



## LIBRARY HOURS:

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

**Happy New Year** to all of our friends from the Tribal Library staff.

**Movie Time @ the Library:** On Saturdays at noon. Refreshments included. Upcoming movies are “Night at the Museum” on Jan. 19 and “Monsters, Inc.” on Jan. 26.

**Winter Reading Incentive:** “Get Fired Up For Reading” begins Feb. 1 and runs through Feb. 28. This program is for all ages. Let’s all read and best last year’s record of 337 books read. A dragon scale will be added to the library dragon for each book read that includes the reader’s name with the book’s title.

**Oregon Battle of the Books 2018-19:** Books are available for checkout at the Tribal Library.

**Book review:** “Because You’ll Never Meet Me” by Leah Thomas. Told in two extraordinary voices, this story about an impossible friendship and hope under the strangest of circumstances is truly unforgettable.

Ollie is a hermit boy who lives alone in the woods with his mother because living in the outside world would kill him – literally. Moritz is a teen caught in chronic gloom who would be fine living in the city if there were no people in it.

The young men develop a fierce friendship through their letters to one another. The two outcasts share words of encouragement and truths that change their lives from just coping with overwhelming disabilities and tormenting bullies. They move from powerless to hopeful as they come to believe there may be some meaning to their existence.

This is author Leah Thomas’ first novel. It is one of the Oregon Battle of the Books selections for the 9th-12th grade division. —  
*Review by Marion Mercier*

**Donations:** Our thanks to the K-5 Program for its donation of books to the collection. We appreciate the generosity of our friends of the library.

**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.

## Eagle with no name



Photo by Timothy J. Gonzalez

**Tribal Elder Sequoia Bobb Raya looks at a bald eagle he has placed on display in the Tribal Library on Tuesday, Jan. 8. In 2015, Raya, a former oral historian with the Cultural Resources Department, applied to the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service for eagle feathers. Instead, he received an intact raptor. Instead of parting the bird out for regalia, he decided to have it mounted. He went through Willamette Taxidermy and the process took three years to complete. While the eagle is on display in the library through Friday, Jan. 25, school-age children will have a chance to vote on one of four names for the bird, Tribal Librarian Marion Mercier said.**

## Walking On...

### Teresa Lois Mausen

Jan. 12, 1927 – Jan. 4, 2019

Tribal Elder Teresa Lois Mausen, 91, of Sweet Home, Ore., walked on Friday, Jan. 4, 2019. She was born in Sheridan, Ore., to Joseph Rock LaChance and Alvina Parker.

She moved to Sweet Home in 1955 and attended one year at Sweet Home High School.

Teresa worked as a seasonal cannery worker and enjoyed being a homemaker and crocheting. She was a member of St. Helen Catholic Church.



Teresa is survived by her children, Stephen and wife, Sharyl Miller, of Salem, and Kathleen DeWitt and her significant other, Timothy Thayer, of Albany, Ore.; Mausen stepchildren Madelyn, Nicholas, Mark, Timothy, Diane, John and Julie; extended family, Billy, Barbara, Megan, Erika, Jessica and Dakota Snow; eight grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by husbands Alex Miller in 1971, LeRoy G. Smith in 1983 and Nicholas Mausen in 2013; two sisters, Veronica Mollenhour and Josephine Warren; and three half-brothers, Theodore, Melvin and Eugene LaChance.

A viewing was held Saturday, Jan. 12, at St. Helen Catholic Church in Sweet Home with a recitation of the rosary and funeral Mass that followed.

Memorial contributions can be made in Teresa’s name to St. Helen Women’s Club, 600 Sixth Ave., Sweet Home, OR 97386.

Sweet Home Funeral Chapel handled the arrangements.

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