

Editorial

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(The way it is)
Letters to the Editor



"Spilyay Speaks"



"They're errrr Runningggg!" Was the call from the race announcer during the week of July 8-11th, at the Prineville Horse Race meet. Fans young and old filled the grandstands each night betting on their favorites and hoping for a good pay-off after each race. The pay-offs were pretty good in some races as some of the longshots came in, stunning some betters while others cheered on their horse.



For an evening of relaxation the races was the place to be after a hard day at the office. "Relaxing?" Well the way some of the fans reacted at each race its a wonder they didn't have a heart attack. Their reaction to the race as the horses rounded the final turn into the home-stretch, fans were jumping and

yelling on their hopeful. A sure winner, as some of the experts would say. . . some times this never happened. There were some very good races, especially in the Quarter Horse races. Times turned in could equal almost any track record for the speed they turned in. Some races were so close it appeared that the horse that got the jump out of the starting gate was the winner over the field and almost all races ended in a photo finish, because it was just that half a step out over the other horses made the big difference. Photo finishes had to determine a lot of the races and sometimes it took several minutes for the officials to study the photos for the winner, also for the ones that placed second, third and fourth. A person could almost tell the favorite among the betters as the race progressed from start to finish, the expression on their faces, it was full of joy or a sunken look when the horses crossed the finish line.

In the longer races ran by the thoroughbreds also thrilled the betters. The horse that passed the grandstand ahead of the pack the first time around was not necessarily the winner because that's when some of the horses were just beginning to get their speed up and closing the gap on the back stretch and on to the final turn where the fans start to go wild as all the horses start to bunch up making their run for the wire.

Horse racing, a favorite sport for many is not all "Peaches 'n' Cream," like some folks make it out to be. There is a lot of hard work and expenses involved. Times can get pretty tough for some of the horse owners if their luck doesn't hold out. Luck, well one has to have a pretty good horses to keep some bread on his table. So for the ones who do this for a living make sure that their horses are in tip-top shape for each race meet and must win, place or show right along to keep in business. The expense mounts up, "After all a thoroughbred eats like a horse."

There were several locals entered during the race meet as there are each year. Some do this for a living while some do this as a past time. The horse race circuit in the northwest is like another sporting event, wins and losses can determine the destiny of a horse owner.

Toe Ness

Confucius Say: "When women say no; it like comma. . .do not mean complete stop!" YIKES

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Teacher: "Whats the crack of dawn?"
Student: "Thats what mamma gives daddy when he comes in!" YIKES

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Teacher: "Butch, what do you know about Eskimo's?"
Butch: "I eat their pies!" YIKES

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Old Maids Prayer: Now I lay me down to sleep. . .darn it. YIKES

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EDITOR'S NOTE

Spilyay Tymoo welcomes articles and letters from its readers. All letters, preferably 300 words or less, must include the author's signature and address. Thank you letters and poetry will be published at the editor's discretion.

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Family appreciates support

To the Editor,

The family of Nikiya Courtney wishes to express their thanks to the many people who came and supported our fundraising efforts for our son Nikiya's electric wheelchair. We wish to thank the following people.

The Pi-Ume-Sha committee for allowing us to set up a stand during the celebration, Pepsi Cola Company, Hilda Culpus for the use of her pots, Andy James and Tom for the many hours they worked in our stand. Also, we would like to thank our two sisters-in-laws Lori Worley and Ellen Courtney for their help.

We would also like to thank the following merchants for their donations: Macy's, Ahern's, Sentry, Safeway, Bonanza, Thrifty Drug, Roger's and the Madras Kiwanis. A special thanks to Mom and Dad for the use of their RV for our stand, utilities for the use of their tables and benches and thanks to the Warm Springs Elementary teachers for their donations towards our stand.

And last but not least a great big thanks to my sister Carla, who's always been there for me.

Once again thanks to all of you and God Bless.

Sincerely,

Steve and Cheryl Courtney

Penpals wanted

To a pal,

I am here in Frobi, Sweden and have met a girl from Oregon who has worked at Kah-Nee-Ta a few years ago, before coming to Sweden. I am very interested in the Indians, their life and culture, so she told me to write for penpals.

My name is Anya, I am 30 years old and have a six-year-old son and am not married.

I understand you have a very large resort there with many things to do and enjoy. My friend also told me about your Indian bread

that is quit popular with your people and visitors.

I would very much like to have someone write to me male or female, so I could learn more about it.

I would like to know about your handiworks, crafts and your Indian school to.

Thank you for your help.

Anya Holm
Box 1005
71040 Frobi
Sweden

Property auction a great success!

The Tribes' excess property auction was a success. The project goal was to dispose of all of the unwanted items in the excess property area. This event took place last Sunday and, in spite of the heat, was able to draw many people from out of town as well as the local folks. Estimated audience was 150 people with 32 signed up as bidders, some

from as far away as Newport and Portland.

There were no major incidents for the Fire and Safety staff was in attendance. The only situation remotely close to a bargain sale riot was at the table holding the soldering pots and soldering pen stations. A little dust was raised as people made their claim for these items.



Priscilla Squiemphen and Edison Yazzie exchanged wedding vows June 20 at the Warm Springs Baptist Church. The bride is the daughter of Earl and Rita Squiemphen of Warm Springs. The groom is the son of Polly Yazzie of Chinle, Arizona. Priscilla works for Spilyay as a typesetter and Edison is employed by Warm Springs Construction as a carpenter.

Births announced

Ike

Leona Ike gave birth to a boy, Julius Blake, on June 19. He weighed 7lbs., 2 ozs. and was 20 inches long.

Moody

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Moody of Warm Springs are the proud parents of a baby girl, Jacqueline Charles, born July 3. She weighed 6 lbs. and was 19 1/2 inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Enos Worksham Johnny Guerin and Karen Guerin. Her great, great-grandmother is Annie Yahtin and her great grandfather is Phil Guerin.

Business Application Forms Now Available

The tribal planning office is distributing application forms to tribal members interested in starting a retail business. The applications initiate the process of working with potential business owners in the planned "Shopping and Town Center." Applicants are asked to complete and return the forms by June 25. Further information can be obtained from the planners at 553-1161, extension 270, in the Administration Building.

Thanks for help with display

To the Editor,

At this time I would like to thank all of those who helped with 4th of July fireworks.

If it weren't for: Owen Danzuka, Rodney Mitchell, Casey Jackson, Leo Hellon and Casey's partner, the show would of been slower than it was, and I just want to express my thanks to these guys.

To make sure that the fireworks didn't get out of hand, Fire Control had a pumper nearby, thanks to them also.

Just about every year, the fireworks crew has some scares, and we tried our best to make it worthwhile.

Thanks,
Jerry Sampson

Help will be remembered

To the Editor,

I wish to express my heart felt thanks to all of you who were so thoughtful and helpful during my

time of grief for the loss of my wife, Alice Lucero.

Thank you for all the help you gave, especially in the kitchen during the service and for just being there. That really helped the family.

We will always remember you all for your kindness and thoughtful words of encouragement. You don't know how much this all helped the family and I.

Again thank you all.

Fred Lucero
Leander Lucero
Ralph Switzler
Jerel Switzler
Ernie Starr
Vivian Yahtin

Mobile home for sale

Although the staff's intent was to clear some ground space, they were also able to make a small gain of about \$1,100.00 for the Tribes' piggy bank (the general fund).

As a result of this event, two major questions have come up: Will the brave and daring trio be able to pull off another auction event in the future? And who was that weird guy from KWSI that was bidding against himself.

Marcia Macy
Property Officer
Confederated Tribes

Good luck, Gideon!

Grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan (8-Ball) Jim and aunts, uncles and family of Gideon Farrow would like to wish him luck and encourage him to play good ball during the upcoming Babe Ruth "tournament."

CPR class set for 7/28

Warm Springs Fire and Safety department will offer a public education class during the month of July. A class in Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) will be held on Tuesday, July 28 at the Community Center from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Anyone interested in more information should contact Fire and Safety at 553-1161, ext. 200 or 208.



In the Middle East, a bargain is sometimes still sealed with salt, much as it was a thousand years ago.

Tribal Council Agenda

Monday, July 20, 1987 Tribal Council Meeting

- 9:00 a.m. Business
- 9:30 a.m. '88 Budget
- 1:30 p.m. Town Center Status Report and Learning Center Phase I

Tuesday, July 21, 1987 Tribal Council Meeting

- 9:00 a.m. Business
- 9:30 a.m. Audit Reports (Fiscal)

Wednesday, July 22, 1987 Tribal Council Meeting

- 9:00 a.m. Business
- 9:30 a.m. Audit Reports (Fiscal)

Thursday, July 23, 1987 Tribal Council Meeting

- 9:00 a.m. Business
- 9:30 a.m. Audit Report (Fiscal)

Monday, July 27, 1987 Tribal Council Meeting

- 9:00 a.m. Business
- 9:30 a.m. Realty
- 1:30 p.m. Columbia River Management Plan

Tuesday, July 28, 1987 Tribal Council Meeting

- 9:00 a.m. Business
- 9:30 a.m. Ken Smith
- 10:30 a.m. Enrollments
- 1:30 p.m. 93-638 Contract

Wednesday, July 29, 1987 Tribal Council Meeting

- 9:00 a.m. Business
- 9:30 a.m. MOIHS Update
- 10:00 a.m. Antiquities Ordinance
- 1:30 p.m. Land Use Code