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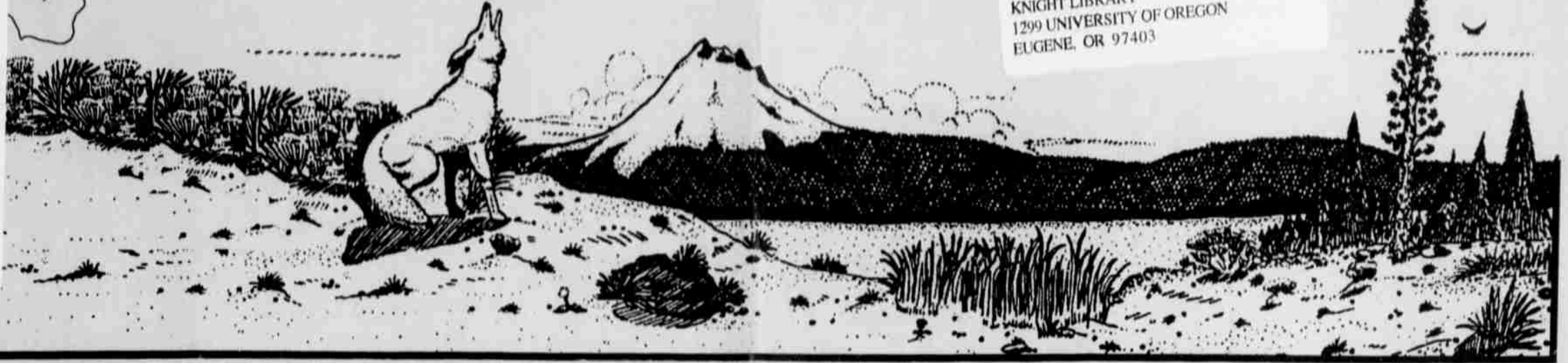
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Coyote News In Brief

Hot Shots honored
The Warm Springs Hot Shot crew was honored with a banquet November 12. 2

Member to portray Apache woman
Warm Springs tribal member Jeri Brunoe-Samson will appear in "Buffalo Soldiers" Sunday on TNT. 2

Shop moves
Braids and Boots Beauty Saloon has moved to New Energy Fitness Center in Madras. 2

Language lessons continue
Sahaptin, Kiksht and Paiute language lessons are offered. 4 and 5

Bufs off to strong start
MHS basketball players are raring and eager to hit the boards this winter. 6

Are you a member?
The Museum At Warm Springs is hoping to increase their membership during this year's drive. 6

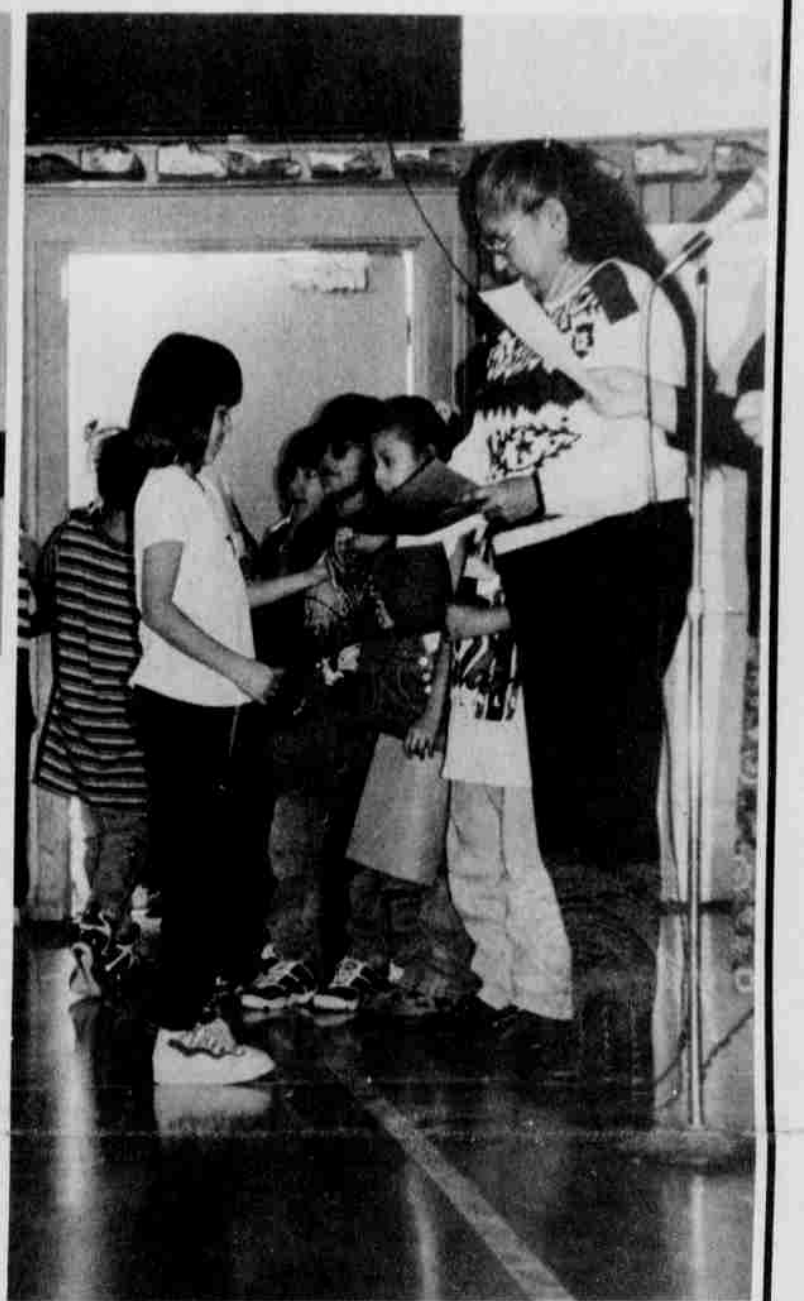
Shaw takes forestry job
Bodie Shaw was selected by Tribal Council to serve as Forest Manager. 7

Plan for shopping
Worried about overspending this holiday season? Planning takes the worry out of gift-giving. 7

Elementary students were honored for hard work and dedication to their education



Students received awards for their kindness, hard work and dedication to their education.



Truant officer, Mariam Tias, was on hand to present awards to students.



There were so many students receiving their awards, it was crowded up front.

The department of Vital Statistics request notification of any address changes as soon as possible. This will help their department in sending the special per capita payment to the correct address. Vital Statistics can be reached at 541-553-3253.

Community Health Education Team busy during quarter

Youth Summit a success

CHET staff have been kept very busy over the last quarter. This report is to update you on what's been happening!

In early October, staff were involved with the **YOUTH SUMMIT** for the Oregon Coalition to Reduce Underage Drinking. There were about 70-80 youth from Central Oregon involved in the summit. CHET staff assisted as facilitators during the youth breakout groups.

The **YOUTH SUMMIT** gave youth an opportunity to share their ideas and concerns on underage drinking issues. One of the groups from Warm Springs continues to meet and work on areas identified during the conference. This group is currently called **Navtive Youth Against Underage Drinking**. The youth are currently meeting every

Thursday evening from 6pm to 8pm at the Vern Jackson Home on campus. Anyone wishing to become involved is invited to attend the group meetings. The youth are working to develop a plan that will support non-alcoholic activities, and also address concerns the see within the community regarding underage drinking laws. If you would like more information on this group call: Sheila Wahnetah at 553-4914 or Carolyn Wewa at 553-4922.

CHET involved in County tobacco prevention program

In November 1997 people in Oregon voted to increase the tax on tobacco products and to dedicate 10% of the revenue to tobacco prevention and education.

This has led to many programs within the State of Oregon working to address tobacco prevention and

Projects aim at community involvement

education. One of these places is Jefferson County. CHET will be involved with the Jefferson County Tobacco Coalition. Jeff.Co has identified the following areas they plan to address:

- reduce youth access to tobacco products;
- Increase tobacco free environments f/children & families;
- reduce advertising/promotion of tobacco products.

The Jefferson County Tobacco Coalition has been working on a vision statement, and development of objectives. Very active on this is the Coordinator, Kalline Vaughn, of Madras.

Look for future updates on this coalition in future issues of Spilyay, and other info. about tobacco concerns.

Several activities were planned in conjunction with our November Family Conference, which was held on Oct 31 and Nov 1. One of the activities, which ended up being canceled was the **REZ REMOTE RACE!** The race was rained out, again! Kids: this gives you more time to prepare for the next one! Maybe ask Santa for a remote control car for Christmas!!

In October, a Halloween decoration making night was held to bring families together for a night of activity at the Community Center. Children and parents came out to make monster heads, and began scenery for the Little Monsters Halloween Party. The party was held on October 16th in the Center's Social Hall. What a night! Thanks to all parents for bringing your youngsters to the party! We were overloaded with guests and had to adjust the schedule a little! There about 100 people attending the **Little Monsters Halloween Party!**

A very special thanks to the kids that showed up in costume to attend! The Little Monster's Halloween Party was to get everyone in the mood for Halloween. Thanks to Kelly Leggett for doing the face painting!

Another EXTRA SPECIAL

THANKS goes out to all the teens and younger youth who showed up to help decorate the Social Hall. You are the Greatest! Carol and Carolyn would like to recognize Tony and Lillian and crew for being there early, and for your wonderful artistic talents!

When **HALLOWEEN** finally did happen, it was the first day of the **1997 Family Conference** at Kah-Nee-Ta. We had a great turnout of approximately 160 people in attendance.

CHET staff would like to acknowledge the presence of Charles "Jody" Calica, General Manager for Natural Resources, for taking time to stop in on the conference and for his comments. Thanks, Jody, for your support, it was sincerely appreciated! It's rare that we see our leadership taking time to let us know how we are doing! We're glad you were able to hear Cecelia Fire Thunder speak.

Keynote Speaker, Cecelia Fire Thunder shared some time with us and gave people a great outlook on her version of healthy families. Cecelia is always a treasure of knowledge. Everyone enjoyed her at the conference. Cecelia's message of wellness touched many participants. Be on the look out next year for the 2nd Annual Family Conference.

Taking place in October of each year is the **RED RIBBON CAMPAIGN**.

CHET staff handed out over a thousand red ribbons to commemorate Drug Enforcement Administration officer, Kiki Camerena, and the fight against illegal drugs entering our country.

Whew!! What a busy month October was! Well, CHET staff didn't slow down, as we jumped right into the next project, the **1997 Gathering of Men III**.

This activity took place on November 18-19, 1997 at the Kah-Nee-Ta Lodge. We had about 75 participants attending the two-day conference.

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Warm Springs Elementary School news

Calendar Updates

- 11/25/97-Picture retakes 9 a.m. WSE gym
- 11/26/97-Early dismissal Gr. 1 & 2 @ 11:25; Gr. K, 3 & 4 @ 12:20 p.m.
- 12/6/97-2nd grade class attending Nutcracker play in Bend 1-7 p.m.
- 12/11/97-Winter Carnival 6-9 p.m.
- 12/17/97-Winter Music Prgm K-2 @ 1 p.m. in WSE gym
- 12/18/97-Winter Music Prgm K, 3 & 4 @ 1 p.m. in WSE gym
- 11/20/97-1/5/98-Winter break

Winter Music Program

The WSE Winter Music Program will be held on two days this year. The first program on December 17th will include the Kindergarten, First & Second grade students. The second program on December 18th will include the Kindergarten, Third & Fourth grade students. Both programs will begin at 1 p.m. in the WSE gymnasium.

Pepperoni/Jerky Fundraiser
The most recent purchases from pepperoni/jerky/snack sales at WSE

have been: 4 Hewlett Packard color printers for classrooms; Big screen for movie projection in the gym; 200 padded folding chairs for the gym; Megaphone; 4-alarm fire truck for the playground.

Thank you WSE community for your support!

Winter Carnival

The annual WSE Winter Carnival is scheduled on December 11th, from 6-8:30 p.m. Once again there will be activities in the gym and several rooms in other parts of the school

building.

We will be having a cake walk, so any donated baked goods can be brought to the school office any time during the week of the carnival.

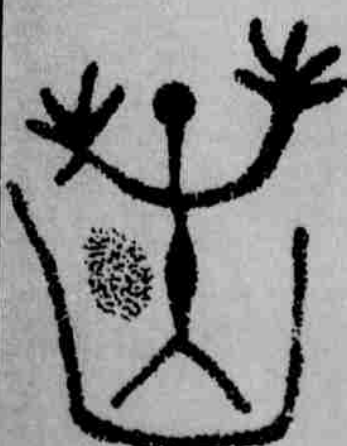
There will be a snack bar, so you can come grab a hot dog!

Proceeds from the carnival will be used to help build an all-weather track and purchase books for the Book Store.

Fourth Grade Honor Roll

Fourth grade students who achieved a 3.0 or higher grade point average for the first quarter of the 97-98 school year:

Deanna Williams, Shayla Smith, Georgianna Aguilar, Della Squiempfen, Rodney Katchia, Verna Mitchell, Sally Selam, Jessie Reaney-Greenwood, Mathew Garcia, Vanessa James, Blaine Begay, Dorian Miller, Weston Heath, Mary Culps, Catherine Tulee, Marti Ann Crawford, Samantha Gomez, Riana Phar, Nicole Herkshan, Sissaley Graybael, Stephen Vaeth, Heather Markham, Simone Danzuka and Vern Heath.



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