

Editorial

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(The way it is)

Letters to the Editor



"Spilyay Speaks"



Riots, riots, riots; Today we read of all kinds of riots, which makes a person wonder if they are justifiable or not. Makes a person wonder if certain groups of people just wait for such things as the Rodney King case to come along and start a riot. A riot claiming racism, police brutality. The beating of the motorist in Los Angeles by four White Policemen who were acquitted of charges of beating a black motorist.

The King case gave no alternative but to make some people think its okay for police to stop motorists and beat the stuffings out of them. Well the whole country saw what happened on T.V., of the beating of King as he lay on the highway, one standing with his foot on his head the others hitting and kicking him. Makes a person wonder what these four policemen feel like now after all that's happened? Like Macho men, or do they feel as tiny as a mouse? Another thing is, why did they move the trial to an all white district? Did they already have the verdict reached beforehand and to be safe?

What can be said to ease tension among minority groups regarding police brutality, injustice, defeat and despair. Yep! the Rodney King case in Los Angeles did stir up quite a commotion. People ask, "What would happen if the four policemen were Black and the motorist White? They'd probably be suspended and given jail time. Some mention the rape case of world Champion Mike Tyson, who was charged with rape and found guilty and is now serving time in prison. While on the other hand William Kennedy Smith, a white was acquitted of similar charges.

This is an indication where many minority groups can come to the conclusion that it's an issue of racism. What about the Constitution and Bill of Rights, of people being treated fairly and with respect. It looks like the system doesn't work for the Minority in any case.

Well let's all hope the whole thing clears up without any more deaths and destruction of valuable property, put a muzzle on prejudice cops. Who's to judge on what's right or wrong on any kind of situation concerning different races? Some say everyone hasn't seen both sides of the King case, but no matter what happened it shouldn't have taken 57 blows by one cop on a downed person while the other three got in their blows and kicks. AHH-NAH-CHI-TOON!!!



Any information is helpful

To the editor,

In the Spilyay Tymoo dated April 3, I ran an article under the heading "Family seeking half brother." It explained that my father, Cleat Boyd, had the Hood Chalet store in Wemme. Through Warm Springs Indians that were his customers, he apparently fathered a boy Indian baby. The year would have been '51 or '52.

My sister and I want to find him, but no one responded to the April 3rd request. I can understand that — You don't know who we are. For this reason, I asked Sid Miller of the Spilyay Tymoo to be a Warm Springs contact person. He graciously agreed.

Apology extended

To the Warm Springs community,

I Cherilyn L. Starr, apologize for operating a motor vehicle while being under the influence of alcohol.

My crime endangered the community, myself and I regret having a vehicle while I was intoxicated.

Thank you for letting me have my say, and again I'm sorry.

Sincerely,
Cherilyn L. Starr

Macrame Lawn Chairs For Sale

2 colors-\$50, 3 colors-\$55

Place your order with Libby & Gene at 553-1648

Happy Birthday
Uncle Burgs
on May 18
love, George, Tonya
& Leanna

Sheena sells record number of cookies



Sheena Courtney was top regional cookie seller with help from her dad Steve.

To the editor,

Sheena Courtney, third grader at Madras Elementary and daughter of Steve and Sheryl Courtney of Warm Springs was named the top Girl Scout cookie seller for central Oregon. Sheena sold over 524 boxes of cookies!

Sheena would like to take this time to thank all the cookie lovers who supported her and bought all those great tastin' cookies. Sheena would like to say a special thank you

If you have or want information about this situation, please contact him. He has information about me, and pictures of my dad and his store, taken around the time the baby was born. There's also an open letter to my brother, which is available to anyone who wants to read it.

In asking Sid to be a contact person, I have chosen someone who I believe to be discerning and discreet in handling this. He would only contact us if he thought it was wise and you did not mind.

Please feel free to get in touch with Sid to share more about this. Not knowing our brother's name has made the search very difficult, and we have nearly exhausted all the possibilities. Can you help us? Thank you.

Sincerely,
Heidi Boyd Martin
5133 S.E. Belmont
Portland, Oregon 97215-1741
233-8006

Happy 1st Birthday
May 18, 1992
Curtis, Jr.
We love you baby!
Dad, Mom, and Josiah



The Newlyweds

Tony "Big Rat" Suppah and Lucille "Longhouse Lucy" Teeman were married at the Andrew David Ranch at Lower Dry Creek April 25. Best man was Douglas Palmer and maid of honor was Selena Thompson. Feather carrier was Valerie Suppah and ring carrier was Juju Blackwolf. Lucy was escorted by Sterling Green on behalf of the David Family. Dinner was sponsored by Lucinda Green. The newlyweds wish to thank everyone who attended and helped out with their big day.

Chinooks thankful for team support

To the editor,

The Columbia River Chinooks would like to thank all the people who supported the team. We as a team travel to a few tournaments in Oregon and Washington and it has been a wonderful experience for the players. There are so many families, friends and people to thank.

We are thankful for the support that was shared towards the children's own tournament, March 27, 28, 29, "Just Say No" to alcohol & drugs. Their tournament brought many traveling teams. The stores in Madras that sponsored some of the awards was great support towards the youth

in Warm Springs. And Macy's store was very supportive too.

The purpose of the tournament is to show our children that life is a lot more fun without using alcohol and drugs.

We as a team would like to thank 4-H Extension Service for being very supportive towards the team. Thank you Counseling Center for your sponsorship towards the gym fee.

We can't give enough thanks to the community for their support. Being representatives of the community our kids gave it their best shot, win or lose. Thank you.

Chinooks

Thanks for help!

To the editor,

I want to thank Myrna for the "Pat on the back." I want to thank my tribes for having the faith in me to send me to school. A lot of money is being spent on me and I appreciate it very much. I am and will always try to reach my expectations as well as the people that are funding me.

Thank my mom, dad, brothers and all the people who ask about my schooling, and give me encouraging words.

from "Charlie" Starla Greene

Mother, son attain high GPAs at Heritage College

Myrna Bobb attained a 3.86 GPA at Heritage College in Toppenish, Washington last semester. She is studying social sciences and will graduate with a BA degree next spring. She has received the high honor of having her biography printed in the 1991-1992 edition of the National Dean's List.

Frederick Bobb, Myrna's son, is also a student at Heritage College, majoring in English. He attained a 3.68 gpa last semester. Frederick, too, will have his biography printed in the National Dean's List. Frederick continues to work on his writing and has several pieces in the works.

Happy Birthday
David Brian LeClaire, Sr.
May 24, 1968
DBL, take care of your family
and me and mom will always be
here when you fall to pick you
up. Hope you many more.
From, Alex Tohet



Sweet Sixteen
Happy Birthday
Eileen
Lotsa love, Curtis, Sarah,
Josiah & Jr.

Happy 3rd Birthday
on May 18
TONYA
love, Tony, Mom,
George, Leanna

Happy Birthday
on May 18, 1992
Tonya Leigh Thompson
& Tony Thompson
from, Curtis, Sarah, Josiah,
& Jr.

Tribal Council Agenda

Monday, May 18, 1992
9:00 a.m. - Business
9:30 a.m. - Public Affairs Report
1:30 p.m. - Conference Call
Tuesday - Thursday, May 19-21, 1992
Tribal Council Orientation Workshop
Thursday, May 21, 1992
Secretarial Election Referendum - Tribal Council Compensation
Monday, May 25, 1992
HOLIDAY - MEMORIAL DAY
Tuesday, May 26, 1992
9:00 a.m. - Business
9:30 a.m. - Realty - "The Island" discussion/direction
11:00 a.m. - Enrollments
1:30 p.m. - Conference Call
2:00 p.m. - Natural Resources

EDITOR'S NOTE

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Students urged to get ready for work

We will start all students that qualify to work under the Student Trainee Program to begin work June 22, 1992. Students must submit their grade reports to the Education Services Program (Higher Education) office as soon as they receive them in order to qualify to work. The students must have complete 12 credit hours with a 2.00 gpa or better to be eligible to work. For more information, call 553-3311.

Mass scheduled

Native American Catholic Mass to be held May 24, 1992 at 2:00 p.m. at the St. Ignatius Catholic Church, S.E. 43rd Ave. and Powell Blvd., Portland. You're all welcome.

Toe Ness

SPILYAY SEZ: "Today with the economy the way it is, a lot of people work on an 8 to 5 job." That's not the work hours of course, they're the ODDS of getting laid off. YIKES

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Ole Clyde said to Clem: "I'm always amazed how a speaker can eat so much chicken and ham and yet be so full of Bull." YIKES

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Tom asked John: "Why are you so sad today?"

John: "Because my wife said she won't talk to me for 30 day's."

Tom: "Why should that make you so sad?"

John: "Because today is the last day!" YIKES

SS SS SS

"It's nice to really think your important, but it's more important to be NICE." YIKES

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Sheena Dawn Marie Courtney