

Willamette convocation



Photos by Michelle Alaimo

Tribal Council member Jon A. George welcomes and tells a little about the Grand Ronde Tribe's history in the Salem area to Willamette University's freshman class during the university's opening convocation in Salem on Friday, Aug. 22.



Clockwise from left, Brain Krehbiel, Tribal Cultural Outreach specialist, Jordan Mercier, Tribal Cultural Protection coordinator, Tribal Council member Jon A. George and David Harrelson, Tribal Cultural Protection Program manager, sing and drum during the procession of Willamette University's opening convocation in Salem on Friday, Aug. 22.

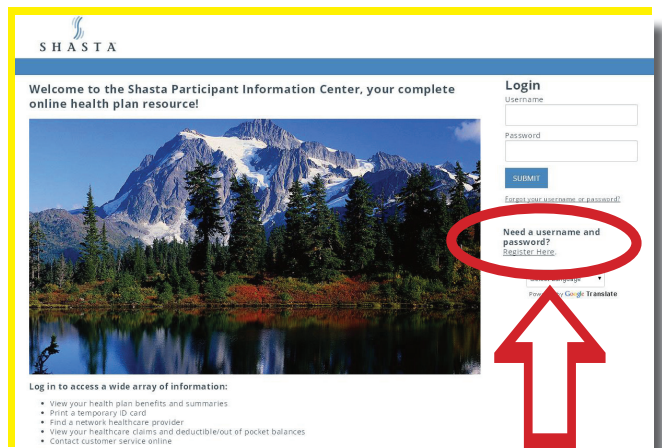
Firewood Permits

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. ■

Welcome To Your New Shasta Website

Shasta Administrative Services is pleased to announce the launch of our new website which enables participant engagement, provider collaboration and improves efficiencies through tracking and reporting. Access to your benefit information is available 24/7.

WWW.SHASTATPA.COM



All participants will need to register after August 1, 2014 to have access to the new website. Register at www.shastatpa.com.

Access your personal account page by registering here.

Self-service features will allow participants to . . .

- ❖ Access and print your ID Cards
- ❖ View and print EOBs (Explanation of Benefits)
- ❖ View benefit Information
- ❖ View claims
- ❖ View in-network provider listings
- ❖ Download claim forms
- ❖ Download forms and resources applicable to your plan
- ❖ Submit questions through a secured messaging center/customer service online support
- ❖ View customized FAQs (Frequently Asked Questions) about your Plan

Member Registration Instructions

1. Go to www.shastatpa.com and click on Member Login.
2. Accept license agreement.
3. Input your Participant ID number (located on your Member ID Card)

Free online learning source

The information includes:
 Everyday life
 Math and money
 Computer training
 Online classes
 Work and career information
 Check it out at www.gcflearnfree.org

BRING YOUR FAVORITE DISH FOR A CONTEST!

End of Summer PRIZES!

BBQ

Friday, Sept. 5

@ the fire pit in Tilixam Circle in Tribal housing starting at 5:30 p.m.

JUDGING WILL BE CONDUCTED IN TWO CATEGORIES:
DESSERTS AND SIDE DISHES

Since there will be limited seating, people are encouraged to bring their own chair or blanket to sit on.

For more information, contact Shannon Stanton at 503-879-1489

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OPEN HOUSE

TRIBAL 121 VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION
Wednesday, Sept. 10, 2014 - 3-7 p.m.

The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde Tribal Vocational Rehabilitation (TVR) program is hosting an open house. The purpose of this open house is to connect with community professionals and Tribal families to inform them of TVR services with a focus on youth transition. Everyone is encouraged to attend. TVR is a program that works with tribal members who have physical or mental disabilities to prepare for, gain or retain employment. TVR is committed to helping people with disabilities find meaningful careers. TVR School to Work Transition involves a number of activities that help students with disabilities prepare and plan for employment success after high school.

OPEN HOUSE WILL BE HELD AT THE GRAND RONDE ADULT EDUCATION BLDG "L" ROOM 126

9615 Grand Ronde Road, Grand Ronde, OR 97347

DINNER WILL BE SERVED FREE OF CHARGE

INCLUDING GIFTS AND RAFFLE PRIZES

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