

Grand Ronde Restoration Celebration
Sunday, Nov. 19 — Grand Ronde Elementary School
 Lunch served from noon to 1 p.m. and Pow-wow from 2 to 6 p.m.

Grand Ronde Tribal Christmas Party
Saturday, Dec. 9 — Tribal Community Center
 11am-noon Photos with Santa for children 10 & under
 Noon Meal
 1:15pm Singing by Tribal Preschool and Before & After children
 Adult Drawings for food baskets & flowers
Sponsored by the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde Tribal Council.

Education Committee Update

■ **OPEN MEETINGS:** The Education Committee meetings are held the 1st Monday of each month. The next scheduled meeting is December 4. These meetings are held at Spirit Mountain Casino in Conference Room A from 5:15 p.m. to approximately 8:00 p.m. The committee would like to welcome anyone interested in education to attend these meetings. For further information you may contact Candy Robertson, Education Committee Chair, at 503-879- 2350, ext 3652.
 ■ **SEEKING MEMBERS:** The Education Committee is seeking applicants for membership. Interested individuals may contact the Education program at 503-879-2284 for further information.

Elders Receive Poster

Tribal Chair Kathryn Harrison recently attended a conference on aging in Washington D.C. that was sponsored by the U.S. Department of Justice and the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. "Our Aging Population: Promoting Empowerment, Preventing Victimization, and Implementing Coordinated Interventions" was a national symposium focused on senior citizen's programs and Elder protection programs and foster grandparent programs. Harrison brought back this poster (right) from the conference for our Elders, which now hangs at the Elders' meal site.



"Play It Safe" Winner

The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde Safety Committee sponsors events that promote safety awareness in the workplace and annually hosts a Tribal Safety Day for the employees. The Safety Committee recently recommended an article be sent to Tribal employees on Ergonomics. Ergonomics is fitting the job to the worker. Tribal member Penny DeLoe won the prize in a drawing for correctly answering the "Play It Safe" game.



DeLoe was the lucky winner of a Boom Box. DeLoe is the Support Services Specialist in the Materials Records Retention office.

Photo by Justin Phillips

Tribal Safety Officer Mary Alice Bowen (left) presents Penny DeLoe with her new sound system that she won in the "Play it Safe" game.



"Upstart Aussies" — A Performance Group from Australia

Aboriginal entertainers touring the United States recently made a stop in Grand Ronde to perform for our Elders at the Tribal Community Center. The award winning musicians, dancers and actors took part in a 24 city national tour. The group said they were performing in the United States in an effort to build a cultural bridge between Australians and Americans. The performers, in a show of respect, asked permission from the Elders before their diverse and unique performance. The performance focused on providing a cultural and educational platform that attempted to acquaint the audience with the history and current status of the First Peoples of Australia. "Upstart Aussies" attempts to educate audiences on the effects of white colonization on their descendants. The performers are of Aboriginal, Torres Strait Island, Tasmanian and European ancestry.



Color Guard Adorn New Ribbon Shirts

Tribal Elder and Veterans' Committee member Marce Norwest shows off the Veterans' Color Guard's new camouflage shirts to Tribal Chair Kathryn Harrison. The Color Guard recently appeared at a Veterans' parade in Eugene that honored all Veterans. The Grand Ronde Color Guard was honored by being asked to lead the parade. It was the first time our Color Guard appeared at the parade since 1970.

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THANKSGIVING
GET TOGETHER

November 25
 Potluck at 1 p.m.
 Community Center



Nov. 19
Happy 19th Birthday
KRISTIE JEFFERS
 Love, Mom

BORN NOV. 25, 1908
HAPPY 92ND BIRTHDAY
ILA DOWD
LOVE FROM ALL OF YOUR
FAMILY & FRIENDS!



Happy 2nd Birthday
Reuben Allen Ole Nelson
 Grandson of David & Judy Strom Nelson

We love you lots & lots!
 Daddy, Mommy,
 Grandpa, Grandma & Uncle Tim

Welcome to the Family
Joseph Robert
Sifuentez
 8 months old and full of life!
 We Love You!
 Juan & Yolanda Sifuentez



Miguel (Mychael)
Burton Adams
 Born October 28 — 6 lbs 8.5 oz.
 Parents: Mark and Lisa Adams
 Maternal Grandparents:
 Bernadine & Doug Shriver
 Paternal Grandparents:
 Arlene & Bud Adams

USDA Distribution

— SILETZ —
Dec. 4, 5, 6, 7: 9 am to 3 pm
 Siletz is open other days by appointment.
 Call Kitti at 1-800-922-1399.

— SALEM —
Dec. 11: 3 pm to 7:30 pm
Dec. 12: 9 am to 7:30 pm
Dec. 13: 9 am to 5 pm