

Back to school at Academy next week

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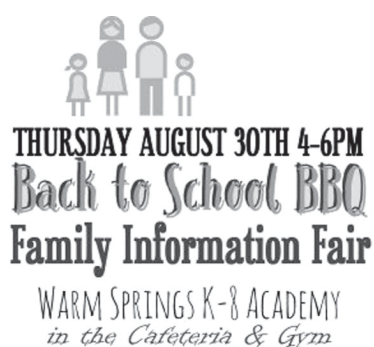
It's almost back to school time at the Warm Springs Academy and here's some information families should check out.

Kindergarten families should have received letters for conferences with teachers, coming up this Friday, August 17 and Monday August 20.

If you haven't received a letter, your child might not be registered for school.

The office opens this Wednesday August 15. You can reach them at 541-553-1128. If needed, you can come in to register and pick up your kindergarten conference letter.

If you are wondering about the long school supply list (below), know that many supplies will be provided to Warm Springs Acad-



emy classrooms again this year.

Families may want to wait to do back to school supply shopping until after the first week of school, to find out what items are still needed from your teacher or teachers.

If you do shop, you can't go wrong with a backpack, pencils, pens and paper. And remember—It's great to have some supplies at home as well as in the classroom.

First- through eighth-grade students start back at the Warm Springs Academy on Monday August, 20. It's a late start Monday so school starts at 9:45 a.m. Rise & Shine kids can come at 8 a.m.

Kindergarten students start at the Warm Springs Academy on Tuesday, August 21.

On regular school days kids should arrive at school by 8:05 a.m., pick up breakfast and go to classrooms for an 8:15 a.m. start time. Breakfast closes at 8:25.

Summer Youth Worker Profiles



Name: Kane Jackson-Palmer
Age: 16 years old
Summer youth worker for Native
Aspirations/WIOA: Utilities/carpentry

This year Kane is working for the Utilities dept. now he and his crew are working at the ECE putting in new flooring. He is learning to use tools, and team work. After high-school he plans on going to school for welding.

Text & photos by Gerald Tufti



Name: Gabriel Rubio
Age: 16 years old
Summer youth worker for Native
Aspirations/WIOA: Utilities/carpentry

This year Gabriel is working for Utilities and last year he worked for Utilities. This here he learned how to use a measuring tape better, and a tool for angling. In high-school Gabriel plans on taking a course dealing with construction. Also, he plans on playing football and wrestling. After high he plans on moving away from the Rez.

by Gerald Tufti

School supplies list as students get ready for classes

The first days of school will be later this month at the Warm Springs Academy, and September 4 and 5 for other students.

· There is a **Kindergarten University** session this Thursday, August 16 at 4:45. This is for families to learn more about their kindergarten student's transition to the Warm Springs Academy. Another session will be on August 30.

· Classes at the **Warm Springs Academy** are back in session Monday August 20-24.

The week of August 27 will be teacher in-service training district wide, and there is no school for students.

· The Warm Springs **Back to School barbecue** is Thursday, August 30 from 4-6 p.m. at the Academy.

· Labor Day is Monday, September 3, then it's back to school for most students on Tuesday, September 4. Seventh and eighth grades at the middle school, and upper classmen at Madras High School start back on Wednesday, September 5.

Regarding the following school supply list, note:

Some classes may require additional materials. Students will be notified the first week of school by their teacher.

Some school supplies will need to be replenished by students throughout the school year.

Athletics shoes are necessary for Physical Education at all schools.

All kindergarten, first and sec-

ond grade supplies will be shared. Do not label supplies with a name. Otherwise here is the list:

Kindergarten

- 4 black Expo dry erase markers
- 1-24 pack Crayola crayons (not chubby)
- 12 Ticonderoga pencils, size #2
- One 12 pack box colored pencils
- One 10 pack box washable markers
- 6 glue sticks – (3 large and 3 small)
- 2 large boxes of tissue
- 2 pink pearl erasers
- 4 packages of baby-wipes (80-150 count)
- 1 student composition book
- 1 green two pocket folder

First through fifth grades

- 2 black Expo dry erase markers
- 1-24 pack Crayola small crayons
- 20 Ticonderoga pencils, size #2
- 1-12 pack box colored pencils
- 1-10 pack box washable markers
- 2 pink pearl eraser
- 1 pair of metal scissors (first grade round)
- 4 glue sticks – small, solid
- 1-4oz bottle of glue
- 2 boxes of tissue
- 2 student composition book
- 2 spiral notebooks
- 3 pocket folders (1 red, 1 blue, 1 green)

- 1 package of loose leaf paper (2-wide ruled, grades 3-5 college ruled)
- 1 pencil pouch grades 3-5
- 1-3" binder grades 3-5
- 1 divider pack (red, blue, green) grades 3-5
- 1 package highlighters
- 1- 12 inch ruler with centimeters

Sixth through eighth grades

- One 3-inch binder with pencil pouch
- 1 set of 8 subject dividers, no pockets
- 2-3 packages of college-ruled loose-leaf paper
- 1 set markers (not permanent)
- 1 each highlighter (yellow, blue, pink and green)
- 12 black ink pens
- 1 set of colored pencils
- 24 pencils (#2) and a pencil sharpener
- 1 12-inch ruler (inches and centimeters)
- 1 calculator TI-30XII (optional)
- 1 pkg of 50 note cards; 3"x 5" with lines
- 2 glue sticks

- 1-2 college-ruled spiral-bound notebooks (optional)
- 1 or 2 composition books (optional)

Ninth through twelfth grades

- One 8-GB USB "zip" or "flash" drive (recommended)
 - 1 calculator TI-30XIIS preferred for Algebra I & II & Geometry Graphing Calculator TI-83 or TI-84 r required for Trigonometry or Calculus
- No permanent markers needed for any grades.**

For more information: Warm Springs Academy, call 541-553-1128.

Madras Elementary, 541-475-3520. Buff Elementary, 541-475-2457.

Metolius Elementary, 541-546-3104.

Jefferson County Middle School, 541-475-7253.

Madras High School, 541-475-7265.

Bridges High School, 541-475-4820.

The Warm Springs Outdoor Market is open this Friday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in front of the Re-Use It Thrift Store, featuring fresh produce, value-added foods, Native art and more. The market on Saturday will be set up on campus by Kalama's Fry Bread.

Schools, community liaison with OHSU

The Oregon Health Sciences University Office of Science Education Opportunities team is seeking an *On Track* Warm Springs Community Liaison.

The liaison will be based here in Warm Springs, and will be responsible for creating a direct connection between OHSU and the local community.

The person will work with Warm Springs middle and high school students, as well as recent high school graduates and post-secondary students.

This work will help OHSU *On Track!* better reach its goal to increase student interest in, awareness of, and preparation for health and science degrees and careers.

The community liaison will also create new connections with families and Warm Springs resources and events, to better engage families and the community in the *On Track!* program.

The liaison will be responsible for helping to adapt program materials and lessons with a culturally responsive lens to best fit the needs of the students from the Warm Springs community.

Here are requirements for the job:

- Four years of general office or secretarial experience; Or an Associate's degree or certificate in office occupations or office technology and two years of general office or secretarial experience; Or a Bachelor's degree and two years of general office or secretarial experience; Or an equivalent combination of training and experience.

· Minimum two years' experience working with tribal communities.

· Demonstrated experience creating culturally responsive activities and events.

· Demonstrated experience working with Native American educational resources.

· Skills and ability to mentor and advise students in high school or college.

· Demonstrated knowledge, skills and ability with planning events.

· Comfortable collaborating and communicating with multiple community and OHSU partners including families, tribal, school district, and professional entities.

· Knowledge of college and scholarship application requirements and strategies. You can learn more by contacting:

ontrack@ohsu.edu

OHSU is an equal opportunity, affirmative action institution. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment and will not be discriminated against on the basis of disability or protected veteran status.

Applicants with disabilities can request reasonable accommodation by contacting the Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity Department at 503-494-5148.