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# Lincoln's at Simnasho in February

The Lincoln's Powwow returns to Simasho early next month, Friday through Sunday, February 7-9. The grand entries will be Friday evening at seven o'clock, Saturday afternoon at one, and Sunday at 1:30.

The categories of competition are Tiny Tots (paid daily), Junior Boys and Junior Girls, ages 7-12; Teen Boys and Teen Girls, 13-17 years; Adult Men and Adult Women, 18-59 years; and Golden Age Men and Women, 60-and-up. The master of ceremonies is Carlos Calica. Specials include:

Sweethearts Specials with Valentine's Day themed prizes. The Carol Craig Kuthla Special, for ages 60 years and older. First-place wins \$800 and a Pendleton coat; second is \$500 and a Pendleton shawl; and third, \$300 and a Pendleton bag. Other Specials to be announced (updated on the Lincoln's Powwow Facebook page).

First-place in the Drum Contest wins for \$3,000; second-place, \$2,000; and third, \$1,000.

Vending spots are first-paid, firstserve basis. The vendor contact is Sandra Greene. Email:

sandra195977@gmail.com A reminder from the powwow committee: No walking sales, and no parking lot sales.

For powwow information, contact Austin Greene at 541-553-3243. Or contact Margie Tuckta: margie.tuckta@gmail.com

Lincoln's Powwow is a drug- and

alcohol-free event.

The 2025 Miss Warm Springs Crown and Sash are ready for this year's Pageant, and the 2025 Miss Warm Springs. Laura Slockish McConville made the crown (right) with her very beautiful beadwork. And Kelly Moody made the sash, also of great beauty. Currently, Kahmussa Green has been a great cultural ambassador for tribes, as the 2024 Miss Warm Springs. Interested candidates who would like to participate are asked to have a good cultural understanding of the tribes, in areas such as history, traditional foods and ceremonies, and the candidate's own respective tribal ceremonies. Any young woman 18 to 24 who is interested in



becoming the 2025 Miss Warm Springs, please contact the Tribal Council office, and talk with Minnie or Sandra. Their emails are: minnie.yahtin@wstribes.org sandra.danzuka@wstribes.org Historically regarding the Pageant: The Miss Warm Springs tradition started during the One Hundred Year Anniversary celebration of the Treaty of 1855. Atwai Kathleen Heath was chosen for the role, and is the first Miss Warm Springs. The tribes then held the first Miss Warm Springs Pageant in 1969, about the time of the first Pi-Ume-Sha. In the 1969 Pageant, atwai Dorothy 'Pebbles' George was selected as Miss Warm Springs. Since that time, the Pageant has happened annually with few exceptions.

### Districts choose Tribal Council nominees

The three districts of the Confederated Tribes have chosen their nominees for the Thirtieth Tribal Council.

About 75 people attended the Agency District nomination meeting, and there were 13 nominations. The nominees are:

Alvis Smith III, nominated by Mona Smith Cochrane and Tracy Graybael.

Davis Sohappy Sr., nominated by Lola Sohappy and Angelena Smith.

Ladonna Picard Squiemphen, nominated by Marcelina Picard and Raynele Palmer.

Theo Perez, nominated by Eldred Smith Sr. and George Picard Jr.

Ryan Smith Sr., nominated by Lepha Marie Smith and Regan Smith Morales.

Jonathan W. Smith Sr., nominated by Danni Katchia and Naomi

Caroline Cruz, nominated by Jackie Minson and Rosemary

Marcia Soliz, nominated by Toni Made and Frank Smith.

James Halliday, nominated by James Greeley and Speakthunder

Speakthunder Berry, nominated by Michael Speakthunder and Aus-

Cyrille Mitchell, nominated by MartiRae Ramsey and Robinson

Dennis White III, nominated by Angie Stacona and Marcie Foltz.

James Manion, nominated by

Danielle Wood and Jeanea Frye. About 50 people attended the Simnasho District nomination meet-

ing, and there were seven nominations. The nominees are: Carlos Calica, nominated by

Judy Charley and Reneva Dowty. Levi Van Pelt, nominated by Eliza Jim and Marella Sam.

Raymond Tsumpti Sr., nominated by CR Begay and Judy Char-

Taw Foltz, nominated by Tia Cree and Vanessa Knight Crane. Raymond Moody, nominated by Tamera Coffee and Raneva Dowty. Daniel Gilbert and Tamera Coffee. Oueida Colwash Jimenez, nomi-

nated by Reneva Dowty and Charlene Moody. About 40 people showed up for

the Seekseequa District nomination meeting, and there were five nominees. They are:

Marjorie Kalama, nominated by Julie Quaid.

Ruben Henry, nominated by Leah Henry. Wilson Wewa, nominated by

Faye Hurtado. Brigette McConville, nominated

by Shanna Johnson. Rosie Tom, nominated by

Shirley Allen.

**ELECTION** continues on 2

### **Basketball** tournament celebrating 59th year

The Fifty-Ninth Annual Warm Springs All Indian Men's Holiday Tournament starts this Thursday, January 23, and runs through Sunday, January 26 at the Community Center gymnasium.

The tournament is an all-Indian competition meaning players are asked to bring their proof of Native American descent. The proof can be an official CIB, or a tribal enrollment card (only if ques-

Players who can't prove certificate of Indian blood, or official tribal affiliation, will not play, if protested. High school age players are not eligible to participate in this tournament.

The game will be a double-elimination 12 team-18 game bracket.

If you have any questions, please contact the tournament director Austin Greene at 541-553-3243.

Lincoln Suppah, nominated by Mitchell.

\$2.5 million for electric vehicle charging stations

The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs will receive more than \$2.5 million to add 18 new electric vehicle charging stations: Ten of the stations will be on the reservation, and eight will be at the Plateau Travel Plaza.

There are also two EV charging ports currently operating at Indian Head Casino, available 24 hours.

Regarding the new stations, the recent investment from the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law of 2022 will improve the overall reliability and accessibility of charging infrastructure.

Also notably, every 24 hours on average close to 10,000 vehicles pass through Warm Springs on Highway 26. The new charging stations on the reservation would also add to the EV infrastructure for the tribal community.

"The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs expresses our gratitude for the Federal Highway Administration's award of



An EV charging station at

Indian Head Casino.

\$2.6 million in funds that will allow for the construction and maintenance of electric vehicle charging stations on our lands," said Jonathan Smith Sr., Tribal Council

Chairman.

"We appreciate that this grant supports our sovereign interests by allowing our government to control pricing and benefit from the generated revenue at the charging stations," Chairman Smith said.

"It falls in line with our longterm vision to take care of the Creator's gifts and sustain our way of life, while also helping us to invest in more jobs, housing and infrastructure for our people."

The allocation for the charging stations was sponsored by Oregon's U.S. Senators Ron Wyden and Jeff Merkley.

"Electric vehicles mean cleaner air, healthier communities, and a whole lot less climate pollution, and it's important that tribal communities are not left out of the transition," said Sen. Merkley. Sen. Wyden adds,

"This much-deserved investment in the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs recognizes the important role Tribal communities play in the climate crisis battle and the increasing significance of electric vehicles to win that fight.

The Bipartisan Infrastructure Law established the Charging and Fueling Infrastructure Grant Program at the U.S. Department of Transportation's Federal Highway Administration to deploy EV charging infrastructure and other alternative fueling infrastructure projects in urban and rural communities in publicly accessible locations.

The total allocation to the Warm Springs tribes is \$2,556,496. Additionally in the recent allocations to the region, the Cowlitz Indian Tribe is receiving a federal grant to boost EV charging infrastructure in both Oregon and Washington:

\$15 million for the Cowlitz Indian Tribe's Northwest Tribal Zero Emission Vehicle Charging and Fueling Network to install 172 electric vehicle charging ports across six tribal sites in Oregon and Washington. Each site will also include chargers for e-bikes and e-scooters. Locations are chosen for their strategic importance along key travel corridors in rural and disadvantaged communities.



### Election: Coming up on March 26

(from page 1)

For the Agency District, with three seats on Council in addition to the Wasco Chief, there are 988 off-reservation voters, and 1,237 on-reservation voters.

For the Simnasho District, with three Council seats and the Warm Springs Chief, there are 544 offreservation voters and 655 on-reservation voters.

For the Seekseequa District, with two elected representatives in addition to the Paiute Chief, there are 98 off-reservation voters and 176 on-reservation voters.

#### **Election, Counting boards**

Tribal Council is now advertising for three positions and one alternate on the Election Board; and four positions and one alternate on the Counting Board.

Tribal members interested in serving on one of these boards, please submit letters of interest and resumes to the tribes' Secretary-Treasurer/CEO, PO Box 455, Warm Springs, OR 97761. A criminal background check is also required (see details at right).

#### **Election Day and before**

The Tribal Council Election Day is March 26. The voting place is the Warm Springs Community Center. Some other dates to keep in mind:

**Friday, January 24** is the deadline for any new voters to register,

or existing voters to change voting

The process for preparing absentee ballots will begin on Monday, January 27, with absentee ballots mailed out on Wednesday, February 12

Tribal members who request absentee ballots, who have had a change of address, should complete a change of address form.

Forms for voting district change and address change should be returned to the Vital Statistic office at the tribal administration building; or if you live away from Warm Springs, then you can email your form to:

olivia.wallulatum@wstribes.org lucille.suppach@wstribes.org

# Positions open on the Election, Counting boards

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

**Election Board**: Three vacancies, and one alternate.

**Counting Board**: Four vacancies, and one alternate.

Letters of interest and resumes of applicants interested in serving on one of the boards, submit to the following address by no later than **February 10**, 2025:

The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, attn: Secretary-Treasurer/ CEO, PO Box 455, Warm Springs, OR 97761.

A criminal background check is to be completed and returned to Secretary-Treasurer's office. Forms are available at tribal Management, or may be mailed or emailed directly to you. Return signed forms back to the Management office. Information will be submitted confidentially to the S-T/CEO.

Ordinance no. 44 states regarding the Election boards:

For each election, the Tribal Council shall appoint an Election board for each polling place, the Election Board to be composed of the following officials: Three members of the Election Board. One alternate member of the Election board...

The Tribal Council will appoint one of the three members as the as the Chairman of the Election Board, and in the event that any of the three members of the Election Board shall be unable to serve or shall resign, then the alternate shall replace any such member.

Counting Board: For each election, the Tribal Council shall appoint a Counting Board for the purpose of counting the results of the elections. The Counting Board shall consist of four persons, and the Tribal Council will appoint one of the

four members as Chairman.

All members of the Elec-

tion and Counting boards shall be members of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs; and shall not be appointed to such positions in an election where they or a member of their immediate family are a candidate for election, or where they may personally have an interest in the election different from the interests of the membership at large.

It shall be the duty of the Election Board to supervise the election at the voting place where they are designated to serve.

The Vital Stats Department Supervisor shall furnish to the Election Board an up to date voter list showing the district in which each of the voters is entitled to vote; and insofar as the Election Board is concerned such voter list shall be final.

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The Election Board shall insure that all persons whose names are shown on the voter list shall have an opportunity to vote in the district where they are registered and that no persons whose names are not on the voting list for that district shall vote. Invalids and persons hospitalized or incarcerated and unable to travel to the voting place shall have their ballots collected by a two person team composed of a member of the Election Board and a member of the Counting Board.

# Controversial biofuel plant at Columbia River has DEQ approval

A controversial plant near Clatskanie along the Columbia River took another step toward construction when the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality approved the facility's plans to protect water quality in the Columbia and adjacent wetlands.

The plant would produce diesel fuel from used cooking oil, wood waste and other organic byproducts.

The controversial plant is being developed by Houston-based NXTClean Fuels.

friendly fuel that will cut carbon emissions by replacing dirtier fossil fuels in trucks and airplanes.

The volume of production—750 million gallons a day—would make the plant the largest producer of re-

Company leaders say the plant

will produce an environmentally

the plant the largest producer of renewable diesel in the U.S.

Opponents say the plant will create risks for spills of feedstocks like corn oil and grease as they are brought by rail across silty river bot-

tom land that is vulnerable to shak-

ing during an earthquake.

The plant would also consume fossil fuels to produce its renewable diesel, critics say. Some also say the plant would destroy rich farmland along the Columbia.

NXTClean says the plant will create 3,500 jobs during construction and 240 permanent ones.

Columbia Riverkeeper indicated an appeal can be expected.

The NXTClean plant still needs a federal water permit to be granted through a process overseen by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

### A reminder to Tribal Council candidates

KWSO is planning to produce Tribal Council candidate program segments to run on the air leading up to the election day, Wednesday, March 26.

The tribes' election team is planning to mail out the absentee ballots in mid February, and KWSO would be great to have as many interviews as possible by then, in order to offer them online to tribal members who live away from the reservation.

The radio interviews should only take about ten to 15 minutes. Candidates are invited to stop by the Media Center and KWSO, and discuss three interview topics. The topics are:

Talk about yourself, your family and your background.

What knowledge, education, insights, and lived experience do you have that will be useful in serving on Tribal Council.

Describe your priorities for the Confederated Tribes and membership including any issues that need to be addressed.

KWSO is suggesting two minute answers to each of these topics.

You can schedule a 15 minute interview with KWSO by emailing: kwsonews@wstribes.org

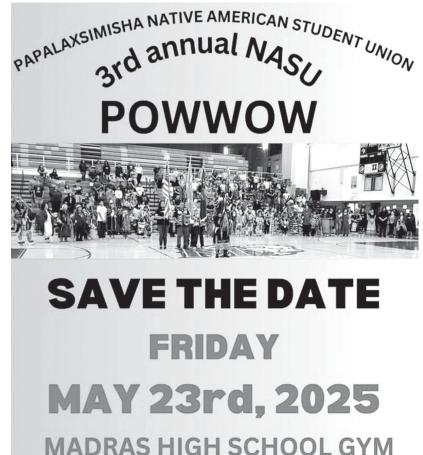
Or call 541-553-1968.

#### Spilyay Tymoo

Meanwhile, the *Spilyay Tymoo* is requesting a written statement, with a limit of approximatley 250 words, and a photo. The available submissions will be published in a candidates' edition as the election approaches. Email to:

david.mcmechan@wstribes.org

Like the KWSO candidates' interviews, the *Spilyay* candidates pages will also be shared online. KWSO and the *Spilyay* invite you to participate in these opportunities, giving tribal members a chance to know who you are, and encouraging participation in the election of the Thirtieth Tribal Council of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs.



Jillisa Suppah

jillisa@papalaxsimisha.org

#### Comments on Columbia fish, wildlife

The public has 90 days to send in recommendations for changes to the Columbia River Basin Fish and Wildlife Program, a 40-year effort to protect and mitigate for the impacts of the hydropower system on salmon and other fish and wildlife in the Columbia River Basin.

The Northwest Power and Conservation Council recently released the request for public input. To learn more and submit a recom-

mendation, go to: nwcouncil.org/amend

The deadline for submissions is April 17. The Power and Conservation Council plans to adopt the updates in spring of 2026.

The Council updates the Fish and Wildlife Program every five years based on recommendations from regional tribes, state and federal agencies, local governments, nonprofits, energy customers, and other interested parites.



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### In Oregon traditional Native healing practices now covered by insurance

The federal government has expanded both Medicaid and the Children's Health Insurance Program, CHIP, for practices that would include sweat lodges and drumming, in Oregon and three other Western states.

Jen Procter Andrews, of the Coquille Tribe, is a member of the Portland Area Indian Health Board. She called it a fantastic development which will address issues specific to Native communities.

"Native women die from pregnancy-related causes at twice the rate of white women and native infants die in their first year of life at a nearly twice the rate of white infants," Ms. Andrews said.

"And our populations experience higher levels of other health issues like chronic liver disease, diabetes, high blood pressure, unintentional injuries, and the list could go on.

"But the expected result is better quality health and health outcomes in tribal communities really by improving access to culturally appropriate health care."

Access to cultural and ceremonial practices has been increasingly used in a number of settings where Native people live and

The sweat lodge is seen as a way to physically and spiritually detoxify, while drumming can replicate the heartheat one first hears as an infant...

injury with a more culturally relevant focus can improve outcomes.

This is also in light of historical trauma, which includes colonization, disease, displacement from traditional lands, and the boarding school era.

Andrews said this openness to incorporate Native American values and ties to the land is important. It also allows healing practices involving communal gatherings or plants to become more accepted among Western medical practitioners.

"We see this in elder care facilities where community engagement is encouraged, or where many of our medicines are produced based on traditional plant medicine," she said.

"So there are hints of it here and there, but I think it's definitely encouraging for being able to break open that wider concept of what health really means."

Many Native Americans find value in the plants their ancestors used for maladies, including forbs for heading nettle for stomach pain. Sweating inside a traditional sweat lodge is seen as a way to physically and spiritually detoxify, while drumming replicates the heartbeat one first hears as an infant, and ties the listener to the

earth.

Advocates say there's more work to be done in incorporating traditional Native American healing practices into Western medicine, which has potential. But stigma and views of this approach being an "alternative medicine" remain a challenge.

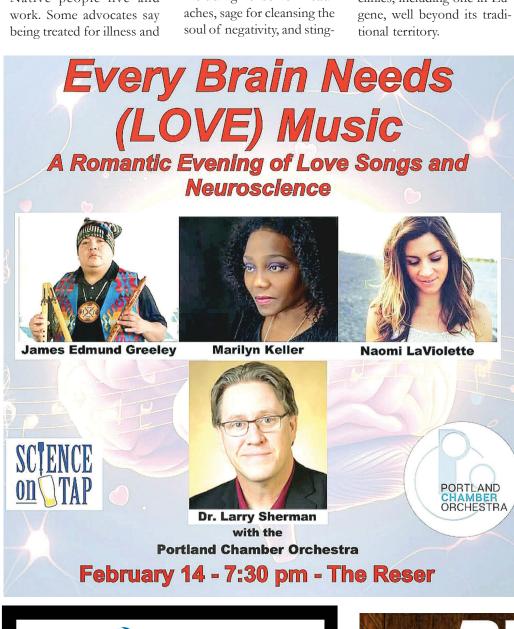
The expansion for Medicaid and CHIP is on a pilot basis. It's set to expire at the end of September 2027, unless extended.

Andrews is hopeful that it will continue.

"Our indigeneity is unique because it encompasses the past and present treatment of indigenous peoples and includes the connection between health outcomes and the environment in which we live," she said.

"Indigenous peoples' environment, the deep-rooted cultural beliefs, and other components that are not usually found in our current, frankly colonial approaches to healthcare." The Coquille Tribe operates several health clinics, including one in Eu-











#### **Employment**

The following is a recent listing of the jobs available at the Indian Head Casino and Plateau Travel Plaza. Paper applications are available at the casino Human Resources office by the casino, Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

If you have any questions, please email:

careers@indianheadgaming.

#### Indian Head Casino positions: Cage cashier

(\$17.50/hour+tips). Cage supervisor (\$21/hour +tips). Class III

keyperson (\$16/hour+tips). Coffee station attendant (\$15/hour+tips).

Count team member (\$16/hour). Custodian (\$16/ hour+tips).

IT systems administrator (DOE). Food and beverage supervisor (\$21/hour). Lead custodian (\$18/

hour). Lead Tule Grill cook

(\$18/hour). Maintenance worker II

(\$200/hour).

Player's Club ambassador

(\$17.50/hour).

Plateau Travel Plaza positions: Security officer (\$16/hour).

Server, Three Teepees Café (\$15/hour+tips).

Accounting supervisor (\$23/hour).

Convenience store cashier (\$16/hour+tips).

Convenience store supervisor (\$20/hour).

Custodian supervisor (\$21/hour).

Kitchen steward, Three Teepees Café (\$15/hour). Line cook, Three Teepees Café (\$16/hour).

The following are recent job openings with the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs.

Tribal member preference is exercised as defined in Tribal Personnel Policy PER 202. Applicants are encouraged to attach a cover letter and resume for job applications. Incomplete applications will not be processed. The Human Resources office is located in the Tribal Administration building, located at 1233 Veterans Street, Warm Springs. Staff are available to answer questions related

to the application process and can be reached at 541-553-3262 or:

hr@wstribes.org

The positions are full-time unless otherwise indicated.

Fisheries biologist III. Aaccounts payable specialist. GL specialist.

Accounting technician -Budgets, contracts and grants. Comp and benefits administrator. Police detective.

Project manager (Warm Springs Geeovisions). Watershed restoration coordinator. Fire/Medic (part-time).

Assistant Fire anagement officer-Fuels. Home visitor (two positions). Protective care provider (four positions).

Children's Protective Services case specialist (three positions). Reserved Treaty Rrights Lands (RTRL) project leader. Communications of-

Probate assistant. Legal aid advocate (two positions). Head Start program manager. Assistant Inter-Agency Hotshot Crew superinten-

Pest control management coordinator. Deputy prosecutor. Community Health program manager. Conservation properties program supervisor.

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# Willamette Falls tribal fishing access case going to trial

The federal eminent domain property case between Portland General Electric, the Oregon Department of State Lands and Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde over land historically used by tribes for fishing at Willamette Falls will head to trial later this year.

Earlier this month, Judge Michael Simon, for the District of Oregon, denied motions for summary judgment from both the Grand Ronde and PGE. Motions for summary judgment ask a judge to decide a case without going to trial.

All sides presented oral arguments related to the motions in court last month, Grand Ronde tribal members outside the courthouse.

PGE wants to condemn land, creating equal access for all traditional tribes to the site; while the Grand Ronde advocates feel this would encroach on their sovereignty, among its

Other regional tribes including Warm Springs, Siletz, Umatilla and Yakama have backed PGE, saying the power company will restore equitable access to the falls for all tribes.

#### How the case came about

Though PGE did not file the eminent domain claim in federal court until 2022, the basis of the arguments date back to 2016 when the Grand Ronde sought a special permit from the state of Oregon to build a fishing platform at the base of the falls.

In 2018, the Oregon Deprompting a protest from partment of State Lands granted Grand Ronde permission to construct the fishing platform.

> "Beginning in 2018 and continuing to the present day, other tribes in the area expressed concerns to PGE



Tribal lamprey fishers at the falls.

about the Platform Registration issued by DSL to Grand Ronde," Judge Simon wrote as background in his summary judgment decision.

"These concerns mainly seek to ensure equal access to the fishing area at the falls for all tribes."

PGE formally contested the state's decision to permit the fishing platform by requesting a hearing in December 2018.

Mediation of the differences continued for two years without success.

In 2021, PGE submitted an application through the Federal Energy Regulation Commission—the body that oversees transmission of energy such as electricity, natural gas and oil—for a perpetual cultural practice easement to allow all federally recognized tribes to fish at the falls.

"FERC rejected PGE's

request, stating that the DSL asserted state ownership of the land over which PGE sought to grant the easement," according to Simon's background information.

FERC's denial led PGE to pursue condemnation of about five acres of land at the falls owned by the Department of State Lands, some of which was outside the project boundary of PGE's hydroelectric facility.

#### PGE's safety concerns

In its filing, PGE claims it needs control of the contested five acres to continue operating the hydroelectric facility and that the Grand Ronde fishing platform created "substantial operational and public safety risks.'

Grand Ronde contends that PGE failed to express safety concerns in the years prior to its application for the fishing platform, during which tribal members still fished at the falls.

Grand Ronde also asserts that PGE's primary motivation to condemn the land was to allow other federally recognized tribes to fish at the falls.

Grand Ronde also argues PGE has an important business relationship with the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, another reason for its eminent domain argument.

PGE argues it did not bring up safety issues previously because they "had not risen to the level that reached operational concerns that required action by PGE" until the state gave Grand Ronde permission to build the platform.

The judge's denial of the summary judgment motions sets the case up for a trial later this year. The next court date scheduled for the case is an April 1 pretrial conference.

# Warm Springs Agency Superintendent position open with BIA

The position of Superintendent of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Warm Springs Agency is advertised by the Department of the Interior, BIA Northwest Region. Duties include the following:

Responsible for serving as the line official in charge of the daily operations and special projects of Indian Affairs assigned at the Agency that include Indian Trust responsibility, Indian Services and Administra-

Development of current and long range plans for executing programs consisting of natural resources, Realty, tribal government, self-determination, environmental, housing improvement, transportation, and forestry and

Direct on-going effort to promote the economic, social, educational, and health needs of the Indian people.

Meet with the Tribal Council chairman, Tribal Council and boards and

committees for special meet-

Prepare reports relative to the situation of tribes to include socio-economic conditions, status of condition of Indian natural resources, and other similar matters.

Direct the planning, coordination, and execution of all activities pertinent to the tenure and management of real estate under the jurisdiction of the Agency.

Coordinate requirements under Public Law 93-638, as amended, the Indian Self Determination and Education Assistance Act, and makes recommendations on all grants/contracts applica-

Direct preparation, review, and/or approves budgets for use of funds derived from the harvesting of Indian trust forestry products and withdrawal of funds.

Serve on the Region-wide team for workforce planning to ensure implementation and execution of daily duties for the Region and Agency, including hiring.

Direct the work of

Agency employees of various grades and programs.

Requirements and conditions of employment:

U.S. citizenship required. Indian Preference applies. You will be required to have federal payments made by direct deposit.

You may be required to successfully complete a probationary-trial period.

A background security investigation will be required for all new hires: Appointment will be subject to the applicant's successful completion of a background security investigation and favorable adjudication.

If you are a male applicant born after December 31, 1959 and are required to register under the Military Selective Service Act, the Defense Authorization Act of 1986 requires that you be registered or you are not eligible for appointment in this

Incumbent is required to operate a government motor vehicle, must possess a valid driver's license, and have a safe driving record within the

four-year period immediately preceding submittal of GSA Form 3607.

Will be required to file an OGE-450, Confidential Financial Disclosure Report Form in accordance with 5 CFR Part 2634, Subpart I.

Qualifications, and experience and education requirements:

(OPM Operating Manual, Qualification Standards for Administrative and Management Positions, GS-0340).

GS-13: I have at least one year of full-time specialized experience or the equivalent, comparable to at least the GS-12 in the federal service (obtained in either the public or private sector).

This experience must include the serving as the line official in charge of daily operations and special projects of an Agency including coordinating various Agency programs;

Providing expert counsel to agency management and professionals on a wide variety of social economic and

political questions and problems pertaining to Trust and Indian Services for American Indians; knowledge of the Bureau mission, organization, functions, goals, and objectives to carry out the management function as a Superintendent.

Specialized experience: Experience that equipped the applicant with the particular knowledge, skills, and abilities (KSA's) to perform successfully the du-

ties of the position, and is typically in or related to the position to be filled. This is a key management position. Simply meeting time-in-grade in occupations where directing and manag-

ing Indian trust responsibilities and programs was not performed, will not be qualifying.

All qualification requirements must be met by the closing date of this announcement. Merit Promotion candidates must also meet time-in-grade requirements by the announcement closing date.

Preference in filling va-

cancies is given to qualified Indian candidates in accordance with the Indian Preference Act of 1934 (title 25, USC Section 472).

Additional selections may be made from this announcement if identical vacancies occur in the same location within 90 days from the closing

Education requirements: Education requirements are generally not applicable at this grade

How to apply: You can find out more about the job, and to apply, at the website: usajobs.gov

Search under 'Warm Springs Agency,' for instance.

Agency contact information: BIA Human Resources, phone 405-247-1600. Email: bia.anadarkohr\_applicants

@bia.gov Address: BIA Center Recruitment Anadarko, P.O. Box 1487, Anadarko, OK 73005

### Letters to the editor and opion

#### Member day at Kah-Nee-Ta

The last Sundays of each month are Warm Springs Tribal Appreciation Day, starting this month through May. The first Appreciation Day this year will be on Sunday, January 26: There will be free day use for all Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs tribal members from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Warm Springs tribal members also receive 50-percent off cabana rentals, and 25percent off food purchases. For other tribal members there is 25-percent off the cabana rentals.

#### Homeless count

The Confederated Tribes' Health and Human Services branch is hosting the annual Point in Time Count on Tuesday, January 28. This will be an assessment of the tribal homeless situation.

The Health and Human Services team and partners will host the Point in Time from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. January 28 at the old Warm Springs elementary school gymnasium.

Participants can register at 9 a.m This event is for the homeless population. The sreening questions and answers will be taken at regis-

The Point-in-Time counts unsheltered community members who are living in tents, camps, vehicles, RVs with no electrical or water hookups; as well as sheltered members who are in the shelter/transitional homes.

Residents residing in the new Permanent Supportive houses are not considered homeless, as they are now permanently housed.

On the county day, Breakfast will be served at 9 a.m and is sponsored by Health and Human Services. Lunch will begin at 11 a.m. and is sponsored by Indian Head Casino. The Homeless Shelter will not serve breakfast and lunch on this day.

All homeless community members are welcome to share these meals with us throughout the day.

Booths at the Point in Time Count this year include Warm Springs Fire and Safety, Dental and the Pharmacy, Prevention, the Jefferson County Health Department, Neighbor-Impact, Indian Health Services contact representatives, Nursing, Thrive of Central Oregon, and the Oregon Department of Human Services. Limited medical exams will also be available in the Mobile Medical Unit.

Resources provided will be Narcan education and distri-

bution, blood pressure and sugar checks, flu shots and covid boosters, Oregon Health Plan assistance, plus additional information.

The Commodities program will also provide nonperishable foods for participants to choose from.

Incentives will be given to participants who complete their passport and the survey.

Thank you to all of our sponsors: Indian Head Casino for providing the meal and serving, as well as donating incentives; Thrive of Central Oregon for their donations and time. All Indian Health Service programs that attend the event and provide services and information. The Prevention staff for Narcan distribution and education; NeighborImpact for resource information and assistance; Fire and Safety for providing blood pressure checks and incentives. The Jefferson County Health Department for providing STD screenings; and the Oregon Department of Human Services for SNAP assistance. This is a drug and alcohol-free event.

#### Community notes...

The Warm Springs Housing Authority reminds its tenants that for after hours and weekend emergencies, please call Warm Springs Police Department dispatch at 541-553-1171, and request Housing's on-call ser-

Emergencies include a broken water line, sewer backing up, any electrical is-

sues and kicked-in exterior doors. All other non-emergency work orders can be taken care of the next business day.

Free drinking water is available every Monday to Warm Springs community members at the Hydro Panel Facility, located next to the old vehicle pool building in the industrial

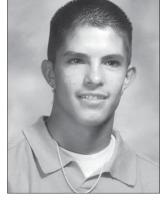
Stop by Mondays between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

#### ~ Howlak Tichum ~

Robbie DeWayne Bennett, 38, of Sulphur, Oklahoma, tragically passed away on January 6, 2025. Born on December 3, 1986, in Ada, Oklahoma, to Ronald DeWayne Bennett and Trudy Jane (Lumpmouth) Bennett, Robbie lived a life full of love, passion, and adven-

He was a proud member of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs in Oregon and was one-quarter Chevenne and Arapaho Tribe from Oklahoma, honoring his rich cultural heritage throughout his life.

Robbie graduated in 2003 from Madres High School, where he excelled on the basketball court and created cherished memories playing games with his siblings and cousins. Over the years, he built a diverse career, beginning as a bellhop at Kah-Nee-Ta Resort in Warm Springs, Oregon, working as an order filler at Walmart Distribution Center in Pauls Valley, Oklahoma, and later hon-



ing his skills as a machinist at Kerr Pump in Marietta, Oklahoma.

Robbie's passions were as wide-ranging as his travels, which took him across the United States and to places like Tijuana, Mexico and the Bahamas. He loved building custom firearms, working on cars, and playing disc golf. A self-proclaimed foodie, he enjoyed eating out and sharing meals with loved ones, including teaching his sister the art of making gravy—a memory she treasures deeply.

A devoted family man and friend, Robbie's positive spirit and selfless nature left a profound impact on everyone he met. He was fiercely dedicated to his family, friends, and community, often going out of his way to help anyone in need.

He was a passionate advocate for a life free from drugs and always stood as a beacon of encouragement and support to others. "In life, Robbie built not just things, but relationships, memories, and legacies that will stand the test of time."

Robbie's memory will forever be cherished by his parents, Ronald and Trudy (Lumpmouth) Bennett of Pauls Valley, Oklahoma; Brother, Wade Bennett of Pauls Valley, Oklahoma; Sister, Felicia Bennett of Pauls Valley, Oklahoma; Grandmother, Linda Williams of Byars, Oklahoma; and nephews, Delmar Whitefoot, Mitchell Whitefoot Jr., Brayden Bennett, and a host of other family and friends.

Robbie was preceded in death by his grandparents; Truman and Agnes Lumpmouth, and Ronnie Bennett.

#### Aquatic Center funding measure on May ballot

As my primary focus is helping the Madras Aquatic Center Recreation District become financially stable, I did some research about how much we support some of our public amenities with our tax dollars.

The Aquatic Center revenue from property taxes is \$750,000 with other rev enues from user fees, grants and donations, bringing our total revenue to \$1,261,844.

Operational costs for the district to meet community expectations with hours and programs is \$2,113,000. This would put the Aquatic Center at a deficit of \$851,000 at the end of the year.

There is currently another \$675,000 in property taxes that go to debt service and can only be used to pay off the original building bond, which will be paid off completely in June 2025.

The district is hoping that, with two measures on the May ballot, those funds can be turned into operational funds to help support more hours and long-term maintenance needs at the Aquatic Center.



The pool at the Aquatic Center.

For a comparison, the library has existed since 1916 and serves most of Jefferson County and some of Wasco, which means

they have a larger tax base

than the other services.

Their property tax revenue is listed as \$854,000 for 2025, (2024 was less because of the PGE thing) with additional revenues from grants and donations bringing their total revenues to \$2,134,165.

The total expenses for the year are \$1,870,013, which means they end the year with an excess of \$264,152 that they can use in the following year. Their budget is balanced.

The golf course receives \$1,075,000 from the city of Madras general fund and raises and an additional \$255,350 from membership fees, rental, and food and drink sales.

The parks bureau handles 30 acres of parks, 290 acres of open space within the city limits and 195 acres of open space with public buildings. The proposed budget for 2025 is \$593,000.

If I looked hard enough, I could calculate the cost per person usage, but that is not the idea behind this post.

We all support things we do not use, for the general benefit of the community. How many times do you hear people over 50 say "I don't have any kids in school. Why should I pay?"

Well, that is not how the system works. Public resources spread the cost of parks, libraries, golf courses, swimming pools and bike paths over the lifetime of the taxpayer.

They also create economic prosperity by educating and engaging our future local workforce (and attracting new folks and businesses to the area who will also contribute to our communities).

To understand, just check the per year cost of private schools or private clubs and compare that to your tax bill.

Please consider funding the Madras Aquatic Center Recreation District to the same sustainable level as our other public provided amenities. Vote yes/yes on your May ballot.

Frank Maynard, Madras Aquatic Center board membe.r

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CLOSED TUESDAY & WEDNESDAYS

# Spilyay Tymoo (Coyote News, Est. 1976)

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#### Summary of Tribal Council

The following is a summary of a Tribal Council meeting from earlier this month.

#### January 6, 2025

The meeting was called to order by Vice Chairman Raymond 'Captain' Moody. Roll call: James 'Jim' Manion, Lincoln Jay Suppah, Alvis Smith III, Carlos Calica, Chief Jefferson Greene, Chairman Jonathan W. Smith Sr., Chief Joseph Moses, Wilson Wewa Jr., Rosa Graybael. Minnie Yahtin, Recorder.

Invocation given by

· Charlotte Herkshan expressed her appreciation to the Tribal Council for the special dividend in Decem-

· Bureau of Indian Affairs update with Bodie Shaw, acting BIA Agency Superintendent.

Bureau of Trust Funds Administration update with Kevin Moore.

· Federal legislative update with Matthew Hill.

· State legislative update with Michael Mason.

· Tribal attorney updates with Josh Newton, Ellen Grover and Howard Arnett: Executive session, 1:36-2:59

· Proposed rules - Regarding IRS regulation 113628-21: Entities whollyowned by Indian tribal governments, 26 C.F.R Parts 1 and 301, Comments of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs:

Motion by Captain authorizing the Chairman to sign

the letter addressed to the U.S. Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service, with amendments. Second by Wilson. Question: Jim/yes, Joe/yes, Captain/ yes, Jay/yes, Wilson/yes, Jefferson/yes, Carlos/yes, 7/0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

· Tribal attorney update with Brent Hall.

· District meetings are rescheduled for January 9, 2025. · Executive session, 3:25-

4:30 p.m. With no further discussion the meeting adjourned at 4:30PM.

# In the Tribal Court of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs

(Note: All hearings are held at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.)

CTWS, Petitioner, vs NORALISETTE MCKINLEY, Respondent; Case No. JV30-20. TO: NORALISETTE MCKINLEY:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an ASSISTED GUARDIANSHIP 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 11<sup>TH</sup> day of FEBRUARY, 2025 @ 10:00 AM

AMBROSE MEANUS, Petitioner, vs MACHELL MEANUS, Respondent; Case No. DO03-25. TO: AMBROSE MEANUS, MACHELL MEANUS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an 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 19<sup>TH</sup> day of March, 2025 @ 1:30 PM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs JULIA YAHTIN CLOUD , Respondent; Case No. JV114-10. TO: JULIA YAHTIN CLOUD:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an CUS-TODY 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 19<sup>TH</sup> day of FEBRUARY, 2025 @ 3:00 PM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs ASHLYNNE DANZUKA, Respondent; Case No. JV22-24. TO: ASHLYNNE DANZUKA, CPS, JV PROS:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an 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 19<sup>TH</sup> day of FEBRUARY, 2025 @ 11:00 AM

CODER CLEMENTS,
Petitioner, vs
MADELINE BRUNOE,
Respondent; Case No.
DO25,26-23. TO:
MADELINE BRUNOE,
CODER CLEMENTS,

T Y L A Y S H A HOWTOPAT, JESSIE KALAMA:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an MODIFICATION 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 19<sup>TH</sup> day of FEBRUARY, 2025 @ 10:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs NORALISETTE MCKINLEY, Respondent; Case No. JV30-20. TO: NORALISETTE MCKINLEY:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an AS-SISTED 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 11<sup>TH</sup> day of FEBRUARY, 2025 @

10:00 AM

DARRYL SCOTT, Petitioner, vs CTWS, Respondent; Case No. DO68-24. TO: DARRYL SCOTT, WILSON WEWA JR., MADELINE BRUNOE, THOMAS GEORGE, ESTELL LAWSON:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an EMER-GENCY CONSERVATOR GUARDIANSHIP 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 11<sup>TH</sup> day of FEBRUARY, 2025 @ 3:00 PM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs KRISTIN BILLEY, Respondent; Case No. DO79-18. TO: ADA BILLEY, KRISTIN BILLEY:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that an AS-SISTED GUARDIANSHIP 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 27<sup>TH</sup> day of FEBRUARY, 2025 @ 10:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs CARI ANN TENORIO, JUSTIN GREENE, Respondent; Case No. JV85-15. TO: CARI ANN TENORIO, JUSTIN GREENE, CPS, JV PROS:

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# Lincoln's Pow-wow

February 7, 8, 9, 2025

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- -Tiny Tots Paid Daily
- -Junior Boys/Girls 7-12 Yrs Old
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- -Golden Age Men/Women 60+ Yrs Old

# **Grand Entry**

Friday 7:00 PM;

Saturday 1:00 PM

(No Evening Grand Entry)

Sunday 1:30 PM

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Vendor Contact Sandra Greene – sandra 195977@gmail.com

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Powwow Info: Austin Greene — (541)553-3243 (Message)

Margie Tuckta — margie.tuckta@gmail.com

Lincoln's Pow-wow is a drug and alcohol free event. Committee is not responsible for lost/stolen items

# Federal approval of new Coquille casino

The new casino, Coquille's second, will be for class 2 gaming only; governor, senators, some other tribes are opposed

The Department of the Interior last week approved a new tribal casino for the Coquille Indian Tribe. The casino is planned for Medford in southern Oregon.

The Coquille Tribe is located 170 miles away in North Bend on the Oregon Coast. Jackson County, however, is one of the five counties in the 'service area' of the tribe, as set out in the Coquille Restoration Act of the late 1980s. The

Coquille Tribe also owns and operates the Mill Casino, Hotel and RV park in North Bend.

The new Coquille casino will be

in a building that the Coquille have owned and operated as a bowling alley.

Their application for the

Medford casino approval has been pending with the BIA for more than 10 years, and has met with consistent opposition from other tribes of that region.

The Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians, Karuk Tribe, and Tolowa Dee-ni' Nation, for instance, filed a request for the U.S. District Court to issue a temporary restraining order against teh



The existing bowling alley building in Medford.



Conceptual image of remodeled casino building.

project approval.

Oregon Gov. Kotek has also indicated her objection. The process, though, for the Coquille regarding this new casino did not require a state compact, as the proposed gam-

ing will be class 2, like the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Plateau Travel Plaza gaming room.

A proposal for a new class1 casino would require a compact with the state: This was required during the process that Warm Springs pursued regarding the Cascade Locks casino proposal.

Oregon Sen. Ron Wyden also indicated his objection to the Coquille approval: "This reckless choice by DC bureaucrats catapults Oregon into an uncontrolled escalation of gambling with no end in sight," Sen. Wyden said.

"And it compounds the collateral damage from this casino arms race by cavalierly tossing out our state's time-honored agreement that balances all tribes' equal opportunities to achieve economic independence and prosperity.

"I will fight this senseless decision with all the options available, including the Congressional Review Act that empowers elected representatives to battle back against rogue federal agency decisions just like this one."

# In the Tribal Court of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs

From page 6

(Note: All hearings are held at the Warm Springs Tribal Court.)

Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, petitioner, vs. Otis Johnson, respondent. Case no. FG4-24. To Otis Johnson:

You are hereby notified that an arraignment 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 8 a.m. on February 18, 2025.

Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, petitioner, vs. Terrance Miller, respondent. Case no.CR3-25, CR41-24, CR733-18, CR277-18. To Terrance Miller:

You are hereby notified that an arraignment hearing/show cause 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 8 a.m. on February 18,

Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, petitioner, vs. Lane Scott, respondent. Case no.CR32225-24. To Lane Scott:

You are hereby notified that an arraignment 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 8 a.m. on February 18, 2025.

Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, petitioner, vs. Lane Scott, respondent. Case no.CR3-2225-24. To Lane Scott:

You are hereby notified that an arraignment 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 8 a.m. on February 18, 2025.

Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, petitioner, vs. Mario Smith, respondent. Case no.CR5-25. To Mario Smith:

You are hereby notified that an arraignment 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 8 a.m. on February 18, 2025.

CTWS, Petitioner, vs GLENDA FISHER, RESPON-DENT; Case No. DO159-09. TO: GLENDA FISHER, CPS & JV PROSECUTION:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTI-FIED that an REVIEW HEAR-ING 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 10<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2025 @ 10:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs COL-LEEN KALAMA, RESPON-DENT; Case No. DO3-09. TO: COLLEEN KALAMA, CPS & JV PROSECUTION:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTI-FIED that an CUSTODY RE-VIEW 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 4<sup>TH</sup> day of March, 2025 @ 10:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs NYLANIS SPINO, RESPON-DENT; Case No. JV1-24. TO: NYLANIS SPINO, CPS & JV PROSECUTION:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTI-FIED that an CUSTODY RE-VIEW 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 4<sup>TH</sup> day of March, 2025 @ 11:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs
TERRINE RABBIE;
JAYDEAN GILBERT, RESPONDENT; Case No. JV2-11.
TO: TERRINE RABBIE;
JAYDEAN GILBERT, CPS &
JV PROSECUTION:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTI-FIED 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 6<sup>th</sup> day of MARCH, 2025 @ 11:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs KISTA FLORES, Respondent; Case No. JV109,110-09. TO: KISTA FLORES, CINDY & JOSE CHAVEZ:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTI-FIED that an ASSISTED GUARDIANSHIP 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 18<sup>TH</sup> day of FEB-RUARY, 2025 @ 2:30 PM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs TASHWANEE CHARLEY, RESPONDENT; Case No. JV3-24. TO: TESHAWNEE CHAR-LEY, CPS & JV PROSECU-TION:

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTI-

FIED that an CUSTODY RE-VIEW 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 6<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2024 @ 10:00 AM

CTWS, Petitioner, vs LUTAH WALLULATUM; EUGENE WEWA, Respondent; Case No. JV95-08; 104-09; DO78-06. TO: LUTAH WALLULATUM; EUGENA WEWA; RONNIE & BONNIE THOMAS:

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CTWS, Petitioner, vs JAS-MINE CALDERA, RESPON-DENT; Case No. JV152-16; 62-19. TO: JASMINE CALDERA, STANNLEE MEANUS, CPS & JV PROSECUTION:

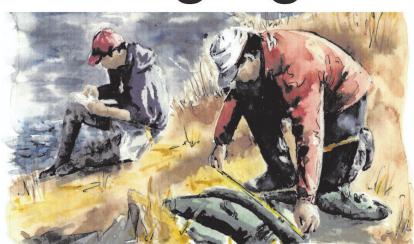
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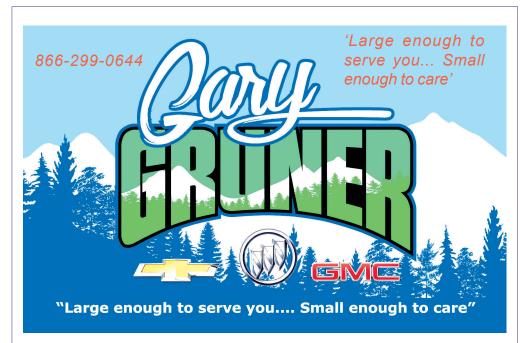
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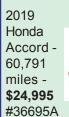
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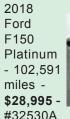






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#### Notes...

Recreation will host the annual Sweetheart Sale at the Community Center on Friday, February 7 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the social hall. Table space is limited; please contact Recreation to reserve a spot, 541-553-3243.

Chili beans and corn bread are on the menu this Friday, January 24 for **lunch** at the Senior Wellness Center. Free meals for elders 60 and over are from noon to one o'clock every Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday in the Senior Wellness Center dining room.

The Tribal Member and Youth Art Show at the museum will be on display a couple more weeks, until February 8. The museum is open Tuesday through Saturday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., closed from noon to one, also closed Sundays and Mondays.



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by Central Oregon Community College President, Dr. Laurie Chesley



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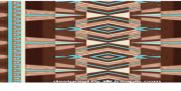
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