AUGUST 2023

509-634-2733

Vocational Rehabilitation

First Annual Disability Special Success

Special points of interest:

Culture Group All welcome Thursday Omak VR 4:30— Dinner provided and some supplies if needed—Dottie 422-7402

August 4th

Brewster King Salmon Derby, starts at 5 AM, for more details and registration information

August 10th-13th

Omak Stampede & Suicide Race, carnival opens at 5 PM. For tickets and more details

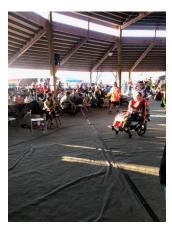
August 19th

Pateros Hydro Classic starts at 11 AM at the Pateros Memorial Park, more details

FIRST AID CPR training CALL DOTTIE 422-7402

Job skills training 10AM Tues and Thursday TANF Office Mon and Wed Government building TANF 10 AM – Daryl Toulou 634-2921

Many dancers and families showed up at the first disability special at the July Nespelem pow wow. We enjoyed witnessing all the happiness, smiles and pride. Here is a couple pictures we would like to share and thank you to the many people who helped make this happen.



What is Disability Inclusion? Including people with disabilities in everyday activities and encouraging them to have roles similar to their peers who do not have a disability is disability inclusion.

A CCT VOC REHAB PARTNER AGENCY

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DEPT OF SERVICES FOR THE BLIND Spokane Office

Paulsen Building 421 W Riverside Ave, Ste 830 Spokane WA 99201

Phone: <u>509-456-4458</u> Fax: <u>509-625-5239</u>

Hours of Operation Monday – Thursday Washington State Department of Services for the Blind (DSB) provides services for people of all ages who are blind or have low vision in the state of Washington. The agency provides services to more than 2,800 Washington State Residents to help them gain

or retain employment.

Independence, Inclusion, and Economic Vitality for individuals with a "Just because a man lacks the use of his eyes doesn't mean he lacks vision." "I don't need easy. I just need possible." "Inclusion is not bringing people into what already exists, it is making a new space, a better space for everyone."

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TERO Training Updates



PRACTICE
TRADITION,
BUILD THE
FUTURE, TRAIN
FOR
OPPORTUNITIES

TERO JOB DISPATCH

Mariam Barrow 509-634-2729

Training Requests

Roberta Bearcub 509-634-2719

Current RFP listings

RFB | San Poil Forestry | Timber Marking Contracts up for bid | Closing Date Aug 11, 2023

RFP | Range Program | Range Unit 63 East Fencing Contract | Closing Date August 3, 2023 RFP Range Program |

Range Unit 35 Highway
Fencing Contract | Closing
Date August 3rd, 2023
RFB | Inchelium Forestry

Excavator piling bid packet,
Jerred Cr | Closing Date Aug

2, 2023 PDF | Bid Sheet
RFB | Inchelium Forestry Excavator piling bid packet, Little
Wilmont #2 | Closing Date Aug
2, 2023 PDF | Bid Sheet
RFB | Inchelium Forestry Excavator piling bid packet, Little
Wilmont #3 | Closing Date Aug
2, 2023 PDF | Bid Sheet
RFP | Access Control System
for Correctional Facility | Closing Date Aug 15, 2023,
RFP | Inchelium Wildlife office/shop renovation RFP |
Closing Date Aug 11, 2023

ITB | Inchelium Community Center Roof and Omak Community Center Roof | Closing Date August 3, 2023 RFP | Dispatch Console for Police Department | Closing Date Aug 1, 2023 RFP | Plumbing fixtures, piping replacement, control valves | Closing Date Aug 1, 2023

Did you know...

If you haven't updated your TERO Application in the past 6-months, you may lose eligibility to be dispatched to a project. Please ensure that we have a current application on file so that we can contact you with job and/or training opportunities.

Applications to sign up can be found at Omak TERO/Voc Rehab office 1100 8th ave or 2nd floor Government Building TERO office Nespelem.

HIGHER EDUCATION



DEADLINE DATES

1st term: Fall - August 1st 2nd term: Winter/Spring- December 1st

3rd term: Spring- February 1st

4th term: Summer- May 1st

PO Box 150 Nespelem, WA Lucy F. Covington Government Center

Southwest Wing- 3rd Floor

(509) 634-2779 | Fax (509) 634-2790 | Toll Free 1-888-881-7684

Monday - Thursday 7:00am - 5:30pm

LIBRARY Hours of Operation

STAFF HOURS

Monday & Wednesday 7:00 AM - 5:30 PM - Nespelem

Tuesday 7:00 AM - 3:00 PM - Nespelem

2nd & 4th Thursday 7:00 AM - 5:30 PM - Keller

1st & 3rd Thursday 7:00 AM - 5:30 PM - Inchelium

(Keller & Inchelium hours will be adjusted when staffed)

Computers are available when staff is in.

ROAR WSU A program that makes a real difference

Make no mistake about it, WSU ROAR makes a huge difference in the lives of <u>all</u> who are involved in the program.

WSU ROAR (Responsibility Opportunity Advocacy and Respect) is a residential, inclusive postsecondary education program for students with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD).

Program Description

Washington State University Responsibility Opportunity Advocacy and Respect (WSU ROAR) is a two-year inclusive postsecondary education program for students with intellectual and developmental disabilities (I/DD) located in the WSU College of Education. WSU ROAR provides individualized programs of study in education, vocation, social skills, and independent living through person-centered planning. WSU ROAR is an employment focused program, and we work to provide individualized services that are consistent with each student's preferences, interests, strengths and needs so that they can prepare for and engage in competitive integrated employment and achieve economic self-sufficiency after program completion. WSU ROAR students live communally on the Pullman, WA campus, attend individualized programming, and complete WSU audit courses with same-aged peers. WSU ROAR welcomes young adults with I/DD to be part of the Cougar family experience. Upon completion of the program, WSU ROAR students earn a college recognized certificate of completion. WSU ROAR is a U.S. Department of Education Transition Program for Students with Intellectual and Developmental (TPSID) program and an approved Comprehensive Transition Program (U.S. Department of Education).

WSU ROAR Essential Elements

WSU ROAR has five essential elements that guide the services and experiences that students receive while enrolled in our program. These essential elements include:

Person Centered Planning

WSU Audit Courses

WSU ROAR Courses

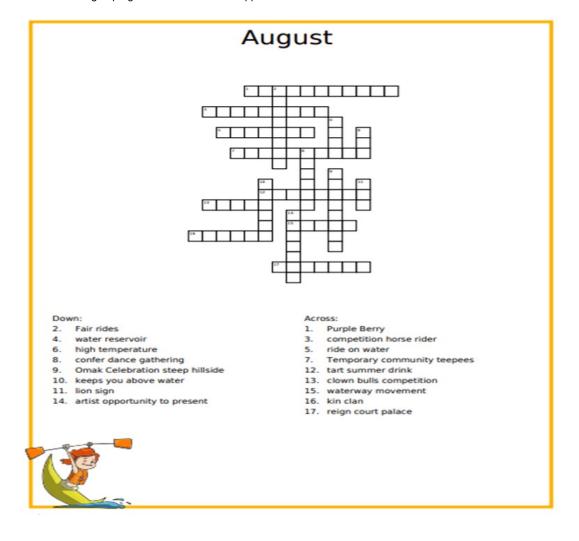
Employment Services

Facilitated Inclusive Campus and Community Experiences

Bottom line, young adults with intellectual or developmental disabilities get to fully be part of the Cougar family experience. Another way to say it: they get to be Cougs!

Contact us at coe.roar@wsu.edu or 509-335-4078.

https://education.wsu.edu/undergradprograms/wsuroar/wsuroarapplication/







QUICKBOOKS & BRANDING YOUR BUSINESS 1 ON 1 SESSIONS AVAILABLE BY APPOINTMENT ONLY

Contact the Economic Alliance for more information at 509-826-5107

NNDF Contact info

PO Box 154, Coulee Dam Washington, 99116

509-633-9940

Small Business assistance

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION

Our Mission:

The Colville Tribal Vocational Rehabilitation Program provide culturally appropriate Vocational rehabilitation services to federally recognized tribal members with disabilities. Individuals who have a functional limitation and need assistance obtaining, maintaining, or regaining employment. Services are custom designed to fit each individuals needs. M-TH 7-530

- 21 Colville Street **NESPELEM 634-2733**
- 1100 8th Avenue OMAK 422-7578

Who is Eligible:

If you want to go to work and your answer is yes to the following statements. you may be eligible:

- Do you reside on or near the boundaries of the Colville Indian reservation?
- Are you an enrolled member of a federally recognized tribe?
- Do you have a physical or mental impairment that results in a substantial impediment to employ-
- Are you willing to work on a plan that will help you find suitable employment?

Thank You Dottie and Chrissy for getting garden and sweat house plans going in Omak. Chrissy thank you for recruiting your wonderful husband Brian Peterson who does all the hard work, 1100 8th ave Omak



August





RE-ENTRY

Making a difference

VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION Conita Desautel 634-2725 and Randy Adolph

Have been going into the tribal jail weekly to assist current or new customers of VR get a head start on planning for their future employment and career goals. It is never too late.

They conduct career assessments and other assessments as needed. Randy is going to be assisting with rebuilding their sweathouse and other needs they asked for that will help them overcome some barriers to being employable. Conita is coordinating to assist with customers getting signed up for their education needs which will lead to employment and career success.