

Another Year of Wisdom Happy Birthday!

Fearn Blacketer, 11/22
Kenneth Blair, 11/11
Jackie Buckman, 11/11
Lorraine Butler, 11/22
Snoball Butler, 11/19
Hallie Caba Jr., 11/20
John Christensen, 11/10
Willa Daugherty, 11/26
Jessie Davis, 11/4
Cecelia Deanda, 11/29
Sherry Eddings, 11/15
Raymond Girard, 11/1
Minnie Hegge, 11/9
Geneva Johnson, 11/19

Gylene Jones, 11/20
Lillian Larvie, 11/13
Dixie Lee, 11/14
Frankie Logan, 11/18
Larkie Logan, 11/18
Benny Marzan, 11/25
Robert Miller, 11/25
Joy Moses, 11/28
Jose Paez III, 11/20
Joyce Phillips, 11/25
Andrew Quitevis, 11/1
John Roe Jr., 11/30
Jeffrey Williams, 11/29
Bev Youngman, 11/13



Sue Bennett, Lillie Butler, Myrt Flagg, Alice Werth, and Kaitlyn Harrington

Elders Run, Walk, and Ride to the Rogue

by Kathryn Dick

Several elders took an active part in Run to the Rogue by working along the way and some even put in some miles. Other elders rode vans and caught up with the runners at Bullards State Park, where lunch was provided. It was an exciting time and the elders enjoyed the sunshine and visited with other participants.

From there, the elders headed to Gold Beach, where we stayed at the Motel 6. After checking in and a quick rest, we went back to Port Orford for dinner and music. The community of Port Orford provided the dinner and honored the Siletz Tribal members.

We got up early the next day, had breakfast, and headed for Oak Flats. We caught up with the runners before they reached the end of the run. Some elders got out to walk and run to the finish.

After we arrived at Oak Flats, a ceremony was held. We then gathered and went to Singing Springs for dinner.

We did have an incident where the big white elders' van had a flat tire. Luckily, it was just as we arrived at the Singing Springs Resort.

A big thanks goes out to Stan Werth, Public Works supervisor, for taking charge and getting everything repaired. Thanks also to Rosemary Landis, her husband Gene, Stan, and Pam for waiting with the elders while all this was being done. They also followed us back to the motel.

Our trip home was an enjoyable one – walking on the beach, stopping at The Mill Casino, then stopping for food and ice cream. This was a real trip to remember – another Run to the Rogue making many memories for all who took part.

Elder Council Meeting

Nov. 15, 2003

Chinook Winds Casino & Convention Center

2 p.m. – 5 p.m.



Wayne Case and Marie Chapman enjoy themselves at the luncheon.

Elders Attend Coeur d'Alene Honor Day

by Kathryn Dick

Twelve elders attended the Coeur d'Alene Elder Honor Day in Plummer, Idaho. Elders from each area attended the event, which was held at the Coeur d'Alene Hotel and Casino.

It was a nice trip with wonderful weather. The luncheon was really nice with a musician who played during the event. They welcomed the different tribes

and had door prizes. It was a good time to visit with elders from other areas.

We came home on a different route and it was really nice to see new areas.

Andrew Joseph, the Northwest representative, also was at the gathering and talked about what has been happening with NICOA. He announced the upcoming conference, which will be held in Milwaukee, Wis., in August 2004.



Angela Ramirez hands several large dentalium necklaces, donated by the Elders Program, to Albert Wallace, coordinator of the elders restoration raffle.