

## Birth announcements

### Nathaniel Charles LeClaire

Louis Dean LeClaire and Nicole Videll Jack are pleased to announce the birth of their son Nathaniel Charles LeClaire, born Dec. 27, 2004.

### Ronald Waylon Kalama

Michael Kalama and Jennifer Tufti are pleased to announce the birth of their son Ronald Waylon Kalama, born January 16. At birth Ronald weighed seven pounds and one ounce, and measured 20 inches in length. He joins brothers DeAndre and Sidney, and sister Michaela. Father's parents are Ronald Kalama and Wanda VanPelt. Mother's parents are Ferman Tufti Sr. and Laura Tufti.

### Robert Ray Warner

Allan Warner Sr. and Louisa Tuckta are pleased to announce the birth of their son Robert Ray Warner, born

January 27. At birth Robert weighed eight pounds four ounces, and measured 20 and one-half inches in length.

### Tanaya Ida Mae Tewee

Diamond Tewee and Rebecca R. Adams are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Tanaya Ida Mae Tewee, born January 29. At birth Tanaya weighed five pounds, 5.8 ounces, and measured 18 inches in length. Grandparents are Floyd Tewee Sr. and Vivian Youngman, and Arlita and Lyle Rhoan Sr. Great grandparents are Elizabeth Rhoan, and the late Amiale Rhoan.

### Illiana Hazelynn Hance

James and Farrell Hance are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter, Illiana Hazelynn Hance, born January 31. At birth Illiana weighed six pounds and eight ounces, and measured 20 inches in length. Grandparents are Bob and

Evelyne Richards of California; and the late Hazel Lucei of Warm Springs.

### Hilda Victoria Contreras Cibrian

Cerilio Contreras Jr. and Veronia Cibrian are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter, Hilda Victoria Contreras Cibrian, born February 2. At birth Hilda weighed eight pounds and 8.6 ounces, and measured 20 inches in length. The grandparents are Ana Marie Gomez de la Rosa, of Mexico, and Hilda Banderas Pena of Madras.

### Avan John Garcia

Aldo Allen Rhoan Garcia and Della Rae Suppah of Warm Springs are pleased to announce the birth of their son Avan John Garcia, born February 5. At birth Avan weighed six pounds 13 ounces, and measured 20 inches in length.



Selena Boise/Spilyay

Passing by the Rainbow Market in recent weeks, you might have noticed this tree by the Deschutes River. The tree has since been gnawed down completely by what appear to be a beaver; this picture was taken a few days before the tree fell. The Spilyay Tymoo received a call from Roxanne McInturff, owner of Rainbow Market, about the tree, as she noticed it getting thinner at its trunk. Beavers often prefer to eat seaweed, clover and other herbaceous vegetation during warm weather, instead of the green bark (cambium) of trees. In areas with harsh winters, though, they normally need to prepare an underwater food cache of branches.

## Courses teach computer skills

Seven different computer courses are available at the Warm Springs Computer Learning Center in the Education Building through the end of February and March.

Classes are scheduled for half-days, either morning or afternoon, running from 9 a.m. to noon or from 1 to 4 p.m.

Students start with the Introduction or Beginning class subject program and then may advance to Intermediate or Advanced-level training.

Beginning Access includes Access basics. Students learn to create database tables, forms, queries and reports. It is scheduled Feb. 22, 24 and March 1 and 3, from 1 to 4 p.m. The fee is \$35.

Smart Computing is offered Feb. 23 from 9 a.m. to noon. Students can learn how to protect their computers from getting viruses and spyware while surfing the Internet and checking their email and how to test and remove viruses and spyware if their computer gets them. The cost is \$10.

Excel Time Card Training is offered either March 1 or 3. PowerPoint Basics is offered March 2.

Early registration is required so that enough materials available for each student. For more information on these and other courses, call the Education Department at 553-3591.

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### Silas Martin Poitra

August 22, 1976  
to January 11, 2005

On January 11, 2005, Silas Poitra expired. Overnight services were held in the Poitra home on January 13, with Pat Tanewasha and Norman Lucei officiating Shaker services. Silas was taken to the Agency Longhouse on January 14 for 2 o'clock dressing. Overnight Washut services were held and conducted by Rex Robinson and Fred Wallulatam.

On January 15, 2005 Silas was laid to rest at the Agency Cemetery.

Silas Martin Poitra leaves behind his father Lester R. Poitra, mom Peggy Williams, brothers Will, Spencer, Josh, Woods and one sister Wilona Poitra. He also left behind his nieces Laura, Jackie, Renee, and a nephew Tyrell Poitra all whom he was a caregiver for. His other nieces are Roshonda, and Rhonda, and nephews Coby and Issae Poitra. Silas has a niece Aalimah and nephew Jaden Poitra who reside in Wapato.

Silas leaves behind numerous grandparents, uncles, aunts and cousins from Warm Springs, Belcourt, North Dakota, Lake Oswego, Beatty and Chiloquin.

Silas was an active outdoorsman, hunting, hunting, more hunting, fishing, picking huckleberries and root digging.

Silas leaves behind hunting family and friends George W., Kevin W., Archie C., Craig S., Tom W., Eric L., Mar M., WLP, J Dean, Will, Trent, Spencer, Moose and many others who had been a big part of his life.

Silas also leaves behind many friends in Warm Springs, Washington, Oklahoma, Colorado, Montana, Texas, Utah, and California.

My prayers are for his family, friends and Silas' Native Pride & CLK.

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