

Annual Keepers of the Treasures meet to be held at Kah-Nee-Ta May 1-4

Many individuals in Warm Springs are gearing up for the upcoming annual Keepers of the Treasures conference that will be held during the first part of May at Kah-Nee-Ta.

The Keepers of the Treasures 1994 annual conference will be held at Kah-Nee-Ta May 1-4, 1994. The theme of this year's conference is "Repatriation: The Implications and Implementation of the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act".

Registration for the conference

includes a reception and tour of the Museum at Warm Springs, a traditional dinner hosted by the Confederated Tribes and two luncheons. Transportation from the airports (Portland or Redmond) can be provided for an additional \$10. Membership dues are \$10 per year. Early registration is \$150 while on-site registration is \$175. To register early, simply complete the accompanying form and mail to Keepers of the Treasures National Office in Washington, D.C.

Following is a tentative agenda for the four-day event.

Sunday, May 1

12 noon Conference registration begins at Kah-Nee-Ta
3-5 p.m. Reception and tour of The Museum at Warm Springs

Monday, May 2

7:30 a.m. Registration
9 a.m. Opening Prayers; President's remarks, Gordon Pullar with update on Keepers' activities, introductions, summary of conference agenda. Welcoming remarks by representatives of the Confederated Tribes.

10 a.m. Presentations on cultural preservation on activities at Warm Springs by Warm Springs leaders.

11:45 a.m. Keynote Address

12:30 p.m. Lunch

1:45 p.m. Update on the National Historic Preservation Act by Dr. Patricia Parker and Cecil

Antone, Lieutenant Governor for Gila River Indian Community; introduction of National Park Service interim guidelines for implementing the tribal provisions of the 1992 amendments to the National Historic Preservation Act.

2:30 p.m. Overview of Repatriation laws and policies by Walter Echo Hawk, Tessie Naranjo, Dean Suagee, Thomas Killion and Clara Sue Kidwell.

Indian Nite Out planned for this evening in Kah-Nee-Ta Chinook Room.

Tuesday, May 3

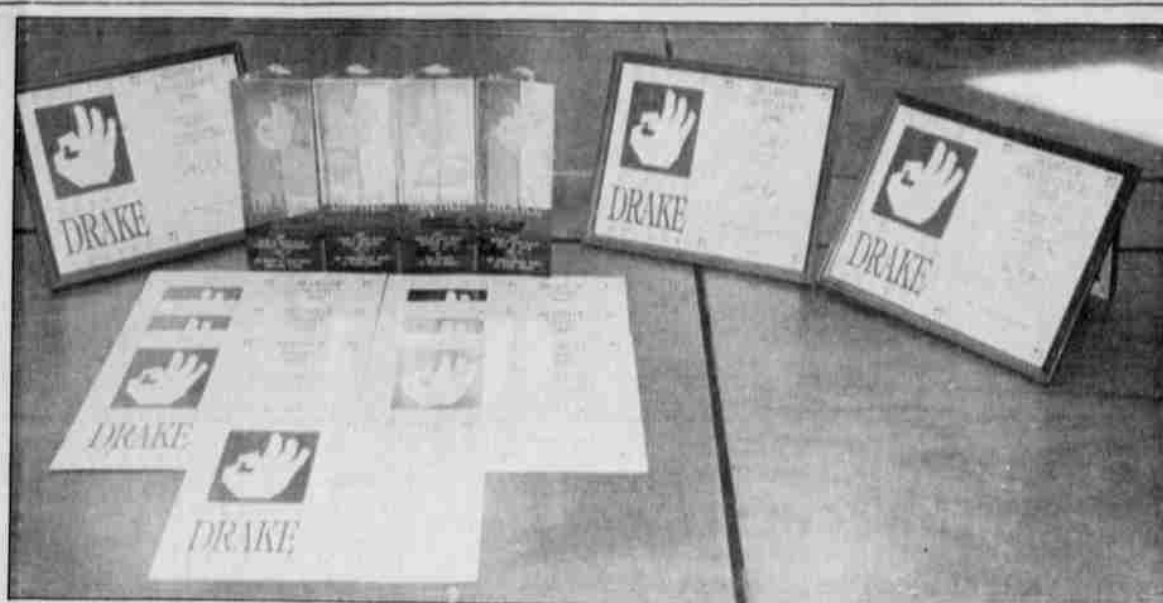
8:45 a.m. Introduction of case study presenters and afternoon workshop panels with moderator Billy Cypress. Case studies will illustrate different approaches to organizing and interpreting information, asserting claims, preparing for repatriation or deciding on alternatives to repatriation.

1:30 p.m. Three workshops will run concurrently and then be repeated again from 3 to 4:15 p.m. Workshops will be: Beginning the Repatriation Process; Continuing the Repatriation Process and Addressing Future Discovering of Graves and Cultural Items; Funding and Technical Assistance for Repatriation Activities.

6 p.m. Traditional dinner

Wednesday, May 4

9 a.m. Membership meeting with check-out at 12 noon.



No Foolin'

Warm Springs was the big winner at the annual Drake Awards presentation Friday, April 1. KTWS and KTNJ took five awards; Warm Springs Composite took one; the Confederated Tribes' annual report took two and The Museum at Warm Springs took 11 awards. The awards are given for outstanding achievement in advertising by the Central Oregon Ad Club.

Incidents cause bitter feelings for visitor

To the editor,
Dear Elton,

I'm Robert Koehonen a World War disabled veteran and I'm white but have a Native American wife (Blackfeet) full blood of 44 years of marriage. I had two incidents happen to me at the Senior's Program which left me in bitterness.

First of all, I parked my auto in a line of cars & Senior bus from Wheeler County. About 3 hundred yards from the Longhouse, south on a grass area and was told by a female Police Officer I cannot park there. I said, "Why it's not bothering anybody?" She said, "I got orders from the Captain, no parking." I told her, "The heck with it. We will just go home." In the meantime my wife was enjoying the program. So I sat down in the front chair and sure enough this elder lady said I was blocking her view. Being disabled, I had to sit sideways. I told her, "Move your chair ahead or better yet, I'll get up and you sit in my chair." So I left the Longhouse to cool off. In the meantime, a younger man had moved the lady's chair and others ahead. He probably didn't like the remark the lady said. I came from Portland through snow and spend money & time to enjoy the program.

These two incidents left me bitter about returning to Warm Springs for Pow Wow or other programs. I know you had nothing to do with it. I've helped your residence every way possible when they came to my home in Portland. By the way, after telling

the female Police Officer I was going to leave, she evidently told another Police Officer about the incident. He came up to me and said, "At least you moved your car, that's more than the others done." The other cars & bus stayed there the whole day, nobody made them move. I believe I was harassed on both incidents. I don't like bitter feelings. I know you put on a nice program and its no fault of yours or your community. We left

early and returned home. but this matter I had to write you this letter, let you know about my feelings. Thank you again. Hope to see you in the future.

Sincerely,
Robert Koehonen
P.S. I hope you contact the Police Captain and find out why he said no parking. Do you think I should contact Spilyay and put these incidents in the paper.

Senior Day was terrific; thanks!

To the editor,
Dear Adeline,

We the seniors at Sisters mealsite would like to convey our thanks for the wonderful time we had at your "Honor Elder Day" festivities.

You treated us royally, showered us with gifts and good food and your wonderful and kind hospitality.

We also appreciated the fact that you and Eileen came all the way to Sisters to inform us about all the fun activities you had planned for that day.

With love from all of us to all of you!

Chuck & Susie Rich

Terrific Day!! Don & Bea Relen Blackburn
Chris Dalton-Thank you for your hospitality.

Vera Nelson-appreciate it all so much.

Dorothy A. Rose-Wonderful day much appreciated.

In appreciation of your honoring us (I'm 92) Stan Gorry.

It was a great day-Dorothy Runniss

We did enjoy so much the great day with all of you. It was just great-Arlene & Wayne Hunter

P.S. Come join us for lunch anytime.

Thank you for memorable day

To the editor,
To Wilson Wewa:

I send this to thank you for inviting me to the Honor Elder's Day. You may not remember me but I met you at 1993 Senior Wellness Conference at Seaside. I talked with you in the lobby of the Ocean View Hotel. I admire your concern for elders. I will be 75 in June 17th. Thank you so very much for a fascinating day with you and your fine people at Warm Springs Res. I sat beside a lady and her husband from Tacoma, who was kind enough to explain some things to me.

I was so pleased to enjoy the children's Pow Wow. They were so dear and so well behaved. Young as they were I didn't see even one child crying, pushing or fussing with others.

I also thank you folks for the food and the hospitality. I thoroughly enjoyed the evening Pow Wow-such splendor with deep meaning. I stayed to the very end.

Greetings to each one on the Senior Wellness Team and I hope to see you folks at Seaside in Oct.

I know it took a lot of planning and work to put on this event and I want you to know how much I appreciate it all. God Bless each one of you. Thanks again.

Lorraine Crawford
Senior Companion working out of the senior Center
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Blue Ribbon campaign set

April is Child Abuse Prevention Month and the Jefferson County Council on Child Abuse Prevention will once again sponsor the "Blue Ribbon of Hope" Campaign. The campaign is a symbol of awareness and hope that all children can grow up without the pain of abuse.

The Children's Learning Center will be tying blue ribbons to trees along Fourth and Fifth Streets in Madras to remind everyone that it is our responsibility as parents, neighbors and as a community to stop child abuse.

For more information about the Prevention Council, or if you need assistance or help, contact Roy Jackson at 475-3882 or Diane Treadway at 475-9426.

Summer school to begin June 13

Summer school, beginning this summer, will be coordinated and operated by the Tribal Education Department. Primary contact persons are Myrna Courtney and Tedi Tanewasha, who can be reached at 553-3311 or stop by the Education Services Building. It will begin June 13, 1994. Future information about summer school and registration procedures can be obtained from Education Services department.



April 25, 1969 to April 25, 1994
Happy 25th Anniversary
Alexander & Phyllis Tohet
And we wish you many more!
Love from, Johnnie, Harvi, Raul

Keepers of the Treasures National Conference

I will be representing the _____

Tribe/Organization

Name _____

Title _____

Address _____

Telephone _____ FAX # _____

Check(s) are enclosed for the following:

____ \$150 per person for registration (no transportation needed)

____ \$160 per person for registration plus travel from airport

____ \$ 10 for annual membership dues (include separate check for dues)

____ I will need transportation to and from the Portland Airport. (Please provide date and time of arrival and departure, airline carrier and flight number.)

____ I will need transportation to and from the Redmond Airport. (Please provide date and time of arrival and departure, airline carrier and flight number.)

Please return completed form as soon as possible to:

Mary Stuart McCamy

Keepers of the Treasures National Office

666 Pennsylvania Ave., SE #200

Washington, DC 20003

Happy 13th, Angela. Hope it's a good one!
Love, Auntie Raychel, cousins Naomi, Donald and Baby Teresa

Happy 13th birthday to our grand-niece Angela
With our love, Auntie, Ruby and Jr.



April 16, 1983 Chasen, Happy 11th Birthday!
You're growing up so fast!
You're our handsome young man.
Lots of Love,
Ma, Pa, Scott & Jake

April 26, 1994
Happy 6th Birthday Little "OOAH"
JeLeah Eva Sam, We all love you baby.
Love from mom, dad, Tracy, Sadie,
Elsie, Neda, Jr., Thomas, grandma Eliza,
Aunt Itta, Tony & Eliza.



Belated birthday wishes to
Bruce E. Smith-April 3
and happy birthday to:
Iris Smith-April 19
Leminnie Smith-April 21
Renso Rodriguez-April 24
David Dona-April 26

Did you find a clipon earring?

To the editor,
Dear Chairman of Senior Day,
I attended your joyful program for the Seniors yesterday and enjoyed every moment of it my second time. Thank you so much for a great day.

I lost a gold-colored "clipon" earring which meant much to me. I sat in the left bleachers of the hall as we entered thru the right hand door of the dining room to be registered. I thought the custodian could have swept it up. Of course I could have lost it in the dining room. I realize it was a very small item in so much trash. Sometimes articles like this are turned into the office.

If found please return to me. Thank you!

Jessie F. Morris
Box 367
Fossil, OR 97830

PARENTING CAN BE TOUGH

The Oregon Commission on Children and Families and the Children's Trust Fund of Oregon have parenting tips flyers that may help.

- Shopping with your child • Temper tantrums • Anger • Crying baby •
- Toilet training • Words that can hurt •

For copies, contact: Kimberly Walker at 373-1283 or your local commission.

April 1994 Child Abuse Prevention Month

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 Say I love you to your child every day.	2 Look for a rainbow after April showers.
3 Help your child set clocks ahead 1 hour for Daily Savings Time.	4 Have lunch with your child at school.	5 Write down your family tree.	6 Have your child tell you a story.	7 Look up a new word in the dictionary.	8 Make a fort using blankets and chairs or boxes.	9 Visit the zoo -- or maybe the pet shop.
10 Read the Sunday comics with your child.	11 Learn a new song with your child.	12 Look at old photo albums with your child.	13 Make a necklace out of macaroni.	14 Rent a video and watch it with your child.	15 Buy a new book. Read it together.	16 Gather old clothes and toys for charity.
17 Help your child organize a recycling area at home.	18 Declare today HUG DAY!	19 Ask someone to take a picture of your family.	20 Make a card for grandparents or a special relative.	21 Make a household chore a game with your child.	22 Listen to your child's laughter (bet you feel a smile coming on!).	23 Make frozen treats with toothpicks, juice, and an ice tray.
24 Make puppets and put on a family show.	25 Take a walk with your child.	26 Give a dog a bath.	27 Go to the park, everyone play!	28 Watch a television program with your child (age approp.).	29 Count to 10 when you are angry with your child.	30 Plant spring flowers.