

Nationals Champions

These young men representing the tribes won the National Indian Athletic Association Basketball Championship in Sacramento on May 4. The competition included 21 teams. Congratulations to the players: Curtis Dixon, Richard Aguilar, Tuffy Kirk, Joe Burton, Steve Watah, Isaiah Pinerio, Isaiah Quintero, and Jared Hall.

Courtesy of Liliann Watah



18th Tygh Ridge Rodeo this weekend

The Eighteenth Annual Tygh Ridge All-Indian Rodeo is this Saturday and Sunday, May 17-18. This is a Scott and Squimphen Family Memorial rodeo. The action begins at 1 p.m. daily. Admission is \$5 (6 and under free). The rodeo grounds are located 21 miles south of The Dalles, eight miles north of the old Tygh Valley rodeo grounds on Highway 197. Special events include junior steer riding, junior barrels, junior breakaway, mutton bustin', wild colt

race, wild horse race, senior team roping, and senior breakaway. For the wild horse race there is \$1,200 added by Kevin, Kelly and Anthony Blueback. Main events: Saddle bronc, bareback, bull riding, ladies barrels, calf roping, ladies breakaway, bull doggin', team roping. Salmon feed following Saturday performance. For more information please contact Mike or Kitty Filbin at 541-467-2415, evenings after 6 p.m. or weekends.

Top finishers at Root Feast Rodeo

The following are results from the recent Root Feast Rodeo:

Open Jackpot Rodeo

Team Roping: first, Larry Switzler/Jesse Reese; second, Larry Switzler/Trevor Hurtado; third, Clint Bruisedhead/Trevor Hurtado.

Ribbon Roping: first, Larry Switzler/Cheyenne Wahnetah; second, Jesse Reese/Joella Smith.

Barrel Racing: first, Riata Green.

Junior Barrel Racing: first, Brinley Holyan.

Cow Riding: first, Benjamin Billey.

Bronc Riding: first, Anthony Blueback.

Junior Wild Colt Race: first, Oli Martinez Team; second, JD Bartlett Team.

Senior Wild Colt Race: first, Thomas Leclair Team; second, Kodi Florendo Team; third, Louis Stewart Team.

Professional Wild Horse Race: first, Casey Heemsah Team (Johnnie Leclair and Clarence Meanus); second, Jason Smith Team (Colton David and Bear Spino); third, Kelly Blueback Team (Jimmy Tohet Jr. and Preston Stevens).



Preparing barrels for racing at Root Feast Rodeo.

Dave McMechan/Spilyay

Kids Rodeo

Calf Riding: first, Alliyah Martinez.

Cow Riding: first, Benjamin Billey.

Breakaway Roping: first, Louis Stewart.

Barrel Racing 6 and Under: first, Brinley Holyan; second, Audriona Gilbert; third, Kiana Allen.

Barrel Racing 7-12: first,

JB Bruisedhead.

Barrel Racing 13-17: first, Biz Scott; second, Riata Green.

Flag Race 6 and Under: first, Kassie Johnson; second, Brinley Holyan; third, Audriona Gilbert.

Flag Race 7-12: first, JB Bruisedhead.

Flag Race 13-17: first, Riata Green; second, Biz

Scott.

Goat Decorating: first, Brinley Holyan; second, Orrin Cortazar; third, Doug Sooper; fourth, Kassie Johnson.

Junior Colt Race: first, Tristan Estrada Team.

Senior Colt Race: first, Thomas Leclair Team; second, Louis Stewart Team; third, Tasi Hisatake Team.

Tourney for MHS hoops

The Madras Midnight Mayhem 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament is this Saturday, May 17. All proceeds from this event go to the Madras High School women's basketball team. Doors open at 4:30 p.m.,

and games start at 6 p.m. Concessions: pizza, drinks, popcorn. Contact Butch David at 541-475-7253 ext. 508 or email: b david@509j.net Or Brett Whipple at: bwhipple@509j.net

Boomer Classic at Kah-Nee-Ta

The Museum at Warm Springs will host the Boom Classic golf tournament, "Golfing for Culture," on Saturday, May 31. Registration is at 9 a.m., shotgun start at 9:30. Gourmet lunch at noon; awards reception at 4:30. Proceeds benefit the Com-

munity Educational Programs of the Museum at Warm Spring. The tournament is in memory of Jim "Boomer" Noteboom.

The museum wishes to thank Kah-Nee-Ta Resort golf pro Joe Rauschenburg for hosting.

Drawing for History Day trip

Family of Thyreicia Simtustus is having 50/50 Drawings to help with expenses for her trip to compete in the National History Day competition in Washington, D.C. in June.

Drawings will be done on May 5 and May 30. If you would like to buy tickets you can contact Joie at 541-460-0021 or Marcia Simtustus at 460-3978.

Youth sports camp in June

The Oregon Football Association All-Sport Camp is coming to Warm Springs on June 17.

The camp sessions, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., will include football, basketball and baseball training.

It's free for up to 300 kids. You can pre-register at: ofamovement.org

The Oregon Football Association (OFA) is a 501(c)3 non-profit organi-

zation dedicated to reconnecting former Oregon football players and giving back to local communities by enhancing the lives of youth through sports training and mentoring, and life skills development.

OFA strives to supply each young individual with the tools to be successful, both on and off the field.

Register for Trading at the River

Registration is open for the Twelfth Annual Trading at the River.

The event is set for May 27-29 at Lewis and Clark College in Portland.

Trading at the River brings together Native-owned businesses, social entrepreneurs and leaders in Native American business and economic development initiatives in a

continued effort to grow indigenous economies and strengthen cultures and communities. To learn more log on to: tradingattheriver.com

Next deadline to submit for publication in the Spilyay is Friday, May 23. Thank you!

Spring season tribal fishery sales

The Columbia River tribes made the following change to the spring fisheries and the Columbia River Compact. This is in regard to the Zone 6 platform and hook and line fishery.

The tribes will allow commercial sales of Zone 6 platform and hook and line caught fish with the following rules. This will apply through July 31, 2014. (Fall season rules beginning August 1 will be set later).

The area is all of Zone 6. Gear: Hoopnets, dip nets, and hook and line.

Allowable sales: Salmon,

steelhead, shad, walleye, carp, catfish, bass, and yellow perch may be sold or kept for subsistence.

Sturgeon between 43-54 inches fork length in The Dalles and John Day pools may be retained only for subsistence use. Sturgeon between 38-54 inches fork length in the Bonneville Pool may also be retained only for subsistence use.

Sanctuaries for these gear types are in effect.

For current information regarding tributary fishing regulations, please contact tribal fisheries departments

directly, 541-553-2001.

If you have any fishing enforcement problems or need assistance or information, day or night, contact the Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fisheries Enforcement Office, 4270 Westcliff Drive, Hood River, Oregon.

Phone: 541-386-6363 or toll-free 800-487-FISH (3474).

Please consult your tribal Fisheries Department for additional details on tribal regulations. Please wear your life jackets for safety, and avoid overloaded boats.

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