



**2007** – The old Porter House, built in the 1920s, was torn down to make way for the new Elders' Activity Center. The building served as a home, the Tribe's alcohol and drug rehabilitation center, as an Alcoholics Anonymous meeting hall and as an office for the construction crew building adult foster care homes.

**2002** – Ron Karten, a longtime freelance writer, was hired as the new staff writer at *Smoke Signals*. In addition, *Smoke Signals* purchased new newspaper dispensing machines that were located in Grand Ronde and Salem, and will be located soon in Willamina and Sheridan.

**1997** – Jackie Provost, Emma Leno and Miranda Provost represented the Tribe while riding on the Grand Ronde Tribe/Spirit Mountain Casino float in the Grand Floral Parade in Portland. The Tribe's float won the Sweepstakes Award, the judges' top prize. The theme of the Rose Festival was "Having Fun," and the Tribe's float showed a bobcat playing with a butterfly and was entitled "Mountain Joy."

**1992** – Publications does not have a copy of the June issue in 1992.

**1987** – The Willamina High School baseball team went 28-2 as six of the 14 players were Grand Ronde Tribal members. Tribal member Doug Colton hit .586 at the plate with nine home runs and on the mound struck out 135 batters in 62 innings and compiled a 0.22 earned run average. He pitched four no-hitters. In addition, Tribal members Jim Bruckner hit .470 and catcher Mike Colton hit .456.

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

## Outdoor Family Movie Night set for June 15

An Outdoor Family Movie Night will be held at 7:30 p.m. Friday, June 15, at the fire pit at Tilixam Circle.

A dinner of Taco del Mar will be served and the movie "Journey 2: The Mysterious Island" will follow.

There also will be door prizes. Bring your own chair or blanket.

For more information, contact Shannon Stanton at 503-879-1489 or e-mail [shannon.stanton@grandronde.org](mailto:shannon.stanton@grandronde.org).

**HELP WANTED**

**NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS**

**HELP WANTED**

**Invitation To Tribal Members, Spouses of Tribal Members, Parent Of A Tribal Member And Legal Guardians Of Grand Ronde Tribal Member Children To Apply For The Temporary Staffing Pool**

**The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde's Temporary Staffing Pool is accepting applications.**

Tribal members, descendants, spouses of Tribal members, parents of a Tribal member, and legal guardians of Grand Ronde Tribal member children interested in assisting with filling temporary vacancies on an "on-call" or an "extended duration" basis are encouraged to contact the CTGR Human Resources office. Employment applications are available at the Human Resources office located in the Governance Center, 9615 Grand Ronde Road.

**Applicants must pass the following background checks:**

- Criminal background
- Work history
- References
- Tribal membership
- Drug screen

Temporary employees will be subject to the CTGR's Employee Handbook.

**This is an excellent opportunity for our membership to supplement their income and gain experience while aiding us in continuing a smooth delivery of services.**

Ad created by George Valdez

## Bernando teaches Wawa in Portland office

Tribal member Eric Bernando teaches weekly Chinuk Wawa language classes from 5:30 to 8:20 p.m. Wednesdays at the Portland office, 4445 S.W. Barbur Blvd., Suite 101. For more information, contact Bernando at [ChinukWawa@gmail.com](mailto:ChinukWawa@gmail.com) or at 503-709-3017. ■

### Free online learning source

The information includes:

Everyday life  
Math and money  
Computer training  
Online classes

Work and career information

Check it out at [www.gcflearnfree.org](http://www.gcflearnfree.org) ■

**Available Now!**

**\$5.00**

Available at the reception desk in the Governance Building

9615 Grand Ronde Road  
Grande Ronde, OR 97347

postage and handling extra

503-879-5211

Ad created by George Valdez

## Regalia Making Class

Wednesdays from 3 - 6 p.m.

with Dara Dickinson (Simmons)

Learn applique design techniques

Girls Jingle, Fancy & Traditional Dress styles  
Boys Grass, Fancy Traditional & Chicken

Open to the first 10 to register

For more information or to sign-up call:  
Brian Krehbiel at 503-879-4639  
[brian.krehbiel@grandronde.org](mailto:brian.krehbiel@grandronde.org)

Ad created by George Valdez