

EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES

Tribal full-time college winter term deadline

The Tribal Higher Education offices need your full-time college application by Dec. 7, 2012, if you would like to be eligible for winter term full-time funding. Please note that the application needs to be received by this date to be considered on time. You can access an application at www.grandronde.org/departments/education/higher-education/ or call Education at 503-879-2275 for an application.

Attention all current Full-time College Higher Ed students

Winter term/spring semester registration is right around the corner. Don't forget we need your schedules BEFORE we can send your funding! If you are on academic probation, we need both your fall grades and your upcoming schedule before we can send funding. There is not a set deadline to send in your schedule, but your funding may be delayed if you do not send in your paperwork in a timely manner. Please contact the Tribal Higher Ed department if you have any questions. 503-879-2275 or 1-800-422-0232, ext. 2275.

Gates Millennium Scholarship

The Gates Millennium Scholarship program is accepting applications for their 2013 application period. This scholarship is for you if you are a high school senior, high school graduate who has not yet started college, or a GED student/grad that has not yet started college.

Applicants must have at least a 3.3 GPA (no minimum GED score) at the time of application and be beginning college Fall 2013. A Gates Millennium scholars representative will be on the Tribal campus at 4 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 6, in the Adult Education building. For more information, call 503-879-2275.

Application deadline is Jan. 16, 2013. Please visit their Web site for additional information and to apply. <http://gmosp.org/>.

Financial Aid Night Save the Date

The Tribal Higher Education programs and Willamina High School are teaming up again to offer our annual Financial Aid Night. This event is free and open to the public. If you, or anyone you know, is interested in attending college Fall 2013, this event is for you! Save the date: Jan. 13, 2013 at Willamina High School. More information will come soon.



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 For All: 12 Days of Christmas Book Drive: The Tribal Library will participate in the Marion, Polk and Yamhill County "Reading for All" annual book drive Dec. 1-12. Please donate new or gently used children's books at the Tribal Library or other participating libraries and help us reach the goal of gathering more than 35,000 books. The donated books will be given to youth at various events countywide throughout the upcoming year.

Collaborative Events: Our fourth and last event was hosted by the Tribal Library on Nov. 1 from 6 to 7:30 p.m. This session included a Tribal history presentation and storytelling by Bobby Mercier of the Tribe's Culture Resources Department. The program was very informative and enjoyed by all who attended. Approximately 60 people participated in the four program events and many expressed a desire to hold more programs like the ones offered. This event was the library's kickoff event in recognition of National Native American Month all of November.

Donations: We appreciate the following contributors to the library collection during this reporting period: Our thanks to Priscilla Marlowe, John Harp, Courtney Terry, Marline Groshong, Chris Mercier, Connie Holmes and Kim Mueller & the Tribal Records Department. Thanks all, your donated items have been cataloged and are shelved for circulation. Thank you for some great additions to the collection.

New Items to the Collection:

Non-Fiction: "Fire at Eden's Gate – Tom McCall & the Oregon Story," "Brave Hearts – The Against-All-Odds Rise of Gonzaga Basketball" and "The New Soy Cookbook."

Poetry Books: Tavern Books Inc. donated 70 new poetry books to the library that include a variety of authors.

Oregon Battle of the Books: We expect our order of books to arrive soon that includes the selected titles for the Oregon and National Battle of the Books competition. Many students in our local schools will participate in the competitions that start at the individual school level in January. Winners move on to regional, state and national levels.

Girls Lock-In

December

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FRIDAY

Who: All 6th-12th grade girls
What: lots of fun all night long!!!
When: 12/7 5:30pm until 12/8 10:00am
Where: YED Facility
Why: To have fun, build relationships, relieve stress and eat chocolate!
How: Call YED @ 503-879-2101

Activities include:
Pizza Party
Obstacle Course
Staff Makeover
Jeopardy
4-Corners
Talking Circle
Midnight Campus Walk
Fire Pit Release Ceremony
Movie
Breakfast

Call and sign-up today!!

Be prepared to be up all night and have the time of your life!!!



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