

NOTICE — Monthly Tribal Council Wednesday Meetings

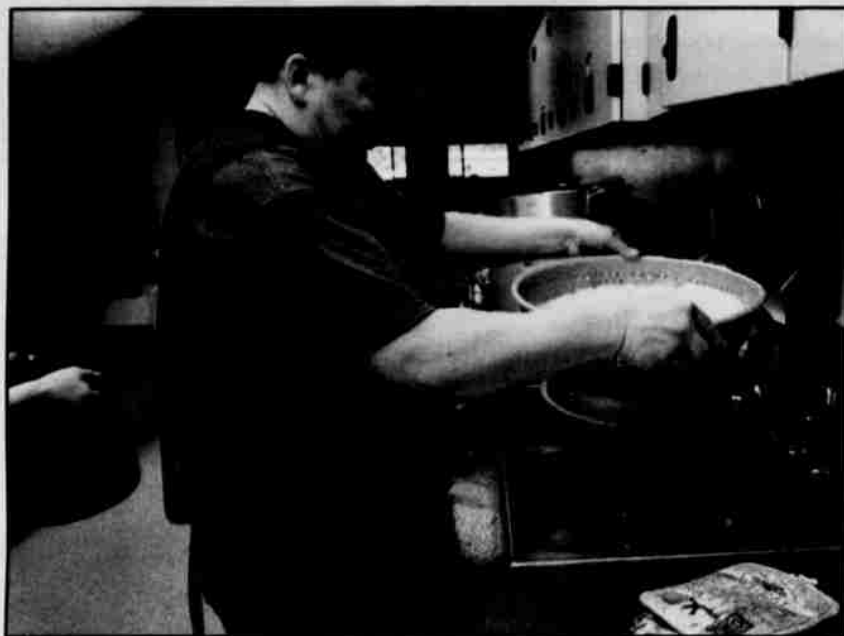
DATE	TIME
Wednesday, April 27.....	5 p.m.
Wednesday, May 11.....	5 p.m.
Wednesday, May 25.....	5 p.m.

Please note that these times and dates are subject to change if needed. Call Dakota Whitecloud, Tribal Council Relations Coordinator, at 503-879-1309 to confirm.

Chinuk Wawa classes offered

The Tribal Cultural Education Department offers adult Chinuk Wawa language classes from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Monday and Wednesday in Room 207 of the Tribal Education Building. Language classes can be taken for college credit or for fun. For more information, contact Kathy Cole at 503-879-2249 or 503-437-4599. ■

Royal feed



Photos by Michelle Alaimo

Tribal member Daniel Mooney drains spaghetti as he helps prepare food for the Spaghetti Feed fundraiser for Grand Ronde Royalty in the Tribal Community Center on Thursday, April 7. The event was put on by parents and chaperones of the royalty and Mooney's daughters, Tribal members Amaryssa and Amelia Mooney, are 2010 princesses. Almost \$400 was raised to be used on Royalty's travel expenses.



Tribal Elder Bonnie Mercier prepares desserts to sell at the Spaghetti Feed fundraiser for the Grand Ronde Royalty in the Tribal Community Center on Thursday, April 7. On the left is Tribal Elder Darlene Aaron, who also helped with the event and who has two granddaughters, Tribal members Makenzie Aaron, who is 2010 Junior Miss Grand Ronde, and Madison Aaron, who is a 2010 princess, on Royalty.

Correction — In the April 1 issue of *Smoke Signals*, in the article "Tintype Treasures," Tribal Elder Rosetta LaBonte Manangan was incorrectly called a "former" Tribal Elder. She is very much still with us. *Smoke Signals* regrets the error.

General Council meeting
Sunday, May 1 — 10 a.m.
Tribal Community Center

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Friday, May 20	June 1
Monday, June 6	June 15

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