

## EDUCATION UPDATE

Concluding the month of February 1987, the Education Program assisted a total of 34 students. We currently have 10 students in Higher Education Programs; 10 students in Employment Assistance - AVT Programs and 10 students participating in Adult Education classes. Additionally, during the months of January and February, the program provided information and application packets to 24 inquiries regarding educational services for all three areas. Financial Aid workshops were provided during Jan. 9th and Jan. 30th. The Jan. 9th activities were held at the Tribe's Depot Office and drew 8 participants. The Jan. 30th workshop was held at Chemeketa Community College and several of our enrolled students participated in the Financial Aid application session, met with recruiters and counselors from the University of Oregon, Western Oregon State University, Oregon State University, Chemeketa and Oregon Health Services Center. Look for more workshops to be scheduled in the near future.

### REMINDER:

To all new and returning students, remember if you plan on attending school next Fall Term 1987, you should be filing your FINANCIAL AID FORM (FAF) for 1987-88 right now! All tribal grants for both Higher Education and Adult Vocational Training are based on the Financial Aid Form application, which establishes your financial need. Without this analysis, no grants can be provided. You can pick up financial aid applications at the following places:

- college or university you'll be attending
- at your counseling center (high school seniors)
- Tribal Office (call 879-5253)

Please file your applications as soon as possible, this will make you eligible for Pell, SEOG, State Need Grants, College Work Study, and NDSL & GSL loans.

### QUESTIONS

If you have questions or need information regarding education services or schools, contact Dean at 879-5253. We may not always be able to answer all of your questions, but we will find resources and people who can. If you are interested in applying for Higher Education, Employment Assistance - Adult Vocational Training or Adult Education services, please contact Dean to set up an appointment or have application packets mailed to you.

## MATERIALS AVAILABLE

The Tribal Education Program has materials available to hand out. These materials cover admission requirements, costs for schooling, programs and courses of study for all Oregon community colleges, colleges & universities. There are also packets covering career choices and what schools offer. If you would like these materials sent to you please call Dean Azule, at 879-5253. Lastly, there are a number of catalogs available for review. If you are still undecided as to which school you may wish to attend, you might like to review courses and programs offered. Call to make an appointment.

## HELP SESSIONS FOR PARENTS

Look for upcoming Family Math classes to be scheduled in the near future. Members of the Title IV Parent Committee will be conducting Family Math classes in the upcoming months to help parents work with their children in the area of mathematics and math attitudes. The classes are fun and are targeted for parents who have little or no math skills. When dates, times and locations are set, an informational flyer will be sent out.



## UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

- MARCH 3-5, 1987 - BIA-PAO Higher Ed. Training, Seattle, WA; Edgewater Inn
- APRIL 9-11, 1987 - OIEA Indian Education Conference - Portland, OR; Ramada Inn
- APRIL 14, 1987 - Oregon Career Awareness Workshop for American Indian/Alaskan Native High School Students  
O.S.U., LaSelles Center