

Cover Oregon sign-up deadline extended to April 30

Oregonians have an additional month to apply for private health insurance with the new deadline being April 30.

Contact Cover Oregon Certified Application Assister Loretta Meneley at 503-879-1359 or 800-775-0095 for an appointment to apply for or discuss Cover Oregon. ■

Test fee assistance

Enrolled Tribal members can request assistance with test fees (i.e. GRE, SAT, LSAT, ACT) and admissions application fees.

Contact Higher Education for more information at 1-800-422-0232, ext. 2275. ■

Grand Ronde Tribal Housing Authority



Home repair grants for Tribal homes

The Tribe, through the Grand Ronde Tribal Housing Authority, offers Home Repair Grants to Tribally owned private homes for needed repairs, upgrades and maintenance. If you own a home in Oregon and it needs a little help with things like a worn-out roof or a tired heating system, get in touch with your Tribal Housing Authority and see if you and your home qualify. 503-879-2401.

EMPLOYMENT ACTION REVIEW ORDINANCE OPEN FOR COMMENT

The Tribal Council is considering adoption of amendments to the Employment Action Review Ordinance. The proposed amendments were given a First Reading at the March 5, 2014, Tribal Council meeting.

The primary purposes of the proposed amendments is to (1) eliminate “on the record” reviews of employment decisions; (2) provide a method for conducting employment hearings in the Tribal Court; (3) include provisions for mediating employment claims; and (4) provide additional remedies for employees. The proposed amendments may also include minor technical (i.e., typographical, housekeeping) modifications.

Tribal Council invites comments on the proposed amendments to the Employment Action Review Ordinance. For a copy of the proposed amendments, please contact the Tribal Attorney’s Office at 503-879-4664. Please send your comments to the Tribal Attorney’s Office, 9615 Grand Ronde Road, Grand Ronde, OR 97347, or by e-mail to legal@grandronde.org.

Comments must be received by April 15, 2014. ■

Mothers of Tradition training set for May

The White Bison Mothers of Tradition training is returning to the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde on May 20-22 at the Tribal Community Center, 9615 Grand Ronde Road.

The training’s purpose is to increase awareness of how intergenerational trauma interrupted the culture, language, family ties and parenting practices among Native peoples.

Participants will learn how to apply cultural teachings to bring healing to children and relationships.

The training is free, but people must register to attend. Attendees must make a three-day commitment and be there from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

For more information or to register, contact Tribal Alcohol and Drug Counselor Karan Scharf at 503-879-2029.

The training is sponsored by the Tribe’s Behavioral Health Program and funded by a Meth and Suicide Prevention Initiative grant. ■



Healthy Families 3k/5k Run/Walk & Kids Fun Run!

Join us for a free event for the whole family to support safe and happy childhoods & healthy families for Child Abuse Prevention Month!
Everyone is welcome! Rain or Shine!

Saturday, April 19, 2014

Fun, Lunch & T-shirts*!!

8:30 - 9:15 a.m. – Registration at the CTGR Tribal Gym for 5K
 9:15 a.m. – 5k run/walk begins from the Tribal Gym ** Prizes & Bonus Giveaways!!
 10:00 a.m. – Easter Egg Hunt (Housing)
 Family Fun Walk follows the Easter Egg Hunt to the Tribal Gym
 11:00 a.m. – Lunch
 12:00 p.m. – Family Movie day
After lunch enjoy a Family Movie Day in the Tribal Gym.

Sponsored by:
 Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde
 Children & Family Services,
 Youth Prevention & Recreation
 9615 Grand Ronde Road, Grand Ronde, OR 97347
 Please call Amanda Mercier at 503-879-2039 with any questions


