

Lincoln's Birthday Powwow approaching

Memorial dinner is this Saturday

The 25th Annual Lincoln's Birthday Powwow is fast approaching.

The Lincoln's Powwow is dedicated to the values and beliefs inherent in our native tribal sacredness that has been our strength through the ages. Because of this purpose then, our Tribal Constitution and By-Laws and the leadership it provides is honored, past, present and future.

Activities begin Saturday, February 2 with memorial dinner and opening/blessing of the Simnasho Longhouse. All those that were in mourning (loss of loved one) will be re-joining the dancing circle as the tradition goes. Sunday, February 3, Special Sunday Service a prayer for powwow participants will be held.

The following committee cordially invites everyone to come and partake in the celebration festivities.

Lincoln's Birthday Self-Government/Sovereignty Celebration Powwow Committee, Simnasho, Oregon.

Warren R. Clements, Spiritual/Cultural Leader, Advisor.

Anna Clements, Powwow Coordinator.

Charles Tailfeathers Sr., Spiritual Leader, Master of Ceremonies.

Honorary Members:
Elders of Simnasho. Nettie Queahpama Shawaway, Geraldine Blodgett, Louise Hellon, Patrick "Wow" Mitchell the All Arounder; and Calvin Queahpama, drum host.

Celebration Powwow Committee:
Eugene Greene Jr., Quartz Creek Host Drum, M.C.

Assistant, Drum Coordinator.

Anson and C.R. Begay, Quartz Creek Host Drum, M.C. Assistant, Drum Coordinator, Grand Entry Points.

Mackie and Jodie Begay, Quartz Creek Host Drum, Drum Coordinator, Grand Entry Points.

Joseph Boise, Drum Groups Microphone.

Serena Winishut Wolfe, Registration Coordinator.

Margie Greene Tuckta, Computer Administrator Lincoln's Powwow.

Sandra Greene Sampson, Vendor Registration.

Birney Green Boise, Raffle Items.

Eugenia Greene Tappo, Program Coordinator and Seamstress for 2002 Royalty.

Trudee Queahpama Clements, Royalty Coordinator, Judges Coordinator, Raffle Sales.

Jamison Mitchell, 50/50 Drawings.



Photo courtesy of Nancy Tailfeathers

Charles Tailfeathers Sr. will be the Master of Ceremonies at the Lincoln's Birthday Powwow. A story on Mr. Tailfeathers will appear in the Jan. 24 edition of the *Indian Country Today* newspaper. The Spilyay will have extra copies available for anyone who is interested.

Sale to benefit POWWOW

An Indian Taco and Fry Bread Sale, on Tuesday, Jan. 29, will benefit the Lincoln's Birthday Powwow.

The sale will be from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Warm Springs Community Wellness Center.

Proceeds will go towards the Round Bustle/Chicken Dance Contest.

This event is sponsored by Mackie Begay and the Lincoln's Birthday Powwow Committee.

During the sale, Indian Tacos will \$4; and Fry Bread, \$1.

Call to Artists

An art gallery in Bend will feature an art display by anyone interested in showing his or her work.

The exhibit is open to all levels of artists. Professional, amateur or novices, youth, adult and seniors.

All mediums, all subjects matters, genres and sizes will be hung. No artist shall be rejected.

The gallery, Hang, is at 550 Industrial Way, Old Mill Market Place, Bend.

Deliver work between Jan. 28 and 31, noon to 4 p.m.

Reservation Runners appreciate support

Val Squiemphen, captain of the "Reservation Runners," would like to thank the following for helping with the 2001 Co-Ed Hood to Coast Team:

Warm Springs Forest Products, Warm Springs Composite Products, Safeway of Madras and Bruce Brunoe Logging.

Also: Johnnie Guerin Logging, Kah-Nee-Ta High Desert Resort & Casino, Sweetwaters of Culver, C.R. Begay and Kelly Church of Myrtle Creek.

A thank-you is due to all of, as the Reservation Runners could not have participated without the help.

"I'm sure that I speak for all of the runners when I say that

we appreciate the support of their families and friends, also," said Squiemphen. "It takes a lot of time and commitment to participate in something like this. Thank-you everyone for your continued understanding and support during our time of training."

Congratulations to Jerry and Sandra Sampson's team; and to the "Lost in Pace" IHS walking team. Everyone did an excellent job.

The Reservation Runners are confirmed to run in the 2002 Hood to Coast, so keep an eye out for these runners between now and next August. Cheer them on, it is hard work and takes a lot of commitment.



Photo courtesy of Val Squiemphen

Reservation Runners: Brandon, Heddy Botts, Cal Poncho, Laura Cailloux, Shawn Harry, Val, Lyda Rhoan, Jermaine, Andrew Smith, Monica Leonard, Mackie Jackson, Naomi Dick, Cecil Dick and Vernon Suppah. (Eugenia Alire is not pictured.)

Donations help pageant

A thank-you goes out for merchandise and other donations received for the Miss Warm Springs Pageant.

The Tribal Members that were in attendance were very happy for the donation prizes they won. The merchants are:

Mexico City, Deschutes Canyon Camp Ground, Sentry's, Madras Papander's Pizza, Les Schwab's, Phil Ace Hardware, Pepe's, Golden City, Broken Bow, Crystal Dolphin.

Also: The Stag Restaurant,

Madras Trading Post, Juniper Travel, Madras Out Post, Hairworks, Madras, Safeway, Madras, Bearer, Redmond, Wild Rose, Redmond, Anitidole, Redmond, Animal Land, Redmond, Put 'N on the Ritz, Redmond, Tribal Attorney's,

The Hen's Tooth, Bend, Made in Oregon, WSFPI, Warm Springs, High Desert Hotel/Gaming, Warm Springs, DMJ's, Warm Springs Market, DE Projects, Warm Springs Power Enterprise.

For Sale to Tribal Members

These vehicles will be sold to the highest bidder

Description	Minimum Bid
1991 Ford F-150 4x4 (needs new transmission)	\$700
1992 Ford Van (needs transmission work)	\$700
1989 Ford Crown Victoria	\$800
3 ea. 1995 Ford Crown Victoria	\$800
2 ea. 1997 Ford Crown Victoria	\$1,000

These vehicles are located at the vehicle pool in the industrial park. See staff for more information or call 553-3288.

Bid forms are available at the vehicle pool. Bids must be turned in no later than Feb. 8, 2002.

25th ANNUAL LINCOLNS BIRTHDAY POW-WOW

& SELF-GOVT./SOVEREIGNTY CELEBRATION

February 8, 9, 10, 2002

Simnasho Longhouse, Simnasho, OR

Sponsored by: Simnasho Elders and Lincoln's Pow-wow Committee

EVERYONE WELCOME

GRAND ENTRY TIME:

Friday
7:30 p.m.

Saturday
1:30 p.m.

Sunday
2:00 p.m.

Contest Categories:

Fancy and Traditional Dancers; 16 yrs. and Under, Boys and Girls; 17-49 yrs. Men and Women.

POINT SYSTEM USED

SPECIALS:

- 3-Hand Drum Contest sponsored by Jameson Mitchell Family & Bruce Jim Family
- Special Senior Men's sponsored by Charles Tailfeathers, Sr.
- Round Bustle/Chicken Dance Contest Sponsored by Mackie Begay and Lincoln's Pow-wow Committee.
- Men's Grass Dance Contest sponsored by Veterans Pow-wow Committee
- Special Junior Boys Contest sponsored by Kelsey Haywahe.

"Other specials to be announced"

DRUMMERS: \$8,000.00 TOTAL

MASTERS OF CEREMONIES: Mr. Charles Tailfeathers - Rocky Boy, MT/ Simnasho, OR.
Information contact: Anna Clements (541) 553-3290 or Trudee Queahpama-Clements (541) 553-3274.

Vendor Concession information contact: Sandra Greene (541) 553-3246.