

# Keynote speaker



Photo by Michelle Alaimo

Tribal Chairwoman Cheryle Kennedy receives a hug from Ben Williams, vice president of the Board of Directors for Friends of Historic Champoeg, after she was given a plaque in appreciation of her being the keynote speaker at the group's annual meeting at Champoeg State Park on Saturday, June 14.

## CULTURAL GATHERINGS

- JULY 4-6: **WILDHORSE POWWOW.** Wildhorse Casino Resort, 72777 Highway 331. **PENDLETON, OR.** Contact 1-800-654-9453 or 541-278-2274.
- JULY 11-13: **GRAND RONDE VETERANS' POWWOW.** New powwow grounds, entrance on east side of Oregon 22, 1 mile north of Highway 18. **GRAND RONDE, OR.** Contact 1-800-422-0232.
- JULY 11-13: **A.I.C.U. POWWOW.** Butte High School, 401 S. Wyoming St. **BUTTE, MONT.** Contact 406-782-2713 or 406-565-9221.
- JULY 12: **18TH ANNUAL SHOALWATER BAY SOBRIETY POWWOW.** Shoalwater Bay Tribal gym, 2373 Tokeland Road. **TOKELAND, WA.** Contact 360-267-0731.
- JULY 18-20: **TAMKALIKS CELEBRATION.** Wallowa Homeland Site, 600 Troy Road. **WALLOWA, OR.** www.wallowanezperce.org.
- JULY 18-20: **2008 SEAFAIR POWWOW.** Daybreak Star Indian Cultural Center, Texas Way W. **SEATTLE, WA.** Contact 206-213-0348 ext. 110.
- JULY 18-20: **GENESIS II SOBRIETY POWWOW.** Nooksack Community Center, 6746 Mission Road. **EVERSON, WA.** Contact 360-966-7704.
- AUG. 8-10: **NESIKA ILLAHEE POWWOW.** Siltepowwow grounds. **SILETZ, OR.**

*If you or anyone you know has information on cultural events happening, Smoke Signals would be glad to list it in our Cultural Gatherings. Please e-mail news@grandronde.org or write to Smoke Signals, 9615 Grand Ronde Road, Grand Ronde, Oregon 97347.*

## Vending business for sale

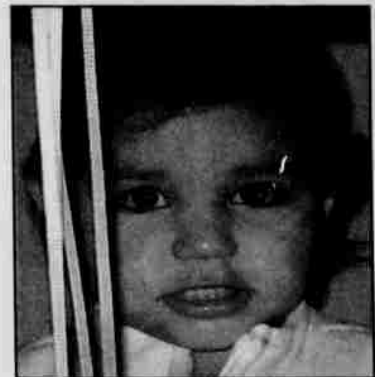
Vending business for sale. Four large machines placed in Tribal buildings in Grand Ronde. We do have a couple more small ones that we could throw in and some product. \$3,400 or maybe trade. They do well. For more information, call Steven Freund at 971-241-4763.



Tiffany Wheeler and Dean Baker would like to announce the birth of their first child.

**Bonnie Rose Baker** was born on June 17 at 7:17 p.m. She weighed 6 lbs., 5 oz. and 19 1/2 inches long. Grandmother is Carla Roberts and great-grandparents are James and Shelly Kent.

Happy birthday  
**Haley**



Your family loves you!  
Mother: Andrea Childers  
Grandma: Debby Larsen

Happy 1st birthday  
**Chloe**



Your family loves you!  
Mother: Andrea Childers  
Grandma: Debby Larsen

Congratulations!  
Joaquin Jade, Jaycee and Casius Grant announce the arrival of

**Kyla Lee Grant**

born April 7, 2008. Kyla was 7 lbs., 13 oz. and 19.5 inches long.  
Grandparents: Steve & Jackie Grant  
Great-grandparents: Russell Leno, Eileen Grant and Carl Leuzinger.



## Casino project wins award

Applied Restoration Inc. of Lemon Grove, Calif., won the Restoration Award for work performed on Spirit Mountain Casino during the Northwest Wall and Ceiling Bureau Conference held in Carlsbad, Calif., at the La Costa Resort & Spa.

Applied Restoration installed more than 50,000 square feet of new generation moisture drainage Exterior Insulation Finishing System from Sto Corp. for the project. In addition to Sto Corp., Dow Corning was a manufacturer on the project.

Applied Restoration is a licensed contractor in Oregon. ■

## Youth Canoe Club

Every Friday 4- 5 p.m. — Youth Education Building

Contact Lisa Leno at 503-879-1471 or Travis Mercier at 503-879-2143 for more information.

## Welcome Home!

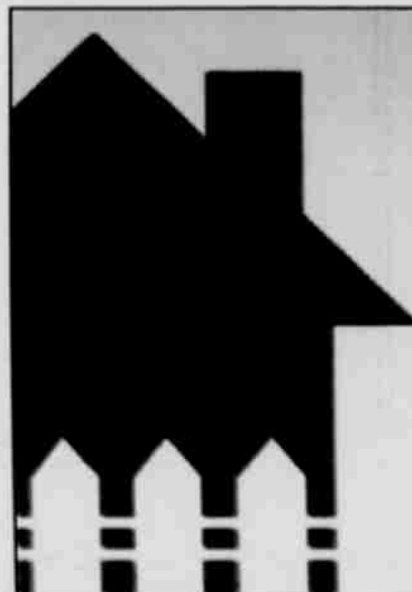
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