

Quicken computer class

The Tribe's Small Business Development Division is offering a *Quicken* software class to anyone interested. *Quicken* software is designed like a check register which allows you to track several different accounts separately, such as business and personal, checking, savings, credit cards, investments and loans. The class will be held on Tuesday and Thursday for two weeks, beginning on Tuesday, September 22. Class location is the Business Lab at 28840 Salmon River Highway in Grand Ronde.

Week 1: Basics of bookkeeping; basics of file management; create files; assets; liabilities; appearance; navigating; and set preferences.

Week 2: Data entry; reconciliations; changes and deletions; reports; tax transfer; general tax rules; prepaids; cash drawer management; and new year set up.

For more information or to sign up, please contact Small Business at (503) 879-2476.

Walkers needed

The annual STROLL FOR SANTA fund-raiser is scheduled for **Saturday, September 12**. STROLL FOR SANTA is a pledged walk-a-thon from Sheridan to Willamina (6 miles). This fund-raiser benefits the tricity area (Grand Ronde, Willamina, and Sheridan) with a means to supply Christmas decorations to all three of the downtown areas.

If you are interested in participating as a walker, committee member, or would like to pledge a donation, please contact one of the following:

Grand Ronde — Sheila Herber at 879-2469
Willamina — Betty Frownfelter at 879-5563
Sheridan — Agnus Bradford at 843-3811



Free class will address parenting dilemmas

Authoritative Parenting is a FREE six-week class for parents of adolescents, which is currently being taught in schools, agencies, churches, juvenile departments and Rotary Clubs throughout the country. Now you have the opportunity to learn very specific skills that will increase your confidence in parenting. This class will show you how to deal with running away, stealing, violence, lying, arguing, truancy, sexual activity, chore and homework completion, choice of friends, driving issues, gang involvement, sibling fighting, television time, and the use of tobacco, drugs, and alcohol.

Please join these FREE Authoritative Parenting sessions which start **Thursday, August 20** from 6 to 7:30 p.m. and will run for six weeks for a total of 12 hours. Sessions will be held at the Academy Building, third floor conference room B, in Dallas, Oregon. For more information, please contact Patti Robb, Polk County Juvenile Department, at (503) 623-2349.

Landscape Design anyone?

The Education Division has been asked about the possibility of conducting a Landscape Design class in Grand Ronde. Currently the division is working with Chemeketa Community College to possibly conduct an on-site class beginning mid-October. The division would like to hear from you. We need input regarding course content. Currently, the class offered through the college is focused toward home and residential landscaping.

If you're interested in signing up for this class or want to share ideas regarding class structure, please call Hollie Larsen at 879-2275.

WOMEN'S SOCIETY

**Thursdays ~ 7 to 8:30 p.m.
Community Center**

Bring projects you are working on or want to start (ideas, books, recipes). No children please — the idea is for us to have some time for ourselves.
Contact: Shawn Hostler at 843-4504.

AUGUST COMPUTER CLASSES

MONDAYS from 1 to 3:30 p.m.
Aug. 31: **Beginning Windows 3.1**

MONDAYS from 9 to 11:30 a.m.
Aug. 17: **Intermediate Windows 3.1**
Aug. 24: **Intermediate Windows 95**

WEDNESDAYS from 9 to 11:30 a.m.
Aug. 19: **Beginning MicroSoft Word**

FRIDAYS from 9 to 11:30 a.m.
Aug. 21: **Beginning Word Perfect**

Computer classes are FREE to tribal members and staff. \$10 for non-tribal members.

You must pre-register by calling Doug Hampton at 879-2484 or Barbara Lake at 879-2476.

The computer lab and Business Center are located at 28840 Salmon River Highway.

The lab is open for use, please call first for availability.

Reading program offered

SMART (Start Making A Reader Today) is an early literacy program managed by the Oregon Children's Foundation, a non-profit organization. In the Fall, the SMART program will be launched in the Willamina and Grand Ronde elementary schools.

SMART will recruit and train 195 volunteers to read for one hour each week with 195 kindergarten, first, and second graders in Yamhill County. Statewide, SMART is already in 13 Oregon counties — providing 7,100 volunteers to read with the same number of children. In addition, each student participating in the SMART program receives two new books to take home each month. In Yamhill County, approximately 3,000 new books will be given to SMART students this upcoming school year.

The mission of SMART is to enhance the reading skills, attitudes, and life prospects of children, and to enable adult volunteers and communities to experience the rewards of enriching young lives. If you are interested in becoming a SMART volunteer for the 1998-99 school year, please call (503) 474-1252.

Chemeketa offering fall classes in Grand Ronde

The Grand Ronde class schedule is set and ready. Chemeketa Community College in collaboration with the Tribe's Education Division will offer the following classes for Fall Term 1998:

ON SITE CLASSES

- 5067 **Worksheets - Excel**, CS125E
Th 5:30-9:20, \$156
- 4873 **Intro to Algebra & Geometry**, Mth052
T/Th 5:30-7:30, \$108
- 4874 **Intro to Algebra**, Mth060
T/Th 5:30-7:30, \$144
- 4875 **Elementary Algebra**, Mth070
Tu/Th 5:30-7:30, \$144
- 4876 **Intermediate Algebra**, Mth095
T/Th 5:30-7:30, \$144
- 5068 **Interpersonal Communication**, Sp114
Wed 5:30-8:20, \$108
- 4870 **Writing Skills**, Wr040
Mon 5:30-8:30, \$108
- 4871 **Intro to Composition**, Wr115
Mon 5:30-8:30, \$110

CABLE TELEVISION CLASSES (DAYS)

- 1255 **Business English 2**, BT085
M/W/F 9:30-10:20, \$108
- 2513 **Office Procedures**, BT116
T/Th 8:30-9:50, \$108
- 3585 **Study Skills**, HD112
M/W/F 12:30-1:20, \$108
- 1904 **History of US**, HST201
M/W/F 8:30-9:20, \$108
- 2295 **Intro to Algebra**, MTH060
Th 11:30-1:20, \$144

Class registration begins on August 14, 1998. Tribal members interested in registering for Grand Ronde classes need to complete both Short Term Training forms and Chemeketa Community College class registration forms. Please contact Hollie Larsen, 879-2275.

General public and non-tribal members will need to register for classes by contacting Tracie Burger at (503) 472-9482, McMinnville Campus, Chemeketa Community College.

Small Business Development Center and ONABEN presents:

You and Your Business Idea

WHAT: A series of classes designed to "discover" tribal and local entrepreneurs and encourage the development of your business idea beyond "just an idea."

WHEN: Tuesday, September 15 and 22 from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Starting a Successful Business

WHAT: A ten-week series of classes designed to guide participants through the business plan writing process. The course materials and individual counseling sessions allow participants to work through the business planning process. The end result is a comprehensive business plan that can be taken to financial institutions for loan consideration!

WHEN: The classes will be held on Tuesdays from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., beginning September 29 then every Tuesday thereafter for 10 weeks: September 29; October 6, 13, 20, 27; November 3, 10, 17, 24; and December 1. Graduation will be held on December 4.

WHERE: Both classes will be held at the Tribe's Small Business Development Center located at 28840 Salmon River Hwy. in Grand Ronde, OR. To sign-up call (503) 879-2476.