

## EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

### McKenzie River Ranger District 2002 Heritage Expedition:

The McKenzie River Ranger District will host its second Heritage Expedition September 9—13. Participants will explore the scenic beauty and ancient cultural history of the Obsidian Cliffs area, a spectacular complex of features along the western bases of the North and Middle Sisters stratovolcanos. Native Americans as well as Forest Service experts in archeology and geology will guide participants. Participants will also learn and practice heritage preservation stewardship and "Leave No Trace" camping principles. Interested individuals should contact A.S.A.P. — there are a maximum number of nine participants allowed. Contact: Eric Bergland, McKenzie River Ranger District, McKenzie Bridge, OR. Phone: 541-822-7235

### INMED SUMMER INSTITUTE AT UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

Deadline to apply is March 31.

Participating junior high and high school American Indian and Alaskan Native students participate in an intensive six-week enrichment course through the Summer Institute. The pre-college Institute helps participants develop the skills to achieve in their junior high and high school course work. The Institute also provides an important bridge between high school and college. Summer Institute is designed to help students develop strong academic foundations and understanding of key concepts, which are vital to success in college health science courses. The Institute also includes an overview of health careers opportunities and helps students to develop their study skills. Guest speakers included Indian Health professionals and experts who represent a variety of health disciplines. Contact: INMED Program at University of North Dakota, 501 North Columbia Rd., Grand Forks, North Dakota, 58203. Phone: 701-777-3037

### Tribal Youth Sponsorship Program

Youth Education Sponsorship (YE Sponsorship) program, formerly Summer Sponsorship will begin in January 2002.

YE Sponsorship is a program which provides maximum funding of \$200 to enrolled Tribal members grades K-12, including home schooling one time per year to participate in school and extra-curricular activities or programs.

You must request an application by contacting Chris Bailey at 800-422-0232 or 503-879-2101. Application must be returned completed in order to be processed. Please allow two weeks for processing.

Funding is available until depleted. Please note that requesting an application does not ensure funding and does not register the student for the activity program.

### Starting a Successful Business Course

- Listed below are the dates of the classes, the topics to be covered, as well as the names of the individual(s) scheduled to discuss the topics.
- 2/27/02 Shelley Hanson
  - •Credit Report
  - •Resume & Page 11 of The Plan
  - •12 week overview of the & The Plan guidebook
- 3/6/02 John Baker
  - •Market Research
  - •Marketing
- 3/13/02 Shelley Hanson
  - •Your Business & Business Location
  - •The Competition
- 3/20/02 John Baker
  - •Cash Flow Chart
  - •Personal Financial Statement
  - •Personal one on one help
  - •Loan request
  - •Balance Sheet
  - •Operations Statement
- 3/27/02 John Baker & Elaine Moore
  - •Cash Flow Chart
  - •Personal Financial Statement
  - •Personal one on one help
  - •Loan request
  - •Balance Sheet
  - •Operations Statement
- 4/03/02 Shelley Hanson
  - •Legal, Speaker
  - •Bookkeeping, Doug Iverson, Speaker
  - •Business Plan Homework
- 4/10/02 Shelley Hanson & Financial Resources Panel
  - •Representatives from Union Bank of California, SBA, Local Banks
- 4/17/02 Shelley Hanson & Business Panel
  - •Panelists; Steve Bobb, Eyvette Davidson, Alice Propes, Gary Hampton, will participate in a question and answer session with class participants, about their experiences in small business.
- 4/24/02 Shelley Hanson
  - •Grooming You and Your Business for Success
  - •Work on Business Plans with one on one assistance
- 5/01/02 Shelley Hanson, John Baker
  - •Quick Books Software Class Overview, Elaine Moore, Instructor
  - •Finalize Business Plans
  - •One on one help
  - •Copy completed business plans and turn in
- 5/03/02 GRADUATION 6:00 p.m.
  - •Tribal Community Center

● Contact Barbara Lake at 503-879-2476 or Sheila Herber at 503-879-2492.

### Willamina School District Gets Grant

The Willamina School District received the 21st Century Grant, which is focused on providing after-school hours education. Services are available to provide students with academic assistance, HS credit recovery, transportation, and after-school and summer activities.

#### TUTORIAL ACTIVITIES

**Time:** 5 p.m. to 5:15 p.m. — Monday through Friday

**Eligible:** Willamina and Grand Ronde students; High School, Middle School, and Elementary School.

**Cost:** FREE

**Contact:** Schools for more information.

#### ALTERNATIVE NIGHT

##### CLASSES/Credit Recovery

**Time:** 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. — Monday through Thursday

**Eligible:** Willamina, Grand Ronde and Sheridan students; High School students up to 19 years old.

**Cost:** \$40 per class

**Contact:** Vicki Blair, Coordinator 503-876-2374, Gary Anderson, WHS Principal 503-876-9122.

■ Credit recovery available in most high school subjects.

■ All tutoring my licensed staff.

#### ADULT EDUCATION (TBA)

**Contact:** Vicki Blair, Coordinator 503-876-2374.

#### BEFORE/AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

**Time:** Hours subject to change

##### Willamina Elementary

Morning 6 a.m. - 8 a.m.

Afternoon 3:30 p.m. - 6 p.m.

##### Grand Ronde Elementary

Afternoon 3 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

**Eligible:** Willamina and Grand Ronde Elementary students.

**Cost:** \$15 — 1 Child, \$20 — 2 Children \$25 — 3 Children

•Some scholarships available — income based.

**Contact:** Vicki Blair, Coordinator 503-876-2374.

■ Reading, math, science and social studies — all cultural, hands

on crafts and art, supervised homework, games, activities, health, nutrition and snacks. Counseling available at Gilbert House.

#### TRANSPORTATION —

**Student Contact Days Only**

**Time:** All After-School Activities Tutoring, after-school and or extended day, school-related practices and events.

**School Pick up times:**

WMS/WES — 5:30 p.m.

GRE — 6 p.m.

WHS — 5:40 p.m.

**Cost:** Free

**Contact:** Jody Minard, Transportation 503-876-3054.

#### SUMMER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

##### K-8

**Time:** 9 p.m. - 3 p.m. (Subject to change).

**Eligible:** Any student grade K-8.

**Cost:** TBA

##### High School

**Time:** 8 a.m.-12 p.m.

**Eligible:** Willamina High School students.

**Cost:** \$40 (Subject to change)

**Contact:** Vicki Blair, Coordinator 503-876-2374.

#### CONTACTS

■ Vicki Blair, Coordinator: 503-876-2374

■ Olivia Johnson, GRE Principal: 503-879-5210

■ Don Keller, WES Principal: 503-876-2374

■ Kathy Long, WMS Principal: 503-876-2545

■ Gary Anderson, WHS Principal: 503-876-9122

■ Jody Minard, Transportation: 503-876-3054

### ONABEN — A Native American Business Network and the Grand Ronde Small Business Department present: Business Basics Workshop Series Spring 2002

■ **The Artist's Business Plan** — Wednesday, March 6: Will cover the basics of developing a complete business plan.

■ **The Artist's Marketing Strategies** — Wednesday, March 13: Learn about how to research and evaluate your markets that have the potential to improve your business.

■ **Earning a Living as an Artist** — Wednesday, March 20: Learn exactly what it takes to earn a living as an artist. Artist annual income planning sheets will be made available.

■ **Artist's Work Placements and Contracts** — Wednesday, April 10: Find out how to place your work with contracts that protect both you and the work, keeping your potential income intact.

■ **Artists as Business People** — Wednesday, April 17: What does it take to run a business as an artist? Find out what is required for the business side of being an artist.

Distance Learning classrooms are located on the Confederated Tribes of Grande Ronde, Siletz and Umatilla Indian Reservations and classes are hosted at Portland State University's Urban Center (506 SW Mill Street).

All classes are FREE and will be held from 5:45 – 7:45 pm in the evening.

For more information and to register contact Sheila Herber at the Grand Ronde Small Business Development Center at 503-879-2492 or Kristi Burns at the ONABEN main office at 503-968-1500.