

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

INTERNAL OPENINGS

■ **Receptionist**  
Gaming Commission  
Grade: 6  
Closing date: Oct. 8

■ **Dental Assistant**  
(on-call)  
Dental  
Grade: 5  
Closing date: Oct. 8

■ **Business Office Assistant**  
(Tribal member only)  
Business Office  
Grade: 5  
Closing date: Oct. 15

INTERNAL/EXTERNAL

■ **Economic Development Director**  
Tribal Council  
Grade: TBD  
Open until filled

EXTERNAL OPENINGS

■ **Caregiver**  
(on-call)  
Adult Foster Care  
Grade: 5  
Opened until filled

For a detailed job description, please contact the Tribe's job line at 503-879-2257 or 1-877-TRIBEGR.

- Internal applicants are
1. Current Regular Employee, past their six-month Introductory period, receiving at least a "meets expectations" on most recent performance evaluation and not under disciplinary action or performance improvement within the previous six months,
  2. Grand Ronde Tribal members
  3. Spouse of a Grand Ronde Tribal member or
  4. Parent or legal guardian of Grand Ronde Tribal member children

Internal recruitment  
For those individuals meeting minimum qualifications an interview will be given in the following ranking order:

1. Grand Ronde Tribal members
  - a) Qualified Grand Ronde Tribal members who show they meet the minimum qualifications of the position during the course of the interview process will be given first consideration for hire and the recruitment process will end
2. Tribal member spouses, parents and/or legal guardians of Grand Ronde Tribal member children
3. Current regular employees

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**2005** — Things were hopping at Spirit Mountain Casino in September. Comedian Drew Carey and the Improv All-Stars performed, as did musical acts Morris Day and the Time and Kool & the Gang.

**2000** — Linda Layden, Grand Ronde housing director, was named the Indian Housing Authority's Executive Director of the Year. She has been executive director of the Tribal Housing Authority since it was created in 1996.

**1995** — In preparation for the Oct. 17 grand opening of Spirit Mountain Casino, Tribal members were invited to an open house to be held on Oct. 16 that would offer informal tours, but no gaming.

**1990** — Mark Mercier, Margaret Provost and Larry Brandon were elected to Tribal Council on Sept. 8. Mercier garnered the most support with 124 votes, while Provost received 108 votes and Brandon tallied 92.

**1985** — Enrollment Clerk Margo George reported that 117 applicants were approved for enrollment into the Grand Ronde Tribe.

*Yesteryears is a look back at Tribal history in five-year increments through the pages of Smoke Signals.*

## Eugene Tribal Wellness Program meets during week

The Eugene Tribal Wellness Program meets at 10 a.m. Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

All levels of fitness are welcome. The program covers strength, cardio and stretching, and discusses strategies for healthy living at home.

The program is free to Tribal members and their spouses.

For more information, call the Eugene satellite office at 541-484-7085. ■

## Jan Michael Looking Wolf Band to headline at awards ceremony

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the Year and Single of the Year, as well as Best Rock Recording for "Breakin' Free," Best Music Video for "Breakin' Free/Addiction" and Best Producer, along with Donald Blackfox and Shawn Justice, for "Breakin' Free."

"We are so excited because the multiple nominations for my band make Kenny — Ann Lewis' son — a NAMMY nominee as well," said Reibach, who works as the Tribe's Lands Manager with Ann Lewis. "Now we have two Tribal members who are national award nominees."

The Jan Michael Looking Wolf Band also is scheduled to headline at the Nov. 12 awards ceremony.

"We are jamming a couple songs off the 'Breakin' Free' CD with scenes from the music videos playing on the large screen and will say some words to promote Native youth drug and alcohol abuse prevention," Reibach said.

"As you know, last year I was named Artist of the Year at the Native American Music Awards. We promised that if I won that then we would use the notoriety to reach out to Tribal youth. Thank you for all the love and support of the music over the years."

Other Jan Michael Looking Wolf Band members include Tim Yett, Keith Sommers, Nathan Myers, Pat McDermott and Ledhead Ned. ■

### How to vote for NAMMY winners

A portion of the Native American Music Awards vote tally includes public participation.

To vote, click on [www.nativeamericanmusicawards.com](http://www.nativeamericanmusicawards.com).

Click on the "Vote Now" button on the top left of the NAMMY home page;

If you are already an e-member, log in. If not, click on "Not a member."

A box will appear to submit your name and e-mail.

After registering, the ballots will come up on the page.

Scroll down and you will see the public voting box.

Inside that box, scroll down again and follow the instructions and select one artist per category.

You will see "Jan Michael Looking Wolf (Band)" in the categories for Best Rock, Record of the Year, Song/Single of the Year, Producer and Best Video.

Also, vote for Best Compilation "Rise Up," listed as being performed by various artists. It is a compact disc Reibach co-produced with Mike Serna to combat homelessness. ■



Graphic by George Valdez

In an effort to more efficiently and more rapidly communicate with Tribal members, the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde is asking Tribal members to register at the Tribal Web site and allow the Tribe to electronically send them news updates, e-zines and PDFs of *Smoke Signals*, among other news and informational items.

To register, go to [www.grandronde.org](http://www.grandronde.org).

Click on the "Log in here" link in the upper right-hand corner.

Enter your user name and password, and click the "login" button, or if you are not registered, click the link below the login button to register with the Web site.

If you have registered with the site before and have forgotten your login information, you can click the link to recover it by providing the e-mail address that you verified when you registered with the site.

If you have not registered before, you will need to do so to view the Tribal member-only section of [grandronde.org](http://grandronde.org).

First-time users will need to fill in the required fields and click the register button at the bottom of the form.

After you click the "register" button, you will need to check the e-mail address that you provided and click on the link in the e-mail that our system sent to you. The e-mail should arrive moments after you click the register button. If you do not see an e-mail you will want to check your junk mail folder/spam filter. Clicking the link will verify that the e-mail address you provided is correct and active, and you will be able to log on to the Tribal member section of the Web site. ■