

Thinking about college



Photos by Michelle Alamo

Oregon Indian Education Association conference guest speaker Dr. Michael Pavel (Skokomish), left, claps a beat as he teaches a song to conference attendees, including, from second from left, Tribal members Braden Ebensteiner and Kyoni Mercier, SuSun Fisher (Siletz) and Tribal members Nikia Mooney and Koana Leno during the conference at Linfield College in McMinnville on Friday, May 18. Five Tribal youth attended the two-day conference, which was titled "Education Is Culture: Working Toward College Success" and was geared toward getting students thinking about going to college.



Tribal members Koana Leno, left, and Nikia Mooney raise their hands as they participate in a vote during the "Get on the Bus" Democracy Cup Competition workshop during the Oregon Indian Education Association "Education Is Culture: Working Toward College Success" conference at Linfield College in McMinnville on Friday, May 18. This workshop was part of The Bus Project, whose goal is to get the millennial generation engaged in democracy and issues that affect them.

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Foundation seeks artist fellowship applications

The Native Arts and Cultures Foundation is seeking applications for its 2013 Artist Fellowships.

Awards will be worth \$20,000 and made in six disciplines: Visual Arts, Filmmaking, Music, Dance, Literature and Traditional Arts.

Application deadline is Thursday, June 21.

Artists must demonstrate excellence, having made a significant contribution in their discipline, earned respect from their colleagues and achieved recognition in the field. Work must be evolving and current.

Native artists are defined as American Indian from federally recognized Tribes, Alaska Native or Native Hawaiian. In September, a panel will review the applications and fellows will be announced in November.

Applicants must apply online at www.nacf.us/user/register. Contact Program Director Reuben Tomas Roqueni for more information and support at reuben@nativeartsandcultures.org or 360-718-7057. ■



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7th

ANNUAL
DANCING IN THE SQUARE
POWOW



SEPTEMBER 28TH, 2012
TIME: 12PM - 7PM
PIONEER SQUARE, DOWNTOWN PORTLAND, OR
GRAND ENTRY: 3:30 PM

MC: TBA
WHIPMAN: ED GOODALL
COLOR GUARD: NIVA
HOST DRUM: FOUR DIRECTIONS

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June 28th, 29th, 30th

Meals @ 9am, 12pm, 6pm

Location Grand Ronde Pow wow grounds at the Bert Yamhill state park

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