

All-Indian Rodeo at Tygh Ridge

The Twelfth Annual Tygh Ridge All Indian Rodeo will be May 10-11, starting at 1 p.m. daily.

Admission is \$6 (kids 6 and under free).

The rodeo grounds are located 21 miles south of The Dalles, and eight miles north

of the old Tygh Valley Rodeo Grounds on Highway 197.

Special events include the wild horse race, amateur saddle bronc, muttin bustin, wild colt race and junior barrels. Rough stock is open to all riders, featuring a novice bronc riding.

Sanctioned events include

saddle bronc, bareback, bull riding, team roping, ladies barrel racing, calf roping, ladies breakaway, Century Team roping, and bull doggin.

For information contact Mike or Kitty Filbin at (541) 467-2415 evenings after 6 p.m. or on weekends.

Sixteenth annual Cougars tourney

The tribal Recreation Department in April hosted the Sixteenth Annual Warm Springs Cougars All-Indian High School Boys and Girls All Indian Basketball Tournament. The official results of the tournament are as follows:

Girls division

Champions: Nisqually, Wash. Runner up: Top Secret, Rocky Boy, Mont. Third place: NW Lady Warriors. Fourth place: Simnasho Lady Vols.

MVP: Keisha McDonald, Nisqually, Wash. Miss Hustle: Jamie Montes, Rocky Boy, Mont. Most 3's: Sheena Robinson, Tulalip Tribes. Miss Rebound: Tashia Delacruz, Nisqually, Wash.

All-Tourney Team: Sheena Robinson, Tulalip Tribes, Wash. Cheyenne Wahneetah, Simnasho Vols. Rosie Suppah, NW Lady Warriors. Kristi Olney, Simnasho Vols. Merima Made, NW Lady Warriors. Kylie Medicine Horse, Rocky Boy, Mont. Samira McDonald,

Nisqually, Wash. Tashia Delacruz, Rocky Boy. Rylynn Burns, Rocky Boy. Shawnee Robinson, Tulalip Tribes

Other Teams: Pyramid Lake, Nev.

Championship game: Nisqually-52, Rocky Boy-47.

Third place (Backdoor) Rocky Boy - 69, NW Lady Warriors - 38.

Fourth Place (Backdoor) Rocky Boy - 70, Simnasho Lady Vols - 23.

Boys division

Champions: Northwest Ballerz. Runner Up: Nespelem, Wash. Third place: Klamath Tribes. Fourth place: Tribesman, Rocky Boy, Mont.

MVP: Ray Torres, NW Ballerz. Mr. Hustle: David James, Lummi Nation. Most 3's: Travis VanPelt, NW Ballerz. Mr. Rebounder, Pootie Sholtz, Rocky Boy, Mont.

All-Tourney Team: Jordan Wasco, Tulalip Tribes, Wash. Shane Weiser, Klamath Tribes. Robert Main, NW Ballerz.

Coby Dick, Nespelem. Jordan George, Nespelem. Rodney Turntoes, Rocky Boy. Bobby Red, Red Wolf. Mike Sawgrey, Rocky Boy. Albert Adams, NW Ballerz. Jimmy Jackson, Klamath Tribes.

Other Teams: White Swan (Scabbyrobe). Pyramid Lake (Heath). West Spur (Anderson Black Wolfe). Puyallup Tribes, Lummi Nation

Championship Game: Northwest Ballerz - 74, Nespelem, WA - 70 (one overtime).

Third place game: Klamath Tribes - 78, Tulalip Tribes - 49.

Fourth place game: Rocky Boy - 90, Red Wolf (WSO) - 42.

All Coaches received a souvenir tournament shirt for their commitment to sharing time, knowledge and fundamentals with the youth. Courtesy of RC Construction. Many thanks to the fans who turned out, and supported the ball players of the future, and the pride of Indian Country!

Summer Blast Off tourney May16-19

The Summer Blast Off hoops tourney, for high school boys and girls, comes to Warm Springs on May 16-18. Entry information: \$300 per team for boys (ten team limit); and \$250 per team for girls (six team limit).

Eight-player rosters, first come first serve: first ten boys team paid, and first six girls

teams paid will be entered. Entry deadline is May 12. Money order only, no personal checks.

Money orders payable to "Thanksgiving Youth Basketball Tournament."

Awards: Boys: first, second, third and fourth (leather sleeve jackets for first); Girls: first, second and third (wool jackets for first); All Tourney, MVP,

Sportmanship, Mr. and Mrs. Hustle (both divisions). For information only call Trey Leonard at (541) 325-6468; or email tleonard@wstribes.org.

To enter only, call Monica Leonard at (541) 325-2215 (after 6 p.m.); or email:

tleonard@bendnet.com. Must show proof of school enrollment, no exceptions.



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May 16 is Tribal Information Day at Capitol

Tribal Information Day is Friday, May 16 at the State Capitol in Salem. Activities are from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. The theme this year is "Honoring, preserving, and enhancing our natural and cultural resources."

There will be a morning reception, networking, tribal information tables, a ceremony, lunch buffet, and annual state agency training from 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Please join the Legislative Commission on Indian Services and the nine federally recognized tribes of Oregon, as they host the 2008 Tribal Information Day.

Question? Please contact the Legislative Commission on Indian Services at: Cassandra.webber@state.or.us

Students post outstanding grades at high school

The following students recently made the Madras High School honor roll:

Grade 9 All-Star Honor Roll (3.6-3.99): Daisy Thomas.

Grand 9 Honor Roll (3.0-3.59): Justin Queahpama Mehlberg and JoElla Smith.

Grand 10 4.0 Honor Roll: Kati Dawalt, Spencer Ellsbury, Teresa Fuentes and Katherine Quaid.

Grade 10 All-Star Honor Roll: Elias Gilbert and Marrisaw Yaw.

Grand 10 Honor Roll: Leonard American Horse, Kali

Kaltsukis and Roschena Sargeant.

Grade 11 All-Star Honor Roll: Alejandrina Aguilar.

Grade 11 Honor Roll: Penny Danzuka, Kelsey Haywahe and Maximino Ruiz McKinley.

Grade 12 4.0 Honor Roll: Dawnlynn Courtney, Kip Culpus and Richard William Harrington.

Grade 12 All-Star Honor Roll: Adeline Gleason and Kadie Manion.

Grade 12 Honor Roll: Leann Thomas.

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