

# Tribe Enters New Era Of Culture, Togetherness



**Honor Song** — Members of the Grand Ronde Canoe Family (left) along with Chinook Canoe Family members sing an honor song as the community is first introduced to "Stankiya", Grand Ronde's handmade canoe, which means "change" in Chinook Wawa.

**Early** — This photo (below), taken by Tribal member Travis Mercier, is of Grand Ronde's Canoe Family shortly after they launched on Monday, July 24.



Photos by Toby McClary

**Family Time** — On Saturday, July 15, canoe families (right) throughout the Northwest joined in Grand Ronde to welcome Grand Ronde's most recent addition to the Tribe, a handmade canoe that measures 33' x 5'. A name giving ceremony was held in the Tribe's gymnasium.



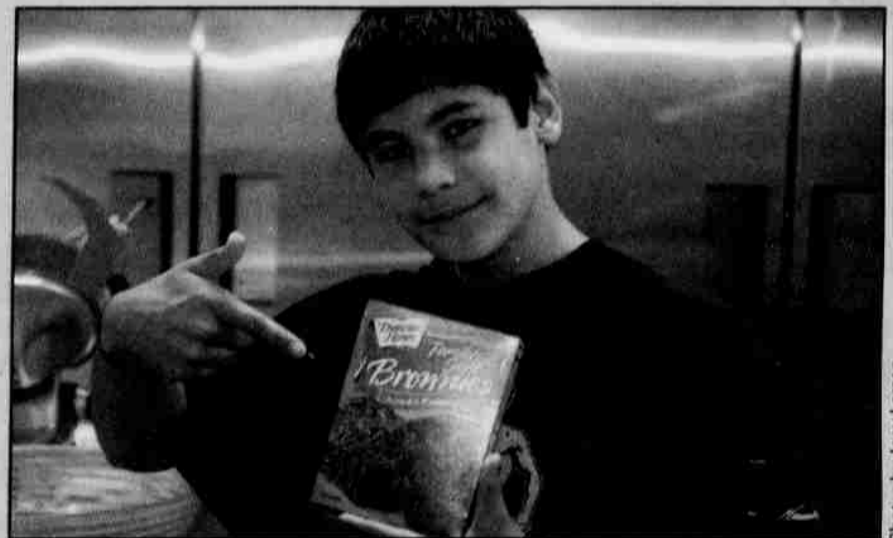
Tribal Council member Wink Soderberg spoke on the meaning and importance of Grand Ronde's canoe.



## Tribal Summer School 2006



**School's Out** — Teacher Elaine Ferguson (back row, far right) poses with staff and students on the last day of Summer School on Tuesday, July 11.



**Baker** — Tribal member Talon Jackson gets ready to prepare his assignment in a cooking class sponsored by Youth Education.

Photos by Joey Larsen

## Tribal Youth Go To Broadway For "Cinderella"



**Harnessed Up** — Preschool and HeadStart students enjoy Izzy's pizza during a field trip to see "Cinderella" at the Broadway Rose Theatre Company in Portland on Wednesday, July 12.



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