

## Personal Use Firewood Available On Reservation!

The Natural Resources Division of the Grand Ronde Tribes would like to announce that two new firewood cutting areas will be opening on two weekends in April. The 206 Road and the 212 Road gates will be opened on April 1st and April 2nd and again on April 8th and April 9th. The 206 Road and the 212 Road border the Elk Habitat Enhancement Area and are normally closed to motorized vehicles. Firewood is also available elsewhere on the Reservation, so call or stop in the Natural Resources Office for more information. Interested Tribal members may obtain permits from the Natural Resources Office at 47010 SW Hebo Road (Hwy 22). Firewood permits will also be available from our on-site Patrol Officer on the two weekends that the 206 Road and 212 Road will be open for cutting. The gates will be opened at 8 a.m. and closed at 4 p.m. each day.

### Basic Firewood Cutting Rules:

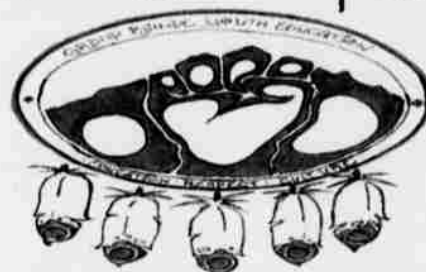
You must be a Tribal member to obtain a permit. Permits are free of charge, if the wood is for personal, household use. Commercial firewood permits are not available at this time.

The Natural Resources Division will issue permits for up to 5 cords per household per year. Permits and load tickets are issued one cord at a time (About two pick-up loads)

A Tribal member may designate up to two substitute people (proxies) to cut firewood for you, but the Tribal member must obtain and sign the permit.

Other rules apply, so ask the Patrol Officer for more information or come to the Natural Resource Office for details. For more information, please call the Natural Resources Office at 503-879-2424 weekdays.

## 3rd Annual Native Youth Leadership Conference



April 27-29, 2006  
Grand Ronde, Or.

Labaam nsayka tlixam, We would like to welcome you to attend our 3rd Annual Native Youth Leadership Conference.

The conference is open to all native youth in grades 8-12.

registration will be \$25.00 per student and

hotel accommodations are available on a first come, first served basis so be sure to register early.

Our guest speakers this year will be, Howard Rainer (Taos Pueblo/Creek), Jillene Joseph (Gros Ventre), and Chance Rush (Hidatsa, Dakota, Arapaho).

And activities will include, workshops on team building and leadership, a dance, and a 3 on 3 Basketball Tournament.

For more information and to register call: (503) 879-2101

### YOUTH JOB OPPORTUNITIES

The Natural Resources Department of The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde, in cooperation with Oregon Youth Conservation Corps, seeks two youth crew leaders and 16 youth crew members for its Summer Youth Crew program. These positions are designed and funded for the purpose of providing enhanced opportunities for youth and/or students.

Youth Crew Leader/ F&W Intern  
\$10.50-\$13.00/hour. Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.  
Approximately 12 weeks, starting June 19, 2006

**Duties:** Supervise and provide leadership to an eight-person summer youth work crew for eight weeks and assist the Fish and Wildlife Department for four to six weeks. Projects may include stream and riparian restoration/enhancement, trail and park maintenance and construction, native vegetation plantings, habitat enhancement monitoring, and other natural resource and community projects.

**Qualifications:** Desire to work with youth and/or in natural resources. Must be in good physical condition and be able to work in rugged outdoor terrain. Experience in the proper use of hand tools. Good communication skills

**Requirements:** work boots, valid driver's license, safe driving record and must successfully complete pre-employment background check and drug test.

**Closing date: Friday, May 26, 2006.**

Youth Crew Member  
\$7.75/hour  
Monday-Friday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.  
Approximately 7 weeks, starting July 6, 2006

**Duties:** Work as a member of an eight-person summer youth work crew. Youth crew projects may include stream restoration/enhancement, trail and park maintenance, native tree plantings, forest inventory work or other natural resource and community projects.

**Qualifications:** Must be 16-19 years of age. Must have the ability or experience to safely and properly use hand tools. Must be in good physical condition and be able to work in rugged outdoor terrain. Interest or experience in natural resources related work helpful.

**Requirements:** furnish own work boots and successfully complete pre-employment background check and drug test.

**Closing date: Friday, June 9, 2006.**

To apply: Complete a Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde employment application and return to The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde, Fish & Wildlife Department, P.O. Box 10, Grand Ronde, OR 97347 by the closing date. Applications may be obtained at [www.grandronde.org](http://www.grandronde.org), by then clicking on employment and application. If you have questions or need an application sent to you please call 503-879-2423.

ONABEN A Native American Business Network is offering:

### Indianpreneurship™

#### A Native American Journey into Business

Participants will be offered professional assistance with:

- Developing a Business Plan
- Financing and Bookkeeping
- Marketing
- Legal Requirements

Classes will be held at the Tribal Education Building.

Classes start on Tuesday, April 18, 2006 from 6-9 p.m.

For more information about ONABEN services and to register for classes contact: ONABEN Main Office at 1-800-854-8289

## Cultural Resource Technician Program

The Tribe's Cultural Resource Department will sponsor a one week program May 1 - 5, 2006 for individuals interested in protecting cultural resources. The course will result in CRT certification. With this certification, participants may expand their opportunities to competitively apply for future employment in the Cultural Resource field. Cost is \$600 and includes all program materials.

To register, please contact Khani Schultz, 1-800-422-0232, ext. 2185.

Tribal members may be eligible for funding through Education Short Term Training Program. For more information on the Short Term Training Program, please contact Joshua Clift at ext. 1635.

**Registration deadline is Wednesday, April 25, 2006.**

### Cultural Resource Technician Program

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete this form and return it to: CTGR Cultural Resources Department, 9615 Grand Ronde Road, Grand Ronde, OR 97347.