

NOTICE — Monthly Tribal Council Wednesday Meetings
DATE **TIME**
 Wednesday, Nov. 20.....5 p.m.
Please note that these times and dates are subject to change if needed.

Tribe creates Enrollment Audit hotline

The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde has created an Enrollment Audit hotline with which to collect frequently asked questions from the Tribal membership.

The goal of the hotline is to develop a list of commonly asked questions regarding the audit information that was distributed in the April *Tilixam Wawa*.

The answers to those questions will be published in an upcoming *Tilixam Wawa*, as well as be distributed to the membership in an information packet.

Please ask general questions only; please do not leave personal inquiries regarding yourself or family.

The toll-free phone number is 877-645-2641. ■

Timber checks to be direct deposited

If there is a timber distribution check this year, it will be direct deposited with the December per capita distribution, said Tribal Member Services Program Manager Penny DeLoe.

If Tribal members do not have direct deposit, the timber distribution will be cut as a check.

Tribal members can set up direct deposit by contacting the Member Services Department at 503-879-2490. ■

Elders schedule Community Bazaars

The Elders' Community Bazaar will be held from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday, Dec. 13, and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 14, at Spirit Mountain Casino.

There also will be a Community Bazaar held in the Tribal gym from 9 to 6 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Nov. 15-16.

For more information, contact Elder Activity Assistant Dan Ham at 503-879-2233. ■

Help needed identifying plots

The Facilities Department is asking for your help identifying veteran's plots.

If your family member's or friend's plot is a veteran and we do not have a veteran's flag present on holidays, please inform us.

We will do our best to mark all plots of veterans. Contact Adam Leno at 503-879-5525 or adam.leno@grandronde.org. ■

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www.facebook.com/SpiritMountainStampede

Tribal Office Closures

Tribal offices will be closed on Friday, Nov. 22, in observance of Restoration Day. Offices also will be closing on Wednesday, Nov. 27, at noon and closed on Thursday, Nov. 28, and Friday, Nov. 29, in observance of Thanksgiving.

General Council meeting

Sunday, Dec. 1 — 10 a.m.

Tribal Community Center

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