

### At the N7 Sport Summit



Lucy Suppah photo

Shoni Schimmel, with her mother Ceci Moses, speaks at N7 Sport Summit.

Native American athletes and other leaders gathered in October at Beaverton, as Nike hosted the 2014 N7 Sport Summit.

Olympic Gold Medalist Billy Mills opened the summit. Champion boxer Mary Spencer (Ojibway) was also on hand.

WNBA basketball star

Shoni Schimmel was there with her family and friends.

Shoni is from Umatilla, and plays for the Atlanta Dream. She is a fan favorite around Warm Springs, where she also has family and friends.

At the recent summit the comedy group 1491s provided some evening entertainment.

The theme of the 2014

N7 Sport Summit was, "Seven Years of N7 Gathering Speed to Move Future Generations."

The N7 Fund is a charitable organization committed to bringing sport, and all of its benefits to Native American communities.

### Housing receives \$500,000 grant

#### 35-unit subdivision work starting

The Warm Springs Housing Authority was awarded a grant recently in the amount of \$500,000.

This comes from the Department of Housing and Urban Development.

The award to Warm Springs was part of a total \$60 million in funding that goes to more than 90 tribal communities.

Warm Springs was one of two Oregon tribes to receive

the funding; Grand Ronde also received a \$500,000 HUD grant award.

The funding is to be used to improve housing conditions, and stimulate community development including construction projects and local jobs for low-income families. In other recent Housing news:

#### New subdivision

The infrastructure work is starting on the 35-unit subdivision at Greeley Heights.

The plan is to have the first six units complete by February.

The infrastructure part of this project is paid for by the Confederated Tribes.

Funding for the housing comes from a state program, the Oregon Housing and Community Services Low Income Housing Tax Credit program.

This is the first time the tribes have used this source of funding.

The subdivision, near Bear Drive and Mt. Jefferson Street, is called the Greeley Heights Subdivision IV; and will include the houses, sidewalks, roadways and street lights.

### Financial Skills for Families starts in November

The Warm Springs Community Action Team is hosting Financial Skills for Families classes in November and December.

The classes will be on Thursday evenings, starting Nov. 6, from 5:30-7:30 p.m.

The topics include understanding the economy, developing a spending plan, working with checking and savings, understanding credit and credit reports, accessing credit 1 and 2.

The Community Action Team encourages tribal members to participate in Individual You can learn more about these classes by calling 541-553-3148.

### Indian Head Casino

Employee of the Month

Aubrey Boynton

Aubrey Boynton is the Indian Head Casino Employee of the Month for September.

This is Aubrey's second time as winner of the Indian Head Employee of the Month award.

She was also the Employee of the Year for 2012.

Aubrey is a Players Club host. She is a very upbeat and friendly.

All of the staff and guests enjoy working with her. Her positive energy leads to great customer service.

She is an awesome team-player with dependability



and great pride in her work. Congratulations Aubrey!

### Births

#### Braylon Forrest Howard

Jeremy Derek Howard and Della Rae Squiemphen are pleased to announce the birth of their son Braylon Forrest Howard, born on September 28, 2014.

Braylon joins sister Kiona, 5.

Grandparents on the father's side are Lisa Senator

and Lyle Howard, of White Swan.

Grandparents on the mother's side are Lawrence Squiemphen Jr., and Leslie J. Squiemphen (Charley), of Warm Springs.

#### Jade Chenae Jim

Nicholas W. Heath and Selina J. Jim of Warm Springs

are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Jade Chenae Jim, born on September 30, 2014.

Grandparent on the father's side is Johnson Heath Sr.

Grandparents on the mother's side are Christina C. Culp of Warm Springs, and Shawn D. Jim of Warm Springs.

### Healthy cooking class Friday

Community Health is hosting a cooking class this Friday, Oct. 17 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The class will be in the Health and Wellness Center kitchen.

You can learn to make a healthy and delicious bulgur and bean salad. The first 40 people to attend get measuring cups or spoon. Call 553-2460 if you have any questions.

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#### Taniyah Dream Spino

Shag Spino and Shaniah Scott of Warm Springs are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter Taniyah Dream Spino, born on October 2, 2014.

Grandparents on the father's side are Ranetta Spino and Troy Walker.

Grandparents on the mother's side are Vanessa Walker-Stwyer and Cory Stwyer Sr., and Raymond Scott.

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Oct. 14 and 28

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