

Tribal Court News



Tribal Court held the spokesperson orientation on May 27. Individuals attended and their applications were accepted. Chief Judge Gantenbein, Tribal Court Administrator Dianne McLeod, and Project Coordinator Julie Godwin-Tucker conducted the meeting.

Tribal Court plans to hold the first training for the spokespersons in late June or July. All trainings will be videotaped to allow viewing later by those who apply as a Tribal Court spokesperson and miss any of the six trainings.

Applications are continually accepted at Siletz Tribal Court. If you or someone you know is interested in details of the Spokesperson Program, please contact the project coordinator at Tribal Court:

Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians
of Oregon
Attn: Tribal Court Project Coordinator
P.O. Box 549
Siletz, OR 97380-0549

Feel free to call
541-444-8252 or
1-800-922-1399,
ext. 252, if you have
any questions.



Tribal Youth Employment Program (TYEP) Returns

Applications due June 20, 2003

Siletz Tribal Youth age 14 to 17 are invited to apply for the 2003 Tribal Youth Employment Program (TYEP), an opportunity for our youth to gain practical work experience over the summer.

The program begins on June 30 and continues through Aug. 9. Youth participants will complete 180 hours of paid work experience during the program.

To qualify, you must be a Siletz Tribal member between age 14 and 17 residing within the 11-county service area and returning to high school this fall.

To apply, stop by or call the tribal office in your area, the contact person for each area office is listed below. Application also will be mailed to each eligible tribal youth. Bring verification to document the following:

- ◆ Tribal enrollment
- ◆ Age
- ◆ Proof of residence
- ◆ Social Security card or proof of application for a Social Security card
- ◆ Current grade report

If the number of applicants exceeds available slots, priority will be given to:

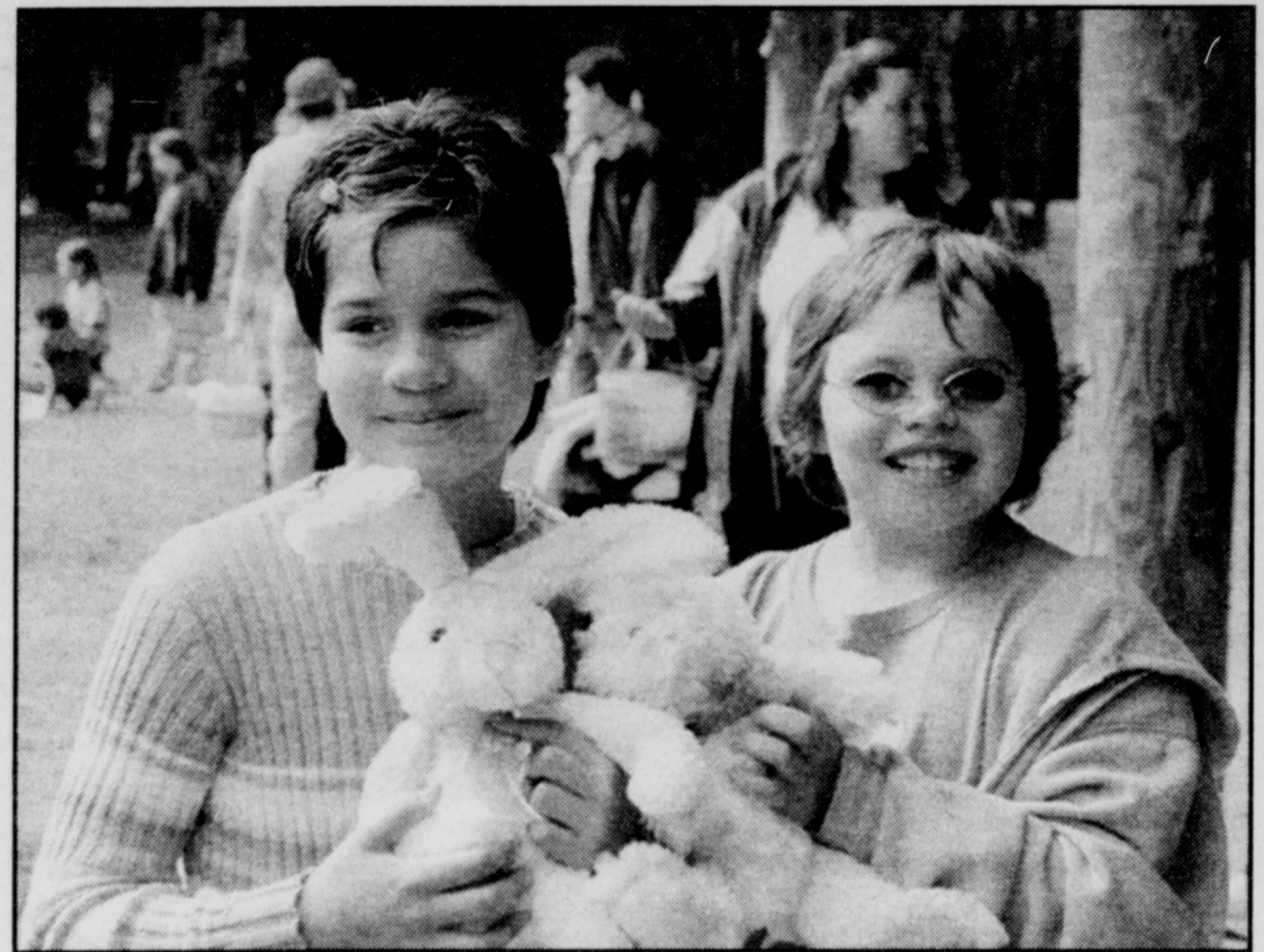
- Youth age 14 to 16 with little or no work experience who have not participated in TYEP
- Youth with a 2.0 GPA or higher, although applicants with less than a 2.0 GPA may be considered
- Youth from families whose gross annual/monthly income is within the Reduced Price guidelines and haven't been served by ESP's Summer Youth Employment Program
- Previous TYEP participants who successfully completed their work experience

Portland: Katy Kaady, 503-238-1512;
3715 SE 39th, Portland, OR 97202

Salem: Sonya Moody-Jurado,
503-390-9494; 3789 River Road N.,
Ste. 'D', Keizer, OR 97303

Eugene: Nick Sixkiller, 541-484-4234;
1140 Willagillespie Rd., Ste. 18,
Eugene, OR 97401

Siletz: Mona Fisher, 541-444-8373 or
1-800-922-1399, ext. 373; 201 SE
Swan Ave./P.O. Box 549, Siletz,
OR 97380



Julia Austin and Rowan Pettit at the Easter Egg Hunt

Easter Egg Hunt Draws 120 Kids

Culture, Education, Pow-Wow, and Youth Services hosted an Easter Egg Hunt on April 19 at the Siletz Tribal Community Center. Approximately 120 children hunted for more than 1,000 eggs and received prizes in a drawing.

This is the second year that the staff has organized this event. Robert Kentta was the emcee and was assisted by the Easter Bunny. Tribal staff donated eggs in addition to the eggs colored by Programs 2 staff.



The Easter Bunny and Mona Fisher

June Distribution Dates

Siletz

Monday, June 2	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Tuesday, June 3	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Wednesday, June 4	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Thursday, June 5	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Friday, June 6	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Salem

Monday, June 16	2 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Tuesday, June 17	9 a.m. – 7 p.m.
Wednesday, June 18	9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

We would like to thank you for your patience during the construction of our new walk-in freezer, which enables us to store more bonus food items, such as buffalo burger, buffalo stew meat, and ham.

We also would like to remind you of the incentive gift certificates available to those (clients as well as non-clients) willing to prepare a meal during our distribution dates. Feel free to ask about how you can receive a gift certificate by calling 1-800-922-1399, ext. 393, or 541-444-8393.

See you soon and have happy meals!

