

Thursday, June 10

Blessing and Ground Breaking to be held for Elder Housing

There will be a blessing of the Elder Housing site and a ground breaking ceremony at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 10, 1999. The ceremony will take place at the construction site just North of the Grand Ronde Tribal Housing Authority offices, off Grand Ronde Road. Following the ground breaking ceremony, refreshments will be served at the newly remodeled Housing Authority offices located at 25500 Grand Ronde Road. For more information call the Housing Authority at 879-2401.

Medical and Dental Insurance enrollment extended to June 25

Now is the time to sign up for the tribally sponsored ODS medical/vision and Standard dental insurance. Applications MUST be in by Friday, June, 25 for an effective date of July 1, 1999. Any application received after June 25 will be filed for a January 1, 2000 enrollment date. Call Valorie Sheker or Amy Justen at 1-800-442-0346 for an enrollment packet or questions.

Meeting to focus on Lachance family

Seekers is a community-based cultural group formed to help with the protection and preservation of our tribal culture and heritage. A special meeting will be held on Saturday, June 5 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Rogue River Room at the Casino to present genealogical and historical documents to the descendants of Pierre and Susanne Lachance.

A current project of descendants is a 30 foot long family tree, which will be available to add or correct information. Seekers hopes to have this family tree completed by Pow-wow time.

All descendants are welcome to attend this special meeting. Please come and share your knowledge, and let's celebrate our heritage!

Lachance descendants includes those persons from:

- ☐ Pierre Lachance Jr.
- ☐ Jules (Gus) Lachance
- ☐ Julia Dowd
- ☐ Mary Langley-Barker
- ☐ Joseph Lachance
- ☐ Clementine LaBonte-Jeffries
- ☐ Delphine Brothers-Davis
- ☐ Tilmer Leno
- ☐ Thomas Lachance
- ☐ Narcisse Lachance

Volunteers needed for Native club

Students at Chemeketa Community College are starting a Native American club. We need volunteers and donations. The club would also like to start dance, regalia, and drumming classes. If you can help in any way, please call Renee Zeyen at (503) 581-7882.

Vets attend local pow-wow

On May 15 and 16 the Grand Ronde Veterans' Color Guard, 1998-99 Veterans' Queen Stephanie Duran, and 1999-2000 Veterans' Princess Nikki Norwest represented the Grand Ronde Tribe and the Annual Oregon State University Competition Pow-wow. It was held at Gil Coliseum in Corvallis. Nikki Norwest placed 3rd in Girl's Traditional Dance.

Color Guard also attended the last ATNI conference, hosted by the Tribe, and held at Spirit Mountain Lodge.

Veterans' Memorial meetings to be held

The Veterans' Memorial ad hoc committee will be meeting the second Tuesday of every month in the HR classroom at the Governance Center, at 6:30 p.m. Their next meeting is scheduled for June 8. All tribal members interested in the creation of this memorial are welcome to attend. On June 8 the committee will form sub-committees and assign tasks.

PREPARING FOR POW-WOW

1999 GRAND RONDE CONTEST POW-WOW  
AUGUST 20, 21 & 22

FRIDAY, AUGUST 20  
ROYALTY PAGEANT  
7 PM ... GRAND ENTRY

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21  
11 AM ... PARADE  
1 PM ... GRAND ENTRY  
7 PM ... GRAND ENTRY

SUNDAY, AUGUST 22  
1 PM ... GRAND ENTRY

PEOPLE INTERESTED IN HELPING, PLEASE CONTACT: COMPETITION

Dana Leno  
879-2037 or 800-242-8196

DRUMS

Bobby Mercier  
879-2410 or 800-422-0232

PARKING & CAMPING

Patrick Galligher  
879-3733 or 800-760-7977

T-SHIRTS & RAFFLE

Florene Hoff  
503-645-4798  
Tammy Cook  
800-760-7977

VENDORS

Jackie Provost  
879-2002 or 800-422-0232

JUNE MEALSITE MENU

HEALTH TIP: Make sure you put on sun screen before going out into the sun. Always carry water and sunglasses with you.

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| TUES., JUNE 1<br>Ribs<br>Scalloped Potatoes<br>Coleslaw                     | WED., JUNE 2<br>Tacos<br>Rice<br>Fresh Fruit              | THURS., JUNE 3<br>Chicken Pot Pie<br>Salad & Muffins<br>Fresh Fruit |
| TUES., JUNE 8<br>Swedish Meatballs<br>over Noodles<br>Salad and Fresh Fruit | WED., JUNE 9<br>Hawaiian Chicken<br>Steamed Rice<br>Salad | THURS., JUNE 10<br>Goulash<br>Salad<br>Fresh Fruit                  |

BEGINNING JUNE 15, THE COMMUNITY CENTER WILL BE UNDER CONSTRUCTION. DURING THIS TIME THE MEALSITE WILL BE HELD AT ST. MICHAEL'S GYM. NO LUNCH WILL BE AVAILABLE TO STAFF, HOWEVER YOU ARE INVITED TO BRING A SACK LUNCH AND JOIN THE ELDERS.

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| TUES., JUNE 15<br>Egg Salad Sandwiches<br>Chips<br>Fresh Veggie Tray | WED., JUNE 16<br>One Dish Casserole<br>Salad<br>Fresh Fruit            | THURS., JUNE 17<br>Soup and Muffins<br>Jello Salad<br>Fresh Fruit |
| TUES., JUNE 22<br>One Pot Dinner<br>Salad<br>Fresh Fruit             | WED., JUNE 23<br>Mixed Veggies<br>Casserole<br>Fruit Medley & Muffins  | THURS., JUNE 24<br>Clam Chowder<br>Sandwiches<br>Fresh Fruit      |
| TUES., JUNE 29<br>Spaghetti<br>Honeymoon Salad<br>Garlic Bread       | WED., JUNE 30<br>Ham Macaroni Salad<br>Baked Beans<br>Cake & Ice Cream | TRIBAL ELDERS<br>AND SPOUSES<br>EAT FREE.                         |

ELDERS' MEETING & BIRTHDAY MEAL IS WED., JUNE 30

The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde  
ELDERS' TRIBAL HONOR DAY

July 16 and 17, 1999  
Grand Ronde Elementary School

All Grand Ronde Tribal Elders and their spouses must return the registration below to participate.

TRIBAL ELDER DAY  
REGISTRATION FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Phone # \_\_\_\_\_  
Tribe \_\_\_\_\_ Roll # \_\_\_\_\_  
I will have: LUNCH DINNER BREAKFAST  
Any special needs? FOOD: yes no HANDICAP ACCESS: yes no  
Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail this registration form by JUNE 15 to:  
Tribal Honor Day ••• c/o Sharon Hanson  
3455 Bell Rd., NE ••• Salem, OR 97302