question; 8/0/1, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

· Motion by Carina approving continued effort to move forward with preparation of paperwork for the nomination of the Robert Wilson home for the National Register of Historic Places. Second by Valerie. Question; 7/1/1, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

· Motion by Carina approving additional funds for the CPS renovation and purchases. Second by Brigette. Question; 9/0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

4. February agenda/minutes review.

· Motion by Carina approving the February business agenda subject to change. Second by Brigette. Question; 7/0/2, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

•Motion by Brigette approving February travel delegations; Second by Raymond. Question; 7/0/2, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

5. Draft resolutions:

·Motion by Ron adopting Resolution No. 12,425 approving an Inheritance Act purchase related to Ellen Marie Onepennee. Second by Valerie. Question; 7/0/2, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

· Motion by Alfred adopting

• Motion by Brigette adopting Resolution No. 12,428 approving a request for relinquishment. Second by Valerie. Question; 9/0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

· Motion by Lee to table the enrollment for Trevor Hurtado for more information from Umatilla. Second by Brigette. Question; 9/ 0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

8. Gun safety presentation.

9. With no further discussion the meeting adjourned at 5:05 p.m.

January 30

1. Roll call: Chief Delvis Heath, Chief Joseph Moses, Chief Alfred Smith Jr., Chairman Eugene Greene Jr., Vice Chairman Charles Calica, Raymond Tsumpti, Ronald Suppah, and Valerie Switzler. Minnie Yahtin, Recorder.

2. December 2017 financial update.

3. Indian Health Service update.

4. Democratic Candidate Oregon Second Congressional introduction.

5. Timber discussion.

6. Committee/board appointments

· Motion by Charles adopting Resolution No. 12,429 appointing Evaline Patt to the Credit Enterprise Board of Directors, term ending January 1, 2021. Second by Valerie. Question; 8/0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion carried. Class II will be re-advertised on 8/0/0 vote.

· Motion by Joseph adopting Resolution No. 12,430 appointing Pamela Douglas, Tribal member and Ted Kulongoski, non-member, 7. Other business:

·Motion by Charles approving the request for use of the tribal logo to be used by University of Oregon, Eastern Oregon University, and Oregon State University Cascades on a coalition to support 2018 Capital Investments. Second by Brigette. Question; 7/0/1, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

8. With no further discussion the meeting adjourned at 4:35 p.m.

3. Other business:

· Consensus to amend the agenda to include Linda Meanus' request.

·Motion by Raymond approving funds from the Tribal Council budget to assist Linda in presenting at the National Indian Child Welfare Assocation annual conference. Second by Brigette. Question; 7/0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

4. Federal legislative call update. 5. BIA Realty:

· Motion by Raymond adopting Resolution No. 12,436 approving the land sale of 11 percent interest for Janice S. Clements. Sec· 4-4:45 p.m.: Off the record.

· Motion by Ronald appointing an 1865 nullification point team to include the Chairman, Vice Chairman, and legal counsel with writer for call back to include all information that can be valuable, as noted from Raymond, Valerie and Brigette. Second by Brigette. Question; 5/0/3, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

10. With no further discussion the meeting adjourned at 5:10 p.m.

Tribal committee meetings

This is the schedule for tribal committee meetings over the next several weeks:

Water Control Board: 1 to 3 p.m., Thursday, February 15 at the Branch of Natural Resources Cougar Den.

Education Committee: 10 a.m. to noon, Friday, February 16 at Administration conference room 3.

Land Use Planning Committee: 9 a.m. to noon, Wednesday, February 21 at Administration room 3.

Water Control Board: 1 to 3 p.m., Thursday, March 1 at the Branch of Natural Resources Cougar Den.

Fish and Wildlife Committee: 3 to 5 p.m., Thursday, March 1 at the Administration conference room 3.

Education Committee:

4:30 to 6:30 p.m., Monday, March 5 at the Seekseequa Fire Hall.

Land Use Planning Committee: 9 a.m. to noon, Wednesday, March 7 at the Administration conference room 3.

Water Control Board: 1 to 3 p.m., Thursday, March 15 at the Branch of Natural Resources Cougar Den.

Land Use Planning Committee: 9 a.m. to noon, Wednesday, March 21 at the Administration conference room 3.

Education Committee: 1 to 4 p.m., Saturday, March 31 at the Greeley Heights community building.

For information contact the Tribal Council office, 541-553-3257.

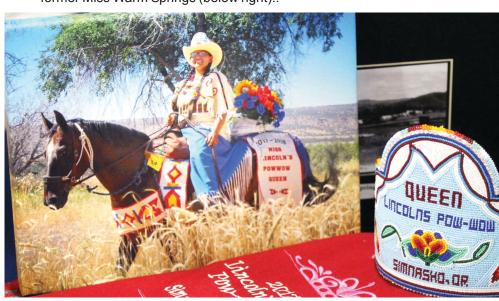
2018 Miss Warm Springs Pageant



Minnie Yahtin addresses the Pageant audience that included many former Miss Warm Springs (below right)..















Jayson Smith photos



Three Educational Assistant I positions open at Academy

The Jefferson County School District 509-J is seeking to fill the positions of **Edu**cational Assistant I at the Warm Springs Academy.

There are three Educational Assistant I positions open at the Academy. Note: These positions are grant funded, subject to available of the funds.

The positions are 5.5 hours per day, starting wage \$12.88 an hour. Qualifications:

· High school diploma.

• Must be 'highly qualified' as described below.

• Looking for people to assist with literacy in grades k-5.

· Literacy experience.

· Flexible, dependable and positive attitude.

• Needs to want to make a difference, and willing to work on improving student achievement at the Warm Springs Academy. To be 'highly qualified':

An Educational Assistant requires a high school diploma or the equivalent, and one of the following:

· An Associate's degree.

• Two years of study at an institution of higher education (72 credit hours).

· Passed the District Assessment for educational assistants in the areas of reading, writing, math and pedagogy

Application procedures:

Interested candidates are required to apply at the following link: jeffersonco.tedk12.com/

With online application, letter of interest, current resume, and letters of recommendation, references and copy of transcripts. Current employees please use same link and select 'internal' at the top right corner of the page.

Employment contingent upon fingerprinting. The \$71.50 fee associated with criminal history record checks and fingerprinting shall be the responsibility of the individual at the time of hire.

Jefferson County School District 509-J. Jeanie Traxtle, Human Resources. 541-475-6192. jtraxtle@509j.net The Warm Springs Academy is seeks to fill the position of Educational Assistant II - Life Skills.

The position is open until filled, successful candidate to start as soon as possible.

Qualifications or experience required: High school diploma or GED; experience in Life Skills preferred.

High school diploma or the equivalent, and one of the following:

An Associate's degree; or, Two years of study at an institution of higher education (72 credit hours); or,

Passed the District Assessment for Educational Assistants in the areas of reading, writing, math and pedagogy.

Application procedures: Interested candidates are required to apply at the following link:

jeffersonco.tedk12.com/ hire

With an online application, letter of interest, current resume, and letters of recommendation, references and copies of transcripts. Current Employees please use same link and select 'internal' at the top right corner of the page.

(Employment contingent upon fingerprinting. The \$72.50 fee associated with criminal history record checks and fingerprinting shall be the responsibility of the individual at the time of hire.)

Jefferson County School District 509-J. Jeanie Traxtle, Human Resources. 541 475-6192

jtraxtle@509j.net

The following jobs were advertised recently with the Warm Springs Human Resources Department. Applicants are encouraged to attach cover letter and resume with completed application. Incomplete applications

will not be processed. Questions regarding

application process can be directed to 541-553-3262. For full job descriptions see: warmsprings-nsn.gov Health and Human Services

ECE-Early Head Start Home Visitor - contact Jodi Begay 541-553-3479.

ECE-Day Care Substi-

tute Teacher (2 positions) -Cheryl Tom 541-553-3242. ECE-Head Start - Food

Services Manager - Cheryl. ECE, Day Care - Lead Teacher - Bernavene Aguirre 541-553-3241.

Health Community Nurse - Katie Russell 541-553-2460.

Fitness Coordinator -Edmund Francis 541-553-2460.

Children's Protective Services Receptionist -William Sam 541-553-3209.

CPS Protective Care Provider - Reona Trimble 541-553-3209.

Natural Resources

Fisheries Tech I - Andy

Johnson 541-553-3568. Fisheries Tech I - Graham Boostrom 541-553-2041.

Fisheries Tech III - Amy Charette 541-777-2843. Archeologist Supervisor

- Robert Brunoe 541-553-2001.

Public Safety

Firefighter/Paramedic -Karla Bagley-Tias 541-553-1634.

Fire Medic - Karla Bagley-Tias 541-553-1634. Communications Officer

- Ron Gregory 541-553-3272

Corrections Officer -Ron.

Administration/ST/COO

Cash Management Supervisor - Dennis Johnson 541-553-3479. Telecom

General Manager - Lonny Macy 541-553-3509.

Ventures

Staff Accountant - Leslie 541-553-3207/ Davis Sandra Danzuka 541-553-3565.

Kah-Nee-Ta Resort & Spa is seeking to fill employment opportunities as well.

Visit the website kahneeta.com

The following positions were advertised recently at

Indian Head Casino.

For more information call 541-460-7777. Or visit the website: indianheadcasino.comIT

support technician - Contact Donovan Todacheene, 541-460-7777 Ext. 7674.

IT support technician -Donovan Contact Todacheene - 541-460-7777 Ext. 7674.

Host/Cashier - part time - Esten Culpus 541-460-7777 Ext. 7710.

Cage cashier - Wyval Rosamilia 541-460-7777 Ext. 7737.

Supervisor/main bank cashier - Wyval.

Slot keyperson - Tim Hogenkamp 541-460-

7777.

Security officer - Tim Kerr 541-460-7777 Ext. 7749.

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Busser - part-time -Esten.

Server - 3 part-time positions - Esten.

Count team member -William Wason 541-460-7777 Ext. 7740/7715.

Line cook - part-time -Mark Oltman 541-460-7777 Ext. 7755.

Coffee stations attendant - Heather Cody 541-460-7777 Ext. 7710/7725.

Tule Grill cook - 2 parttime positions - Heather.

Tule Grill attendant -Heather.

Security officer - Tim Kerr.

In the Tribal Court of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs

MELINDA BILLY, Petitioner, vs AARON HART, **RESPONDENT; Case No.** DO111-17. TO: MELINDA BILLY & AARON HART:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that CONSERVA-GUARDIANSHIP TOR HEARING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 27TH day of FEBRU-ARY 2018 @ 9:00 AM

NEDA WESLEY, Peti-LEIDY tioner, vs CALDERA; JAMEY WESLEY, RESPONDENT; Case No. DO132-16. TO: NEDA WESLEY; LEIDY JAMEY CALDERA; WESLEY:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that CONSERVA-TOR GUARDIANSHIP HEARING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 6^{TH} day of MARCH 2018 @ 10:00 AM

JAMIE SMITH SR, Petitioner vs SHANDA CULPS, **RESPONDENT; Case No.** DO164-17. TO: JAMIE SMITH SR & SHANDA CULPS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that DISSOLUTION OF MARRIAGE HEARING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 1st day of MARCH 2018 @ 3:00 PM

HAGAR; CPS & JV PROS-**ECUTION:**

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that ASSISTED GUARDIANSHIP REVIEW HEARING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 5TH day of MARCH 2018 @ 9:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner vs MARGARET SILVA; DAVID BELGARD JR, RE-SPONDENT; Case No. JV1-11; 51-17. TO: MARGARET SILVA; DAVID BELGARD JR; CPS & JV PROSECU-TION:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that REVIEW HEAR-ING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the $~5^{\rm TH}~day$ of MARCH 2018 @ 11:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner vs JAMIE SMITH SR; SHANDA CULPS, RE-SPONDENT; Case No. JV77-10. TO: JAMIE SMITH SR; SHANDA CULPS; CPS & JV PROSECUTOR:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that MODIFICA-TION/EVIDENTIARY HEARING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 21^{ST} day of FEBRUARY 2018 (a) 10:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner vs DENT; LYLE

TION REVIEW HEARING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 27^{TH} day of FEBRUARY 2018 @ 3:00 PM

ANNETTE JIM, Petitioner, vs ŠTEWARD NAPYER & WILLIAM NAPYER JR, RESPON-DENT; Case No. RO11;12-18. TO: ANNETTE JIM; STEW-ARD NAPYER; WILLIAM NAPYER JR & VOCS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that RESTRAINING ORDER HEARING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 27TH day of FEBRUARY 2018 @ 11:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs MARTI ANN/JESS III STEVENS, **RESPON-**DENT; Case No. JV86;87;88;89-17. TO: MARTI ANN/JESS III STEVENS; **CPS & JV PROSECUTION:**

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that BENCH PROBA-TION REVIEW HEARING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 27^{TH} day of FEBRUARY 2018 @ 3:30 PM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs MARTI ANN/JESS III STEVENS, **RESPON-**Case No. RHOAN JR; JV86;87;88;89-17. TO: MARTI ANN/JESS III STEVENS; **CPS & JV PROSECUTION:** YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that BENCH PROBA-TION REVIEW HEARING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the $27^{TH} day$ of FEBRUARY 2018 @ 3:30 PM

ing scheduled for the 12^{TH} day of MARCH, 2018 @ 3:00 PM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs TASHEYNA SOHAPPY, Respondent; Case No. DO61,62-TO: TASHEYNA 17. SOHAPPY, MARIO PEREZ JR, JV PROS, CPS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that a REVIEW HEARING has been scheduled with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 8TH day of MARCH, 2018 @ 11:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs ASHLEY REYES, Respondent; Case No. DO63-17. TO: ASHLEY REYES, MARIO PEREZ JR, JV PROS, CPS, **TASHEYNA SOHAPPY:**

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that a REVIEW HEARING has been scheduled with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 28TH day of FEBRUARY, 2018 @ 3:00 PM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs NORALISETTE MCKINLEY, Respondent; Case No. JV105-10; JV25-12. NORALISETTE TO: AARON MCKINLEY, EAGLESPEAKER, JV PROS, CPS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that a PRELIMI-NARY HEARING has been scheduled with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hear-

SCOTT, Respondent; Case No. DO2-18. TO: ANDREW STACONA JR., SHAREYA SCOTT:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that a FILIATION HEARING has been scheduled with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 28TH day of FEBRUARY, 2018 @ 4:30 PM

SERGIO RODRIGUEZ, Petitioner, vs BETTY IO STEPHENS, Respondent; Case No. DO73-17. TO: BETTY JO STEPHENS, SERGIO RODRIGUEZ:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that a FILIATION HEARING has been scheduled with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 7TH day of MARCH, 2018 @ 9:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs ANTONIA WAHSISE, Respondent; Case No. JV84-03. TO: ANTONIA WAHSISE, JAMIE FELDMAN, JV PROS, CPS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that a SHOW CAUSE HEARING has been scheduled with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 28TH day of FEBRUARY, 2018 @ 10:00 AM

Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, Petitioner, vs. Jeremy Killsfirst, Respondent; Case No. CR672-08. TO: scheduled for March 19, 2018 at 10 a.m. at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.

In the matter of the estate of Lucy Oscar, W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate no. 064-PR6407. To Sarak Ike, Eve Patt, Zelda Ike, Aaron Strong, Gloria Ike, Charlotte Ike, Lanell Ike and Louie Ike Jr.: You are hereby notified that an informal Probate hearing is scheduled for March 19, 2018 at 10:30 a.m. at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.

In the matter of the estate of Monica R. Tufti, W.S., U/ A, deceased. Estate no. 2017-PR20. To Alex Tufti: You are hereby notified that an informal Probate hearing is scheduled for March 12, 2018 at 11 a.m. at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.

In the matter of the estate of Trudie G. Smith, W.S., U/ A, deceased. Estate no. 2017-PR26. To Demus Martinez, Shadrack Martinez, Rosetta Herkshan and Michael Martinez: You are hereby notified that an informal Probate hearing is scheduled for March 12, 2018 at 10 a.m. at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.

In the matter of the estate of Antoinette Pamperien, W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate no. 2017-PR43. To Rafael Queahpama, Kathleen Spaulding, Joel Craig, Shauna Queahpama, Eric Craig and Kaylyani Estimo: You are hereby notified that an informal Probate hearing is scheduled for March 12, 2018 at 11:30 a.m. at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.

In the matter of the estate of William D. Cochran, W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate no. 2017-PR38. To Mona Smith-

CTWS, Petitioner, vs KIM ESTIMO, RESPONDENT. ESTIMO; TO: KIM ROLANDO/MARIA LOPEZ; CPS & JV PROS-ECUTION; Case No. IV133:134-06:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that ASSISTED GUARDIANSHIP REVIEW HEARING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 28TH day of FEBRU-ARY 2018 @ 9:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner vs ALLEN WARNER, RE-SPONDENT; Case No. JV08-04. TO: ALLEN WARNER; CPS & JV PROS-ECUTION:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that ASSISTED GUARDIANSHIP REVIEW HEARING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 5^{TH} day of MARCH 2018 @ 3:30 PM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs RACHEL FRANK, RE-SPONDENT; Case No. JV28-10. TO: RACHEL FRANK; RON/EUGENIA

ANNETTE JIM, RESPON-DENT; Case No. JV278-01 JV257-03. TO: LYLE RHOAN JR & ANNETTE JIM:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that REVIEW HEAR-ING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the $\mathbf{5}^{\text{TH}}$ day of MARCH 2018 @ 10:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner vs ELIZA MEDRANO; **RIGOBERTO MEDRANO** SR, RESPONDENT; Case No. JV5;6;7;8;9;17-17. TO: ELIZA MEDRANO; **RIGOBERTO MEDRANO** SR; CPS & JV PROSECU-TOR:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that PERMANENCY HEARING has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 21ST day of FEBRUARY 2018 (a) 9:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs JULIA SIMTUSTUS, RE-SPONDENT; Case No. JV91-14; JV68-17. TO: JULIA SIMTUSTUS; CPS & JV **PROSECUTION:** YOU ARE HEREBY NO-

TIFIED that BENCH PROBA-

CTWS, Petitioner, vs IVY WALLULATUM, Respondent; Case No. JV42-13; JV113-14. TO: IVY WALLULATUM, JV PROS, CPS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that a PERMA-NENCY HEARING has been scheduled with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 12^{TH} day of MARCH, 2018 @ 11:00AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs MANDY SWITZLER, Respondent; Case No. JV154-16. **TO: MANDY SWITZLER,** JV PROS, CPS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that a PERMA-NENCY HEARING has been scheduled with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the **28TH day** of FEBRUARY, 2018 @ 1:30 PM

CIGANY SCOTT, Petitioner, vs LAWRENCE SQUIEMPHEN III, Respondent; Case No. DO2-18. TO: CIGANY SCOTT, LAWRENCE **SQUIEMPHEN III:**

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that a FILIATION HEARING has been scheduled with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 28TH day of FEBRUARY, 2018 @ 4:00 PM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs NORALISETTE MCKINLEY, Respondent; Case No. JV70-17; JV71-7. TO: NORALISETTE LOUIS MCKINLEY. LECLAIRE, JV PROS, CPS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that a PRELIMI-NARY HEARING has been scheduled with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for the 28TH day of FEBRUARY, 2018 @ 1:30 PM

ANDREW STACONA JR, Petitioner, vs SHAREYA Jeremy Killsfirst:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that a Modification Hearing has been scheduled with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for March 12, 2018 3:00 p.m.

Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, Petitioner, vs. Jeremy Killsfirst, Respondent; Case No. CR672-08. TO: Jeremy Killsfirst:

YOU ARE HEREBY NO-TIFIED that a Modification Hearing has been scheduled with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled for March 12, 2018 3:00 p.m.

PROBATE

In the matter of the estate of Valerie R. Govenor, W.S., U/A. deceased. Estate no. 2017-PR31. To Viola Govenor: You are hereby notified that an informal Probate hearing is scheduled for March 19, 2018 at 10 a.m. at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.

In the matter of the estate of Valerie R. Govenor, W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate no. 2017-PR31. To Viola Govenor: You are hereby notified that an informal Probate hearing is

Cochran: You are hereby notified that an informal Probate hearing is scheduled for March 19, 2018 at 9 a.m. at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.

In the matter of the estate of Patricia A. Kalama, nonmember, deceased. Estate no. 2017-PR42. To Larson Kalama Sr., Bridget Kalama, Carl Kalama and Larson Kalama Jr.: You are hereby notified that an informal Probate hearing is scheduled for March 19, 2018 at 9:30 a.m. at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.

In the matter of the estate of Mabel Eyle, W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate no. 914-PR16-98. To Juanita Villa, Irene Jimenez, Ruben Santos, Recto Santos, Alberto Santos Jr., Teresa Howe, Donetta Kerkes, Victor Smith Jr. and Jason Tufti-Danzuka: You are hereby notified that an informal Probate hearing is scheduled for March 19, 2018 at 11 a.m. at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.

In the matter of the estate of Glenn R. Brunoe, W.S., U/ A, deceased. Estate no. 2017-PR43. To Glenn Brunoe Jr. c/ o Lorene Wainanwit, and Delbert Brunoe, c/o Nicole Alexander: You are hereby notified that an informal Probate hearing is scheduled for March 12, 2018 at 10:30 a.m. at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.

Public safety

Bail/bonds - Feb. 5

GILBERT, Jonathan; CR86-18; DCDTX; NEW CHARGES; CR399-17; MM, DC, B%E, TH WARR; DTX; SC/FTC-SP JACK, Nicole; CR87-18;

DWS/RDTX; NEW CHARGES; CR696-17; UUPCS WARR; DTX; SC/FTC-CSW; CR696-17; UUPCS DTX; SC/ FTC-BP

LEONARD, Jordan; CR89-

18; UUPCS, PDPDTX; NEW CHARGES

NAPYER, Steward; CR85-18; CA, RE, A&BDTX; NEW CHARGES; CR154-17; RA, PDPx3, UUPCS DTX; SC/FTC-SP; CR761-17; A&B, H, UUPCS, DC DTX; SC/FTC-BP

SMITH, Emerson; CR90-18; COOCNEW CHARGES

STACONA, Angela; CR728-17; MMWARR; SC/FTA-STA-TUS

WAHNETAH, Kari CR91-18; FI, PDP, UUPCSDTX; NEW CHARGES

WYMAN, Pearl; CR61-18; THx2, FRWARR; SC/FTA-CRIM ARRN.; CR859-17; DC, FI SC/FTC-BP

Criminal arraignments - Feb. 6

BLUEBACK, Lillian; CR832-17: DWS/R LANGNESE, Eric; CR75-18;

A&B; CR76-18; A&B MARCUM, John; CR63-18;

ItPP MULDROW, Marcus; CR478-

17; DWS/R

SCOTT, Samuel; CR62-18; A&B, REx3, CAx2 STEVENS, Jess III; CR39-18;

PDPx2, UUPCS, ES

WHITEFOOT, Mitchell; CR521-17; DWS/R

Bail/bonds - Feb. 8

BOISE, Earl Sr.; CR94-18 FTAFR, FTKRCNEW CHARGES

CASSAWAY, Kristina; CR95-18; UUPCS, PDP DTX; NEW CHARGES; CR825-17; DC, CA DTX; SC/FTC-BP

JACK, Nicole; CR87-18;

DWS/RDTX; NEW CHARGES; CR696-17; UUPCS WARR; DTX; SC/FTC-CSW; CR696-17; UUPCS DTX; SC/FTC-BP

PAYNE, Ariel; CR96-18; HADTX; NEW CHARGES

WAHNETAH, Kari; CR91-18; FI, PDP, UUPCSDTX; NEW CHARGES

Bail/bonds - Feb. 9

CLEMENTS, Coder; CR98-18; FI, OJNEW CHARGES; CR80-16; A&B, H WARR; SC/ FTA-SPR; CR80-16; A&B, H WARR; SC/FTC-SP

CULPUS, William; CR806-17; DWS/R, DUIIWARR; DTX; SC/FTA-WBR: CR806-17: DWS/R, DUII DTX; SC/FTC-WELLBRIETY; CR156-17; DC DTX; SC/FTC-BP

SMITH, Alvis IV; CR99-18; FI, A&B, RA, OJ, CCW, CWWP, DWS/R, DC, UUPCS, PDPDTX; NEW CHARGES; CR457-17; UUPCS, PDP WARR; DTX; SC/ FTA-SC; CR457-17; UUPCS, PDP WARR; DTX; SC/FTC-CSW; CR457-17; UUPCS, PDP WARR; DTX; SC/FTC-BP

Tribes to co-host Eagle Watch 2018

The Confederated Tribes will again co-host Eagle Watch, a tradition that began in 1996.

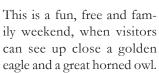
The tribes, Portland General Electric and Oregon Parks and Recreation host the event, coming up the weekend of February 24-25 at the Round Butte Overlook Park.

A highlight each year at Eagle Watch is the Native dance and drum demonstrations by the Quartz Creek Drummers and Dancers, and the Wasco Dancers.

Eagle Watch is a chance to learn about birds of prey.

The Warm Springs Health and Wellness Center Employee Appreciation Committee is having a food drive to benefit the Warm Springs Food Bank at the Presbyterian Church. The community is asked to donate non-perishable food items. There are donation boxes placed in each pod at the clinic. They are taking donations until March 30.

The Thirty-Fifth Annual Traditional Powwow at Heritage High School in Vancouver, Washington is coming up Saturday, March 3. Grand entries are at 1 and 6, with a hand-drum contest during the dinner break.



Visitors can view wild golden and bald eagles, as well as other birds of prey that live at Lake Billy Chinook.

Birds of prey experts will be on hand; so visitors can find out what research is going on in the state, and learn how to make a backyard more inviting to the birds.

There will be the Central Oregon Eagle Watch art contest winners, and kids will

learn how to build a bluebird house or bird feeder.

Lunch is provided by PGE and Earth2O. Any donations support the Madras High School JROTC program.

Indian Fry Bread will be available for sale, plus some great prizes, a silent auction and souvenirs, all proceeds going directly to the Oregon Eagle Foundation.

JR Beaver, Smokey Bear and Larry the Light Bulb will be there on Saturday. Contact information at Erin Bennett, 541-546-3412 ext. 229 - oregonstateparks.org



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