

Busy Octo-boo

Tribal members from youth to elders have been busy with Halloween-themed activities. The Youth Education Program's activities included visiting a local pumpkin patch to acquire pumpkins, trick-or-treating around the Tribal campus and bowling, and the Elders held their annual Halloween party.

Children choose candy from a bowl that Tribal Council Chairman Reyn Leno's holding as they trick-or-treat in the Governance Center Atrium on Monday, Oct. 29. The youth trick-or-treated through most of the other buildings on the Tribal campus.



Tribal Council member Steve Bobb Sr. shows off his Spiderman muscles during the costume contest at the Elders' Halloween Party at the Elders' Activity Center on Saturday, Oct. 27. In addition to the costume contest, there was a potluck, cake walk and bingo.



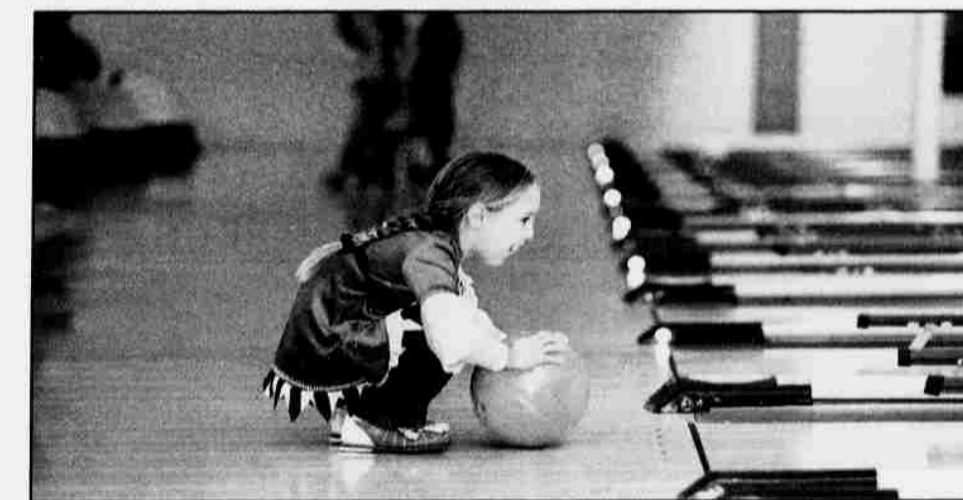
Mason Mercier, 7, checks out a stem that broke off the pumpkin in front of him as he was attempting to carry it at the Heiser Farms pumpkin patch on Friday, Oct. 12. Without the extra stem, the pumpkin was too difficult for him to carry so he left it behind.



Kailiyah Krehbiel, 11, middle, receives help with the finishing touches of her costume from Ali Holsclaw, Tribal K-5 Chinuk language teacher, and her father Brian Krehbiel during the Youth Education Program's Halloween party and costume contest at Walnut City Lanes in McMinnville on Monday, Oct. 29. Kailiyah's Mad Hatter costume won first place in the costume contest for the middle school students during the party.



Keylie Redhawk, 5, dressed a Spiderman, tries on someone else's Incredible Hulk mask during the Youth Education Program's Halloween party and costume contest at Walnut City Lanes in McMinnville on Monday, Oct. 29.



Bayleigh Leno, 5, lines up the bowling ball before pushing it down the lane during the Youth Education Program's Halloween party and costume contest at Walnut City Lanes in McMinnville on Monday, Oct. 29.

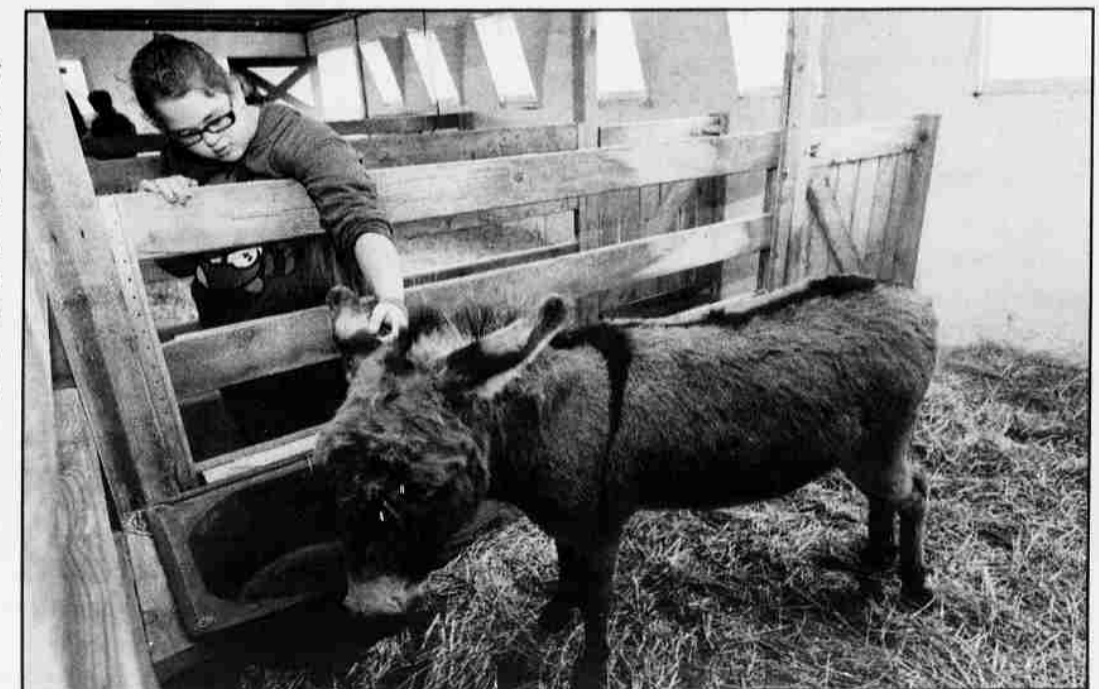


Tribal Elder Cherie Butler, right, hands Madeline Nelson the prize for winning first place in the costume contest at the Elders' Halloween party at the Elders' Activity Center on Saturday, Oct. 27. On the left is Nelson's caregiver, Charlie Whittlinger.

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Trinity Sherwood, 11, pets a donkey during her visit to the Heiser Farms petting zoo on Friday, Oct. 12.



Youth Education students try to pet pigs as they race around their pen at the Heiser Farms petting zoo on Friday, Oct. 12.

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