

Sherars Falls has long, interesting history

by Clarice Crane

Prior to 1805, Towornehiooks, now called Sherars Falls, was a gathering place for Indians for

canoe navigation and because of its narrowness, a natural place to bridge the river. Also, the falls created an excellent place to dipnet for salmon and trout.

The Klamath tribe named the area after the edible root koke, a root that was plentiful there. Being a place with abundant food, water, and access to cross

the river, Towornehiooks was a site for Indians and early trappers and traders to gather for business. In 1805, Meriweather Lewis and William Clark "discovered"

the Towornehiooks, which they identified using its Indian name. Historians think French trappers had named the river Deschutes because of these falls. Deschutes translates to Rivere de chutes or River of Falls.

In 1826 Peter Skene Ogden used the slender wooden bridge, built by Indians, when crossing the river. There he found 20 Indian families camped, fishing for salmon and trout.

A cattleman, John Y. Todd, in 1860, built a bridge at Towornehiooks that was washed away by season floods. Todd rebuilt his bridge and sold it to Joe and Jane Sherar, a first generation Irish/American couple.

Joe and Jane Sherar, hiring Indian laborers, graded a road 15 to 30 miles on either side of the Deschutes in 1861 and created a toll road and toll bridge. Sherar built a three-and-one-half-story building, used for their home, 33 rooms for guests, (inn) and tavern. There were no nails used in this construction, framed in pine and furnished in fir and redwood. Sherar also built a mill and a flour mill.

The Sherars built a livery stable in 1893 that had four rows of stalls, to accommodate settlers, prospectors, stage lines, pony express riders, travelers, and freight lines.

The coming of the railroad in approximately 1911, ended the Sherars Falls importance in settling the needs of the people who "discovered" this new territory.

Very little happened between 1911 and the mid seventies when in 1976 the Bureau of Land

Management in Prineville nominated Sherars Bridge, also known as Sherars Falls, as a nationally registered land mark. The Prineville B.L.M. nominated this site and had some limited communication with the National register, but the matter was dropped.

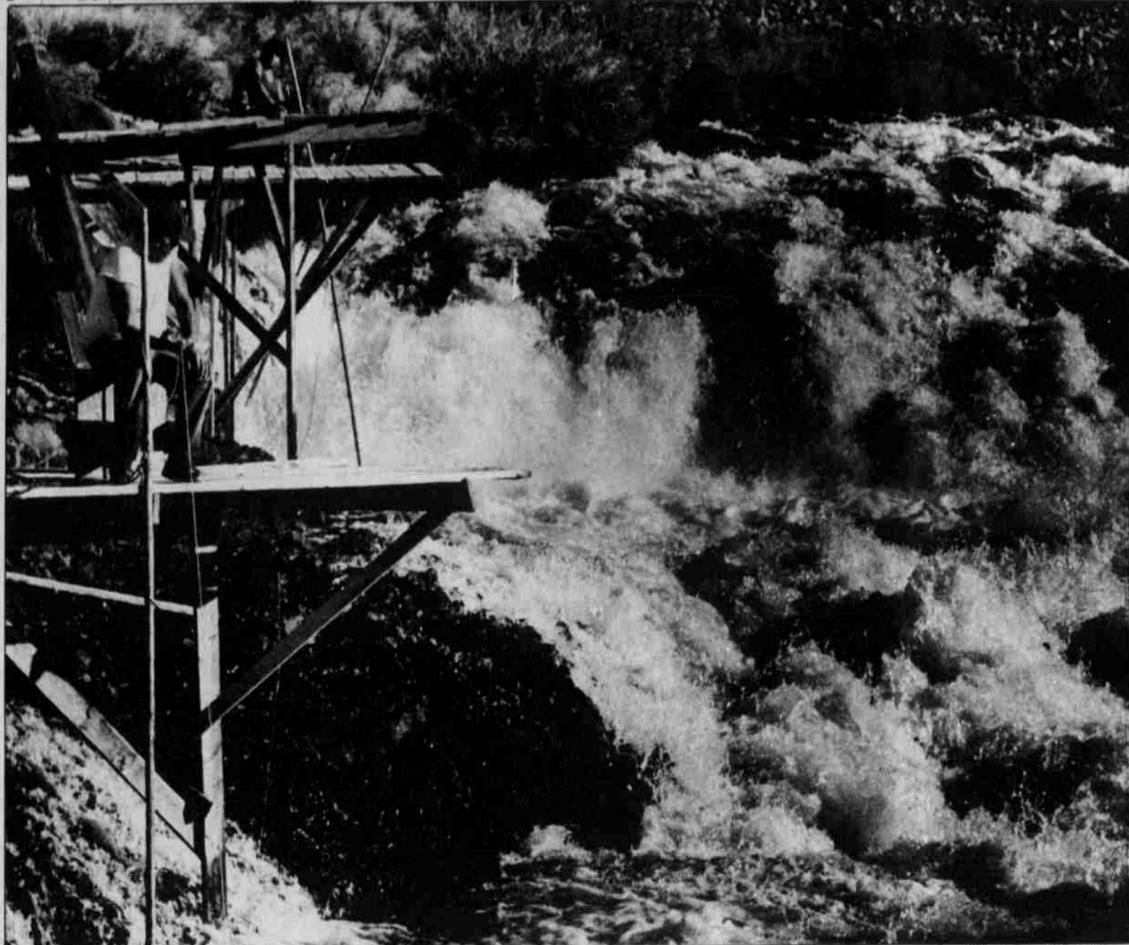
In 1977 a fish trap was installed to collect data from July to October, near Sherars Bridge, by the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife. This would enable biologist to study life cycles of returning salmon and steelhead at various stages at which they return.

On March 5th 1980, The Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Indian Reservation purchased 888 acres at Sherars Falls for \$350,000.

In July of 1983 a Sherars Bridge Task Force was delegated to identify problems and recommend solutions. At this same time, following the four to five year cycle of salmon and steelhead of the 1977 fish trap, it was deemed that enough data had been gathered to estimate fish population levels in future runs.

Reviewing the Sherars Bridge task force's findings, in August of 1983, a new code, chapter number 350 replaced ordinance number 38 and all prior ordinances which governed fishing on and off the reservation by tribal members, while exercising their treaty rights.

This year, 1986, because of the archeology and prehistoric and aesthetic beauty of Sherars Falls, and for its protection, perhaps another attempt should be made to nominate this area in the national register.



Spilyay Tymoo photo by Shewczyk

ITS girls victorious in bid for championship

On the path to the championship the Inter Tribal Sports (ITS) girls team met White Swan in the first game beating them 83-23. Then beat Seattle 58-55, putting Seattle in the bracket where they came the long way around to get into the championship play with the ITS team again in the finals.

In the second meeting between the ITS and Seattle, it was a real barn burner and the Seattle team came out the winners this time. This gave ITS their first loss, so another game had to be played to determine the champions. In the championship game the ITS team just held on to nip the hot Seattle team 60-59.

Fran Moses led the scoring in the final game with 27 points, out of 12 field goals and three from the foul line. Jennifer Jim whipped in 22. Jolene Estimo and Deanie Johnson both scored 4, Veronica Currie 2 and Debbie Byrd 1.

Julie Arnea scored 20 points to lead Seattle, Mardel Rosebud 13, Arlene Somday 10, Nancy Mondares 8, Ronnay Black 5, Jennifer Tom 2 and Connie Yellow 1.

At the half time break the Inter Tribal Sports (ITS) led 40-33. At the end of three they led 55-51, in the final period Seattle made a drive at ITS but fell short by one point losing 60-59, to close out an exciting game.

Jennifer Jim of ITS was voted the Most Valuable Player, Arlene Somday voted Miss Hustle. The All-stars included (1) Julie Taylor, Pendleton, (2) Babette Cowapoo, Pendleton, (3) Wanda Jiminez Chiloquin, (4) Tinker Hicks, Chiloquin, (5) Arlene Somday, Seattle, (6) Mardel Rosebud, Seattle, (7) Nancy Mandares, Seattle, (8) Jennifer Jim, Inter Tribal Sports, (9) Fran Moses ITS, (10) Jolene Estimo, ITS.

There were eight games played in the womens division where a loser had a second chance in the double elimination tourney. Following is how the games came out.

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| 1. ITS 83 | White Swan 23 |
| 2. Chiloquin 59 | Pendleton 58 |
| 3. Seattle 72 | Chiloquin 62 |
| 4. Pendleton 62 | White Swan 30 |
| 5. ITS 58 | Seattle 55 |
| 6. Seattle 57 | Pendleton 45 |
| 7. Seattle 51 | ITS 49 |
| 8. ITS 60 | Seattle 59 |

Teams compete in tourney

To determine who will go to the national finals for the all Indian basketball from Oregon, a tourney was held at the Community Center, with eight mens teams and five girls teams.

In the mens division the Travelers held off a determined Chiloquin team 97-88, to gain a birth in the national finals. The game was closer than the final score indicated, Chiloquin put pressure on the Travelers who had to come from behind to win.

Kip Archiblad scored a total of 40 points to lead the Travelers to win. It took the Travelers two quarters to gain the lead over the Chiloquin team. Trailing during the first half 26-20, and 54-47 at the half time.

In the third quarter the Travelers finally got things going as they out scored Chiloquin 30-16 to take the lead away for the first time during the game. In the final quarter Chiloquin made a run at the Travelers, but fell short and the Travelers held on to win the State Championship and a birth in the All Indian National Finals to be held in Billings, Montana, later on during the year.

Brooker Jones scored 25 points for the Travelers, Jamie Henry

16, Roman Suppah 10, Chas Mitchell 4, and Vic Sohapp 2. While Jason Ray and Skip Barney each scored 22 points apiece to lead the Chiloquin team and Lyle Barney added 14, Martin Whitecraft 11, Ken Rivard 9, Eldo Miller 8, and Thumper Miller 2.

Brooker Jones of the Travelers was voted the MVP, and the all-stars included (1) Kanim Smith, Duffers, (2) Punky Bronson, Pendleton, (3) David Crow, Sohapp's, (4) Dean Sohapp, Sohapp's, (5) James Scott, Maggies, (6) Jerome Davis, Maggies, (7) Jason Ray, Chiloquin, (8) Skip Barney, Chiloquin, (9) Brooker Jones, Travelers, (10) Kip Archumalt, Travelers.

There were a total of 14 games played during the State Championship Play-offs and are listed below.

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| 1. Travelers 122 | Duffers 80 |
| 2. Maggies 86 | Sohapp's 76 |
| 3. Pendleton 96 | Cowboys 36 |
| 4. Chiloquin 96 | 4 Winds 51 |
| 5. Travelers 96 | Pendleton 79 |
| 6. Maggies 106 | Chiloquin 84 |
| 7. Duffers 84 | Cowboys 81 |
| 8. Sohapp's 99 | 4 Winds 63 |
| 9. Chiloquin 79 | Duffers 72 |
| 10. Sohapp's 64 | Pendleton 62 |
| 11. Travelers 120 | Maggies 106 |
| 12. Chiloquin 74 | Sohapp's 71 |
| 13. Chiloquin 80 | Maggies 76 |
| 14. Travelers 97 | Chiloquin 88 |

Bowling, results show sports store in lead

The Pelton Lanes is where all the action is every Wednesday night for the Warm Springs Mens bowling league. At the end of the second round the Inter Tribal Sports are the winners with a record of 35-9, final standings. They were well ahead of the second place finishers, the VFW Post No. 4217, by six games.

The team was led by Satch Miller who has an average of 197, Mike Clements 192, Ray Rangila 180, Rudy Clements 175, Lyle Rhoan 169 and Ralph Minnick 165. When you meet up with a bunch of guys like that you know you are in for a tussel.

With the VFW winning the first round and the 3 N Cattle Co. placing second, and the Inter Tribal Sports winning the second round with the VFW placing second, that puts those three teams in the roll-offs so far at the end of the season. That last third could turn out pretty interesting as all the games are coming out close each night, where sometimes just a couple of pins separate the winners and also the total pins are not determined until the final bowler

finishes his turn.

Ending the second round the final standings were: Inter Tribal Sports 35-9; VFW Post No. 4217, 29-15; Zane Jackson Logging Co. 28-16; The 3 N Cattle Co. 26-18; Wes' Floor Covering 25-19; Kah-Nee-Ta 24-20; Warm Springs Chevron 24-20; The Insurance Mart 23-21; Madras Auto Parts 18-26; Snuff and Ross Trucking 18-26; Warm Springs Athletic Association 14-30. The Madras Auto Parts rolled a 2777 for high in the three game series, Zane Jackson Logging Co. 2729, Kah-Nee-Ta 2711; Madras Auto Parts rolled a 968 for the high team game, Kah-Nee-Ta 953, Zane Jackson Logging Co. 944. High three game series Ray Shike, Jr. rolled 692, Vern Nelson 648 and Curt Dix 624. For the high individual game Ray Shike, Jr. rolled 246 and a 235 and for third high Jim Yahr rolled a 228.

The match up for the night of 19, on lanes 1-2, Wes' Floor Covering vs. Madras Auto Parts; lanes 3-4, Warm Springs Chevron vs. Snuff and Ross Trucking; lanes 5-6, VFW Post No. 4217 vs Warm Springs Athletic Asso-

ciation; lanes 7-8, The 3 N Cattle Co. vs Zane Jackson Logging Co.; lanes 9-10, Kah-Nee-Ta vs

Insurance Mart; lanes 11-12 The Inter Tribal Sports.

Attendance awarded

Attendance awards at Warm Springs Elementary in the second quarter went to the following students:

Kindergarten—Kenneth Reed Danzuka, John Kalama, Marie Knight, Fred Sanders, Tina Calica, Lei Calica, Joseph Mitchell, Juanita Pacheco, Jesse Reese, William Sam, Albert Stahi, Thomas Walker, Julio Colazo, Charlie Hellon, Clara Kennedy, Edna David, David Fuentes, Andy McCloud, Pi-ta Pitt, Ardis Smith, Kenneth Tuckta, Michael Wainanwit.

First grade—Jenny Langnese, Nellie McKinley, Dabid Rodriguez, Allen Mitchell, Bucky Smith, Walter Waheneka, Earl Spino, Michael Hellon, Willis Bagley, Sean Bruno, Alonzo Colazo, Brad Courtney, Cliff Pamperin, Scott Riddle, Adam Rubio, Evans Spino, Josephine Alonso, Goldie Davis, Nicole Garcia, Marissa Kalama, Melissa Knight, Tama Langnese, Zanetta Massad, Ramona Sam, Charlyne Spino, Lillie Yahrtin, Virginia Arthur, Shawn Courtney, Betty Lou George, Gabriel Jack, Effie Jim, Jackie Langley, Jonas Miller, Jordan Pitt, McKie Suppah, Ricky Walker, Wes Yahrtin.

Second grade—Lynn Chavez, Taw Foltz, Sharon Katchia, Vanessa Knight, Travis Miller, Michael Smith, Jamie Winsor, Aerie Gibson, Jessie Kalama, Mavis Kirk, Joandi McCloud, Marlen Miller, Justin Tom.

Third grade—Rusty Calica, Walter Cooper, Aldo Garcia, Tony Manion, Kelli Palmer, Amy Payenna, Lizzy Smith, Jacob Spino, Brian Suppah, William Switzer III, Jaclyn Tulee, Vanessa Walker, Lawrence Boise, Susie Briseno, Daniel Chavez, Yvonne Earl, Flint Scott, Eli Smith, Jennifer Smith, Tony Stradley, Jake Suppah, Cimmonon Tufi, Rodney LeClair, Debra Mitchell.

Fourth grade—Ellis Langley, Eric Langnese, Tyron Spino, Ulysses Suppah, Sunmiet Minnick, Chris Winsor, Roscoe Thompson, Emmaline Crooked Arm, Vena Badroad, Lyda Rhoan, Danielle Sahme, Michael Saludo, Jamie Miller, Davis Boise, Bobbie Calica, Fred Colazo, Dondi Foster, Danica Greene, Carolyn Lawrence, Michael Leecy, Frank Reese, Claude Smith, Jason Suarez, Clinton Tom, Jennifer Tufi, Jake Waheneka, Kathleen Yallup, Adrian Kennedy, Veldina Currie, Chet Van Pelt, Louie Smith.

Fifth grade—Allen Charley, Rain Circle, Magdalena Colazo, Shane Henry, Jay Scott, Corey Thomas, Alyssa Macy, Joy Soto, Shawnetta Yahrtin, Floyd Calica, Regan Calica, Chad Smith, Bill Stahi, Marty Tanewasha, Jimmy Wyena, Philiana David, Jolene Hintsala, Angelina Yallup, Taylor Arthur, Russell Graham, Waylon Beymer, Theda Charley, Vangie Jack, Chips Kalama, Samuel Wolfe.

509-J students named to honor roll

One hundred five students finished the first semester with honor roll grades. Students are:

Seventh grade:

Top honor roll (3.50-4.00)
Eldo Badten, Scott Brown, Carmen Casey, Dana Germany, Kandace Gray, Kenneth Hart, Bryan Hopps, Michelle Huntington, Morningstar Johnson, *Kristine King, Heather McColm, *Todd Mobley, *Melanie Orcutt, Eric Petersen, Derek Rogers, Cara Spears, Karen Stevenson, Monica Telfer, Travis Tunison, Christa Vibbert, Allen Wickham, *Jared Wilson.

Regular honor roll (3.00-3.49)

Benny Anderson, Kristine Benson, Susan Boatman, Jacob Coochise, Phyllis Crank, Tina Garcia, Dustin Gassner, Kelly Glenn, Starla Green, Jennifer Hackman, Shari Hardcastle, Scott Hurley, Oliver Hyder, Otis Johnson, Guadalupe Lopez, Lance Mitchell, Laura Moore, Robert Ruffener, Aaron Runge, Cristina Santos, Cory Spofford, Danny Story, Todd Sullivan, Joelden Surface.

Eight Grade:

Top honor roll (3.50-4.00)
*Lucinda Binder, *Pierre Chango, Jeffrey Collins, Rachelle Cooke, Venita Devine Todd Earnest, William Eborall, Heidi Fitzgerald, Michelle Graves, Kirsten Gray, Jason Harris, Derek Herzberg, Steven Hileman, Darrin Jones, Kerra Jones, Julie Kester, Angela Krueger, Kelsie Morlan, *Jan Osborne, Joey Ratliff, *Samantha Rolfe, *Marty Schmith, *Ryan Simmons.

Regular honor (3.00-3.49)

Tara Cavalli, Anthony Chavez, Daniel

Comingore, Cheryl Elliott, Tammy Elliott, Diana Ellis, Eric Galloway, Jodie Gunzenhauser, Marcy Hawes, Clint Huggins, Jacqueline Irwin, Kabessus Jackson, Valeda Jackson, Danni Katchia, Lori Lyon, Theodore Maytinski, Bianca Medrano, Alison Merrit, Jocelyn Moses, Amelia Nielsen, Gary Prince, Tyrone Smith, Kevin Story, Nicola Tate, Jeffrey Teel, Jennifer Thornton, Holly Tingle, Sarah Vollmer, Scott Weisen.

Students at Madras High School achieving a grade point average (GPA) of 3.00 or higher for the first semester are named to the honor roll. Students with a GPA 3.75 and above are All Star Honor Roll students. Students achieving a 4.00 are indicated with an asterisk.

Freshman

All Star Honor Roll
Tracie Anderson, *Ellen Blincoe, *Alice Bowden, Amy Bowden, Curtis Cosgrove, *Kris Delamarter, *Dennis Elliott, Debra England, Anthony Hackman, Matthew Hickerson, Randall Jasa, Victor Muniz, *Angela Namenuk, Brett Patterson, *Aaron Schneider, Julie Simmons, *Amy Spofford, *Janel Wiles, *Nicole Yaw.

Regular honor roll

Teddi Anderson, Kari Archer, Tucker Bauman, Katherine Benson, Shawna Chichenoff, Lisa Cooke, Melissa Copenhaver, Jeffery Cordill, Shelly Davenport, Christopher Earnest, Essi Edgmon, Cheryl Ellison, David Finch, Leslie Freeman, Dana Gephart, Tracy Graves,

Kim Harvey, Jeffrey Hawes, William Irwin, Amy Jolstead, Daniel King, Nathan Kowaleski, Jeanette Lindgren, Casey McKenzie, Cynthia Millard, Donald Mobley, Donald Moore, J.B. Palmer, Tracie Quam, Alana Rogers, Marie Ruffener, Trinie Scarlett, Sigvald Skavlan, Laura Snow, Marceline Stacona, Cynthia Stephens, Shannon Summer, Augusta Taylor, Todd Thawley, Mitzi Tunison, Monica Uribe, Bronson Utter, Leslie Waldow.

Sophomores

All Star honor roll
Amy Allen, Cristi Bard, John Busch, *Sherylann Cooke, Steven Cordill, *Sharri Crossan, Robin DeWhitt, *Tory Garcia, Robert Jasa, James McConkey, *Link Olson, *Allison Thorpe, *Julie Wright.

Regular honor roll

Annette Archer, Jim Bailey, Anne Beamer, Brandy Benson, Kimberly Buettner, Arlene Cassell, Evelyn Crask, Bonnie Dunlap, Danielle Gauthier, Shane Gomes, Jason Gregory, James Hutchens, Brooke Hyder, George Ike, Dennis Irwin, Martha Jantzen, Kathryn Loomis, Teresa McDonald, Randall Morgan, Angela Posey, Michael Ragland, Joseph Roley, Crystal Rooker, Laura Schott, Todd Shaver, Eric Stevenson, Aaron Summers, Mark Younger.

Juniors

All Star honor roll
Lisa Briseno, *Jennifer Burchell, *Sandra Busch, June Comingore, Jennie Houts, *Vickey McKay, Teresa Namenuk, Brian Oatman, Michelle Roberts, Cathrina Watkins.

Regular honor roll

Yvonne Bailey, Todd Beamer, Wasch Blakeley, Patricia Blakeley, Trudy Blann, Ronald Blincoe, Jennifer Boyle, Junelle Chase, Ellison David, Ronita Ensign, Jerome Fitzgerald, Rebecca Harvey, Jeffery Hickerson, Clifford Holmes, Julie Johnson, Aaron Kendall, Barbara Larson, Kelly Lesser, Christopher Lytle, Sue McCool, Shannon McDougall, Chris Nordmark, Matthew Phillips, Lisa Porter, Melissa Rogers, Tarris Rogers, Brett Schulz, Brenda Skidgel, Kelly Simmelink, Teresa Simmons, Karri Stockton, Renee Tathwell, Erik Telfer, Wanda Venter, Kimberley West, Randall Whittle, Bradley Wiles, Mark Williams.

Seniors

All Star honor roll

Kathy Palmer, Kelli Ponsford, Scott Schmith, Tracie Sullivan, Kristen Waldmann.

Regular honor roll
Yirah Armstrong, Mark Baxter, Bradley Benson, Taunia Blakeley, Jonathan Budge, Saunora Buettner, Murat Cakan, Chad Curruitt, Melissa DeWhitt, Kim Fuller, Gordon Gill, Shannon Graves, Leslie Harris, Teryl Hillis, Donald Hoaglin, Lorriena Hogge, Tony Huntington, Victor Hyder, Trena Irwin, Paul Jolstead, Brett Jones, Cassandra Leach, Dale Lindgren, Kristina Lydy, Tanya Moe, Brenda Morsman, Charles Patterson, Gabriela Schreiber, Laura Shaver, Mark Simmons, Shirelle Smith, Tammy Smith, Rebecca Soules, Teresa Sullivan, Danell Tailfeathers, Freddy Vilches, Wendy Wilkinson, Daniel Weed, James Williams, Lauri Williams.