

## Estate planning service free this summer

The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs are sponsoring an estate planning and will writing project in the Warm Springs community during the summer of 2011.

The project will be administered by the Institute for Indian Estate Planning & Probate (IEPP) at the Seattle University Law School.

The IEPP hires, trains and

oversees second- and third-year law students who will work on or near Indian communities throughout the Northwest, including Warm Springs.

For a period of 10 weeks, these law students will meet individually with Indian clients, help them organize their trust and non-trust assets and prepare estate planning documents for them, including wills, health care

directives and other documents.

Zac Harris, a student at the University of Oregon Law School, has been assigned to Warm Springs and will begin working in the Warm Springs community the week of May 23.

His legal work will be supervised by Dennis Karnopp, legal counsel for the Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs.

These services will be provided at no cost to Indian clients. A sign-up log is being maintained at the IIM Office at the Warm Springs Agency.

You may leave a phone message for Harris or request additional information by contacting Charles V Jackson, Fiduciary Trust Officer, at 541-325-1020 (cell).

## Health care career fair at clinic this Wednesday

There will be a Health Care Career fair this Wednesday, May 18, at the clinic in Pod A, the Community Health waiting area.

Nurse Elizabeth Johnson is the contact person. There will be a representative from each department of the clinic.

There will also be representatives from Community Health Education Program, Emergency Medical Services (EMS), and Life Flight.

Several universities offering

health programs will be represented. These include Portland State University, the Oregon Health & Science University, and Central Oregon Community College.

There will also be information regarding the Indian Health Services scholarship program.

The fair will be from from 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

If you have questions, please call the clinic at 541-553-1196. You may also email to: Diane.fuller@ihs.gov

## Discussion of tribute project with artist Lin at Celilo Village

Celilo Village will welcome internationally renowned artist Maya Lin on Wednesday, May 25.

Lin will be at Celilo for a community dinner, provided by the village, from 6-8 p.m. at the longhouse.

This will be a chance for guests to join the conversation about the Celilo Falls Confluence Project, Plaza and Interpretive Pavilion.

If you have any questions, please contact Bobby Begay at 541-980-8380. Or

the Confluence Project at 360-693-0123.

The purpose of the interpretive plaza and pavilion is to educate and inspire visitors about the significance and history of Celilo Falls.

The pavilion will function as a structure to hold interpretive text, photographs, oral histories, and other media, where visitors can gather and learn about its history and the contemporary importance of the place.

## Agency approves sea lion removal at dam

(AP) - Oregon and Washington have been given permission to resume removing or killing California sea lions at Bonneville Dam on the Columbia River, a federal agency said last week.

The decision by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration came about six months after a federal appeals court struck down a similar permit aimed at reducing the number of threatened or endangered salmon eaten by the hungry marine mammals.

The 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals stopped the practice last year.

NOAA Fisheries officials said they believe the agency has fixed flaws the court pointed out in the original permit issued three years ago. Under that permit, the two states removed or killed 37 animals.

The California sea lion population is healthy, estimated at

238,000, while wild Columbia River spring chinook salmon are listed as endangered.

The Humane Society of the United States has challenged the removal.

In last week's decision, NOAA Regional Director William Stelle said new data suggest sea lions are eating nearly 13 percent of salmon at the dam in low-return years. That's higher than earlier Corps of Engineers estimates. Stelle said a researcher last year found sea lion injuries on 29 percent of returning salmon.

Stelle also said the Marine Mammal Protection Act allows his agency to balance "the management of and conflict between two species."

In a statement, Stelle said "a thorough analysis shows that a small number of California sea lions preying on salmon and steelhead are having a significant

effect on the ability of fish stocks to recover."

Robin Brown, marine mammal program manager for the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, said his agency is prepared to capture and euthanize California sea lions this week.

Ten of the 37 animals removed by the two states under the earlier permit were transferred to zoos or aquariums but Brown said no NOAA-approved facilities have requested animals this year.

Only 50 California sea lions have been observed at the dam so far this year, the fewest since 2003.

## Can drive for girls team

The Madras High School Girls Basketball Team will have a fundraiser on May 21 and 22.

All proceeds will benefit the girls basketball summer program.

Bring your cans and bottles to the Warm Springs Community Center parking lot from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and help support the girls' hoops.

Check out the Spilyay Web site:

[wsnews.org](http://wsnews.org)

## Births

*Mateja Renae Sutterlee*  
Stefon Sutterlee and Jaylyn Suppah of Warm Springs are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Mateja Renae Sutterlee, born on May 1, 2011.

Grandparents on the father's side are Everette Windyboy and Shereled Thomas.

Grandparents on the mother's side are Margaret Suppah and Lincoln J. Suppah.

*Arelly Celeste Reyes Torres*  
Jose Hilario Reyes and Silvia Torres of Metolius are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Arelly Celeste Reyes Torres, born on April 26, 2011.

*Brooklyn Nicole Lippert*  
Dennis J. Lippert and Meagan B. Hudson of Madras are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Brooklyn Nicole Lippert, born on May 2, 2011.

Brooklyn joins brothers Ethan and Orion.

Grandparents on the father's side are Benji and Tina Lippert of John Day.

Grandparents on the mother's side are Mark and Vicki Cooper of Indiana.

*Pine Jada Santos RedDog*  
Robert Lee Howe and Felisia Helen RedDog of Madras are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Pine Jada Santos RedDog, born on May 1, 2011.

Grandparent on the father's side is Teresa Howe of Warm Springs.

Grandparents on the mother's side are Minnie Wallulatum nad Patrick RedDog.

*Evelyn Sarahi Telles Godines*  
Emmanuel Telles Gonzales and Marla Carmen Godines of Madras are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Evelyn Sarahi Telles Godines, born on May 10, 2011.

Grandparents on the father's side are Juan Telles and Griselda Gonzales of Mexico.

Grandparents on the mother's side are Jose Refugio Godines and Elia Cabrera of Mexico.

## Grads powwow at Simnasho

The Graduates Powwow will be held on Wednesday, May 25 at the Simnasho Longhouse.

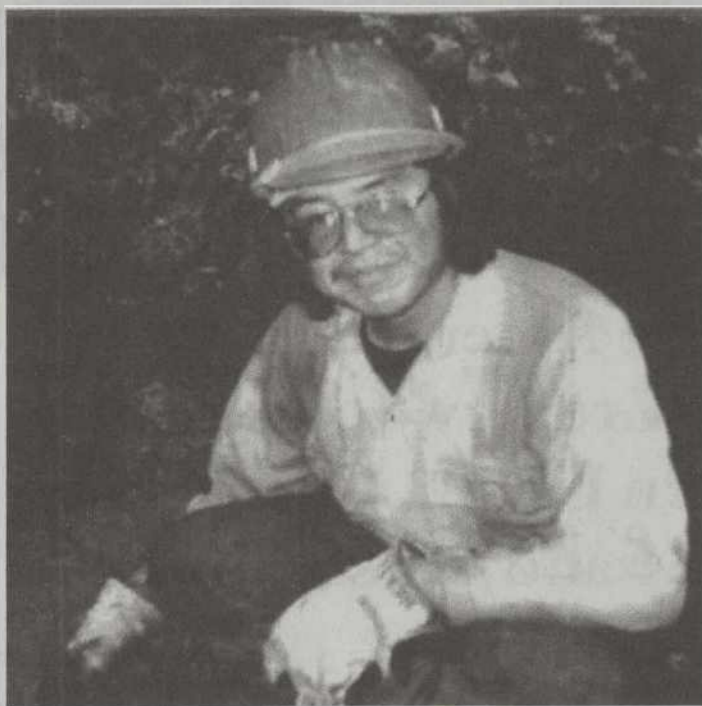
There will be a potluck dinner at 6 p.m. The powwow and games will begin at 7.

This is a community-sponsored event. Donations of gifts for the games are appreciated.

For more information, contact Captain at 541-553-2242; or Evaline Patt, 541-553-3331.

## Memorial Services and Stonesetting

for  
*Laurence Heath La-humm-la*  
"Lunchmeat"



June 24, 2011

10 a.m. Stonesetting

at the mouth of the Warm Springs River

Meal and giveaway to follow at Nola Heath Queahpama's camp On the Pi-Ume-Sha grounds  
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