

Happy 1st
Birthday Aiden



With love, Mom (Tribal member, Teresa Henry), Dad, Grandma & Grandpa, Aunts, Uncles and Cousins.



Happy 7th Birthday
Tajia Rayn
Love, mom.

Welcome
Kasidee Jean
We all love you.



Wishing Tribal Elder
Charlotte Oberg
a very happy 70th birthday!
August 2, 2005
With love, from family & friends.



Monte "MOUSE" George
2nd Annual
Memorial Horseshoe Tournament
R.S.V.P.
Steve & Connie Bobb
23340 S.W. Willamina Creek Rd.
503-876-3118

Reunion Time
2nd Annual
Monte "MOUSE" George
Sunday, August 21, 2005
A gathering of
relatives and friends.
Potluck meal at 3 p.m.
We will provide the meat, you bring
your favorite dish and
something to drink.
Horse shoes start at noon.
Creek & games for the kids.
(bring towels and clothes)



Wishing you Happy Birthday Two Stars & Eagle!
Love, mom.

Portland Area Tribal Office Classes

■ **GED Tutoring offered every Thursday**
— 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. —

All classes held at the Portland Area Tribal offices, 3312 S.W. Kelly Ave., Portland, Oregon.
Call 503-235-4230 or 1-800-422-0232 ext. 2282.



Grand Ronde Tribal Housing Authority

NOTICE

Home Repair Grant Program Expanding!

If you live in Washington State or California and your home is in need of repairs, you will want to read this!

The Tribal Council, in consultation with the Housing Authority Board of Commissioners, has approved the expansion of the **Home Repair Grant Program** outside the State of Oregon to now include the States of Washington and California. This expansion will first be offered as a pilot project during the remaining months in 2005, at which time the project will be evaluated for consideration of continued funding. Five applicants will be randomly selected from each State from among the applications received.

This means that program eligible Tribal members who reside in Washington and California will be able to apply for a chance to receive a Home Repair Grant up to a maximum of \$10,000 to make repairs to their home.

To apply for a Home Repair Grant, the applicant must be a member of the Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde, 18 years of age or older, live within one of the States, meet income requirements and live in and own the home needing repairs.

Applications will be available on August 1, 2005. You can obtain an application by calling 1-503-879-2401 or 1-800-422-0232 extension 2401 and one will be mailed to you, or through the Tribe's website. Applications must be postmarked no later than September 1, 2005 to qualify. All applications will be double checked for appropriate post office date stamp to qualify for entry into the drawing.

After the application period has closed, all applications will be checked for completeness and collected for a lottery drawing to determine the order in which the households will be served. Applications not selected for the pilot project will be placed on a waiting list to receive a grant if the Expanded Home Repair Grant is approved for continued funding.

**"SERVING OUR
TRIBAL CHILDREN"**



**VOLUNTEER
MEMBERS
WANTED**



- This is YOUR chance to make our children's lives better!
- The Confederated Tribes of the Grand Ronde Community of Oregon is beginning its own Tribal Member Review Board to periodically review the cases of Tribal children who are in Tribal custody and have often been placed out of their homes.
- In the review meetings, the board will review files and reports, and will be able to ask questions of the Indian Child Welfare Program case-workers in charge of the case. Often, board members also listen to the parents, the children (if old enough), the foster parents, lawyers and others concerned with the case.
- The Review Board members will then decide whether or not the planning for the children is in their best interests, and will make recommendations to the program, the parents, caretakers and to the Judge.

The Tribal Member Review Board needs YOU as a volunteer serving our Tribal Children. YOU could be the one to make a difference for our children's future by completing this and returning it today to: Tribal Member Review Board, 9615 Grand Ronde Road, Grand Ronde, Oregon 97347.

For additional information, call 503-879-2303 or 503-879-1367.

Name: _____
Please Print

Address: _____
Street/PO Box

City, State, Zip Code

Phone Number