

NOTICES

Opportunities for Schools

2009 American Civil Liberties Union Youth Activist Scholarship: We need your help in identifying students who have a passion for civil liberties! Sixteen high school students from across the country will be awarded a \$12,500 college scholarship for their dedication to preserving our civil liberties.

We are seeking students who have stood up for issues involving racial justice, free speech, human rights, equality and tolerance. The scholarship winners then will become part of an elite "class" of student activists whose talents and passion will be fostered by the ACLU national office.

Please contact Evyn Mitchell at 503-552-2109 or emitchell@aclu-or.org for more information and an application. For more information on this scholarship program, visit www.aclu.org/standup/. Enter by Dec. 5, 2008.



Save Energy at Home this Winter

Saving energy can be a challenge. Following are some tips from the Oregon Department of Energy.

Heating

- Set your heating thermostat to 55 degrees at night and 68 degrees during the daytime when you are home.
- Install a programmable thermostat to automatically maintain temperatures. (Heat pumps may require a special model of programmable thermostat.)
- Insulate your attic, floor and walls (12 inches or more is recommended for attics).
- Replace your single-pane windows with energy-efficient windows.
- Close fireplace damper when not in use.
- Have a tax credit-certified technician test and seal your ductwork (see list on our website: www.oregon.gov/energy/).

Water Heating

- Set your water heater to 125-130 degrees.
- Wrap your water heater with a water heater blanket if it's in unheated space. Insulation blankets cost only about \$10 and quickly pay for themselves. Follow manufacturer's instructions.
- Install water-saving showerheads. New models deliver a full spray using less than two-and-a-half gallons a minute. They cost \$10 to \$20 and are easy to install.
- Install faucet aerators.
- Fix leaky faucets. Thirty drips a minute of hot water wastes 50 gallons of water a month.
- Take a shower instead of a bath. The average bath uses twice as much hot water as a five-minute shower.
- Set a timer when you shower to remind you when five minutes is up. Showers make up about two-thirds of your water heating costs.
- Don't allow hot water to run down the drain. Turn off the faucets immediately after use.
- Insulate your hot water pipes.
- Drain and clean hot tubs if not in use. Use insulated cover.
- Wash only full loads in clothes washer and dishwasher.

Lighting

- Turn off your lights whenever possible. Use task lighting rather than lighting the whole room.
- Replace your indoor standard incandescent light bulbs with compact fluorescent bulbs. The new compact fluorescent bulbs use approximately 70 percent less energy than standard light bulbs. While more expensive initially, they last much longer.
- Replace your outdoor lighting with motion-sensor flood lights or compact fluorescents.

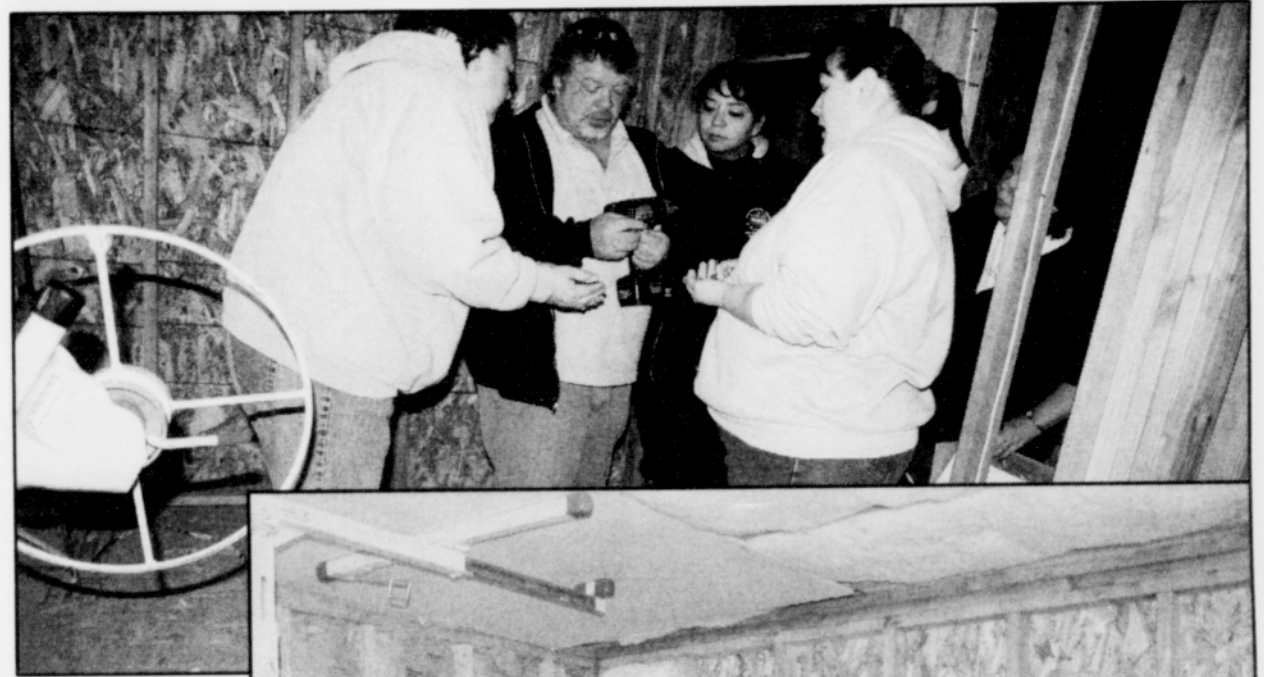
Refrigeration

- Don't keep your refrigerator or freezer too cold. Recommended temperatures are 37-40 degrees F for the refrigerator and 0 degrees F for the freezer. Check the temperature.
- Replace your 10-year-old or older refrigerator with an energy-efficient model.
- Discontinue use of a seldom-used second "pop and beer" refrigerator.

Cooking

- Cook several meals at the same time.
- Use a microwave or toaster oven when possible for small quantities of food.
- When heating water for tea or other drinks, heat only as much as you need.

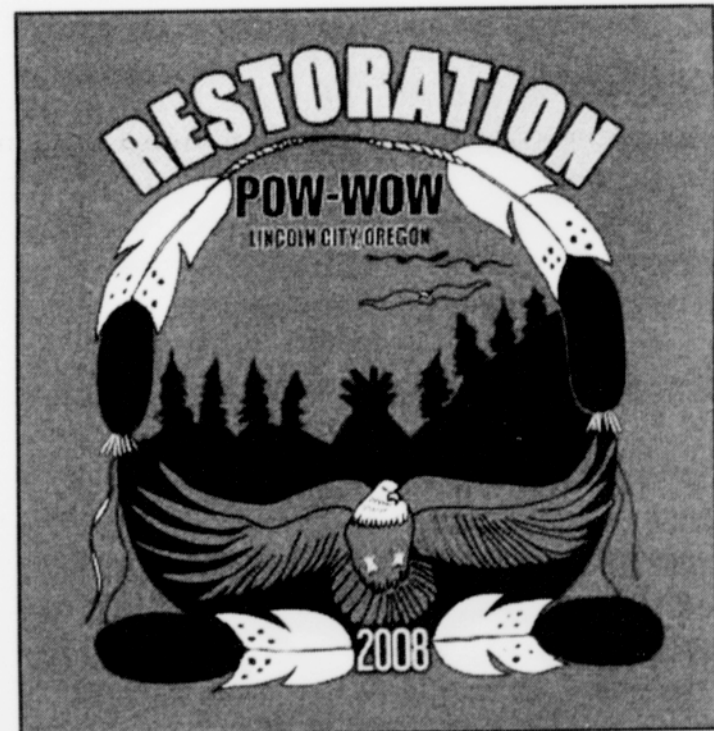
The Oregon Department of Energy provides tax credits, loans, technical assistance and energy information for homes, businesses, manufacturing, farms, ranches, schools and government. For more information, call toll-free 800-221-8035 or check the website at www.oregon.gov/energy/.



Above: Kelley Ellis, Chris Murphy, Wendi Schamp and Margo Hudson get some instruction from Greg, another volunteer, at a Habitat for Humanity project in Lincoln City

on Oct. 22. They were joined by Bonnie and Jim Crawford and Robert Arce-Torres as they all worked on installing drywall at the Habitat house.

Photos by Brent Merrill



On Saturday, November 15, 2008

The Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians of Oregon

Invites you to celebrate with us at our

31st Annual Restoration Pow-Wow

To Be Held At

Chinook Winds Casino Resort

1777 NW 44th Street

Lincoln City, Oregon.

Grand Entry: 6 PM

ARENA DIRECTOR: TONY WHITEHEAD

MC: NICK SIXKILLER

All Drums And Dancers Welcome

Information: Mona Fisher: 1-800-922-1399 ext. 1230 or 541-444-8230

Nick Sixkiller: 541-484-4234

This is a family event, drugs and alcohol will not be tolerated.
The Confederated Tribes of Siletz Indians and Chinook Winds Casino Resort are not responsible for injuries and lost or stolen items