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# Spilyay Tymoo

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## Coyote News In Brief

### What happened in 1997?

File photos reflect just some of the events that occurred in Warm Springs during 1997.

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### It's what you think....

This issue's editorial page has moved to page 3.

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### Language lessons offered

Sahaptin and Wasco language lessons are offered.

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### Tournament bracket offered

Interested in the annual Holiday Tournament? We've included a bracket so you can follow the excitement.

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### OSAA passes new rule

Once a coach or player is ejected from a game, they are out for that contest.

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### Holiday time can be sad and stressful

Holidays can bring fond memories of lost loved ones but also remind us of our loss. Community Counseling offers suggestions and information

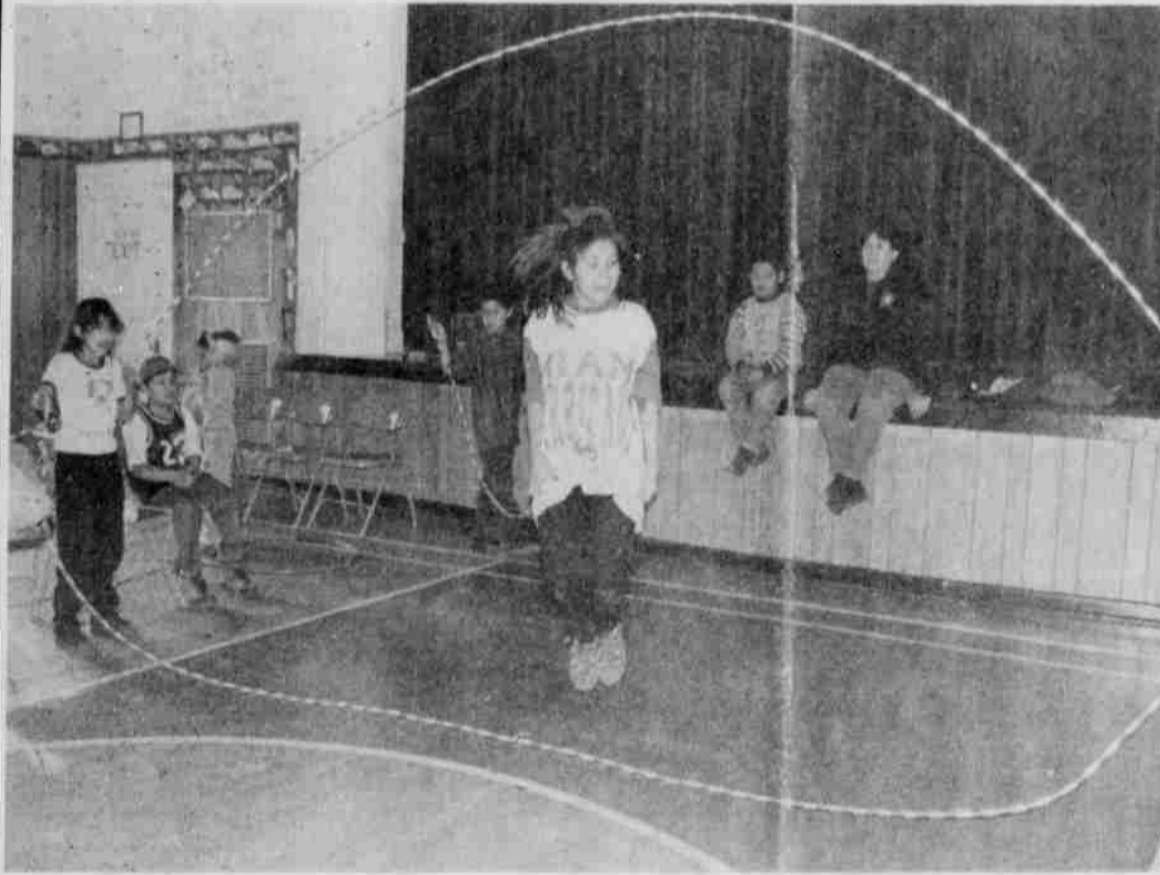
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Spilyay Tymoo is once again selling Date Logs. \$3.50 each or 3 for \$10. Call 553-3274 to get yours!

*We wish Spilyay Tymoo patrons the very best in the new year. Celebrate the new year safely and moderately!*

Deadline for the next Spilyay Tymoo is Friday, January 9, 1997

## WSE students raise money for "Jump Rope for Heart" December 19



The popular, "Double Dutch," was used as part of Jump Rope for Heart event.

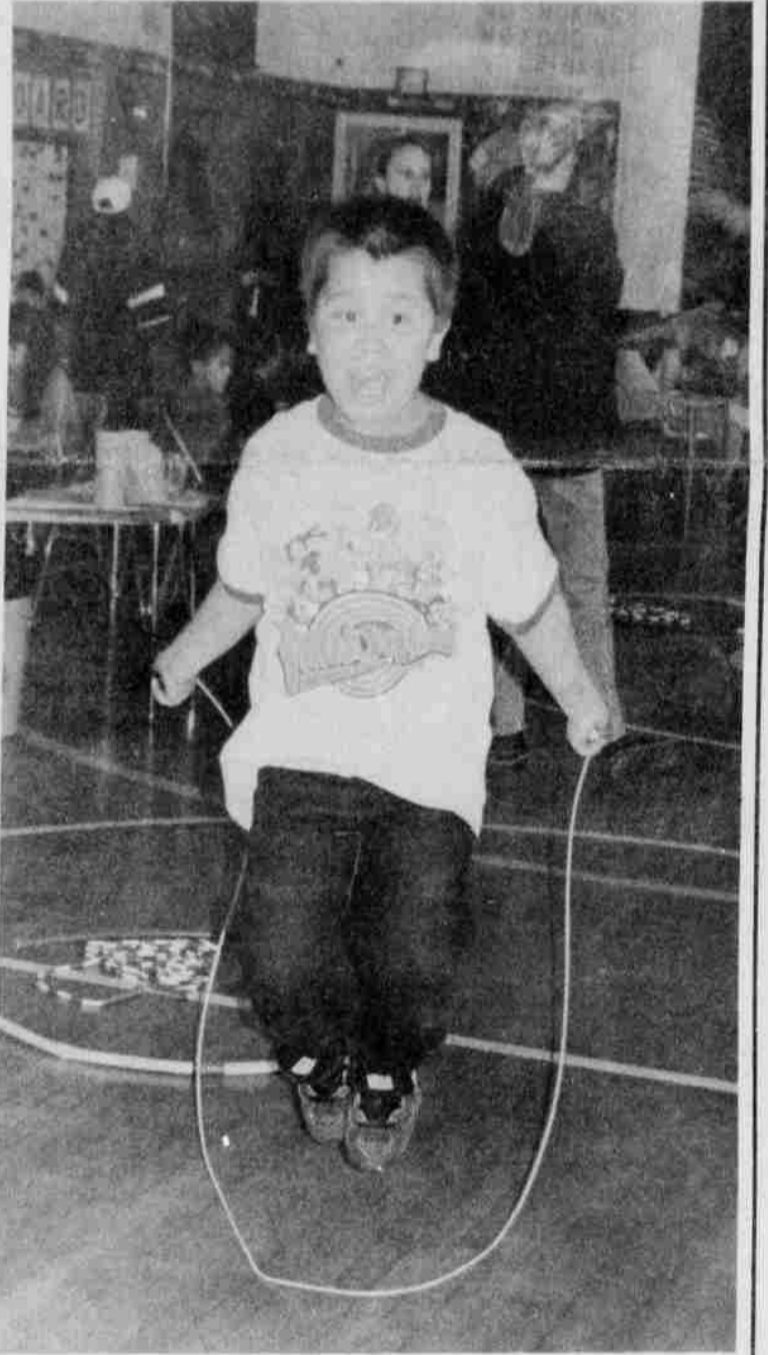
Warm Springs Elementary Third and Fourth grade students held a Jump Rope for Heart event to raise money for the American Heart Association Friday, December 12 at the Warm Springs Elementary School Gym.

Warm Springs Elementary Jump Rope Club were the participants for this event. "There were about 140 jump ropers, about one-third collected sponsorships," says P.E. teacher, Mr. Osborne.

Jump Rope club members are in the second through fourth grades and they meet before school for extended recess. They use this time to practice their jump rope skills and to meet jumping goals they each set for themselves.

The fourth grade students jumped from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon in two-minute intervals. The third grade students jumped from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. in two-minute intervals. Each student kept score for another student of how many times they jumped for two minutes.

Mr. Osborne has been the P.E. Teacher for one and half years. He said this year is the first time they participated in Jump Rope for Heart. The money will be sent to the American Heart Association and the participants will receive accumulative prizes depending on how much sponsorships they collected. Their prizes will arrive in the mail about four weeks from now.



Concentration is a must when jumping.



As many as four jumpers jumped at the same time.

## Bridge work to delay traffic

Construction is now underway to replace the 57-year-old bridge on US 97 that crosses the Warm Springs River, 19 miles north of Warm Springs. Although it has no weight or width restrictions, the existing bridge is too narrow for today's trucks and vehicles. A bridge that is 38 feet wide and 260 feet long will replace it.

Ross Brothers of Salem is the contractor for the \$2.2 million project. The new bridge will be built with three, pre-cast concrete beams supporting a cast-in-place deck. Earthwork began December 17, 1997 and will continue until January 5, 1998. Travelers should expect intermittent delays of up to 20 minutes. Initially,

traffic will be controlled by flaggers and other traffic control devices.

From mid-March 1998 through November, the contractor will be working under the existing bridge, and traffic will be restricted to one lane. A traffic signal will be installed to direct vehicles through the work zone and across the existing bridge. Warning signs will be placed on the approaches to the bridge and the speed limit will be reduced to 45 miles per hour through the work zone.

Besides replacing the bridge built in 1940, the new structure will have six-foot shoulders to accommodate plowed snow and prevent sanding materials from entering the Warm Springs River.

## Two tribal members teach in Traditional Arts Program

The Traditional Arts Apprenticeship Program is currently in the eighth year and has awarded ten apprenticeships throughout Oregon.

The master artists for 1997-98 are: Gudalupe Corona, Mexican Embroidery; Nawang Dhondup, Tibetan Lute; Pat Courtney Gold, Wasco Twining; Nisha Joshi, Rajasthani Folk Songs; Souane Keobounnam, Lao Weaving; Rose Marie Mitchell, Warm Springs Deer Hide Tanning; Ambrosia Morales, Mexican Straw/Tule Weaving; Alexander Muktoyuk, Inupiaq Traditional Dance; Myrtle Peck, Paiute Language and Storytelling; Yuqin Wang, Chinese Stick Puppetry.

Each master artist is passing on specialized skills to dedicated apprentices. The works created by the 1997-98 master and apprentices will be featured in an exhibit at the Oregon History Center in the spring.



1998 Miss Warm Springs is 25-year-old Jocelyn Moses (right). Arlyssa Rhoan (left) represented the Tribe well as 1997 royalty.

## Comment period extended

The comment period for the IRMP II Draft Management Plan has been extended past the original date of December 31, 1997. Meetings have been held during November and December, and others will be held in January of 1998 with grazing groups, family groups, other concerned tribal members and committees.

Heads of households should have

received the draft plan in their post office box or through tribal mail. If you have not received a copy and would like to review the document before attending any of the upcoming sessions, stop by the Range and Ag office. January review sessions will be announced at a later date on KWSO Radio, so stay tuned. For more information, call 553-3362.