

**UAS Update**

**Fiber optic approaching Kah-Nee-Ta**

The tribes' unmanned aerial systems program is a fast developing enterprise.

Other tribes—the Puyallup, Tulalip, Couer d'Alene and Grand Ronde, for instance—have been in contact with Aurolyn Stwyer, business and marketing manager at Warm Springs Ventures.

Other tribes have a growing interest in the industry, and in the Warm Springs' program in particular, Ms. Stwyer said. The Puyallup have already drafted a tribal policy to guide their use of unmanned systems.

As an FAA-approved UAS test range, the Warm Springs Reservation is also drawing interest from leaders in the industry. Key partnerships



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Warm Springs Construction team installs the line that will bring the fiber optic cable to Kah-Nee-Ta.

could lead to the development of a drone manufacturing plant at the industrial park, where Construction is preparing for a new building.

A key component of the tribes' UAS program will be the Innovation Center, under construction at Kah-Nee-Ta Resort. The UAS Innovation Center will include a 36-seat conference and training room, instruction and simulation rooms, and offices.

This project is funded through state business grant from the Infrastructure Funding Authority.

The Innovation Center will require high-speed Internet; so part of the project is the installation of fiber optic cable from the Telecom building at the industrial park to Kah-Nee-Ta.

Warm Springs Construction is a few weeks away from finishing the cable project.

Kah-Nee-Ta will see the benefit from the Innovation Center itself, plus from the fiber optic line that will bring high-speed Internet to the entire resort.

**Member art show**

The Museum at Warm Springs is gearing up for the Twenty-Third Annual Member Art Exhibit.

The deadline to submit artwork for the 2016-17 show is 5 p.m. this Friday, Sept. 30. Stop by

the museum for the guidelines, contract and application form. Or call 541-553-3331.

The show opening will be on October 20, and the exhibit will be on display through the first part of next year.

**Veterans summit coming to W.S.**

The 2016 Veterans Summit is coming to Warm Springs in November.

There will be resource teams available to assist veterans and family members with paper work, questions and information.

The summit is planned for November 4 all day at the

community center.

Veterans should plan to bring documents such your DD-214, service medical records and personal medical records.

If you have questions contact Mitchell DeVaney at Warm Springs IHS, 541-553-1196.

The Warm Springs VFW is looking for students to apply for its *Voice of Democracy* competition. It is open to students in grades 9-12 who are enrolled in high school. First place is a \$30,000 scholarship and an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. See page 4 for details.

**Warm Springs Community Calendar**

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**Thursday, Sept. 29**

Warm Springs jurors will need to check-in at 9:30 this morning at Warm Springs Tribal Court.

On today's fitness schedule: at noon there is Functional Fitness class in the Community Center social hall, Turbo Kick class in the Aerobics room, and volleyball in the Community Center gym.

There is an Alcoholics Anonymous meeting today at noon at Community Counseling, and a Narcotics Anonymous meeting this evening at 6 at the Shaker Church.

Guiding Butterflies & Mighty Warriors classes meet today from 1 to 3 in the Prevention room at Community Counseling. The class is for adults to participate in cultural-based teachings, crafts and activities.

There is Social Dance class today from 4:30-6 p.m. at the Community Center Aerobics room.

**Friday, Sept. 30**

Fitness Opportunities today include: Senior Fitness class at the Senior Center at 10:45. At noon there is basketball in the Community Center gym, and Functional Fitness class in the Aerobics room. And at the Health & Wellness Center, Pilates Yoga Class is at noon.

The Community Health Program at the Health & Wellness Center has a Behavior Health Clinic today. Walk-in appointments are available between 1 and 5 p.m. Services include screening, assessment, crisis intervention, referrals to mental health, medical, substance treatment, or other community resources. Children, adolescents and adults are welcome.

The Community Counseling Center will have a walk-in group for intakes today at 1:30. It is open to anyone needing to start counseling services.

**Saturday, October 1**

There is an Alcoholics Anonymous meeting this morning at 10 at Community Counseling.

**Sunday, October 2**

The Warm Springs Food Bank is located at the Presbyterian Church. They are open today from 11:30-1:30. All food banks and pantries do take donations of non-perishable food or cash

**Monday, October 3**

Fitness Opportunities today include: Senior Fitness class at the Senior Center at 10:45. At noon there is basketball in the Community Center gym, and Functional Fitness in the Aerobics room. And at the Health & Wellness Center, Pilates-Yoga class is

at noon. And there is Turbo Kick class at 4:15 in the Aerobics room.

A Women's Prayer Group meets Mondays from 12:05 to 12:35 at the Warm Springs Presbyterian Church.

The Community Health Program at the Health & Wellness Center has a Behavior Health Clinic every Monday and Friday, walk-in appointments are available between 1 and 5 p.m. Services include screening, assessment, crisis intervention, referrals to mental health, medical, substance treatment, or other community resources. Children, adolescents and adults are welcome.

The Warm Springs Vocational Rehabilitation program has orientation today at 3 p.m. at their office in the industrial park. If you or someone you know has or may have a disability that is a barrier to employment or employment advancement, they can learn about their options at an orientation or by calling 553-4952.

Victims of Crime Services has a Women's Support Group today at the VOCS office, 1108 Wasco Street, behind the Old Boys' Dorm. It's from 3-5 p.m.

Soaring Butterflies Warrior Spirit Group for high school age youth meets today from 5-6:30 p.m. at the Warm Springs Community Counseling Center's Prevention Room.

There's an Aftercare Relapse Support Group today at 5:30 at Community Counseling. They also have a Walk-in Group for intakes every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 1:30.

**Tuesday, October 4**

The Bend Spay & Neuter Project will offers spay and neuter surgeries in Warm Springs on the first Tuesday of each month. Check-ins will start at 7:30 a.m. on a first come first served basis, with up to 30 appointments available, at the Housing Community Building in Greeley Heights. It is free for Warm Springs residents.

The Mobile Medical Unit will be parked at the Community Center today. Call 541-553-1196 to schedule an appointment.

Today at Community Counseling: There is an Alcoholics Anonymous meeting at noon, Adult Alcohol Education Class is at 1:15, and the Veterans Group meets from 1:30-2:30.

On today's fitness schedule: at noon there is Functional Fitness class in the Community Center social hall, Turbo Kick class in the Aerobics room, and volleyball in the Community Center gym.

The Jefferson County Food Bank is located at 556 SE

Seventh Street. They are open for distribution this afternoon. All food banks and pantries do take donations of non-perishable food or cash.

Central Oregon Community College is offering a Getting Started presentation at 2 p.m. in Room 105 on the Madras campus. This is an opportunity for prospective students, who are seeking a degree or just a few classes, to meet with a COCC admissions representative.

The Warm Springs Vocational Rehabilitation program has orientation today at 3 p.m. at Community Counseling. If you or someone you know has or may have a disability that is a barrier to employment or employment advancement, they can learn about their options at an orientation or by calling 553-4952.

Choir & Song Class in preparation for the community Christmas plays are held every Tuesday from 5-6:30 at the Counseling Center in the Prevention Room downstairs. It is open to people of all ages.

The Warm Springs Numu Cultural and Language evening is tonight from 5:30-7 at the Culture and Heritage Building front office. All are welcome to share, learn and participate in Numu language and culture.

AGLOW weekly Bible study is this evening from 6-7:30 at High Lookee Lodge. It is open to all and a light snack is provided.

**Wednesday, October 5**

Little Miss Warm Springs meetings are held Wednesdays from 6-7:30 at the Community Center. All interested girls and parents are welcome.

The Al-Anon Support Group is today at noon on the third floor at Community Counseling. The group offers strength, hope and support for family members who have a loved one that struggles with problem drinking and or addiction. Also today at Community Counseling: A walk-in group for intakes is at 1:30. This is the first step for anyone wanting to begin counseling services. There is an Alcoholics Anonymous meeting at 7 p.m.

Fitness Opportunities today include: Water aerobics at 10:45 at the Kah-Nee-Ta Village Pool. At 10:45 there is Senior Fitness class at the Senior Center. At noon there is basketball in the Commu-

nity Center gym and Functional Fitness in the Aerobics room. At the Health & Wellness Center, Pilates Yoga Class is at noon, and there is Turbo Kick class at 4:15 in the Aerobics room.

Warm Springs K-8 students are invited to attend the Good News Club. The club begins today, and will be held every Wednesday during the school year. Kindergarten thru third grade attend from 1:40-2:40 p.m. Grades 4 through 8 go from 2:40 to 3:40. Registration forms are available at the school office, Warm Springs Market and Warm Springs Library. For more information contact Gladys Grant at 541-325-2650.

Soaring Butterflies War-

rior Spirit Group meets today from 4-5:30pm at the Warm Springs K-8 Academy.

**Thursday, October 6**

Warm Springs jurors will need to check-in at 9:30 this morning at Warm Springs Tribal Court.

On today's fitness schedule: at noon there is Functional Fitness class in the Community Center social hall, Turbo Kick class in the Aerobics room, and Volleyball in the Community Center gym.

There is an Alcoholics Anonymous meeting today at noon at Community Counseling and a Narcotics Anonymous meeting this evening at 6 at the Shaker Church.

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