

## Artists work with students

The Artist in Education program brings artists to schools where they can work with students and teachers in art enrichment activities. Warm Springs Elementary students had the opportunity to work



Costumer Cati Thomas works with Warm Springs Elementary fifth grade student Aldo Garcia who designs a shield for a vest.

with storyteller Thomas Doty last fall and recently with costumer Cati Thomas.

Thomas worked as a costumer in England for six years before she moved to the United States. For the past six years she has been making costumes in Prineville for a theater group and for school plays. She has also been involved in doing custom sewing. Her favorite costume to create, she says, is "the medieval dinner costume."

Because she is also familiar with Native American costumes as her two children are of Warm Springs descent, she was asked to work with students in Warm Springs. Under her guidance, students at various grade levels created shields, vests and wing dresses.

She worked diligently with fifth grade students who were getting ready to participate in the Central Oregon Arts Compact fundraiser in Redmond on April 1. The students performed the Lord's Prayer in sign language.

The students do most of the work, she relates, although she helps in the construction of the garment. The students are completely responsible for their own design and decoration. "The design is all theirs," she explains, "I am just guiding them along...showing them how fabric can be used."

"The kids are very enthusiastic," Thomas says. "It makes work with them much more fun. She adds, "This is what I like...It's been a real pleasure" working with them.

The Artist in Education program is organized regionally by Denissia Withers with the assistance of a board of directors. Many of the artists are funded by the Oregon Arts Commission, The National Endowment for the Arts and local school districts. Both Doty and Thomas were sponsored by the private Sheik Foundation.

## It's spring clean-up time

Community members are asked to take pride in Warm Springs particularly during the week of April 18-25. It's time to clean up the yards, clean out garages and get things in order.

During "Take Pride in Warm Springs Week" any bagged garbage and all large items placed at curbside will be collected.

Trash bags will be distributed by the Housing department on Monday, April 18. If more bags are needed, they may be obtained from

the Housing office, Utilities, Planning, Probation or Head Start offices.

Students at Warm Springs Elementary will be involved in clean-up on Monday, April 18 while community members are encouraged to become involved throughout the week.

Garbage will be collected each day and large items such as couches and mattresses will be picked up on Thursday, April 21, Friday, April 22 and Monday, April 25. If trash burning is planned a

burning permit is required. The permit may be obtained from the Fire Management office in the Industrial Park.

Surprise awards will be presented to community participants and students on April 26. A potluck supper is planned for this day beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the Community Center.

For more information contact "Take Pride in Warm Springs Week" chairman Kate Jackson at 553-1161, Ext. 270.

## Lions present American flags

Promoting Americanism is one of the commitments of Lion's Club members. For the past 12 years the Madras Lion's club has visited first grade students in Madras, Culver, Metolius, Warm Springs and Ashwood to present students with miniature versions of the American flag.

According to Madras Lion's Club secretary Jay Binder, the flag pres-

entation is coordinated with the study of the flag. First grade students study the flag and "we complement it with the presentation of flags," he says.

Lion's Club activities go beyond the classroom. Club members are responsible for displaying flags for merchants on holidays. They are involved in little league and baseball activities. They provide scho-

larships for high school seniors who apply for trade schools. Club members provide labor in clean-up activities.

One of the greatest contributions by local and state Lion's Clubs is support of the Oregon Sight and Hearing Foundation. They also help indigent people with eye examinations, glasses and eye care.



Madras Lion's Club members visit district first grade students to present them with American flags.

## Toll-free ballot-Continued from page 1

residential and business telephone line for 10 years.

"Toll-free calling is defined as any local calling that is not listed as a long distance charge on the PNB monthly bill.

"To cast your vote, please detach and return the attached ballot to the Public Utility Commission. To be counted, it must be received by May 16, 1988.

"Following a review of the balloting, the Commission will determine whether PNB is to extend the toll-free calling area and combine these two prefixes and add the new

monthly fee to every customer's monthly bill. The decision on this is expected by June 10, 1988.

The ballot reads:

Are you willing to pay an extra \$2.14 per telephone line each month for 10 years to receive toll-free calling between Culver/Metolius and Madras/Warm Springs as a permanent telephone service?

\_\_\_\_\_ YES

\_\_\_\_\_ NO

## U of O powwow set for May 13-14

Get your dancing mocassins out and dust your feathers, it will soon be time to travel to the 20th annual Spring Powwow at MacArthur Court in Eugene, Oregon. The annual event is sponsored by the Native American Student Union at the University of Oregon and will be held the weekend of May 13 and 14.

The powwow will feature Wilfred Jim, Sr. of Warm Springs as the master of ceremonies. A limited amount of housing will be available. For more information write to: The Native American Student Union, 15A Erb Memorial Union, University of Oregon, Eugene, Oregon 97403 or telephone (503) 686-3723.

## Postage rates increase

On April 3 postage rates increased. A first-class stamp costs 25 cents for the first ounce and 20 cents for each additional ounce.

The Express mail rate has been raised to \$8.75 for the first half-pound. Priority mail items weighing up to two pounds will remain at \$2.40.

Post cards now cost 15 cents. The letter rate to Canada, up to one ounce is 30 cents and the cost to Mexico is 25 cents. International letter rates up to one-half

ounce is 45 cents.

Packages weighing up to eight ounces may be sent express mail for \$8.75; up to two pounds for \$12.00; up to five pounds for \$15.25. Priority mail up to two pounds is \$2.40 and Parcel Post is \$1.43 and up.

Registered mail up to \$25,000 is \$4.40 and up. Certified mail is 85 cents; return receipt requested is 90 cents; insured mail up to \$500 liability is 70 cents and up.

## Job Opening

Salary: Negotiable (Between parent and babysitter)

Duties may include:

Providing baby sitting services to private Reservation households, performs any combination of the following duties to attend children in private reservation home.

Observes and monitors play activities or amuse children by reading to or playing games with them.

Prepares and serves meals, formulas and snacks.

Sterilizes bottles and other equipment used for feeding infants.

Dresses or assists children to dress and bathe.

Accompanies children on walks or other enjoyable outings.

May at times do washing and iron clothes, keep children quarters clean, safe and tidy.

Other duties and responsibilities to be agreed on between sitter and parent.

Interested person wanting to be a part of this pool of babysitting must have a proven ability to relate well and understand the basic needs of the little local children and must be a positive role model to the children trusted to their care.

If interested Employment Training Services needs the following: Name, age group which to work with, your fee amount, days and hours available, street address and phone number, limit of kids.

Intent: Employment Training Service is attempting to provide a centralized center where prospective employees who have need for child care services to obtain employment, have a place to know who is doing this type of thing. We will not recommend sitters, but provide a list of sitters as a support service.

A written agreement ought to be drawn up between the parent and sitter.

## Hoop dancer will perform

Hoop dancer and traditional flutist Kevin Locke has shared his message of peace in 30 countries and 48 states. The Lakota Sioux Indian from South Dakota has spent the last eight years giving performances of his Native American music and dance.

Before becoming a performer, Locke was a teacher and principal holding two master's degrees and working towards a doctorate in education and administration. He feels that his message and people are more important than money.

Besides representing the Native American Locke carries with him the message of the Baha'i faith, a religion that teaches spiritual unity of all people, peace and equality. He emphasizes that now is the time for all peoples to live together in harmony.

Locke will perform at Madras Jr. High April 20 at 2:30 p.m. at the Warm Springs Elementary Art Fair on April 21; and on the evenings of April 20 and 21 (time and place to be announced).

Locke's visit is sponsored by the Baha'i Faith of Central Oregon.

## King receives appointment

Dr. Duane King, executive director of the Middle Oregon Indian Historical Society, is among ten who were recently named to the

board of trustees of the Institute of American Indian and Laaska Native Culture and Arts Development by President Ronald Reagan.

The students of Madras High School present the musical comedy

## Finnian's Rainbow

April 7 7:00 p.m.  
April 8 7:00 p.m.  
April 10 3:00 p.m.  
April 11 7:00 p.m.

Adults-\$3.00; students with student body cards \$2.00; children of Jr. High age when accompanied by an adult-\$2.00; unaccompanied children-\$3.00; senior citizens with gold cards admitted free of charge.

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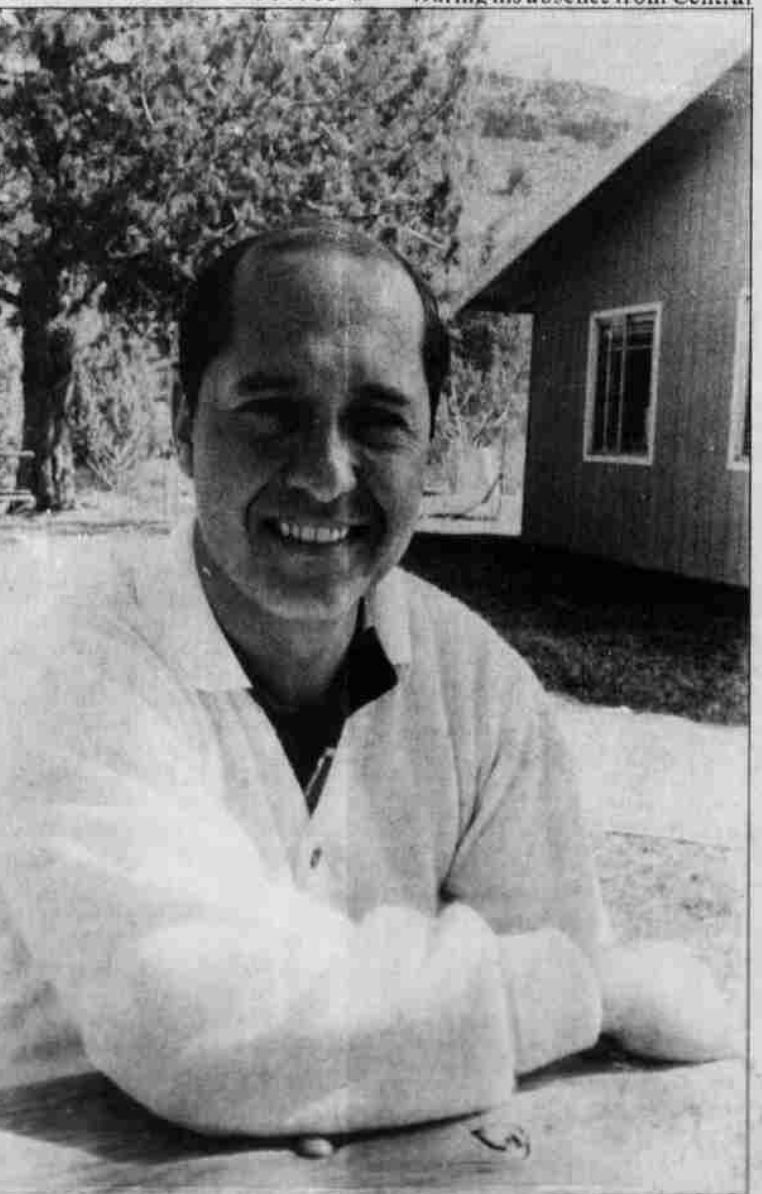
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Raised on the Warm Springs Reservation and graduating from Madras High School, forty-one-year-old Jim Wyatt has returned to this area as superintendent of Portland General Electric's

Pelton/Round hydroelectric project. Wyatt, an enrolled member of the Comanche tribe from Anadarko, Oklahoma says, "It's good to be back." During his absence from Central



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