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The Tribe is online — check it out!

New technology has come to Grand Ronde. Yes, the Tribe now has its own website where any one will be able to access information on the Grand Ronde Tribe. This is a brand new site with links to the Casino and all tribal programs. The Gaming Commission, Small Business Development (SBD), and the Casino's pages are impressive. However, many of the links are still "under construction." But keep watching for the web pages to develop.

Everyone is encouraged to access information right now on the Tribe's Small Business site. On that site you will find:

- Current events happening with the local Chamber of Commerce, like the Willamina Art Tour.
- ONACC — the Oregon Native American Chamber of Commerce.
- ONABEN — Oregon Native American Business and Entrepreneurial Network.
- Monthly computer classes offered in Grand Ronde and other services offered by SBD.
- The coolest page is the Tribal Members Business Directory. This is a listing of 59 tribal member businesses all over the U.S. Check it out!

\$1,600 raised for Grand Ronde community

The annual STROLL FOR SANTA fund-raiser was held on Saturday, September 12. Walkers from Grand Ronde collected \$1600 in pledged donations — which will purchase Christmas decorations for the Grand Ronde area. The local Chamber of Commerce would like to thank everyone that walked and pledged for the support they gave for this cause.

Now, a community team needs to be established to purchase the new holiday decorations. If you are interested in making the Grand Ronde area festive for the holidays, please attend a meeting on **Friday, October 16** at noon. The meeting will be held at Small Business, upstairs in the Molalla Room.

Another item that needs support is signs welcoming people to Grand Ronde. Suggestions are needed for the design of these signs. In addition to the \$1,000 already raised, a Bingo fund-raiser is scheduled at the Casino on November 4. As community members, here is your chance to participate in some real "community fun." For more information or bingo tickets, please call Sheila Herber at 879-2469 or Barbara Lake at 879-2476.



HANGING CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS:
Last year's participants sharing community spirit.

OCTOBER COMPUTER CLASSES

MONDAYS from 1 to 3:30 p.m.

- Oct. 5 or 19: **Beginning Windows 3.1**
- Oct. 12 or 26: **Beginning Windows 95**

TUESDAYS from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

- Oct. 6: **Beginning MicroSoft Word**
- Oct. 13: **Intermediate MicroSoft Word**
- Oct. 20: **Beginning Excel**
- Oct. 27: **Intermediate Excel**

WEDNESDAYS from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

- Oct. 7: **Introduction to GroupWise**
- Oct. 14: **Power Point**
- Oct. 21: **Introduction to Tribal Network**
- Oct. 28: **GroupWise**

THURSDAYS from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

- Oct. 1: **Power Point**
- Oct. 8: **Beginning Word Perfect**
- Oct. 22: **Intermediate Windows 95**
- Oct. 29: **Intermediate Windows 3.1**

FRIDAYS from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

- Oct. 2: **Introduction to Internet**
- Oct. 9: **Print Shop**
- Oct. 16: **Intermediate Word Perfect**
- Oct. 30: **Introduction to the Internet**

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, please call first for availability that day.

New Pharmacy hours

Effective immediately the pharmacy at the Health and Wellness Center will have new hours in order to help accommodate members' prescription needs. The pharmacy will be open Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., unless patients are still being seen. The pharmacy will **not** close for lunch during the noon hour. If you have any questions, please call the tribal offices or 879-2299.

Video library available

Self Improvement and Job Enhancement videos and audio tapes are available for overnight or weekend checkout in the Adult Education library, 28840 Salmon River Hwy. Drop by and check us out!

GED classes continue

Grand Ronde GED classes are held on Tuesdays and Thursdays (except for holidays or bad weather) from 4 to 7 p.m. by Gayla Tulensru. Classes are held at 28840 Salmon River Highway. GED classes co-sponsored with Chemeketa are open to the community. CTGR tribal members may also access tutoring services by appointment by calling 879-2275. First time students should call ahead.

Women's Support Group

A Women's Support Group focusing on resolving conflict in the home is being formed in the area. For more information call Sharon Woods at 879-2154 or Melissa at 879-2044.

Tribal youth invited to submit artwork

■ Sacred Landscapes: Native American Perspectives of the Pacific Northwest

Oregon State University is extending an invitation to Oregon Native American students, grades K-12 to submit works of art for a student exhibition. All work will be shown on May 14, 1999 at the LeSells Stewart Center on the Oregon State University Campus. The exhibition will be held in conjunction with the OSU Spring Pow-wow.

All art work is due November 1, 1998. Mail completed work to Sacred Landscapes Art Exhibit, Department of Art, 106 Fairbanks Hall, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR 97331. If you want your art work to be returned to you please include return postage.

About the artwork: Any two-dimensional work on paper or canvas in painting, drawing, printmaking and other media will be accepted. The art work may be in black and white or in color. Entries may measure up to 3 x 3 feet framed. Finished work should be matted or mounted on railroad board, foam core or mat board. Small work may be mounted on construction paper with rubber cement. Work should be labeled on the back with the name of the artist, address, phone, name of school, the age of the artist, and the tribal affiliation. (Entry labels are available but students do not have to use these labels to enter).

Cash will be awarded: 1st — \$100; 2nd — \$75; and 3rd — \$50. There may also be several purchase awards. **Art work will be judged as it responds to the conference theme: Sacred Landscapes: Native American Perspectives of the Pacific Northwest.** In addition, an Honor Award of \$100 will be presented to the work selected to be the conference logo. That work will be used on a T-shirt and a poster publicizing the conference.

IS SOMEONE YOU KNOW BEING HURT?

Help is available 24-hours.
Call the Domestic Violence Crisis Hotline at 1-888-654-8198.