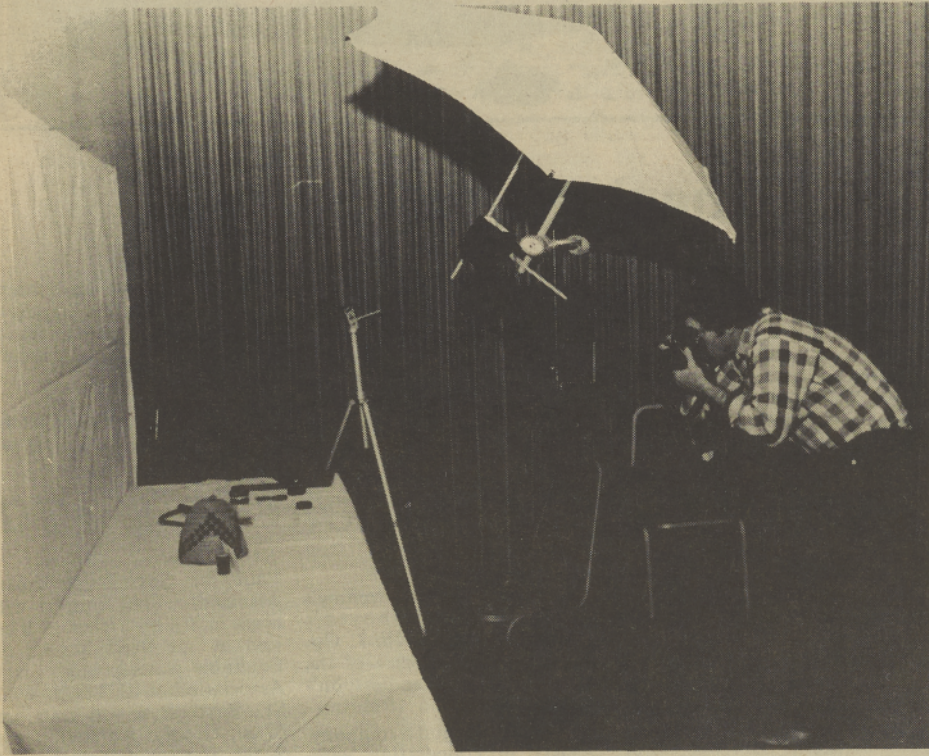


# Artifacts photographed for upcoming book



**ARTIFACTS PHOTOGRAPHED**—Tribal members brought family heirlooms and artifacts to Kah-Nee-Ta for a field day yesterday. The field day was organized cooperatively by the Culture and Heritage Committee and Rocky/Marsh Public Relations in order to catalogue items for an upcoming book.

**THIS IS HOW WE USED TO**—Matilda Mitchell (right) showed Rocky/Marsh artist Rudy Milpacher one of the many items she brought to be photographed. Matilda brought corn husk bags, bead work, a buckskin dress, an old make-up bag and many other items.

Spilyay Tymoo photos by Donna Behrend

Thursday was field day at Kah-Nee-Ta. Tribal members were invited by the Tribal Culture and Heritage Committee to bring their family heirlooms and artifacts to be photographed for an upcoming book. The field day was organized with the cooperation of Rocky/Marsh Public Relations of Portland.

People brought corn husk bags, cedar baskets, bead work, buckskin items, wooden bowls

with stone pestals, old photos as well as other items to be photographed.

All the items were photographed by a photographer from Rocky/Marsh for cataloguing. After the photos are processed, artist Rudy Milpacher will decide just what ones will be used for the book. It will also be decided how many Warm Springs, Wasco and Paiute items there are. If there are no items from

any one of the three tribes, the firm will call for more artifacts to be brought to Kah-Nee-Ta for photographing.

Those who own the items to be shown in the book will be contacted at a later date to arrange for photography in a professional studio in Portland.

The book, due to be published this summer, will be about 60 pages long, and will give a history of the Warm

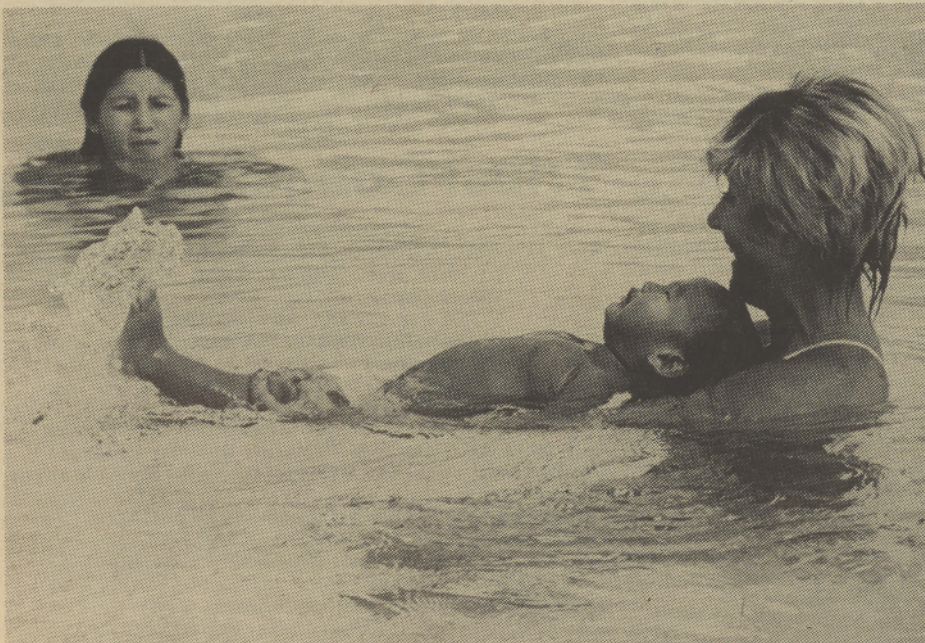
Springs Reservation. It will measure 9"x9" and have a padded cover. Copies of the book will be given to tribal members and sold to non-members for about \$25.00 to off-set the cost of printing the book. Photos of the artifacts will be in color, old photos will be in either black and white or sepia tone.

Tribal members will be involved in identifying the old photos used in the book. Copy

for the book, according to Rocky/Marsh spokesman Bill Marsh, has already been written and the second draft will be presented at the next Cultural and Heritage committee meeting.

Because turnout was rather low for the field day, Culture and Heritage Committee chairman Olney Patt Sr. has arranged another field day for later this month or in early May.

## Super Swimbabes invited to show their skills



**SWIM SURVIVAL TRAINING**—Jackie Young works with Phillip as mother Gladys Squiemphen looks on.

Spilyay Tymoo photo by Shewczyk

The Super Swimbabes of Warm Springs have been invited to participate in a swimming program on the island of Oahu in the Hawaiian Islands during the first week of July. Six of the babies and their parents have been asked to show their swimming skills in a promotion of the Blue Ribbon Infant Swim program, according to Jackie Young, instructor and founder of the program.

The local babies have been participants in the program since it was introduced at Kah-Nee-Ta last summer. Ms. Young said the appeal of taking the Warm Springs babies is a cultural appeal. The program the local babies and their parents will put on has the flavor of the Indian culture because they use canoes as a part of their program.

The Babes are also scheduled to appear in a swim program in Portland during the month of April.

Ms. Young is at Kah-Nee-Ta each Friday to instruct the babies in swim survival and safety for babies ages 8 to 18 months. She said there is room for additional babies in her present classes at Kah-Nee-Ta. The cost of the lessons is \$7 per lesson. Any parents interested in enrolling their children should phone Ms. Young at (503) 665-0610.

The parents will be responsible for paying for their expenses. Mercedes Suppah said the parents are planning events to be held at the community to help raise enough money to pay for airfare and living expenses while Hawaii for the week.

**Happy Easter**