

THE EYES OF THE CHILD DO NOT SEE ME

i look into the eyes of the eyes of the child
the eyes of the child do not see me
the eyes of the child look somewhere else

i look down at the sand
the child has a stick in his hand
the child makes pictures in the sand

what do the pictures mean?
what do the eyes of the child see?

i speak to the child
i ask him what he draws in the sand
the child looks at me and says nothing

the child arises and runs into the forest
i sit still looking a long time at his pictures
something in the sand is speaking to me.

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TITLE IVA MEETING SCHEDULED

The next meeting of the Title IV A Indian Education Parent Committee will be held November 20th, 6:00 P.M. at the Grand Ronde Grade School. All interested parties are invited to attend. A report on the Spokane Conference will also be given.

CRAFT CLASSES PROGRESS

The Indian Education craft classes are being held Wednesday afternoons and Thursday evenings. The younger children are making apple dolls while the older students are involved with peyote stitch projects. For further information contact Michaelle Lambert 879-5253.

TENTATIVE DATE SET

The annual Title IV A cultural awareness event has been tentatively set for March 29th. The schools are sponsoring a cultural awareness week prior to the POW - WOW. There is a lot of work to be done and volunteers are welcome. Please let us know if you can help out, call us at the Tribal Office - 879-5253.

