

# TALENT HISTORICAL SOCIETY

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## “TUESDAY EVENING AT THE MUSEUM”

A SERIES OF PRESENTATIONS AND DISCUSSIONS FEATURING TOPICS OF INTEREST TO OUR MEMBERS TO BE HELD THE FOURTH TUESDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE THS MUSEUM.

THE EIGHTEENTH PRESENTATION IN OUR SERIES:

### “STORIES FROM HOME”

AUGUST 23, 2016

6:30 P.M. TO 8:00 P.M.

### FEATURING THOMAS DOTY

NOTED NATIVE STORYTELLER; RECIPIENT OF A DISTINGUISHED LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD FROM THE NATIONAL AMERICAN INDIAN PROGRAM; AUTHOR AND PERFORMER OF *JOHN BEESON – MAN OF PEACE*.

THOMAS WILL BE GIVING A PERFORMANCE AND TALK FOCUSING ON THE IMPORTANCE OF FINDING AND SHARING OUR STORIES, HOW THEY HELP US TO KNOW OUR HOMELAND, AND CONNECT US TO OUR COMMUNITY, OUR HISTORY, OUR MYTHOLOGY. FOLLOWING THE PROGRAM, HE WILL BE SIGNING COPIES OF *DOTY MEETS COYOTE*, HIS LATEST BOOK AND EIGHT-HOUR AUDIOBOOK.

SINCE 1981, HE HAS TRAVELED THE COUNTRYSIDE PERFORMING AND TEACHING TRADITIONAL AND ORIGINAL STORIES. HE LEARNED HIS ART FROM NATIVE ELDERS, INCLUDING GRANDMA MAUDE, THE FAMILY STORYTELLER. DOTY WAS BORN IN SOUTHERN OREGON WHERE HE STILL LIVES. HE IS DESCENDED FROM SHASTA AND TAKELMA PEOPLE, AS WELL AS FROM IRISH AND ENGLISH SETTLERS. HE IS THE AUTHOR OF SEVERAL BOOKS AND HIS STORIES HAVE BEEN BROADCAST ON PUBLIC RADIO. HE HAS BEEN CALLED, “A CULTURAL TREASURE” AND “A MASTER OF HIS ART.”

YOU DO NOT NEED TO BE A MEMBER OF THE TALENT HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO ATTEND.

WELL BEHAVED CHILDREN ARE WELCOME AND ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND.

TALENT HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM IS LOCATED AT 105 NORTH MARKET STREET IN TALENT, OREGON.