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SENDING IMPORTANT MESSAGES TO TILIKUM'S FRIENDS

15 Year Day Camp Celebration: August 2, 1986

From that first summer in 1972, with 2 staff members and 341 campers, Tilikum's day camp program has grown to be one of the largest of its kind in the Northwest. By the end of this summer, 15 years later, more than 11,000 children will have had an outdoor Christian day camp experience. A celebration is in order! Therefore, Saturday, August 2 is being set aside for former campers, counselors and staff to come home to a Tilikum 15 year reunion. Slides from many years will be shown. Various theme displays will be at the Multipurpose Building - remember those huge farm overalls we signed and the gigantic quilt we made? Come at 10 a.m. - stay 'til dark. Bring your own lunch, and then, if you make reservations, we'll grill hamburgers for you for supper. Boating, swimming, big swing, farm animals, and lots of memories are offered. If you can't make it, send a note telling us about some interesting experience you remember. We will enter your notes in a scrapbook of memories, so we would like to hear from you.

Potlatch -- 1986

Tilikum's Potlatch #14 is September 5 and 6. This support-raising dinner is for you, if you have been, are, or will begin financially supporting Tilikum's operating budget. This year's goal is for Tilikum's friends to pledge \$31,000 toward a total budget of \$167,000. That's more than 258 people pledging \$10 a month for one year. In order to make this goal, we need your support. Another acclaimed salmon dinner will be served and a marvelous program is being planned. The theme is "Our Children - Our Future: Sharing the Results of 15 Years of Tilikum Day Camps". Photographs will be shown, memorabilia will be on display, and selected guests will share memories of day camp experiences. Dinner tickets are \$8. Friday's dinner begins at 6:45 p.m. and Saturday's is a little earlier, at 5:45 p.m. Call or write if you would like to attend: 538-2763; 15321 NE North Valley Road, Newberg, Oregon 97132.

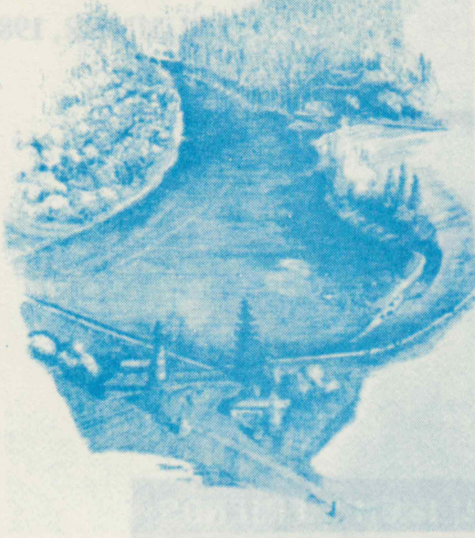
Tilikum Tid Bits

- * Gary and Susan Fawver drove to Bend recently and brought a lovely spinet piano back to Tilikum. Ralph and Carol Arensmeier, new residents at Friendsview Manor, donated it.
- * In May, \$2,500 was given by an anonymous donor toward the renovation of Valley View School. The entire school should be on the Tilikum site by summer's end.

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- * More than \$1,000 was given by Robin and Lola Crecelius, Michael Cain, and another Tilikum friend for trout stocked in the lake in May.
- * 46 people, 20 sets of fathers and sons and grandpas, spent a wonderful weekend at Tilikum in June. More than 100 fish (bass, trout, catfish and crappies) were caught, and life-long memories of high quality time spent together were recorded.
- * There were 145 day campers for week one, 133 for week two, and 106 for week three!
- * A day camp cassette tape of 1986 songs has been produced and is available for sale for a mere \$4. It is a very popular item.
- * The Family Gettogether for August 15-17 still has several openings. Tilikum is a wonderful place for families to have outdoor fun together. "Get to know a great family -- yours!" We have a special 3-month, no-interest, payment plan. Call in your reservation now: 538-2763.

Tilikum to Sponsor Foster, Medema, Fawver at George Fox College

Saturday, September 13, 1986, is a special day of teaching and celebration. This day is designed to encourage and strengthen your faith and to help you live a freer, more joyful, more committed Christian life. During the day we'll spend the time worshiping, learning, and sharing in small groups, focusing on several aspects of living a celebrative Christian life. The sessions will include: how to relate to the wonder and beauty of nature through the discipline of solitude, led by Gary Fawver; how to begin experiencing a life of perpetual communication with God, led by Richard Foster; and how to open the channels of communication with each other, led by Ken Medema.

The Saturday evening all-stops-out concert by Ken Medema, "A Celebration of Relationships," will bring the day to a marvelous conclusion. Richard Foster, author, teacher, and scholar, has written the books Celebration of Discipline, Freedom of Simplicity, and Money, Sex and Power, which have found their way into thousands of lives and have been instrumental in helping those lives to be freer, simpler, more disciplined, and more creative than ever. Gary Fawver has been the director of Tilikum for 15 years and brings outstanding ability as a teacher, a lover of God's creation, a facilitator for communication between people, and an encourager. Ken Medema's music, both in concert and on record, for many years has challenged, nudged, and encouraged his listeners to new depths of commitment and new heights of joy. The comfortable and ample facilities of George Fox College make an ideal setting for the event. Tickets will be available from Tilikum, George Fox College, Christian Supply Centers throughout Portland, and for Heaven's Sake Bookstore. The entire event - day time workshops and evening concert - can be attended for \$15. If you wish to attend either the workshops or the evening concert the fee is \$10.