



Tribal training

On Wednesday, April 10, Tribal staff members participated in a U.S. Army Corps of Engineer staff consultation training, teaching about 50 staff members about Tribal history, culture, plant gathering and archaeology, and how they all relate to the need to do Section 106 consultation of the National Historic Preservation Act with Grand Ronde on its ceded lands. Cultural Protection Program Manager Eirik Thorsgard, Ceded Lands Program Manager Michael Karnosh, Cultural Protection Specialist David Harrelson and Environmental Resource Specialist Brandy Humphreys participated in the field training, which took place at the Wapato Access Greenway State Park on Sauvie Island near Portland. Above, one of the topics that Harrelson talked about was gathering and uses of traditionally used materials, such as cedar bark and foods like camas and acorns. Left, Thorsgard, second from left, and Karnosh, left, talked about Tribal history and ceded lands. Tribal staff involved are the positions most likely to interact with the agency.



Photos by Michelle Alaimo

ATTENTION YOUTH HUNTERS OR PARENTS OF A YOUTH HUNTER

HUNTERS EDUCATION OFFERED IN YAMHILL COUNTY

IF YOU ARE BETWEEN THE AGES OF 12-17 YOU MUST HAVE A VALID CTGR HUNTING LICENSE TO PICK UP A HUNTING TAG. YOU MAY OBTAIN A VALID HUNTING LICENSE AT THE NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT (NRD) AFTER YOU HAVE FULLY COMPLETED THE HUNTER'S EDUCATION COURSE AND SUBMITTED THE CERTIFICATE TO NRD.

YOUTH TAGS MAY INCLUDE:

- YOUTH CONTROL DAMAGE DEER
- YOUTH TRASK ANTLERLESS ELK
- COASTAL BUCK (NON DRAWING TAG)
- BOW ELK & DEER
- MUZZLELOADER DEER
- CONTROL DAMAGE DOE
- 1ST OR 2ND SEASON ELK
- CONTROL DAMAGE HUNTS



YOU MAY VISIT WWW.DFWSTATE.ORG TO REGISTER FOR THE ONLINE CLASS AND FIELD DAY. SPACE IS LIMITED. CLASSES ARE SCHEDULED APRIL -MAY.

CONTACT THE YOUTH EDUCATION DEPARTMENT AT 503-879-2101 FOR MORE INFORMATION ON THE YOUTH SPONSORSHIP'S PROGRAM OR THE NRD AT 503-879-2424.

ATTENTION OUTDOOR ENTHUSIASTS!

Are you looking for additional outdoor opportunities outside of camping, hunting or fishing? We encourage you to explore the outdoors again with the 12 plus miles of single-track hiking trail with more planned in the future.



RESERVATION TRAILS ACCESS

Tillamook trail, 10.3 miles - A great place to start if you are spending time at the Big Buck Campground.

Coast Creek trail, 2.1 miles - located on the east side of the reservation, perfect for that short day trip you have always wanted to try!

Trails are of a dirt surface and approximately three (3) feet wide. Currently the trails are not marked, but maps are available at the Natural Resources Department located at 47010 SW Hebo Rd. Grand Ronde OR 97347 or online at <http://maps.grandronde.org/PublicGallery/index.html>.

No fee is required. Trails are open to the public for hiking, bicycles and horses too! Activities may require stepping over logs. All trails are at the beginner level, most do not have a grade steeper than 10%. No motorized vehicles allowed!

For more information call 503-879-2424.

