

Job Openings

Job openings as of January 3 are listed below. If you would like to submit an application, contact Amelia Tewee at Employment Services 553-3262/3263. To ask about job details contact the contact person listed.

Executive Secretary F.T.: Warm Springs Power Enterprises; Jim Manion

Data Processing Clerk F.T.: Court Administration; Ruth Adams

Compliance Clerk F.T.: Court Administration; Ruth Adams

Special Officer: Police Department; Frank Smith

Columbia River Officer F.T.: Police Department; Frank Smith

Limited Duration PT on-call basis (position openings): Utilities; Ramona Starr/Harold Blackwolf

Counselor Trainee: Social Services; Dan Burke

Matron F.T. (2 positions): Corrections; Frank Smith

In Vietnam....

Jailer F.T.: Corrections; Frank Smith

P.T. Special Officer: Corrections; Frank Smith

Firefighter/EMT P.T.: Fire & Safety; RaNeVa Dowty

Budget Analyst F.T.: Budget Compliance; Jeff Sanders, Sr.

Receptionist/Secretary: Community Health Promotion; Judy Charley

Finance Clerk F.T.: Finance Branch; Angelena Smith/Michele Stacona

Sales Representative: KTWINS; John Stoltz

Sports Producer/PT Announcer: KTWINS; John Stoltz

Special Projects Director: The High Desert Museum, Bend, OR; Bill Reichardt/Beth Schattin 382-4754

Power Machine Op.: WS Clothing; Melissa Tanewasha

Vet benefit deadline extended

A federal judge Thursday extended the deadline for Vietnam Veterans to file claims for compensation as victims of the Agent Orange defoliant.

U.S. District Court Judge Jack Weinstein, who established the \$184 million Agent Orange Payment Program in 1985, said the program will now accept all applications submitted with a postmark of January 17 or earlier. The program originally had been scheduled to conclude at midnight Saturday.

Weinstein said the deadline was being extended because of the large number of applications submitted in recent weeks and because of a flood of inquiries this week.

About 39,000 U.S. veterans and their families have received money from the fund since the program began sending out checks in 1989. About \$21 million has not been

claimed, said authorities.

Conrad Hanks, a veteran from Bend, called seeking compensation. He said veterans must be 100 percent disabled or have a Veteran's Administration-certified, 70 percent Agent-Orange connected service disability before qualifying for the fund.

The settlement was reached after veterans brought a class-action lawsuit against the makers of Agent Orange, charging that it caused cancer and other illnesses and produced birth defects in their children.

To obtain a claim application, veterans should contact the payment program at 1-800-225-4712. Weinstein said the claims administrator has increased the number of telephone lines and operators to accommodate incoming calls.

Apologies extended

To the community,
I apologize for driving while under the influence of intoxicants.
Angie Governor

To the editor,
I, Jimmy George would like to apologize to the people of Warm Springs for driving under the influence of intoxicants. The outcome could've been worse than it was and I'm thankful it wasn't. I hope everyone had a good x-mas and wish you all a happy new year.

I, Tony Julius Gilbert apologize to Warm Springs people for Driving under the Influence of Intoxicants.
I'm sorry,
Tony J. Gilbert

To my family,
I want to apologize to you, my wife. Alcohol & Drugs turn me into a very ugly person. They make me say and do things that aren't the real me. I will not drink or use again. I am very sorry and ashamed for the way I've treated you, you deserve much better. You're a very beautiful & special person inside & out, don't ever forget that. I apologize to you my children. I haven't been a very good father, and I'm ashamed of this. You are very special little people and I'm very proud of you. You have the best mother you could ever hope for, please listen to her and help her out.

I want to say I'm sorry to my wife's family for the way I've treated my wife & children. I'm very sorry for letting everyone down. I hope I get a chance to make it up to all of you.
I hope and pray that you kid's and your mother can find it in your hearts to forgive me. I love all of you and always will.

Sincerely,
Troy Adams

ECE to sponsor video sessions

Starting in January, videos will be shown at ECE on Wednesday and Friday mornings at 9 a.m. These videos will be on topics in which parents have shown interest when filling out registration packets. Arrangements are being made to provide childcare. The video sessions will last no longer than one hour.

Here's January's schedule:

Wednesday, January 11—Parent Talk 1; Practical tips for raising children two to five years of age

Friday, January 13—Parent Talk 2; Tips for dealing with the school age child, six to 12 years of age

Wednesday, January 18—Parent Talk 3; Tips for parents of teenagers

Friday, January 20—What is FAS?

Wednesday, January 25—FAS and Effects: What's the Difference?

Friday, January 27—FAS: Assessment and the Early Years

Sessions are open to the public.

Spilyay Tymoo Deadline and Publication Dates for 1995

Vol. 20	Deadline	Publication
No. 1	Dec. 30, 1994	Jan. 6, 1995
No. 2	Jan. 13, 1995	Jan. 20, 1995
No. 3	Jan. 27, 1995	Feb. 3, 1995
No. 4	Feb. 10, 1995	Feb. 17, 1995
No. 5	Feb. 24, 1995	Mar. 3, 1995
No. 6	Mar. 10, 1995	Mar. 17, 1995
No. 7	Mar. 24, 1995	Mar. 31, 1995
No. 8	Apr. 7, 1995	Apr. 14, 1995
No. 9	Apr. 21, 1995	Apr. 28, 1995
No. 10	May 5, 1995	May 12, 1995
No. 11	May 19, 1995	May 26, 1995
No. 12	June 2, 1995	June 9, 1995
No. 13	June 16, 1995	June 23, 1995
No. 14	June 30, 1995	July 7, 1995
No. 15	July 14, 1995	July 21, 1995
No. 16	July 28, 1995	Aug. 4, 1995
No. 17	Aug. 11, 1995	Aug. 18, 1995
No. 18	Aug. 25, 1995	Sept. 1, 1995
No. 19	Sept. 8, 1995	Sept. 15, 1995
No. 20	Sept. 22, 1995	Sept. 29, 1995
No. 21	Oct. 6, 1995	Oct. 13, 1995
No. 22	Oct. 20, 1995	Oct. 27, 1995
No. 23	Nov. 2, 1995	Nov. 9, 1995
No. 24	Nov. 16, 1995	Nov. 22, 1995
No. 25	Dec. 1, 1995	Dec. 8, 1995
No. 26	Dec. 15, 1995	Dec. 22, 1995

Anger Management workshop

A workshop is scheduled to be held at the Warm Springs Community Center on Developing Options to Anger, January 6, 1995, from 8:30 to 4:30 p.m.

Participants are to bring brown bag lunch, beverages will be provided. This anger management workshop is sponsored by Jefferson County Commission for Children and Families and the Warm Springs Community Counseling Center.

Tribal Member Art Show scheduled to begin May 13

The Museum at Warm Springs invites all tribal member artists and craftspeople to submit slides and photographs of their work for our second Tribal Member Art Show. This annual juried show was changed to run during the summer months, May 13, 1995 to September 22, 1995, to give our tribal members artists the best possible public exposure.

We wish to encourage all tribal member artists and craftspeople to enter the show. If you are unable to have slides or photographs of your current work done, please contact Roxanne Casey at The Museum as soon as possible so we can make other arrangements.

It is an honor to announce this year's judge, nationally known Native American artist, Maynard White Owl. His beautiful elks tooth wing dress and capote coats were displayed in a previous show at The Museum, "Native America: Reflecting Contemporary Realities."

The three categories of awards are as follows:

1. The Judge's Choice Award:

This prestigious award is selected by the Judge as the most outstanding of all the work submitted. The work chosen will be used as our primary publicity piece, and will be on the invitations that are sent out nationwide to announce the show's opening reception. Financial compensation for the use of the work will be given.

2. Honorable Mention Award: These cash awards will be selected by the Judge as outstanding work. The award constitutes recognition and support to the artists to continue with their endeavor.
3. The Timberline Lodge Purchase Award: Timberline CEO Richard L. Kohnstamm will select the purchase for resale in the Timberline Lodge gift shop. Works selected for this category must be available for sale and the award amount depends upon the artist's listed selling price. Recognizing that a career in art can be difficult, Kohnstamm created the Timberline Lodge Purchase Award to provide a financial incentive for artists to pursue their craft.

If you are interested in entering

this year's show you may pick up an application/contract at The Museum or call ((503) 553-3331) and we'll be glad to send you one.

Good luck to all tribal member artists and craftspeople and remember the words of W. Richard West, Director of the National Museum of the American Indian, "...non-Indian commercial artists will not control our definition of Native American art which can be seen and interpreted only with Indian eyes."

The guidelines to enroll:

1. Applicant must be a member of The Confederated Tribes of the Warm Springs Reservation.
2. Submit no more than five slides or photographs of your work. *Note:* Good quality slides or photographs of your work makes a big difference in the juring process. If you need to bring your actual work in or make other arrangements, please contact Roxanne Casey as soon as possible.
3. All entries must be no more than five years old.
4. Only submit work that can be in the show and, if selected, can remain in the show for its entire

duration. If for any reason you can't leave a piece from the deadline date, 3/31/95 through 9/23/95, please don't enter it.

5. Slides must be numbered and labeled with artist's name, the title, media and size/dimensions of the work. Please include the same information on the back of the photographs.
6. Artist must complete the artist statement on the application (a brief explanation about yourself and the work you do).
7. Application deadline is Friday, March 31, 1995. The application will need to be completed, contract signed, and slides or photographs sent or brought to The Museum by 4:30 p.m. on the above date.
8. Artists are responsible for bringing their selected pieces to The Museum after they've received a notification letter. Artists will be notified within one week from the jury date, April 4, 1995. All shipping costs to and from The Museum are the artists responsibility.
9. All work that is selected to be in the show will need to be picked up at The Museum by September 29, 1995 (with in one week after the show closes).

Survivors' Journey
12-week healing journey for women
Wednesdays
beginning January 11, 1995
6 to 8 p.m.
Community Counseling Center
For more information contact Erin Sweeden or Urbana Manion at 553-3205.

Navajo feels Native Americans should be recognized at VietNam Wall

To the editor,
My name is Floyd Dawson, a native of Tonalea, AZ. I am of Navajo Tribe. I was raised in the traditional Navajo ways and living on the Navajo reservation all my life. Tonalea is a small community with a population of 1,780.

When I was 16 year old, I lost my oldest brother in the Vietnam War on June 08, 1967. I have visited the Vietnam Memorial four (4) times in Washington DC because my brother, Cpl. Jerry Lorenzo Daw who was killed in Vietnam, his name appears on the Black wall at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Washington DC.

When I visited the Vietnam Memorial, I was so disappointed that no Native American Veteran was represented at the Vietnam Veterans Memorial. A statue there shows an Anglo, Hispanic and Black soldier. "They left us out Native American."

My original dream was to erect a statue of a Native American Indian Veteran at the Vietnam Veterans

Memorial in Washington, DC, what I requested and would like to see is have a fourth statue representing the American Indian Veterans of the United States. I bought up this idea to my home Chapter, Tonalea Chapter, the people liked the idea and supported it with a Chapter Resolution; the Navajo Nation Council also passed a resolution. I also had expressed this concern to the Arizona and New Mexico States Legislators. I had a strong support by the US Senator John McCain from Arizona, he introduced to establish a National Native American Veterans Memorial Act regarding Senate Bill #293.

S.#293 would authorize the establishment of a National Native American Veterans' Memorial to honor all Native American veterans who served in the armed force of the United States during war time from Revolution to Vietnam to Desert Storm.

However, my dream of erecting a statue in the nation's capital took a giant step recently when President of the United States Bill Clinton signed

the National Native American Veterans Memorial Act. Therefore, I made my voice heard in the hall of Congress and the White House. My prayers and wishes have been answered. We are looking forward to working with you to make this important memorial a reality. Let's all join hands and work as a team to keep this memorial alive the best it can be.

We thank you for your ongoing support in helping us to make this dream reality. If you need additional information with our special project please do not hesitate to contact us at 602-283-8816 or write to us at this address TVMP, INC., PO Box 09; Tonalea, AZ 86044-009.

Please write to us and tell us what you think about our Native American Veterans Memorial. We want to hear from you.

God Bless you and God Bless America!

Sincerely,
Floyd Dawson, President & Founder
National Native American Veterans Memorial Act

News service to feature poverty series

National Native News announced recently the launch of a new five-part series titled "Native America's War on Poverty". This series will air January 9 through 13 on more than 150 tribal and public radio stations nationwide.

During the years of 1953 to 1977, reservation systems were terminated and reinstated; Native people migrated to urban areas and were then allowed to return to lands they no longer owned; and the government's policy for fighting poverty in the larger society had mixed successes in Native communities.

This series will introduce the termination policy, the social ills and frustrations it caused and the attempts of poverty policies to alleviate deplorable conditions on reservations and in Native communities. A brief

rundown of each day's programs follows:

Part 1—A Policy of Termination
In 1953, President Truman's Commissioner of Indian Affairs formulated a policy designed to move Indians from the reservation and end the reservation system.

Part 2—Termination Frustration: A Path to Native Activism
"Termination frustration" culminates in the development of Red Power movement. Native activist groups such as the American Indian Movement design and execute occupations to draw attention to contemporary grievances.

Part 3—Head Start the Navajo Way
On July 8, 1970, President Nixon denounced the policy of forced termination of Indian reservations. A

flurry of legislation and social programs were enacted to address poverty in Native communities—including the Head Start program on the Navajo Reservation.

Part 4—The History of HUD in the Arctic
The federal government quickly learns that what works in the Southwest does not adapt well to the Arctic where subsidized toilets freeze underneath frost-coated crackerbox homes.

Part 5—Replanting the Roots of Sovereignty
In 1973, President Nixon articulated his plan of "Indian Self-Determination". Although many tribal leaders initially characterized the policy as "self-termination," most now agree this policy strengthened tribal governments and laid the groundwork for tribal sovereignty.

AIDS/HIV testing available at Health & Wellness Center

In these days when HIV/AIDS (Human Immunodeficiency Virus/ (Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome) are in the forefront, people are faced with looking at their own personal lifestyles and practices.

FACTS

- 1) HIV is the virus that causes AIDS.
- 2) A diagnosis of AIDS may occur 1 to 10 years after infection by the virus.
- 3) HIV/AIDS is recognized as a sexually transmitted disease.
- 4) You can protect yourself from this deadly virus.
- 5) We emphasize safe sex practices and discuss ways to prevent blood to blood contact.
- 6) Some clients are simply curious and would like a test, perhaps due to having multiple sex partners in the past.
- 7) HIV testing is offered to anyone with a diagnosis of a sexually transmitted disease, to those entering drug or alcohol treatment programs and to pregnant women.
- 8) The HIV test is strictly voluntary.
- 9) Test is CONFIDENTIAL.
- 10) HIV Test results are not given over the phone.
- 11) Nurses or Primary Providers

(Doctors, Physician Assistants or Nurse Practitioners) must counsel clients who request testing.

Counseling is an important element to assess the clients knowledge and understanding of the disease and personal risk factors. An appointment within one week for follow-up post test counseling is also necessary. At this session, the nurse

or provider discusses the results, reviews risk factors and assesses whether further testing is necessary.

If you have any question or requests for specific information in future articles, please contact Christine Burnell, R.N., HIV/AIDS Coordinator at the Warm Springs Health and Wellness Center, 553-1196 Ext. 4632.

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Howlak Tichum
Antoinette Heath-Tewee

One year old Antoinette Mae Heath-Tewee passed away December 28, 1994 in Warm Springs, Oregon. The cause of death is under investigation.

She was born February 5, 1993 to Floyd Tewee and Roberta Lee Heath in Madras, Oregon.

Dressing ceremonies were held Friday, December 30, 1994 at 3 p.m. at Simnasho Longhouse. Overnight services followed. Dressing was officiated by Margaret Boise. The Burial services were held Saturday, December 31 at the Simnasho Cemetery.

Survivors include her parents, as well as her sisters; Carlena Marie and Briana Lynn Heath.