Letters to the editor

Stickgames

We would like to congratulate our winners in the 3-man tournament on Saturday of Pi-Ume-Sha: Mona Starr, Alice Sampson, Cleda Peterson, Vance Boise and Paula Sanders.

We would also like to thank our winners in the BoneHog on that Sunday: Lois Knight and Martha Winishut; Forest and Barbara Lower; Tyrone and Betty Pierre; and Paula Sanders and Barbara Starr.

Thank you to all who participated. We hope you all had fun playing in our little tournaments. We would also like to thank the following enterprises and people for their donations to this year's Pi-Ume-Sha Stickgame prize money and raffle:

The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs, Indian Head Casino, Composite Products, Kah-Nee-Ta Resort, Warm Springs Market, DMJ, Violet Heath, Lynn Knight, Guy Wallulatum, Aldene Pevo, Moss and Sybil Smartlowit and Rueben

We would also like to thank Cecelia R. Andy, Katie Wallulatum and Violetta Vaeth for helping to prepare the meals we provided for our guests. We couldn't have done it without all of your help. Thank you again.

Palyauwisha Tananma (Stickgame People), Alice Sampson and Vanessa Crane.

Birth

Caylie Joy Adams and Lanie Faith Adams

Caleb Carrillo and Melanie Adams of Madras are pleased to announce their daughters Caylie Joy and Lanie Faith, born on July 4,

Caylie and Lanie join brother Niklaus Adams, 1; and sister Chloe Carrillo, 8.

Grandparents on the father's side are Donna and Pedro Carrillo.

Grandparents on the mother's side are Tray Adams, and atwai Shielyn Calica.

Tribal Council

These are some of the items on the Tribal Council agenda for the rest of July (subject to change at Council discretion): Monday, July 23

9 a.m.: Secretary-Treasurer and Chief Operations Officer updates with Michele Stacona and Alyssa Macy.

10: August agenda/review

11: Draft resolutions.

1:30 p.m.: Legislative update calls.

2:30: Enrollments with Lucille Suppach-Samson of Vital Statistics.

3:30: June 2018 financial update with Alfred Estimo and Dennis Johnson.

4: Carbon matter with tribal attorney.

Tuesday, July 24

9 a.m.: Indian Health Service update with Carol Prevost.

10: Children's Protective Service update with Cecelia

11: Oregon Department of Transportation update.

1:30 p.m.: Tribal member concern. 2:30: Telecom update with

Adam Haas.

Thursday-Friday, July 26-27: Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission meeting.

Monday, July 30: BNSF railway, meeting with Quanah Spencer.

Some additional items for consideration: Idaho National Guard visit. Joint Health Commission update. Red Cross update. 1980 baseline/ adoption. Elder Council.

Tananwit

Plateau buckskin dress making, and beaded cape classes are a feature this month and in August at the Museum at Warm Springs.

Tananwit These Supskiwat Native American Culture Classes will be at the museum from 5:30-6:30 p.m. on July 24, 31, August 21, and then on October 2.

These classes will be for six teams of family members. Registration is now open at the museum Education room. For information call Tamera at 5413-553-3331 ext. 407.

Elders Picnic

You are invited to the Warm Springs Elders Picnic, this Thursday, July 19.

The picnic, hosted by the Senior Program, Community Health and Health and Human Services, will be at the pavilion behind the Community Center at noon.

After hours

The Jefferson County Business After Hours this week will be hosted by Indian Head Casino.

They will meet at the casino this Thursday, July 19 from 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Patriot Nations

The Museum at Warm Springs is featuring the traveling Veterans Banner Exhibit, on display through September.

Patriot Nations—Native Americans in Our Armed Forces is visiting Warm Springs from the National Museum of the American Indian.

Summer meals

The Summer Food Service meal program provides nutritious summer meals to all children 18 and under at no cost. In Warm Springs, meals are provided at the Youth Center at 8:45 and at noon.

School BBQ

Mid summer is is not too soon to plan for the Warm Springs Back to School Barbecue.

This summer the barbecue will be at the end of August at the Academy. Health and Human Services is hosting. Donations are always welcome.

Ancestry of William 'Billy Chinook' Parker

In his time William 'Billy Chinook' Parker, born in 1823, traveled from the Northwest to California and the East Coast.

Originally from the mid Columbia River region, Mr. Parker spent his later years on the Warm Springs Reservation, farming and raising his family.

Today, he has many descendants: Some of them are here in Warm Springs; others hail from New Jersey, Texas, among many locales.

How many people—all of these generations later can trace their ancestry to Billy Chinook?

We will have a general idea of this great diversity of ancestry in August, when

Richard Macy hosts the family gathering, welcoming all who trace their heritage to Billy Chinook and wife Annie Holliquilla Parker.

The gathering will be at the Community Center social hall, all day on Saturday and Sunday, August 18-19.

In memory

In Memory of Norman A. Nathan ~ Six years in Heaven ~ August 8, 1937-July 18, 2012

The moment that you left me, my heart was split in two. One side filled with memo-

ries, the other died with you.

I often lay away at night when the world is fast asleep,

Then take a walk down memory lane with tears upon my cheek.

Remembering you is easy, I do it every day, But missing you is a heart-

ache that never goes away.

I hope you tightly within my heart and there you will re-

You see Norm, life has gone on without you

But will never be the same. Forever Loving You,

Renee Hogan Krstovich

Specials, softball



Further results from 2018 Pi-Ume-Sha Powwow:

Women's Jingle Dance Special, sponsored by Charise Heath family:

First, Desba White. LittleLeaf. Third, Katrina Blackwolf.

Girls' dance contest, 12 and under, sponsored by Priscilla Thomas family:

First, Junee Picard. Second, Kaytlyn Tanewasha. Third, Vivian Wesley.

Consolation: Kiihanna Allen and Kaydence Blackwolf.

Pi-Ume-Sha Fun Soft-

Co-Ed Champions: Savages. Captain, Darryl Smith.

First runner-up: Mayhem, captain Stephanie Scott-Wachter.

Second runner-up: Verdes, captain Maurice

All Tourneys: Ardis Smith, Savages. Chad Thurby, Savages. Denise Sommers, Mayhem. Jason Thomas, Mayhem. Missy Scott, Verdes. Bobbyjo Ashue, Verdes.

Leah Suppah, That-1-Team. Donnie Winishut: That-1-Team.

Home Run Derby Champion: Anthony Rivera, Mayhem.

Naimuma

Warm Springs Culture and Heritage is planning for this summer's Camp Naimuma, July 20-24 at the HeHe camp grounds.

The camp is open to the first 50 boys and 50 girls to sign up. The deadline to register is this Wednesday, July

You can contact Culture and Heritage at 541-553-

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Summaries of Tribal Council

1. Roll call: Chief Delvis Heath, Chief Alfred Smith Jr., Vice Chairman Charles Calica, Raymond Tsumpti, Ronald Suppah, Valerie Switzler, Lee Tom, and Brigette McConville. Minnie Yahtin, Recorder.

2. Motion by Raymond to suspend today's agenda in honor an elder who passed away. Second by Brigette. Question: 6/0/0, Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

3. Request for Support ·Motion made by Brigette to offer \$500 for give-away items for the former Chief Operations Officer's funeral. Second by Lee. Question: 7/ 0/0, Chairman not voting.

4. With no further discussion the meeting adjourned at 9:36 a.m.

June 19

Motion carried.

1. Roll call: Vice Chairman Charles Calica, Raymond Tsumpti, Carina Miller and Valerie Switzler. Minnie Yahtin, Recorder.

2. The meeting is informal due to lack of a quorum.

3. Water/wastewater update.

4. With no further discussion the meeting adjourned at 11:36 a.m.

July 2

1. Roll call: Chief Delvis Heath, Chief Joseph Moses, Chief Alfred Smith Jr., Chairman Eugene Greene Jr., Vice Chairman Charles Calica, Valerie Switzler, Carina Miller, Lee Tom, and Brigette McConville. Minnie Yahtin, Recorder.

- 2. Bureau of Indian Affairs update.
- 3. Office of Special Trustee update.
- 4. Land Buyback Update.
- **5.** Brigette gave a report on the Cultural Task Force meeting.
- **6.** Cannabis/Dr. Spirtos visit. 7. Federal Legislative up-
- 8. State Legislative up-
- 9. Tribal Attorney update by Karnopp-Petersen. •Executive Session 2:20-

3:25PM.

10. With no further discussion the meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

July 9

1. Roll call: Chief Alfred Smith, Jr., Vice Chairman Charles Calica, Raymond Tsumpti, Carina Miller, Lee Tom, and Brigette McConville. Minnie Yahtin,

Recorder. 2. Casino/Truck Stop update.

3. Gaming Compact agreement.

· Motion by Brigette adopting Resolution No. 12,503 authorizing the Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary-Treasurer, Tribal Attorney, and Indian Head Casino management to meet with the State of Oregon to negotiate an amendment to the Compact regarding the definition of "VLT" in order to permit "Electronic Table Games" at the Highway 26 gaming facility; Second by Carina; Question; 4/

Motion carried. **4.** Fee to Trust/Travel

1/0, Chairman not voting;

· Motion by Brigette adopting Resolution No. 12,504 authorizing the Chairman or designee to prepare and submit to the Secretary of Interior any and all additional information and documentation required by federal law and regulations to support and complete the tribe's application to take the Madras Rail Spur property into trust status for benefit of the Tribe. Second by Carina. Question: 5/0/0. Chairman not voting. Motion carried.

5. Concerns:

·Tires are being dumped at stations and into the

·Telecom equipment seen in Madras which may be illegally used.

6. Grazing Ordinance

update. 7. IRMP III document discussed.

8. 2019 Budget discussed.

9. With no further discussion the meeting adjourned at 5:15 p.m.