

COCC Residency Policy Changed

A change in Central Oregon Community College's residency policy regarding tuition rates charged to independent students was approved by directors at their regular monthly meeting held last Wednesday evening on the COCC campus.

The board established a six-month period as the minimum time for an independent student to live in the College district for purposes of establishing in-district residency. Students meeting residency requirements pay the lowest tuition rate.

Presently, an independent student need only to have lived in the College district for one month.

An independent student is defined as not having resided at the permanent residence of parents for more than six weeks, not having received in

excess of \$750 support from one or both parents, and not having been claimed by one or both parents as an income tax exemption.

A student who's parents own property within the College district on which they pay property tax is considered a resident student for purposes of determining tuition classification.

The change was needed because of the reduced level of State funding for community colleges over the past several years. As a result, COCC has not been fully funded for all of its full-time equivalent (FTE) students. An FTE is based on one student taking 15 credit hours.

According to COCC President Frederick Boyle, "With limited resources, our first priority is to the residents of the COCC District. Our

intent in making this change is to establish a mechanism which recognizes the contributions of its district taxpayers and establishes a fair tuition differential, more consistent with local contributions and those of the State."

Beginning fall term, 1982, district residents will pay \$180 per term tuition. Tuition for students from outside of Central Oregon is \$275 and \$903 per term for students from outside of Oregon.

In other Board business, Seniors Educational Services Coordinator Laurette A. Stephens was hired to determine the educational needs and services the College can provide for older adults. Working closely with existing Seniors organizations, Stephens will arrange classes and services for delivery to area adults.

Big-brothers/sisters needed

Volunteers are needed who are willing to share an activity or an experience with young people from the community.

If you are interested in this new program an interview between yourself and the youth can be arranged to determine compatibility and common

interests. If you "hit it off," contact on a weekly basis would be recommended and the youth would benefit. Not only meeting a respected member of the community, but also a friend.

Please contact Harry Hintsala, Juvenile Coordinator, 553-1161 ext. 280, 8-5 p.m.

Regional solicitor appointed

The appointment of Gina Guy as Regional Solicitor for the Department of the Interior in Portland, Oregon, was announced May 20 by Interior Solicitor William H. Coldiron.

Guy, 38, a practicing attorney in Cheyenne, Wyoming, for the past seven years, takes over her new duties on June 1, filling a vacancy created early this year by the resignation of Jean Lowman. The Regional Solicitor coordinates all legal work arising from the Interior Department's numerous agencies in Oregon, Washington, Idaho, and Hawaii.

"We conducted an exhaustive search to find the best qualified candidate for the position of Regional Solicitor," said Coldiron. "Ms. Guy's training and experience, as well as her knowledge of Interior issues involving land and water, Indian affairs, national parks, fish and wildlife and other natural resources, eminently qualify her to accept her new post. I look forward to working with her."

Guy's legal practice with a Cheyenne law firm included natural resources law, corporate work, administrative duties, civil rights defense work, and representation for various interests with Wyoming Legislature. Before joining the Cheyenne firm she had legal experience with a firm in Boulder, Colorado. She was a teaching associate in Spanish at the University of Colorado from 1969 to 1971.

Guy earned a B.A. degree at the University of Wyoming in 1964, an M.A. degree at the University of Colorado in 1971, and a J.D. degree at the University of Wyoming in 1975. She is qualified to practice law in numerous jurisdictions including the Supreme Court of the United States.

She was born in Cheyenne on August 12, 1943. She served from 1965 to 1968 in the Woman's Army Corps. She was discharged as a captain after a lengthy overseas assignment in France and Germany.

Giant snake planned

On July 8, the largest snake in Oregon will be built by community members. The Community Center staff has arranged for the community to build a 350-foot plastic snake which will be displayed throughout the area. The public is invited to join in the project at 10 a.m. on July 8.

The snake will be constructed of plastic and will be inflated very much like a balloon. Carol Allison of the

Community Center stated it will take most of the day to build the creature. After it is finished and inflated it will be about six feet in diameter.

The snake will be inflated and shown at Kah-Nee-Ta on July 9. Carol said there are plans to show the creature at different times and locations this summer. Anyone interested in assisting the Center can call Carol for more information at 553-1161, extensions 243 or 244.

IATA literary festival set

The Institute of American Indian Arts literary festival will run from July 13 through July 16, 1982, and will be held at the Institute of American Indian Arts on the College of Santa Fe campus, St. Michael's Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

The I.A.I.A. literary festival is designed as an annual meeting scholars, authors, and other individuals interested in American literature. Though not limited to Native American authors or Native American literature, the Festival, through its sponsorship by the Institute of American Indian Arts, will continue to regard these as the main areas of concern.

Different authors will appear each day which include Wendy Rose, Duane Niatum, Ray A. Young Bear and N. Scott

Momaday. The daily schedule will be composed of a lecture, reading of the authors own work and a workshop with interested participants.

Arts shows running simultaneously with the festival will be the artwork of the authors Wendy Rose, Ray Young Bear and N. Scott Momaday.

The cost of attending the four-day Festival is provided on both a full-time basis and on a part-time basis—the latter for individuals who only wish to attend part of the sessions. Full four days: \$200, three days: \$175, two days \$150 and one day \$100. Current enrolled I.A.I.A. students and college staff are provided with a reduced rate.

SUMMER FUN—

Recreation program cures summer blues

"There is nothing to do." or "I'm bored." are often complaints parents hear from their children. If these are statements in your household by since the summer months have arrived, then perhaps "Summer Fun," a brochure covering summer activities at the Community Center, is the answer for you and your family. The brochure is a world of information covering the summer recreation program sponsored by the Center. It can be picked up free of charge, at the Community Center or Macy's Store.

Swimming, story telling, fun days, movies, demonstrations, field trips, rafting, exercise activities, and roller skating are just a few of the scheduled activities for the summer. The summer recreation program is held each year and it is offered to children who are not employed with the summer work program. Special activities are also held

for the entire community. Activities for children are supervised by staff members of the Community Center and the Recreation Program.

Swimming classes are scheduled for young people depending upon their age and skills. Swimmers will be required to furnish their own suits and towels. Pre-registration and written parental permission are required for children to attend the swimming sessions.

The Friday Field Trip will take children to Kah-Nee-Ta, Trout Lake, the Portland Zoo/OMSI, Schoolie Ranger Station, Eagle Springs and the Enchanted Forest. Children interested in attending any of the trips will need to sign up Monday through Thursday the week before the planned trip. Parents will be required to sign a permission form for their children to participate in field trips. One permission slip will

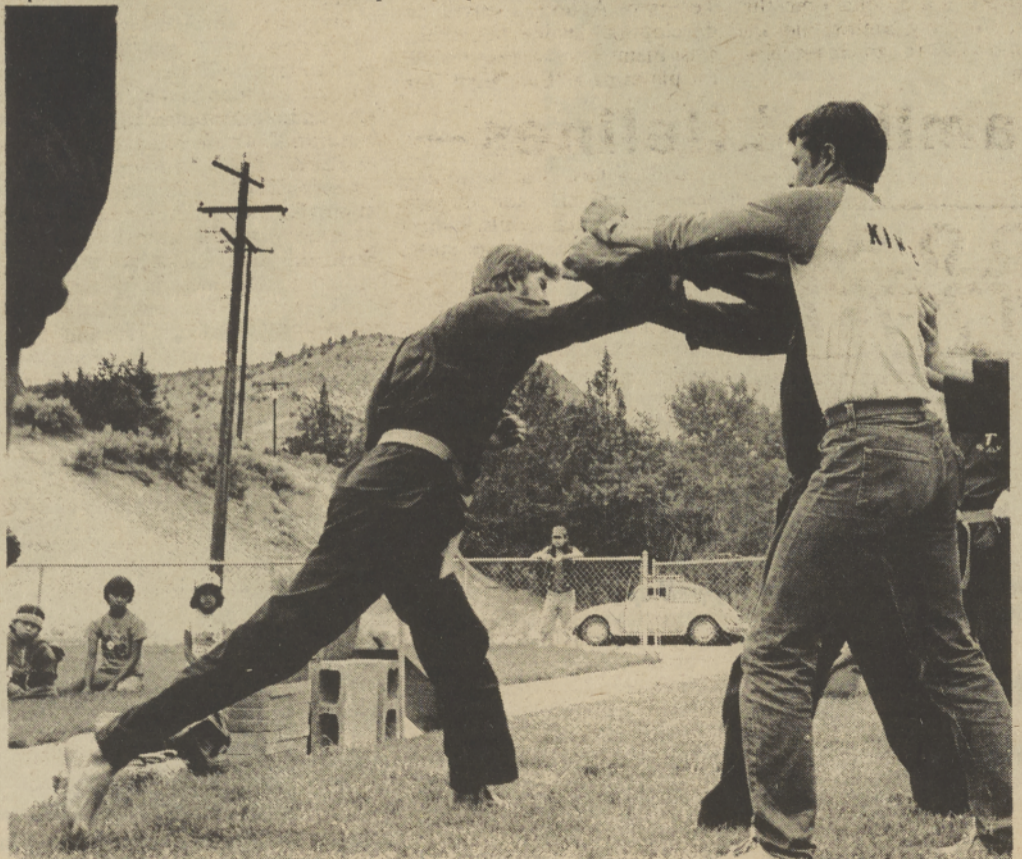
cover all trips.

Daily activities held at the Center started on June 21 and will continue through August 13. All planned activities will be supervised by staff. These daily sessions are planned for children ages 2 through teens.

Special noon hour events are planned on various dates throughout the summer. Demonstrations and activities will be offered for the public.

Movies will be shown on Wednesdays during the noon hour. Admission will be \$1 for adults and 75¢ for children. It is suggested by the staff to pack a lunch.

So, if you or your children are looking for special summer activities to break up the monotony, stop by the Center and pick up a copy of the Summer Fun brochure. For more information call the Center at 553-1161, ext. 243 or 244. A summer of activities are planned so plan to attend.



A FORCE OF ONE—The force of a karate move is demonstrated by one of Tom Flaskerud's students during one of the Community's Center's special events scheduled for the public during their noon hours. Watch for future notices for events scheduled at the Center.

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