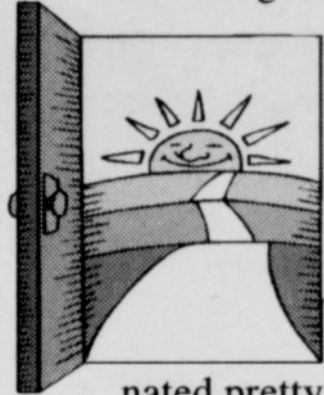


TLC Attitudes of Gratitude

We have had a good and active month at the TLC. We've been hauling up loads of firewood (good exercise) to take off the evening chill. Then a new thermostat was installed and we have been "snug as a bug!"



We have had a lot of support this past month. Another agency shared some blankets. Anita Wheeler donated pretty glass relish dishes for our festive occasions and Christmas decorations. Lynn Whitlow donated tree lights, coffee, spices, popcorn, and other decorations.

Linda Tough gave us some educational cassettes, while Brenda Butler donated clothing, shoes, and miscella-

neous items. Debbie of Toledo Florist gifted us with several items. We are grateful to each donor for her generosity.

We so appreciate Jackie Ashley, Alice McCain, Joan Hartung, Denise Riding In, Carrie White, and Lisa Brown for faithfully filling overnight shifts and to Selene for strengthening our residents with her morning support/meditation groups.

We hold a Women's Talking Circle monthly, usually on the second Wednesday of the month. We encourage all women in recovery, or considering a life of recovery, to join us for a potluck dinner at 5:45 p.m. and the Talking Circle at 6:30 p.m.

Call Lynn at 1-800-922-1399, ext. 1238, or 541-444-8238, for more information, to make donations, or to volunteer.

Happy New Year to All!



Jon Duarte and Jack McCord III are sworn in as Siletz Tribal Police Department reserve officers by Chief Judge Calvin Gantenbein in December.

CTSI Employment Job Line

541-444-8296 or 1-800-922-1399, ext. 1296

Visit our Web site at <http://ctsi.nsn.us>

Position: Natural Resources

Crewmember

Department: Natural Resources

Location: Siletz, Oregon

Salary: \$11.83 per hour

Open: 12/9/04

Close: 1/14/05

Note: "Open Until Filled" vacancies may close at any time. The tribe's Indian Preference policy will apply. Tribal government will not discriminate in selection because of race, creed, age, sex, color, national origin, physical handicap, marital status, politics, membership or non-membership in an employee organization.

November USDA Distribution Dates

Siletz

Monday, Jan 3	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Tuesday, Jan 4	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Wednesday, Jan 5	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Thursday, Jan 6	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
Friday, Jan 7	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Salem

Tuesday, Jan 18	1:30 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Wednesday, Jan 19	9 a.m. – 7 p.m.
Thursday, Jan 20	9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Please note that Jan. 17 is a holiday, therefore we will start distribution on Jan. 18.

We were very fortunate to receive capital funds from the federal USDA budget that made it possible to purchase a very nice walk-through cooler/freezer for our Salem warehouse. It was a much-needed item and we will be able to preserve the fresh produce during the hot summer months.

Additionally, when we receive items like the frozen ham, buffalo, and bison, we now have plenty of freezer space that will allow our Salem clients to also have the benefit of these bonus items.

Thank you to all of our clients who jump right in and help when you see that we are a bit overwhelmed with lots of distribution and file work. Cody Cole – thank you for being a terrific warehouseman at our Salem warehouse.

Happy Meals and hope 2005 is a very healthy year for everyone.

The number of clients that we serve at our Siletz warehouse has increased considerably and we like to think the word is spreading throughout Indian Country about the great variety of foods that we now offer.

It's still quite a challenge to implement the **fresh** produce program. The staff truly appreciates the patience of the clients who are waiting and also the help that we receive when we are serving.

Thank you, Daniel Brown and Bobby Joe Brandt, for all your hard work here at the Siletz warehouse.



Native American Studies Position Open at PSU

New Native American Studies Program (currently offering minor) at Portland State University seeks tenure-line assistant or associate professor of Native American Studies. Program is rooted in civically active urban and regional Native communities and is committed to strengthening that rootedness.

Search committee will consider all disciplines, areas of research/scholarship, and teaching, but qualified applicants must show promise of tenure in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. Preference for commitment to interdisciplinarity and to research in and partnership with local/regional Native communities.

Substantial experience living, working, and/or participating in a Native community(ies), or interacting with Native populations required, as is

commitment to PSU's diversity curriculum. Ph.D. or other appropriate terminal degree (or scheduled defense date) required. Teaching experience and publications preferred.

PSU is an AA/EO institution and, in keeping with the president's diversity initiative, welcomes applications from diverse candidates and candidates who support diversity.

Please send letter of application, CV, and three letters of reference to Tom Biolsi, Anthropology Dept., Portland State University, P.O. Box 751, Portland, OR 97207-0751.

Review of applications begins Feb. 7, 2005, and will continue until finalists are identified.

Correspondence will be conducted primarily by e-mail. Send e-mail address with application, or clearly indicate if you do not have e-mail.