

EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Attention full-time students

All full-time students must submit verification that they have applied to a scholarship outside the Tribe before funding will be released for the term/semester.

Verification can include a scholarship award or denial letter, e-mail verification that an application was submitted, a copy of the application or the financial aid award letter that lists an outside scholarship.

Please contact Education at 1-800-422-0232, ext. 2275, if you have any questions. ■



LIBRARY HOURS:

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

Summer Programs: June 20 – July 28

Reading Incentive Program: Registered participants have until Thursday, July 28, to bring in their reading logs and to spend their book bucks.

Teen Program: 4 to 6 p.m. Thursday, July 21, for activities and games.

Saturday Movies at Noon: July 16: “Cool Runnings”; July 23: “Jumanji”; and July 30: “The Lego Movie.”

Donations: Our thanks to Dolores West, CTGR Health & Wellness Center, Christine Payne, Nick Duchesneau, Shelley and John Staubes, Mark Mercier, CTGR Legal Department and Veronica Gaston for their contributions to the library collection. We appreciate the generosity of our friends of the library.

Book Review: “Durango Street” by Frank Bonham.

I chose this book based on the fact that as teenagers we are faced with right and wrong choices. What do you do when you have a reputation to protect or an image to uphold? Is one decision worth throwing your life or future away?

“Durango Street” may be the book for you if you’ve had a tough life growing up or felt things in your life have already been decided for you. Rufus Henry is the main character. He is a teenager who is facing these very struggles. Life for Rufus is going downhill when he gets caught stealing a car and is sent away to a juvenile work camp to pay for his crime.

The book gets interesting once Rufus is going to be released. He will move to a new neighborhood. His parole officer encouraged his mom to move out of the projects to help Rufus get away from gangs. The problem is the parole officer did more damage than good because where Rufus is from you can get killed by being in the wrong place or being from the wrong gang.

I personally liked this book because Rufus can be any one of us. I compared his life to mine and realized how easily I could have ended up making a wrong decision that could have affected my adult life. Rufus may overcome the obstacles in his life, but the question is, will Rufus end up making the right or wrong choice? In the end you find out what kind of man Rufus Henry becomes. I invite you to stop by the Tribal Library to check out this book. – **By Rachelle Kellogg**

Reminder: Donated items must be clean and in good condition.

Inter-Library Loan services: The Tribal Library partners with Oregon State Library to offer “library to library” inter-library loan services. By completing the inter-library loan form, library patrons may request items from the Oregon State Library collection. Items will be couriered to and from the Tribal Library. OSL lending policies apply for return of items.

College Placement Testing offered

College Placement Testing is offered on-site at the Adult Education Building for Chemeketa Community College, Linn-Benton Community College and Mount Hood Community College. The Placement Test is one of the first steps to beginning college classes. Call 503-879-2282 to sign up for your placement test. ■

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

CTGR 2016 K-5 Summer Program

Be a part of this exciting and rewarding program that is filled with educational and enrichment activities over 10 weeks this summer. It's all about learning, exploring, making new friends and having fun!

Program Policy Change: All Native youth are eligible for the summer program. Parents/Guardians working and/or in school is **NO LONGER** a requirement.

Key Information
 Summer Camp Dates June 6 – Aug. 12 (Daily Monday – Fridays)
 Camp operational hours 7:30 a.m. – 5:15 p.m.
 Closure dates July 1 (Closes at Noon) July 4 – 6
 Openings K-2nd Grade: 30 Spots available; 3-5th Grade: 30 Spots available

Enrollment Process
 Applications available Monday, April 4 (Pick up at the Youth Ed Dept or call 503-879-2101)
 Applications accepted (office hours 8 a.m. - Noon and 1-5 p.m.)
 CTGR Tribal Member Youth May 2 – 6 (First-come, first-serve)
 CTGR Descendants/other Native youths May 9 until full (First-come, first-serve)
 Please note: If the K5 program is full, a wait list will be created. CTGR Tribal Member Youth will be placed to the top of the list

Eligibility Criteria/Intake Policy
 All students enrolled in the program must meet the eligibility guidelines listed below & provide proof of the following when applying:

- Student must be enrolled in kindergarten through fifth grade during the 2015-16 school year
- Tribal affiliation: Must be an enrolled member of CTGR (please provide a copy of Tribal ID or CIB), a CTGR descendant or other Native
- Service Area: Students must reside in one of the six County service areas (Polk, Marion, Multnomah, Tillamook, Washington, Yamhill)

Spaces are limited
 For information contact Youth Ed at 503-879-2101

CTGR 2016-2017 K5 Afterschool Program



Sign up Details

Applications will be available on Monday July 11th, 2016 at Youth Education

Sign-ups take place during regular business hours on Monday July 25th through Friday July 29th at Youth Education

For Who: CTGR Tribal, CTGR Tribal Descendant and other enrolled Native American students who are entering Kindergarten through 5th grade in the Willamina and Sheridan School Districts

Fees/Deposits: \$20 per month for Afterschool and \$5 per day for full day Programming, a sliding-scale reduced fee (based on monthly income) is available

Program Details

- **Location** is at the CTGR Youth Education buildings
- **Transportation** is provided on a CTGR bus from Willamina Elementary School. Due to van seating limitations, we can only serve 10 students from the Sheridan Elementary School (FCS).
- **Provide** healthy afternoon snacks each day and a variety of educational, recreational, and cultural enrichment activities.

Application submitted must have:

- Full application completed and signed
- Deposit \$20, or fee determined by the sliding scale
- Parent/Guardian proof of employment if accessing the sliding scale
- CIB or Tribal I.D.

Limited spaces available!

Sign ups for K5 Afterschool roster spots use a first come, first serve basis. There are a total of 60 roster openings, (K/2nd: 30 spots & 3rd/5th: 30 spots)

Enrolled CTGR Tribal Member youth will be offered the programming spots first. CTGR Descendant and other enrolled Native American youth will be awarded roster spots if any are remaining at the conclusion of the initial sign up week on July 29th. If a waiting list is needed, Tribal Member youth signing up after the program enrollment is at capacity, will be placed at the top of the wait list.