

Letters to the editor

Great website

Faces of a Reservation by Cynthia Stowell was published 30 years ago, featuring photographs and profiles of Warm Springs tribal members.

Ms. Stowell has created a website to keep the photographs of *Faces of a Reservation* in circulation. You can find the site at faces-of-a-reservation.com

Be sure to enlarge each picture and see the captions, as well as the background material.

Canoe Journey

Hello,
I would like to touch base with you and give an update on our canoe family, travel and fundraising.

We are leaving on July 19 for travel day to Nez Perce country at the Wallowa Lake, where they give their first Dedication and Awakening of their canoe, July 20.

We are planning to meet up with the Northwest tribes at Muckleshoot to Puyallup, July 28 being the soft landing, and the twenty-ninth being the hard landing, place to be announced.

We had a Columbia River Tribes Skippers' meeting earlier this month, the second one with Portland All Tribes, the first one being in March.

We discussed the tentative schedule, confirming dates with longhouse leaders and soft landing areas. As the plans are confirmed, we will keep you updated.

We extend an invitation to each of you to our upcoming meetings. The N'chi wana Pum monthly meetings are every first and third Wednesday of the month at the Greeley Heights community building, starting at 5:30 p.m. unless otherwise notified.

The next upcoming Columbia River Skippers' meeting has been scheduled for May 6, with Cowlitz hosting at 7700 NE 26th Avenue, Vancouver, Washington. Time to be announced.

The tentative schedule as follows:

July 19: Travel Day for N'chi Wana Pum Canoe. Set up camp at Wallowa Lake.

July 20: Nez Perce Canoe Dedication and Awakening. Pull from Wallowa Lake.

21: Travel day to Celilo, and set up camp.

22: Pull from Rock Creek to Celilo (inviting Rock Creek canoes).

23: Pull from Celilo to Horse Thief, soft landing

for lunch, continue. Pull to Hood River.

24: Pull from Hood River to Cascade Locks

25: Pull from Cascade Locks to Camas.

26: Pull from Camas to Fort Vancouver.

27: Travel Day to Muckleshoot, pull from Muckleshoot to Puyallup.

Final landing.

We will be following up with the longhouse leaders at Rock Creek and Celilo, and with the Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission and Inter-Tribal Enforcement.

Becky Picard.

For students

I wanted to extend a big thank you to our community. I am serving as the 2018 chaperone for the students selected to travel in June to Tomi City, Japan.

The students were chosen via an application process with the Madras Sister City Program. The students had to raise \$2,500 each for their trip to Japan. That is \$10,000 total! Not a problem when you have so much support.

Thank you for supporting them with your participation in their can drive and prize raffle.

We would also like to thank Indian Head Casino, Warm Springs Power and Energy Enterprise, Johnson O'Malley Scholarship Committee, the City of Madras, Rotary and Kiwanis for the generous donations.

These students are going to have an amazing experience, that they will remember for the rest of their life. Thank you for showing them how great it is to be part of a supportive community!

Thanks.

Jamie Hurd

Golf at KNT

The Relay for Life—Jefferson County 4-person golf scramble tournament is coming up on Saturday, May 19 at the Kah-Nee-Ta Resort & Spa Golf Course.

There will be a chance to win golf for four, rounds of golf, equipment and gear, and gift cards. There is a entry fee of \$240, or \$60 for individuals. This include green fees, cart, breakfast sandwich and coffee, lunch and a gift bag.

Special events: \$20 for KPs, long putt and long drive. \$5 mulligans (five maximum), and \$10 four-foot putting string (two per team).

For sponsors: \$100 hole sponsor includes signage at

the hole. \$200 hole sponsor includes banner and signage at hole.

For information contact **Janell Smith**, c/o Warm Springs Casino Enterprises, PO Box 890, Warm Springs, OR 97761. Or call 541-325-1472. Lodging rate the lodge is \$89 with golf tournament reference.

Proceeds benefit the Relay for Life—American Cancer Society.

Help wanted

Seeking an experienced caregiver for elderly woman with dementia. Start immediately. \$22 per hour, three hours per day, flexible schedule. Saturday, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

Please send an email to:

crystallmartins752@gmail.com

Free car seat

A free car seat checkup is this Wednesday, April 25 until 2 p.m. in the parking lot by the Early Childhood Education Center.

People who qualify can also receive a free car seat. Child need not be present to receive the seat.

Election ballots

Several positions in Jefferson County are coming up for election on May 15. The Jefferson County Sheriff, the county clerk, and two county commission positions will be determined in this election. This will be a primary election.

Honor Seniors

The Twenty-Eighth Annual Honor Senior Day in Warm Springs is on May 11 at the Community Center.

The committee is seeking donations of door prizes and gifts for seniors. All donations are greatly appreciated.

The theme for this year's festivities is *Luanu Party!*

For additional information stop by the Senior Wellness Program or call 541-553-3313.

Team raffle

The Warm Springs 2018 Hood to Coast Washington team is holding a 50/50 raffle fundraiser, drawing coming

up on May 18. Tickets are \$5. For a ticket see Saphronia Coochise, Victoria Katchia, Melissa Benson, Susan Jim, Bucky Cochran or Valerie Squiemphen.

The Summer Slam Powwow Jam is coming up on Wednesday, May 9 at the Warm Springs Academy, starting at 6 p.m. Dinner will be at 5.

Great cause at Black Bear Diner

Over the past years, the Jefferson County Relay for Life Teams and the Madras Black Bear Diner have partnered to help fight the fight against cancer.

Black Bear Madras owner Joe Davis will have the Relay Teams assisting in bussing tables and collecting tips on the evenings of May 11 and 18.

So please bring your family and friends out to the Black Bear Diner on May 11 and 25.

The American Cancer Society and Relay for Life is committed to saving lives from cancer. Your donations help us fight all types of cancer, for all types of people, in all types of communities around the globe.

Movie night

It is Family Movie Night this Wednesday evening, April 25, at the gymnasium of the former Warm Springs elementary school.

The show starts at 5:30 p.m., bring something to sit on. The movie this evening is *Dream Keeper*. This is a drug, alcohol and tobacco free event.

Spring sale

Warm Springs Recreation is getting ready for the Spring Yard Sale, coming up on Saturday, May 12, in the front courtyard of the Community Center.

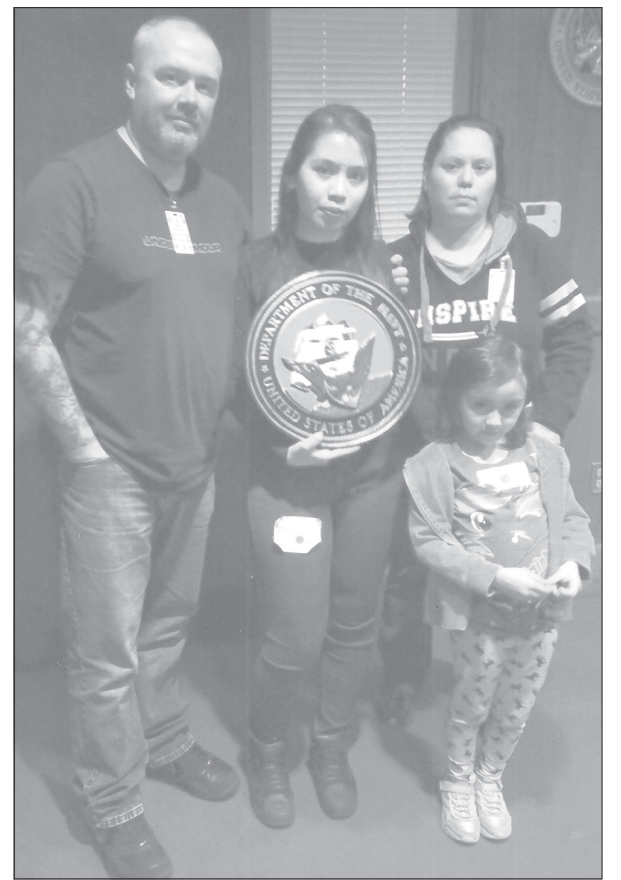
Recreation is taking reservations for vendor tables. You can reach them at 541-553-3243.

Committees

The **Timber Committee** meets at 9 a.m. this Thursday, April 26 at the Forestry Building.

The **Johnson O'Malley Committee** will hold regular meeting at 5:30 p.m. on Wednesday, May 2. The committee meets in the Education building.

Naval Cadet



Courtesy Priscilla Frank

Aaron, Brittany, Priscilla and Bridgette.

Brittany Ann Whittenburg was sworn into the Navy. She left for Great Lakes, Illinois on April 18, 2018.

Brittany is the daughter of Aaron and Priscilla Whittenburg, and granddaughter of Pedro and Carol Parra.

Seventy-five years ago Brittany's great grandfather Delbert Frank Sr. went into the Navy during World War II.

Brittany graduated from Coquille in 2017.

Priscilla Frank

Newspapers

Ellen Gilbert and I now live in the same nursing home in Eugene, and all who live here have the Eugene Register Guard newspaper read to us.

Ellen and I like it, because it helps us be aware of what we should know. We both know a newspaper in all cities can be very helpful.

Evette Patt, 1075 Irvington Dr., Eugene, 97404.

Apology

Dear owner of the Macy's, Terry,

I'm terribly sorry for what happened that night. Please

do not permanently ban me from your store. Instead of going someplace else, I would rather just go into your store, which I've missed, including the deli food. I also go there because your prices are good, and I know the staff well. They are very nice and helpful, another reason why I like your store. Once more I am very sorry.

Allen Warner Jr

The Warm Springs Police Department has an Anonymous Crime Tip Line, 541-553-2202. Call if you have information about criminal activity and wish to report without identifying yourself.

SOUND THE ALARM

Save a Life

American Red Cross

The Warm Springs Red Cross will be taking sign-ups at this year's Honor Seniors Day, May 11 at the Community Center.

Students post great attendance at Academy

The Warm Springs Academy would like to congratulate these students for the third-quarter Perfect and Outstanding attendance:

Fifth grade

Perfect Attendance: Serenity Bisland, Kurtis Boise Jr. and Erik Williams.

Outstanding Attendance: Aiden Brunoe, Kaylyani Estimo, Benita Merrifield, Trevor Montgomery, Darreck Palmer Jr.,

Kadance Pettibone, Louis Rios, Noelani Sapuay, Chamille Smith, Stephon Smith, Teshawn Sorrellhorse, Darius Squiemphen and Julia Wolfe.

Sixth grade

Outstanding attendance: Angeles Antunez, Tommy Ball Jr., Doralyn Charley, Kahmussa Green, Terianna Heath, Aurelius Jones, Kody Miller, Rashawna Polk Tewee,

Kiutus Sapuay, Skytus Smith, Chavondria Thompson, Clinton Tohet, Felix Wallulatum and Tristan Wewa.

Seventh grade

Perfect attendance: Moneikah Jackson Palmer.

Outstanding attendance: Taylor Arthur, Sebastian Bisland, Inez Bradley, Gunner Herkshan Jr., Gigi Hintsala David, Krystah Jack Melvin, Ronald

Kalama, Keanu Miller, Waurica Miller, Marcus Muldrow Jr., Dean Muldrow, George Picard and Jasper Switzler Jr.

Eighth grade

Perfect attendance: Shirley Wainanwit.

Outstanding attendance: Roman Bagley Rios, Jyden Beck, Thaisa Dixon, Shantelle Henry, Nathaniel Jensen and Marilyn Tom.

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