

# Job openings

The following job openings as of June 28 are currently being advertised by the Human Resources department. If interested call Amelia Tewee at 553-3262. If you want job details, call the contact person listed.

**Education Coordinator:** Headstart/ECE; Nancy Seyler 553-3241

**Substitute Teacher Aide;** ECE; Sue Matters 553-3241

**Secretary III:** Community Cnslg Ctr.; Jim Quaid 553-3205

**Wellness Coordinator;** Community Wlms Ctr.; Eugene Greene Jr. 553-3243

**Forest Crew Member;** Fire Mgmt.; Luther Clements 553-1146

**Fire Fighter;** Fire Mgmt.; Vernon Tias 553-1146

**Engine Operator;** Fire Mgmt.; Vernon Tias 553-1146

**Children Mental Health Specialist;** Community Cnslg Ctr.; Jim Quaid 553-3205

**Adolescent Substance Abuse Tx Specialist;** Community Cnslg Ctr.; Jim Quaid 553-3205

**Legal Aide Advocate;** Legal Aide; Raymond Gene Smith 553-3269

**Corrections (4);** Public Safety; Charlene Smith 553-3272

**Maintenance;** Utilities; Cecil D. Brunoe Jr. 553-4962

**Engineer Technician;** Utilities; Randy Wallace 553-3246

**Engineer;** Water & Waste Water; Herb Graybael 553-3246

**Surveillance Observer;** Gaming Commission; David Therrien 553-4890

**Executive Director;** Museum; Michael Hammond 553-3331

**Les Scwab's Tire Center Apprenticeship;** WEDD; Carlos Calica/Hamilton Greeley 553-3324

The 4-H office is looking for 2 cook assistants; 1 craft person; 1 recreation director and 2

sweathouse leaders (1-female & 1-male; need to teach young people about the sweathouse etc.) for more information, contact Arlene Boileau or Deanie Johnson at 553-3238.

**Madras Employment Office**

House Supervisor/RN; CNA Instructor; Speech/Language specialists; A.R.T.; Float RN/LPN; Surgical Svcs RN Mgr.; Spanish Teacher; Math Teacher; Home Arts Teacher; Language Arts Teacher; Special Ed Teacher; Special Ed Teacher; Special Ed Teacher; Special Ed Teacher; 6th Grade Teacher; Migrant Resource Teacher; Executive Director; Educational Assistant; Aerobic Inst/Coordinator; Teller; Cashier; Office Assistant-Trai; Bartender; Receptionist; Line Cook; Certified Nurses Aide; Patrol Deputy; Janitor; Ditchridr/Maint.; Grounds Maintenance; Farm Hand/ Groundskeeper; Auto Mechanic; Window Repairer J+; Auto Mech. Helper JP; Welder-shop helper JP; Fence Builder; Bldg Maint./Landscape; Truck Driver; Service Station worker; Tire Repairer-training; Cutter/Finger Jointer; Cutter/Finger Jointer; Maintenance and Rock Polisher all in Madras.

Mental Health Specialist; Sub. Abuse Specialist; Education Coordinator; fisheries Tech.; Exterior Painter; Elementary Teachers; Waitress/Waiter; Line Cook; Jockey/Horse Trainer; & Water Plant Engineer in Warm Springs.

Park Naturalist; Conservation Aide; & Waiter/Waitress in Culver.

Mower Operator; Stacker & Truck Driver in Lower Bridge.

Water Tank Driver & Dump Truck Driver throughout Oregon

Farm Hand/Groundskeeper in Bend.

Journey Electrician in Central Oregon.

Interested candidates need to con-

tact the Madras Employment office (541) 475-2382.

**Jefferson Co. 509-1 School Dist. openings**

Language Arts Teacher at the Jefferson Co. Middle Sch.

Interested candidates should contact: Jefferson Co. Sch. Dist. 509-J; 445 SE Buff Street; Madras, OR 97741 or phone (541) 475-6192.

**Indian Head Casino Employment Information Station**

Accounting clerk. Experience required. Both G/L and A/P experience will be considered. Must have 10-key and spreadsheet skills. Please obtain an application at Indian Head Casino HR department, or call 553-4889.

**Other job opportunities**

Approximately the middle to the end of June, 1999, the city of Portland Parking Enforcement Division will begin accepting applications for PARKING ENFORCEMENT DEPUTY, \$13.24 per hour at entry to \$17.01 per hour after 3 1/2 years. Official announcements and applications may be obtained from: Portland Bureau of Human Resources Application Center; Portland Building, 1120 SW 5th Ave. Lobby (503) 823-4573 (job hotline) or www.ci.portland.or.us/jobs.

Executive Director for the Indian Human Resource Center in San Diego, California. Closing Date, Friday, July 9, 1999; Interested parties should contact: Indian Human Resource Center, Inc.; 4040 30th Street, Suite A; San Diego, CA 92104 or call (619) 281-5964 Fax (619) 281-1466

Project Crew, Fire Crew, and Engine Crew for the Mt. Hood National Forest.

If interested please apply by sending resume to: David Gross; Mt. Hood National Forest, 780 NE Court St.; Dufer, OR 97021 or call (541) 467-2291.

**Help offered**

Attention Tribal Members

1. Have you been taken to Tribal Court for an Informal Hearing?

2. Was there a warrant issued for your arrest for an Informal Hearing?

3. Did you spend time in jail on a warrant issued by the Tribal Court for an Informal Hearing?

4. Did you or do you have a garnishment of wages from an Informal Hearing Judgment order from the Tribal Court?

If the answers to the above mentioned statements is "Yes", your rights were violated by invalid procedures of the court. If you want more information regarding these issues, you can contact me at Bruce and Barbara Jim residence, 6608 Wolf Point Road, Warm Springs, OR.

Please note: All appointments to be made after 5 p.m. or any time during the weekend.

# The Indian Warrior-The Veterans Corner-Information/Tips For Vets

## Service-Connected Compensation

### How Disability Compensation Works



Service-connected disability compensation, or "comp," is a benefit available to veterans with physical and mental disabilities (which VA often "conditions") incurred during their military service or made worse by their service. The compensation process can become complicated. We have therefore devoted a large section of our guide to help you file a claim. A service-connected disability does not have to be combat-related, it just has to be connected in some way to your time in service. Your disability must be recognized by VA as service-connected before you can receive compensation benefits. Income and assets do not affect the amount of money received for service-connected disability.

There are five ways to obtain service-connection for your disabilities:

- You have a condition (disease or disability) that can be linked to an injury that happened during service or a disease you suffered from in service.
- You suffer from a disease with symptoms that began shortly after discharge, usually within one year, and VA considers that disease to have begun during service.

- You have a condition that existed before service that became worse while you were in service.
- You have a disability caused or aggravated by another service-connected condition.

- You suffer from a disability that might have begun many years after you were discharged but was caused by something that happened in service or something you were exposed to in service, (For example, lung cancer caused by exposure to asbestos).

VA should treat an injury or aggravation of an injury as if it were service connected if:

- You have a disability or aggravated it as the result of VA medical care or involvement in a VA vocational rehabilitation program.
- You have loss, or lose use of, one of pair of organs (such as kidneys, lungs, eyes or ears) or extremities (such as hands or feet) that is service connected and the other organ or extremity becomes disabled as the result of a non-service connected condition.

If You Were In Combat

The law requires VA to accept a veteran's statement about what happened to him or her while in combat. This means you can write your own letter documenting your combat experience.

Non-Service Connected Pension

Non-service-connected pensions are available to veterans who served during a period of war, who are permanently and totally disabled and who have established financial need. Generally, you will be considered to

have served during wartime if you had 90 continuous days of active duty and at least one day was during an officially defined period of war. For the Vietnam War, the wartime service dates are Feb. 28, 1961, through May 7, 1975. For the Gulf War, the official start of wartime service was Aug. 21, 1990; a closing date has yet to be set.

Unlike disability compensation, pension benefits are based on need. Your income, combined with the income of your spouse and dependent children, averaged over 12 months, is deducted dollar for dollar from the maximum pension amount. Your assets also will be considered in establishing need. Do not understate your income. VA can match what you tell them against your Social Security and Internal Revenue Service records.

For some veterans, pension benefits will pay a higher monthly benefit than compensation benefits. To keep things simple, VA is required to consider a claim for compensation to double as a claim for pension and will pay the greater of the two amounts as a benefit. You cannot collect both VA compensation and VA pension.

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## Affordable apts. for rent

Secure, peaceful, affordable living at Madras Estates. These subsidized units offer spacious 1-bedroom apartments, elevator, pets welcomed (some limitations apply), laundry facilities, security system, handicap accessible, on-site management, emergency call system, activity center with kitchen, Senior/Handicapped bus available and much more.

A complete application puts your name on the waiting list. "liberal income limits do apply. Refundable \$150 security deposit required at the time of move-in. Guardian Management is committed to Equal Housing Opportunity.

For more information and applications please contact: Madras Es-

tates, Lorraine Ostermiller-Resident Manager, 242 SW 3rd Street; Madras, OR 97741 (541) 475-1969.

## Court notice

To: Melissa Silversmith  
Warm Springs, OR 97761

Juniper Auto  
Madras, OR 97741  
Notice of Informal Hearing  
Case No. IN61-99

An informal hearing has been scheduled with the Warm Springs Tribal Court on the 26th day of July, 1999, at 1:30 p.m. This hearing has been scheduled at the request of Juniper Auto for the following reasons: Overdue Account.

You are hereby required to appear at this time on your own behalf. It is important that you attempt to resolve this issue, in order to prevent further action against you in a State Court. If you fail to appear at the scheduled time, the presiding judge may issue a warrant for your arrest and require you to post bail to guarantee your appearance.

Dated this 14th day of June, 1999.

Wilma Ann Picard  
Judge, Warm Springs Tribal Court

## Thank you all

To the editor,

Hello! My name is Woody Jr. I want to write to say thank-you to a lot of people that was with or called about my mom Sadie. She was really sick in the hospital long time.

Thank you to my grandma Marella, my grandpa-Dad Roberta, a BIG BIG Thank-you to my G-ma Eliza for staying with them in Madras and Bend. Thank you Billy Joe and his wife Wanda Berry and Brian Renfro. For all the prayers and coming to Bend. And most of all, the Big thank you goes out to my Grandma Itta. I love you, thank you for putting up with me, Jealeah and Thomas.

To my mommy, I am glad you're OK and that you are home because I missed you alot and I love you mom.

From,  
Woody Picard, Jr.

## Tribal member says hi

To the editor,

To my friends and family. I'm sorry I haven't wrote back to anyone. The girls have been writing to everyone. The reason why I haven't written to anyone is because I've been taking classes since September. Right now I'm taking two classes but the hours are kind of long. Two days out of the week I go to class from 3 to 7:30.

The land down here is really nice. There are a lot of fruit trees. There are a lot of black berry bushes.

The girls have been picking cherries lately. They will be starting summer school next week. I forgot to pay my phone bill so my phone will be shut off for about one week. One day the girls came back from school and said the whole school couldn't go out

to recess today because there was a bear in the tree by the school.

Boss and Eva, if you come down within the two weeks, then let me know. Wishbone said he was coming down and never did.

Anyway, I would just like to say hi to Bobb & Eva, Chopper, Eric and Gerri, Virgil and Pat, Jeri & Jeremy, Alice and Kids, Chum and Jamie. I know I must have forgot some people and I'm sorry.

I'm always calling and asking for your addresses but I'll be calling again because I lost my address book.

When I get my phone turned on, please don't call me at 3:00 in the morning (Chopper). Eva called me as early as 7:30 a.m. and that was fine. Anyways, Take Care.

Love you all  
Rosanna Jackson

## Poster contest open to children of Warm Springs

Greetings Warm Springs Community! I would like to respectfully request a little of your time. I am coordinating the Fire & Safety and Home Safety Poster Contest for the Warm Springs Housing Authority. I am seeking contestants, ages Kindergarten through the 8th grade.

The Poster Contest is to allow our students to send a message to be Fire Safe in their homes. Amerind Risk, Inc., whom we carry our home insurance with, hold a Nationwide poster contest for all students K-8.

The Warm Springs Housing Authority is very honored and proud of Warm Springs regional champion winner for 1997 (Shayla Smith). We are very proud and confident that we have other students who can go just as far.

The deadline to turn all posters in is July 2, 1999. Entries should not exceed 11" x 17" in size. Amerind recommends that posters be drawn horizontally; on letter size paper (8.5" x 11").

The first place winner will be awarded \$25.00 and there will be other prizes and awards. See contestant rules and entry form. All entries must be original and created by the child using crayons, markers or paint. Posters drawn in led pencils will not be accepted.

If you should have any questions regarding the poster contest, please stop by the office and ask for Suzie Moody, or call 553-3250.

Suzie Moody

### Amerind Risk Management Corporation 1999 National Fire Safety and Home Safety Poster Contest

**Contestant rules**

1. Entry form must be filled out completely and attached to the back of the poster.

2. All submitted posters must illustrate a "fire safety or home safety" theme.

3. Children in Kindergarten through 8th grade during the 1998-1999 school year are eligible to participate (only one entry per child).

4. All entries must be original and created by the child using crayons, markers or paint. Posters drawn in lead pencils will not be accepted.

5. Entries should not exceed 11" x 17" in size. Amerind recommends that posters be drawn horizontally on letter size paper (8.5" x 11").

For more information contact Warm Springs Housing Authority, 1238 Veterans Street, Warm Springs, Oregon 97761; 541-553-3250.

<b>Amerind Risk Management Corporation 1999 National Fire Safety and Home Safety Poster Contest entry form</b>	
Contestants name: _____	Grade: _____
Tribal Affiliation: _____	Age: _____
Parent/Legal Guardian: _____	Gender: _____
Street Address: _____	
City: _____	State/Zip: _____
Home Phone Number: _____	
Housing Authority: <b>Warm Springs Housing Authority</b>	
Contest Coordinator: <b>Suzie Moody, Resident Service Specialist</b>	
The poster will be disqualified if the entry form is not completely filled out and attached to the back of the poster.	
All posters become the property of Amerind Risk Management Corporation.	

## Howlak Tichum

### Hazel Loretta Scott Seyler

Hazel Loretta Scott Seyler, age 84 passed away June 26, 1999 at the Mountain View Hospital in Madras, Oregon from natural causes. Mrs. Seyler was born October 5, 1914 in Warm Springs to parents James and Ethel (Holliday) Scott. She was an enrolled member of the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs and a lifelong resident. Seyler had worked at various positions with the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, five grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren; brother Harvey Scott of Warm Springs; sisters Alva Scott of Madras and Alice Scott of Warm Springs.

Preceding her in death are parents, husband Alvin Seyler, four brothers and three half sisters. Survivors include sons Charles (Yvonne) and Norman (Judy) Nathan

Services were held Wednesday, June 30, 1999 at 10 a.m. at the Warm Springs Presbyterian church with burial at the Agency Cemetery in Warm Springs, Oregon.