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Mandatory minimum sentencing proposal

Prevention and treatment are on the front line in the battle against illegal drugs and alcohol on the reservation. With prevention and treatment the tribes also enforce drug and alcohol laws on the tribal

The tribes' Justice Team has a draft resolution requiring mandatory minimum sentencing for drug violations of tribal criminal code. Another aspect of the resolution would be exclusion from the reservation of any non-member found in violation of the tribal drug

The Justice Team last week held

the first public meeting on the proposed resolution. The initial response from the public is in favor of the proposal, said Corey Clements, Justice Team member and deputy prosecutor at the Tribal Court.

In fact, community member response has prompted the Justice Team to increase the initially proposed mandatory minimum sentences. Regarding drug violations on the reservation, a paragraph in the original draft reads:

"Tribal Council amends the (tribal criminal code) provision to include a mandatory minimum

sentence of incarceration for offenders convicted of this provision to carry a) minimum 30 day sentence on first conviction; b) minimum 60 day sentence for second; and c) third and subsequent to have a minimum 90 day or more sentence..."

After the first public meeting on the proposal, Ms. Clements said, the Justice Team is suggesting doubling the minimum sentences from 30, 60 and 90 days to 60, 90 and 120

The Justice Team—representing departments of the Public Safety Branch, tribal court, Health and

Human Services, Housing, IHS, elected leaders, management and other community members—will meet again this month to go over the changes to draft resolution.

The team will then meet again in January with the community members on the revised pro-

The Justice Team first began working on the mandatory minimum sentencing resolution at the direction of Tribal Council. Various factors were involved in the Council decision.

See SENTENCING on 2

Council nominations Nominations are coming up for

candidates in the spring 2019 Tribal Council election.

Tribal

Wasco Chief J.R. Smith announced the evening of Wednesday, December 12 for the Agency District nominations.

The meeting will start with dinner at 6 p.m., nominations at 7 at the Agency Longhouse.

The Simnasho and Seekseequa district meetings will also be soon. Specific dates were not yet known at press time for this publication.

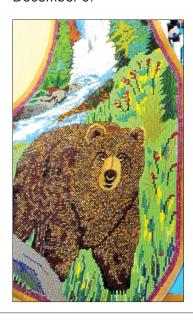
Listen to KWSO 91.9 FM for updates. The nominations will be for the Twenty-Eighth Tribal Council of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs.

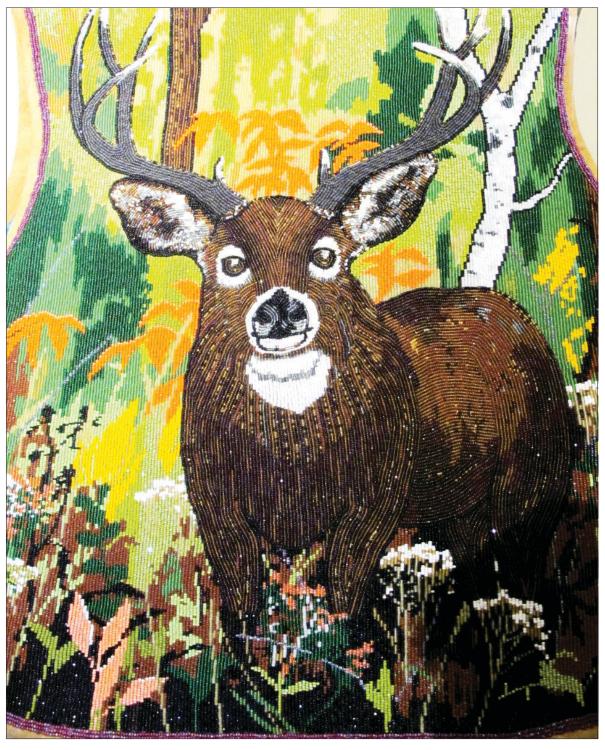
Beaded wonder at show

These images are from the beautiful and amazingly detailed beaded vest by artist Barbara Starr.

The vest—it truly must be seen in person to be believed—won the Judges **Choice Traditional Award** at the 2018 Tribal Member Art Show at the Museum at Warm Springs.

The museum will host the Grand Opening of the 2018 show at 5:30 p.m. this Thursday evening, December 6.





CP Enterprise pursuing new strategy

The Warm Springs Cannabis Project team—CP Enterprise met with tribal members last week regarding a new proposal for a cannabis growing and extraction project. Community response to the presentations was very positive, said Laurie Danzuka, of CP Enterprise and Warm Springs Ventures.

Ventures was scheduled to present the plan and community response at Tribal Council this Tuesday afternoon, December 4 (after print time for this publication).

CP Enterprise and Ventures were seeking a resolution of support from Tribal Council. Funding for the project suggested location is tribes' Schoenhagen property—would then be provided through the Carbon Sequestration program, also a Ventures-Tribal Council endeavor.

The new proposal is scaleddown from the earlier proposal, and does not involve high-THC recreational cannabis, at least not during this first phase. Instead, the focus is on a CBD hemp product, most often used medicinally.

This product is expected to become regulated as a more standard agricultural crop early next year. This would relieve the strict regulation of the high THC recreation cannabis. Shipment across state lines, for instance, would be allowed for CBD hemp product.

Factors that led to the change in approach included the difficulty of finding an outside partner that did not make unreasonable demands—a significant part of revenue, for instance—the tribes would not approve. More recently, the saturation of the recreational cannabis market makes the previous proposal untenable.

Ms. Danzuka and CP Enterprise gave a summary overview of the new proposal. As stated in the overview:

"Due to changes in the market, the project has been downsized to a small start-up."

See CP ENTERPRISE on 2

Ballot mailing planned for baseline referendum

A tribal referendum is set for February of next year, asking tribal members to vote on a change to the how blood quantum is determined for the purposes of automatic enrollment.

Ballots will be going out soon, though a specific date is not yet known. Lynn Davis, tribal Administrative Services director, was an integral part of the tribal election balloting process. Her passing in November has meant that others are working diligently to replace Ms. Davis' invaluable service during tribal elections.

The February referendum will ask specifically: 'Should Resolution 12,157 determining the blood quantum for the purpose of automatic enrollment be approved?'

In April 2016, the Twenty-Sixth Tribal Council adopted Resolution 12,157, changing the rules for determining blood quantum for automatic enrollment.

The change would be the addition of the 1980 census to the list of baseline census years for determining the Confederated Tribes blood quantum.

Warm Springs Enrollment Ordinance 94 outlines the requirements for automatic enrollment and adoption.

Currently, an individual is eligible for automatic enrollment if they have at least one-quarter of Confederated Tribes blood; that is, Warm Springs, Wasco, or Paiute.

Individuals who do not meet the automatic one-quarter blood quantum requirement may get enrolled through the adoption process.

Over the decades, the baseline for determination of blood quantum has been adjusted to 1940 and 1960, with the 2019 referendum suggesting a new baseline of 1980.



Behavioral Health advocate joins Development Council

The Youth Development Council support the state's education system by developing state policy, and administering funding to community and schoolbased youth development programs, services and initiatives.

The goal of the Council is to support educational success, and career and workforce development with a focus on positive youth development.

The newest member of the Oregon Youth Development Council is Andy Leonard, of Warm Springs Behavioral Health.

Mr. Leonard is the ado-



Andy Leonard

lescent after-care specialist, certified recovery mentor, and prevention support specialist at Behavioral Health. He has been with the department for nine years.

Because of its mission, the Youth Development Council truly requires a Native youth advocate among the membership. This became clear earlier this year at a Prevention meeting of the Nine Oregon Tribes.

Mr. Leonard then submitted his application, and was soon asked to join the Council. He took the oath of office November, and his first meeting with the Council will be later this month.

The Oregon Legislature created the Youth Development Council in 2012-13.

The Council's mandate:

To help youth who face barriers to education and the workforce get back on the path to high school graduation, college and a career.

The Council ensures implementation of best practices that are evidence based.

These practices are to be culturally, gender and age appropriate; address individual risk factors, and build upon factors that improve the health and well-being of children and youth.

Tribal best practices are a specific factor. Mr. Leonard's appointment to the Council is a great step toward achieving this mandate.

Continued geothermal energy research near KNT

The geology around Kah-Nee-Ta may support a moderate sized geothermal energy plant.

Warm Springs Power and Water Enterprises for the past few years has successfully pursued two grants that have confirmed this assessment. The grants—through Department of Interior energy exploration programs—have been substantial:

The first in 2014 was for \$340,000, and was used for an initial study of surface features of the area to determine the likelihood of finding a geothermal source.

The second grant last year was for \$760,000 to drill test wells to better research the potential sites.

The results show that an area near near Kah-Nee-Ta could be suitable for a geothermal energy plant of 3 to 5 megawatts, said Jim Manion, Power and Water general manager.

There was discussion last year of using the energy to power the resort, bringing a significant savings on electricity.

Mr. Manion last week updated Tribal Council on the project. He was seeking approval to pursue a third Department of Interior grant to develop a more detailed assessment of the geothermal potential. Council approved the request, asking for updates every couple of months.

CP Enterprises: New approach as market is changing



Dave McMechan/Spilyay

Ventures and CP Enterprise hosted input meetings last week at the Greeley Heights community building.

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"Phase 1 will include the construction of a

the construction of a greenhouse, a 10-acre outdoor (hemp) grow area, and purchase of an extraction machine." Some other points in the summary:

The goal is to develop a 100-percent tribally owned, operated and regulated tribal cannabis cultivation and extraction facility for medical and hemp product.

The proposal says that 10 percent of net profits would be dedicated to tribal member public health, safety and welfare.

Site development: The project will consist of one 2,160 square-foot

greenhouse, a storage container for drying and packaging, a storage container for extraction services, and a modular office space.

What does the change from recreational to hemp production mean? The licensing requirements are not as strict. There are no special banking requirements. Growing hemp is less labor intensive. Security requirements are reduced. Regulation is reduced.

The tribes have their own regulatory body, the Cannabis Commission, that would provide the oversight. Employment: Four full-time positions, plus six seasonal.

Water pipeline project delayed

The Dog River—a clear water tributary of the East Ford Hood River—is within the Ceded Lands of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs.

A few years ago the tribes' Natural Resources Branch re-introduced spring chinook salmon into the Dog River. Maintaining a healthy river—with adequate in-stream flow—is a priority of the tribes.

The Dog River also is a source of domestic water for The Dalles. The Dalles has proposed the construction of a pipeline to replace the current delivery system. The current system is a ditch, a century old, made of wood and leaking.

The proposed new system—on Forest Service land within the Ceded territory—would conserve water. The Confederated Tribes have commented that water saved from leakage should be maintained in-stream, as provided in state law, restoring some flow to the Dog River.

The Dalles applied for \$1 million grant to construct the pipeline. The state last month delayed the funding, setting a final decision for 2019.

Meeting proposed on KNT

Tribal leaders have suggested a community meeting soon on the future of Kah-Nee-Ta Resort.

The tribes have received three proposals from outside investor-partners. Details of the proposals are subject to confidentiality agree-

ments, common business practice under the circumstances.

Kah-Nee-Ta shut down in early September, with the loss of many local jobs. And there is an ongoing cost of keeping the resort secure and maintained during its closure.

Sentencing: factors leading to the policy

(Continued from page 1)

As an example: The Agency Longhouse was found to be contaminated with methamphetamine residue. Decontamination was very expensive. Other departments, and the Housing Authority in particular, contend with meth contamination of buildings.

This led to the formation of the Meth and Opioid Task Force. From the task force, Council requested data regarding the incidence of drug use in criminal cases at Tribal Court.

The conclusion is that an overwhelming number of crimes on the reservation involve illegal drugs or alcohol.

Council then requested a proposal regarding sentencing for drug cases, prompting the work by the Justice Team on the mandatory sentencing guidelines.

This would be similar to the provisions that currently exist for cases of DUII on the reservation, adopted five years ago.

The draft resolution includes a summary of how the mandatory sentencing proposal came about:

"Whereas Tribal Council has already taken active efforts to promote more positive prevention and intervention for health, safety and stability for all drug related issues, specifically methamphetamine on the reservation...

"Whereas Tribal Council identified the need to better support the membership and community through housing, healthcare, reduction of substance abuse and improvement of public and community safety...

"Whereas on April 8, 2018 Tribal Council by motion approved funding to clean up and abate damages to the Agency Longhouse related to methamphetamine contaminations, and....

"Whereas Tribal Council has already implemented mandatory sentencing for offenders who commit violations of... Driving Under the Influence of Intoxicants, and...

"Whereas Tribal Council has identified that all controlled substances defined (in the Tribal Code) are believed to a current and ongoing issue that poses a threat to the health, safety, sustainability and future of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, its members, structures, resources and assets...."

The Council directs the development of mandatory minimum sentencing for illegal drug violations on the reservation.

The state of the s

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas ~ from Warm Springs artist Travis Bobb.

Summary of Tribal Council

December 3, 2018

1. Roll call: Chief Delvis Heath, Chairman Eugene Greene, Jr., Raymond Tsumpti, Valerie Switzler, and Lee Tom. Alfredine Smith, recorder. **2.** Bureau of Indian Affairs update, and Office of Special Trustee update. Realty items. Oregon Department of Transportation memorandum of understanding.

Legislative update conference calls. Tribal attorney update with John Ogan.

3. Meeting is cancelled

due to lack of quorum.

4. Adjournment at 10:13
a.m.

2019 Pageants together

The Miss Warm Springs Pageant and the Lil' Miss Warm Springs Pageant will be held together in 2019.

The pageants will be in March. Candidates who are interested in running for Miss Warm Springs 2019 should have their application in by February 15.

You can download the application online at:

warmsprings-nsn.gov/ program/miss-warm-

Younger candidates interested in the Lil' Miss Pageant can stop by the Community Center and talk with Norene. Or call her at 541-553-3243. Norene can also help if you have questions about the Miss Warm Springs Pageant.

Having the two pageants together will have many benefits to both programs, and the candidates, said Alyssa Macy, Chief Operations Officer.

The Lil' Miss girls will become more familiar with the Miss Warm Springs pro-



Former Miss Warm Springs crows, on display during a Museum at Warm Springs retrospective on Miss Warm Springs.

gram. This will help increase interest and the number of potential candidates for Miss Warm Springs, Ms. Macy

These are some of the guidelines for Miss Warm

Applicants must be between the ages of 18 and 24, or reach the age of 18 before the Pageant. Applicants cannot have been married or cohabitated, or have depen-

dents. The candidate must be alcohol and drug free throughout the duration of her reign.

Candidates must be enrolled members, and residents of the reservation at least one continuous year before participating.

Regarding residency, there are arrangements that can be made for candidates who are attending school away from the reservation.

Car Light Parade & more for holidays

The Christmas Light Parade—the theme this holiday is The Mickey & Friends Car Light Parade—will brighten the evening this Thursday, December 6. Line-up begins around 4 p.m. in front of the former elementary school. The judges will tour the parade entries starting at 5, and the procession begins at 6.

The parade will make its way over to the Community Center for a family evening of Christmas joy. The evening is hosted by Recreation and the Health and Human Services Branch.

The Mickey & Friends Car Light Parade is the start of many holiday events around the reservation. Here are some more of them:

This Saturday, December 8: The Forty-Third Annual Warm Springs Christmas Bazaar will be at the Community Center from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. To reserve a table call 541-553-3243.

Thursday, December 13: Family Craft Night at the Warm Springs Academy.

Friday, December 14: Warm Springs Academy kindergarten-second grade Music Concert at 2:30 p.m.

The Annual NDN

Nite Out social powwow is the evening of Monday, December 17 at the Community Center. The powwow starts at 5. Meanwhile on December 17, Health and Human Services is hosting Christmas gift wrapping at the former elementary school gym. Kids and families can then pick up a present on Tuesday and Wednesday, December

Tuesday-Wednesday, December 18-19: Warm Springs Toy Drive distribution at the Youth Center.

Wednesday, December 19: The Last-Minute Christmas Bazaar from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Community

Wednesday, December 19: Warm Springs Academy Middle School Band Concert at 6 p.m.

Friday, December 21: Warm Springs Academy Third-Fifth Grade Music Concert, 2:30 p.m.

Warm Springs Fire Prevention and Health and Human Services are collecting toys for local families. They are accepting toy donations through December 16. Drop off at the Tribal Administration Building, ECE or at the administration office at IHS.

Gifts will be distributed December 18 and 19. If you would like to help please call 541-553-1146, or 541-615-0143.

Warm Springs Community Calendar

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Thursday, December 6

The Senior Wellness Center is having Senior breakfast this morning at the Senior Wellness Cen-

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.

There is Ichishkin class today from noon to 1 p.m. the museum. Bring your own lunch.

Today there is Functional Fitness class at 10:45 in the Community Center social hall. Volleyball is at noon in the gym; and Insanity class at 12:10 in the Aerobics room. The **open gym** is for men from 6:30-8:50 p.m.

There is **Social Dance** class Thursday at 4 p.m. in the Community Center Aerobics room.

Friday, December 7

There is Senior Fitness at 10:45 this morning at the Senior Center. After class a meal will be provided to participants. Today's menu is: Chicken pasole, dried sweet corn, blue corn chips and fresh fruit.

There is noon hoops at the gym, Functional Fitness class at 12:10 in the Aerobics room; and PIYO class at 12:10 in the clinic atrium.

The Jefferson County Library Community Film Center will have a holiday film party at 7:30 p.m. It will show The Shop Around the Corner - a 1940 romantic comedy starring Margaret Sullivan and James Stewart. The film is free and holiday refreshments will be available. Films are shown in the Rodriguez Annex next to the library in Madras.

Saturday, December 8

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

Sunday, December 9

Warm Springs Christian Fellowship meets this morning at 9:30 at the Senior Center.

The Warm Springs Baptist Church has Sunday School at 10, and Worship Service at 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 non-perishable food or cash

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.

Monday, December 10

It is late start Monday at the Warm Springs Academy. Kids should be at school by 9:35, school starts at 9:45am. Rise & Shine kids can arrive at

There is Senior Fitness class today at 10:45am at the Senior Center. Participants are invited to eat a meal after. Today they are having: turkey pesto sandwiches, cranberry melt with roasted vegetables and fresh fruit.

There is noon hoops at the gym. Functional Fitness class is at 12:10 in the Aerobics room; and PIYO at 12:10 at the atrium. women's open gym is 6-7:50 p.m.

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

Warm Springs Vocational Rehabilitation has orientation today at their office in the Old Boys Dorm. Check in at the Culture and Heritage office. Learn more by calling 541-553-4952.

Victims of Crime Services has a Women's Support group today at the VOCS office, 1108 Wasco Street, behind the Old Boys' Dorm. It's from 3-5 p.m.

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

Tuesday, December 11

There is Functional Fitness class at 10:45 in the Community Center social hall. Volleyball is at noon in the gym; and Insanity class at 12:10 in the Aerobics room. And men's open gym is tonight from 6:30-8:50.

Senior Today's Lunch at noon is minestrone soup, non-fry bread, green salad and fresh fruit. Seniors 60 and older eat for free, 59 and under are \$5 and youth under 13 are \$3 at the Senior Wellness Center.

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

Warm Springs Vocational Rehabilitation has orientation today at 3 p.m. at the Behavioral Health Center. For information call 541-553-4952.

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

There is Ichishkin class today from 5:30-7 p.m. at the Culture and Heritage Building. There is a Wellbriety

Warriors Accepting Recovery meeting this evening from 6:30-8:30 at the Community Center Social Hall. It is open to anyone seeking sobriety and wellness.

Wednesday, December

Senior Fitness class is this morning at 10:45 at the Senior Center. Following class, participants can enjoy a meal. On the menu today: twice baked potatoes, roasted vegetables and fresh fruit. Early Head Start is hav-

ing Group Socialization today from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. in room C3 at ECE. Warm Springs Christian

Fellowship has Bible study at 6 p.m. at the Senior Center.

The Warm Springs **Bap**tist Church has Bible study and Prayer this evening at 6.



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at 541.383.7775. For accommodation because of other disability such as hearing impairment, contact Disability Services at 541.383.7583.

Letters to the editor

Taking smoke detector sign-ups

These are the simple Christmas safety tips from Warm Springs Fire and Safety, Warm Springs Fire Management and Warm Springs Red Cross:

Fire and Safety recommend that you keep your live Christmas tree filled with water to prevent your tree from drying out and catching fire.

Check your Christmas lights for possible exposed wires: This can short out and start a fire. Replace them.

Keep all your doors closed in the inside of your house, so if a fire does break out the fire has no where to go.

Fire Management suggests that you keep the area around the home clean of bushes, trees, twigs—anything that can catch fire.

Both agencies recommend that you keep your chimney cleaned out, because debris from burning wood such as sap can build up on the inside of your chimney, thus causing a fire.

Red Cross is currently taking smoke detector sign-ups to install detectors, if your home does not have any, or if the ones in your home are 10 years or older.

There are smoke detectors for the hard of hearing and blind persons, once the person is given a test to see if he or she qualifies for a special smoke detector. These are free to the person who needs a special detector.

Vincent Simtustus and Bend Red Cross have already installed over 570 units in Warm Springs. This is about 34 percent of Warm Springs homes. Thank you Vincent and Jack from Bend Red Cross for making a difference to our Warm Springs

Taking sign-ups now, our target date to install detectors is December 15, between 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. This is a one-day only service.

If you would like to sign up, please call 541-553-4955; or if you see Vincent or Mushy, ask to be place on the list for a smoke de-

So have a safe and Merry Christmas, and let us try to make your home a little safer with a smoke detector in your home. Thank You.

Rose 'Mushy' Alarcon

Like to hear

My son would like to hear from family and friends. You can write to him at:

Aaron Squally, 13405 Church Kalama Dr. SE,

should be addressed to:

Olympia WA 98513.

Or: Aaron Squally, c/o Nisqually Corrections, 11702 Yelm Highway SE, Olympia WA 98513.

Tina Aguilar

Wedding



Rena Suppah and Aaron Shippentower are pleased to announce their Marriage Ceremony on Monday, December 31, 2018 at 4 p.m. at the HeHe

Longhouse. Please join them for their Wedding Celebration Reception to follow the wedding at the HeHe Longhouse.

For more information call Rena at 541-460-0678 or Inez at 541-300-5409.

Students plan exciting adventure to Tomi City, Japan

Next summer, four students from Madras High School will make a grand journey to the town of Tomi, population about 29,000, located in central Japan.

Kiandra Smith of Warm Springs is a senior at the high school, and will join three classmates—Kimberly Juarez, Katherine Parodi and Elan Rios of Madras for this rare experience.

The chaperone on the trip will be Andrew Smiley, language arts teacher at the Warm Springs Academy middle school.

The June 2019 trip will mark the third year that Madras High School students will visit Tomi, the Sister City of Madras. In turn, students from Tomi visit Madras, as a cultural exchange and learning adventure.

Mr. Smiley joined the Sister City exchange program two years ago, and the trip in June will be his first time visiting Tomi.

The student exchange opportunity is open to juniors and seniors at the



Kiandra Smith with schoolmates Kimberly Juarez, Katherine Parodi and Elan Rios (from left), and teacher-chaperon Andrew Smily.

high school. Last year two students from Warm Springs made the trip to

The June 2019 visit will happen during the Yunomaru Highland Azalea Festival at Tomi. The town in the winter is a ski resort.

In June the ski lift is used as transport to the highland area, which features a volcano crater lake, an excellent view of Mt. Fuji, and the azaleas.

Clearly, the students will have a learning and memorable experience; and toward this goal, for the rest of the school year, the students will be hosting fundraising events to help pay for the their trip.

Meanwhile, the Madras

Sister City group will be looking for more students to make the Tomi, Japan trip in the summer of 2020. You can learn more about the program at their Madras Sister City Facebook page. Or talk with Mr. Smiley. You can reach him at 541-460-0186. Or his email is: asmiley@509j.net

Tribal Council

The following are some of the items on the Tribal Council agenda for the rest of December:

Monday, December 17

9 a.m.: Secretary-Treasurer and Chief Operations Officer update Michele Stacona and Alyssa Macy.

10: January 2019 agenda/ review minutes with Michele.

11: Draft resolutions.

1:30 p.m.: Legislative update calls, federal and state.

2:30: Enrollments with ucille Suppach-Samson of Vital Stats.

3:30: Fund 122 - 2019 budget with Caroline Cruz.

Monday, December 24: Early shutdown at 12 noon. Monday, December 31:

Early shutdown at noon. Items for future consid-

eration: Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians winter convention, January 28-31.

Voc Rehab move

The Vocational Rehabilitation Program office has moved to the old boys' dorm.

Check in at the Culture and Heritage office in the Education building, and they will direct you to the correct office.

Winter shelter

The Jefferson County winter shelter provides a safe cold weather shelter this win-

ter in Madras. The shelter will be open at the First Baptist Church, located on Sixth Street, for December from 6 p.m. to 7 a.m. on especially cold nights. Call 541-325-2478 to find out if the shelter will be open.

At WSCAT

The Warm Springs Community Action Team is offering their Financial Skills for Families course two times in December.

The classes will be from a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturdays: December 15 and December 22 at the Community Action Team office.

To register call 541-553-3148. This course is a requirement for IDA program participants.

> Low Income Home **Energy Assistance** Program funds are available in Warm Springs. Go by the Social Services office at the Commodity Warehouse for an application.

Higher Education

All students can start applying for 2019-20 FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) now with your 2017 tax return. Contact Carroll Dick at Higher Education, 541-553-3311, if you have any questions or need any assistance.

Apply now through March 1 to earn more grants for school. Tribal scholarship recipients are required to apply for at least five other scholarships in addition to the FAFSA. Higher Educa tion has a list you may qualify

For veterans

A Jefferson County Veterans Service Outreach officer is in Warm Springs at the Warm Springs Senior Center on the third Tuesday of each month. In December the Outreach officer will be in Warm Springs on Tuesday, December 18.

Appointments are available for the morning by calling 541-475-5228. Otherwise, the Veteran's Service Officer will be available to answer questions during and after the senior meal that day.

Homefront

Operation Homefront provides veteran and active duty military families with stocking stuffers for military children.

There is a stocking stuffer event on Monday December 24 at the Madras Senior Center at noon.

Advocate

A Jefferson County Victims Assistance advocate comes to Warm Springs on the third Wednesday of every month at the Victims of Crime Services office located at 1108 Wasco Street.

Folks can get help with things like case assistance, paperwork, and other resources. Appointments can also be made for other times. For information call **Ken Clark** at 541-475-4452 or VOCS 553-2293.

Gala, concerts

Saturday, December 8: At the Madras Performing Arts Center, the Fifth Annual Holiday Gala.

Wednesday, December 12: Jefferson County Middle School Band Winter Concert at the Performing Arts Center.

Thursday, December 13: Madras High School Music Department Holiday Concert.

Diversity Coalition

The Let's Talk Diversity Coalition is hosting a Cultural Awareness training class this Thursday, December 6. The training explore how poverty is linked to health disparities and how populations of color become impacted. The session will be from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. in Madras. You can get more information and register online at:

letstalkdiversity.net

Or contact Jesus at 541-475-4292. The registration deadline is November 29.

Great program for youth continues in 2019

Heart of Oregon Youth-Build is recruiting youth ages 16-24 years for our winter 2019 cohort, starting next year on January 21.

> We work primarily with youth who either have dropped out of high school, or are on the verge of being dropped from traditional high school.

> Our YouthBuild members earn their GED, high school diploma, college credit, and job skills. They work on credit recovery while serving their communities through building affordable housing.

> Many Warm Springs youth have participated in and completed YouthBuild, with great and lasting suc-

Members in our program divide their time between classroom, the field—home construction sites-and leadership development.

Through AmeriCorps service at YouthBuild the youth can earn the AmeriCorps Segal Education Award worth \$1,566 towards postsecondary goals.

There is a 12-month commitment to the program, followed by a year of followup services.

We will be hosting information sessions starting on December 11 at Bridges High School in Madras. Later sessions in January will be at our Cloverdale location; and on January 10 at Heart of Oregon's new Prineville Facility.

Mental Toughness-YouthBuild orientation—begins January 21. If you know of any youth who may be interested, and have not been successful in a traditional high school setting, please encourage them to attend.

You must attend one of the information sessions to be considered for the YouthBuild Program.

Please bring a government issued photo ID, birth certificate, and Social Security card to the information session.

For information contact Katie Bauer, program assistant, by replying to this email or call 541-526-1380 to sign up for one of the following information sessions:

· Tuesday, December **11**, 10:30-11:30 a.m., Bridges High School, Ma-

YouthBuild program, Tuesday, January 8, 5-6:30 p.m., 68797 George Cyrus Road, Sisters.

· Thursday, January 10, 5-6:30 p.m., Prineville.

· Tuesday, January 15, 5-6:30 p.m., YouthBuild in

Please reach out to YouthBuild at 541-526-1380. Or katie.bauer@heart oforegon.org

Phone: 541-553-2210 or 541-771-7521 E-Mail: david.mcmechan@wstribes.org. Annual Subscription rates: Within U.S.: \$20.00

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Healing the Orphan's Heart at Ride Out the Storm

Pastor Titus Upham shared Healing the Orphan's Heart—a message of hope, healing and restoration-at the Ride Out the recent Storm conference.

Warm Springs Behavioral Health—through the Health And Promotion Prevention Initiative hosted the conference last week at the Community Center.

Pastor Upham is Certified Alcohol and Drug Counselor, with a degree in Social Work and Human Services. He traveled to the Ride Out the Storm conference from his home in Browning, Montana.

The Pastor shared these key passages from Healing the Orphan's Heart:

There is a spiritual orphanage amongst the People. We search to fill that void in our lives, through alcohol, drugs, relationships, money, gambling, shopping and eating.

In our places of worship we teach our People how to be members, but not how to be children of a Loving Father.

Native American hearts are hardened, because of the way the Gospel was presented to them.

Titus has been assigned to re present the Gospel to Native Americans, because it was presented wrong. He says:

I see orphans in the eyes of our People, especially those locked up.

We feel abandoned, rejected, discarded, no Indian Name, hurt, abused and divorced. We don't belong anywhere. We have become disconnected.

Titus shared the refrigerator

If your electricity gets shut off and your food is not removed from the refrigerator, it will spoil and stink. You can clean the refrigerator out, and throw all the stink food out.



At the conference Patsor Titus Upham shares the message Healing the Orphan's Heart.

But if you put more fresh food in the refrigerator and it's not connected to a power source, the fresh food will go bad, no matter how much you cleaned it out, it will go bad. You have to connect the refrigerator to a power source.

This is the same for us: We cannot keep going to treatment, counseling, shopping, etc., and expect our lives to be good, if we are not connected to a power source.

We don't know the pain others are enduring until we have walked the same path. Connecting spiritually is important to someone who has a history of addiction. We need to help each other find this connection to truly heal.

We need to demonstrate the true love of our Father to the many orphans, and this can be done through each of us. Many reser-

vations, including Warm Springs, have suffered multiple deaths. In a close knit community, one death can affect the whole community.

Sarah Frank, from Behavioral Health, shared this story on the beginning Ride Out the Storm conference:

In 2004 I attended a funeral for an Elder. I heard a lady share her story, and then sang the song Ride Out the Storm.

A vision came to me to have the Ride Out the Storm conference. I didn't know how to coordinate a conference, so I ignored the vision.

Through the years I kept being prompted to do this conference. Then on October 17 I knew it was time to have the con-

ference. Doors opened, I met Pastor Upham, and he agreed to come to Warm Springs.

I met with Living Hope Pastor Brigham Brown, who with his board's support agreed to financially support this event.

Through the planning of the event, my father passed away, so the storm became real and became a part of the birth of this conference.

Other presenters who shared were Kenny Scabby Robe-previous leader of Blacklodge, a well-known Drum Group-and Pastor Leah Smartlowit of the Yakama Reservation. Also: Eanestine Ennick of Tulalip, and local Elder Viola Governor.

Titus Upham, Kenny and Louise Scabby Robe, and Pastor Leah also went into the tribal jail on December 1 to share with four separate groups.

We thank the many participants and supporters of this event: Warm Springs Police Department and Corrections, the Living Hope Christian Center, Warm Springs Meth and Opiate Work Group, the Hurtado Family, Edna Tufti family, the Warm Springs Baptist Church, Easton Aguilar, Ralph Aguilar, Warm Springs Recreation, and the Warm Springs Jail Ministry Group.

In 1975, Billy Graham gave a speech to Native American Leaders: "You are the sleeping giant, the original Americans. You are now awakening. Just around the corner, you may become a spiritual super power in this country that could change not only America, but the world."

The Ride Out the Storm conference was a first-time event, and definitely a learning process.

We hope to have other events similar to this, and I would appreciate feedback from all participants with hopes of planning future successful events!

— Sarah J. Frank



Tomo Numu

Numu (Paiute)

Tribes, university collaborating on tribal higher education

The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs and the University of Idaho have signed an agreement to collaborate on improved education opportunities for Native American Students.

Tribal Council met in November with university representatives and, after discussion, the parties agreed to work together on the program.

The agreement calls for the tribes to advise the university and President Chuck Staben on educational and service issues aimed at bolstering university-tribal relations. The university has similar agreements with other tribes in the region.

"This latest agreement will build upon the university's strong relationship with the region's tribal nations, and will help promote collaborations among Native students, tribes and the university," said Yolanda Bisbee, the school's chief diversity officer and executive director of tribal relations.

"We look forward to working with the Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation to further promote these efforts."

The university first entered into a tribal agreement in 2007, starting with the Coeur d'Alene Tribe. Other tribes to agree are the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation, the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Res-

ervation, the Kalispel Tribe of Indians, the Kootenai Tribe of Idaho, the Nez Perce Tribe, the Shoshone-Bannock Tribes, the Shoshone-Paiute Tribes of the Duck Valley Indian Reservation and the Spokane Tribe of Indians. The Confederated Tribes and Bands of the Yakama Nation became the tenth signatory in 2015, and the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs are now the eleventh tribe.

As outlined in the agreement, the university president's Native American Advisory Council meets twice a year to discuss issues related to Indian education, economic development, natural resources and other areas of interest to the tribes.

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December Opening at Art Adventure Gallery

John Scheideman, Sharon Bean Pat Dinsmoor Edward Heath

Dec. 6th 5:30-7pm





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Opening wins in 2018-19 season



The Madras High School varsity boys basketball team started the season with a win on the road against Hidden Valley. The boys then went into a home game this Tuesday

evening (after press time) with a 1-1 record. hosting rival Crook County. In the game against Sisters last week, senior Byron Patt had 20 points, and Donnie Bagley added 11.

Youth hoops in December

Warm Springs Recreation will host the Cougars All Indian 10-and-Under Coed, and 12-and-Under Coed basketball tournaments Friday-Sunday, December 14-16 at the Community Center. There are awards in both divisions:

Ten Championship hoodies. Ten runner-up crew necks. Finalist Ts for third- and fourth place. Plus All-Tourney All Stars. All players are asked to bring proper identification prior to participation (see flyer below for details).

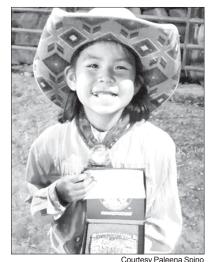
Riding at Rodeo Finals

Siddalee Spino-Suppah and family traveled this week to Las Vegas for the Junior Finals Rodeo. Siddalee is competing in PeeWee Bareback, as she is the 2018 West Coast Regional Finals champion in this rodeo category.

The Junior Finals will be this Thursday, December 6.

Siddalee drove down with her aunt Paleena Spino, her siblings and the whole family.

This is Siddalee's first Rodeo Finals, and Las Vegas is also be the farthest she has ever traveled from home. Warm Springs wishes her the best of luck in the Finals!



Siddalee this summer with the Regional Finals buckle for PeeWee Bareback.

The Madras White Buffalos varsity girls opened the season with a win on the road against Astoria. They played their third game of the year this Tuesday evening (after press time) at rival Crook County. Like the boys varsity team, the girls were 1-1 as they went into the game against Cowboys.

Raffle for Trailblazers-Warriors

The Portland to Coast Team is holding a raffle with the grand prize being tickets to the Portland Trailblazers - Golden State Warriors game on December 29.

Tickets are 3 each or two

for \$50. The drawing will be on Christmas Eve (need not be present to win). Please see the following for tickets:

Val Squiemphen, Liz Smith, Bucky Smith-Cochran, Elfreda Gentry or Jessi Hatlestad.

At COCC

The Central Oregon Veterans Center has been named for the oldest living Medal of Honor recipient.

With the designation COCC is now an officially designated Medal of Honor College. The Veterans Center is named for Robert Maxwell, former faculty member in the college's automotive technology program.

Grand Reopening

COCC is holding a grand reopening of its recently remodeled Cascades Hall building—formerly home to OSU-Cascades—from 4-5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, December 12 on the Bend campus. The community is invited, and the event is free. There will be live music, food from COCC's culinary department, and a host of program tours and presentations.

In Academy, MHS sports...

These are some of the winter sports activities coming up at the Warm Springs Academy and Madras High School:

Thursday, December 6: Warm Springs Academy boys basketball at home against Sisters. Tipoff at 3:30.

Friday, December 7: Madras High School wrestlers compete at a meet in Culver starting at 2.

Boys varsity basketball is hosting the White Buffalo Classic beginning this evening at 7.

Monday, December 10: Warm Springs Academy boys basketball are at Elton Gregory Middle School in Redmond. Game time at 4:30.

Tuesday, December 11: The

Madras High School boys basketball teams have games at Bend High. Wrestlers are headed to a meet in North Marion.

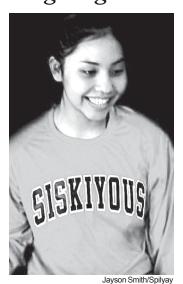
Girls freshman, JV and varsity basketball have home games today against Bend.

Listen to KWSO 91.9 FM for Madras High School basketball Tuesday, December 11. Tip-off is at 7 p.m. You can also listen online at kwso.org.

The Madras Aquatic Center Recreation District is taking registration for youth basketball for kids in grades 1-6. The registration deadline is December 16. For more information and registration, go to macrecdistrict.com

Scholarship applications for activities are also available online.

Eagles guard



Lynden Harry has been averaging 15.5 points a game and 11.5 assists through her first college basketball games. Lynden, a 2018 graduate of Madras High School, is now the freshman guard playing for the College of Siskiyous Eagles in California.

Warm Springs Cougars All Indian

10 & Under Coed



Basketball Tournament

December 14-16, 2018 Warm Springs Community Center

> 2200 Hollywood Blvd Warm Springs, Or. 97761

Open to the first 6 teams per division **Entry Fee: \$150 (both divisions)**



Awards: Both Divisions 10-Championship Hoodies 10-Runner Up Crew Necks Finalist T's for 3rd & 4th Place **All Tourney All-Stars**



All players will be asked for Proper Identification (ID) prior to participation in the 1st scheduled game.

Contact:

Austin Greene, Tourney Director 541-553-1953 (home) or 3243 (message) austin.greene@wstribes.org

Fish platform decision draws opposition

The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs—and other treaty tribes of the region—oppose a state decision regarding a fishing platform at Willamette Falls.

The Yakama Nation and Confederated Tribes of Umatilla join Warm Springs in opposing the state approval of the Grand Ronde fishing platform at the falls.

The Grand Ronde have no treaty fishing rights. Yet, "Every time they gain back some sort of recognition—like getting permis-

sion from the state for this platform—it creates a reality that they have certain rights," said Louie Pitt, Warm Springs' director of Governmental Affairs.

Earlier this fall Oregon Department of State Lands director Vicki Walker approved the Grand Ronde plan to build the scaffold, made of metal and concrete.

The state gave the approval without consultation with the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs. In a letter to the state, Warm

Springs tribal attorney John Ogan

"The Warm Springs Tribes are extremely disappointed by the conduct of the state for their inexplicable departure from governmentto-government consultation procedures"

After the treaty tribes voiced their opposition, the state reconsidered the decision; and then in late November re-affirmed the approval.

A native perspective on climate change

Jeremy FiveCrows, a spokesman for the Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission, remembers fishermen pulling sockeye from the Columbia River—fish that were infested with a strange white fungus.

As he walked the banks of the river in 2015 near Celilo, the banks were choked with dead sockeye. "We would see whole schools congregating in cold-water refuge areas," Mr. FiveCrows said. "But they were trapped there."

It's not just the fish, either. First foods—vital resources the tribes of the Pacific Northwest have relied upon for centuries—have been changing as well. Root harvests come earlier. The elevations at which huckleberries grow has been

climbing.

"We've been witnessing climate change effects a lot longer than most people have been aware," Jeremy says. "Being so connected to the land, it's made us much more aware of the changes that have been invisible to a lot of people."

Indigenous knowledge systems can play a role in advancing understanding of climate change, and in developing more comprehensive climate adaptation strategies. This knowledge is valuable in part because a focus is on understanding relationships of interdependency, relying on multi-generational knowledge of ecosystem phenology—the study of cyclic and seasonal natural phenomena—and ecological shifts.

Indigenous adaptation planning, including considerations of issues such as flooding and water rights, benefits from a greater focus on participatory planning in natural resource management.

This planning incorporates local knowledge and values from conception through implementation in ways that ensure the protection of indigenous knowledges, and indigenous peoples' rights not to share sensitive information. In this way, traditional ways of knowing are contributing to sustainable land management practices under changing environmental conditions.

The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, through the Natural Resources Branch, has completed many

Tribal housing at river going forward

The tribal housing project at the Columbia River has resumed.

The decision by the federal government comes after more than a year of delay.

The obligation to build the housing dates back more than 80 years, when tribal housing was flooded by dams on the Columbia.

The Oregon and Washington Congressional delegation sponsored the bill that would provide the funding for the housing. This was done with support from the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, Yakama Nation, Umatilla and Nez Perce.

The Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission has been another advocate.

With the funding in place, the Corps of Engineers can plan the housing construction. At that point funding would be needed for the actual construction.

Meanwhile, a separate bill is proposed that would fix the ex-

isting 31 fishing sites on the Columbia. The sites are maintained and operated by the Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission, which took on the task because no one else was doing it. The fish commission largely focuses on salmon restoration and managing tribal fishing on the Columbia River.

The money to maintain the sites is quickly running out because it was created with estimates that undercounted how many people would use the sites

The Columbia River In-Lieu and Treaty Fishing Access Sites Improvement Act would allow the U.S. Bureau of Indian Affairs to evaluate what improvements are needed at the sites and how much money it would take to bring them up to a safe, sanitary standard.

The bill has already passed out of the Senate and is with the House, awaiting a vote. From there, it would go to President Trump for approval.

Report critical of federal prosecution rate

In 2017 the U.S. Department of Justice declined to prosecute more than a third of cases referred to them in Indian Country.

A recent report reveals that U.S. attorneys' offices left 37 percent

of referred cases from Indian Country unprosecuted in 2017.

Federal crime data has long suggested that Indian reservations have higher rates of violent crime than the national average, especially when it comes to violence against women.

Of the cases that went unprosecuted, over a quarter were allegations of sexual assault against children and adults.

Native woman missing in Wash. after going to casino two months ago

Rosenda Strong, a member of the Confederated Tribes of the Umatilla Indian Reservation, has been missing for almost two months in Washington state.

Strong, a 31-year-old mother of four, went to the Legends Casino on the Yakama Nation on October 2. She hasn't been seen by family since.

"Bring her home! That's all

anybody ever wants," Roxanne White, an advocate for missing and murdered Native women and girls, said at a prayer walk and vigil for Strong on the reservation.

A new law in Washington requires the state to identify Native women who have gone missing. A report is due June 1, 2019, in hopes of addressing what advocates have called an epidemic.

A Year in Review ~ 2018 ~

January

The year began with the crowning of Miss Warm Springs 2018 Thyreicia Stimtustus.

The Miss Warm Springs Pageant was a part of Thyreicia's busy schedule. She goes to college in Bend two days a week, studying to become a professional helicopter pilot, and was working in Prineville on the other weekdays.

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 is a 2017 graduate of Madras High School. Thyreicia now goes to Central Oregon Community College, where she studies in the COCC Aviation program, focusing on commercial helicopter piloting.

Thyreicia became the Forty-Second Miss Warm Springs. As an ambassador of the Confederated Tribes, she represents Warm Springs at powwows and other community events. In other news from January 2018:

The New Year saw job fairs hosted by the **Plateau Travel Plaza and Indian Head Casino**. Jobs are available at the casino, and soon will be open at the Travel Plaza, set to open in early spring. Elsewhere this month:

The school district 509-J is en-



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

gaging Warm Springs families in developing Impact Aid Indian Policies and Procedures. The district conducted a survey about the draft policies and procedures. Results were shared in early January with the Warm Springs community. And this:

Tribal Council began the year with enterprise updates—including

the latest on Kah-Nee-Ta Resort. Elsewhere:

One of the memorable activities at the **Winter Prevention Camp** was the building of a natural fire, using only sticks and a bow strung with parachute chord. From Warm Springs, Silas Howtopat was able to get the fire going.

"You have to have a positive mind set and a good heart to accomplish that," said Scott Kalama at Prevention.

A remote camera set up in the forest and monitored by the tribal Branch of Natural Resources shows **two wolves on the Warm Springs Reservation**.

This is the first time multiple wolves have been confirmed in the northern portion of the Oregon Cascade Mountains, since the animals returned in the late 2000s. Confirmation of multiple wolves together is significant.

There have been many reported sightings over the years of single wolves in the region. A single wolf traveling alone could indicate the animal is moving through the area, looking for a more permanent territory

More than one wolf—a pair or pack—could indicate the animals are living in the region more permanently, and possibly breeding,.



Member Art Show



Doll by Sandra Danzuka, Honorable Mention Award.

2018 Tribal Member Art Show Grand Opening is at 5:30 p.m. this Thursday, December 6 at the Museum at Warm Springs.



Quilt by Mane Knight ~ Judges Choice Award - Contemporary.

Photos courtesy the Museum at Warm Springs

Year in Review ~ 2018 ~

(Continued from 7)

February

In a disturbing development, the **Agency Longhouse** has been contaminated by methamphetamine. As a result, the longhouse will be closed at least into March.

Executive Management closed the longhouse after at least two areas inside the building tested positive for the presence of meth residue. Additional areas were tested, including kitchen area, and results were positive.

The level of contamination indicates that the person or people had been using the drug in the longhouse for some time. Cost of clean-up is expected to exceed \$100,000. Elsewhere this month:

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

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

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. Another recent improvement at the facility is the development of lamprey passage. In other news from February:

Both the Madras White Buffalos varsity boys and girls **basket-ball** teams have post-season games in the next few days.

March

These are busy days at the **Plateau Travel Plaza**—busy and exciting as the 70 employees are getting ready for the opening.

The employees are running through all facets of the operation—from the kitchen and dining area, to the convenience store, fuel stations, gaming area, security, maintenance and more. Grand Opening is set for March. Elsewhere:

The **Warm Springs baseball fields** are in need of extensive renovation. And once this work is done, the new fields will need ongoing maintenance. Young players,

and adult softball teams, require this amenity here in Warm Springs.

Tribal executive management and community development announced a detailed plan that would accomplish the goal, bringing the fields up to a highest quality standard.

As the health of tribal youth is a community priority, the Tribal Council by resolution this month endorsed the plan.

The endorsement allows management and community development—with Warm Springs Recreation as project sponsor—to pursue the necessary funding for the work, which will extensive.

One immediate source of funding—one prompting the recent Council resolution—could be the Oregon Parks and Recreation. The Parks and Recreation grant would be in addition to the tribal match, and other potential sources.

The Council resolution states the need for action to restore the fields, noting: "The existing 41year-old ball fields complex is due for extensive renovation and redevelopment..." In other March 2018 news:

Twenty-five years ago this month the tribes celebrated the opening of **the Museum at Warm Springs.** That spring saw the realization of a vision—a museum preserving and honoring the tribal history, culture and traditions—first conceived in the 1960s.

Some ensuing milestones were Tribal Council approval of the charter, and membership approval of the referendum. To celebrate these first 25

To celebrate these first 25 years—the Silver Anniversary—the Museum at Warm Springs is hosting a powwow, and the opening of a new exhibit.

The new exhibit is *Twanat—Celebrate Our Legacy*.

There are commemorative gifts, door prizes and refreshments. Miss Warm Springs was be on hand.

The new exhibit is a celebration of the tribal culture and the museum. Items on display are rarely seen items from the Museum at Warm Springs Permanent Collection.

(Review continues in the next Spilyay.)





Employment

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 **Finance**

Administrative Spe-

cialist/CSR - Contact Todd Stum 541-553-3275.

Governmental Affairs
Community and Economic Development
Planner - Louie Pitt
541-615-0140.

Health and Human Services Certified Recovery

Mentor - Misty Kopplin 541-553-3205.

Substance Abuse Treatment Specialist - Darryl Scott 541- 553- 3205.

Children's Mental Health Specialist - Darryl.

Children's Protective Services - Protective Care Provider -Reona Trimble 541-553-3209.

Recreation - Sports Athletic II - Austin Greene 541-553-3243.

Coordinator - Austin.

Recreation - Limited

Duration Bus Driver -

Recreation - Fitness

Austin.
Community Health
Services - Maternal
Child Health Nurse Katie Russell 541-553-

2460. Medical Social Worker - Katie.

Public Utilities

Tribal Court

Custodian II - Soloman Stewart 541-553-3246.

Public Satety Branch Corrections Officer - Ron Gregory 541-553-3272.

Deputy Juvenile Clerk - Eliah Sorrelhorse 541-553-3278.

Indian Head Casino
Lead revenue auditor - Contact Roy
Evans 541-460-7777.

ber - William

Wason541-460-7777 ext. 7740.

Maintenance/custodian - Rod Durfee 541-460-7777 ext. 7722.

Slot keyperson (two positions) - Kyle or Jason 541-460-7777 ext. 7724.

Tule Grill cook (part time) - Alex Manzano or Heather Cody 541-460-7777 ext. 7725 / 7710.

Coffee stations attendant - Heather.

Cage supervisor.
Main bank cashier
(two positions) - Wyval
Rosamilia 541-4607777 ext. 7731

Cage cashier -Wyval.

Security officer (two positions) - Tim Kerr 541-460-7777 ext. 7749.

IT supoprt technician - James Welden 541-460-7777 ext. 7747 Guest services op-

erator - Naomi Shy 541-460-7777 ext. 7734 Players Club host -Naomi.

Plateau Travel
Dishwasher - Esten
Culpus 541-777-2817.
Host/server (part

In the Tribal Court of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs

Please note: All hearings are conducted at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.

Exclusion order

The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, plaintiff, vs. Asha Russo, dob 06/16/1971, defendant. Case CV81-18; WSPD no. 1801653:

It is hereby ordered and adjudged that the defendant is excluded permanently from the Warm Springs Indian Reservation. Compliance is enforced with the contempt power of the Tribal Court. So ordered.

CTWS, Petitioner, vs OLIVIA GEORGE, RE-SPONDENT; Case No. JV68-13. TO: OLIVIA GEORGE, NELLIE TANEWASHA, CPS & JV PROSECUTION:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that AS-SISTED GUARDIAN-SHIP 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 7TH day of JANUARY 2019 @ 9:00 AM

KARLA BAGLEY-TIAS, Petitioner, vs JUS-TIN GREENE, RE-SPONDENT; Case No. DO53-11; DO40-16. TO: JUSTIN GREENE:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an MODIFICATION 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 11TH day of December, 2018 @ 11:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs MANDY SWITZLER, B E N J A M I N HOLLIDAY, RESPON-DENT; Case No. JV25-13. TO: MANDY SWITZLER, BEN-JAMIN HOLLIDAY, CPS & JV PROSECUTOR:

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CTWS, Petitioner, vs C O L L E E N SANDOVAL, ARMENIA SARABIA, RESPON-DENT; Case No. JV3;402. TO: COLLEEN SANDOVAL, ARMENIA SARABIA, CPS & JV PROSECUTION:

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C H A R L Y N N E SPINO SUPPAH, Petitioner, vs ULYSSES SUPPAH SR., RESPON-DENT; Case No. DO38-18. TO: CHARLYNNE SPINO SUPPAH/ ULYSSES SUPPAH SR.:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a FILIA-TION 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 3RD day of January, 2019 @ 9:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs TREVOR TEWEE, RE-SPONDENT; Case No. JV98-18; JV116-16. TO: TREVOR TEWEE, URSELA RUSSELL, CPS & JV PROSECUTION:

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CTWS, Petitioner, vs GRACIA DESROSES, RESPONDENT; Case No. JV74;78-17. TO: GRACIA DESROSES:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an CUSTODY 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 9TH day of JANUARY, 2019 @ 4:00 PM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs MATTHEW ARTHUR, RESPONDENT; Case No. JV142-16; JV143-16. TO: MATTHEW ARTHUR, TAMARA YALLUP, CPS & JV PROSECUTION:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that CUS-TODY 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 9TH day of JANUARY 2019 @ 9:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs L O R E E N STORMBRINGER, Respondent; Case No. JV90-17. TO: LOREEN STORMBRINGER, JV PROS, CPS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a PER-MANENCY 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 10th day of JANU-ARY, 2019 @ 3:00 PM

YVETTE BRUNOE,
Petitioner, vs CHARLES
TAILFEATHERS JR.,
Respondent; Case No.
DO114-18. TO:
YVETTE BRUNOE,
C H A R L E S
TAILFEATHERS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a FILITATION 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 JANUARY, 2019 @ 10:30 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs N O R A L I S E T T E MCKINLEY, Respondent; Case No. JV105-10; JV25-12. TO: N O R A L I S E T T E MCKINLEY, AARON EAGLESPEAKER, JV PROS, CPS, P&P:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a PER-MANENCY 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 10th day of JANU-ARY, 2019 @ 10:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs L O R E E N STORMBRINGER, Respondent; Case No. JV80-16. TO: LOREEN STORMBRINGER, JV PROS, CPS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a PER-MANENCY 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 10th day of JANU-ARY, 2019 @ 4:00 PM

JESSIE ARTHUR,

Petitioner, vs TAYLOR ARTHUR SR., Respondent; Case No. JV180-04. TO: JESSIE ARTHUR, TAYLOR ARTHUR SR.:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a DISSO-LUTION OF MARRIAGE 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 16TH day of JANU-ARY, 2019 @ 4:00 PM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs ALICIA YAZZIE, Respondent. TO: ALICIA YAZZIE, GARRETT SUPPAH JR, DEECE SUPPAH, JV PROS, CPS; Case No. JV2212, JV23-12:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a ASSISTED GUARDIAN-SHIP REVIEW 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 23RD day of JANUARY, 2019 @ 4:00 PM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs JESSICA TUFTI-JIM, Respondent; Case No. JV38-18. TO: JESSICA TUFTI-JIM, JV PROS, CPS, P&P:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a CUSTODY REVIEW 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 24TH day of JANUARY, 2019 @ 9:00 AM

CAROL/DANIEL
LAWRENCE, Petitioner,
vs ARNETTA SALUDO,
Respondent; Case No.
DO137-18. TO:
ARNETTA SALUDO,
CAROL & DANIEL
LAWRENCE:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a CHILD SUPPORT 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 16TH day of JANUARY, 2019 @ 11:00 AM

CAROL/DANIEL
LAWRENCE, Petitioner,
vs ARNETTA SALUDO,
Respondent; Case No.
DO136-18. TO:
ARNETTA SALUDO,
CAROL & DANIEL
LAWRENCE:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a CHILD SUPPORT 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 16TH day of JANUARY, 2019 @ 10:00 AM

R O S E M A R Y ALARCON, Petitioner, vs ALYSSA ARCHER, Respondent; Case No. DO146-18. TO: ROSEMARY ALARCON, ALYSSA ARCHER:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a CON-SERVATOR GUARDIAN-SHIP 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 24TH of day of JANUARY, 2019 @ 4:00 PM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs
N O R A L I S E T T E
MCKINLEY, Respondent; Case No. JV105-10;
JV25-12. TO:
N O R A L I S E T T E
MCKINLEY, AARON
EAGLESPEAKER, JV
PROS, CPS, P&P:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a PERMANENCY 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 10th day of JANUARY, 2019 @ 10:00 AM

ALBERT KALAMA SR, Petitioner, vs STUART SMITH SR., Respondent; Case No. JV140-04. TO: ALBERT KALAMA SR., STUART SMITH SR.:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a CON-SERVATOR GUARDIAN-SHIP 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 JANUARY, 2019 @ 3:00 PM

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

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a CUSTODY REVIEW 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 13th day of FEBRUARY, 2019 @ 9:00A AM

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In the matter of the estate of Danelle S. Tailfeathers, W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate no. 2018-PR30. To Kelsey Haywahe, Garyson Johnson, Autumn Johnson, Nancy Tailfeathers:

You are hereby notified that an informal probate hearing is scheduled for January 7, 2019 at 11 a.m.

In the matter of the estate of Deborah Scott (Brown), W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate no. 2017-PR07. To Vera Pili, Amanda smith, Roland Kalama III:

You are hereby notified that an informal probate hearing is scheduled for **December 10, 2018 at 11:30 a.m.**

In the matter of the estate of Alvagene A. Charlie, W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate no. 2018-PR19. Notice is hereby given that Alvagene Charlie, who at the time of her death last known residence was 2633 Juniper St., Warm Springs, OR, died on the 8th day of July, 2018, and the court has appointed Valerie Squiemphen as public administrator.

In the matter of the estate of Edmond O. Kalama, W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate no. 2018-PR05. Notice is hereby given that Edmond O. Kalama, who at the time of his death last known residence was unknown, Warm Springs, OR, died on March 22, 2018k, and the court has appointed Valerie Squiemphen as public administrator.

In the matter of the estate of Deanna D. Williams, W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate no. 2018-PR28. Notice is hereby given that Deanna D. Williams, who at the time of her death last known residence was 2528 Looksh St., Warm Springs, OR, died on the 10th day of August, 2018, and the court has appointed Valerie Squiemphen as public administrator.

In the matter of the estate of Bruce P. Brunoe Sr., W.S., U/A, deceased. Estate no. 2012-PR13. Notice is hereby given that Bruce P. Brunoe Sr., who at the time of his death last known residence was 1732 SE Dussault Rd., Madras, OR, died on the 28th day of July, 2012, and the court has appointed Robert Brunoe as public administrator.



Seals and sea lions 'out of control'

For the first time in decades, a small-scale seal hunt is taking place on Canada's West Coast—all in the hopes that it leads to the establishment of a commercial industry to help control booming seal and sea lion populations and protect the region's fish stocks.

In early November, a group called the Pacific Balance Pinnipeds Society started using First Nations hunting rights as part of a plan to harvest 30 seals.

The society plans to test the meat and blubber to see if it's fit for human consumption and other uses.

"We can look at opening up harvesting and starting a new industry," said Tom Sewid, the society's director, member of the Kwakwaka'wakw group of Indigenous peoples, and a commercial fisherman. "Since

the [West Coast] seal cull ended in the 1970s, the population has exploded."



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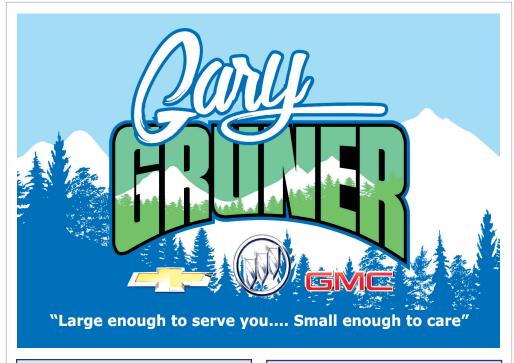


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