

## TRIBAL PROGRAM NEWS

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual S.T.Y.L.E. (Siletz Tribal Youth Living Empowered) Coed Native Basketball Tournament

April 24-27, 2008

The S.T.Y.L.E. Coed Native Basketball Tournament will be held April 24-27, 2008.

Youth teams up to eight players, including two non-Native alternates if needed, have been invited from around the Pacific Northwest and the 11-county service area. Recruitment began in January 2008 with invitations sent to all nine tribes of Oregon and various tribes in Southern Washington.

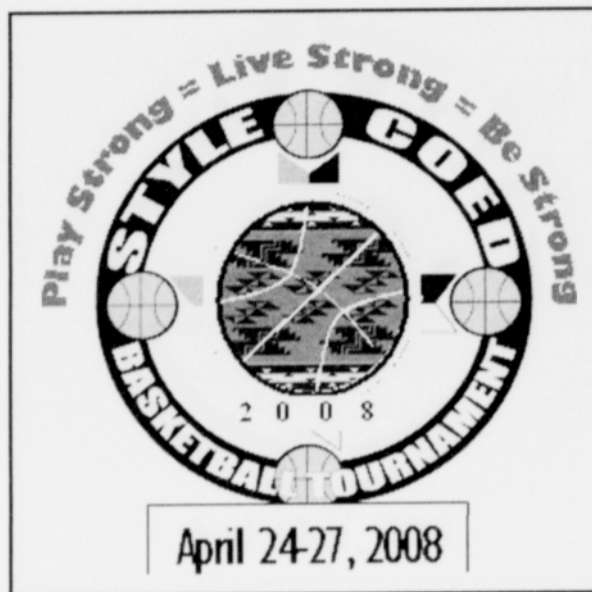
In 2006, the S.T.Y.L.E. Volunteer Committee took up the challenge to re-establish a basketball tournament in Siletz. The committee and youth volunteers did fund-raisers, submitted funding requests and obtained donations throughout the year to raise funds for a basketball tournament in April 2007 with an attendance of more than 350 people.

The S.T.Y.L.E. volunteer board has worked hard to ensure funding for this

year's tournament. Fund-raising for the 2008 competition has been under way for the last year.

In addition to our fund-raisers, we are proud to announce our participating partners and donors. Thank you to the Blazer Foundation, Portland Winter Hawks, Chinook Winds and for a generous donation by the Siletz Tribal Charitable Contribution Fund.

April is Alcohol Abuse Prevention Month and National Youth Sports Safety Month. S.T.Y.L.E.'s mission is to empower youth to reach their leadership



potential through participation in physical activity programming, service learning and volunteerism.

Keeping in mind our mission and the month's prevention focus, the theme for the basketball tournament is: **PLAY STRONG = LIVE STRONG =**

**BE STRONG.**

S.T.Y.L.E. recognizes the importance of supporting healthy lifestyles for players and their families.

We are seeking volunteers – youth and adults – to help anytime during this three-day competition. If you are interested, please contact DeAnna Pearl

at 541-444-9659 or 800-648-0449, ext. 1659.

Where: **Siletz Valley School Big Gym, Siletz, Ore.**

#### Age Brackets:

4-6 Grades  
7-9 Grades  
10-12 Grades  
MVP Awards and All-Star Awards

If you have a team and want to play, contact:

Angela Martin  
angelam@ctsi.nsn.us  
541-444-8311 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1311  
541-444-8313 (fax)

Deadline for Registration and Fee: **April 11, 2008**

Registration Fee: **\$150**

### Housing Funds Available Again in July

Tribal emergency housing funds are expended and the program will be available again July 1, 2008.

Please contact Rachelle Endres at 541-444-8311 or 800-922-1399, ext. 1311, if you have any questions.

### CTSI Jobs

CTSI Employment Job Line – 541-444-8296 or 1-800-922-1399, ext. 1296  
Visit our Web site at [www.ctsi.nsn.us](http://www.ctsi.nsn.us)

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.

### FOSTER PARENTING INFO SESSIONS

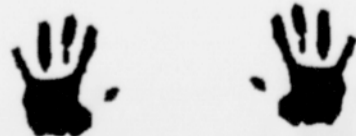
Foster Parenting is a great way to help our Tribal Children in a time of need. Have you ever wondered what Foster Parenting is all about?

This is the perfect opportunity to find out about fostering in an informal question-and-answer session.

Drop in at your convenience at one of the locations below to get more information.  
Light refreshments will be provided.

<b>Wed, April 2nd</b>	4 pm - 6 pm	@ <b>Salem Area Office</b>
<b>Thurs, April 3rd</b>	4 pm - 6 pm	@ <b>Siletz Public Library</b>
<b>Wed, April 9th</b>	4 pm - 6 pm	@ <b>Eugene Area Office</b>
<b>Thurs, April 10th</b>	4 pm - 6 pm	@ <b>Portland Area Office</b>

Shawna Nagunst  
Confederated Tribes of Siletz  
Foster Care Certifier  
Phone: 1-800-922-1399 ext. 1278  
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### Annual Culture Camp Set for July

Culture Camp will take place on July 15-17 at the Tribal Community Center on Government Hill.

The committee is having a logo art contest and the deadline to submit your entry is May 12, 2008. Please send all entries to the CTSI/Cultural Programs, P.O. Box 549, Siletz, OR 97380-0549.

Culture Camp is for tribal members and tribal families only. If children are under age 10, they must be chaperoned by an adult. Suggested activities are basketweaving, hand-drum making demonstration, drumstick making, bead working, shell necklace making, traditional foods preparation, flint-knapping, storytelling, fish T-shirt painting, moccasin making and recreational activities.

Overnight camping is available for families who live outside of the Siletz area. Overnight participants should bring tents, sleeping bags, toiletries, etc. Campers can arrive on July 14, but meals are not provided on this day.

If you have any questions, suggestions, ideas or donations, please call Cultural Programs at 800-922-1399, ext. 1246, or 541-444-8246.  
Hvm'Chi!

### Tribal Council E-mail Addresses

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