

COMMUNITY ORGANIZER COMMENTS CON'T

More exposure for the Grand Ronde Tribes occurred at the local level on the night of January 25, 1982, when the slide presentation was shown to members of the Eastern Star in McMinnville, Oregon. The presentation was viewed by approximately 25 members of the Eastern Star organization (all were in their formal attire). Many comments were made in favor of the Restoration of The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde. Refreshments of cheesecake, coffee and tea served afterwards and Jackie Colton and I were invited to stay and share this with them.

As you can see, it's been a busy month for me since changing from Enrollment Clerk to Community Organizer and I've enjoyed every minute!!! My plans in this new position are many and I find it both exciting and challenging, to say the least. In the days to come, as I travel around Oregon, I'll be meeting with many of you for the first time and renewing old friendships with others - - - and together, as one Nation, on Voice - United, we can work towards reaching our goal of RESTORATION!

Kathryn Harrison
Community Organizer

"WINDWALKER" SUPPORT NEEDED

Jerome Bushyhead, Cheyenne & Arapaho Tribes, has his own TV and radio shows devoted to Indian culture, heritage, arts and crafts. He has written to our tribe concerning the film merits of "Windwalker" being completely overlooked by the Academy during the awards last year.

Indian people who have seen the film cannot help but recognize the authenticity in portraying the strong family ties that are true of Indian families, ties that cannot be broken.

Mr. Bushyhead is asking us to write to the Motion Picture Academy, requesting them to award "Windwalker" a special Oscar as "the most authentic Indian film ever produced".

The address is as follows:

THE ACADEMY OF MOTION PICTURE ARTS & SCIENCES
8949 WILSHIRE BLVD.
BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA 90211

The current President of the Academy is Fay Kanin. The First Vice President is Marvin Mirisch.

Mr. Bushyhead asks that we please write to the officers of the Academy immediately, as he is doing, so that they will not forget "Windwalker" again this year.

