

Chamber Chatter

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January Guest Speaker

Welcome back! We are resuming our regularly scheduled meetings that are held the last Wednesday of each month.

This month's meeting is on January 29th. The meeting will begin at 11:30 and end at 1:00. Cost is \$12.50 for lunch.

Meetings are held at Sylvia's Authentic Italian Restaurant, located at 5115 NE Sandy Boulevard in Portland, OR. Their phone

number for directions is 503-288-6828. Please RSVP to Kathy Woods at 503-227-0274 voice mail box 121 or online at www.onacc.org. Kathy's e-mail is in the contacts link.

Our guest speaker is Triesta Ashenfelter with Sprint. She will be discussing Sprint's supplier diversity policies and how they can benefit the Native American businesses within ONACC,



The Oregon Native American Chamber of Commerce wishes you a very Happy New Year!

as well as how to register to become a supplier for Sprint.

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Membership Directory

This year we are creating a directory for our members that will be available online!

Individual members will be listed by their name with the following information: address, telephone number and e-mail address.

Small business members will be listed by the name of their business with the following information: contact name, address,

telephone number, e-mail address and a brief paragraph about their business.

Tribal and Corporate Sponsors will be listed by the name of their business/corporation with the following information: contact name, address, telephone number, e-mail address, a paragraph about their business/corporation, and at their choosing a logo and/or website link directly

from the online directory!

If there is any information that a member does not wish to be available to the public, they need only let us know and we will respect their privacy and request.

The directory will be posted to the website in late January. Members will be added to the directory as we receive renewals and/or new memberships.

We are very excited about our continued website improvements, and look forward to a new year of growth and friendship!



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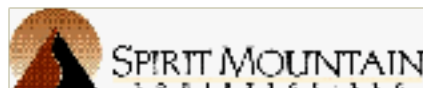
Thank You, Spirit Mountain!

At the last meeting, Clyde Striker briefly met with Kelly Anne Ilagan to discuss the possibility of a donation from the logistics department of Spirit Mountain to the Chamber. The form of coffee cups was brought up to give in raffles and to speakers—or for possible promotional interests.

After much research, thanks to Wally Oliver, we have been able to begin the process. We hope that we will have them by the February Chamber meeting to be able to show them to our members.

Our coffee mug will have the ONACC logo on one side and the Spirit Mountain logo on the other side. Our logo will be slightly different on the mugs, due to cost efficiency. We are still trying to decide if the logo will be altered in color or changed to black and white.

The Oregon Native American Chamber of Commerce would like to thank Spirit Mountain for their donation!



OAME Trade Show

OAME's 14th Annual Tradeshow/Conference is on Thursday, May 8, 2003. You will not want to miss this fantastic opportunity to reserve early for the exhibit spaces for next year's OAME Luncheon and Tradeshow at the Oregon Convention Center.

Over 1500 business people, (from the Public and Private Sectors) and the General Public will visit OAME's Annual Trade Show and Luncheon.

The OAME Tradeshow is designed to help your business to increase your networking with minority owned, women, emerging

small businesses, purchasers, buyers, lenders, key contacts from government agencies and private businesses and sample their diverse products and services. Please call OAME at 503-249-7744 to register.

Each year OAME focuses on a different ethnic group. This year OAME is focusing on the Native Americans. Please join ONACC and ONABEN in supporting this year's event!

