

TRIBAL COURT NOTICE

**In the Matter of: CHILDS
Petition For Change of Name
— Juvenile
STEFANY J. FRY, Applicant
by Tamera J. Childs, Petitioner**

CASE NO. C-99-11-001

ORDER GRANTING NAME CHANGE

Based on the allegations set forth in the Petition For Change of Name and New Birth Certificate — Juvenile filed by the Petitioner in the above entitled case, and based on the Court's examination of the Applicant, the Petitioner and other interested parties at the Show Cause Hearing held on Feb. 18, 2000.

THE COURT FINDS THAT:

1. Petitioner is over 18 years of age and is the parent or legal guardian of Applicant, a minor child;
2. Petitioner is an enrolled member of the Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon;
3. Petitioner has not been granted a change of name by the Tribal Court within the past twelve (12) months;
4. All persons entitled to notice have been properly served with a copy of the Notice To Parents and Legal Guardians;
5. No objection to the petition has been filed by any parent or legal guardian of the minor child and no objection was raised at the Show Cause Hearing; and
6. The proposed name change is in the best interests of the minor child.

THEREFORE, BASED ON THE FOREGOING FINDINGS, THE COURT ORDERS:

1. That the name of the Applicant be changed from STEFANY JEAN FRY to STEFANY JEAN CHILDS;
2. That the Clerk of the Tribal Court shall cause a copy of this Order to be published in the tribal newspaper;
3. That the Clerk of the Tribal Court shall submit a certified copy of this Order to the tribal Enrollment office;
4. That the Clerk of the Court shall provide Petitioner with a certified copy of this Order to be submitted by Petitioner to the Registrar of Vital Statistics in the state in which the Applicant was born;
5. That upon receipt of the certified copy of the Order, the Registrar shall issue a new birth certificate of the Applicant to reflect the new name of the Applicant as stated in this Order and shall change any designation of race or national origin on the birth certificate to reflect that the Petitioner is an American Indian;
6. That the Petitioner, on behalf of the minor child, shall surrender all old tribal identification cards bearing Applicant's former name to the tribal Enrollment office prior to the Enrollment office issuing Applicant new tribal identification cards bearing the Applicant's new name; and
7. That within sixty (60) days from the date of this Order the tribal Enrollment staff, and, if necessary, the tribal Enrollment Committee, shall cause new tribal identification cards to be issued to Applicant showing the new name of the tribal member and shall change the official membership roll and all official enrollment records of the Tribe to reflect the Applicant's new name as stated in this Order.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS
18 DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2000.
/s/ Katharine English, Chief Tribal Court Judge

Basketweaving classes in Grand Ronde

A series of basketweaving classes focusing on traditional Grand Ronde twining styles will be held every Wednesday evening from 6-9 p.m. in the Community Center beginning March 29. The series will spotlight the different materials, styles and designs traditionally practiced in Grand Ronde. Nationally recognized basket expert Margaret Mathewson, who presented a lecture in Grand Ronde last November, will conduct the classes.

"We've opted to schedule a course series so students can learn at a slower, steadier pace rather than having several, one or two day-long, information and labor-intensive weekend sessions. We wanted to create the perfect environment where students can become intimately acquainted with the different styles, materials and designs," said Lisa Watt, director of the Office of Museum Development whose office is sponsoring the series.

Students will begin each course by using sticks and rope to learn the techniques. Prepared natural materials will be slowly introduced, leading up to the preparation and use of unprepared natural materials such as juncus, rush, tule, hazel and willow. Gathering trips on the reservation will be scheduled, and outside guest speakers will be invited to share their knowledge. An evening of basket identification for the entire community will be announced at a later date as will a conservation workshop to learn how to protect family heirlooms and artifacts.

Course #1: Flat rush or tule bags ----- March 29 – April 19 (4 weeks)

Course #2: Cedar bark prep and plating ----- May 3 - May 17 (3 weeks)

Course #3: Upright or flat hazel and willow trays or baskets ----- Sept. 27 - Oct. 18 (4 weeks)

Course #4: Round spruce root baskets with designs ----- Oc. 25 - Dec. 6 (7 weeks)

Students will be responsible for the cost of materials for each course: \$10/person for reed, tule and rush, \$25/person for cedar and \$40/person for spruce root.

The classes will be limited to a maximum of 15 students, on a first-come, first-served basis, all of whom must be tribal members. If you sign up for one, two, three or all four courses, please be sure to make a personal commitment to attend each class. Our goal is to create a nucleus of accomplished Grand Ronde basketweavers who can teach others. If tribal members express enough interest for classes in Portland and/or Salem, the Office of Museum Development will consider holding a series in either location beginning in the fall.

If you have any questions, please call Lisa Watt at 879-2076.

To register for one or more courses, please call Katrina Herber at 879-4595.

TRIBAL COURT NOTICE

**In the Matter of: HAM
Petition For Change of Name
— Juvenile
ALEXANDRIA JOYCE HAM, Applicant
by Francine Ham, Petitioner**

CASE NO. C-00-02-002

ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY APPLICANTS PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME SHOULD NOT BE GRANTED

The Petitioner, Francine Ham, on behalf of the Applicant, Alexandria Joyce Ham, a minor child, has petitioned the Court for a Change of Name for the minor child. Applicant allegedly desires to change his or her name to ALEXANDRIA JOYCE KOUMENTIS, for the reason stated that: Applicant shall assume the last name of her biological father and biological sister.

Based on the foregoing petition filed with the Court on February 4, 2000, and good cause appearing therefor,

IT IS ORDERED THAT the Petitioner and any person objecting to the granting of the petition shall appear in the Tribal Court of the Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon, located in the Governance Center, room 106 at 9615 Grand Ronde Road, Grand Ronde, Oregon, on April 6, 2000 at 11:00 a.m. to show cause why the Court should not enter judgement granting the proposed change of name.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that any written response to this Order by any party to this case shall be filed on or before March 16, 2000. The Clerk of the Tribal Court shall cause a copy of this Order to be served upon all parties in accordance with Rule 14 of the Rules of Pleading, Practice and Procedure of the Tribal Court of the Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon and file proof of service with the Court on or before the date set for hearing in this matter.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petitioner shall cause a copy of this Order to be published in the tribal newspaper at least 20 days prior to the date set for hearing.

IT IS SO ORDERED THIS
18 DAY OF FEB., 2000.
/s/ Katharine English, Chief Tribal Court Judge

Invitation to Learn Basketry

Coast Salish Basketry Techniques

Featuring Anna Jefferson (Lummi). Anna teaches basketry at the NW Indian College in Bellingham, WA, and is president of the NW Native American Basketweavers Association.

When: **Saturday, March 4
9 am - 3 pm**

Where: Hallie Ford Museum of Art
Willamette University
700 State Street
Salem, OR

Cost: \$20/person
plus materials kit (\$35 - \$65)

**Enrollment is limited to 20 people.
Please call (503) 370-6856.**

Makah Elder to speak

The Natural Way is proud to present their March speaker, George Bowechop, an Elder of the Makah Nation. Mr. Bowechop will present a history among the Makah people and speak about the cultural and spiritual relevance of whaling today.

This will be held on March 9 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Multicultural Center in the Lower Level Smith Center, Portland State University at SW Harrison and Broadway.

There is a donation of \$5-\$20 at the door. For further information about the presentation, contact Mary Schilling at (503) 674-9424 or Linda Neale at (503) 452-4483.

1950 Team Reunion

There will be a reunion of the 1950 Grand Ronde Grade School championship basketball team on March 25, 2000.

The reunion will be held at the Tribe's Community Center and will begin at 10 a.m. Refreshments will be served. After spending time visiting, the original basketball team will head down to the school to shoot some hoops. All friends and family are welcome. Please join the 1950 Grand Ronde Indians basketball team in reminiscing.