



## E Coosh EEWA: The way it is

### SPILYAY SPEAKS

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Well I guess it will be "Ron Wyden (D), who narrowly beat Gordon Smith (R), in the election for the Oregon senate seat. There were nine (9), out of 37 counties who carried Wyden at the polls, with three county's not reporting their outcome of the election, they were Crook, Gilliam and Lake counties. Wyden will take the reins, where Packwood left off. A lot of people say one is not any better than the other and they both are not much to speak of. Wyden and Smith.

The most significant outcome of this election will prove here in Oregon is the mail-in ballot can be used effectively during elections and not whether Wyden is better than Smith or vice-versa.

Wyden (D), has a little more experience than Smith (R), has or perhaps is known in DC. form past experience in the political arena. Smith, relatively new around the Capitol hill area would have had his work cut out for himself if he was elected. Promises, promises, to be broken like the New Years Resolutions are broken each year. Lets hope Wyden can do what he claimed he would do in office. Things do sound good while one is on the campaign trail, but to apply them is another ball game. There are always technicalities arising to keep things from happening.

Yep! Senator Packwood wore a big shoe and it will be hard for Wyden to fill. He is not, "Man enough to fill his shoes." Senator Packwood done a real lot of good for Oregon and the northwest and people hate to admit it. They in turn joined the march of those old bags who accused him of sexual harassment. "Yep!" They all agreed that, "Ethics," was not of public acceptance.

Yep! They say you are not a man if you have never noticed a chick as she passes by. So why blame Packwood who might have noticed some of those old chicks in the past. The Spilyay has admitted that he has taken a second peek at a slick chick that has passed by. But of course there are those who would say, "Who, Spilyay, why he wouldn't do such a thing." He is "True Blue"...

Yep! We have a whole lot of problems around here like to raise the minimum wage, assist the un-employed, improve the education systems, the logging situation, and a whole lot more, we have social problems all around us all the time. We have tried hard working on diversity problems but they are here to stay it looks like.

Yep! When Barbara Roberts was in office, she called people from all races together in Portland, Oregon. The Summit: Building a hate free Oregon: The unity pack. We the people must work together to make Oregon a place where individuals need not fear for their safety, because of their appearance, their beliefs, or with whom they associate. Any hate/bias crime committed diminishes Oregon's quality of life. These actions fly in the face of the values of human dignity and mutual respect which are the cornerstone of a just society.

So Ron Wyden (D) has a big job ahead of himself and as the newly elected person we will have to support him all we can.



## Change the world, improve the community "social group"

To the Editor,

Did you read in the paper about the ten-year-old girl who is expecting a baby by a 22-year-old man? The family is quoted as saying they were "in love." I say they were in fear.

The family is also quoted as saying "it is a part of culture." The word

culture, as defined by Webster's Dictionary, is "the beliefs, social forms and material traits of a social group."

The key for me in the definition of the word culture is the phrase "social group". It means any group of people who gather together to help each

other and support each other in life.

Is a ten-year-old girl having a baby going to help the greater community and give it support? No. The community will have to provide for their needs for the rest of their lives. Some use the word culture as a weapon to get the community to provide for their own wants and desires.

Now, I am sure, long ago, very young marriages were needed to keep the group alive and growing. But not now.

At the top of this letter I said they were in fear. He is a young man who cannot connect with a woman of his age. Women his age ask too many questions, in his mind. Women challenge him at too many levels of life. She is a bright little girl who wants safety in her life. She wants a strong loving voice to speak to her

heart about what to do and what to feel. This is no a question of culture, but is a statement of people who are hurting inside with great wounds in their hearts and minds. They come together believing that wounds will be healed. Yet, in so doing, create larger wounds to themselves and to the community.

And Jesus said, "I come for the sick of heart."

Let's change the world. If you have a young girl or boy in your home, sit down with them and talk with them about life. Talk about love. Talk about your dreams. And listen to their questions. Listen to their words. Pray together.

See you in Church  
Pastor Rick R. Ribeiro  
Warm Springs Presbyterian Church  
On the Campus

## Tourney a success; thanks for help

To the editor,

Columbia River Scow-Ma and Us-Wun's 14 & Under Girls and 11 & Boy's Tournament turned out to be quite successful, even though the storm (snow) was here at the same time.

All of the games were very close, making the competition good. This tournament was put on to promote "Stay In School" for our children. In short, play sports to keep a healthy and clean body, stay in school to develop a strong and keen mind.

The results for the 14 & Under Girl's division: Championship, White Swan, "Lil Cougs", Runner-up, Columbia River "Scow-ma", Third place Simnasho Lady Vols, Fourth place Wapato, Washington, Sportsmanship Culver Sharp-shooters.

All stars: Culver Sharpshooters Lacy Gates; Wapato, Washington Nicole Pinms; Warm Springs Panthers Rachel Smith; Simnasho Lady Vols Shamona Charley, Reina Estimo; Columbia River Scow-ma Tanya Tewee, CeCe Polk; White Swan, Washington Lil Cougs Lucetia Jenkins, Emily Olney and Tasha Bailey.

Ms. Hustle Melanie Smith of Scow-ma; Tourney High Scorer with 69 points Marie Kalama of Scow-ma; MVP JoJo Young of White Swan Lil Cougs.

Results for 11 & Under Boys: Championship Warm Springs "Tigers", Runner-up Columbia River "Us-Wun's"; third place WSFPI Timbercubs.

All stars: Timber Cubs Delvis Heath, Jerrod Kalama; Columbia River Us-Wuns Isaiah Tewee, Brandon Mitchell and Preston Tom; Warm Springs Tigers Ryan Katherien, Louis Smith and Leo Hellon.

Mr. Hustle Eric Dupont of the Warm Springs Tigers; Tourney High Scorer Louis Smith; MVP Brent Graybael.

I would like to thank the following people who made this tournament a success: Dorothy, Judith, Karla, John, Marissa, Marie, and Angel Kalama, Vera Thomas, Etta Arthur, Sonya, Althea, Roselyn and Daralyn Scott, Sam Kentura, Chas & Gorky Mitchell, Andy Stacona, Dionne Thomas, Tanya, Orlando & Isaiah Tewee, CeCe Polk, Chasen Walker, Floyd Frank Jr., Mark Johnson, Janell Tailfeathers, Benita & Adrienne Merrifield, Joseph Wahsise and John Sconawah.

The referees: Charlie, Ricky and Alfredo. If I forgot anyone, don't feel left out, because you contributed toward a clean activity towards our youth.

Sincerely,  
Scow-Ma, Us-Wun's &  
Melvin Tewee (coach)

## Apology given

To the editor,

To Chief Spirits' Tournament Director, I would like to set things straight by saying I'm sorry for the miscommunication.

To Ricky Minthorn tournament on 12th to 14th 6 ft. & under that my or the TimberWolves didn't show. I don't want any bad thoughts or words from anyone concerning the TimberWolves.

Manager or Coach,  
Janice M. GunShows



To the most wonderful mom & Grandmother in the world, Yvonne Arthur, "Happy Birthday" January 30th. Thank you for everything you have given us, the support, love and comfort in our lives. You mean the world to us. We love you.  
Jolene, Hector, Adriel, Joy, Carlitos, Damian, & Traci



Happy Birthday  
Rosy Baby  
Love Ya,  
Grandma, Grandpa,  
Uncles Hodzie, David,  
Frankie, Larry, & Bearcat,  
& Aunt Betty.

## Thanks for sponsorships

To the editor,

We (Columbia River "Scow-Ma" & "Us-Wun's") would like to thank the following sponsor's for their sponsorship towards our basketball tournament.

Tom Hansen, Figaro's Italian Kitchen, Indian Head Gaming, Community Counseling Center, Jeff Steel, Erickson's Sentry Market, Hollywood Stars, Edith Kalama, Deschutes Crossing Restaurant, Suzy & Buck Smith, Hatfield's, Sportsworld, Taco Time, Southside Laundromat & Cleaners, Ralph's TV Service, Grandma Hoffy's Restaurant, Matt & Offie McConville, Nye & Jamie Groetzmacner: Deschutes River Resort.

Without these sponsors, putting on a Youth activity would not be a possibility. Expenses are great, but with the help of these individuals and businesses, it makes it possible to give our youth a place, clean & safe.

We need the help of these kind and generous people to support our youth.

Thank you!  
"Scow-Ma" & "Us-Wun's"

## Support wanted

To the Editor,

My name is Whitney Jackson. I am seven-years-old and am a first grader at Sabin Elementary School in Portland. I live in Portland with my dad Inman (Casey) Jackson, my mom Ruth Jackson and brother John. I am the granddaughter of the late Betty Lou (George) Lucio. My grandfather is Frank Lucio, who still lives in Warm springs.

I am going to be a skater some day. I like skating. I am working very hard at it and it takes a lot of time. It is my goal to be the first Native American Indian to get a gold medal in the Olympics.

My next contest will be February 9, 10 and 11 in Eugene. I hope to see some of you there.

To help offset skating lessons and skate-time expenses, my family is conducting a raffle in which the winner will receive a one-night's stay at Kah-Nee-Ta and other amenities at Indian Head Gaming. Tickets can be purchased from my aunt Lolly Jackson. Contact her at 2373 Oitz Loop or call my grandfather at 553-2544. The raffle will be held in May. Your support is greatly appreciated.

Thank you.  
Whitney Jackson

## VA program needs help

The Victims Assistance Program has relied on grants to shelter and help victims of crime with related assistance. At this time, we have over-expended available funds. Until further notice, we will not be able to shelter victims. We will continue to provide intervention, advocacy and referral services, but again, we are unable to provide shelter services.

We are making a plea to the community to help us out. We need extended families and friends to help provide room for women and children who need to leave their homes to be safe.

If you are willing to help, please contact Ramona Baez at 553-3357.



Happy belated birthday  
"Racks" January 25!  
Hope you had a good one!  
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Happy Birthday Ax.  
February 6  
Love always,  
Nettie and Dempsey

## Congratulations to son

Congratulations to Marvin Edwards, Jr & Michele Jim on your marriage. May God Bless you abundantly and keep you and yours always in His loving care. Hope your day was blessed. We miss and love you all. Also Happy 23rd Birthday Marv.

Love, Mom, Tina & Easton  
Aguilar & kids and Hazel  
Gibson

## Toe Ness

Marriage Counselor: Do you encourage your husband in his work?

Counselee: I do my best. I keep telling him he ought to ask for a raise. YIKES

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Daughter: Mom, may I have some money for a new dress?

Mother: Ask your father, dear. You are getting married in amonth and the practice would do you good. YIKES

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Patient on the phone: Doctor, I've decided to kill myself.

Psychiatrist: Don't do anything rash until you answer one question for me.

Patient: What's that? Psychiatrist: Is your bill paid? YIKES

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Husband: You must admit, that men have better judgement than women.

Wife: Oh, yes. You married me, and I married you. YIKES

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## EDITOR'S NOTE

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## Notice to Public

I will no longer be responsible for any indebtedness by Joseph P. Tias; as of December 29, 1995.

Leminnie L. Tias

## Camper for sale

1975 8' Security Camper.  
Fridge, stove, oven. Sleeps 6.  
Very clean. \$1,200.  
Call 553-3325 weekdays for further information.

## Computer for sale

Computer for sale, the works, includes Dot Matrix Printer & paper. Can be seen at the Small Business Development Center (SBDC); 2107 Wasco Street, Warm Springs, OR or call (541) 553-3592 or call A.J. at (503) 293-6029 or Pager 1-800-482-5453

Happy 10th Birthday  
to our dear "SPLASH"!  
Enjoy yourself at Chuck-  
E-Cheese!

Congratulation on your  
"top student" honor  
in your class!! Keep it up,  
Hija!! We love  
you Bunches!  
Love, Mom, Dad, Sister  
Bina  
& Brother Gilbert

Li'l ol' Bert in Mayetta,  
KS says "Hi!" to  
everyone in good ol'  
Warm Springs!

Happy belated birthday  
Dad on January 25  
Love you,  
Antone and Raymond Torres

Happy birthday to our  
Uncle Chump.  
We love you—Mallory  
and Joshua Polk

Happy 3rd birthday to my  
Bitty guy Nathan Joseph  
Craig and happy 4th birthday  
to his yaya (Bitty Guy) Logan  
Hollis Craig. Love always,  
Dad!