Plan for second annual fire fighter memorial

The Confederated Tribes Fire Fighter Memorial has been set for October. This year's event will be at the Agency Longhouse, as long as the facility is available. The memorial will be on October 5.

This year the group will be recognizing the original Inter-Agency Hotshot Crew, or the Warm Springs Forest Crew, which they were known as in the early 1980s.

All families are welcome to participate in honor of a loved one on this day. Whether your loved one was on the crew in the past or not, this is a recognition day for all past fire fighters from here or other

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Last year we had approximately 250 community and family members from Warm Springs and other agencies.

We will be having fundraisers up until October 5; so come out and support the cause. Donations are also accepted. Our goal is to raise \$8,000 this year.

We will keep the community informed as the date approaches. If you have any questions, feel free to contact me at 541-553-3136.

Thank you, **Luther Clements.**

Community notes...

The **Lil' Miss Warm Springs** Pageant is tentatively scheduled for Wednesday evening, May 1.

The Thirtieth Annual **Honor Senior Day** is coming up on Friday, May 10 at the Agency

Longhouse

Everyone is welcome to attend. If you want to be on theme, wear your boots, chaps and cowboy hats.

For information, or if you would like to help out, contact the Senior Program, 541-553-3313.

Tribal stewards program hiring

The Northwest Youth Corps is seeking tribal stewards and crew members to work this summer. The locations will be in Warm Springs, Burns-Paiute, and Eugene. Members will receive \$2,480 prorated through the term of service. The dates are June 20 to August 23.

You can find the registration material at nwyouthcrops.org/joinNYC

If you have questions please contact Jess Pinnell, program coordinator, at jessp@nwyouthcorps.org

Or Angela Noah, tribal stewards inclusion coordinator: angelan@nwyouthcorps.org.

Or Rebecca Cashero, young adult recruitment coordinator: rebeccac@nwyouthcorps.org

Established in 1984 the Northwest Youth Corps is a non-profit organization providing unique work training experiences that empower youth and young adults to become successful, resilient members of the community.

To achieve this goal Northwest Youth Corps provides a variety of outdoors, conservation-specific program throughout the Northwest. The emphasis is on leadership, grown and personal success.

Northwest Youth Corps partners with agencies such as the Forest Service, National Parks and Bureau of Land Management.

The tribal stewards program was created to offer professional development and training to young adults ages 19 to 24, who are not currently in school or working.



Education camp

The Native Youth Exploring Higher Education summer camp at Washington State University is taking applications now through June 15. The free camp is July 15-19, and is open to students who will enter grades 9-10 in the fall

It's for students to learn about college opportunities and education. Information and registration is available online at:

native@wsu.edu/nyehe. It's under the 'prospective students' tab.





