

## EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

### Workshop classes in Grand Ronde

• June 9 — Adobe Acrobat II  
 The workshops will be taught by Northwest Computer Learning Center and will run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the computer lab in the Education Building. Cost for a workshop is \$150 and eligible Tribal members can apply to the Noncredit Program (formally Short Term Training) for assistance with registration costs. Space is limited to the first 15 who register. To register, contact Joshua Clift, Adult Vocational Training Coordinator, at 503-879-1635 or e-mail [joshua.clift@grandronde.org](mailto:joshua.clift@grandronde.org).

### Grand Ronde Head Start/Preschool applications now being accepted


Grand Ronde Head Start/Preschool applications for the 2009-10 school year are now being accepted. Contact Sandy Bobb at 503-879-2161 or by e-mail at [sandra.bobb@grandronde.org](mailto:sandra.bobb@grandronde.org) for an application. Completed applications must be turned in no later than Friday, July 17, at 5 p.m. Selection will take place Friday, July 31. Children with disabilities are strongly encouraged to apply (transportation may be provided). Application assistance will be available June 9 at noon and at 5:30 p.m. in the Adult Education building.

### Summer internships for high school students

The Apprenticeships in Science and Engineering (ASE) Program matches high school students interested in the sciences with mentors for an eight-week paid summer internship. CMOP internships provide a \$1,000 stipend to the student, as well as an experience that will provide professional training and looks great on college and job applications. Students from low-income families (qualify for the federal free or reduced lunch program) will receive a \$2,000 stipend. We are seeking Native American high school students for four summer internship positions with the Center for Coastal Margin Prediction and Observation (CMOP). There are four positions: Carbon Cycling in the Columbia River Estuary, Environmental Sensor Development, Internship in Ocean Observatories and Remediation of Environmental Contaminants. Students must submit a preliminary application form, two letters of recommendation from adults, a copy of their official school transcripts, an essay targeted for their desired positions (up to three positions), a final application form and a \$25 application fee. The application fee is waived for all students who qualify for federal free or reduced lunches. For more information on how to apply, visit the ASE Web site [www.saturdayacademy.org/ASE/StudentInfo/HowToApply/tabid/71/Default.aspx](http://www.saturdayacademy.org/ASE/StudentInfo/HowToApply/tabid/71/Default.aspx).

## GED Classes

Mondays and Wednesdays, 1:30 – 4 p.m. Education Building  
 Contact Joanne Carr at 503-879-2282 or [joanne.carr@grandronde.org](mailto:joanne.carr@grandronde.org)



## LIBRARY HOURS:

Monday – Friday: 9 A.M. – 6 P.M.  
 (closed Monday - Friday: noon – 1 P.M.)  
 Saturday: 10 A.M. – 2 P.M.

**Reading Incentive Program: June 15 – July 30 for ages 4 – 17.** Registration is required prior to June 15. Participants, age 4 – 10, can earn prizes for each 15 minutes of reading and can enter to win other prizes for each book read. Participants age 11 – 17 can earn a prize for each book read and can enter to win other prizes for each book read. Contact the library to get a registration form.

**Summer Theme Program: Get Creative at your Library!** for grades K – 5 and *Express Yourself at Your Library!* for grades 6 – 12. Program starts the week of June 15 and ends the last week in July. The seven-week program's activities will include games, printmaking, drawing, making cool stuff, music, nature crafts, stories and a photo contest. Sessions will be held on Tuesdays 2 – 3 p.m. for youth in grades K-5 and will be held on Tuesdays from 6 – 7 p.m. for youth in grades 6 – 12. (Evening sessions may last longer than one hour depending on the activity). A program schedule will be posted in the June 15 issue of *Smoke Signals*. Registration is not required to attend the Summer Theme Program sessions.

### Child Care Development Fund Public Hearing & Tribal kindergarten registration

Tuesday, June 9 — 5-6 p.m.  
 Youth Education covered area  
 Call Vikki Bishop at 503-879-2287 with any questions.

# 2009 Middle School Guy's Night

This year's Middle School Guy's Night is an exciting event that will give the middle school boys a chance to hang out with their buddies, enjoy some fun activities, and have a great time. The night will be held at the Community Center and will include a barbecue, board games, and a variety of other fun activities. We also have prizes for the winners of our contests. We also have a special prize for the winner of our contest. We also have a special prize for the winner of our contest.

**Highlights**

- Paintball
- Prevention Talks
- Barbecue
- Board Games
- Pizza

**What to bring**

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June 11 & 12

For more information contact  
 Chris Bishop  
 503-879-2287

## 5th Annual Family Night Out June 18

5:30-8:30 P.M.

Dinner at Community Center & Events at old powwow grounds

Food & Fun!

Field Events & Prizes!

Free T-Shirts while supplies last

For more information contact  
 503-879-2034



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