

Youth art exhibit this month at the museum

The Sixteenth Annual Tribal Youth Art Exhibit opens this month at the Museum at Warm Springs.

The deadline for youth to submit items to the exhibit is Friday, Jan. 23 at 5 p.m.

All tribal youth artists and

classrooms are invited and encouraged to submit their creations.

In June the museum will host an exhibit with the theme, "The Art of Ceremony: Regalia of Native Oregon."

Youth who create art on this

theme would add to the exhibit, as well as help in recognizing the significance of regalia to the people of Warm Springs.

Possible suggested artwork items would include necklaces, miniature moccasins, drawings or coloring of regalia. All art will

be accepted.

There will be an opening ceremony of the youth art exhibit from 5:30-7:30 p.m. on Thursday, Jan. 29 at the museum. For more information please call Natalie Moody at the museum, 553-3331.

Garbage pickup schedule

The garbage collection schedule for 2009 is as follows:

On Mondays, garbage pickup will be for campus residential, east and west spur, Highway 26 residential and commercial, Westhills, Jackson Trail and the mill.

On Tuesdays, garbage will be picked up at Trailer Court, Shitike Creek, Tenino Apartments, senior area, Elk Loop, Greeley Heights, Deer Loop.

On Wednesdays, garbage will be picked up at Wolfe Point, Sidwalter Flats, KWSO, Simnasho, Schoolie Flats, Tenino Road, Elliott Heights, and HeHe Longhouse.

On Thursdays, garbage

pickup will be Highway 26 commercial, Westhills, Upper and Lower Dry Creek, East and West Spur, Miller Heights and the mill.

On Fridays, garbage will be picked up at the industrial park, Greeley Heights and Sunnyside.

Garbage is picked up daily at the Warm Springs Elementary School cafeteria, the jail, the fire hall, Warm Springs Market, Early Childhood Education, Agency Longhouse, Community Center and the Administration Building.

When there are holidays, all locations will be picked up only once per week.

Timber sale assessments released for public review

The Resource Management Interdisciplinary Team has released draft project assessments covering the Upper Beaver Creek 2010 and Upper Warm Springs 2011 timber sale project assessments for public review.

The Resource Management Interdisciplinary Team (RMIDT) also approved a small project assessment for a Verizon cell tower on Eagle Butte and related antennas on the roof at Kah-Nee-Ta Lodge.

The timber sale documents were prepared by the Project Interdisciplinary Team to provide options for timber harvest in Warm Springs and Beaver Creek watersheds.

Two alternatives were formu-

lated and numerous logging methods were considered for each project, taking into account present resource conditions, forest health and public input. The Upper Beaver Creek 2010 sale is expected to yield approximately 26.8 million board feet of timber and Upper Warm Springs 2011 is expected to yield approximately 37.5 million board feet.

The documents are divided into sections explaining the purpose and need for action, resource-based indicators used to help the technical staff analyze and mitigate environmental impacts, and details of the alternatives. There are maps showing the harvest blocks, quick ref-

erence tables to compare the alternatives, a list of measures needed to mitigate environmental consequences, and the Project Interdisciplinary Team's recommended alternative.

The goal of Alternative A is to continue current management. Activities such as hunting, recreation and cultural food gathering would continue as in the past.

The only harvest proposed under Alternative A would be through conventional salvage operations. Alternative B is designed to harvest volumes approximately the remaining allowable cut for the specific forest planning units. The 2010 sale would include a treatment area

of 2,467 acres and 2011 would have a treatment area of 1,794 acres.

The alternatives would have varying impacts on water, fish, wildlife, cultural, timber, range, soil and economic resources and there would also be some changes to the transportation system.

For more information or copies of the documents contact Matt Jimenez (2010 sale) or Doug Dunlap (2011 sale) in the Forestry Branch, or call 553-2416. Tribal members have 30 days to comment on the proposed sales.

Simnasho community water delivery dates

The following are the 2009 Earth20 water delivery dates for the Simnasho community:

January 10, February 7, March 7, April 4,

May 2, May 30, June 27,

July 25, August 22, September 19, October 17, November 14 and December 12.

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Diabetes class begins Jan. 21

The Diabetes Program has moved the start date for the upcoming class.

The class was set to begin on January 7, but they now plan to begin on January 21.

Anyone with questions may contact the Diabetes Program at 553-1070.

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