

Circle Of Weaving



Tribal member Elaine LaBonte (microphone) welcomed visitors to the Circle of Weaving with members of the Grand Ronde Honor Guard (from left) Norris Merrill, Tribal Elder Gene LaBonte, and Veteran Carl Lambert standing behind. Grand Ronde Royalty members (top right) Leah Brisbois, Miranda Provost, Nakoosa Moreland, Orin John Allen (at back) and Leland (Brother) Butler, also were on hand for the opening. Baskets (left) made by Tribal members were on display in the Tribal Community Center where a basket weaving demonstration was held.



2006 Grand Ronde Tribal Community Meetings Notice

This year the Tribal Member Community Meetings for the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde have been scheduled to discuss the prioritization of Tribal programs and services and membership enrollment issues. An informal open house, focused on available Tribal programs, will precede each of the meetings that take place away from Grand Ronde. Your participation in these meetings is needed to help lay out the future of the Tribe. A full buffet meal will be served at each meeting.

Sunday, April 30, 2006

11 a.m. Open House
12 p.m. Lunch

Seven Feathers Hotel & Casino Resort (Dogwood & Evergreen Rooms)
146 Chief Miwaleta Lane
Canyonville, Oregon 97417

Directions: Sets right on the east side of I-5. Take Exit 99 when heading south and Exit 98 heading north. Main Street is the frontage road.

Monday, May 1, 2006

5 p.m. Open house
6 p.m. Dinner

Valley River Inn (Willamette Ballroom)
1000 Valley River Way
Eugene, Oregon 97401

Directions: From I-5 take exit 194b (I 105 west); then take the second exit (marked #1 Delta Highway / Santa Clara, Junction City) and merge to the left lane; then take the 1st exit to Valley River Center; go over the overpass; turn left onto Valley River Way and the hotel is on the left at the end of the road.

Sunday, May 7, 2006

11 a.m. Start
12 p.m. Lunch

Grand Ronde Gym (the meal will be held in the Community Center)
Grand Ronde, Oregon

This meeting will include the Regular General Council Meeting but the presentation and discussion will be the same as the other community meetings. It will then be followed by new business.

Sunday, May 21, 2006

11 a.m. Open house
12 p.m. Lunch

LaQuinta Inn
32124 25th Avenue South
Federal Way, Washington 98003

Directions: Take exit #143 (320th Street) off I-5 and turn west onto 320th. Then go about two blocks and turn left onto 25th Avenue. This hotel is just off I-5 and is 2 blocks east of SeaTac Mall (which is now called The Commons at Federal Way.)

Monday, May 22, 2006

5 p.m. Open house
6 p.m. Dinner

Embassy Suites Hotel Portland Airport (Spruce & Pine Rooms)
7900 NE 82nd Avenue
Portland, Oregon 97220

Directions: From I-5 take the Banfield Fwy (I-84) to I-205 and head north to the Airport and take the Airport exit (#24) onto Airport Way. Then take a left at 82nd Avenue (the hotel sets on the south side of the road and 82nd is the very first traffic light).

There will be a drawing for door prizes at the end of each community meeting. For additional information call the Planning & Grants Development Department at 503-879-2250. If you can not attend and wish to comment on Tribal goal setting please write to Mr. Kim Rogers, Planning & Grants Development, Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde, 9615 Grand Ronde Road, Grand Ronde, OR 97347. Comments from these meetings will be used in guiding programs and in preparing grant applications (e.g. ICDBG, ANA, HeadStart).

