

community, Oguni, a small coastal town in NW Japan, had him and four other Native American artists for a week's presentation in their area.

Raffle items can be viewed in the display cases at the Tribal Center soon. The money generated from the raffle will be used to purchase travel kits for those that we refer to primary residential treatment facilities.

Participants are not permitted to wear heavy boots while dancing. The drum groups will have to have blankets or some kind of protection for the gym floor.

Grange Crafts Sharing

By: Walt Klamath

1992 has been declared the "Year of the Indian", the 500 year anniversary of the Columbus's arrival, the 125th anniversary of the Grange.

The Siletz Grange has their doors open every Wednesday afternoon, 1:30pm to 6:30pm to anyone interested in crafts, either sharing your knowledge or learning new from others.

There will be some scheduled evening classes coming up. Harriet Bowman, will be sharing about "TATTING". Bill Wilson will be sharing about "CRADLE BOARD" and "DRUM" making. Ray Fleming will share on "LOOM BEADING". There is plenty of work space. You will need to bring a desk lamp for fine beading. There will be some materials available for purchase. We hope to have 10 inch to 18 inch drum frames available.

If anyone would like to have a special sharing session on any type of craft, let Frances know and she will do her best to find someone that will share their skills.

Annual Christmas Bazaar

On November 14, 1992 the Grange will have its annual Christmas Bazaar at the Siletz Valley Grange Hall. All tables have been reserved at this time.

For more Information, Call Frances Klamath, GWA, home 444-2001 at the Grange Wednesday afternoons, 444-2704.

Canoe Project

From Robert Kentta

The Siletz Alcohol and Drug Program has been working towards having George Blake come to Siletz to give a presentation/demonstration on canoe carving, bow making, and other traditional life crafts.

As soon as Mr. Blake gets back from Europe, we can confirm, but tentatively we are scheduling his program for 9:00-10:30 a.m. at the Siletz Tribal Center, November 7th.

General Council is also that day, so we will move to another area to have him demonstrate on a log after 10:30.

If interested, call Robert Kentta at 867-7666 or George Nagel at the Siletz Community Health Clinic, 444-1030.



Baby Fisher

Misty Fisher proudly announces the birth of her son, Nikah Ty Allen Fisher. Nikah was born at Albany General Hospital on September 28 at 7:41 p.m. He weighed 9 lbs., 2 oz. and was 22 inches long.

Grandparents are Robbi Sylvester of Springfield and Chuck Fisher of Siletz. Great-Grandparents are Dan & Dolly Fisher of Siletz and Helene and Mickie Sulsar of Sutherlin, Oregon.

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Birth Announcements

Baby Weder

Congratulations to Mark and Janet Weder on the birth of their daughter, Siri!

She was born on July 22, 1992 at 6:24 p.m. Siri weighed 7 lbs., 7 oz. and was 21 inches long. She has a 2 1/2 year old sister, Marie.

The proud grandparents are John and Lucy Weder and great-grandmother, Louise Carson.

Baby Bremer

Congratulations to Margo Bremer on the birth of her son Bradley Justin Romey Bremer!

Bradley was born at 12:04 a.m. at the Milwaukie Birth Center on September 21, 1992. He weighed 8 lbs., 2 oz. and was 20 1/2 inches long.

His proud grandmother is Kathy Bremer and great-grandmother is Marjorie Mortenson.



Denise Wilson, Bonnie Petersen, DeAnn Brown, Sherry Addis, (in front) Grant Wilson and Joseph "Bunnie" Peterson, (Robert Kentta not shown)

Siletz Basketry Group

From Robert Kentta

The Siletz Tribal Culture Committee has been hosting basketry materials gathering and preparation trips for the past few Sundays.

We've really had a good group of people so far. We have gathered and prepared hazel switches and spruce roots. On October 18th we had our first day of weaving. Off to a great start!

Gathering trips can still be arranged for those who are still interested in learning and were not able to attend earlier trips.

Contact Robert Kentta at 867-7666 for more information.