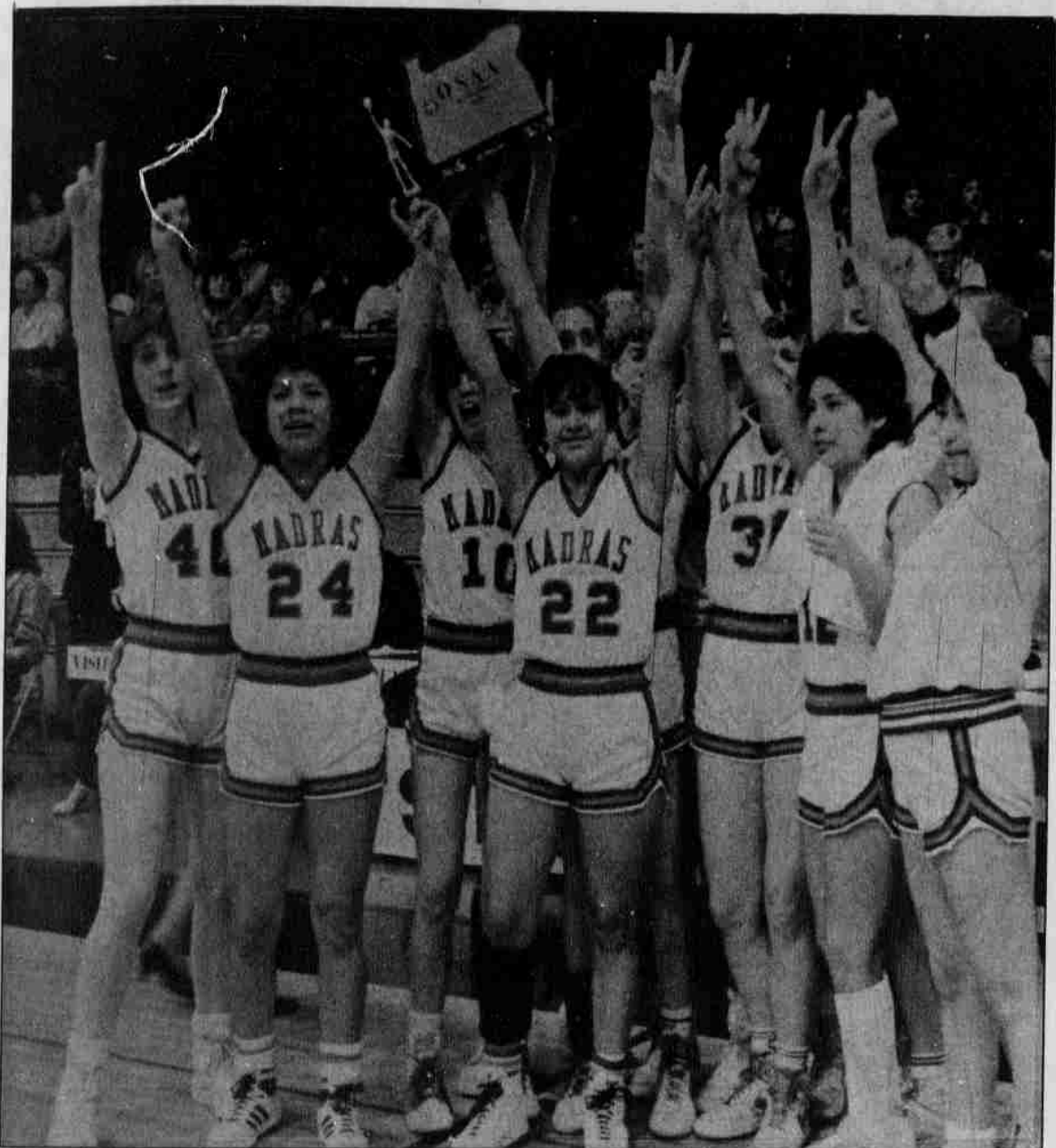


throughout Warm Springs community



Slippery ...



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pre-school program and the possibility of new enterprises on the reservation. Overcrowding at the Headstart program necessitated the creation of the new tribal pre-school program. Tribal Council appropriated \$50,000 for the program to finish out 1985 and an additional \$190,000 for 1986. The 200-foot tower for

KWSI was erected atop Eagle Butte. The Simnasho Longhouse renovation was nearly completed in October. The addition more than doubled the size of the Longhouse, adding another 10,500 square feet.

In November, district voters approved a \$2.8 million operating budget for 509-J schools. Paiute Chief Nick Kalama suffered a heart attack and died October 25. Beginning October 28, Janice Clements and Shirley Sanders circulated a petition objecting to the 1986 operating budget. The pair obtained the signatures of 334 eligible tribal voters in two days. The administrative staff of the Warm Springs Police Department staff moved into their new quarters the first week of November.

The November 12 general council meeting held at the Agency Longhouse was attended by over 200 tribal members. The meeting was held to hear and discuss the concerns of those who objected to the 1986 tribal operating budget. At another meeting held November 20, concerned tribal members again presented their views, citing high unemployment among members, too many managers and no input into the annual budget, as well as many other things. The referendum determining the fate of the budget was November

26. Voters defeated the budget by a margin of 359 against and 314 for.

Record snowfall blanketed Warm Springs with nearly 18 inches of the white stuff. The snow is still hanging on due to extremely cold weather and the lack of sun. Tribal associate, Jerry Dibble, was killed December 6 in a plane crash near Sacramento. After much waiting and anticipation, the Simnasho Longhouse was dedicated November 22. Hundreds attended the ceremonies.

It was announced in mid-December that Tribal Council would post a nine-month operating budget before the end of 1985. For the first three months of 1986, tribal operations are expected to be supported by available funds, 1985 savings and tribal dollars under the \$25,000 authority of Tribal Council. Tribal operations are expected to continue at normal levels during the first three months of 1986.

For many, 1985 was a year of change and indecision. It was a year of new things, old things revisited and graceful acceptance of those things that could not be changed. Whatever, all look forward to the new year with great anticipation and hopefulness. the new year with great anticipation and hopefulness.



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Royalty ...



More royalty ...



Tragedy ...

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