

EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Northwest Indian Bar Association

Application must be postmarked, e-mailed or faxed by Dec. 6, 2013. Late or incomplete applications will not be accepted.

Available scholarships: Several \$500-1,500 scholarships
 Application Requirements: Preference will be given to Native law students attending a law school in one of the states served by NIBA and law students enrolled in a Tribe from one of the states served by NIBA who are attending a law school outside of that service area.

An applicant must be admitted to an accredited law school and intend to work in the field of American Indian or Alaska Native law or policy in one of the states served by NIBA.

Applicants must submit the following: 1) A completed scholarship application form. 2) A résumé. 3) Two letters of recommendation (need not be originals; copies of recent letters submitted for law school admission, other scholarships or internships are acceptable). 4) A copy of an admission statement from an accredited law school. 5) Proof of Tribal enrollment or affiliation. If not available, students may submit attached declaration.

Mail, e-mail or fax application to Lisa L. Atkinson, Esq., 611 Main St. Suite B-1, Edmonds, WA 98020. Ph: 425-778-2421 Fax: 425-744-0796. E-mail: lisa_l_atkinson@msn.com.

Oregon University System admissions and scholarship deadlines

The OUS schools have their own priority deadline for admissions. This is also their university scholarship deadline. Don't miss your opportunity to attend your top school choice and a chance to receive a scholarship.

- Eastern Oregon University: March 1
- Oregon Institute of Technology: March 1
- Oregon State University: Feb. 1
- Portland State University: Feb. 1
- Southern Oregon University: Feb. 15
- University of Oregon: Jan. 15
- Western Oregon University: Feb. 1



LIBRARY HOURS:

Monday – Friday: 9 A.M. – 6 P.M.
 (closed Monday - Friday: noon – 1 P.M.)
 Saturday: 10 A.M. – 2 P.M.

Library staff recently reorganized the adult collection holding areas as follows:

- The Native American collection was moved to the front of the library so that it is near the culture reference center and the culture exhibits and displays;
- The fiction collection was moved to the center stacks where there will be room to accommodate growth;
- The nonfiction collection was moved to the back area shelving that previously held the Native American collection. Nonfiction had outgrown its space and could not accommodate growth, which was one of the main factors in undergoing these changes;
- The reference collection was moved to shelving near the library work desk.

These moves will take a while getting used to, so please do not hesitate to let us know how we can help you find items in the library.

Attention: In an effort to assist Tribal members with access to genealogy information, there are now three locations where documents will be available for viewing and to download onto a personal device.

Documents are available at the Land & Culture Department, the Tribal Library and at the Portland office. Due to many of the documents having a significant number of pages, program staff will not be printing copies of the documents.

Accessible documents are not certified copies and all pages are stamped with a "copy" stamp. Land & Culture Department Manager Jan Looking Wolf Reibach took the lead with this effort to make the documents accessible. Our thanks go to Jan and his staff for all the work they did with this project. Documents include past Tribal roll and census copies.

New Library Program: The following program will be offered monthly through December:

Native American Movie Night: First Thursday of the month at 6 p.m. (Youth under 13 must be accompanied by parents). Limited seating.
 • Dec. 5 - "Bury My Heart at Wounded Knee," based on the Dee Brown book

Donations: Due to receiving two significant orders of new collection items, Library staff has not catalogued donations this reporting period. We appreciate all donations received and will get to prepping and adding the items to the collection as time permits.

Reminder: Donations must be clean; no cassettes, VHS or mass-produced paperback books please.

Reminder: The Tribal Library is a Chemeketa Cooperative Regional Library Services circulation site. Use your Chemeketa Cooperative Regional Library Services library card to perform electronic holds on resources in the 18 partner libraries and items will be couriered here for check-out and can be checked back in here, too.

Reminder: The Tribal Library partners with Oregon State Library to offer "library to library" inter-library loan services. By completing the inter-library loan form, Tribal Library patrons may request items from Oregon State Library's collection. Oregon State Library lending policies apply for return of items.

CTGR Youth Education 6th-12th Grade 2013 Fall Program

All-Day Program Activities:
Limited spaces available!! Sign-up today!!
 • Planned activities are generally offered from 9:00 – 3:00
 • Academic assistance is available from 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
 • Breakfast, lunch, and a light afternoon snack are provided.

Mon. Aug 26 th	Beach Blast Trip
Mon. Sept 23 rd	Legal Education Day (Mock Trial)
Fri. Oct 11 th	Paddle Boarding at the Lake
Mon. Oct 14 th	Pumpkin Patch/ Movie (Open to Families)
Fri. Oct 25 th	Costume & Bowling (Open to Families)
Fri. Nov 1 st	Reptile Visit/ Prevention Activity
Mon. Nov 25 th	OSU College Visit
Tues. Nov 26 th	Natural Resources Activity/ Kroc Center
Mon. Dec 30 th	Movie/ Pizza
Mon. Dec 31 st	(½ Day) Open Day

Academic Assistance

In-School
Willamina and Sheridan School Districts

Afterschool
3:45 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.
 Transportation available from the Willamina School District to YED

Open to students:
Fri. Aug 30th Mon. Dec 23rd
 Thur. Dec 26th Fri. Dec 27th

Native Club
Offered once a month for middle and high school students at the Willamina School District. All are welcome!!! Contact Tracy @ 502-879-2101 for more information!

For more information or to sign-up:
• Contact the YED Front Desk at 503.879.2101
 • Like our page @ Facebook.com/CTGRYouthEducation
 • Visit us @
<http://www.grandronde.org/departments/education/youth-education/>

OPEN TO ALL COMMUNITY MEMBERS:

Thinking about starting your own business?



This class will help you develop the skills you need to start your journey into business ownership.



Happy Spirit Healing Arts

Indianpreneurship participants work through this FREE course in a classroom environment, and finish ten weeks later with a business plan in hand. There are advisors and coaches available to help you with specific business needs.

Dinner will be provided at 5:30 p.m.
 Class will begin at 6 p.m.
 We will have a ten minute break at 7 p.m.
 Classes include videos of Native American business owners and their stories

Grand Ronde

Beginning Wednesday Jan. 8- March 12 2014
 5:30—9 p.m.

In the Education Center, 9615 Grand Ronde Road

Please pre-register with Mona Edwards

MERIT offers:

- ❖ Training
- ❖ Advising
- ❖ Access to Resources

Contact Mona Edwards today at
mona@merit-microenterprise.org

MERIT was founded through a collaboration of Catholic Community Services, Polk Community Development Corporation, Salem-Rainier Community Development Corporation, and West Valley Housing Authority in partnership with Chemeketa Small Business Development Center.

