

NESIKA ILLAHEE POW-WOW



Trinity Hall speaks about her scholarship and its benefits.



Edmond Ben and Kenneth Hatch



Everett (Buck) Downey, Markus John, Alfred Lane, and Edward Collins



Other scholarship winners are recognized at the pow-wow.

Thanks to the Pow-Wow Committee for organizing a great pow-wow:
Lillie Butler, Tom Downey, Kelley Ellis, Val Hibdon, Natasha Kavanaugh,
Jack McCord III, Tami Miner, Angela Ramirez, and Craig Whitehead.

WWII Vets Serve as Grand Marshals

The following individuals were honored as grand marshals in the Nesika Illahee Pow-Wow parade. Details of their branch of service, dates of service, location of service, and duty assignments are as follows:

Edmond Ben

Navy
August 1945-1946
Philippine Islands
Landing craft, ran Hoover pilot boat

Kenneth Hatch

Army
August 1942-1970
Korean War
Engineer, retired as a colonel

Edward Collins

Army Infantry
September 1940-1964
North Africa, Italy, France, Sicily
Scout, squad leader, combat patrol

Alfred Lane

Navy
March 1943-1969
South Pacific, Philippines, Korea,
Africa, (many more)
Gunner's mate

Everett (Buck) Downey

Army Infantry
January 1945-1946
Philippines, South Pacific
Machine gun, T5 corporal



Left: The Siletz Tribal elders bus is ready for the parade.

Right: Agnes Baker-Pilgrim leads other traditional dancers during grand entry.

