

# Social Services holding School Clothes Program

The Social Services Department is holding its 2014 School Clothes Program. This is a first-come, first-served program.

A child must be an enrolled Grand Ronde Tribal member and must be of school age and enrolled in school (preschool, elementary, middle or high school).

Income criteria apply. Contact Social Services at 800-242-8196 or 503-879-2034 for an application. Deadline for applications is Sept. 15. ■

## ATTENTION

If you are currently receiving or are in need of SNAP benefits, Social Services provides an Oregon Department of Human Services caseworker who comes to Grand Ronde twice monthly on Wednesdays. The caseworker may assist with applications, updates, child care, etc. If you are in need of services, call 503-879-2034 to schedule an appointment or you can reach Michelle Carmona at 503-879-4523. ■

## Official Tribal Facebook pages

- Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde: [www.facebook.com/CTGRgov](http://www.facebook.com/CTGRgov)
- Grand Ronde Tribal Council: [www.facebook.com/TheConfederatedTribesOfGrandRondeTribalCouncil](http://www.facebook.com/TheConfederatedTribesOfGrandRondeTribalCouncil)
- Grand Ronde Higher Education: [www.facebook.com/grand.r.ed](http://www.facebook.com/grand.r.ed)
- Grand Ronde Youth Education: [www.facebook.com/CTGRYouthEducation](http://www.facebook.com/CTGRYouthEducation)
- Spirit Mountain Community Fund: [www.facebook.com/SpiritMountainCommunityFund](http://www.facebook.com/SpiritMountainCommunityFund)
- Grand Ronde Station: [www.facebook.com/GrandRondeStation](http://www.facebook.com/GrandRondeStation)
- Grand Ronde Royalty: [www.facebook.com/TheConfederatedTribesofGrandRondeRoyalty](http://www.facebook.com/TheConfederatedTribesofGrandRondeRoyalty)
- Spirit Mountain Stampede: [www.facebook.com/SpiritMountainStampede](http://www.facebook.com/SpiritMountainStampede)
- Veterans Special Event Board: [www.facebook.com/pages/Veterans-Board-of-the-Confederated-Tribes-of-the-Grand-Ronde-Community](http://www.facebook.com/pages/Veterans-Board-of-the-Confederated-Tribes-of-the-Grand-Ronde-Community)
- Community Garden: [www.facebook.com/GrandRondeCommunityGarden](http://www.facebook.com/GrandRondeCommunityGarden)

## Committee & Special Event Board meeting days and times

Below is the most current information on the meeting days and times for Tribal Committees and Special Event Boards:

- **Ceremonial Hunt Board** meets as needed. Chair: Marline Groshong.
- **Cultural Trust Board** meets at 4 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the Elders' Activity Center. Chair: Perri McDaniel.
- **Culture Committee** meets at 1 p.m. the first Wednesday of the month at the Chachalu Museum & Cultural Center. Chair: Betty Bly.
- **Education Committee** meets at 5:15 p.m. on the first Monday of the month in the Adult Education Building. Chair: Tammy Cook.
- **Elders' Committee** meets at 1 p.m. the third Wednesday of the month in the Elders' Activity Center. Chair: Gladys Hobbs.
- **Enrollment Committee** meets quarterly in Room 204 of the Governance Building. Chair: Robert Schmid.
- **Fish & Wildlife Committee** meets at 5:30 p.m. the second Tuesday of the month at the Natural Resources building off Hebo Road. Chair: Harold Lyon.
- **Health Committee** meets at 10 a.m. the second Wednesday of the month in the Health & Wellness Center. Chair: Patti Tom-Martin.
- **Powwow Special Event Board** meets TBA at the Community Center. Chair: Dana Ainam.
- **Rodeo Special Event Board** meets at 6 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at the Rodeo Office. Chair: Harold Lyon.
- **Social Services Committee** meets at 4 p.m. the second Monday of the month in the Social Services conference room. Chair: Jenny Sanchez.
- **Timber Committee** meets at 5 p.m. the second Thursday of the month at the Natural Resources building off Hebo Road. Chair: Bob Mercier.
- **Veterans Special Event Board** meets at 5 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month in the Community Center. Chair: Steve Bobb Sr.
- **Youth Council** meets at 4 p.m. every Tuesday in the Youth Education Building.

To update information on this list, contact Publications Coordinator Dean Rhodes at 503-879-1463 or [dean.rhodes@grandronde.org](mailto:dean.rhodes@grandronde.org).

# Olympia effort



Photo by Siobhan Taylor

**Grand Ronde Tribal representatives met with Washington Gov. Jay Inslee on Friday, Sept. 5, in Olympia to discuss the Tribe's inclusion in the state's Centennial Accord. While there, Tribal representatives presented Inslee with a traditional paddle carved by Tribal member and Land and Culture employee Bobby Mercier. From left, Tribal Council Executive Coordinator Stacia Martin, Tribal Council member Cheryle A. Kennedy, Inslee, Tribal Council member Jon A. George and Cultural Protection Program Manager David Harrelson admire Mercier's work. Also attending the meeting with Inslee were Senior Staff Attorney Deneen Aubertin Keller and Public Affairs Director Siobhan Taylor. While meeting with Inslee, Tribal representatives also presented Inslee an informational packet that explains the Grand Ronde Tribe's historical and cultural connection to southwest Washington state.**

## Community resources

The Clothing Closet on the Tribal campus.

- 10 a.m. to noon Monday.
- 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday.

Grand Ronde Food Bank, 9600 Hebo Road, Grand Ronde.  
• Contact: 541-921-2881. ■

## ATTENTION TRIBAL MEMBERS

### COMMITTEE AND SPECIAL EVENT BOARD VACANCIES

The following Committees and Special Event Boards have vacant positions.

<b>Social Services Committee</b>	<b>1 Vacancy</b>
<b>Timber Committee</b>	<b>1 Vacancy</b>
<b>Cultural Trust Board</b>	<b>4 Vacancies</b>
<b>Powwow SEB</b>	<b>2 Vacancies</b>

Please send completed applications to Stacia Martin, 9615 Grand Ronde Road, Grand Ronde, OR 97347.

## Kick the Habit.

Call these numbers for free from anywhere in Oregon:  
1-800-QUIT-NOW (1-800-784-8669)

Español: 1-877-2NO-FUME (1-877-266-3863)

TTY: 1-877-777-6534

Or register online at: [www.quitnow.net/oregon/](http://www.quitnow.net/oregon/)

