

Editorial E Coosh EEWA:

(The way it is)
Letters to the Editor



"Spilyay Speaks"



lot to do business...Right George...That's what they say in the funnies, so I just had to throw it in. Well, things should look pretty good whenever they finish the project.

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You know autumn is moving in when you see all the leaves turn bright red out in the forest. A real pretty sight, but the air is a bit more chilly in the mornings. Almost time to start up the furnace to heat up the house. There has been a lot of activity in the woods lately, with people cutting wood for the winter. That can turn out to be quite a job, especially if a person is not in top shape for physical activity like cutting wood. Oh, my aching back! Sometime people wonder if it's worth it to do all that work rather than just go out and buy the wood. It all works out though when the snow comes and you enjoy the warmth of the fire after all that hard work.

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**Lordy, Lordy, Lordy
Look who's turning 40!
Happy Birthday, Dave Jordan
From your friends at Warm Springs!**

Free chickens Runners to meet 9/26

Three roosters, five hens, Partridge Cochins, Barred hen, two Araucana hens (bluish-green egg layers), two mixed-bred roosters.

Would make a good start for youth interested in poultry. Take one or combination.

Call Clay at the Extension office, 553-3238 or evenings 475-2550.

The Warm Springs Reservation Runner's Club will have a meeting at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday, September 26 in conference room #3 at the Administration Building. All interested persons are encouraged to attend.

Toe Ness

SPILYAY SEZ: "Celebrity" a person who works all his life to become well known, then wears dark glasses to avoid being recognized. YIKES

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Old Pete: "Your honor, I don't think I can serve on the jury. One look at that guy there convinces me he's guilty."
Judge: "Quiet, that's the D.A." YIKES

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In the court room, the judge asked a lady witness her age. "Thirty," was her answer.

Judge: "You've given that age in this court for the last four years."
Lady: "That's right your honor. I'm not one who says one thing today and another tomorrow." YIKES

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Nice thing about living alone: You can answer the phone in the middle of the night and you don't have to explain who it was.

Tough thing about living alone: You're always the first to know that you're out of toilet paper. 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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Superintendent available for discussions

To the Editor,

Again, this year I will be holding "office hours" each week in Warm Springs. The purpose is to be available to parents and patrons to listen to concerns, discuss problems, explain procedures or answer any questions. The Tribal Administration has made conference room #2 in the Tribal Administration Building available to me each Wednesday morning from 10:00 a.m. to Noon.

The first visit was yesterday (September 13th) and I will be there each Wednesday throughout the school year.

I would appreciate whatever notice or announcement you can print in the Spilyay Tymoo. We appreciate your coverage of school events and issues. It really helps us communicate with school parents and patrons.

Sincerely,
Darrell Wright
509-J Superintendent

First birthday celebrated

To the Editor,

I would like to take this time to thank all those who made my first birthday a big success. On August 29, 1989, my mom and daddy, (Annette and Dixon) had a birthday barbecue for me for my first birthday at Kah-Nee-Ta.

I would like to say thank you to all my friends and relatives who showed up for the dinner and who had given gifts. I'm sorry for those who were unable to attend. Thank you to those who sent gifts but could not attend.

I had relatives from far and near who attended. I would like to say thanks to my uncle and his family, auntie and her family and Ulha and grandpa who traveled from Washington to be with me. Thanks Ulha

for bringing my nana.

I would like to thank all my relatives from Warm Springs who were able to attend. All my uncles, aunts, grandparents, great grandparents, cousins and friends.

Thanks to my Cutla and Ulha for helping out and those who brought more food and fruit for the dinner.

With a lot of love and kisses and, once more, a big thank you from Lucille "Meredith" Michelle Polk

P.S.: I would like to say that I'm sorry for not sending an invitation to my uncle Morris and his family. I thought that my mom and daddy had mailed one to you. Please forgive me.

Inspirational poem shared by member

To the Editor,

I am writing to share a poem and dedicating it to all the younger people who feel troubled or, who, at times, feel weak about themselves.

I, at one time, tried suicide in my life. I know what the feeling is like in that crisis but God didn't take me. I was given a chance in life.

I want other people to know that there are people out there who really care.

A brother in prison shared with me. That's where I am as of now, but I just wanted this to be printed. It is from someone who cares.

Sincerely,
Clifford R. Arthur #2195
A-3
Pendleton, OR 97801

Thanks for support

To the Editor,

In 1986 the Alzheimer's Disease Association started an annual benefit walk. My family and I became involved in helping the Association with their fundraising efforts by collecting pledges and donations. I

want to thank all, extended families, relatives, friends and co-workers from Warm Springs, Madras, Bend and Portland who have pledged or donated to the benefit walk. I want to give special thanks and love to my girls Sheila, Irma, Monica and Connie; and Richard Craig for their continued support and participation.

This has been an annual family event for us because the Alzheimer's Disease Association was a big support to us during our time of need. We encourage everyone to participate in anyway they can, whether it be through gaining pledges and walking or by paying an entry fee and participating in the newly established run. The Alzheimer's walk/run is open to anyone who want to become involved.

Thanks again. May God bless you all and I look forward to next year.

Kate Jackson

When pressures surround you, and you see no end in sight:
Know that if you don't give in, things will be all right.
Don't leave your friends and family alone to wonder "why."
Ask for help, talk to someone.
Life is worth the try,
Leaving guilt and tears behind is so cruel a thing to do.
Don't withdraw and don't give up, life's best still waits for you. Sometimes, it may seem useless, and it's all right to cry, but cry only for a moment, because, Life is worth the try!

The Squally and Aguilar Families
extend an invitation to all friends and family to a
Memorial and stone unveiling for their son Li'l Chief

Saturday, September 23

Stone unveiling at 10 a.m at the Agency Cemetery
Potluck dinner at noon tentatively set for the Agency Longhouse
Give away and church will follow

Pointers On Pets

• The longest-lived dog was a black Labrador named "Adjutant" who lived for more than 27 years.

• To keep Fido's coat clean and silky, a variety of combs are available, including one battery-operated model.

Work soon available

Looking for 30 to 40 hard working, dependable help for tree planting and reforestation gopher treatment.

Experience preferred for the tree planting. Must be willing to work seven days a week from daybreak to dark for approximately two months.

Starting wages are \$8.00 per hour but can be more depending on experience, speed and conscientiousness. Will furnish transportation from Community Center parking lot to work site.

Local and married into the tribe will be given first preference. For more information call 553-1194 from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. PLEASE, no phone calls BEFORE or AFTER designated time.

PREPARING FOR THE



Sessions to be held Mondays beginning October 16 through November 13

Community Counseling Center from 7 to 9 p.m.

No babysitting services will be provided
For further information call 553-3205

Giveaway set

Crossroads, a self sufficiency project administered by Central Oregon Community Action Agency Network (COCAAN), is sponsoring a back-to-school clothing drive for economically disadvantaged students and their families. There will be a clothing giveaway on September 29 and 30 from 1 to 5 p.m. each day at the Madras public works building on West B street.

Area schools and businesses are being asked to provide drop boxes for donations. Crossroads staff and participants will pick up donations and prepare them for the two-day giveaway. Individuals wishing to donate can call 475-6133 for Kholleen Jackson. All donations are tax deductible. Receipts are available upon request.

Those planning to receive free clothing are asked to present proof of being economically disadvantaged by showing any of the following: food stamp card, medical card, WIC card, COIC card or a referral from a social service agency or school representative.

Tribal Council Agenda

Monday, September 25—Tribal Council Meeting

9 a.m.—Business
9:30 a.m.—Realty
1:30 p.m.—Conference Call-Mark Phillips
2 p.m.—IHS/Health Center
3 p.m.—To Be Scheduled

Tuesday, September 26—Tribal Council Meeting

9 a.m.—Business
9:30 a.m.—U.S. West
10:30 a.m.—Constitutional Amendment: Finance
11 a.m.—Drug Free Workplace Presentation
1:30 p.m.—Enrollments
2 p.m.—Miss Warm Springs 1990 Budget
3:30 p.m.—ANA Grant Application

Wednesday, September 27—Tribal Council Meeting

9 a.m.—Finalize 1990 Budget

Thursday, September 28—Tribal Council Meeting

9 a.m.—Approving Budget/Posting

To Be Scheduled items include:

Update In-Stream Flow Report with Jim Noteboom and Jody Calica
Joint Meeting with Darrel Wright/Francis Thorpe (509-J School District re: School Building Plans)