

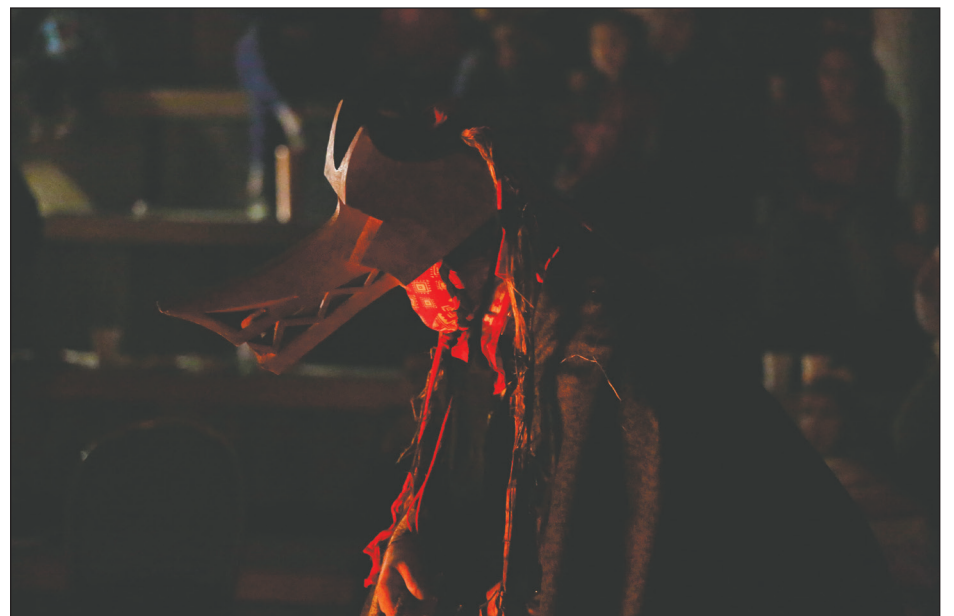


Chinuk Language Program Manager Ali Holsclaw reads the story “Meadowlark and Coyote” during the Chinuk Family Winter Stories Night held in achaf-hammi on Thursday, Feb. 20.

# STORY NIGHT



Families begin to gather for the Chinuk Family Winter Stories Night.



Nakoa Mercier, 18, portrays Coyote during the Chinuk Family Winter Stories Night held in achaf-hammi on Thursday, Feb. 20.

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Hattie Mercier, 14, portrays Meadowlark during the Chinuk Family Winter Stories Night held in achaf-hammi on Thursday, Feb. 20. The main story was “Meadowlark and Coyote” and tells the story of the creation of Willamette Falls at Oregon City.



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