

EFFECTIVE NOW

Changes to Social Services Emergency Assistance and Medical Gas Voucher Program

For all income criteria programs, wage verification for past 60 days (wage stubs) will need to be submitted. If client has not worked for a period of time, client will need to submit a printout from their State Employment Office or printout from Oregon Self-Sufficiency Office as verification of income. Rental/deposit or utility assistance may be utilized only one time in a 24-month rolling calendar period and is not to exceed the maximum contribution of \$1,000 per household within any 24-month rolling calendar period.

Medical Gas Vouchers

Social Services will not provide gas vouchers for medical appointments, counseling or drug and alcohol treatment. The only exception is for scheduled treatment plans (i.e.: radiation, chemotherapy, surgery, etc.) that have caused hardship on the family. Medical gas vouchers can be distributed to meet the need of the circumstances.

A copy of all scheduled treatment plans must be received before client is eligible to receive this service. Assistance will end on the date of the last treatment appointment.

For a complete copy of policy or questions, contact Tammy C. Garrison at 503-879-2077. ■

Firewood Permits

Attention firewood permit holders! According to the National Inter-agency Fire Center, Oregon is expected to have an "above normal fire potential." With this forecast and an abundance of fuel wood available, we are encouraging valid permit holders to fill the issued permits as soon as reasonably possible to avoid a closure due to fire season. For questions or to obtain a firewood permit, contact Natural Resources at 503-879-2424 or visit www.grandronde.org/departments/natural-resources/. As a reminder, firewood permits are issued to all Grand Ronde Tribal members for personal use and may not exceed five cords in a calendar year. ■

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Important notice to full-time students

All full-time students must submit verification that they have applied to a scholarship outside the Tribe before funding will be released for the term/semester. Verification can include a scholarship award or denial letter, e-mail verification that an application was submitted, a copy of the application or the financial aid award letter that lists an outside scholarship.

Please contact Education at 1-800-422-0232, ext. 2275, if you have any questions. ■



The Shakespeare Experience

Visit Ashland, Oregon on July 21-23, 2014 with Youth Education as we pay a visit to Southern Oregon University and learn about what they have to offer prospective students. We will also be taking in "Richard III" at the Oregon Shakespeare festival. In addition to the play, students will be given an opportunity to learn about the play beforehand and then talk to a performer after the play.



This event is limited to 8 students. Students will need to fill out an application to be considered for this trip.

Applications are due 7/18/14.
For more information or to request an application, contact the Tiffany Mercier at: (503) 879-2101

CASH AND CARRY

Vendors/Merchants Sale

(Bring a business card)

July 25 - 26th, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Running out of time? Can't make all you need to sell for the Pow Wow next month?

We can help.

We will be selling lots of great handicraft items at wholesale, cost, and below cost prices...

- Beaded Belts \$3.00
- Leaf Albums \$2-4
- Natural Stone Necklaces \$11.00
- All Sizes Ceramic Vases - \$3-10
- Handmade Paper Greeting Cards \$.25 - \$1
- Gorgeous Beaded T-Shirts - \$10.00
- Beaded Sandals - \$3.00
- Seed Beads \$4/.5 kilo bag
- Beaded Baskets - All sizes greatly reduced
- Beaded Purses - All at cost
- Handmade Paper - All at cost
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