

## Attention Tribal Members:

### 2006 GENERAL COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE

Sunday, February 12 — Portland  
 Embassy Suites Airport Hotel, 7900 Northeast 82nd Avenue  
 Sunday, April 2 — Eugene

NOTE THAT ALL GENERAL COUNCIL MEETINGS START AT 11 A.M.

## NOTICE — Monthly Tribal Council Meetings

<b>DATE</b>	<b>TIME</b>
January 25 .....	5 p.m.

# ATTENTION !!!

## Committee Summit 2006

Monday, February 6, 2006  
 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Spirit Mountain Casino — Kalapuya Rooms  
 All Committee, Election Board and Special Event  
 Board Members required to attend.  
 Bring your appetite and your questions.  
 For more information call: Dakota Whitecloud, TCRC at  
 1-800-422-0232 x-1309 or 503-879-1309.

## Letters

Dear Editor,

I would like to express my thanks and gratitude to all community members who's kindness gave our family the sorely needed support after the death of my daughter, Marlo George. To all of the kitchen helpers, you went beyond the bounds of duty with the wonderful lunch you prepared. Thank you to you and all your help. Thank you to the Mercier and Robertson family and a special thanks to Sam.

**Margo Mercier**  
 Roll #885

Dear *Smoke Signals*,

Thank you for the the 2006 Tribal Calendar. It is very much appreciated.

Some of the highlights that I appreciate are — all of the wonderful pictures; being able to receive the calendar before the new year started; having a December 2005, as well as a January 2007 page; the picture of Tribal Elder Nora Kimsey; the inclusion of the Tribe's Vision Statement and the Story of the Tribe and much, much more.

Maybe in the future you might consider including a historic picture for the month of November, which is our Restoration month.

Keep up the great work!

**Leroy Good**  
 Roll# 892

## Indian Taco Fundraiser



Photo by Toby McClary

**Taco Time** — Tribal members Sharon Grout (l) of Member Benefits and Shelly Kent, Central Phone Operator, eat Indian Tacos on Tuesday, January 10 at the Grand Ronde Community Center. The fundraiser attracted over 50 people and the proceeds went to the Gary LaChance family.

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Fri., May 5 .....	MAY. 15



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