

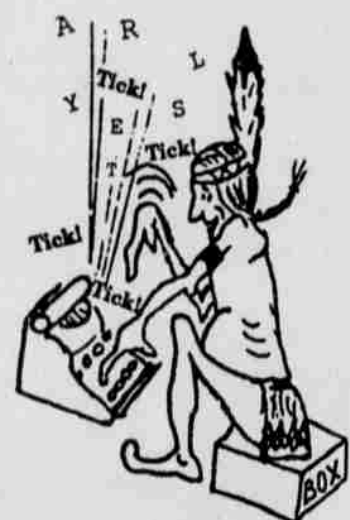
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Just a little over a year ago Governor Barbara Roberts, called upon Oregon residents across the state to meet in the Oregon Convention Center. The subject was, "Diversity." People from all walks of life came to the meeting representing every section of the state. At the meeting things looked very bright and promising for the future of our state.

There is a big racial problem in the state, and one of the fastest rising of mixed races is here in Central Oregon. Each year more and more transits move in and settle down. The latest boom has been the Hispanic race. But that's not the real problem because the racial problem has been present all along.

Yep! Here we are trying our best to ease the situation on diversity, here come people who blame the "Gang," situation. These Jerks, come with their stupid idea's of being a gang member of some sort. cause problems for the Civil person who is trying to make ends meet for his family.

This Crap about the gang situation around here is a little pathetic and a bunch of stupidity among those who participate in that type of activity. A bunch of people who will never amount to much in life if they don't streighten themselves out. The only way they feel that they are recognized is by being stupid and causing problems for the living. That's the only way they can get any attention is caliming they are a gang leader or a member of a gang and trying to be a tough guy. The only time most of them feel powerful is if they out number the other side to where they start bullying people around.

Yep! there could be more to this problem than one realizes like communication between races. There are some people who can't speak the English language and need an interpretur to speak for them. This makes it look more like a gang situation when it isn't, but the truth is these people can't communicate with the other races, so they take the best way out by being a tough guy.

Around Central Oregon in the past the problem was not so obvious because everyone spoke the English language and everyone could communicate with one another. Even in the ole bording school days here in Warm Springs, everyone spoke the English language. If the Native American children were caught speaking in the native tongue they were punished. Since everyone spoke the English language there was not much of communication gap among everyone around here.

Yep! The problem seems to stem from this barrier of communication between races within the area. There are a lot of Hispanic children who cannot speak the English language so they group up which makes it more gang looking than it really is. Some people feel that they are plotting some activity against the others, and to think this is all the more patitic. Yep! Here we are trying our best to combat this situation of gangs and other related problems, still the gang situation worsens.

Well! There is one gang that is slowly dying away and is becoming more noticeable and that's the gang from the, "Dirty Moc." Prior to that the old "Wide Spot" gang broke up and is now a thing of the past.

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An article sent in by Floyd Dawson, of Tonalea, Arizona, saying that he lost a brother CPL. Jerry Lorenzo Dawson, who was killed in Vietnam, June 8, 1967. He has visited the Vietnam memorial wall four times

What disturbs Mr. Dawson is the statue of the three races of Anglo, Hispanic and Black soldiers. They left out the Native Americans. There should be something done for the Native American veterans along with the other races.

I fully agree with Mr. Dawson that the Native Americans were short changed not only at the Vietnam memorial, but memorials from all wars where many Native Americans played a big roll for their country. All the big battles like Khe Sanh, Quang Tri, Pleiku, Bien Hoa, Hue, Phnom Penh, Dak To, Chu Lai, and the list could go on and on where many Native Americans played a major role in service.

But to get things underway we should get to work on something like Floyd Dawson suggested. The Indian need recognition just as much as any other soldier.

Like Floyd Dawson, President and Founder, Native American Veterans Memorial Act. If you have any ideas, suggestions you can contact him at, (602) 283-8818, or write to, TVMP, INC., P. O. Box 09, Tonalea, Arizona 86044-009. The Native Americans should be recognized. AHH-NAH-CHI-TOON!!!

Toe Ness

Husband: Why do you cry and carry on over a T.V. program and the imaginary woes of people you have never met?

Wife: For the same reason you scream and yell when a man you don't even know makes a touchdown. YIKES

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Husband: We have been married five years and haven't agreed on a thing.

Wife: You're wrong again...It has been six years. YIKES

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Women's Libber: The time will come when Women will get men's wages.

Husband in audience: So true, next payday. YIKES

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Tourney to offer varied information

To the editor,

On March 4, 1995, at the Community Center Social Hall several booths will be set up during the Timberwolves tournament.

I feel I the need to do something to work toward "Healthiest Indian Community by the Year 2000". I have invited these departments and organizations:

DARE Program and Police Department with information about gangs, prevention, and protection. Health & Wellness Center with

information about teenage pregnancy, AIDS, and safe sex.

Community Counseling will inform you about alcohol and drug addiction.

Victim Assistance with information about teenage runaways, and child abuse, etc.

Work Experience will inform you of what they offer the community as far employment and training and their application procedures.

Education will answer any

questions you have about education, high school, college, etc.

Dental Hygienist will be there also. If you have any questions or concerns, or just need someone to talk to come the tournament and visit any one of the booths in the social hall.

On Friday, March 3rd, at 5:30 p.m. we will have a flag ceremony, and opening prayer for the tournament-Timberwolves, boys tournament and Columbia River Bears, girls tournament. Also, there will be a dance Saturday, at 9:00 p.m. in the social hall.

Hope to see you there.

Janice Gunshows,
Tournament Director

Happy "12th" Birthday

Adrienne
Love, Mom, Dad & Truman



Happy "13" Birthday
Benita
Love, Mom, Dad & Truman

Memorial set

Memorial for Jeannie Half Moon Danzuka will be at the Simnasho Longhouse on February 4, 1995. Everything will begin at 10 a.m. Everyone welcome.

Di returns

Di & Ty are back at Permanent Solutions. Di will be there Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 1 to 7 p.m. The answering machine will be on.

Congratulations

Congratulations Billy Joe & Wanda.

Finally!
Love ya guys & miss ya,
Willie, Louel & JaimeRae

Happy 22nd Birthday Jose C!
February 9
From, Sky, Saphronia,
Toya & III

Thank you!

To the editor,

To Jim & Neda Wesley, We want to thank you so much for the recognizing of our son Gary at your joining ceremonies for your grandson. It was an honor for us to take part. Your gifts were also appreciated.

Gary Villa & Juanita Denny

Be Careful!

To the editor,

My son Levi Lee Walsey would have been 28 years old January 14. But he'll always be 26 years old. Please you young people, take care of yourself when you go out in the world at night. Cause like me, your mother loves you and people care for you like they did Levi the "Raccoon".

Anita Walsey

Help with Indian memorial

To the editor,

This letter is a message to all American Veterans, Native American and non-Native and friends across the United States of America.

P.L. 103-384, the National Native American Veteran's Memorial Act was signed by the President of the United States Bill Clinton on October 22, 1994.

Under the bill, a memorial to Native American Veteran's would be built at the National Museum of the American Indian. The museum is a part of the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C.

The United States Government shall not pay any of the expenses of the establishment of the Memorial other than providing the site. No federal funds were committed to the project.

Senator John McCain from Arizona sponsored Senate Bill #293 in the Senate of the United States to

establish a permanent National Native American Indian Veterans' Memorial in Washington, D.C.

Senator John McCain, you are to be commended for the time and efforts, I appreciate your concern and thank you for expressing your support to honor Native American Veterans across the USA. Also, Native Hawaiians and Alaska Native.

For more information or any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Mr. Floyd Dawson, at this telephone number (602) 283-8816. Or write to this address: TVMP, INC, Attn.: Mr. Floyd Dawson, PO Box 09, Tonalea, AZ 86044-009. Thank you for reading my article. May God Bless You and God Bless America.

Sincerely,
Floyd Dawson
President & Founder
National Native American
Veteran's Memorial Act

We're sorry!

To the editor,

We're sorry that our mom Elvina was ditched at the Longhouse all weekend without clean clothing, help or medicine. Thank you people who took care of her while she was there and we hope it never happens again.

Elvina's children

Disaster drill set

There will be a nationwide disaster drill on March 11, 1995 with individual drills recommended in each local community. The Jefferson County Chapter of the American Red Cross hopes to have multiple drills in Warm Springs, Madras and Crooked River Ranch. There will be a meeting Wednesday, February 15 at 7 p.m. at the Jefferson County Fire Hall to plan the local disaster drills. For further information contact Bill Apgar, Chapter Manager, at 475-3135.

Baby born

She's finally here!!
AprilRose Dora Berry Born on January 12, 1995 at 1:45 pm in Havre, MT. She weighed in at 6 lbs. 9 oz and measured 21 inches long. Congratulations to her proud parents, Billy Joe Berry, Sr. and Wanda Piapot. Oh, can't forget big brother Billy Joe Berry, Jr.



Congratulations & Happy Birthday to my dear son Theodore Ted Walsey, Sr. "Gus-te-la" January 23rd & finished police school 1994 (don't know where but I'm proud) Your mother & brother, Anita & Jay Hunt Walsey.

Moving Out Sale!!
Everything must go.
Feb. 3-8, 1995
1465 SW Culver Hwy
First (white) house on the left past fairground road.

Tribal Council Agenda

Monday through Thursday, February 6-9
Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians Conference in Portland

Monday, February 13

9 a.m.--Business
9:30 a.m.--COO Update with Ed Henderson
10 a.m.--WSFPI annual report with Rick Saunders
1:30 p.m.--Legislative Update with Mark Phillips
2 p.m.--WSFPI Annual Report continued
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13--GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING--
AGENCY LONGHOUSE
6 P.M. DINNER/7 P.M. MEETING
SUBJECT: WSFPI ANNUAL REPORT

Tuesday, February 14

9 a.m.--Business
9:30 a.m.--Education Loan/Grant with Wendell Jim
11 a.m.--Elder Care Center (Former Clinic) with Sal Sahme
1:30 p.m.--General Assistance rule changes with Gayle Rodgers
3:30 p.m.--Fisheries Litigation with Howard Arnett
DISTRICT MEETINGS CONCERNING
HOUSING REFERENDUM ON MARCH 7, 1995
6 P.M. DINNER/7 P.M. MEETING
WARM SPRINGS TO MEET AT SIMNASHO
AGENCY TO MEET AT AGENCY LONGHOUSE
SEEKSEEQUA TO MEET AT COMMUNITY CENTER

Wednesday, February 15

9 a.m.--Business
9:30 a.m.--509-J School District Superintendent Phil Riley
11 a.m.--US Attorney's Office/Kris Rogers regarding
Magistrate Project with Louie Pitt, Jr.
1:30 p.m.--304th Rescue Squadron Air Force Reserve
Presentation with Jody Calica
3:30 p.m.--Gaming Update with Rudy Clements

Monday, February 20--Holiday

Tuesday, February 21

9 a.m.--Business
9:30 a.m.--IHS Monthly Report with Russ Alger
10:30 a.m.--Deschutes Basin Legislation with Zack Willey
1:30 p.m.--Legislative Update with Mark Phillips
2 p.m.--BIA Superintendent's Monthly Report with Gordon Cannon

3:30 p.m.--BIA Forestry Monthly Report with Rich Lohman
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21--SEEKSEEQUA DISTRICT MEETING--
TRIBAL COUNCIL NOMINATIONS
6 P.M. DINNER/7 P.M. MEETING

Wednesday February 22

9 a.m.--Business
9:30 a.m.--Tribal Council March Agenda
10:30 a.m.--Realty with Everett Patt
1:30 p.m.--Enrollments with Madeline Queahpama
3:30 p.m.--Tribal Attorney Update with Dennis Karnopp
THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23--SIMNASHO DISTRICT MEETING--
TRIBAL COUNCIL NOMINATIONS
6 P.M. DINNER/7 P.M. MEETING

Monday, February 27

9 a.m.--Business
9:30 a.m.--COO update with Ed Henderson
10:30 a.m.--Financial Monthly Report with Miles King
1:30 p.m.--Legislative Update with Mark Phillips
2 p.m.--Tribal Court Monthly Report with Lola Schappy
3:30 p.m.--Records Center Monthly Report with Ginger Smith

4 p.m.--Museum of Warm Springs Monthly Report with Michael Hammond

Tuesday, February 28

9 a.m.--Business
9:30 a.m.--Board/Committee Selections with Lyn Davis
10:30 a.m.--SOR/Cultural Resources with Louie Pitt, Jr.
1:30 p.m.--Proposed Credit Code Amendments with Ken Smith

3:30 p.m.--Fisheries Legislation report with Howard Arnett
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 28--GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING
AGENCY LONGHOUSE
6 P.M. DINNER/7 P.M. MEETING
SUBJECT: HOUSING REFERENDUM