

EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Extended Hours In Education Media Center

ANNOUNCING: Extended hours at the Education Division Library / Media Center! The library is open from 9:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. on Saturdays now. Services that are available include: Books and material check out, applying for a library card, browsing and using reference materials including access to computer and Internet use. The library collection has increased over the past year and includes all new reference books, a video library, an audio library as well as local and state newspaper and magazine subscriptions. The library regular hours are Mon. - Fri. from 8:00 — Noon and 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. and is operated by existing Education Division staff. All Tribal & community members are welcome to stop in and check out our new library and the services we have in place.

GED CLASSES

Monday and Wednesday 1:30 p.m. — 4:00 p.m.

Held at the Education Department classroom and computer lab. Open Entry — No pre-registration. Contact Joanne Carr at 503-879-2282 or joanne.carr@grandronde.org.

Also available: "Get it Together with You and Your Money"— Basic Money Management Class, Food Handler's Certificate, keyboarding software and other employment and career software available.

Seeking All Native American Undergraduates and Recent Graduates To Fill Position

The U.S. Department of Education, White House Initiative on Tribal Colleges and Universities, is currently seeking Native American undergraduate students and or recent graduates to fill a paid internship position from June — August, 2003 in Washington, D.C. Position needs to be filled ASAP. Please contact Toney Begay for more information: Toney Begay, White House Initiative on Tribal Colleges and Universities, 555 New Jersey Avenue NW Suite 408, Washington, D.C. 20208, or toney.begay@ed.gov or phone 202-208-1312.

HeadStart Recruitment Starts April-July

This announcement is for children who are 3 years old by September 1, 2003 to children who are 5 years old (pre-kindergarten) and that are income eligible. Our first day of school is September 2, 2003. Please call Tera Stewart at 503-879-2161 for an application and if you have any questions. Selection and notification will be made by mid August and you will be notified if your child has been accepted or declined. Children with special needs strongly encouraged to apply.

Diversity Makes a Difference Scholarship Nominations For High School Students

If you know a high-school student who is a champion of diversity, you can help that student win a \$1,000 scholarship from the Northwest Asian Weekly Foundation. Teachers, counselors, principals and community members are invited to nominate high-school students from Western Washington who are visionaries and champions of diversity. Five winners will be given \$1,000 each. For more information, call 206-223-5559.

Scholarship And Job Opportunity Web Site

In an effort to increase the number of minority students who take advantage of federally funded scholarship and job opportunities, a government agency has created a Web site consolidating information on such programs.

The site, called e-Scholar <http://studentjobs.gov/e-scholar.htm> and designed by the U.S. Office of Personnel Management, lists government scholarships, fellowships, grants, and internships geared to high-school, undergraduate, and graduate students.

The e-Scholar site contains details on internships for minority students, opportunities to travel abroad, and specific programs, like the White House Fellows program.

Reminder to Current STT/C&DE Students

The STT/C&DE Programs can help with the required textbook and supplies needed as you return to school — but only **required** materials. The cost of any "extras" you purchase at your college or school's book store (school sweatshirts, food items, etc.) are **your** responsibility and cannot be paid for out of Education Division funds. If you are unsure about a particular item, please check with the Continuing Education office prior to purchase.

Child Care Development Fund Public Hearing
Wednesday, June 18 ■ 5:30-6:30 p.m.
Before & After School Care Modular
Questions, call Vikki Bishop at 503-879-2287.

OYCP Looking For Applicants, Ages 16-18

The Oregon Youth Challenge Program (OYCP) is looking for potential applicants ages 16-18, who have dropped out of school or are close to dropping out and are interested in completing and earning their diploma and receiving a GED. For more information, contact OYCP either online; www.oycp.com, by phone at 541-317-9623, or by mail; 23861 Dodds Road, Bend, OR 97701.

Scholarship Alert: Tylenol

Tylenol Cash For College Sweepstakes Application

The makers of the Tylenol Family of Products will award ten \$10,000 scholarships and 150 \$1,000 scholarships for higher education to students who demonstrate leadership in community activities and school activities and who intend to major in areas that will lead to health related fields.

You may apply to the Tylenol Scholarship if you will be attending an undergraduate or graduate course of study in the Fall of 2003 at an accredited two or four-year college, university or vocational-technical school. This includes those students currently enrolled in an undergraduate or graduate course of study and have one or more years of school remaining.

The application forms are to be printed and returned by April 30, 2003 via U.S. mail to: Tylenol Scholarship, Citizens' Scholarship Foundation of America, Inc., 1505 Riverview Road, P.O. Box 88, St. Peter, MN 56082.

Washington Internships for Native Students

The Washington Semester American Indian Program is a fully-paid 6 credit internship and academic program in the summer (12 credits in the fall and spring semesters), designed for American Indian college and university students who have completed at least the first semester of their sophomore year. The Washington Semester Program was founded in 1947, and is the oldest and largest experiential education program in D.C. In addition to receiving a paid internship and tuition, students receive round-trip transportation to and from the program, daily transportation to and from internship site, housing in the American University Washington Semester residence halls with American Indian Mentors living on each floor, a meal plan, books, health and accident insurance, and a weekly stipend.

To request an application contact Washington Internships for Native Students, American University at 4400 Massachusetts Ave. NW, Washington, DC 20016-8083; Phone: 1-800-424-2600 or visit their website at www.american.edu/wins.



ONABEN Business Classes To Be Held

ONABEN A Native American Business Network presents:
"Starting A Successful Business"

Participants will be offered professional assistance with:
 Feasibility and Business Concept, Developing a Business Plan, Financing & Bookkeeping and Legal Requirements.

Classes will be held in Salem at the Ted Center.

Classes Start on Wednesday June 10 and are every Wednesday through August from 5:30 — 8:30 p.m. Graduation will be held on August 19. Call now to register for these classes!

For more information about ONABEN services and to register for classes contact: ONABEN Main Office, Kristi Burns 800-854-8289, Sheila Herber 503-843-4218 or Debbie Bachman 503-879-2275.