

Veterans Senior Queen Makenzie Aaron, left, and Veterans Junior Queen Madison Aaron wave as they ride in a 1976 Cadillac Eldorado during the Portland General Electric/SOLVE Starlight Parade in downtown Portland on Saturday, June 3.



# Persistent parades



Tribal Elder Kathy Coley adds uva grass to the bear that is part of Spirit Mountain Casino's float while decorating it at the Funtastic Traveling Shows' office in Portland on Thursday, June 8. The float won the Governor's Award in the Spirit Mountain Casino Grand Floral Parade on Saturday, June 10.



From left, Junior Miss Grand Ronde Isabelle Grout, Little Miss Grand Ronde Kaleigha Simi and Senior Miss Grand Ronde Iyana Holmes wave as they ride in a 1972 Cadillac Eldorado during the Portland General Electric/SOLVE Starlight Parade in downtown Portland on Saturday, June 3.



Tribal Elder Deitz Peters and his grandson, Ethan Breckheimer, wave to the crowd while walking in the Portland General Electric/SOLVE Starlight Parade in downtown Portland on Saturday, June 3. They carried the "Spirit of the West" banner introducing that section of the parade, which is the section that included Tribal Royalty.



Counterclockwise from left, Veterans Senior Queen Makenzie Aaron, Senior Miss Grand Ronde Iyana Holmes, Junior Miss Grand Ronde Isabelle Grout, Little Miss Grand Ronde Kaleigha Simi, Little Miss Princess Sophie Grout and Veterans Junior Queen Madison Aaron wave to the crowd as they walk the beginning of the Spirit Mountain Casino Grand Floral Parade in Portland on Saturday, June 10.

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