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



SPILYAY SPEARS

The way the weather is acting here lately a person would think Autum is about to arrive as the day's have been a bit coolerthan usual. As they say, "Summer Time, when the living is easy." Them days have already passed and we must look forward to fall and winter. Pretty soon everyone will be complaining about the cold weather. The past few months its been that heat, which makes things miserable. Well, no one will ever completely be satisfied with what kind of weather we

Now that the fishing season is under way once again for a few days we should reflect back to the days when a person could see salmon jumping all over the place at the

Celilo Falls about this time of the year. The abundance of salmon that passed up the river them days are now gone. The Dams and pollution from all the up stream activities cause most of the depletion of the salmon runs and they balme the Indians for distruction of the fish runs./

Tourists used to gather by the thousands to watch the Indians fish at the famous Celilo Falls, during the annual fall runs in the past.

Never being a fisherman in the past but kept in tact with interest as the Indian tribes from the northwest gathered each year at the Celilo Falls. It was amazing to ride those cable boxes across to those islands where most of the fishing was done. On the way over to the islands the boxes would be high over the water and you could look right down where the water went rumbling over the falls. sometimes a bit scary but yet exciting to be there.

In the evening when everyone was returning back for the night those boxes would be full of fish and when it was about half way across the whole box would hit the water as the people on them boxes got their feet all wet. Now that was real scary to be going over those falls with a load of fish, but it would feel good when the box would rise out of the water again and on its way to the un-loading zone.

But once the run was past the fishing was done as it was real slow to catch those stragglers coming up the stream. During those big runs the bucks really came rolling in for some guys that had the good fishing places. Yep! there are many tales to be told of the old fishing grounds of the past. There are some who even remember, "Salmon Head Beech." Some of those days were the real "Gook-Ole-Day's."

Toon-Un-Cha...Well, the cool weather is helping the firefighters here in the Northwest as the fire season nears its end also. We sure needed some moisture during the summer months but never saw a drop of rain at all. The fire season is in no means over yet as it can still get a pretty good blaze a going. Just like last week where The Chief Nelson Wallulatum lost his whole place. Home and all the structures around there. Yep! Fire is nothing to mess around with. It could burn the shirt right off your back if you don't vatch out. There is some moisture failing in the higher elevations to slow the fire season down al little. Just think of all those acres of land that went up in smoke last summer, where even the Kah-Nee-Ta Resort was threatened. People evacuated out of their homes and all. Warm Springs was seen all across the nation on the CNN news. There have been several fires that have threatened homes in the area this year. We've been lucky to have not lost many structures so far.

Well, The Confederated Tribes of Warm springs are hosting the Affilliated Tribes of Northwest Indians 1994 Annual Conference this year at the Kah-Nee-Ta Resort, September 12-15, 1994, with the theme, "Re-Investing In ATNI For the 21st Centrur"

On Saturday September 10, 11, there will be the Youth Leadership Summit, with the registration at 8:00 a.m. with the Invocation at 10:00 am, by Sunmiet Minnick, Mary Ann Meanus, and Caroline Tohet. Introductions by Dabid Rodriguez. At 10:15 Welcome address by Dabid Rodriguez, Madras High School, ATNI Board members are Gary Peterson, Tribal Council, Skokomish, WA., Diane Allen, Director of Education, Coeur

D'Alene, Idaho. At 11:00 a.m., Icebreaker, by Dinato Pittman, Madras High School, Andy Leonard, Recreation-Project Coach, Nicole Garcia, Madras School.

At 3:00 p.m. Youth Involvement in your Community, panel members

Lt. Frank Smith, Darlene Zachrias are Tribal Youth, Diane Allen, Coeur D'Alene, Leadership Program, Andy Leonard, Warm Springs, Salmon Science Club, Fritz Miller, Warm Springs, Oregon Indian Education High School Association, Dinato Pittman, Warm Springs.

At 5:30 p.m., there will be a picnic, Swimming, Sand Volleyball. Sand Volley ball courts below the lodge, and a street dance at 8:00 p.m.

Sunday will have a full schedule with the Invocation at 10:00 a.m. by Tribal elder Spiritual Leaders, and at 11:00 a.m. the Affilliated Tribes Northwest Indians Panel include, Alvin Shuster, Chairman, Tribal Education Committee, Yakima, WA., Mike Clements, Treasurer, ATNI, Warm Springs, Or., Antone Minthorn, 1st Vice-President, Pendleton, OR., Dan Gargan, Executive Director, Regional Coordinator, Margret Jose, Secre-

The Affilliated Tribes of Northwest Indians will have a full schedule for the annual meeting starting off with a Golf Tournament on Sunday. Tee-Off time 2:00 p.m.

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The Casino Manager: "My 3 year-old can count real good-one, two, three, four, five, six, seven, eight, nine, ten Jack, Queen, King." YIKES

The Bus Driver asked one of his regular passengers, "Did you get home all right last night?"

'Yeah, Why?' "Well, when you got up to give a lady your seat you were the only one on the bus." YIKES

Happy 2nd Birthday September 14, 1994 Love, Mom & Dad

Help, support appreciated

To the editor,

To the Family and Friends of

Please accept our apologies for this long over due letter. We feel in our hearts to let our family and friends know we have not forgotten their kindness and support during our time

The love and support we received from our Broncheau family from Harrah, WA and all the kind heartfelt cards we received from our out-ofstate families and friends who were unable to attend the passing of our

Much appreciation and a thank you to Mary Danzuka and her kitchen help for the wonderful meals they prepared and clean-up in a very timely manner. Also our relatives: Larry Dick, Alexander Tohet, Uncle Nelson, Aunt Elvina and brothers and sisters: Cougar, Noreen, Onte, Truman, Levi, Darla, Sidonia, Eugenia, Monte, Mary Ann and all our grandchildren and Utilities

Thoughtfulness like yours take a special kind of caring.

May God Bless you

Mico and Ted Chase **Bunz Brunoe**

True sense of family re-established

To the editor,

Thank you for publishing this letter of thanks to all the members who made the Roosevelt Pow-Wow

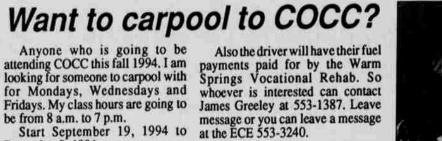
A special thanks to the dancers for braving the heat to give us enjoyment. Everyone was a winner.

I don't know about anyone else, but for me it was the best little Powwow I've been to in a very long time. I want you, Melinda, to know, whatever mistakes or hassles there were they were made up for by the true sense of family. I believe I can speak for my sister Eva when I say I

felt a such a warmth, I felt I belonged somewhere, I felt loved by my other side of the family. I met friends & family that actually seemed happy to shake my hand or to give me a warm embrace, thank you all for making my time special. Roosevelt will forever be a special place to me. The songs, drums, bells, testimonies still echo in my ears, and in my heart. Forgive me if I sound rather corny but that's me!

I was saddened to leave but see you next year.

Very sincerely, Blanche Walsey Williams





Happy belated Birthday to my grandson Dillon Begay, son of Cecelia Walsey Begay and Rodger Begay. Love you Cutie!

Grandma Anita Walsey

Back to Scouting Potluck Sunday, September 18 **Warm Springs Senior Center** 6 p.m. Boys ages 11-13 or older and their parents invited

Awards will be given and future activities will be announced For more information contact: Rick Souers at 553-3272 or Mark Matthews at 553-3300



Richard Walsey 62 years old **September 18, 1933**

We didn't Oh no! forget yours . . . Happy 62nd Birthday (September 18) ole man. May you have many more!

Best wishes, Theodore T. Walsey, Jay Hunt Walsey, Grandsons Theodore Walsey, Jr., Wesley Walsey

Heath family thanks WSPD staff

To the editor,

and Joe Thornbam for taking time out of their busy schedule to transport Johnson Heath, Sr. over to Mt. View Hospital to be with his wife Charlene Heath while she was in the hospital. he had to be transported over there because he is considered an escape risk and is not trusted on passes by himself. His wife has been in the hospital since August 24, 1994 and is very thankful that these people were

Hear Ye! Hear Ye! Got an 8 hour job and can't clean your home? I've got time to do cleaning, ironing, baby-sit, etc. Cleaning is \$7 per hour. Negotiable for ironing and babysitting. Give me, Susan Coronado, a call at 553-6018.

able to transport him over to the

hospital to be with his wife. We are glad that he was to spend time with her even if it was only for a couple of hours a day. We are also very thankful Charlene lived through her ordeal.

Start September 19, 1994 to

December 9, 1994.

We would like to thank these three people again. Thanks for being understanding during our time of need. Thanks again Lt. Frank Smith, Corrections officers Darlene Zacarias and Joe Thornbam.

A very thankful family, Johnson & Charlene Heath, Johnson Heath, Jr. & Derek Faith Dick & family Bobbi & Lei Calica

Regan & Cheryl

Happy Birthday to my sis, Hope you have a good one! Love, Carl Ann

FUND RAISER YARD SALE 2111 Wasco

Street on Friday & Saturday 9/16 & 17/94 funds to be used for the WS jail

kitchen

Happy 38th Anniversary To our parents: Raymond & Charlotte Shike, Sr.

WITH ALL OUR LOVE, Helena Jones & children, Mina Shike & children, Raymond Shike, Jr., Lawrence, Li'l Lawrence Shike Owen, Sandra & Li'l Owen Danzuka, Andy & Lana Leonard & boys Best wishes from your sister Eliza Brown & family



Happy Birthday Leona September 12, 1988 May God Bless You! Love you lots! Mom, Dad & Grandma

Priestly Generation Fellowship/Youth Rally October 23 to 31, 1994 at the Revival Chapel (2914 Rucker Everett, WA) Hosting: Debbie & Merle Williams, Jr. Co-Host: Tim Ensz 7 p.m. nightly

Everyone welcome! Bring the sick, unsaved Testimonies & song

Northbound I-5, take Pacific Ave. exit. Go west to Rucker, take a right, go 2 blocks, Church on left. Southbound I-5, take the Everett-Wenatchee exit. Stay to the right, take a right on Everett Ave. Go west to Rucker, go 2 blocks, Church on right. Located in Dwayne Lanes Chrysler dealer parking lot.

For more information: Merle & Debbie Williams at 1229 State Street, Marysville, WA 98270 (206)659-3278 or Tim Ensz at 2914 Rucker, Everett, WA 98201

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