

## Job openings

Job openings as of July 5, 1994 are listed below. To submit an application, contact Amelia Tewee at Employment Services, phone 553-3262. To ask about job details, call the contact person listed on the advertisement.

Substitute Teachers Aides; Early Childhood Education; Nancy Kirk/Julie Quaid  
Secretary FT; Community Health Promotion; Judith Charley

Matron FT; Police Department; Frank Smith

Certified Speech-Language Pathologist FT; Early Childhood Education; Julie Quaid/Jane Kirkpatrick

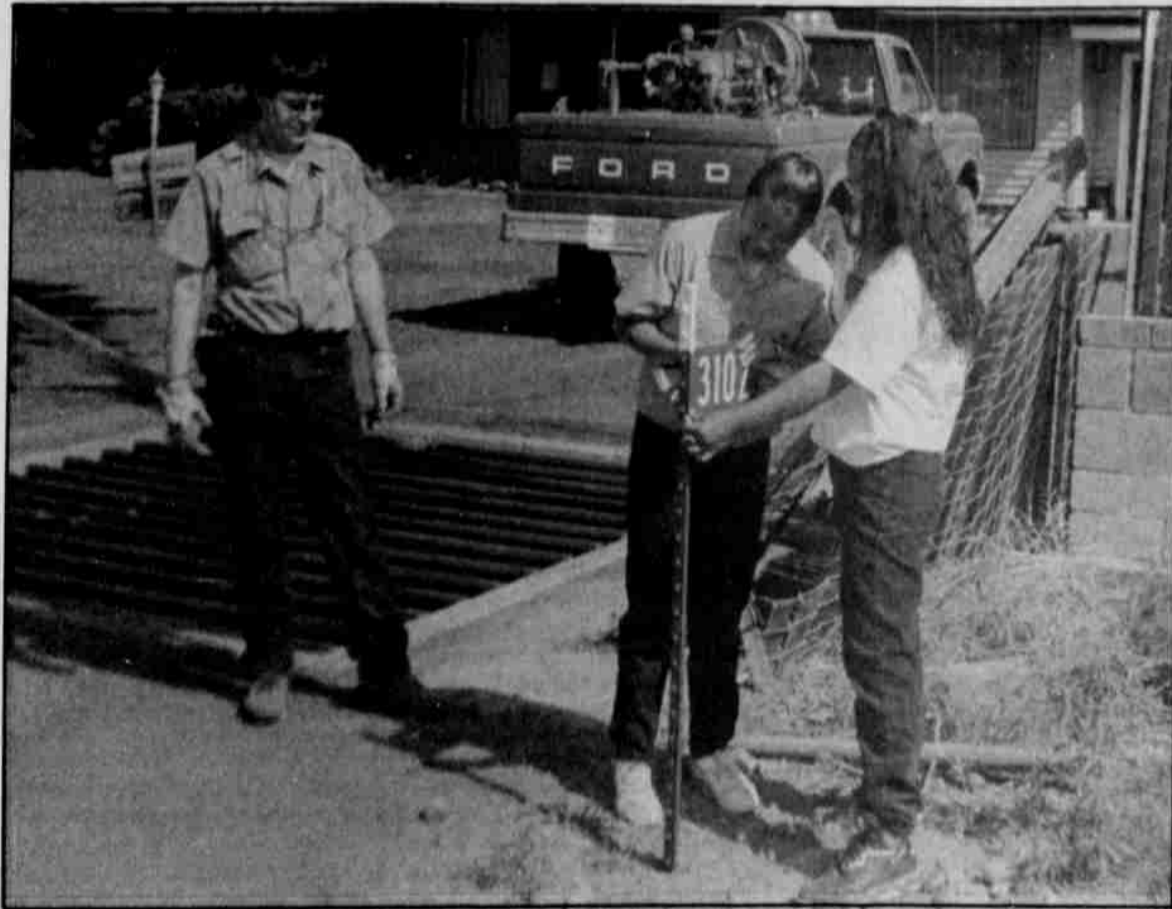
Youth Workers (2 positions) PT; Children Protective Services; Linda Thompson

Computer/Radio Operator; Forestry-Fire Management; Theresa Morris

Secretary FT; Fire & Safety; RaNeve Dowty

Power Machine Op.; WS Clothing; Judy Dickman  
Sports Producer Temp. PT; K-TWINS; Paul Tilton

Breakfast Cook, Dining Rm Line Cook, Golf Course Mechanic, Golf Course Maintenance, Gift Shop Cashier, Coffee Shop & Juniper room wait persons & buspersons; Kah-Nee-Ta Resort; Scottie Miller



Student trainees working with Fire and Safety put up new rural house numbers in front of driveways to assist emergency personnel in locating homes quickly. Project was sponsored by the Confederated Tribes.

## First annual Diabetes camp set for July 22-24

The First Annual Diabetes Camp at HeHe Longhouse is scheduled to be held July 22, 23, 24, 1994. Anyone who is affected by diabetes is welcome to attend this gathering, you could be a concerned family member or a diabetic.

This is a Community Health Education Team Project and is free of charge.

The main emphasis on the Diabetes Camp is "Informing our community about Diabetes." It is sponsored by the Tribal Health Education Team and the IHS Diabetes staff.

Daily activities will begin at 7:00 a.m. each morning, including: information booths, workshop sessions, and time to relax. Breakfast,

lunch, and dinner will be provided to all participants.

Friday, July 22 there will be a Western DJ dance, free of charge. Saturday, July 23 a comedian and a puppet show, free of charge. These nights are centered on family entertainment.

For information about the Diabetes Camp you may call Carolyn Wewa at 553-3241.

## Visitors, locals garner top dancing awards

The 25th Silver Anniversary Pi-Ume-Sha Treaty Days held the weekend of June 24-26, 1994 had visitors from all over the Nation, with some who visited for the first time and others returning from last year. The celebration began Friday evening with Grand Entry at 7:00 p.m.

The first contest underway was the Little Girls 6 & under. Results were as follows: 1. Raylene Thomas, 2. Nicole Spencer, 3. Alexandria Anguiano, 4. Kara Katchia-W.S.O., 5. Dezbah White. Little Boys 6 & under: 1. Rodney Katchia-W.S.O., 2. Elicity Begay, 3. Ezra Wahwasuk, 4. Justin George, 5. Rhoderick Slimjohn.

The honoring of the 1993 outgoing Pi-Ume-Sha Queen, Madeline Jim was held Friday night, (early Saturday morning). The crowning of the 1994 Pi-Ume-Sha Queen followed. Rose Kirk was the Sr. Court Queen and Natasha Edwards was crowned the 1994 Lil' Miss Pi-Ume-Sha. Past Pi-Ume-Sha Queens were also honored.

The Little Girls Round Dance (7-11 years): 1. Winter Dawn Warren of Red Mesa, Arizona, 2. Krista Rhoan of Warm Springs, Oregon, 3. Cyrille Mitchell of Warm Springs, 4. Amelia Davis of Warm Springs, and 5. Erica Dave of Celilo Wyam, Little Boys (7-11 years): 1. Owen Danzuka of Warm Springs, 2. Preston Tom of Warm Springs, 3. Ren Yazzie, 4.

Alex Meninick, 5. David Spotted Eagle.

Saturday morning a parade was held and traveled through Warm Springs and ended down at the Pi-Ume-Sha grounds. Grand Marshall's for the Parade were Chief Nelson Wallulatam, Chief Delvis Heath and Chief Vernon Henry. Grand Entry began at 1:00 p.m. Contests held Saturday included the Teen Girls Fancy Dance (12-16 years) with Julie Harden of Phoenix, Arizona the winner. 2. Michelle Jim, 3. Aime Erle of Chiloquin, Oregon, 4. Tatiana Penney of Yakima, Washington, 5. Tomahsali Kimple of Alameda, California.

Teen Boys Fancy (12-16 years): 1. Shawn Eshee of Red Mesa, Arizona, 2. Rocco Clark, Jr. of Toppenish, Washington, 3. Jason Bitsinni, 4. Randy Tewawina of Polacca, Arizona, 5. Charlie Dogsleep.

World War II Native American Veterans were honored with a dance Saturday afternoon.

The evening Grand Entry was held at 7:00 p.m. with the following contests held. The Girls Traditional War Dance (12-16 years): 1. Tennille Yazzie of Tuba City, Arizona, 2. Rose Kirk of Warm Springs, 3. Harriet Dave of Wapato, Washington, 4. Tiffany Jones of Farmington, N.M., 5. Dawn Slickpoo

of Goldendale, Washington.

Boys Straight/Traditional (12-16 years): 1. Quincy Jackson of Lapwai, Idaho, 2. Elvis Sampson of Wapato, Washington, 3. Travis Warren of Red Mesa, Arizona, 4. George Meninick of Toppenish, Washington, 5. Kenneth Tuckta of Warm Springs.

The Women's Team Round Dance winners: 1. G Team-Ruth Jim, Carla George and Bernice Jim, 2. D Team-Freida Swift, Karen Umtuch and Karen Wahwasuck, 3. L Team-Arlita Rhoan, Arlissa Rhoan and Josephine George, 4. B Team-Audrey Olney, Masami Danzuka and Edith Walsey.

Men's Team Dance Open Contest: 1. A Team-George Meninick, Elvis Sampson and Bruce Sampson, 2. C Team-Sheldon Shebala, Lee Whiteplume and Quincy Jackson, 3. E Team-Sloutia Ike, Brian George and Sky Yallup Troy, 4. B Team-John Meninick, Eric George and Derrick Dave.

Sunday winners were: Women's Fancy/Jingle: 1. Theresa Jim of Gallup, New Mexico, 2. Claudia Adams Wilson of Seattle Washington, 3. Lavina Colwash of Warm Springs, 4. Verna Moran of Toppenish, Washington, 5. Danell Tailfeathers of Warm Springs.

Women's Straight/Traditional 17 & up: 1. Masami Danzuka of

## GA recipients strive for self-sufficiency

General Assistance clients, when turning in job search forms, were, in April, asked to complete a questionnaire concerning a wide variety of subject related to the GA program. The purpose of the questionnaire was to obtain information, directly from the GA recipients themselves, which could be used in the development of an approach to assist them in becoming self-sufficient and off welfare.

Sixty-seven questionnaires were completed, which represented about a 30 percent return of those recipients who are considered able to work. Those who completed the questionnaire indicated positive responses when asked to provide information. A majority wanted this information shared with the community.

A summary of the information is provided below:

1. They do not like to go on General Assistance.
2. People only applied for GA when they had no other resources.
3. Most (a little over 92 percent) of the grant amounts are less than \$400 per month.
4. While only 12, or 18 percent, have been on GA a year or longer, it appears that this number will increase unless there is a change in the focus and direction of the GA program.
5. Most respondents indicated they have two or more barriers to getting off GA.
6. Most respondents would participate in a program that would help them get off GA and, they are willing to invest significant time (20 hours or more per week) in doing so.

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the community understands the impact they have on the children and families of Jefferson County."

The next project for the commission is to finish the comprehensive plan that is due in Salem by the end of July. Public input is encouraged. Anyone who wishes to participate in this planning process or desires more information regarding the Commission is welcome to call the office at 475-9426 or Jodi Eagan, chairperson at 475-3082.

There seems to be a general attitude within this and other communities that people on GA and other welfare programs are there because "they want to be there or just don't care". The survey definitely dispels this notion. People apply for welfare because they have no other resources and that road to self-sufficiency is blocked by two or more barriers, which include: access to reliable transportation, lack of education, training or experience, long-standing personal issues such as substance abuse, mental or emotional problems, abuse and/or neglect problems and low self-esteem.

Research has shown, and the

Welfare Reform Act, has demonstrated people with major barriers will remain on welfare until those barriers are removed and without some systematic approach to assist them most will remain on welfare. The positive information in the survey is that recipients want to be off welfare, they just can't do it on their own.

What can be done to assist them will be the subject of series of articles to come. If you would like a full copy of the survey, please contact Bob Jackson at 553-3368 or the GA office at the Commodities Food Warehouse between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

## Board vacancy announced

Announcement for Board Member of Victim Assistance

Responsibilities  
Board Members serve a 4-year term renewable once. The Board works with the Victims Assistance Program with annual planning, evaluation, guidance, and support.

How to Apply  
Submit a personal letter of application and interest, sharing relevant experience, skill, and what contri-

butions you can bring to the Board. This letter of application should be mailed by July 22, 1994 to: Urbana Manion, Chairperson; Victims Assistance Board; Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs; Warm Springs, OR 97761

If you wish to deliver your letter of application, take it to Community Counseling Center for Urbana, who can also answer any questions that may be asked or call 553-3205.

## Notice of Public Meeting

Community Center Social Hall

Warm Springs, OR

Tuesday, July 12, 1994

6 to 8 p.m.

Controlling competing vegetation and noxious weeds on the Warm Springs Reservation

The Natural Resources department would like Tribal members input on the best alternatives for controlling competing vegetation of forest plantations and noxious weeds throughout the reservation. If you have any issues, concerns or opportunities which you feel should be addressed during the development of a project assessment, please plan on attending this meeting.

Your input is important!

## Health Service vehicles vandalized

Five Indian Health Service vehicles were damaged by vandals June 23 or 24. The damage was discovered when employees came to work June 24. Cost of damage is estimated at \$2,000. The vandals broke the windows of the vehicles as well as marred the paint by scratching initials and vulgarities.

IHS officials are especially con-

cerned about the damage because most of the vehicles are used by the doctors and nurses to make calls to the hospital and to provide outreach services to home-bound patients. Two of the cars were less than a month old.

Anyone with information concerning the incident is urged to notify the Warm Springs Police Department or the Health and Wellness Center.



Vehicles at the Health & Wellness Center were vandalized during the night hours. Windows were broken out and the sides had been scraped.

## Howlak Tichum

Rick Mason

44 year old Rick J. Mason, a former resident of Warm Springs, died on June 26, 1994 from an accident that resulted when a pickup truck overturned on him.

Mason was originally from Shurz, Nevada where he was born on August 31, 1949. he is survived by his mother and numerous other relatives in Nevada and Warm Springs. Before Mason's death he

was employed as a construction worker for the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs.

Prayer services were held Tuesday and Wednesday evening after the death at Bel-air Colonial Funeral Home in Madras. Wilson Wewa Jr. officiated. The burial was held at Fishlake Valley Cemetery in Shurz, Nevada at 1:00 pm on Thursday July 2.

A full obituary of Roscoe Smith will appear in next issue



Eagle Spirit of Yakima, was one of twenty drums who participated in the Pi-Ume-Sha celebration. Photo by Bob Medina

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