

Birth announcements

Jakoven Wil Anderson

Willis J. Anderson and Odessa M. Jones-Anderson are pleased to announce the birth of their son Jakoven Wil Anderson, born May 16. Jakoven joins his sister Kiersten Anderson, who is 2.

Father's parents are Jamie and Bernadine Watlamat. Mother's parents are Quintin Jones of Oklahoma, and Kim LeClaire and stepfather Marlon LeClaire.

Roland Xavier Wooldridge

Jeremy Wooldridge and Cynthia Wooldridge are pleased to announce the birth of their son Roland Xavier Wooldridge, born May 18. Roland joins his brother William, age 2.

Father's mother is Marilyn Morgan, and the mother's mother is Jennifer Moody.

Aalimah Wailona Poitra

Josh Poitra and Samantha Price are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Aalimah Wailona Poitra, born May 13.

Margaret May Guardipee VanPelt

Chet Ralph VanPelt and Theresa Guardipee are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Margaret May Guardipee VanPelt, born May 31.

Margaret joins her brother Isaiah M. VanPelt. Father's mother is Wanda S. VanPelt. Mother's parents are Vernon and Elvira Guardipee.

Help needed for July Fourth

The Warm Springs Recreation Department will sponsor and host the 2003 Independence Day Community Celebration on Friday, July 4. This huge community event requires hours of planning and discussion.

The Recreation Department and the rest of the community need to start planning now.

Some of the events that the Recreation Department has so far been planning include the community parade, barbecue, and community events and games before the evening fireworks display.

The fireworks display is being coordinated by Warm Springs Social Services.

The Recreation Department would like to call on individuals for their input on this year's events during Warm Springs' Independence Day celebration.

Contact Carol Allison at the Recreation Department, 553-3243, for more information.

Red Skye: Marketing in Indian Country



Aurolyn Stwyer-Watlamat was in Warm Springs recently, after visiting with Cort Directions in Bend.

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They will be traveling to national and regional Native American trade shows on behalf of Cort. These will include gatherings of groups such as the National Congress of American Indians, and the National Indian Gaming Association.

They will also make direct contact with prospective tribal clients.

Cort Directions is looking forward to the partnership.

"We're excited about partnering with Red Skye to build a marketing channel in Indian Country," said Mark Ohrenberger, president of Cort.

Red Skye will target large groups in Indian country, including tribal governments, casinos, health programs, tribal organizations, and vendors of tribes and their enterprises.

More Letters to the Editor

Hurting badly

Hello there, whoever you are. I wish you knew how lonely it is in here at times. I never realized how much I loved my family and friends. It hurts so bad at times, you don't know what to think.

The only time it really feels good in here is when you know you made it through another day without getting hurt or killed, and you're one day closer to freedom. The people you meet in here are so full of it, they smile at you and say they care, but in reality they could care less about how you feel.

Some guys in here claim to be your brothers but still stab you in the back. What kind of brother lies to your face, and talks behind your back?

I will be so happy to leave this place and never return because I hate it in here. No one cares about you when you come in here. You're just put away and forgotten so you can pay for your wrongdoing to the community or to someone you love.

You write letters asking for forgiveness from friends, family, lovers and anyone else that will hear your cry, but even the one that you love and care for so much will in time turn away from you.

They say that you lose everything when you come in here. Whoever said that is right. I lost a lot of loved ones since I've been in here. It hurts to know that you can't do a thing about what goes on out there. All I know is that I'm doing the best I can with what I got.

Just knowing that somebody cared for me out there would be nice. There are people who care out there but it never seems like enough to make a guy feel better in here.

My life stopped out there and at times I wish it would stop all at once, so I wouldn't have to look at what my future holds for me.

So if there is somebody out there who cares or somebody that hears this cry, please let anybody or somebody know that there is somebody hurting bad.

I write this to somebody because I need somebody, like a lot of people do, in this world.

I say this to somebody, I need a friend who cares, a friend to love and care for me, to write things I need to hear. If you're

out there and need somebody, this somebody is here. With Respect, sincerely,

Michael Meanus

100 years

One Hundred years of Bob Hope. I don't know about you all who read or get the Spilyay Tymoo newspaper from Warm Springs, Oregon.

Anyway, I had my TV on down this way in Eugene, Oregon on Sunday May 25. I was amazed it was Bob Hope's 100th Birthday. He was born May 25, 1903.

I saw reruns of Bob Hope's show. He sure was a great comedian way back then. I'd love to see more comedians now as Bob Hope was a very cool, intelligent comedian.

He's lived many years. He supported the Vietnam, and World War II.

We need more men like him. Evette Patt, 50 Kourt Dr. Apt 3, Eugene, OR 97404

Notice: The Oregon Parks and Recreation will meet Thursday, June 19 in Madras. The meeting begin at 9 a.m. at Madras City Hall.

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Geraldine Ethel Blodgett

Geraldine Ethel Blodgett passed away June 3. She was 75 years old.

Mrs. Blodgett was born on April 15, 1928 at Simnasho to parents Moses Hellon and Juanita Wainanwit.

Mrs. Blodgett was a lifelong resident of Warm Springs and Simnasho. She attended Warm Springs Boarding School and then Madras Union High School. She was a member of the Simnasho Longhouse as well as the Warm Springs Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Blodgett was the head cook for the longhouse, and was a traditional food gatherer for ceremonial

feasts.

Survivors include her daughters Mary Davis of Bloomfield, New Mexico, and Laura Switzler of Warm Springs; son Delbert Blodgett of Warm Springs; sisters-in-law Madeline Spino and Antoinette Pamperin, both of Warm Springs; brother-in-law Rafeal Queahpama of Warm Springs; cousin Albert Comedown of Warm Springs; nieces Monica Yallup of White Swan, Wash., and Alberta Comedown of Warm Springs; numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren and great great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Fred Blodgett Sr.

Sarah Jane Hall

Sarah Jane Hall passed away on June 3. She was 79 years old.

Mrs. Hall was born on March 28, 1924 at Danville, Ill., to parents William and Nora Adams.

Mrs. Hall had worked as a waitress for Deschutes Crossing Restaurant. She en-

joyed her work, her dogs and her grandchildren.

She is survived by her daughter Susie Smith of Warm Springs, and sister June Sears of Madras.

She was preceded in death by her husband Rufus H. Hall, and by a brother and a sister.

In the Probate Court of the Confederated Tribes

The following cases are set for hearing in Courtroom No. 3:
June 19 at 2 p.m.: decedent Warren Wallulatam Sr., Probate No. 980-PR27-00.
June 19 at 3 p.m.: decedent Elaine Clements, Probate No. 000-PR-30-00.
June 24 at 2 p.m.: decedent Elva Greene, Probate No. 954-PR01-00.

June 24 at 3 p.m.: decedent Laura Stwyer, Probate No. 951-PR28-99.
June 26 at 2 p.m.: decedent Margery Danzuka, Probate No. 950-PR27-99.
June 26 at 3 p.m.: decedent Everett Patt, Probate No. 021-PR02-02.
June 27 at 1 p.m.: decedent Jeff

Mitchell, Probate No. 894-PR24-97.
June 27 at 2 p.m.: decedent Emma Telakish, Probate No. 903-PR05-98.
June 30 at 2 p.m.: decedent Leroy Stahi, Probate No. 945-PR22-99.
June 30 at 3 p.m.: decedent Henrietta Johnson, Probate No. 998-PR09-01.

In the Tribal Court of the Confederated Tribes

Childrens Protective Services, petitioner, vs. Ladonna Valasquez (Zamora)/Johnson Heath Sr., respondent. Case No. DO20-03. To Ladonna Valasquez (Zamora)/Johnson Heath Sr.:

You are hereby notified that a petition for **Filiation - Marjorie Heath** 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 **9 a.m. on July 1, 2003**, 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, Childrens Protective Services, may then be given all that is asked for in the petition for filiation - Marjorie Heath. The

petitioner will be present at the hearing.

If you desire to personally argue your side of the case, you may then 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, June 4, 2003. Judge Lola Sohapp, Warm Springs Tribal Court.

Utilities, petitioner, vs. Lee Tom, respondent. Case No. CV40-03. **To Lee Tom:**

You are hereby notified that a petition for **Civil Complaint** 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 **10**

a.m. on July 1, 2003, 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, Utilities, may then be given all that is asked for in the petition for civil complaint.

The petitioner will be present at the hearing.

If you desire to personally argue your side of the case, you may then 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, June 4, 2003. Judge Lola Sohapp, Warm Springs Tribal Court.

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Indian Trail Restaurant
For sale to qualified buyer
For further information call 553-1206

Birthday wishes...

Happy birthday, Ashley Marie. Grandma, Grandpa and Laneda.

Happy birthday, Ashley. From Uncle Tony.

Happy birthday Delby, June 15, from Tigers and Mom.



Happy birthday to Tonie Marie Boise, from Jane, Pearl, Julia and Suzette.



Congratulations

The Chemawa Indian School recently held graduation ceremonies, and these three tribal members received their diplomas. They are Neda Sampson, Deidra Johnson and Aletha Govenor (clockwise starting at right).
Congratulatoins on a job well done.



Fisheries: tribes ask for BPA audit

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Spending on sportfishing in Washington totaled nearly \$854 million in 2001.

In Idaho, recreational salmon fishing generated about \$90 million for the state's economy, and much of the money was spent in struggling towns like Riggins, Orofino, Lewiston and Kooskia, according to Idaho Rivers United, a nonprofit conservation group based in Boise.

"The aggressive non-breath strategy had no substance and the judge was clear," said Allen Slickpoo Jr., CRITFC chairman and a member of the Nez Perce Tribe.

"Both the federal government and the tribes found that policy was a sham with the lagging BPA funding. This strategy has to be backed up with funds and political support."

Patt was one of several tribal representatives in Washington, D.C. recently to testify before the U.S. Senate Committee on Indian Affairs on Bonneville's failure to properly manage its fish and wildlife budget, consult with tribes over funding, and honor treaty obligations.

In February, the Warm Springs, Umatilla, Yakama and Nez Perce tribes joined 50 other members of the Affiliated Tribes of Northwest Indians (ATNI) in calling for a financial and management audit of the federal wholesale energy marketer.

In a resolution, ATNI also condemned Bonneville's proposal to significantly reduce its annual fish and wildlife expenditures, and its disregard of recommendations for hydropower operations set out in the National

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Marine Fisheries Service's 2000 Biological Opinion.

A U.S. district judge invalidated the biological opinion in a ruling last month.

A similar resolution passed later that month by the National Congress of American Indians, as well as complaints aired at a CRITFC-sponsored tribal fisheries co-management symposium in January, helped prompt the Senate Indian Affairs Committee hearing.