

General council meeting set

There will be a general council meeting on the 2002 tribal government budget on Tuesday, Nov. 6, at the Agency Longhouse. The meeting begins at 7 p.m., with dinner starting at 6.

The three individual districts of the reservation over the past several weeks have conducted district meetings on the budget.

The Tribal Council will adopt a final budget resolution before Thanksgiving, and the final budget will be posted by Dec. 1.

Economic Corp. to meet

The Warm Springs Economic Development Corporation will meet at 6 p.m. Monday, Nov. 5, at the High Lookee Lodge.

The agenda for the meeting includes introduction of staff and board members, and an update on the work of the corporation, which the Tribal Council formed earlier this year to promote economic development on the reservation.

The Monday meeting will also include a question and answer time. All tribal members from all districts are welcome to attend.

Minority vets director leaves

Deborah Williams, director of the Minority Veterans Program for the Department of Veterans Affairs in Portland, has left the medical center for her hometown.

In a letter sent to veterans served by the program, she wrote, "I truly will never forget you, because each of you has brought something special to my life and the program."

At this time the CEO of the office has decided to temporarily not replace Williams due to budget constraints. Anyone who has concerns that should be addressed may call the CEO's office at (503) 220-8262, ext. 57200.



Photos by Mike Van Meter
Sandra Greene Sampson, Trudee Queahpama-Clements (top photo), Serena Rae Wolfe (left) and Virginia Jenielle McKinly (right) were among tribal members who put on a fashion show for several dozen artists last week at the Museum at Warm Springs.

Ladies Auxiliary helps many vets

By Sid Miller
Spilyay Staff

For all the Veterans functions we have here on the reservation we always overlook our Ladies Auxiliary, and it's time to give credit where credit is due. The local Auxiliary is always ready to help the local Veterans during special activities.

Just like all the Auxiliary groups across the country where they are always ready to serve their Veterans in every capacity they can. The holidays are coming up and there are several Veterans out there who have very little or nothing at all. This is where a lot of Auxiliary groups help their Veterans.

Our ladies Auxiliary here in Warm Springs was a very active group and ready to help where ever they could especially during the Veterans ac-

tivities. The local Auxiliary was highly respected across the state and recognized for the fine work they did for their Veterans. Like all groups at times attendance is very low and just a very few try to keep the organization going. It should be an incentive to start making the regular meetings to boost the interest in the organization once again.

Remember during the month of November is the time to renew your membership, and try to recruit new members also. It would be a big project to recruit as many new members as you can and maintain your high esteem among the rest of the groups across the state.

Veterans Day is coming up soon and all the Auxiliary groups will be joining their Veterans to honor them on that day.

Nursing orientation set

Central Oregon Community College's nursing department is offering an orientation session at 3 p.m. on Tuesday, Nov. 13, in Room 160 in the Boyle Education Center on the COCC Bend campus.

The purpose of the meetings is to review the application procedure for students interested in applying to COCC's Associate of Applied Science in Nursing program and to pro-

vide general information. Currently, COCC's nursing program admits 36 students each spring to begin fall-term coursework. The admission process allows the students to begin the program as a group, provide faculty members more opportunities for student interaction and offer more continuity within the program. For more information, call 383-7214.

Jeremy's music ...

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Being born this early, there were complications; he was born with Retina-ophathy of prematurity. This symptom occurs to babies born early. The retina does not fully develop behind the eyeball and connect to the back of the eye. Every day for months, while he was in the hospital, he was connected to a respirator and monitors. The small size of his body did not permit the doctors to give him shots on his arms or thighs. They were only to give him his shots on the heels of his feet.

From the nurses' strike at Beth Kaiser Permanente and being transferred to Oregon Health Services University where he wears a scar on his cheek to this day from a heated respirator tube, a minor stroke and several eye surgeries - overcoming all that the world could throw at him, Jeremy survived.

Clothes to fit him bordered on non-existent to nearly impossible to find. Clothes were not the only hard-to-find item. Diapers were just as rare. Even finding nipples to baby bottles was like looking for a needle in a haystack. One day while in Portland on a weekend, we came across a small shop on a back street that specialized in clothes for premature babies. They stocked everything from clothes to specialized car seats.

Through it all, the soft feel of cotton socks covering his feet was what he liked best. When he was released to come home on a warm sunny day in October, Jeremy would not let anyone touch his feet. He is still like that to this day.

To motivate Jeremy to "see" the world, his parents bribed him with sounds and cookies. Once he conquered his fear of exploring, no place in the house was safe from him. From the bedrooms to the living rooms and the hallways, he would go there. His favorite place to hang out was in the

hallways. The acoustics there were to his liking and he would always end up there. The support the family received from Central Oregon Regional Program helped in his progress with learning materials and physical exercises to do while he was an infant.

Riding on toys with wheels is one of his joys, to feel the vibrations as he traveled across gravel, going over bumps fast. Listening to talking drum on the radio and listening to stories are other activities that he likes.

Once he could sit independently, Jeremy was given a toy piano. He began to hone his musical talents. As he got older, he found out that the toy pianos did not have the scale to go lower or higher. If the instrument could not do the things that he wanted it to do, they were soon left to one side and he would not bother with it again.

Jeremy has been attending Oregon School for the Blind in Salem since he was 9 years old. Since he has been there, his daily living skills have improved. Mobility around town and the use of public transportation, currency, and Braille are just some of the skills he is learning. Other activities he enjoys while he is there are field trips, concerts at Willamette University, sporting events and music recitals. He comes home every other weekend throughout the school year. His school year is the same as regular students.

His other interests are going on trips with the family. Doing activities with his sister and brothers. Listening to pep bands at high school games, birthdays and the holidays.

On June 2, 2001, he celebrated his 13th birthday. He lives his life like a normal boy of his age.

(Every year Jeremy's Christmas wish list includes a baby grand piano. Maybe one day he'll own one.)



Photos by Tina (the photographer formerly known as Princess) Agullar
Betty Hewson (above) works in the IHS lab by day, but is a vampiress at night. Nurses and office staff (right) include Froggy (Joy Soto) in the lead with one of the Pink Ladies (Jennifer Obermeier) at the tail.



Court notices

Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon
vs.
Celestine Whitewolfe, Defendant
Notice of Hearing for Publication
Case No. CV212-98
TO: Celestine Whitewolfe
YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED: That the above cited case(s), as filed in the Warm Springs Tribal Court, has been scheduled for trial/hearing at 10:30 a.m., on the 18th day of January, 2002.

YOU ARE HEREBY ORDERED: To be and appear at the Warm Springs Tribal Court at the time and date shown to defend against the charge(s). You may be represented by yourself, by an attorney, or by a spokesman, at your own expense. You may bring any documents you may request the Court to subpoena your witnesses, however, you must submit your list of witnesses no later than two weeks prior to trial; failure to do so will not be considered sufficient reason to postpone the trial. If you have questions, you should seek legal advice immediately.

IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR AS SO ORDERED, THE TRIBAL COURT MAY ENTER A COMPLAINT FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT AND ISSUE A WARRANT FOR YOUR ARREST.
Dated at Warm Springs, Oregon on Oc-

tober 8, 2001
Wilma Ann Smith
Judge, Warm Springs Tribal Court

Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon
Petitioner
vs.
Casey Green, Defendant
Notice of Hearing For Publication
Case No. CV92-98
TO: Casey Green
YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED: To be

and appear at the Warm Springs Tribal Court at the time and date shown to defend against the charge(s). You may be represented by yourself, by an attorney, or by a spokesman, at your own expense. You may bring any documents you believe are relevant to this cause, and you may bring witnesses to testify on your behalf. You may request the Court to subpoena your witnesses, however, you must submit your list of witnesses no later than two weeks prior to trial; failure to do so will not be considered sufficient reason to postpone the trial. If you have questions, you should seek legal advice immediately.

IF YOU FAIL TO APPEAR AS OS ORDERED, THE TRIBAL COURT MAY ENTER A COMPLAINT FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT AND ISSUE A WARRANT FOR

YOUR ARREST.
Dated at Warm Springs, Oregon on October 8, 2001.
Wilma Ann Smith
Judge, Warm Springs Tribal Court

Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs Reservation of Oregon, Petitioner
vs.
Wallulatum/Carla Pedraza
Respondent
SUMMONS FOR PUBLICATION "RESCHEDULED HEARING"

Case No. JV63-84 Owen
TO: Kathlee Wallulatum/Owen Wallulatum/Carla Pedraza
YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that a petition for Conservator/Guardian has been filed with the Warm Springs Tribal Court. By this notice you are summoned to appear in this matter at a hearing scheduled

for 2:00 p.m., on the 11th, December 2001, at the Warm Springs Tribal Court. All of the facts of the case will be heard at this hearing, including evidence you wish to present. You must appear to present your argument or the other side will automatically win. The Petitioner, Kathlee Wallulatum, may then be given all that is asked for in the petition for Conservator/Guardian.

The Petitioner will be present at the hearing. If you desire to personally argue your side of the case, you may have a legal aide, spokesperson or attorney appear on your behalf at your expense.

If you have any questions, you should seek legal advice immediately. Dated at Warm Springs, Oregon on August 30, 2001.

Loia Sohappay, Judge
Warm Springs Tribal Court

Letter of apology

To: Dinalo Pittman
I'm sorry I punched you in the face on the night of August 11, 2001, which resulted in my A&B charges and my in-

carceration.
Sincerely,
Keith Charley, Jr.

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