

## EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

### College Campus Visit University of Oregon — Eugene, OR Thursday, October 27

Leave: Willamina & Sheridan High Schools at 8 a.m.  
Return: Willamina & Sheridan High Schools at 5 p.m.  
Learn about admissions and financial aid and have a good time!  
Call Trinity at 503-879-1478 to sign up.

### Are You Thinking About Going To College Or Searching For A New Career?

Check out the Oregon Career Information Website!  
Log on to the website at: <http://oregoncis.uoregon.edu>  
User Name: CTGRcis  
Password: TribalEducationcis

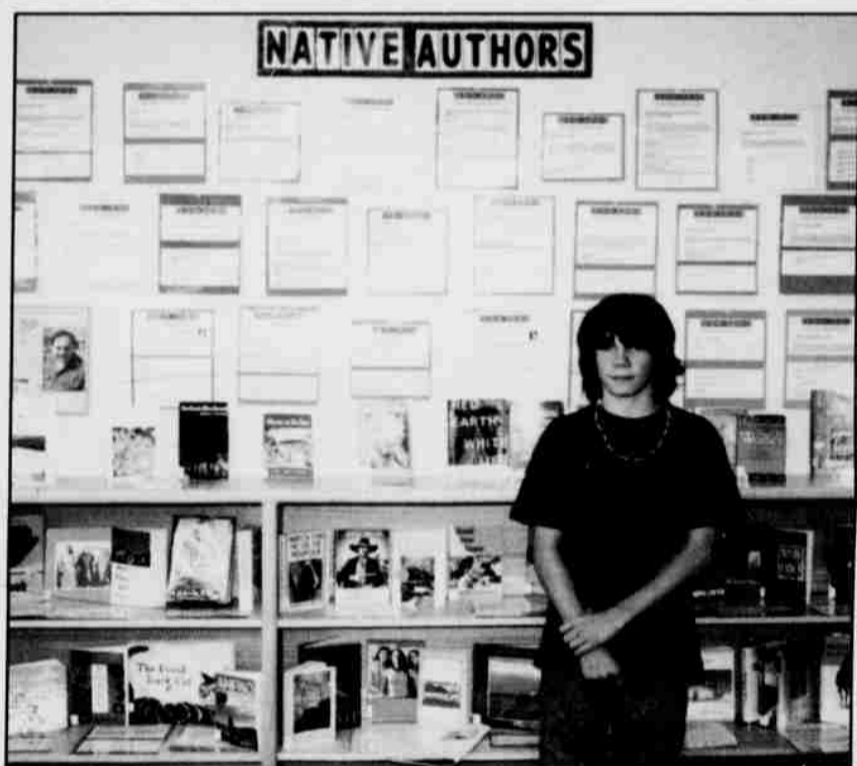


Photo by Brent Merrill

**Big Time** — Tribal member Joseph Ham stands with the display of Native Authors he created as a summer youth intern at the Tribal library.

### Gates Millennium Scholarship Workshop

"How to complete the Gates Scholarship Application Lab."

**Question:** Would you like an opportunity to become a distinguished Gates Millennium Scholar and receive a portion of a \$1 billion dollar grant established to help you fund your college education?

If you answered **YES** to this question, you are encouraged to take advantage of a great opportunity created for Native American high school seniors.

**Location:** Tribal Adult Education Complex

**Date & Time:** Monday, October 17, 2005 at 10 a.m.

**What you will do:** With the help of AIGC experts, begin completion of the Gates application.

**Questions?** Contact Luhui Whitebear, CTGR Scholarship Coordinator at 503-879-1345 or 1-800-422-0232 ext 1345 or [luhui.whitebear@grandronde.org](mailto:luhui.whitebear@grandronde.org).

Hosted by: The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde Education Division and The American Indian Graduate Center Scholars.

### College Visit: Become a Beaver!

Where: Oregon State University

Who: Any Native interested in going to college

When: Saturday, October 15, 2005 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Deadline date to sign up: Thursday, October 6, 2005

Call Trinity if you are interested or  
would like to sign up: 503-879-1478.

### Parent Advisory Board Meeting

On Thursday, October 13 at 5 p.m. we will hold our first Parent Advisory Board (PAB) meeting at the Native American Studies office at the old Willamina High School. The purpose of the meeting is to give parents an overview of our program and to the goal of our first meeting is to organize, discuss board elections (and seek interim candidates) for the coming school year, discuss topics relevant to our school and set future meeting topics. Light refreshments will be served.

#### We need YOU! Your voice is important!

The positions open on the committee are: Vice Chairperson, Secretary and Parent Liaison. In order to serve on the board you must be a parent, grandparent, legal guardian or educational surrogate for a child enrolled in Indian Education. Members of the board may also attend the Tribal parent committee meetings.

### Wilma Mankiller Visits University of Oregon

Manhiller takes part in Wayne Morse Center for Law and Politics 2005-06 Program  
*Indigenous Peoples: National Policy and International Human Rights*

October 6, 2005

Welcome Reception for Wilma Mankiller and Charlie Soap  
5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., UO Many Nations Longhouse,  
following a welcome ceremony conducted by Esther  
Stutzman, Kalapuya Elder

October 20, 2005

*Sovereignty and Native Education*  
1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., UO Many Nations Longhouse  
Symposium focusing on education issues for Native  
America, preserving traditional knowledge and the role  
of sovereign bodies.

Keynote Speakers:

- Peterson Zah, advisor to the president of Arizona State University on American Indian Affairs and former president of the Navajo Nation, speaking on "The Navajo Sovereignty in Education Act of 2005."
- Brenda Child, associate professor of history, University of Minnesota, and author of *Boarding School Seasons: American Indian Families, 1900-1940*
- Hon. Elizabeth Furse, director of the Institute for Tribal Government, Portland State University

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November 9, 2005

Wilma Mankiller Public Address  
7:00 p.m., EMU Ballroom, UO Student Union  
"Context is Everything: History and Culture in  
Contemporary Tribal Life"  
Reception and book signing to follow.  
Morse Center Events and Symposia, 2005-6

November 10, 2005

*Women in Tribal and Community Leadership*  
9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., UO Many  
Nations Longhouse  
Symposium on women's leadership and indigenous feminism.  
Honoring Wilma Mankiller, Cherokee Nation, Sue Shaffer, Cow Creek Band of  
Umpqua Indians, and Kathryn Harrison, Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde

November 16, 2005

Reception honoring Wilma Mankiller  
5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., UO Museum of Art

April 14, 2006

*From the Warrior Viewpoint: The Next Generation of Indian Law and Policy*  
1:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., Knight Law Center  
Symposium reviewing developments in Indian law and prospects for the future. Panelists  
will include contributors to noted *Cohen Handbook of Indian Law*. Featuring UO Knight  
Professor of Law Rennard Strickland and invited guests.

