

# Editorial E Coosh EEWA: (The way it is) Letters to the Editor



## "Spilyay Speaks"



Water, water, or, should we say, "Chooosshh!!" Where has all the water gone? Today we read about how critical the water situation is in the Portland area to where there is restriction on daily use for the summer months on all residents.

Once where streams flowed freely with plenty of water show this is a critical year. Even here in Warm Springs water has always been plentiful at the present time many springs are drying up and its just the first part of July. And the way things look it won't get any better. We need some big rain storms here and soon.

This is one of the worst years for water in many moons. Everyone wants to get a hold of all the water they can. There are so many who need water and with so little to go around. The farmers need water, stockmen, city people, the wildlife and fish all need water to survive. So what's the solution to a mess like this. Let's just hope someone don't say, "What's yours is mine too, and what's mine is mine." Let's not leave out the "Spotted Owl," he needs water to survive just as the loggers need logs to survive. Like stories of the olden days used to go, "If you make the Great Creator angry, he will do something to punish you. So maybe we should sort our thoughts and remind each other of all bad things we do either for people against people or even for personal gain. If we all stick together and work things out sensibly we can prevail. But if someone is being greedy and trying to get the best out of anything he can, some day he will suffer for his wrong doings.

Well that's the way the stories used to go and we should all take that into consideration. Try to help one another instead of trying to rob each other.

One of the best things that has ever happened to this community is to have another outlet to Highway 26 from the south side of the Shitike Creek, here in Warm Springs. When they decided to extend the Tenino Road down that way to meet the highway near the new Museum was the wisest thing anyone could have done.

In the past, any time there has been any kind of catastrophe here like a flood that washed out the bridge the south side was completely cut off from the real world. In the past there was some floods that washed away the bridges and roadways which crippled the whole community. Now with the extension of Highway 4, the Tenino Road will clearly prove its value to the community. Not only for emergencies but also for the safety of the community. It's been a wonder that there hasn't been any real accidents with the narrow street we have leading from the south side and with all the logging trucks, the great number of pedestrians that use the sidewalks. Because sometimes they really come bombing down the road. With the new Tenino Road the logging trucks can by-pass the busy area of the community. Also will relieve the congestion at the intersection near the Post Office, where there always seems to be a big bottle neck in the traffic during rush hour.

This can also relieve the tension when ever there is something going on like a parade where there is only one street coming down the hill and some folks have to get from one side to the other. When there is a parade in session the whole street is closed to public use.

There still needs to be another route from the West Hills area like meeting highway 26 just west of the school. The community shouldn't be tied up with just one entrance. This is a growing community and we should be ready to meet the increasing population and relieve congestion on the roadways within our community. Ahh-Nah-Chi-Toon

## Toe Ness

There was this boy who was a baseball freak, never thought of anything else. His dad asked the Geography Teacher how he got an "F" in his class.

The teacher told him to tell the class something about Toronto. The boy rose, cleared his throat and said, "When you hit the ball you have Toronto first base." YIKES

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A Geography Teacher asked her class, "Can anyone tell me where Chicago is?"

Billy jumped up and said, "They're playing in Pittsburgh today." YIKES

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The pitcher wasn't having a good day. Finally the manager came out to the mound.

"Sorry," he said. "But I'm sending you to the showers." "You can't, not now, I'm hitting my stride. Besides look who's on deck. I struck him out twice and walked him once."

"I know," said the manager, "but this is still the same inning." YIKES

## 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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## Media manipulating general population, frustrations aired

To the editor,

I feel I am being manipulated by "the Media" and I am getting pretty tired of it.

Ross Perot is being shoved in my face. He should sprout wings any minute now. Whenever anyone says anything negative about him, it is shrugged off. I have a few other examples where the "News" is manipulated.

When I was growing up in central Oregon in the 60s, we only got two TV stations. One was ABC and the other NBC. I was lead to believe Martin Luther King was nothing but a troublemaker stirring up trouble wherever he went. It wasn't until these later years I learned he was a Non-Violence person and now understand why he is so highly regarded.

The next example is in regards to Magic Johnson. When he tested positive for HIV, "the Media" handled that situation with dignity and sensitivity, but if that had been Dan Quayle, they would have ripped him to pieces and made it into a circus and made it an ugly situation.

The next situation is about the Judge Thomas hearings. There was a lot of Pro-Anita Hill headlines. She brought up a valid problem that is very real in America, but I watched the hearings until two AM on that last night. I purposely watched all the news the next day to see how it would be covered on the different stations including Headline News and you know hardly anyone mentioned it. Imagine that. No press conferences, nothing!!!! Three women

testifying in his behalf that had been harassed by other people and felt he was being falsely accused. But noooooooo headlines in his favor.

The last example is the Presidential broadcast coverage. I watched it on CNN News station to form my own opinion, because I have cable. I then watched "the news". The only thing I heard mentioned about the broadcast was Ross Perot. Nothing was mentioned about President Bush. Ha, imagine that.

I hope America has the opportunity to form their own opinions before "the Media" warps and distorts them for them. I am so glad to be an American and not some robot that "the Media" can program as they want.

Thank you for letting me air my frustration with what I feel I see happening.

Sincerely,  
Darlene Foster

## Brunoe to head east

Marcella Brunoe of Warm Springs, member of Faith Fellowship church, pastor Dick & Francis Turner, has been chosen to go on a 48-day tour with the Hawaii King's Kids '92 to New Jersey, France, Spain, Italy, Germany and Moscow this summer.

Through a home cottage business, baby-sitting, bake sales, car wash and donations, Marcella has earned her sufficient money to go with 28 other children from other states.

During the tour, King's Kids will do open air performance in the dress of their chosen nation. Marcella will represent her Native American heritage in Indian regalia made by Edith Kalama of Warm Springs.

King's Kids is a part of Youth With A Mission whose headquarters is located in Kona, Hawaii. Last summer Marcella went with King's Kids of Seattle, Washington to Mexico and California doing teachings, mercy ministries and evangelism. Marcella, the daughter of Garland and Susan Brunoe, return in August to prepare for her Junior year at Madras High School.

## Thank you!

To the editor,

A special "Thank You" to Education Services Program Secretary Carroll Dick who took the lead in putting the annual Education Banquet together and to Tribal Education Committee Secretary, Rhonda Smith.

Decoration committee consisted of: Ramona Tanewasha, Liz Cross, Laurain Hintsala, Thelma Davis, Rhonda & Myrna.

Thank you to head cook, Charlotte Shike and Neda Wesley and all their helpers, the parent volunteers who helped serve.

Special thanks to Michael Clements who was our Master of Ceremonies; to our speakers, Ted Strong and Delano Miller and to those people who handed out certificates.

1992 graduate Leslie Cochran, thank you for doing the Lords Prayer. Last but not least, Utilities crew and all those who helped behind the scenes, thank you.

Myrna Courtney

## Planning in the works

The Warm Springs Arts & Craft Committee will be holding a meeting in July to begin planning for the 5th Annual All Warm Springs Arts & Crafts Show that will be held October 10, 1992 (Saturday) at the Warm Springs Community Center.

Any Warm Springs Tribal member or Warm Springs community member may participate in this volunteer committee. The committee welcomes all comers and welcome any and all ideas the community may have for a successful show in October.

This is the first notice for people to start to prepare their arts and crafts. Items may be displayed, sold or traded.

All youngsters are invited to participate as well, as all ages have hidden talent here in Warm Springs.

Watch for posters for an upcoming meeting.

## Class of '62 to reunite

The Class of '62 will hold its 30th class reunion July 24-26. Numerous activities are planned, including a picnic, dinner and a tour of the old high school.

For further information contact Rickie Hart at 258 N.E. Jefferson in Madras.

Please help locate these individuals: Matt Coy, Connie Crowl, Punky Driscoll, Betty (Friend) Street, Carol (Kramer) Home, Mike Lee, Barbarta Palmer, Susan Petz, Brenda (Scheuchzer) Camp, Joy Stampfill, Allen Struthers, Tammy (Young) Lawrence, Shirley McKelvy, Sara Officer and Keith Tarbox.

## Tribal Council Agenda

Monday, July 13, 1992

9:00 a.m. - Business  
9:30 a.m. - Unfinished business  
1:30 p.m. - Conference Call  
2:00 p.m. - Warm Springs Zoning Map

Secretarial Election - Tribal Council Compensation Community Center - 8:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Tuesday, July 14, 1992

9:00 a.m. - Business  
9:30 a.m. - Endangered Species and In-Lieu Sites Update  
1:30 p.m. - Fish Consumption Report

District Meetings: 6 p.m./Dinner 7 p.m./Meeting  
-Simnasho District - Simnasho Longhouse  
-Seekseequa District - Community Center  
-Agency District - Agency Longhouse

"Goals & Objectives - Tribal Membership Input"

Wednesday, July 15, 1992

9:00 a.m. - Tribal Council Executive Session

Thursday, July 16, 1992

9:00 a.m. - Tribal Council Executive Session

Friday, July 17, 1992

9:00 a.m. - Tribal Council & Management Meeting - Kah-Nee-Ta Wasco Room

Monday, July 20, 1992

9:00 a.m. - Business/Minutes  
9:30 a.m. - Tribal Council Agenda  
10:00 a.m. - IHS Monthly Report  
1:30 p.m. - Conference Call  
2:00 p.m. - Tribal Boating Code and Houseboat Tax Ordinance

Tuesday, July 21, 1992

9:00 a.m. - Economic Development  
1:30 p.m. - HUD Block Grant  
3:00 p.m. - Columbia River Inter Tribal Fish Commission  
7:00 - 9:30 p.m. - Budget Workshop - Warm Springs

Wednesday, July 22, 1992

9:00 a.m. - Tribal Council/Committees Joint Meeting @ Kah-Nee-Ta  
-Goals and objectives  
-Major documents

Thursday, July 23, 1992

9:30 a.m. - Ground Breaking Ceremony (Health & Wellness Center)  
1:30 p.m. - Malheur National Forest  
7:00 - 9:00 p.m. - Budget Workshop - Simnasho Longhouse

Monday, July 27, 1992

9:00 a.m. - Business  
9:30 a.m. - BIA Forestry Monthly Report  
10:30 a.m. - Superintendent's Monthly Report  
1:30 p.m. - Conference Call  
2:30 p.m. - Major Construction Projects Update

Tuesday, July 28, 1992

9:00 a.m. - Business  
9:30 a.m. - Realty  
1:30 p.m. - Enrollments  
7:00 - 9:00 p.m. - Budget Workshop - Warm Springs - Agency Longhouse



1992 Miss Pi-Ume-Sha, Juanita Majel.

There was a total of 9 candidates for Pi-Ume-Sha weekend, three were senior candidates and six were junior candidates. Candace Miller was crowned Lil' Miss Pi-Ume-Sha. The nine girls sold approximately 3,400 tickets.

It's nice to see that Big Smile Again! Congratulations Dad (Marvin Meanus, Sr.) & Maureen Frauga Love ya lots, Willie Bagley & Louel Heath Congratulations Grandma Maureen & Grandpa Marvin With lots of love, JaimeRae L. Bagley

## Let us know where you are

The Vital Statistics Departments is helping coordinate the 1992 Tribal Census. Below are people who have been sent letters and the letters were returned to our office, where are you?

Martinez Charles, Jerome Culp, Sr., Tamara Henry, Beatrice Holliday, Percy Jack, Jr., Doreen Johnson, Francis Kalama, Darrel Kampstra, Demus Martinez, Alberta Miller, Rayfield Mitchell, Michael J. Ortiz, Carla Pedraza, John W. Sam, Alvis Smith,

III, Debra V. Smith, Joseth W. Smith, Natalie G. Standifer, Davis P. Suppah, Sheldon Sutterlee, Eldon L. Tom, Merris J. Wallulatum, Jr., Glen Umtuch, Timothy Williams, Owens Yahtin, Aaron Hart, Sr.

Please call into the 1992 Tribal Census Center at 553-3252 (local) and 1-800-398-3074 (this phone number is to be used for census callers only). We are looking forward to counting you, call us today.

## Recreation program begins

The 1992 Summer Recreation program began Monday June 29, at the Warm Springs Community Center.

Activities planned for this year

will include morning exercises, arts & crafts, dodgeball, weight training, golf, model car building and much more. There will also be the Friday field trips and swim lessons along with all day hiking trips and special activities.

Instructors will be Lyle Rhoan, Sr., Sherri L. Smith, Carol Allison, Andy Leonard and Austin Greene with director of the project being Fran Moscs-Ahern. There are also summer youth workers supervising some of the daily activities.

It will run from June 29, to August 14, daily 8:15-5:00.