

## AZULE WINS AWARD

Tribal Education Specialist, Dean Azule won the Oregon Indian Education Association's "Educator of the Year" award for his active involvement in Indian Education.

Other OIEA award winners included:

"Elder of the Year" - Paul Whitehead, Eugene; "Counselor of the Year" - Helen Crume Smith, Klamath Falls; "Administrator of the Year" - Jane Westergard Nimoks, Warm Springs; "Teacher of the Year" - Denver Sensibaugh, Warm Springs; and "Parent of the Year" - Susan Woodruff, Portland.

Congratulations Winners!!!

## EDUCATION UPDATE

Concluding WINTER Term 1987, grade reports for our Higher Education & Adult Vocational Training students, proved to be very positive! Of the total 24 Higher Education & AVT students 10 students scored a "B" (3.0) grade point average or better! Of all 24 students, only 3 scored below a "C" (2.0) grade point average.

With the start of Spring Term (April) 1987, two students have obtained employment since either graduating or completing their programs.

Loretta Knight, December 1986 Employment Assistant - AVT, Registered Nursing graduate, passed her State Board for Idaho and is now employed in a nursing home.

Barbara Mercier, completed course work for a 1 year program for a Office Administration - Professional Secretarial Program. Barbara is now working with the Oregon Division of Vocational Rehabilitation.

Congratulations to all our students who successfully completed WINTER Term! Good luck with your studies during Spring Term 1987. Let's get out and encourage our students!

### EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE - AVT

Teresa Bailey (Chemeketa C.C.)  
Reg. Nursing 3.25 GPA

Deborah Childers (Chemeketa C.C.)  
Real Estate 2.38 GPA

\*Rhonda Hanson (Chemeketa C.C.)  
Dental Assist. 3.59 GPA

\*Marion Henry (Chemeketa C.C.)  
Criminal Justice 3.69 GPA

Anthony Lane (Chemeketa C.C.)  
Elect. Eng. Tech. 2.40 GPA

Kenneth Martin (Chemeketa C.C.)  
Welding 2.63 GPA

Barbara Mercier (Chemeketa C.C.)  
Prof. Secr. Adm. 2.71 GPA

David Harrison (Compter Career Inst.)  
Service Tech. 2.33 GPA

Kateri Contreras (Clark College)  
Reg. Nursing

\*\*Carol Logan (Merritt Davis)  
Accounting 3.80 GPA

Joannie West (Linn-Benton C.C.)  
Real Estate 3.00 GPA

### HIGHER EDUCATION

Angela Chilcers (Chemeketa C.C.)  
Elem. Education 3.20 GPA

Reina Minjarez (Portland C.C.)  
Business Management

Charlotte Quenelle (Portland C.C.)  
Accounting 2.36 GPA

Pamela Warren (SWOCC)  
Medical Tech. 2.77 GPA

Cecile Kneeland (WOSC)  
Elem. Education 2.63 GPA

Linda Warren Ventriglia (WOSC)  
Business Administration 3.00 GPA

Jackie Grant (Eastern Oregon S.C.)  
Business Administration 2.76 GPA

Corrine Fugate (U of O)  
Elem. Education 3.00 GPA

Andrew Jeness (U of O)  
Psych. 3.41 GPA

\*\*Ann Ritchey (Pierce College)  
Physical Science 3.85 GPA

Kelly Nelson (Cal.St.Univ.-Sac.)  
Chemistry/Biology

(\*Honor Roll Students)

(\*\*Dean's List Honor Students)

Student grades not listed, either did not submit grade reports to the Education Office, or are on a Semester Term basis and have not yet received grades for the term.

## APPRENTICESHIP '87

Apprenticeship '87, sponsored by the Bureau of Labor and Industries, will be held at Washington Square in Portland May 15-16, 1987. Designed to spread the word about many training and job placement opportunities in Oregon, the event will feature over 50 job related exhibitors and non-profit organizations with a special focus on women and minorities in the non-traditional workplace. To obtain additional information, contact Apprenticeship '87 coordinators Stephen Bush or Marv Hautala in Portland at 229-6573.

## FELLOWSHIPS

Through the Office of Fellowships and Grants, the Smithsonian Institution offers appointments to North American Indians to pursue research or internship projects in residence at the Smithsonian in association with its professional staff members. Additional information and application materials can be obtained from the Academic Programs Specialist, Office of Fellowships and Grants, 7300 L.Enfant Plaza, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C. 20506. (202/287-3271).

## EMPLOYMENT FAIR

With Summer fast approaching, the Education & Social Services Programs will be sponsoring an "Employment Fair" during the month of May. Representatives from the Oregon Employment Division, Transportation Department, Willamette Valley Jobs Council, Forest Service and others will be on hand to assist you with employment programs. If you are interested in attending this fair, please contact the Education Program or Social Services Program at 879-5253. Date, time and location of the Fair will be announced.

## ADULT ED. CLASSES

Students participating in Adult Education Classes on Thursday evenings, from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm, be forewarned! Due to the lack of attendance, by students who have signed up to participate, we have had a number of incidents when teachers have shown up and no students were available. If you can't make it to class, you need to contact the class instructors (Jan Davidson) at 843-4123. If no students show up for the next two classes, Adult Education classes will be discontinued. Your tuition and fees are paid for whether you attend class or not, this becomes costly, when you do not participate. Future classes will be provided via Chemeketa Community College in the Salem, McMinnville and Dallas sites. Have questions? Call 879-5253.

## REMINDER

Once again, if you haven't already done so, it would behoove you to file your 1987-88 Financial Aid Forms (FAF) by May 1st, 1987 or as close to it as possible. Students may obtain the '87-88 FAF at the school they will be attending (financial aid office). Night school seniors can obtain the forms from your counselor. Other Tribal members can pick up a form from the Education office, call Dean Azule at 879-5253.

## EDUCATION DEADLINES

If you are planning on attending school, don't come into the Education Office and expect to file your application and have a check waiting for you within two days.

You need to file your completed application 45 days prior to the date you will start classes. This year's deadline for Fall Term 1987, is July 30th, 1987.

Because the Education Program is operating at near maximum, applications received after July 30th, 1987 will not be considered for assistance until December 1987 for Winter Term 1988 enrollment.

Again, deadline for FALL Term 1987 enrollment is July 30th, 1987. Students interested in attending Summer Term 1987, need to have paper work completed by May 15th, 1987. Call 879-5253 for more information.