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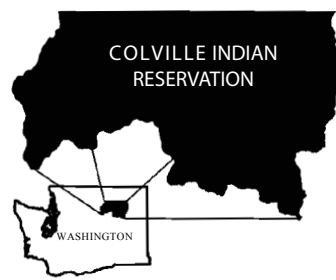
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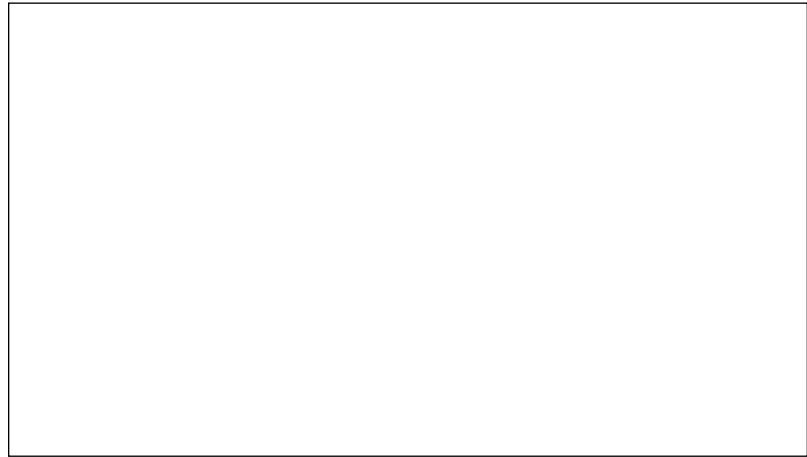
## Tribe holds Memorial Service to honor America's fight against Terrorism

NESPELEM, WA., Sept. 11— Tribal and non-Tribal members gathered here today to participate in the "9-11 Memorial Services" that was held here today in front of the Main Administrative Building.

The Service was held to remember those who lost their lives during the Terrorist Attack on Sept. 11, 2001, and to those who tried to save the people who were trapped in the North and South Towers of New York's World Trade Center, and at the Pentagon building in Washington, D.C. The Service also honored those men and women who are presently on active duty in the Armed Forces.

The Northern Nations drum group from Keller, WA., opened and closed the ceremony. Fr. Ahn, a Catholic Priest for the Sacred Heart Mission congregation, gave the opening prayer and closing benediction. For those Veterans who served during peace time or in combat they could tell you how important it was to have a priest nearby.

Some of the Guest Speakers were: Tribal Elder Mary Marchand; Tribal



PARADE REST—(L to R) Lcpl. (E-3) Jason E. Whalawitsa and C. George had the honor of placing the wreath of Honor and the Limited Edition Print entitled "United We Stand" by the Colville Tribes Veterans Monument during the Memorial Service held on Wednesday, Sept. 11, in commemoration of the Sept. 11, 2002, Terrorist Attack. The title of "Smoker" Marchand's print is in remembrance of the Sept. 11 attack and the steps that America has taken to overcome these Terrorists.

Police Chief Rory Gilliland recited a poem entitled "Poem to Sept. 11, 2001", and Bill Mollenberg from EMS read a poem by Tashina Gorr that was dated Oct. 18, 2001, and was

entitled "Freedom is in my Heart". Keller District Councilman John Stensgar was unable to attend the ceremony so he wrote a letter that was read to the crowd, part of it said: "In closing, I would like to thank the Creator for sparing the lives of our Tribal delegation that was in Washington, D.C., a year ago, there were two to three Tribal Leaders from each of the BIA Regions across the Nation. Thank you".

### Ives & Duryea met State Standards on WASL test

NESPELEM, WA.—It was reported that 11-students from the 4th Grade at the Wright Elementary School, Grand Coulee Dam, WA., met the State Standards set for reading, writing, mathematics, and listening on the test given for the 2002 Washington Assessment of Student Learning (WASL).

Two of those students each received a letter signed by Gov. Locke and the State Superintendent of Public Instruction congratulating them on their accomplishment. The first letter turned into the Tribal Tribune was Annette M. Ives' letter, and a copy of her letter is on page 6. The next day, Janae S. Duryea's letter was turned in.

It was reported that the 4th Grade students were the first class that the Teachers prepared for the WASL test since kindergarten.

FIRST NCW CASUALTY OF TERRORIST ATTACK—On Friday evening, Sept. 13, several hundred military personnel and civilians were at the Football Field at Emerson Park, Wilbur, WA., to pay Tribute and to Honor the memory of the late Sgt. (E-5) Nathan P. Hays. Sgt. Hays, who graduated from Wilbur High School in 1999, was one of seven members of the United States Marine Corps (USMC) that lost their lives aboard a prop-driven KC-130 Hercules that went down on a mountainside near Shamsi, Pakistan, on Thursday, Jan. 9, 2002. At the time it was the single largest loss of military personnel who were fighting the war in Afghanistan that began last October in response to the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attack. Sgt. Hays, a Flight Mechanic, and his fellow Marines were members of Marine Aerial Refueler Transport Squadron 352 (VMGR-352), and their unit was part of the Combined Task Force 58, which provided support for Operation Enduring Freedom. Their home base was MCAS Miramar, San Diego, California. Toward the end of the ceremony, the lights for the above sign was turned on. The groundwork for the sign was done mainly through the efforts of Brian Finch, who made the sign

**UPCOMING DEADLINES FOR THE TRIBAL TRIBUNE**

**October 15**  
**November 19**  
**December 17**

## General Membership Meeting Scheduled

Saturday, October 12, 2002 from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.  
Keller Community Center, Keller, Washington

(By Resolution 2000-097, the General Membership meetings are exclusively for enrolled Colville Tribal Members)

- AGENDA**
- 9:00 a.m.**
    - u Welcome
    - u Elder Prayer
    - u Introduction of Council Members
    - u Open Agenda - Questions from General Membership
  - 12:00 noon** u Lunch
  - 1:00 p.m.** u Resume Open Agenda
  - 4:00 p.m.**
    - u Closing Remarks
    - u Elder Prayer

### (NOTICE FOR BIDS)

Bids are now being accepted to put on the Lunch that will be served at 12:00 noon on Saturday, Oct. 12, at the Keller Community Center during the 2002 General Membership Meeting.

The successful Bidder will be responsible for providing the personnel, equipment, and supplies needed to serve lunch for 500 or more people.

Bids will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 4. For additional information contact:

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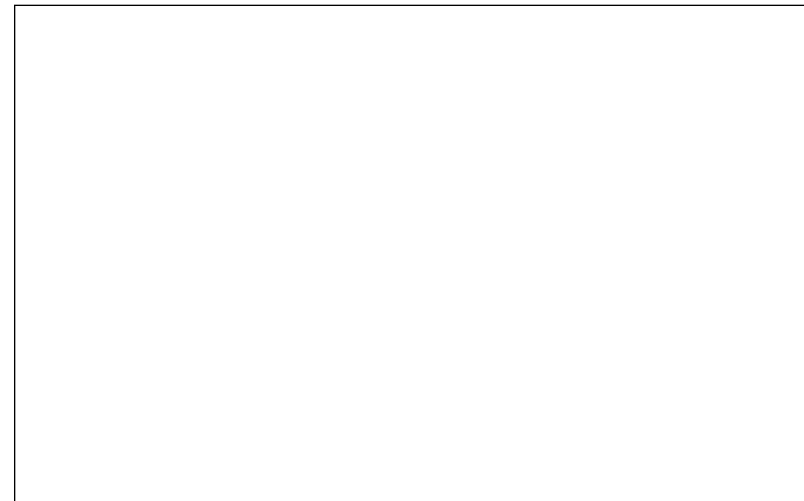
## Jim Boyd wins an Award at the 5th Annual Native American Music

MILWAUKEE, WI.—The 5th Annual Native American Music Awards (NAMMYS) took place Saturday, Sept. 7, at the Marcus Amphitheater here. Jim Boyd was nominated for three Nammys and he won the Record of the Year award for his release alterNATIVES.

Boyd also performed with singer/songwriter friend Bill Miller at the awards show, which was hosted by Crystal Gayle.

The Nammys is the Native American version of the Grammys, and is a venue for top music and musicians from the USA and Canada. Winners of the 5th Annual Native American Music Awards were determined through membership ballots, and a national on-line voting campaign open to the general public on the awards website [www.nammys.com](http://www.nammys.com). Over 30 categories appeared on this year's national voting ballot for the eligibility period that ran from April 1, 2001, to March 31, 2002.

Boyd was nominated for Song/Single of the year in 2000 for his single "Where's Your Honor, Mr. Gorton", and he accepted the award for



WINS NATIONAL MUSIC INDIAN AWARD—Jim Boyd won the "Record of the Year" award during the 5th Annual Native American Music Awards held Saturday, Sept. 7, at Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Jim is a Colville Tribal Member and lives at Inchelium, WA

Best Compilation CD for the Smoke Signals soundtrack in 1999, where Jim Boyd & Rez Bound performed "A Million Miles Away", from the soundtrack. He also performed at the Nammys in 2000 for a Jim Pepper tribute with several other musicians including Mickey Hart (Grateful

Dead), John Densmore (The Doors), Rita Coolidge, and others.

For more information on this year's Native American Music Awards, call (212) 228-8300, or write to: 511 Avenue of the Americas, #371, New York, NY 10011. Or go online to [www.nammys.com](http://www.nammys.com).

## KJM & Associates selected as project manager for construction of new Paschal Sherman Indian School (PSIS)

NESPELEM, WA -- The Colville Business Council, Paschal Sherman Indian School Board and the Bureau of Indian Affairs are proud to announce the selection of KJM & Associates as project manager for the new school construction.

KJM Spokane is a branch office of KJM & Associates a national program and construction management services firm, serving the United States since 1986. The Spokane office specializes in working as Owner's Representatives and Construction Project Managers specifically for schools, K-12 and Universities. KJM Spokane is also one of the few offices in Washington State that spe-

cialize in "Integrated Construction Delivery", General Contractor/Construction Manager and Design-Build.

"For KJM, the opportunity to work with the Colville Tribes is multifold. This project is an education

facility which is our area of expertise. An education facility teaches people, not only the students who attend the school, but the tribal members who will help to build the school. This

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## Indian Country By

Hope everyone had a good summer. The tribe is in its annual budget season right now. The situation looks somewhat stable compared to last year, so status quo will likely be the outcome and hopefully the economy of the tribe will start to rebound again. Many people have CTEC questions, so I will touch on that first.

**CTEC Employee Data:**  
The CTEC July Financials Report indicates that there were a total of 799 permanent employees in CTEC. There were 488 tribal members employed out of this total. Tribal members employed varies at each business. Mill Bay, for example, has 174 total employees, 59 were tribal members. Roosevelt Recreation had 20 employees, 6 were tribal members. Other enterprises do much better, with some attaining 90% tribal member employment. Also, some of the enterprises utilize a lot of temporary employees due to the nature of the business, such as in construction, so total employment numbers are higher than what I have listed.

**Profitable/Unprofitable Businesses:**  
This is the most common question that I get from members. So I will just list them off from the monthly reports that I get from CTEC. The listing is for the 10 months ending July 2002. The majority of the tribe's profits come from the Mill Bay Casino, followed by the Coulee Dam Casino and then the Okanogan Casino. Generally, CTEC enterprises are starting to rebound somewhat from last year. Of course, there are many businesses and it is difficult to generalize because of the complexity. Profits are one measure of a business, there are many others of course. Much of the tribe's wealth for example is tied up into the value of the machinery and equipment at our sawmill for example.

CTEC Administration: .....	Loss
Mill Bay Casino: .....	Profitable
Okanogan Casino: .....	Profitable
Coulee Dam Casino: .....	Profitable
CTSC: .....	Profitable
Rainbow B. Resort: .....	Loss
Trading Post: .....	Profitable
Inchelium Store: .....	Loss
Keller Store: .....	Profitable
Barneys Junction: .....	Loss
CIPP: .....	Profitable
CIPV: .....	Loss
WTP: .....	Loss
CTRC: .....	Profitable
Logging: .....	Profitable

**BIA Trust Reform Task Force:**  
The committee met in Anchorage last week. There is a big debate over whether the U.S. should adopt standards in legislation. Generally the U.S. trust responsibility concerning Indians consists of treaties, statutes, Executive Orders, and case law. The exact definition at any given point in time is debatable for almost every individual case. Also, congressional budgets are based on legal U.S. obligation as defined in the law. So not having a clear definition means that there is little chance of ever getting the BIA an adequate budget, since its duty to perform is never clearly defined anywhere. On the other hand, there is risk in defining such standards if tribes don't get a high standard defined. Currently there are a couple of federal cases pending which deal directly with these questions.

There has been a strong push by tribes to narrow the scope of current trust reform. The Cobell case, which was the impetus of the current trust reform dealt with BIA handling of individual trust accounts. Conversely, in response, the Department of Interior has been advocating a massive reform of the entire BIA and tribal related DOI functions. This could be a good thing if it were done right, but most Tribes are concerned that the BIA under the Republican administration would rather downsize the BIA trust functions and call this reform.

Tribes are also concerned over the issue of how to pay for this trust reform. The BIA wants to reallocate budgets from existing programs to pay for the new trust reform positions. In some cases this might be OK, but tribes do not want more already under-funded direct services to be ransacked even more to pay for more bureaucrats in DC. We want to see the dollars going to the reservations.

There is also a need to address the realty functions of the BIA in order to get control over the many realty issues which have helped create the present crisis stemming out of Cobell litigation. Land inheritance policies have created parcels of land with thousands of owners. Keeping track of all the owners is nearly impossible. Buying back interests will cost money that tribes don't have. The problem increases exponentially with each passing day. Many Indians own very small interests and may get a check for about 19 cents. Imagine the cost of processing all of these tiny checks. Many of the owners will

never be found. Many parcels of land have so many owners that the land is effectively locked up so that nobody can do anything with the land. Tribes have maintained that most of the BIA problems stem from Congress failing to provide the needed resources to handle trust responsibilities.

There are pending trust court cases which the Department of Justice is currently defending and their stance is to say that trust responsibility either doesn't exist or it is minimal. Getting more budgets out of congress will require us to prove that the U.S. has trust responsibilities that it is obligated to uphold.

**Columbia River Contamination:**  
Cominco is a huge smelter located at Trail BC and it has been dumping its wastes into the river for many years. Currently there is heavy metal contamination and toxic metals like

mercury are present in the contamination. These metals make their way into the fish that live in the Columbia. The fish may be toxic also. In BC, environmental laws seem to look the other way on problems such as this. Our staffs recommended that we pursue this matter by pressing the U.S. federal government to take action under federal superfund law. We will be asking the Department of Interior to take a lead role. Under these laws, the smelter could be held liable for contamination of the Columbia River on the U.S. side of the border. Of course, this process is likely to be a lengthy and drawn out contest. There is a tendency for the U.S. and Canada to ignore these trans-boundary issues.

**Other Cross Border Issues:**  
We are working closely with the Okanogan Nation Alliance, our

sister tribes in Canada, on trying to re-establish fisheries. There is a lot of potential spawning habitat in Canada for salmon. If these can be utilized and enhanced, then these fish pass through our reservation also. So it's in our own interest to get fish re-established in Canada. Many of our people used to fish in what is now Canada and vice versa. There are discussions for reestablishing an international intertribal fish commission to deal with our cross border fishing issues. We have been successful in working with the Okanogans and setting up cooperative management agreements to actually do fish studies, hire biologists, and actually grow salmon in our own hatcheries. These are pioneer efforts for now, but they have a lot of potential for the future.

## Moses Update By Harvey

Greeting Fellow Tribal Members:  
It's good to be back, and again thank each and everyone of you for your trust and confidence in me! I apologize for missing the last Tribune issue. I'm currently involved in the BIA reorganization process, which is not going well for the Tribes. The Department of the Interior is going to create another arm of

government to oversee "Indian Affairs," similar to the Office of Trust Management. My CBC assignments for the year are Chairman of the Management & Budget Committee; Second Vice-Chair for the Cultural Committee; liaison between the CBC and the CTEC Board of Directors as a non-voting member; a member of the Credit Committee; a delegate to

## Hutchinson Update

**Dear Tribal Members:**  
This has been an especially eventful, and productive month. First of all, Shirley Charley, Harvey Moses, and I scheduled a meeting with the area director, Stan Speaks, to discuss transportation issues. Since we had transportation plans on the shelf for the 2002 year, we were awarded the excess funding for the Omak Lake Project. If we did not have these plans ready to go the funding would have reverted back to the Bureau. In addition to that we may be also receiving additional money to complete the Rebecca Lake, and Operations and Maintenance money for the Inchelium Ferry. So this was a very productive meeting with the Portland Area Office. The Omak Lake Project has been on the shelves since 1968.

Another project that is making a strong impact is the Employment and Training program. Anita Tonasket, and Brad Schroder are coordinating some pretty technical training for our tribal members. They are pursuing job opportunities with Hanford Superfund Site, Bureau of Land Management, U.S. Forest Service, Bureau of Reclamation, Army Corps of engineers at Chief Joseph and Grand Coulee Dams, and both the CCT Mills. This is one approach to our environmental issues facing the tribe, to train our members and have them work here. We can capitalize on outside money coming here rather than going to the outside.

Upon completion of this program the students will be certified and will be able to choose their work site.

We rescinded resolution 1999-814 in its entirety, due to cost savings. This was the resolution that rotated the Regular And Special Session of the Council, now they will all be held in Nespelem.

The Governor signed our Gaming Compact and now we are waiting for the Secretary of the Interior to sign. Once we have all the documents signed we will begin the transition from our slots to the video machines. This process should take about fifteen to eighteen months.

The membership total as of August 1, 2002, is 8,891 enrolled tribal members. The previous April count was 8,841, and we added 78 new enrollees, and deleted 26 deceased members, and 2 relinquished members, for the total of 8,891.

Just recently I was nominated to sit on the Agriculture and Home Economics advisory board for Washington State University. At first I was a little hesitant, because I am already so busy, but after attending my first meeting I feel this will be very beneficial to the tribe. The board will review the priorities they set for the type of research they conduct, whether it be nutrition research, Risk management, or some sort of seed breeding program.

Margie C. Hutchinson


Okanogan Nation Alliance, and a member of the Election Committee.

In July I traveled to Portland to attend my first Intertribal Monitoring Association meetings (ITMA). This group is attempting to get a handle on the IIM problem; it is made up of Tribes from across the country. I traveled to Ocean Shores in August to witness the State Gaming Commissioners approving a Gaming compact with the Colville Tribes. I traveled to Portland with two other CBC members recently to lobby the BIA Area Director for more transportation money and was successful. I spent two days with a majority of the Council and Tribal Administration at Grand Coulee working on the fiscal 2003 budget, which was passed on September 4th, in the amount of \$46 million, with approximately \$800,000 possibly coming from re-


serves. I was delegated to participate in a committee comprised of 3 CBC members, 2 CTEC BOD members and a Human Resources person, to meet with as many CTEC Gaming employees, managers, etc., as possible to come up with a resolution to on-going problems, in that entity.

As a new CBC member I see things looking better then before. I see more continuity in the Council Chambers, then in past years. But there is always room for improvement and I will continue to strive for a better reservation, with improved living conditions and meaningful employment for the membership. If you have concerns or comments, do not hesitate to call me at the numbers listed below.

Thank you,  
Harvey Moses Jr.  
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## CCT 9-11 Tribute Held

On Wednesday, September 11, 2002 the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation held a 9-11 Tribute at 12: Noon

We would like to THANK ALL the participants who made this Tribute a memorable one:

- H The Colville Tribes Police Department
- H The Colville Tribes Emergency Medical Services
- H The Colville Tribes Fire Fighters and MTFC Personnel
- H Honorary Drum: Northern Nation
- H Host: Joe Pakootas, CBC Chairman
- H Prayer: Father Anthony Ahn
- H Elder Prayer: Mary Marchand, Mike Somday
- H Laying of Wreath of Honor and: Veterans Honor Guard
- H Playing of TAPS
- H Special / Poetic Readings: Chief Rory Gilliland, Bill Mollenberg
- H Special Prayers: Joanne Leith, Margie Hutchinson, Lucille Pakootas, Jeanne Jerred, and John Stensgar
- H Display 9-11 Tribute Painting: Smoker Marchand

In closing, an extended THANKYOU to Jack Smith, Dorthy Zacherle, Sylvia Desautel and Jerry Baltzell for coordinating this Tribute.

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# TRIBAL NEWS

# TOTS

## Colville Community CALENDAR

### THE COLVILLE TRIBAL'S ASSOCIATION ART SHOW OCTOBER 4, 5, & 6, 2002

Will be held in conjunction with the NORTHWEST NATIVE AMERICAN BASKETWEAVERS ASSOCIATION'S ANNUAL "GATHERING"

Schedule of Events

Oct. 4, 2002: Artists set up in gym, 3 p.m. until 5 p.m. 5:30 p.m. Opening reception until 9 p.m., refreshments will be served.

Oct. 5, 2002: Open to the public (a \$4.00 adult entry fee) 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

Oct. 6, 2002: Open to the public (a \$4.00 adult entry fee) 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

People's Choice Award will be announced at 2 p.m.  
**Colville Tribal Artists Association - k'el sisyikst**

## Invitation

Dear Friends,

At the invitation of the Northwest Native American Basket Weavers Association, the Colville Tribal Artist's Association is proud to announce an Art Show in conjunction with their annual "Gathering" to be held this year, 2002 in Omak, WA at the Colville Tribe's Omak Longhouse (Pascal Sherman).

You are invited to submit an application to participate in this Art Show. The Art Show will be held on the Pascal Sherman grounds in their gymnasium near the Omak Longhouse.

The mission of the Colville Tribal Artist's Association is to perpetuate, provide opportunities, and encourage Tribal Artists with an emphasis on intergenerational learning, and to Strengthen our native cultures.

Our goal for this Art Show is to celebrate artistic achievement, help economic benefit for our Native Artists and increase public awareness and appreciation of Native arts and culture.

Our Art Show will not take away from the "Gathering", we will enhance it. We would like to show all the arts.

### 27th Annual VETERAN'S CELEBRATION

Sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary Unit 114 - NESPELEM, WA

**\*\*HONORING ALL VETERANS\*\***

**2003 Schedule of Events**

**\* SAT., NOV. 2 1 P.M. GRAND ENTRY & INVOCATION**

MEMORIALS/REJOININGS

LIL' MISS POPPY AND

JR. MISS POPPY PAGEANT

VETERANS HONOR DANCE

NESPELEM COMMUNITY CENTER

**\* SUN., NOV. 3 1 P.M. GRAND ENTRY & INVOCATION**

- WOMEN'S VETERANS SPECIAL

- WARBONNET SPECIAL

Other Pow-Wow Activities

NESPELEM COMMUNITY CENTER

- All Drums Welcome -

**\* MON., NOV. 11 10 A.M. LAYING OF THE**

**WREATH AT THE VETERANS MONUMENT**

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RAFFLE DRAWING WILL BE SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

### Honoring the Spirit of all Cowlitz People

#### 3rd Annual Pow Wow

October 12, 2002

Toledo High School Gym

Toledo, Washington

Free Admission - Open to the Public

Grand Entries at 1 p.m. and 7 p.m.

Dancing, Drumming and Raffle

All Drums and Dancers Welcome

Native American Arts and Crafts Vendors

Directions: Take exit 63 - go east towards Toledo. The high school is on the right approximately two miles from the freeway.

General Information: Bob Bouchard 360-883-0985,

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### Okanogan River

### Salmon Festival

### Follow The Salmon Home

Omak - October 5 & 6

Tonasket - October 12 & 13

Oroville - October 19 & 20

Native Dancers, Kid's Fishing Pond, Carnival, Storytellers, Art Show, Music & Street Dance, Traditional Salmon Bake

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### Introducing the local TOTS Project Team:



**Cindy Thomas**  
TOTS Site Coordinator



**Jerry Signor**  
Research Assistant



**Joann Signor**  
Research Assistant

### The Facts on Sugared Beverages, Tooth Decay, Obesity, and Our Children

Did you know that People living in the United States consume more sugared beverages, such as Pepsi and Sunny Delight, than any other population in the world? This extremely high consumption rate has serious health implications. First,

sugared beverages are replacing nutritious beverages, such as water, milk, and fruit juice, in our diets. Second, this replacement of nutritious beverages has coincided with increases in childhood obesity and early childhood tooth decay.

### An Exciting New Project to Reduce Toddler Obesity and Tooth Decay

Please welcome a new project out of a tribal partnership with the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board—The Toddler Obesity and Tooth Decay Project, informally coined as the TOTS Project. This project will be working with our communities over the next three years to implement community and family-based activities and events in our communities.

The Overall aim of the TOTS Project is to test whether tribal specific activities and events can reduce the consumption of soft drinks and other sugared beverages in pregnant mothers and their babies, and extend the length of breastfeeding. The TOTS project will also test whether these changes can impact childhood obesity and tooth

decay. The project is innovative in its focus on a single aspect of diet—beverage. If successful, the project would have great significance for the many tribal communities facing these problems.

If you have any questions about this exciting new program or would like more information please contact Cindy Thomas, Site Coordinator at (509) 722-7024 or tribal ext: 7024.

### HealthyNEWS

#### Tribal Child Care Assistance

Did you know that your family might be eligible to receive assistance with childcare costs? The Colville Tribes has a Child Care Assistance Program and may be the answer to your childcare worries. Contact the child Care Assistance Program to see if you meet the following criteria:

- 1) Must be Income Eligibility
- 2) Must be working or attending school
- 3) Must live on, or near, the reservation
- 4) You, or your child/children, must be enrolled Colville Tribal members.
- 5) Cannot be receiving any other childcare assistance with the exception of DSHS Co-Payments (we might be able to assist with your portion of your co-payment).

If you believe you might be eligible contact the Colville Tribes Child Care coordinator, Luana Gendron, at (509)634-2743 to schedule an intake. Intakes can be scheduled in the Nespelem, Omak or Inchelium Employment & Training Program sites.



We held our annual mini pow-wow on September 20, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at CTCC.

New residents: Michael Burton, Loren J. Louie, Gabriel (Sonny) Moses, Lawrence (Coyote) Williams, Martina Baptiste, Bruce Sterley, William Thomas, Pauline Pakootas and John Monaghan.

Residents discharged to home: Pauline Pakootas and John Monaghan.

Residents discharged to hospital: Bruce Sterley.

New employees: Melynda Covington NA, Lynnette Tom NAC, Mike Harden, kitchen aide.

Outings: Melba Johnson, Ellen Abeita and Donna Marchand to China Star in Omak for lunch.

Donations: thank you to everyone who donated for our 9/20/02 yard sale. Thank you to John Pakootas Jr. for the venison and salmon.

Employee of the month for September 2002 is Cheryl Michel NAC.

Resident of the month for September 2002 is Shireen Desoto.

Thank you to John Pakootas, Maintenance Supervisor and Donna Marchand, Activity Director, for doing our patient transports to and from doctor appointments over this past month.

We had our annual State Nursing Home Inspection on August 5, 6 and 7. CTCC did excellent on our survey. A big thank you and congratulations to ALL our dedicated, skilled, hard-working staff.

## Colville Tribal Indian Language Preservation Program

IN RECOGNITION OF ALL YOUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS

## Amelia Moses receives EWU scholarship

CHENEY, WA., August 21 -- Amelia Moses of Nespelem, Wash., has been awarded a \$1,500 Josephine Fitzgerald Memorial Scholarship for the 2002-2003 academic year at Eastern Washington University. This scholarship is awarded to outstanding students who are interested in Native American issues.

Moses, the daughter of Cheryl and Harvey Moses of Nespelem, graduated in 2001 from Lake Roosevelt High School in Coulee Dam, Wash., where she participated in Future Business Leaders of America, having been president and secretary of the organization; was vice-president of the Associated Student body and a member of the National Honor Society, in addition to playing varsity volleyball and tennis.

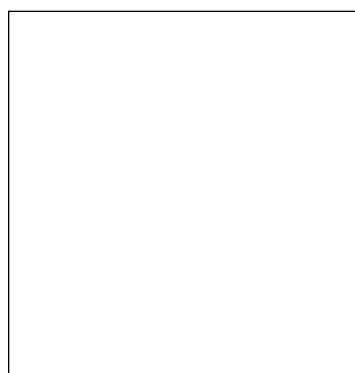
In the community, she was the Grand Coulee Dam Area Chamber of Commerce's first princess 2000-2001 and received the United State Bureau of Reclamation Employee Appreciation Award. She has worked for the History & Archaeology Department in the community and is involved with the HOPE Bible Study.

At Eastern, Moses has been involved with Crusade Bible Study, Native American Student Association, Phi Eta Sigma honor society and participated in the first annual Hui O'Hawaii Luau. She is a sophomore and is majoring in anthropology.

## Congratulations!

We would like to congratulate our daughter Annette Ives on all her great achievements she accomplished.

Love, Dad, Mom, Grandma & Grandpa Timentwa, Grandma &



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LETTER

## The Passing of the Feather: Ladonna Harris, National Community Leader To hand Over 32-Year Legacy

WASHINGTON, D.C., September 15 — All across Indian Country the generation in power is turning over the reins of responsibility to the next generation — challenging new leaders to develop initiatives and solutions while continuing the work of their predecessors.

Thus it is that on September 18, LaDonna Harris (Comanche) - nationally known activist and advocate of Native American causes — steps aside as Chief Executive Officer of Americans for Indian Opportunity (AIO) and will pass the feather of leadership to Laura Harris (Comanche), the current Executive Vice President, and her daughter. Americans for Indian Opportunity is a national non-profit organization that for thirty-two years has served as a catalyst enriching the cultural, political and economic self-determination of Indigenous peoples.

Although LaDonna Harris will no longer administer the organization, she will continue to play a critical role as the President of the Board of Directors. She will spearhead AIO's increased work on international issues that affect indigenous peoples. "I will focus my attention on the birth of a transnational network of emerging Indigenous leaders who will be full participants in world affairs. Globalization must not become just another form of colonization," says LaDonna.

Over the past ten years, LaDonna, through AIO's award-winning American Indian Ambassadors Program, has taken the lead in facilitating the transition of power to the next generation. The Ambassadors Program is a two-year fellowship that cultivates the skills of emerging Indian leaders,

affirms tribal values and teaches contemporary global realities.

In addition to founding AIO, Ladonna helped establish the National Indian Housing Council and the women's Political Caucus. Her influence now reaches to the international community to promote peace, as well. She was named U.S. Representative to the OAS Inter-American Indigenous Institute and the U. S. Representative to the United National Education, Science and Culture

Organization (UNESCO).

On September 18, a prestigious host committee will honor the lifetime achievements of LaDonna Harris and commemorate Laura Harris' new leadership role with a gala celebration at the Omni Shoreham Hotel in Washington, D.C.. Proceeds from the event will benefit AIO's international initiatives. For further information, call AIO at 505-453-3869, 505-867-0278 or at the Hotel Monaco at 202-629-7177.

Americans for Indian Opportunity

(AIO) is a national non-profit advocacy organization headquartered on the Santa Ana Pueblo reservation in New Mexico. The organization draws upon traditional tribal values in its effort to promote innovative problem solving, develop leadership, and create contemporary institutions that can face the challenges of the 21st century. Visit our website at [www.aio.org](http://www.aio.org).

## Thank You Omak Stampede Indian Encampment Pow-Wow VOLUNTEERS

Hello, my name is Deidre Antone, I am the chairperson of the Omak Stampede Indian Encampment Pow-Wow. I would like to thank everyone that attended the pow-wow and especially all that lended a helping hand. There are so many areas that need attention and we need all the help we can get.

A very special thank you to the Encampment Chairperson, Flodell Williams. She puts her entire heart into making this event the best it can be and works very long hours from start to finish. The Encampment is very lucky to have her dedication and knowledge year after year.

Thank you to Verna and Larry Winders for taking charge of the raffle, they did an extreme amount of work and we greatly appreciate it. A huge thanks to Linda Saint, she is helpful wherever we need her and is a great volunteer. Thank you to Leslie McCraige who always keeps our budget on track and makes it as easy as possible to handle the financial part of the encampment. Arkie Andrew also needs a thanks for handling the Stickgame in such a way that people always want to return every year.

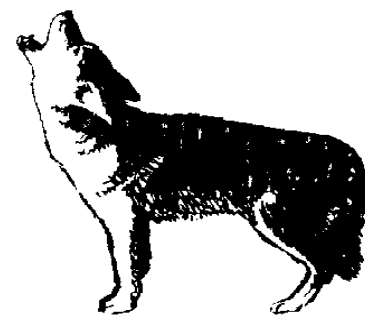
An extra special thank you to my husband Earl, who if it was not for him I wouldn't have the strength to handle this responsibility.

The pow-wow went very well, we had over 200 dancers registered and everyone acknowledged that they would be returning next year! That is always exciting to hear.

We would like to invite anyone that wants to help with the planning next year to contact me to get on our mailing list. I know that people had comments and it would be greatly appreciated to hear your comments and get your help at our meetings.

Thanks again to the committee and everyone that attended this year. Deidre Antone, Pow-Wow Chairperson and Encampment Secretary.

## our past



### 35 Years Ago (September 11, 1967)

\*The U.S. Senate Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs on Aug. 17 passed S. 282, a Bill that will terminate Federal Supervision over the property and affairs of the Colville Indian Reservation.

\*The full Senate on Aug. 23 passed the S. 282 Bill with minor technical language changes.

\*On Aug. 19 at the Nespelem Grade School, the Tribal Membership during a General Claims meeting voted to accept a proposed settlement of \$3,500,000 on Colville Claims Dockets 177, 181-A, and 181-B. The votes was 242 Yes votes to 10 No votes.

\*Aaron T. Louis has been appointed the Mechanical Drafting Instructor at the new Vocational-Technical College at Watertown, South Dakota.

### 25 Years Ago (September 29, 1977)

\*Noted Indian Leader George Friedlander, who was born on Christmas Day, 1904, left us on Sept. 15. He was a descendant of Chief Moses, Chief Owhi, and Chief Kamiakin. He served on the Tribes' Business Council from 1938 to 1953.

\*The Dedication Ceremony for the new addition to the East Omak Community Center will be held on Oct. 1.

\*Tim Wapato, a Lieutenant for the Los Angeles Police Department, was elected Chairman of the newly formed City/County Indian Commission.

### 15 Years Ago (September 29, 1987)

\*The Veterans Monument Dedication Ceremony will be held on Friday, Nov. 13.

\*Jeremiah Francis Jack, who is 2nd Grader at Nespelem Elementary School was selected as one of the 1,400 finalist in the U.S. Department of Education's Elementary Essay Project on the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution. More than 1.5-million students submitted their entries.

\*Henry Palmer, 16, won several ribbons and cash for his stained glass rendition of a bald eagle at the 1987 Okanogan County Fair. His parents are Mike and Linda Palmer.

\*The Colville Tribes' Fiscal Year 1988 Budget is \$11,141,800.

\*Denna Jerred, 1987 Keller Junior Rodeo Queen, won the Intermediate Girls' Pole Bending event at the Eastern Washington Junior Rodeo Association Finals Rodeo held Aug. 23 at Omak, WA.

### 5 Years Ago (September 4, 1997)

\*An "Earth Turning" ceremony was held on Aug. 5 at the site of the new Nespelem District Senior Center.

\*A Feast and Celebration will be held on Friday, Sept. 26, at the 4th of July Grounds, Nespelem, WA., to celebrate the 125th Anniversary of the Colville Indian Reservation 1872-1997.

\*CTEC's Employee Headcount for the Month of April 1997 shows 739 Employees and 293 Temporary Employees.

\*1997-1998 Miss Omak Encampment Princess is Tolana Vargas, Nespelem, WA.; Lil' Omak Indian Encampment Brave is Randy Stewart, Toppenish, WA.; and Lil' Miss Omak Indian Encampment is Sarah Stanger, Coulee Dam, WA. Tolana and Sarah are Colville Tribal Members and Randy is from the Yakima Indian Nation.

# Blasting on 22-Story Horse's Head Underway on Crazy Horse

CRAZY HORSE MEM., S.D., Sept. 22—Progress on the world's largest mountain carving is contributing to record visitation at Crazy Horse in the Black Hills of South Dakota. The Memorial is a tribute to the Native American, all Tribes.

The nine-story high face of Crazy Horse alone is the largest sculpture in the world. The face was completed in 1998 after which blocking out began on the 22-story-high horse's head. The sculptural engineering involves some of the heaviest drilling and blasting of recent years, with the progress seen by more than one-million visitors annually.

"There's no question the work on the horse's head is capturing the public imagination in a new way," said Ruth Ziolkowski. She assumed leadership of the nonprofit Memorial following the 1982 death of her husband, sculptor Korczak Ziolkowski.

**Doubly Interesting**  
"No sculpture on this scale has ever been attempted, and our visitors seem intrigued with the engineering logistics we've developed to shape the massive horse's head", she said. "People also say the work is doubly interesting because they can see one portion of the carving finished and can contrast that with the progress underway on other parts".

When completed, Crazy Horse will tower 563' high, extend 641' in length and be carved three dimensionally in-the-round. Several million tons of granite have been blasted off since work began in 1948.

Financed primarily from an admission charge, Crazy Horse is not a Federal or State project. The Memorial is a nonprofit educational and cultural undertaking whose major goals include the mountain carving, the Indian Museum of North America and the planned Indian University of North

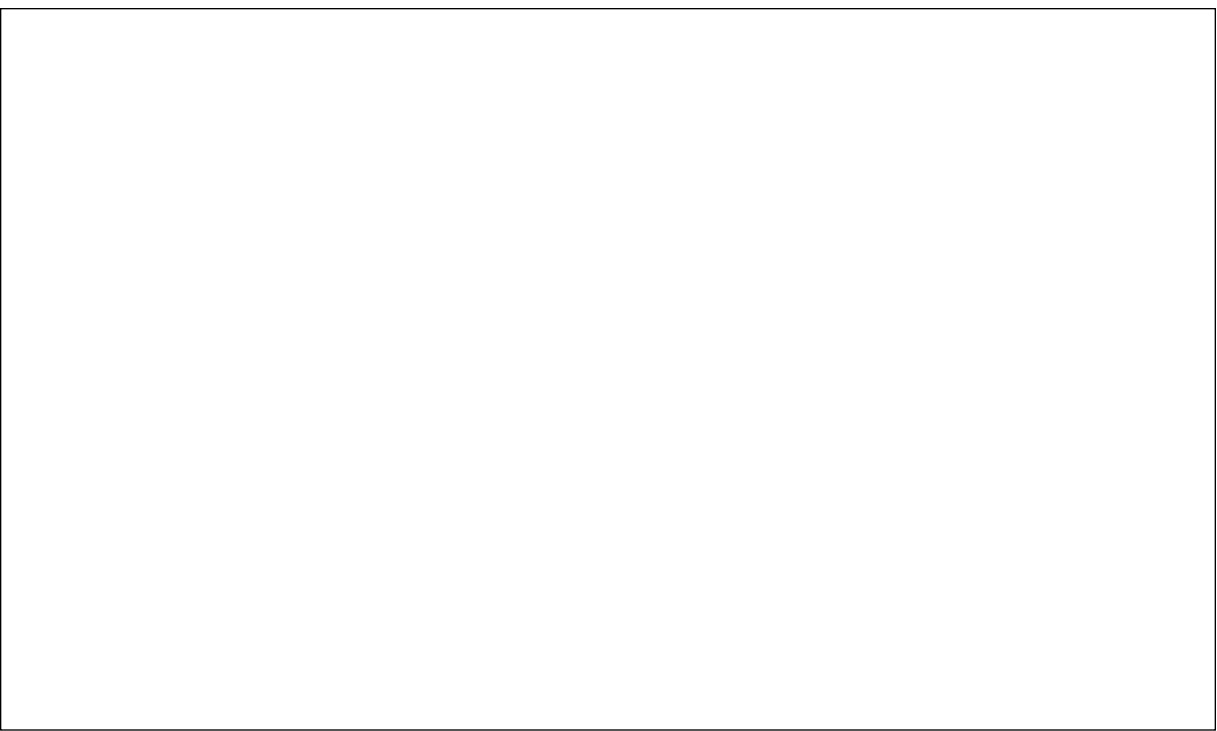
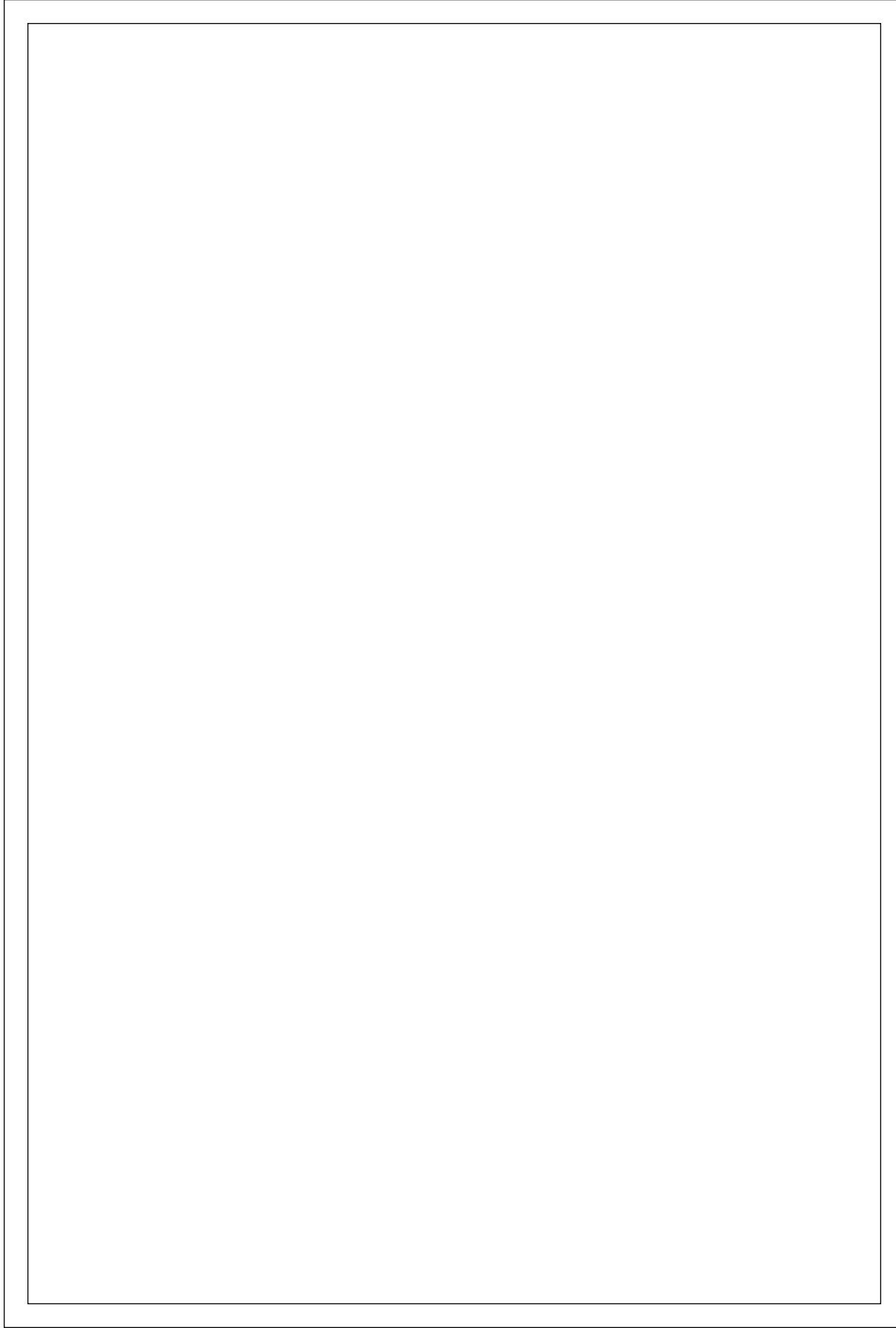
America and Medical Training Center.

### 20th Anniversary

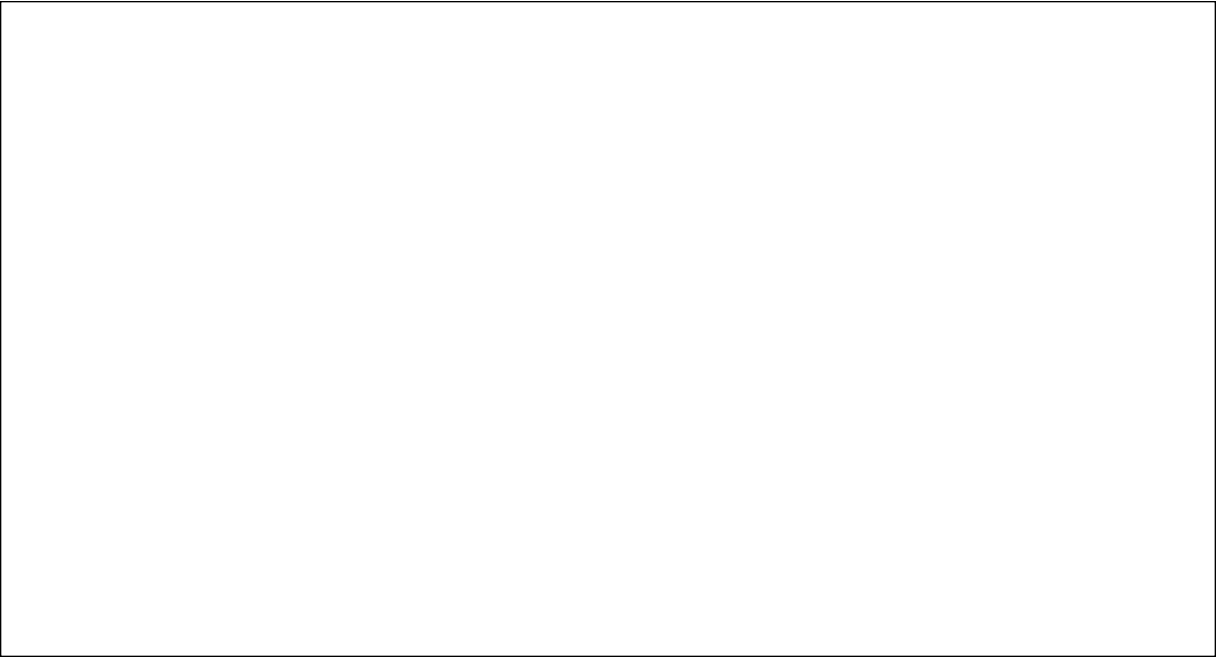
The Memorial is observing 2002 as a Year of Rededication in commemoration of the 20th anniversary of the sculptor's death on October 20, 1982. The official observance will be October 14th during the annual S.D. Native American Day activities at the Memorial.

Korczak undertook the project in 1947 at the request of Lakota Elders. Chief Harry Standing Bear's invitation said, "My fellow Chiefs and I would like the white man to know the red man has great heroes too". The first blast was June 3, 1948, and it took off just 10 tons.

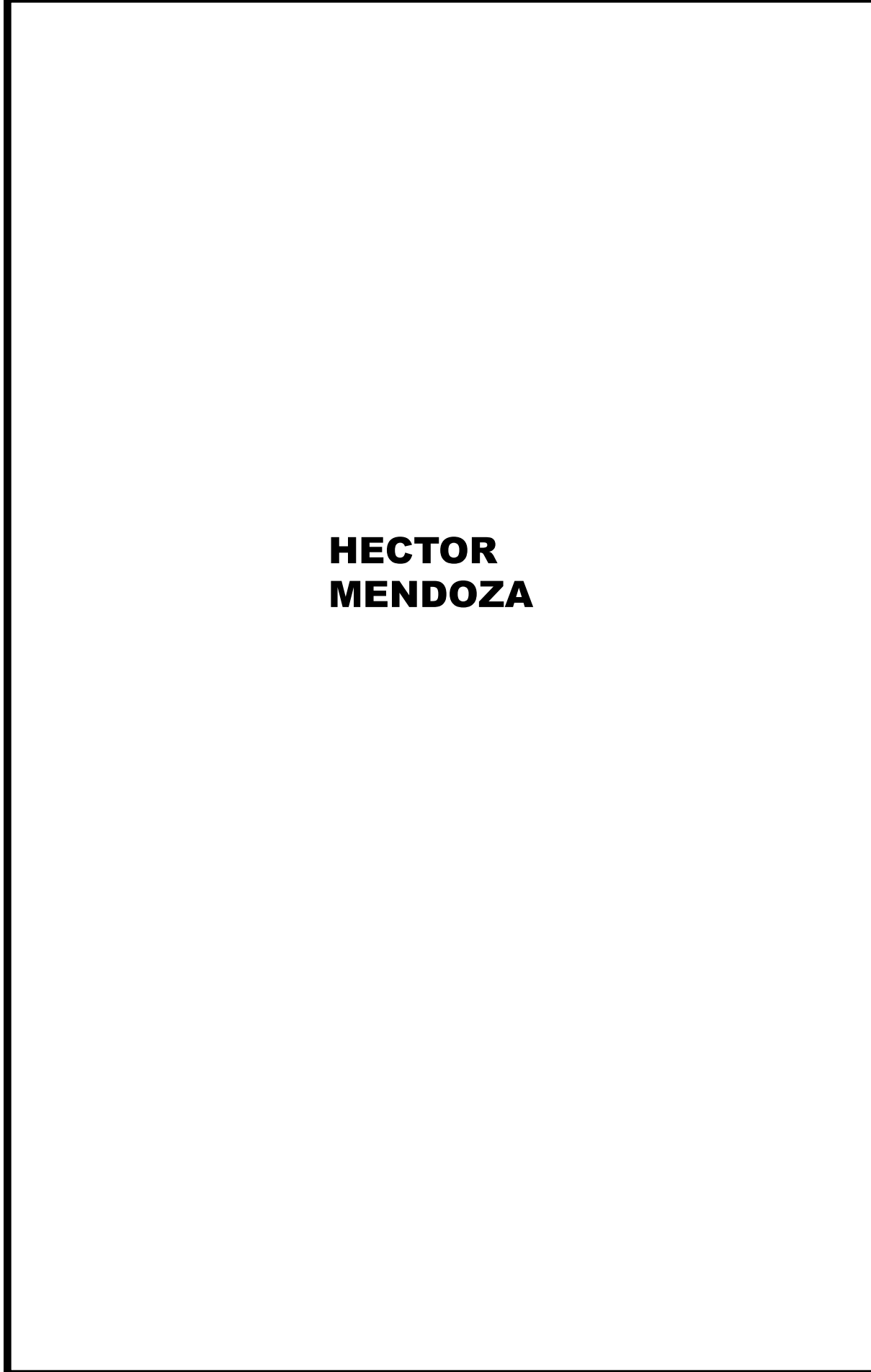
The sculptor's wife and seven of their five sons and five daughters have continued the project since his death. They work in a dynamic team effort with the board of directors of the nonprofit Crazy Horse Memorial Foundation.



I'LL GET YOU—Betty Sampson competes in the Ladies Breakaway during the W.S.I.R.A. Regional Finals Rodeo held Sunday, Sept. 22, at Toppenish, WA. Betty also competed in the Century Team Roping event.

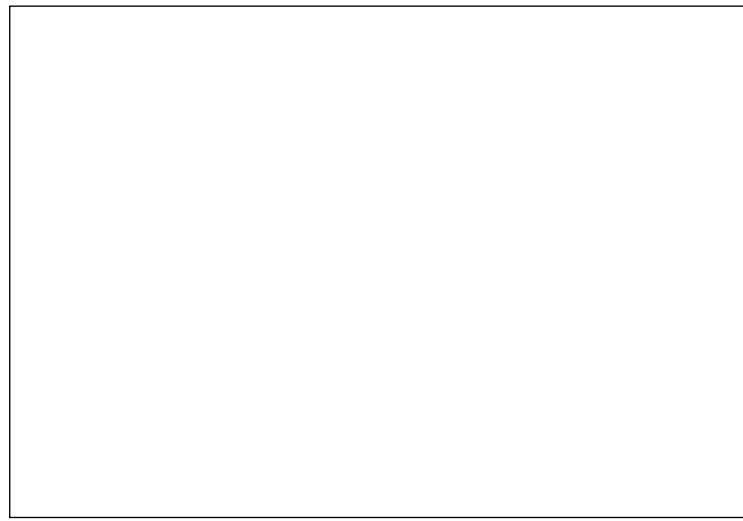


GOING TO RODEO FINALS—Shawn Best Jr. tries to stay aboard his Braham Bull while competing at Toppenish. Toward the end of the Bull Riding contest, the Announcer said that no one was able to stay aboard his bull during the two days of competition. Shawn Jr. earned enough points in the different rodeos he competed in to qualify as a contestant in Bull Riding for the 27th Annual Indian National Finals Rodeo to be held Oct. 10-13 at San Jacinto, California. Shawn's Dad will also compete in the Finals in three different events: bareback, saddle bronc, and bull riding. Shawn Sr. racked up his needed points while competing in rodeos held by the Florida Indian Rodeo Association.

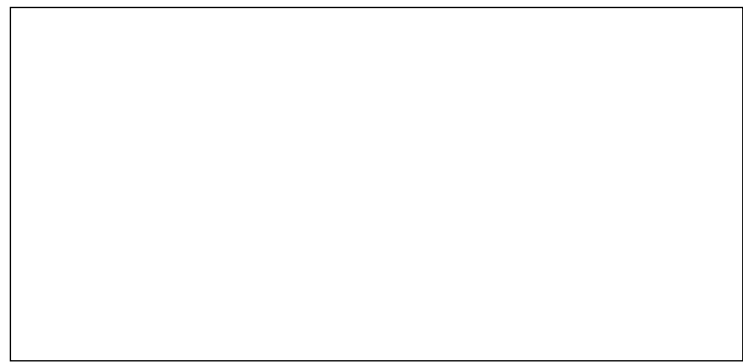


**HECTOR MENDOZA**

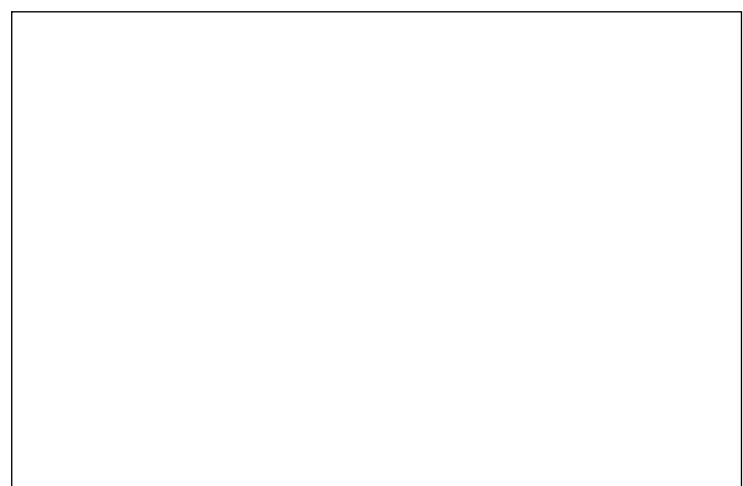
Below are some of the Military Personnel and Civilians that participated in the Ceremony that was held on Friday, Sept. 13, in Memory of Sgt. Nathan P. Hays, United States Marine Corps (USMC), on the Football Field at Emerson Park, Wilbur, WA.



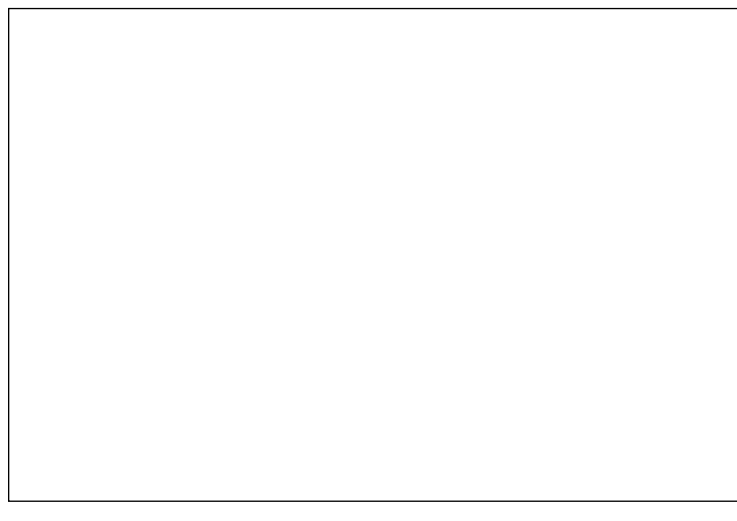
SEMPER FIDELIS (Latin Word means "Always Faithful")—(L to R) In their dress blue uniforms are members of Papa Battery, 5th Battalion, 14th Marines, Marine Corps Reserves, Inspector & Instructor Staff, Spokane, WA., and 15 Marines from Marine Aerial Refueler Transport Squadron-352 (VMGR-352), Marine Corps Air Station (MCAS) Miramar, San Diego, California.



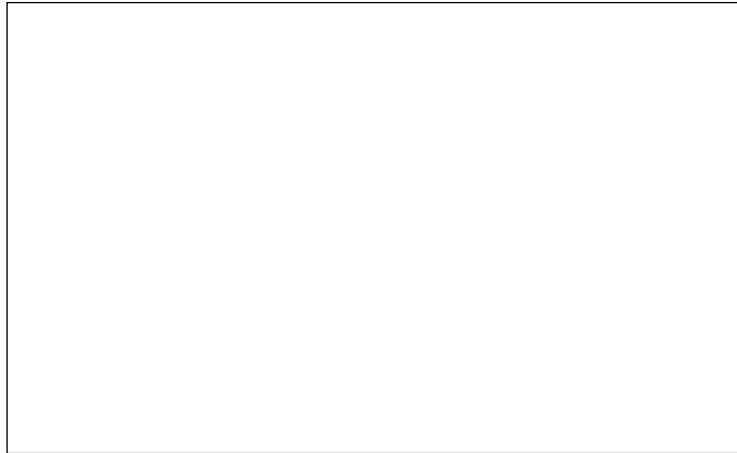
CLASSMATES OF SGT. HAYS—The Wilbur/Creston Wildcats Football Team listen as different speakers paid Tribute to Sgt. Nathan P. Hays. In the front row are three Colville Tribal Members: (Left side, middle, right side) No. 34 Danny Tonasket, No. 53 Robert Kolb, and No. 40 Joseph Esquivel. Two other Tribal Members are: No. 24 Alfredo Conant and No. 80 James Esquivel. The five Tribal Members and No. 29 Calib Ross, No. 48 Paige Caudell, and No. 65 Justus Caudell are from Keller, WA. After the Memorial Ceremony, the Team played against the Lind/Ritzville Broncos.



PLANE USED FOR COMBAT-SUPPORT—Sgt. (E-5) Ricky Poon from VMGR-352 holds a sketch of a KC-130 Hercules that he presented to Principal Tom Johnson for display at the Wilbur School. The aircraft provides aerial refueling support and critical supplies to air and ground combat troops.



A FRIEND AND A FELLOW MARINE—SSgt. (E-6) Christopher Hanson in his desert flight suit told the crowd stories about his friend, Sgt. Hays. Both Marines are "Flight Engineers". Behind the microphone is SSgt. Tim Savage (Retired), who was the Master of Ceremonies and is the Post Commander of VFW Post #6268.



SGT. HAYS' FRIEND AND FAMILY—(L to R) Sgt. Hays' friend and classmate Chris Rettkowski; and Sgt. Hays' parents and sister and brother: Jim, Cassie, Kim, and Pat. Chris read a message to the crowd that was from the Commandant of the Marine Corps, Gen. James L. Jones. Seaman Recruit Cassie Hays joined the Navy last December, and is presently a Hospital Corpsman Student at the Marine Corps Base, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina. It's the Navy Corpsman on the battlefield, who risks his/her life to provide medical aid to a wounded Marine.



YOU WON'T BE FORGOTTEN SGT. HAYS!—Observing the closing ceremony for Sgt. Hays, 21, are: (L to R) Sgt. Ricky Poon, Superintendent Marcia Moon and Principal Tom Johnson of the Wilbur School, and U.S Rep. George Nethercutt, R-5th District. Supt. Moon holds the flag, which previously had flown over the Pentagon in honor of Sgt. Hays. Principal Johnson holds the Staff NCO Sword presented to him by Sgt. Poon. Both the flag and the Staff NCO Sword will be displayed at the school.

## KJM Continued from front page

project is more than just an elementary or middle school because your culture will be taught through this facility," said Leandra Thompson, Project Manager, KJM & Associates. "It is a wonderful opportunity to make something new that will reflect the culture of the Colville Tribes."

The New Campus and Dormitory is funded by an \$18 million grant from the Bureau of Indian Affairs. The construction budget for the project is expected to be approximately \$16.5 million. The project will consist of a new K-9 school, cultural and community center, a new dormitory for approximately 80 male and female students, a preschool and parenting education center, administrative offices, water, waste-water treatment and fire protection systems, and extensive playfields, all on a 30 acre campus.

"It is important that our new school not only represent our history and our culture, it should also be a great place for our youth to learn and grow in a safe environment," said Wendell George, PSIS Board Vice-Chairman and Construction Steering Committee member. "The new PSIS school is going to be something we can all be proud of."

Community members will also be involved in the project so that there is a sense of ownership in the new school. Wendell will be in contact with Tribal Elders and Colville Tribal Programs related to culture and history to collect background information on the Colville Tribes. This information will then be copyrighted to Paschal Sherman Indian School and submitted along with the Request for Proposals as elements to be incorporated into the design of the new school.

The construction of the New Paschal Sherman Indian School will be located near Omak, WA on the Colville Indian Reservation and approximately 5 miles east from the town of Omak, Washington, on tribal

trust land south of the existing school grounds. The new school complex will be constructed utilizing the Design-Build Delivery Method.

Design-build is a way to procure a construction project where the architect and the contractor work together to design and then construct a project. In design-build, the design-builder is selected for the project through a competition as opposed to winning the project based on a low-bid. The competition is about which team gives you the best design with the most features for the fixed construction price (approximately \$16.5 million dollars). In design-build the architect and the contractor have a legal agreement to work together so conflict, and miscommunication are reduced. This gives the Owner a single point of responsibility for the project. Design-Build is known for getting projects built faster than traditional design-bid-build as the architect and contractor work together. KJM anticipates the project will be completed over 8 months faster, giving the Tribe a new school by August of 2004 in stead of August 2005.

A request for Letters of Intent is being sent out nation wide. All firms submitting a Letter of Interest will receive the Request for Qualifications and Competition Prospectus (RFQ). Three firms will be short-listed to receive the Request for Proposals (RFP) and participate in the competition process. An Honoraria of \$75,000 will be offered for the RFP Competition. The final selected proposal will be on display at the Sunflower Festival in May 2003.

Students currently enrolled will be considered first in the new school with a target enrollment of 260 students and 80 - 100 residential students.

### NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST DESIGN-BUILD QUALIFICATIONS

#### PASCAL SHERMAN INDIAN SCHOOL NEW K-9 CAMPUS AND DORMITORY

##### DESIGN-BUILD DELIVERY METHOD

##### SOLICITATION FOR LETTERS OF INTEREST RESPONSES DUE: OCTOBER 7, 2002

The Paschal Sherman Indian School is soliciting Letters of Interest from Design-Build or Joint Venture Firms interested in receiving a Request for Qualifications for the design and construction of a New K-9 Campus and Dormitory located near Omak, WA on the Colville Indian Reservation, utilizing the Design-Build Delivery Method. Firms with experience in the design-build delivery method and education campuses are encouraged to submit a letter of interest.

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The project will be implemented using two-phase design-build selection process. All firms submitting a Letter of Interest will receive the Request for Qualifications and Competition Prospectus (RFQ). Three firms will be short-listed to receive the Request for Proposals (RFP) and participate in the competition process. An Honoraria of \$75,000 will be offered for the RFP Competition.

The RFQ/RFP process will be managed utilizing the Design Build Institute of America (DBIA) 'Design-Build RFQ/RFP Guide for Public Sector Projects and the DBIA Manual of Practice. (Copies of these publications may be obtained from DBIA at their web site [www.dbia.org](http://www.dbia.org).)

Due to the need for fair and unbiased treatment during the selection and competition in the RFQ/RFP Process, **any and all contact must ONLY be through the Owner's Project Manager:**

Leandra Thompson  
KJM & Associates  
10 N. Post Street  
Spokane, WA 99201  
(509) 747-8031

From this Publication Date forward, any contact by individuals or firms with the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Paschal Sherman Indian School and/or the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation regarding this project may be grounds for immediate disqualification from the RFQ/RFP Process.

Firms interested in submitting a Letter of Intent, two-page maximum, may submit the letter to be received not later than 4:00 PM local time on October 7, 2002 to the Project Manager/Owner's Representative listed above. Please send the letter by U.S. Mail or courier service. Facsimiles or e-mail attachments will not be accepted.

# Alcatraz Is Not An Island

To air Nationally on PBS November 7, 2002 at 10:00 p.m.

"Alcatraz is not an island . . . Alcatraz is an inspiration, it is the idea that you can control your own destiny, and self-determine your own future." —Richard Oakes, Mohawk  
"The government did all these things and sat on tribes for so many years . . . and yet still, in 1969, there's still a group of people who were willing to stand up and say, we want our freedom. We want to be Native people. We want our own governments. We want the right to self-determination. It's a revolutionary act —Wilma Mankiller, Cherokee

SAN FRANCISCO, CA — Independent Television Service (ITVS) and KQED presents director James M. Fortier and producer Jon Plutte's one-hour public television documentary **ALCATRAZ IS NOT AN ISLAND** with "Law and Order" star Benjamin Bratt (Quechua) providing voice-over narration. **ALCATRAZ IS NOT AN ISLAND** won the Best Documentary Feature award at the American Indian Film Festival in San Francisco, was a Land Grant Award Finalist at the 2001 Taos Talking Pictures Festival and was an official selection for the 2001 Sundance Film Festival. The film will premiere nationwide on PBS on November 7, 2002 at 10:00 p.m. (check local listings), and is a co-presentation of ITVS and KQED. Additional funding

was provided by the California Council for the Humanities, the Pechanga Band of Luiseño Mission Indians, and the Muscogee Creek Tribe of Oklahoma.

The filmmakers are also working with ITVS to develop a community outreach program to bring the film directly to reservation and urban Indian communities with an emphasis on Native youth, as well as educational institutions, and human rights and social activism venues.

The occupation of Alcatraz was not just an Indian story, but a story of people seizing control of their own futures through social and political activism. In these times of questioning and reexamination of the role of activism in America, the 1969 Indian occupation of Alcatraz reminds us that there is a place for action in the political world, and that positive change can be made in the face of overwhelming government resistance. This is an opportunity to educate, to continue a dialogue discussing these issues, to inspire the next generation of activists, and perhaps most importantly, to honor those who have sacrificed so much and dedicated their lives for the advancement of all free people.

About the Film  
For thousands of Native Americans, the infamous Alcatraz is NOT an island . . . it is an inspiration. After generations of oppression,

assimilation, and near genocide, a small group of Native American students and "Urban Indians" began the occupation of Alcatraz Island in November 1969. They were eventually joined by thousands of Native Americans, retaking "Indian Land" for the first time since the 1880s. **ALCATRAZ IS NOT AN ISLAND** is the story of how this historic event altered U.S. Government Indian policy and programs, and how it forever changed the way Native American viewed themselves, their culture and their sovereign rights.

The story of the occupation of Alcatraz is as complex and rich as the history of Native Americans. This documentary examines the personal

sacrifices, tragedies, social battles and political injustices many Native Americans experienced under the United States Government's policies of assimilation, termination and relocation — all eventually leading to Alcatraz. Out of Alcatraz came the "Red Power" movement of the 1970s, which has been called the lost chapter of the Civil Rights era.

Thirty years after the take over of Alcatraz, **ALCATRAZ IS NOT AN ISLAND** provides the first in-depth look at the history, politics, personalities and cultural reawakening behind this historic event, which sparked a new era of Native American political empowerment and a cultural renaissance.

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# Treetalk

By Gary Martin

## Trees, Wind & Fire

How's it going this month! Welcome back to school everyone! Here's wishing a great year to all you students, teachers, staff and everyone! Extra good wishes to all you students away from home at college; enjoy these special years of your life journey! It's good to be back from a good vacation; hope to share a photo with you next month. Inspiration for this talk comes from a musical group and Haley Creek. Maybe I need another vacation.

We had some strong winds and fire starts in late August. One area we've been looking at, is along the Haley Creek and Dutch Anderson Roads; right next to our big fire of last summer. You may see this situation at other locations on the Reservation, so I thought it would be cool to talk some about it. Wind storms can be tough on trees and these were some scary winds. Trees were bent over and some snapped. When this happens, our objective is to check it out and see how many trees were hurt. If the damage is "minor", we'll probably leave the situation as it is. If we find "significant" damage, we'll pursue some salvage logging. One purpose is to gain some economic recovery of the damaged trees. Another purpose is to "clean things up" so that bark beetles are not attracted to the area and hurt the trees that survived the wind. So we have an objective and some purpose and this gives us a good mission.

Our snapped off trees present a tricky challenge. Logs need to be "manufactured" to certain specifications and they need to fit safely on a truck. It seems that when the physics of wind strength overcome the physics of tree strength, the poor tree often snaps at about 8 to 10 feet above the ground. This is not

### CCT Fish & Wildlife Dept. Tag Return Prize Drawing

All 2002 Tribal Member hunting tags returned by January 31, 2003 will be entered to win. This includes all North half and Reservation tags. Each completed tag will be included in the drawing regardless of whether you were successful or not.

**Ultimate Prize Package**  
Ruger 30.06 Rifle with Leupold scope, gun case with strap and ammunition worth over \$1,000!!!

**Grand Prize Package**  
Bowtech Stalker Compound Bow with sight, quiver, arrows, broadheads, release and tree stand

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Bushnell Rangefinder, Hunting Knives, Motorola 2-Pack Radios, Leatherman's tools  
Pentax Waterproof Binoculars, \$100 & \$50 gift certificates to Sportsman's Warehouse, Camouflage Jackets.

**Drawing will be Feb. 6, 2003, 12:30 p.m., Nespelem Fish and Wildlife Office**

Return tags to the Fish and Wildlife office or your nearest tag distributor.

For more information, contact the Colville Confederated Tribes, Fish and wildlife Department at 509-634-



a clean break. When the tree snaps, the wood splinters and fractures up and down the trunk. So we have to start manufacturing the log at the point where the fractures stop. A useable "short log" needs to be 8 feet and 6 inches long. It also needs a diameter of 6 inches at the small end. Some of the damaged trees with the fractured wood, will just not meet the minimum specifications and will have to be left as they are. Now, it is possible to buck these pieces up, pile them and eventually burn them, with the purpose of "cleaning up" the area. We hope to do some of this, where we can. Some broken trees will have logs that are long enough. There are also severely bent trees that can be salvaged. Our objective is to salvage as many useable logs as possible. We also want the operation to be economically feasible. We

also want to "clean up" the area as best we can.

We also had some trees damaged and killed by the recent fire in the Haley Creek area. This may be a relatively small area, but our objectives and purpose still apply. Tribal timber has been damaged, so we checked it out and got going. We plan on getting together with our Timber Resource Company and our loggers and making something good happen from a bad situation. The fire area needs tree planting, so we'll get on that mission also. Trees, wind and fire make for some interesting situations. When something happens, we've got our objectives, purpose and mission to help us take care of the forest. A BIG THANK YOU to our schools for taking care of our kids! Enjoy the change of seasons and we'll talk with you again next month.

## SEPTEMBER 2002 Quarterly Report

Colville Confederated Tribes  
MEMORANDUM  
Office of the Reservation Attorney  
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A quarterly report is submitted to the Tribal Tribune each September, December, March and June. The quarterly report is utilized to provide record and notice to the public of all amendments, corrections, revisions, updates, expansions, or new law enacted and codified in the Colville Tribal Law and Order Code.

The following is a list of revised Chapters and the month they became effective:

Chapter 1-1 Administration of Tribal Court April 2002  
Chapter 2-3 Infractions; Field Bonds; Other Civil Offenses and Forfeitures July 2002  
Chapter 3-1 Criminal Code July 2002  
Chapter 3-6 Fireworks May 2002  
Chapter 3-7 Civil Infractions July 2002  
Chapter 4-1 Fish, Wildlife and Recreation May 2002  
Chapter 5-1 Domestic Relations October 2001  
Chapter 5-2 Juveniles June 2002  
Chapter 6-2 Liquor Control July 2002  
Chapter 6-10 Water Utilities June 2002  
Chapter 8-3 Elections February 2002  
Chapter 10-3 Indian Preference in Contracting December 2001

All proposed code amendment information is available upon request. You may also visit our web site at [www.colvilletribes.com](http://www.colvilletribes.com) and right click on the Business Council hyperlink to review proposed code amendment information on-line.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at one of the telephone numbers listed above and thank you.

COOPERATIVE EXTENSION

WASHINGTON STATE UNIVERSITY



COLVILLE RESERVATION – FERRY COUNTY

CATHY J. DESAUTEL  
FAMILY LIVING EDUCATOR

### October 6-12 is National 4-H Week

The 4-H Youth Development Program is 100 years old this year. In 1902, 4-H work began under the auspices of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. By introducing improved methods of farming and homemaking, 4-H leaders helped youth "learn by doing". In 4-H, youth participate in projects that give them knowledge of science, agriculture, home economics, personal development, community service learning, leadership and citizenship. Projects include Family Living, Expressive Arts, Environmental Stewardship, Animal Science, and many others.

Currently, Washington State 4-H reaches 93,533 youth. More than 10,000 trained adult volunteers partner with these youth. **If you are interested in joining 4-H or becoming a 4-H Leader**, please contact this office at 634 2304.

**2002 Ferry County Fair Results:** Many Colville Tribal 4-H members participated in the Ferry County Fair, August 30<sup>th</sup> through September 1, 2002. Listed here are those who won special awards for their entries; Congratulations to these 4-Hers and all 4-Hers for their participation in 4-H and the Fair.

4-H Educational Posters—Michael Mason, 1<sup>st</sup> Intermediate \$10; Shannon Rosenbaum, 2<sup>nd</sup> Intermediate \$5; 4-H Yeast Baking—Shannon Rosenbaum, Reserve Grand Champion; 4-H Educational Exhibits—Michael Mason, Best of Show \$20; 4-H Archery—Cole Seymour, Grand Champion Senior; 4-H Rabbit Fit and Show—Marshall Peone, Reserve Champion Intermediate; 4-H Swine Fit and Show—Michael Mason, Grand Champion Intermediate; Shannon Rosenbaum, Reserve G. C. Intermediate; Tony Joe Louie, Grand Champion Junior; 4-H Beef Fit and Show—Neil Holford, Reserve G. C. Intermediate.

### Halloween Safety Tips

Parents, please be sure that your trick or treaters:

- Carry a flashlight.
- Walk, don't run.
- Stay on Sidewalks.
- Obey traffic signals.
- Stay in familiar neighborhoods.
- Don't cut across yards or driveways. Wear a watch you can read in the dark. Make sure costumes don't drag on the ground.
- Shoes should fit (even if they don't go with your costume).
- Avoid wearing masks while walking from house to house.
- Carry only flexible knives, swords or other props.
- (If no sidewalk) walk on the left side of the road facing traffic.
- Wear clothing with reflective markings or tape.
- Approach only houses that are well lit. Stay away from and don't pet animals you don't know.

JOSHUA R. SWAIN  
4-H CHALLENGE

### Have You Had Your Adventure Today?

4-H Challenge activities offer youth on the Colville Reservation an opportunity to have fun, learn, and test their limits in adventurous outdoor settings. This is a concept that has been familiar to Native children for centuries- in fact it's a major way children learned before "schools" were ever invented!

The 4-H Challenge program mainly offers activities for groups- sports teams, clubs, church groups, classes, etc. Occasionally the program partners with other entities to provide activities, such as Camp Duke, for individuals. Activities the 4-H Challenge program currently offers are canoeing, low ropes, high ropes, rock climbing, and portable challenge. The 4-H Challenge program also helped set up the recent Quest Adventure Race, which brought the world of outdoor sports, fitness, and challenge right to our backyard!

In addition to teaching skills such as cooperation, trust, support, communication, and planning the 4-H Challenge program is an opportunity for participants to learn new activities and develop technical skills. One skill participants in rock climbing and canoeing learn is knot tying.

Here is one of the most useful knots I have learned in the 4-H Challenge program. It is quick to tie, allows you to cinch down loads tightly and efficiently, it is easy to untie- even after it has had a lot of force on the knot, and it can be tied in almost any rope or webbing regardless of the materials.

### Truckers Hitch

(From "Knots for Paddlers", Charlie Walbridge, Menasha Ridge Press, 1995)

1. Tie an end of the rope to a secure point. This end of the rope is the standing end (or loaded end).
2. Create a loop on the standing end and a bight just below it on the free end (Fig.1). (Don't make the bight above the loop on the standing end or it will tighten up and bind when pressure is applied).
3. Push the bight of rope through the loop and pull down, cinching the loop tightly around it (Fig.2).
4. Pass the free end around an anchor point, then run it back through the loop formed by the bight. Pull down on the free end, this creates a two-to-one mechanical advantage that allows you to pull the rope very tight (Fig.3).
5. Tie off with two half hitches.

DANIEL L. FAGERLIE  
PROJECT DIRECTOR,  
FERRY COUNTY/COLVILLE  
RESERVATION

### Knapweed Bio-agent at Work

For the last 22 years the Ferry County WSU Cooperative Extension office has been working with the Colville Confederated Tribes to address knapweed, as well as other noxious non-native invasive weeds in northeast Washington, and the efforts on knapweed are finally paying off. The introduction of biological control agents to the Colville Reservation was first accomplished working with 4-H groups, the Weedboard and other collaborators. Since 1999, organized releases of bioagents for a variety of weeds have been made through the Ferry County WSU Extension offices direction in cooperation with the Colville Confederated Tribes, USFS- Okanogan and Colville National Forests, USDA APHIS and WSU, county weed board and extension offices, and private landowners under the Quad County/ Colville Reservation Bioagent Project.

With the introduction of *Larinus minutus*, a weevil that attacks the foliage and seed heads of diffuse knapweed, has already come a decrease in knapweed density in some of the release areas. The most noticeable reductions due to this insect have been observed in areas with generally high temperatures and sandy soils. Substantial impacts have been observed in the relatively short period of three years in areas such as the Keller Ferry to Manilla Creek area along Hiway 21N near Keller and the Nespelem area where USDA APHIS and WSU Extension have made releases. The insect is most effective in dry sites with light sandy soil. The bioagent is also attacking diffuse knapweed in cooler areas with different soils, but at a slower rate. The accompanying pictures show a knapweed site in Swavilla basin on the Reservation where *L. minutus* was released three years ago, and a follow-up picture that was taken recently. Some knapweed still occurs at the site, but to a much lesser degree, as is the intention of biological weed control. Releases of insects on Knapweed and Dalmatian Toadflax have occurred across the reservation over the last 3 years. If you have either of these two weeds and would like to become signed up for releases of bioagents next spring and summer, contact the WSU Extension office at Nespelem: 634-2304, Republic: 775-5235, or Okanogan: 422-7245.

CHRISTINE BUCKMINSTER  
OFFICE ASSISTANT III

Enrolled member of the Colville Tribe/Yakima Nation – grew up in Nespelem area. Parents are Gilbert & Isabelle Cleparty and Grand parents are Harry and Christine Sam. Worked for the Colville Tribal Youth Residential center from 1995 to 2000. It was a rewarding experience to try to work with youth who needed a friend and I felt I related on a positive basis and I felt I learned so much from, as I hope they did from me. Recently returned from Yakima area where I worked for the Yakima Nation Tribal Insurance program for two years from 2000 to 2002. My greatest happiness is my religion as a Jehovah's Witness and my family who I hold dear to my heart. I have a family of four Steve, Tana and Luke. Hired by WSU Cooperative Extension and look forward to working with a positive group of people who serve the community on the Colville Reservation area.

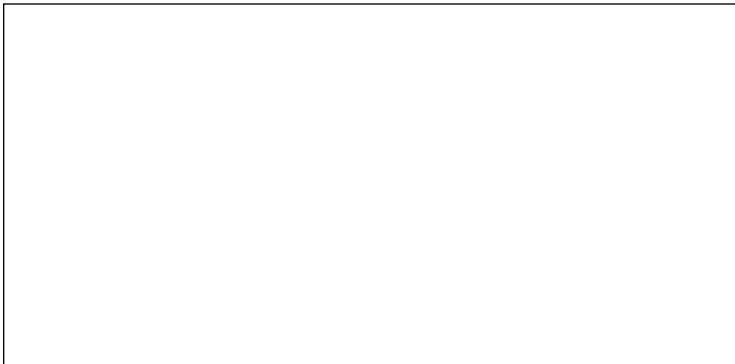
(Insert Picture of Christine)

Daniel L. Bagerlie, Project Director, Ferry County PHONE: (509) 634-2304  
Cathy DeSautel, Family Living FAX: (509) 634-2353  
Joshua Swain, 4-H Challenge EMAIL: [colville@coopext.cahe.wsu.edu](mailto:colville@coopext.cahe.wsu.edu)  
Christine Buckminster, Office Asst. III

Cooperative Agencies: Washington State University, U.S. Department of Agriculture (special project number 93-EIRP-1-0036), Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation, Colville Agency BIA, and Ferry County. Cooperative Extension programs and employment are available to all without discrimination. Evidence of noncompliance may be reported to your local Cooperative Extension Office. Daniel Fagerlie, Project Director

## CONGRATULATIONS!

CHRISTINA SAXON, TANESHA MILLS, JOSH MILLS, JALISA MILLS AND CHELINDA SIMPSON.



1st Place at the James Warbus Memorial Kids Stickgame Tournament on June 21-23, 2002. 2nd Place at the Omak Stampede Kids Stickgame Tournament on August 9-11, 2002.

We love to watch you kids play.

Jalisa, do not get bucked off your chair. Josh, Christina is the captain. Tanesha, I want to hear you sing loud. Chelinda, hurry up and win then you can go play. These are just little jokes to the kids because during the championship game Jalisa got bucked off her chair, Josh always asked if he was captain, I was telling Tanesha I can not hear you (sing), and Chelinda was tired of playing stickgame and wanted to go play so we would tell her well hurry up and win then you can go play. Oh, yeah! Cindy, remember we might laugh at you too, if you get bucked out of your chair like Jalisa did. (jokes)

Love, Your Family

Lorna Simpson, Robert Mills, Missy Pakootas, Jay Pakootas, Jr. Flett, Matt Pakootas, Anna Saxon, and Adrian.

Happy B-Day "Baby"  
Look who's two - Sept. 6th  
We love you,  
Mommy, Grandma and Uncle's  
Latonya St. Peter-Stanger

Happy B-Day Rocky 9-9-90  
Love, Dad, Grandma, Grandpa,  
Aunts and Uncles

## NEWLYWEDS

Mr. and Mrs. Darren & Danna Stanger along with their daughter Bailey were married August 10, 2002 at Coulee Dam City hall.

Officiating was John Grosvenor (Nespelem) and Best Man was Robert Nault, Grand Coulee. Groomsmen were Dave Hutchins (Everett), Bud Seymour (Grand Coulee) and Stephen Clark (Coulee Dam).

Maid of Honor was Donetta (Blair) Heldman (Keller) and Bridesmaids were: Roberta (Bea) Campbell (Disautel) and Genabug Redstar (Grand Coulee).

Danna's cousin Kelly Peters (Riverside) walked her down the aisle.

We would like to give a big thanks to our family and friends for helping us

Happy 1st Birthday  
Tayah Rose Kohler  
We Love You  
Love, Dad, Mom, Brother,  
Sister, Papa, Grandma, and

# NELSON

# BACON

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### LEGAL NOTICE

**IN THE TRIBAL COURT OF THE COLVILLE CONFEDERATED TRIBES INDIAN RESERVATION**

**ORDER ON EXPARTE MOTION PERMITTING SUBSTITUTED SERVICE**  
CASE NO. CV-CE-2001-21143

In RE the Support of Vaughn G. Signor, DOB 10/22/98

State of Washington, Petitioner v. Rodney A. Signor, Respondent

**Notice of Lawsuit Against Rodney A. Signor**

To: Rodney A. Signor

From: Clerk of the Court

A lawsuit has been filed against you in Colville Tribal Court. Specifically, the State of Washington, Department of Social and Health Services, Division of Child Support (DCS) has filed a Petition to Establish Child Support. The case number is CV-2001-21143.

DCS alleges that you are the father of the child, Vaughn G. Signor ("Child"), who was born on October 22, 1998.

DCS alleges that you owe a duty of providing financial support for the Child, specifically, to pay child support each month for the support of the Child, under the laws of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation.

DCS asks that Court to set your current and future monthly support obligation for the Child on the basis of the Colville Tribal Child Support Guidelines and Schedule, on the basis of the combined monthly net income of you and the Child's mother.

DCS also asks the Court to set the amount of the back child support you owe, and, the amount that you should pay each month to repay that back child support amount.

You have the right to appear and be heard on all the issues raised in the Petition. you have the right, at your own expense, to be represented by a Tribal spokesperson or attorney, in this matter.

If you do not file a written Answer to the Petition, a Default Judgment may be entered against you, which means that the Court may grant what DCS asks for in the Petition. If you want the help of a Tribal spokesperson or attorney, you should arrange that as soon as possible to help with filing your Answer. You should file your Answer with the Court, and send a copy of it to DCS as follows: Karl Boettner, Attorney for DCS, Division of Child Support, B32-9, P.O. Box 2560, Spokane, WA 99220-2560. The toll-free number to reach Mr. Boettner is 1-800-378-6672.

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**SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION Pursuant to Colville Tribal Code 2-2-71 In the Tribal Court of the Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation**

Colville Tribal Credit, Plaintiff vs. Samuel K. Fisher

**COMPLAINT ON PROMISSORY NOTE**  
Case No. CV-CD-2002-22183

To Samuel K. Fisher:

A lawsuit has been filed against you in the above-mentioned Court by Colville Tribal Credit. In order to defend against this lawsuit you must answer the complaint by stating your defense in writing and filing it with the Court and serving it by mail or in person upon the Spokesperson for Plaintiff, Storey Jackson, at the office below stated. If you fail to do this within thirty (30) days after the date of the first publication of this Summons, to wit, by the 1st day of October, 2002, a default judgment may be entered against you. A default judgment is one where the plaintiff is entitled to what it is asking for in the complaint because you have not answered the complaint in writing.

The complaint has been filed in an attempt to collect \$343.24 you owe to Colville Tribal Credit on a promissory note. Colville Tribal Credit is requesting that the Court enter judgment against you for \$343.24 together with interest accrued at the rate of 12.00% per annum; late fees, attorneys' fees, costs and disbursements; that the judgment bear interest at 12.00% per annum from the date of judgment; that in the event of nonpayment of judgment, execution may be issued for payment of any judgment including foreclosure of the property used as collateral for the promissory note that is the subject of the action; any further attorneys' fees, collection costs and cost of further court proceedings for the execution of any judgment entered in this action; that your tribal per capita payments be withheld to satisfy any judgment entered in this action; that if you are employed by the Colville Tribe, that 25% of your tribal wages or salary or \$50.00 whichever is less be withheld to satisfy any judgment; that you shall be required to make payments on any judgment entered; and any other and further relief as the Court may deem to be just and equitable

Storey Jackson

Spokesperson for Colville Tribal Credit  
Colville Tribal Credit  
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Nespelem, WA 99155  
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Colville Tribal Credit, Plaintiff vs. Alma Tomeo Shelton

**COMPLAINT ON PROMISSORY NOTE**  
Case No. CV-CD-2002-22058

To Alma Tomeo Shelton:

A lawsuit has been filed against you in the above-mentioned Court by Colville Tribal Credit. In order to defend against this lawsuit you must answer the complaint by stating your defense in writing and filing it with the Court and serving it by mail or in person upon the Spokesperson for Plaintiff, Storey Jackson, at the office below stated. If you fail to do this within thirty (30) days after the date of the first publication of this Summons, to wit, by the 1st day of October, 2002, a default judgment may be entered against you. A default judgment is one where the plaintiff is entitled to what it is asking for in the complaint because you have not answered the complaint in writing.

The complaint has been filed in an attempt to collect \$1,185.70 you owe to Colville Tribal Credit on a promissory note. Colville Tribal Credit is requesting that the Court enter judgment against you for \$1,185.70 together with interest accrued at the rate of 11.00% per annum; late fees, attorneys' fees, costs and disbursements; that the judgment bear interest at 11.00% per annum from the date of judgment; that in the event of nonpayment of judgment, execution may be issued for payment of any judgment including foreclosure of the property used as collateral for the promissory note that is the subject of the action; any further attorneys' fees, collection costs and cost of further court proceedings for the execution of any judgment entered in this action; that your tribal per capita payments be withheld to satisfy any judgment; that if you are employed by the Colville Tribe, that 25% of your tribal wages or salary or \$50.00 whichever is less be withheld to satisfy any judgment; that you shall be required to make payments on any judgment entered; and any other and further relief as the Court may deem to be just and equitable

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Colville Tribal Credit, Plaintiff vs. Monica Moses Desautel

**COMPLAINT ON PROMISSORY NOTE**  
Case No. CV-CD-2002-22176

To Monica Moses Desautel:

A lawsuit has been filed against you in the above-mentioned Court by Colville Tribal Credit. In order to defend against this lawsuit you must answer the complaint by stating your defense in writing and filing it with the Court and serving it by mail or in person upon the Spokesperson for Plaintiff, Storey Jackson, at the office below stated. If you fail to do this within thirty (30) days after the date of the first publication of this Summons, to wit, by the 1st day of October, 2002, a default judgment may be entered against you. A default judgment is one where the plaintiff is entitled to what it is asking for in the complaint because you have not answered the complaint in writing.

The complaint has been filed in an attempt to collect \$6,660.48 you owe to Colville Tribal Credit on a promissory note. Colville Tribal Credit is requesting that the Court enter judgment against you for \$6,660.48 together with interest accrued at the rate of 11.00% per annum; late fees, attorneys' fees, costs and disbursements; that the judgment bear interest at 11.00% per annum from the date of judgment; that in the event of nonpayment of judgment, execution may be issued for payment of any judgment including foreclosure of the property used as collateral for the promissory note that is the subject of the action; any further attorneys' fees, collection costs and cost of further court proceedings for the execution of any judgment entered in this action; that your tribal per capita payments be withheld to satisfy any judgment entered in this action; that if you are employed by the Colville Tribe, that 25% of your tribal wages or salary or \$50.00 whichever is less be withheld to satisfy any judgment; that you shall be required to make payments on any judgment entered; and any other and further relief as the Court may deem to be just and equitable

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Colville Tribal Credit, Plaintiff vs. Alisa Smith

**COMPLAINT ON PROMISSORY NOTE**  
Case No. CV-CD-2002-22110

To Alisa Smith:

A lawsuit has been filed against you in the above-mentioned Court by Colville Tribal Credit. In order to defend against this lawsuit you must answer the complaint by stating your defense in writing and filing it with the Court and serving it by mail or in person upon the Spokesperson for Plaintiff, Storey Jackson, at the office below stated. If you fail to do this within thirty (30) days after the date of the first publication of this Summons, to wit, by the 1st day of October, 2002, a default judgment may be entered against you. A default judgment is one where the plaintiff is entitled to what it is asking for in the complaint because you have not answered the complaint in writing.

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### FOR SALE

#### VIEW LOTS FOR SALE.

100 X 105, Elmer City, \$9,500.00  
Lot 5-6, Blk. A. Kootz Addition, EEST, (360) 790-1637, Clara Counts.

#### HOME FOR SALE IN TRUST STATUS

3 Bedroom, 3 bathroom home in trust status in Omak. Two car garage, large downstairs family room, two fireplaces, large kitchen with new appliances and lots of cupboard space, custom-made blinds throughout, central heat/air, water softener system, nice large yard with mature landscaping, nice mountain view, private. (509) 826-7615

#### HOUSE FOR SALE

Inchelium, Rogers Bar, 1976, 4 bedrm., 2 bath, 5 acres Trust land, \$64,000. Call 722-3682 or 464-1630

#### FOR SALE:

1971 Singlewide Mobile Home 2 Bdrm, 1 Bath, New lino in kitchen, new carpet last year. Set up on private lot on Eastside in Omak. WA. 826-4370 \$7,000 O.B.O.

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For more information please call 1-509-935-4811, or write to the address above and an application will be mailed to you.

### WANTED

Buying; Old Indian Beadwork; flat bags, gloves, moccasins, baskets, old photo's, etc. For possible future Indian & Cowboy Museum. Paying the best cash price and treating you right! All purchases confidential. Randy (509) 826-5512 or Toll Free 1-866-826-5512.

## Letters To The Editor

Letters to the Editor are published at the discretion of the Editor, as space permits. No letter which contains defamatory or malicious statements will be published. Any letter which contains questionable material will be sent to the Office of Reservation Attorney for legal review. All letters must contain the writer's signature, address, and telephone number (if available). Letters NOT signed will not be published. Letters are limited to 450 words. Letters exceeding 450 words may be published if space allows and the Editor so chooses. The Editor reserves the right to edit any letter for content, clarity, and length.

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## How I got to where I am

Tribal Members:  
I have been called mean, rude and disrespectful to administration, Council and others. I treat people the same way they treat me. Respect is earned and not automatic.

I would like to explain to you tribal members on how I got to where I am today. It is not a excuse but a reason:

On September 4, 1963, I was a 129 pound young man when I entered the United States Marine Corp. Sixteen weeks later I was 145 pound changed forever Marine. During boot camp I was disciplines, taught how to fight, beat up physically while at the position of attention and convinced that there was no better fighting man in the world like a United States Indian Marine. There are good things and bad things about boot camp and the Marine Corp. The bad things were the alcohol and fighting. The good things was the discipline and the knowledge that I could accomplish anything that I wanted to do.

My 'friends' can tell you how I was in the late 60's and early 70's and I loved to fight and generally made a fool of myself. It was hard but I quit fighting and although I never said I quit drinking I slowed down about 98%.

There are things that cannot be taken away from me: high school diploma, Honorable Discharge from the United States Marine Corp, B.A. Degree in Law and Justice from Central Washington University, United States Citizen, Colville Tribal Membership, my kids and

granddaughter and being called "poppa."

I have worked for the Tribe since November, 1972 and have accomplished many things such as the Senior Meals and transportation, Alcohol/Drug Program, Tribal Counseling, manual inventory of tribal assets, reducing vehicle insurance premiums, building the accounting and Law & Justice modulars and fixing up the basketball courts on the Agency Campus.

I have written to the Tribal Tribune since about 1975. I have never lied to you Tribal Members. Most of the things I write about come from you tribal members but because you have to be afraid for your employment or repercussions from Council or Administration you don't want to write it down.

Today — Administration and Council (some) have decided that I am mean, rude and disrespectful. This is OUR Tribe and not the Council's or Administrations but you and I as the Colville Tribal People. Because of our parents, grandparents and past generations we are what we are today. I speak out because I am willing to take the abuse and I know I can accomplish anything that I set my heart to do. I was taught that back in 1963 when I went through 16 weeks of hell to become a United States Marine.

Lem-lem.  
Eldon L. Wilson  
2057711 USMC

## Colville Business Council Members

I can't recall ever resorting to writing the Tribal Tribune to relate my concerns regarding our Tribe, but I feel compelled to do so at this time. Why does the Tribal Constitution allow us to use our Referendum Vote to determine the popularity of Tribal Judge Steve Aycock, but excluded us from involvement or vote on the recent Tribal Gaming Compact with the State of Washington? Didn't this compact weaken our tribal sovereignty?

With tribal income down, how can we continue to operate at the same level of spending? Instead of our Tribal Business Council spending time at the Washington State Governor's office licking his hands like a bunch of puppies, spend some time here at home exercising sovereignty. I encourage our 14 CBC members

to arrange a field trip to look at the devastation current logging is doing to our tribal forests. Direct key personnel from CTEC, BIA, Fish & Wildlife and you "Holistic Staff" to accompany you to view Gold Mountain, Summit Train, Lynx Creek and Hall Creek areas. Upon your return each of you could insert a short article in the Tribal Tribune on whether or not you feel current Forest Management is in the best interest of the next generation of tribal members.

Some of the denuding of our mountains by mechanized logging will take many years to heal, if ever. You have the power, authority and responsibility to stop this, please don't wait. Take the time. Thanks.

Concerned Tribal Member,  
Jude C. Stensgar  
509-722-4293

## Why the Secrets?

I have been following closely our tribe's recent compact agreement with the state in regards to our gaming. I have read articles in both the Spokesman-Review and our own Tribal Tribune. I've heard from several sources that our tribal council refuses to release any information to the membership in regards to the compact. This seems to be too annoyingly true when I read the small article that was published in the Tribal Tribune about the compact. Why not release all the information possible to the membership? Why the secrets? Why do I as a Colville Tribal Member have to seek my sources from an outside source such as the Spokesman-Review? The new compact agreement is a BIG DEAL! So why is the membership the last to know, and with little details given? The membership should be outraged—this is OUR TRIBE! Thanks again to our council, but we (the membership) allow it to happen.

I am currently employed at a local tribal casino that is under compact with the State and I know first hand the advantages and disadvantages that both possess. I strongly believe that there are more advantages than disadvantages. Here are a few reasons why, and the facts about the compact that the council refuses to release:

First off, we are required to replace the coin operated slot machines with ticket accepted slot machines. The State approved our tribe to have 4800 machines, satellite gaming, 3

major casinos, and 3 mini casinos. All together, we are the ONLY tribe in the state approved for this much. We probably won't use all 4800 slot machines, but whatever we don't use we can lease to casinos on the coast and receive profits from them. So where are these newly approved casinos going to be located? The tribe claims that the 3 major casinos will be the 3 we currently have, (OBC, CDC, and Mill Bay) and the 3 mini casinos which can't have more than 100 slot machines in each, is yet to be determined.

I've heard from two reliable sources that our tribe was seeking to buy land near Spokane. Is it possible that our tribe is considering placing a major casino near Spokane? And converting one of current casinos, such as Coulee Dam into a mini casino with 100 slot machines. It's not a bad idea, I don't think Coulee Dam even has 100 slot machines as it is. So where will our tribe get the funds to build a potential multi-million dollar casino near Spokane? Simple, we are now under state compact and will be running with "legal" slot machines instead of "illegal" ones; therefore, banks would be more apt to loan us the funds needed to build such a casino.

In closing, I urge you to ask your councilman, "what is being planned?" "I have a right to know!"

Lim Lumt  
Michael Finley  
-originally of Inchelium

## Oscar R. Pakootas is finally home

I am writing this letter to inform you all that Oscar R. Pakootas is finally home. I want to thank all of you for all the help and support you have given to my family and myself. This was a long and hard ordeal we went through. Oscar was the one that was put through the torture. He was the one that had the heartache. He is safe now. He is home where he belongs. He did not belong in Mission, South Dakota, where we finally found him. The Rosebud Court finally agreed to hear our foreign judgement and they agreed that what Oscar's mother did was wrong. They held Oscar at the court, his mother was supposed to wait with him so he felt comfortable, but in middle of court she up and left him there. They placed him with a family until we got there. It was August 22nd when I finally got to see my son. It was an awesome feeling. Carrie and I drove 18 hours down and 18 hours back. On the way home Oscar kept asking us are we almost there yet. All he wanted to do was ride his own bike. He said he had to share and he wanted his own. he was so happy to see his sister and brother. He told me that he forgot what lil' Mat looked

like. He smiled huge when he seen his brother. He wanted to hold and just play. He said now I am a big brother not a little one.

I want to Thank all of You for the support. there are a lot of people that deserve a big huge Thank you, and you know who you are. Thank you!!

The people who stood by us and helped us out through this we Thank You.

To all the others that Loved and supported us, WE THANK YOU from the bottom of our hearts. Thank YOU.

To all the others that didn't take this serious. My family and I forgive you. We are a forgiving family. You guys are the ones who have to live with the guilt inside of you. That is your punishment. What happened shouldn't be taken lightly. You don't try and keep a child away from their mother or father. She was given a dozen chances and she did everything she could to turn it around.

Oscar is home and safe now. thank you all again for everything you have done for my family. Thank YOU.

Mathew E. Pakootas  
Nespelem, WA

I myself, wanted to thank people for the safe return of Oscar. I want to say Thank You to all my friends that supported us and showed us love. We are so happy that there were a lot of people out there supporting us and trying what they could to get Oscar home.

I want to say GOOD JOB Mathew E. Pakootas. You fought hard and you took a lot of time to try and get this straightened up. most people would have given up and said heck with it, but you knew that your son was important and our future. You did not give up. I know at times you wanted, but I am glad that you kept your head held high and you kept moving forward. You and your family was put through the ringer a lot. There were a lot of accusations thrown around, but you didn't let it bug you. You kept Oscar at the top of your mind all the time. I know you tried your hardest to keep things in line. You handled things just awesome. You are a great dad. you are a very strong young man. You did good don't let anyone tell you different.

I also want to Thank Sylvia, Sam, Darla, Arkie, Berni, Patti, Lorna and Emby. Thank you guys for being by my side. And keeping me going. I know at time I was ready to go on the rampage and you guys kept me going. I looked

forward to each and every day. Thank you guys so much. You guys are great friends to have.

Thank you Pete Phillips for helping out as much as you did. Thank You. Everybody that let us put up signs. Thank You. For the people that kept putting up the signs after people were ripping them down. Thank You.

My Family, My mom, sisters, brothers, nieces and nephews. Thank you guys for being a great support and giving me all the love that you possibly could. You guys were there when family was needed. Your prayers, you love, your presence, was what kept me going. Megan and Kathy, Thank you for the love and support you gave my family and me. Megan, thank you. Kathy, thank you. My Mom, I know you were so worried about your little Oscar, Thank you for the love and prayers you shared with us. We love you mom.

Thank you all for the Support and the Love. There are tons of people out there that helped in some sort of way. It was all appreciated and it all helped. Thank You all. For the ones that had little ones that were worried about little Oscar, give them a big hug for us and tell them we thank them for the kindness and the love that they share for Oscar. Thank you Little Ones, Thank You so Much.

Carrie L. George

## FAREWELLS

With dignity and respect for our loved ones

### Thank you and God Bless

I apologize for it taking so long to write this letter. First of all I want to say I am sorry I didn't get a chance to talk to everyone who took time to be with our family during the loss of my uncle Gary Stephen Waters.

There are so many people to thank so if I forget to mention anyone's name I apologize but your kindness can never be forgotten.

It's hard to understand why all this has happened. It's still hard to believe he's gone. I will truly miss him.

We would like to thank all the friends and family who took the time to stand by us and be there. Special thanks to all the people who came to pray from the different churches.

We'd like to thank all the people who helped with food and thanks to the cooks. We'd like to thank the grave diggers, pallbearers, those that officiated and honorary pallbearers.

Thank you to all the cowboys who rode the last mile with him. It was so touching to see just how many people cared. Love and respect to you all. "The Bests", "The Sams", "The Marcelleys," "The Cardens," "The Pakootas," "The Boyds," "The Marchands" and all the rest of the family and friends who came and supported our family.

I send special prayers and love to my cousins Stephanie, Melinda and lil Gary. I love you and pray for you. I also send prayers and my love to my Uncle tom, my Aunties Karri and Linda, my dad Joe. Also to all my cousins, nieces, nephews and all my brothers and sisters.

If it wasn't for my uncle Gary I may have went through life without ever knowing my half sister Janis. I'm glad she was there with us. To all my family I want to say I love you and even though it's hard right now we'll get through this together.

Jackie I didn't forget about you. I will always love and respect you for being my uncles other half. You are always a part of the family. Take care of yourself and always cherish those memories you have.

Thank you and God Bless  
Lisa B. Waters

### A Poem Dedicated To Gary Stephen Waters By Lisa B. Waters

The sun was going down I could still smell the horses hay,  
You were in my thoughts and all I could think of today,  
Missing you so much it brought tears to my eye,  
I still can't understand why you had to die;  
There's going to be an emptiness and a void no one can ever fill,  
We will always cherish those memories of your riding off Suicide Hill;  
You were my favorite uncle, I had respected and loved you so,  
There was so much I wanted to tell you and let you know;  
You were there for me and I always looked up to you,  
The love I felt in my heart was oh so very true;  
So when the sun rises again on both you and I,  
Even though we walk alone we'll try not to cry;  
You were a tough Cowboy and I will always remember your smile.  
Someday our paths will cross again when I walk that last mile,  
Until that day I'll keep your memories deep within my heart,  
It's time to say good-bye and we must live our lives apart.

### THANK YOU

My Grandmother, Theresa Seymour and members of her family are buried at Curlew, WA, on her former allotment. So, I would like to thank Deb Louie, Joe Pakootas and the History & Archeology Department. Without their professional interest, my Grandmother's graveyard would have remained another unmarked Indian burial site. Now, it will be registered with the State of Washington under the NAGPRA Act.

Thank you again from all of Theresa Seymour's descendents.  
Faye Gabriel  
Tribal Member  
Tillamook, Oregon

## Wherever I May Roam

Aloha! Hope all is well with my family and friends wherever they may be. A lot is happening here on base. We are working on tactics, etc. But my Uncle Sam told me, "Sergeant William EagleBlanket, I'm ordering you to go home back to the rez and spend time with your family and friends. Go now, or I'll make you stand 24 hour duty!" "Moving out swiftly, Uncle!", I sez. So I go home, and I think someone forgot to turn the heater off during the spring time cuz winter is over. Right? Anyway, it's still not as warm as Saudi, Egypt, Kuwait, Jordan or Israel cause there it doesn't matter if you are in the frying pan or in the fire! But as my Mom would say, "Devils don't burn." "Whatever!", I would retort! How I miss her so.

As I drive on the rez, it sure as hell sounds like the middle east with all the fireworks blazing. At least the rockets I saw were of the bottle type and not the SCUD or Surface to Air missile, or the rocket propelled grenades they like to use in the Middle East. And the rat-tat-tat- wasn't AK-47's but firecrackers going off in the distance.

So now that I'm on the rez, I put on my Sherlock Holmes hat and do some investigating on why it's so hot on the rez.

I stop at the CDC. I try and bribe the one armed bandits for some

information. No such luck! But the match box sez, "loosest Slots Around." The machines tell me to go to OBC and talk to the mutton eater. I get to OBC, and what do I run into, but more one armed bandits, and an old bird, a Swan to be exact. But he is a good old bird and directs me to the mutton eater. I ask the mutton eater, "Why is it so hot on the rez?" The mutton eater says, "My name is mutton hoof, not mutton eater. And the answer to your question soldier boy is this: You are the reason it's so hot here on the rez. You are the sunshine for your family and friends. See how their faces brighten up when you come home to see them? And when you look to the future, don't you have to wear sunglasses cause it's so bright?"

Having solved the mystery, I moved back to Patrol Base #587 and waited for another mission.

And would you know it? Another mission has come up. right in the middle of a pow-wow I had to leave. Uncle Sam says "Ruck up, we are moving out soon." Being the motivated 2nd Squad Leader for 3d Platoon Triple Deuce, I hastily say, "Farewell, until we meet again!" God Bless America. Wherever I May Roam.

Sgt. William EagleBlanket  
Charlie Co. 2-22 Inf.  
Ft. Drum, NY 13602

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# SPECIAL SESSION

## September 5, 2002

Compiled by Berni Michel, CBC Recording Secretary

### Resolution Numbering Legend

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### SPECIAL SESSION September 5, 2002

Council Members Present: Louella Anderson, Shirley Charley Jeanne Jerred, Gene Joseph, Mike Marchand, Harvey Moses, DR Michel, Joe Pakootas, Kevin Rosenbaum, Richard Swan.

Delegation/Absent: Margie Hutchinson (del), Joanne Leith (del), Lucille Pakootas (del), John Stensgar (del).

Listed by: Resolution No., Condensed Recommendation Information, Colville Business Council Vote Tally.

#### 2002-517.m&b

Approve payment to Randy Scott of ACCESS, lobbyist, for Tribal Government Gaming issues.

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-518.m&b

Approve 1/2 payment of Eddie Covington's request for reimbursement of items lost during participation at the Warm Springs Elders Day Dinner. Payment to be paid out of unmet needs account.

8 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR) 0 AGAINST 1 ABSTAIN (RS)

#### 2002-519.m&b

Approve to contribute \$5,000 to the National Congress of American Indians to support the Sovereignty Protection Fund to be paid out of the Gaming Travel Fund for CBC.

8 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR) 1 AGAINST (RS) 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-520.m&b

Approve to contribute \$50,000 to the Washington Indian Gaming Association from the Gaming Travel Fund for CBC to combat the expansion of Gaming in the State of Washington.

8 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR) 1 AGAINST (RS) 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-521.m&b

Approve that for FY03 through FY07 no programs, grants, contracts, funds or branches of the government or under the oversight of the government and whose accounting is maintained in the Tribal Accounting Office be allowed to keep or expend, partially or fully, their indirect funds or program, grant, contract, fund or branch generated revenues. Budgets will be based upon requested, appropriated and enacted budgeted amounts as submitted and/or modified within the policies and procedures. This resolution supercedes previous resolutions regarding the use of indirect funds, and program, grant, contract, fund and branch generated revenues except those specifically defined by grant or contract.

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-522.m&b

Approve that no Tribal Operations & Maintenance funds be carried over from one fiscal year to another; that invoices encumbering Tribal Funds within forty-five (45) days of the end of the fiscal year be paid within sixty (60) days of the new fiscal year; that Tribal funds appropriated for designated projects will be carried over for those specific projects; that unused designated project funds be returned to the General Fund if not used by the completion of the project; and that this resolution supercedes previous resolutions regarding Tribal funds carryover.

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-523.m&b

Approve budget for FY03 General Fund total \$46,920,924 in expenditures for the period October 1, 2002 to September 30, 2003 with \$981,091 from reserves. All programs, branches will make quarterly fiscal presentations to their appropriate Council Committee with a copy to the Budget & Finance Officer for general ledger comparison.

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-524.nat

Modify resolution 2002-300 to read: Approve the request of Joleen Mollenberg to modify her existing lease no. 02-43 to a homesite lease with an option to purchase. All previous provisions, terms and conditions of original lease contract will remain in effect.

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-525.nat

Approve assignment of lease no. 97-31 from Dean Fry to Andrew McCartney, former Nysti Lot 3, 711 Index Street in East Omak.

7 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 2 AGAINST (SC, JJ) 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-526.nat

Approve Permit For Use of Wells Reservoir Area issued to CCT as the Permittee by Douglas County PUD which provides for the CCT use of Douglas PUD land adjacent to the Cassimer Bar Fish Hatchery in order for Tribe to operate said hatchery, which Douglas County PUD by separate document intends to donate to CCT for continued operation as a fish hatchery including a limited waiver of the Tribes' sovereign immunity from lawsuit that would enable Douglas county PUD (and only Douglas County PUD) to enforce the terms of the Permit. Chair or designee authorized to sign.

2 FOR (LA, SC, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR) 0 AGAINST (JJ, RS) 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-527.nat

Approve to amend resolution 1998-170 to include the Forestry Forest Development and Emergency Stabilization and Rehabilitation (ESR) contracts and that the Executive Director be delegated the authority to approve them. The legal language of contract does not change from one contractor to another. Projects already approved by CBC. Chair or designee authorized to sign.

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-528.nat

Approve Tobias Finley's request for "salvage only" of the house on the former Storlie property.

8 FOR (LA, SC, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 1 AGAINST (JJ) 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-529.nat

Approve to request the Secretary of Interior to support the Tribes and EPA with regard to the on-going investigation and remedial activities of EPA in the Upper Columbia River Basin by appointing an authorized official to coordinate the position of the Dept. of Interior and to act consistently with the trust obligation owed to by the Tribes by the United States to protect tribal members.

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-530.nat

Approve budget modification to FY02 budget for Kokanee Enhancement Project in the amount of \$89,860 and authorize Chair or designee to sign. Funded by BPA, no tribal dollars.

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-531.nat

Approve sub-contract with Okanogan Nation Alliance in the amount of \$238,373.10 and authorize Chair or designee to sign. Funded by BPA, no tribal dollars.

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-532.nat

Approve that tribal staff be prohibited from participating in so-called 2514 planning which purports to give the state and county governments planning authority for tribal waters. This action being taken to prevent the future use of 2514 plans by the courts as justification to restrict, curtail, quantify or otherwise restrict the Tribe from exercising its prior and paramount rights to the use of water.

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-533.nat

Approve Cedar's Inn request for a Sewer Line Easement over and across Tribal Tract 101-T5468. Cedar's Inn request that fee be waived in lieu of the right of the CCT to tap into the sewer line in the event the Tribe makes improvements in the area and the need arises. Conditions that will apply: 1. Cedar's Inn will be responsible for all maintenance, repairs and improvements of line.

2. Service line will be installed by a reputable, competent and bonded company approved by BIA and Tribal Public Works Dept. 3. Term of this right of way will be 25 years with an option to renew for additional 25 years.

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-534.nat

Approve Ronda Marchand's request for a service line agreement over and across a portion 101-T4211-A for a telephone line. Conditions that will apply: 1. Ms. Marchand will be responsible for all maintenance, repairs and improvements of line. 2. Service line will be installed by a reputable, competent and bonded company approved by BIA and Tribal Public Works Dept. 3. Term of this right of way will be 25 years with an option to renew for additional 25 years.

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-535.nat

Approve Ben Marchand, Jr., homesite lease no. 02-033

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-536.nat

Approve Ben Marchand, Jr., pasture lease no. 02-034

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-537.nat

Approve patent in fee request from John Cook covering allotment no. 101-1249-A.

7 FOR (LA, SC, GJ, MM, DM, KR, RS) 2 AGAINST (JJ, HM) 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-538.nat

Approve exchange of lands of equal value with Lionel Orr. 151-C-58; 101-633; 101-633-A; 101-1357 For 101-T4641 (por). Branch of Real Property Management will request a survey for the 17.00 acres within T4641 (por) and appraisals on both properties to determine the fair market value. Chair or designee authorized to sign.

8 FOR (SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM,

DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 1 ABSTAIN (LA)

#### 2002-539.nat

Approve to support the submittal of a grant proposal in collaboration with Green Strategies, a non-profit institution. Purpose of grant funding search is to conduct work to better understand that nature and extent of risks to tribal members for contamination of Lake Roosevelt. No tribal dollars are being committed. Chair or designee authorized to sign all related documents.

8 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN Out of Room: KR

#### 2002-540.nat

Approve resolution in support of the on-going "Superfund" investigation of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in the Upper Columbia River Basin and authorize the Chair or designee to sign.

8 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN Out of Room: KR

#### 2002-541.nat

Approve to revise budget modification for Special Projects account 1616. Additional federal BIA funds will be used for projects related to the Federal Dam Safety Program. Chair or designee authorized to sign.

8 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN Out of Room: KR

#### 2002-542.nat

Approve the Aviation Management Plan to comply with federal policy. Chair or designee authorized to sign.

8 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN Out of Room: KR

#### 2002-543.nat

Approve Fire Mange Participation Policy for the Natural Resources Department. The policy guidelines listed in this policy will be consistent with CCT Plan of Operations, 5 U.S.C., 5 CFR, and 25 CFR. Chair or designee authorized to sign.

7 FOR (LA, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, RS) 1 AGAINST (SC) 0 ABSTAIN Out of Room: KR

#### 2002-544.cul

Approve to amend 2001-586 to place Ernie Williams on the Owner's and Jockey's Association that meets with City of Omak and Omak Stampede Committee.

8 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN Out of Room: KR

#### 2002-545.cul

Approve to amend 2002-277 to replace Deb Louie with Harvey Moses, Jr., on Okanogan Tribes' Across the Boarder Issues, Government/Government Representative(s). The remaining resolution is to remain in full force and effect.

7 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, DM, RS) 0 AGAINST 1 ABSTAIN (HM) Out of Room: KR

#### 2002-546.vet

Approve modification to solicitation 668-336-02 between VA Medical Center and the CCT to delete first paragraph on page 2 and replace with new paragraph specifying readjustment counseling to eligible CCT Veterans and families associated with CCT located in coastal and mountain communities where Veterans reside more than 25 miles from the nearest VA Medical Center/Community Based Outpatient Clinic or Vet Center. Contract period for 1 yr. From date of award with options to renew for 4 additional 1 yr. options, pending availability of funds. Rates should be based on 1 hr. sessions for individual therapy,

90 minutes for sessions for group therapy and/or family therapy.

8 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN Out of Room: KR

#### 2002-547.gov

Approve research permit to the Institute for Tribal Government who is requesting photographs of Mel Tonasket to be included with their interview with him that is to be used in the "Great Leaders of Modern Times" video series. CCT will grant a one-time use of photos to the Institute with the understanding that the materials are to be returned to the CCT Archives Center.

8 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN Out of Room: KR

#### 2002-548.gov

Approve to appoint Jeanne A. Jerred to the Elections Committee and to rescind 2001-375.

8 FOR (LA, SC, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 1 ABSTAIN (JJ)

#### 2002-549.gov

Approve to appoint Louella Anderson to the Elections Committee and to rescind 2001-373

8 FOR (SC, GJ, JJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 1 ABSTAIN (LA)

#### 2002-550.gov

Approve to appoint Harvey Moses, Jr., to the Elections Committee and to rescind 2001-376

8 FOR (LA, SC, GJ, JJ, MM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 1 ABSTAIN (HM)

#### 2002-551.gov

Approve to appoint DR Michel to the Elections Committee and to rescind 2001-263

8 FOR (LA, SC, GJ, JJ, MM, HM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 1 ABSTAIN (DM)

#### 2002-552.gov

Approve to rescind 1999-814 in it's entirety due to cost savings. That all Special Sessions to be held in CBC Council Chambers.

7 FOR (LA, SC, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 2 AGAINST (KR, RS) 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-553.gov

Approve to enroll: Edward William Andrew Frank, case no. 02-104

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-554.gov

Approve to enroll: Imesei Aitofele Tomeo, case no. 02-105

9 FOR (LA, SC, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-555.gov

Approve to enroll: Sincere Ryse Three Irons, case no. 02-106

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-556.gov

Approve to enroll: Lachelle Ranae Boyd, case no. 02-107

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

#### 2002-557.gov

Approve to enroll: Jesse Wayne

9 FOR (LA, SC, JJ, GJ, MM, HM, DM, KR, RS) 0 AGAINST 0 ABSTAIN

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