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SPILYAY SPEAKS

We work on our budgets each year, each year we are instructed to cut so many per cent of our last years budget. Its getting to the point where we can't cut anymore in order to operate at a moderate level. Makes one feel that he should have padded his budget just a little deeper in the past.

I'm sure if this was foreseen in the past most of the budgets would have been padded sufficiently to stand the cuts today. Most of the big corporations look to please their employees because the better you treat your people the better results you will have in personal performance. You don't hear of corporations having their departments cut their budgets. They see to it they at least get a cost of living advance each year. The economic condition is blamed for our lack of better budgeting for each department. Our Natural Resources are depleting on a rapid scale to where we have to look into other areas for income for our tribe. We have depended on our timber resources so long that its getting to the point where we don't have any more large timber to harvest. Our power industry cannot carry the load. So we have to seek revenue from other sources.

At the present time we are facing a decision on the future of our gaming establishment here in Warm Springs. It is quite certain that we will have an election on what we should do about the future of our gaming establishment. At the present time it is located at the Resort at Kahneeta, and now we are experiencing a lack of space for and the location is not too favorable to bring in better income for the tribes.

We are having studies made on relocating our gaming establishment to a more populated area and the most promising site is down at Hood River, OR. Where we have some trust land along the I-84 freeway that runs east to west along the Columbia River. A site such as this would surly be suitable for a gaming establishment. Many local residents are objecting to a gaming establishment there, however it is these same group that objected against the wind surfers when they were moving in there. Since they have moved in the economic condition has improved. They were even opposed to having Wal Mart build up there. But since these things have come in there it has improved condition all around.

A casino would improve the job situation there as it would employ two to three hundred people or more.

The next thing is to present it to our own people for their in-pot on the situation. It is pretty well known what the intentions are and many feel that it's to far to go to gamble, but it's not for us to support the gaming hall. They say no one will relocate to work there but who does really stick to a job that has odd hours and week-ends. No one likes to work while everyone else is off on the week-ends. People say, "Why don't we have an all tribal member staff. It sounds good but when you do give anyone a chance the first thing they do is miss days and anyone can tell you that you cant operate a business short handed. It costs even if a person misses a day of work. Just like a car it won't run if even a small part goes haywire. Everything has to be in operating order for a car to run. That's the same with a business everyone must be on the job at all times to make any kind of income. I've seen it many times when people are given a chance for a good position but what do they do...the first thing they miss and lose their job and than they start griping about non-Indians having jobs where they should be. It's the same all the time People just don't want the responsibility of having to work on the week-ends, holidays or odd hours.. Some non Indians are not worth a darn but they are always present on the job. Some day we will have people like that hopefully. AAH-NAH-CHI-TOON!!!

Toe Ness

It is said, "If you can Smile when things go wrong, than you must have someone in mind you can blame...YIKES

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This guy was having lunch with his Co-Worker and he told his friend. My wife says either i give up football or she's going to leave me. Friend: What're you going to do? "Well," the guy said, "Ill miss her at first..." YIKES

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"What would you say if I told you I was having an affair with your best friend?" Mrs Stewart asked her husband. Mr. Stwert replied, "I'd say you were a dyke." YIKES

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Female pen-pals wanted

To the editor, Hey! What's up? My name is Don Hennefer. I was wondering if you can print this in the next issue of the Spilyay Tymoo? I'm looking for a female pen-pal. My name is Donny Jace Hennefer. I'm 35 years old. And I'm half Native American, half white. I'm interested in female pen-pals, ages between 18-50 years old. I'm currently doing 45 years and I just wanna pass the time by writing to the sisters there on your rez. I'd really appreciate it if you'd print this in your next issue. Please!

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Remember me? My name is Gossip

I have no respect for justice. I maim without killing. I break hearts and ruin lives. I am cunning, malicious and gather strength with age. The more I am quoted, the more I am believed. I flourish at every level of society. My victims are helpless. They cannot protect themselves against me because I have no name and no face. To track me down is impossible. The harder you try, the more evasive I become. I am nobody's friend. Once I tarnish a reputation, it is never the same. I topple governments, wreck relationships & marriages. I ruin careers and cause sleepless nights, heartaches and indigestion. I make people, innocent people cry on their pillows. My name even hisses. I am called Gossip. I make headlines and heartaches. Shop gossip, party gossip, telephone gossip. REMEMBER, before you repeat a story, ask yourself: Is it true? Is it fair? Is it necessary?? If not, DO NOT REPEAT IT!!! KEEP QUIET!! Great mind discuss ideas...average minds discuss events...shallow minds discuss people... Which are you?

Thanks to all who encouraged us

To the editor, Lost In Pace, a walking relay team, was made up of women working at Warm Springs Health & Wellness Center. We would like to thank all those people who gave us encouragement, support and assistance in our first Portland to Coast Walking Relay. Special thanks have been given to those who helped through donations and fund raising events, which included a raffle and sale of cinnamon rolls. Raffle prizes were won by: Tracy Spencer, Russ Alger, Jenny Bryant, Elsie Gonzales, Doyle McLoughlin, Susan Brunoe, Dr. Boggs and Rhonda Ester. The team was able to complete the relay and meet our first year goals: beat our estimated time of 32 hours and 35 minutes, avoid last place finish, stay healthy, have fun and raise money for the American Cancer Society. Lost in Pace arrived at the Seaside finish line in 31 hours 47 minutes 56 seconds and will send over \$200 to the American Society. This event was rewarding in many ways; individually, as a team and as a part of the largest walking relay in the world. Inspiring stories (such as

The women's team made up of cancer survivors and their 80 year old teammate who walked the last leg-she walked that leg looking full of energy and life; the team that sacrificed their relay time while assisting another team's walker until help arrived) were as much a part of the relay as the walking. Again, thank you very much. Your assistance, the relay's courteous volunteers, the many friendly, helpful people on the course, the elation felt from team member's support and reaching the finish line made this a memorable experience that will be cherished for a long time. Thanks to Mr. Medina for the time and article he did prior to the August 29, 1998 Relay. We would also like to thank the community. Team Members: Michelle Alvarez, Judy Budd, Shirley Earl, Lynn Fluhr, Margarita Gonzales, Becky Hunt-Lucei, Shari Marrazzo, Sharon Miller, Colleen Reed, Jeannie Seyler, Earlynne Squiemphen and Sara Thomas

Nerf bars for sale

Smittybuilt chrome nerf bars to fit Ford Ex Cab pickups between 1987-1996. Brand new, never used. Asking \$280. Call 553-3274 ask for Selena.

Happy B-Lated Birthday to those spooky Twins June & Juliane from J'Von, KyeOwina & Ollie

Love is a powerful emotion

To the editor, Hello from Pastor Rick. Hey, I read a neat story the other day from the Bible about Israel having its back against the wall. The bad guys had come to town in order to put the king in his place and the kingdom in their pocket. And the Lord heard the prayer of the prophet Elisha. Now what is neat is that the bad guys did not get thumped. They got temporarily blinded and were moved to another town. Here instead of being hurt, they were given their sight and a good meal. Then were told to go home; which they never to return as raiders of a nation.

Love is an interesting power when you are full of anger, fear, distrust and hate. It takes the emotions of wanting someone hurt or someone to go away and let us have our life the way we want it. It takes those emotions and changes them into emotions of pity, hope and charity for the other guy. That is of course you let love in and have it's way with your life. Pray for those who you believe

are against you... Something new I just learned. The tribes have the new 911 system that is a part of 911 all over America. What I learned is that when you now dial 911, there is a 5 to 7 second time period when all of the phone computers talk to each other about the location of the phone call. Then the dispatcher gets the ring on their end. So when you call 911, let it ring, help will be on the way.

Everyone is invited to the programs of the Warm Springs Presbyterian Church. Christian Education at 10 a.m. Worship at 11 a.m. on Sundays, Youth study on Tuesday nights from 7 to 8 p.m. from seventh grade to high school Women's group on Wednesday nights from 6 to 8 p.m.

Finally, one day at a time. Wear your seatbelts in your car. Don't let the kids get to alcohol or tobacco products.

Rev. Rick. R. Ribeiro, WS Presbyterian Church-on the campus

In loving memory, dedicated to parents

To the editor, Please print this poem in the next Spilyay. It is dedicated to the parents of the late Jessica Sanders. "I'll land you for awhile, a child of mine," God said. "For you to love her while she lives and mourn when she's dead. It may be for one or two years or maybe twenty two or three. But, will you, till I call her back, take care of her for me? She'll bring her charm and gladden you, and may her stay be brief. You'll have her memories as so-lace for your grief. I cannot promise she will stay long, since all from earth returns. But, there are lessons to be taught down here I want this child to learn.

Halloween party successful at ECE

Early Childhood Education and our children would like to thank the following departments and individuals who made our annual Halloween Trick or Treat day a healthy and fun event. Dr. Espinoza, Juanita Simpson and all the Indian Health Dental staff for their hard work at decorating, great prizes and games at their dental carnival. Candy donations and trick or treat volunteers: Smokey the Bear & Friend from Fire Management, parents of A-Pod Head Start for Haunted

House, Cheryl, Carol, and Tammy from Human Services, Conrad and friends from Utilities, Kristi from the Administrative Service Center, Elina and Mary from children's protective services, Sue and Arlene from OSU Extension, Montell Elliott from IHS, G-Pod staff and parents for Autumn Harvest activities and Indian Head Gaming. A big thank you to all family members and friends who took the time to share in the days activities with their children and our program. Have a safe and fun Halloween weekend. From all the staff at ECE

Happy Birthday Bem! from, Spilyay Tymoo staff

Madras police receives grant

During 1997, the Madras Police Department arrested seventy-seven (77) people for Driving Under the Influence of Intoxicants. Several of these involved Motor Vehicle Accidents. As of October 31, 1998, officers of the Madras Police Departments have arrested ninety (90) people for Driving Under the Influence of Intoxicants. Drunk Driving affects many people in our community and to help combat this problem, the Madras Police Department has applied for and received a grant. With this grant, officers will be scheduled to work

Congratulations given to youth

To the editor, I would like to congratulate those youth from Warm Springs who have participated on the JCMS and MHS Cross country teams. We have traveled to a few of the cross country meets and it was good to see you competing, and hanging in there all season; good job.

Improving your times and running the 5000 meters (High School) and 3000 meters (middle school), and having a good time with your team mates; continue to run and improve but most importantly, keep up the grades in the class room.

Good luck to Middle School Cross Country team in your last meet at Sisters (Oct. 21) and to the MHS team in your last two meets at Mountain View (Oct. 22) and at District (Oct. 29).

Congratulations to these youth: JCMS-Shelly Greene-Boise, Aaron Heath, Francis Kentura and Aaron Mitchell. MHS-Falena Kentura, Ray Anderson, Joe Anderson, Craig Graham, Aaron Greene, Jon Gunshaws, James Johnson, Anthony Mitchell, John Kalama, Kevin Smith, Gerald Tias, Trevem Yazzie and Manager Eleanor Gunshaws.

Sincerely, Samuel & Marjorie Kentura

We Need More Grandpas

Junior bit the meter man Junior hit the cook; Junior's anti-social now (according to the book); Junior smashed the clock and lamp Junior hacked the tree; (Destructive trends are treated in chapters two & three) Junior threw his milk at mom. Junior screamed for more; (Notes of self-assertiveness are found in chapter four) Junior tossed shoes and socks out into the rain; (Negative, that is normal-disregard the stain.) Junior set dad's shirt on fire Whittles grandpa's pine; (That's to gain attention see page eighty-nine) Grandpa seized his slipper and yanked Junior 'cross his knee (He's read nothing but the Bible since 1893).

Happy November Birthday to all these special people: 1st-Tony Guerin 2nd-David Kalama 4th-Bootsie Kalama 4th-Chief Squally 5th-Lupe Coronado 6th-Henry Kalama III 6th-John Enick 8th-Lori Switeler 15th-Queenie Trimble 16th-Shayla Andrews 19th-Curtiss Dickson 23rd-Perry Kalama, Jr. 23rd-Carl Martinez 24th-Kelli Davam 27th-Evie Aguilar 28th-Caroline Cruz Lotsa love & prayers, Tina, Easton & Kids

Actor Brian Frejo coming to Madras & Warm Springs

The Victim's of Crimes Services (VOCS) office presents D.J., up and coming actor, and motivational speaker Brian Frejo to do community crime prevention presentation for the Madras High School students and community. Brian Frejo is a Pawnee-Seminole native from Oklahoma. Frejo has attended University of Oklahoma, has appeared in TNT's "Geronimo", "Last of the Mohicans", "Under Siege", and recently finished Wes Studi's independent film called "Bonnie Looks Away". Frejo also a DJ and has entertained at such national conferences as National UNITY Conference, National AISE Conference and the NCAI Conference. In addition to his acting and entertainment career Frejo also leadership and motivational speaker/presenter. The VOCS Youth Crime Preven-

tion Program featuring Brian Frejo consists of a student assembly and a Youth Dance & Concert. Part of combating the problems of youth crime is building a community among the youth themselves and overcoming some of the barriers that get in the way of their success Brian Frejo has worked with many schools and youth across the country on helping youth develop their leadership, team building, healthy choice making, and goal setting skills. Youth are constantly bombarded with information from the media, family, friends, school, church/religion, and community. The goal is to get youth involved in finding healthy and creative solutions to the issues and problems they are faced with day to day. Frejo's presentation will begin to lay the ground work for helping our youth achieve greatness.

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