

CONFEDERATED TRIBES OF GRAND RONDE
Contest Pow Wow
 August 17-19, 2001

Host Drums

Seekaskootch, Hobema, Canada

Blacklodge, White Swan, Washington

Little Island Cree, Ministikwan, Saskatchewan

Walking Buffalo, Big River, Saskatchewan

Blackstone, Sweet Grass, Saskatchewan

Grand Entry

August 17 4th Royalty Pageant
 7th Grand Entry
 August 18 10:30 AM Parade
 1st Grand Entry
 2nd Dancer Registration Deadline
 7th Grand Entry
 August 19 1st Grand Entry

Categories & Prizes

Golden Age	\$1000	\$800	\$500	\$300
Adults	\$1000	\$800	\$500	\$300
Teens	\$700	\$500	\$300	\$100
Boys/Girls	\$100	\$75	\$50	\$25

(Golden Age, Adults, & Teens—Jackets for First Place)

Master of Ceremonies: Roy Track, Grand Ronde
 Arena Dir.: Freddie Ike Jr., Yakama/Warm Springs

All Dancers & Drummers Welcome

Public Welcome • Free Camping Available • Parking Donation of \$1 or Canned Food
 *PA system is provided for drummers.

For more information 800/422-0232 ext. 2037. Vendor: Jackie Provost 800/422-0232 ext. 2002.
 No drugs or alcohol permitted.



Skills Assessment for Job Openings

■ The Tribal Human Resources department would like to thank the Tribal members who completed and returned the Skills Assessment Form that had been printed in recent editions of *Smoke Signals*.

■ If you are a Tribal member and haven't filled out a Tribal Skills Assessment form, we will have a table at the pow-wow on Saturday, August 18 from 1 to 5 p.m. We will also have employment applications and a list of current vacancies with the Tribe. Stop by and check us out!

■ Congratulations to our three prize winners of our random drawing of those who returned their Skills Assessment Forms: Charlene Whitaker — \$50; Shelley Hanson — \$75; and Stephen McKnight — \$100.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

CLOSING DATE: FRIDAY, AUGUST 24

- **Clinical Registered Nurse**
Grade: 12 (2 positions)
- **Indian Child Welfare Caseworker**
Grade: 10
- **Elder Assistant/Secretary**
Grade: 6

For a detailed job description, please contact the Tribe's JOB LINE:

503-879-2257
1-877-TRIBEGR
www.grandronde.org



SURPLUS EQUIPMENT SALE

SAT., AUG. 18 and SUN., AUG. 19

The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde will be holding a sale and auction of surplus equipment on Saturday, August 18 and Sunday, August 19 during the Pow-wow. The items to be auctioned and sold include office equipment and office furniture. Some items will be tagged with prices. The bidding will be conducted in two segments.

LOCATION: Tribal shed on Ackerson Road. (South side of pow-wow grounds.)

FIRST SEGMENT — Saturday, August 18: TRIBAL MEMBERS. Bidding between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m., with the opening of bids at 4 p.m.

SECOND SEGMENT — Sunday, August 19: TRIBAL MEMBERS. Additional bidding may be conducted by Tribal members from 9 to 11 a.m., with bids opened at noon. GENERAL PUBLIC. Bidding between 1 p.m. and 3 p.m., with opening of the bids to take place at 4 p.m.

BID PROCESS: Sealed bids in an envelope provided at the sale. BID INSTRUCTIONS: All items will be numbered. Offers to be written and sealed in a provided envelope. All envelopes will be opened at the bid opening time. The successful bidder will be announced at that time. Bidders are requested to return for the opening of the bids at the time stated above. Tie bids will be resolved by random drawing.

TERMS: Cash or cashier check. PAYMENT: All successful bidders must pay for the items at the sale. Items must be removed from the Tribal facility by MONDAY, AUGUST 20. QUESTIONS: Please contact Phillip Adams at 503-879-2216 or 1-800-422-0232.

1st Annual Western States Indian Rodeo Association ALL-INDIAN RODEO



September 8-9
 Grand Ronde Rodeo Grounds

This is a championship rodeo sanctioned by the WSIRA. Each champion in each event will receive an engraved belt buckle from the Grand Ronde Tribe's Rodeo Committee. Sponsors are needed for the event and for the belt buckles. Belt buckles are \$125 apiece. For more information please contact Michaelle Kimsey at 503-550-4897.

This is a hometown, family event that will involve local people.

COMPUTER CLASSES

MONDAYS from 9 to 11:30 a.m.
 Aug. 20: Microsoft Windows 98, part 2
 Aug. 27: Mac Operating System, part 2
 WEDNESDAYS from 9 to 11:30 a.m.
 Aug. 22: Corel Word Perfect, part 1
 Aug. 29: Producing Graphs in Excel
 THURSDAYS from 9 to 11:30 a.m.
 Aug. 16: Microsoft Word, part 2
 Aug. 23: Microsoft Excel, part 2
 Aug. 30: Corel Quatro Pro, part 2
 FRIDAYS from 9 to 11:30 a.m.
 Aug. 17: Spread Sheets for Small Business
 Aug. 24: Web Page Design
 Aug. 31: Corel Word Perfect, part 2

To pre-register call 503-879-2484.
 Held at the Governance Center.

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CULTURAL GATHERINGS

Smoke Signals has no further information on these events.

- AUG. 24-26: SPOKANE FALLS POW-WOW. Riverfront Park. SPOKANE, WA. 509-535-0886.
- AUG. 25-26: FORT KIPP CELEBRATION AND POW-WOW. American Legion Park. POPLAR, MT. 406-448-2546.
- AUG. 31-SEPT. 2: PUYALLUP TRIBAL POW-WOW. 2002 East 20th Street. TACOMA, WA. 253-573-7800.
- SEPT. 1-3: SPOKANE TRIBAL CELEBRATION. Pow-wow Grounds. WELLPINIT, WA. 509-258-9114.
- SEPT. 1-3: KLA HOW YA DAYS. Tulalip Tribal Grounds. MARYSVILLE, WA. 360-651-4000.
- SEPT. 1-3: PACIFIC COAST INDIAN CLUB POW-WOW. Barona Indian Reservation. LAKESIDE, CA. 619-443-6612.
- SEPT. 1-3: CALIFORNIA INDIAN MARKET. Mission San Juan Bautista. SAN JUAN BAUTISTA, CA. Contact: Sonny or Elaine Reyna at 831-623-2379.
- SEPT. 1-3: POPLAR INDIAN DAY POW-WOW. POPLAR, MT. 406-768-5155.
- SEPT. 7-9: PRECIOUS SUNSET POW-WOW. Recreation Point. BASS LAKE, CA. 559-855-2705.
- SEPT. 8-9: SALMON HOMECOMING CELEBRATION. The Seattle Aquarium. SEATTLE, WA. 206-386-4300.
- SEPT. 8-9: SYCUAN POW-WOW. EL CAJON, CA. Contact: Arlene Galvan at 619-445-7776.
- SEPT. 12-15: PENDLETON ROUND UP. PENDLETON, OR. 800-457-6336.
- SEPT. 15-16: EVERYTHING IN SACRED POW-WOW. Borchard Community Park. THOUSAND OAKS, CA. 805-493-2863.
- SEPT. 15-16: NORTHERN SIERRA INDIAN DAYS. Greenville High School. GREENVILLE, CA. 530-283-3402.
- SEPT. 15-16: CALIFORNIA AMERICAN INDIAN DAYS CELEBRATION. Balboa Park. SAN DIEGO, CA. 619-281-5964.