

Senatorial hike



Photo courtesy of Rob Greene

Tribal Council Secretary Toby McClary, right, accompanied Oregon Sen. Jeff Merkley on a hike on Lower Table Rock near Medford on Monday, May 25. They were accompanied by Tribal Attorney Rob Greene. "We did get to bend his ear on a couple different occasions on a couple issues important to the Tribe," McClary said, adding that one of the issues discussed was the Grand Ronde Reservation Act amendment that would streamline how the Tribe takes land into trust. "Overall, I thought it was a productive time. I don't think it is typical that you get three to four hours with a member of Congress. I think it was good to have that time."

Royalty seeking past members

Previous Grand Ronde Royalty queens and princesses are being sought as the current Royalty Court is compiling a picture and biography collection of current and past Royalty for the Chachalu Museum & Cultural Center, 8720 Grand Ronde Road.

"It would be great to have any past pictures and dates that you were on Royalty Court, as well as a short bio of who you are," said Royalty Coordinator Chelsea Clark.

Contact Clark at 503-879-1418 or through e-mail at chelsea.clark@grandronde.org. Letters can be sent to 9615 Grand Ronde Road, Grand Ronde, OR, 97347. ■

Spirit Mountain Gaming, Inc. Board of Director's position opening

Spirit Mountain Gaming, Inc. (SMGI) is seeking a dynamic business oriented Tribal member to fill a vacant position on the SMGI Board of Directors. The SMGI Board of Directors is responsible to the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde Tribal Council and oversees fiscal accountability, budgets, policies, procedures and business operations of Spirit Mountain Casino.

The SMGI Board meets once a month and board members receive a stipend each month for their participation in board meetings.

Qualifications: We are seeking individuals with general business knowledge, experience in hospitality/customer service-driven environment, and in one or more of the following areas:

- Finance;
- Internal Audit;
- Marketing;
- Gaming;
- Surveillance/Security.

Knowledge of Native American owned and operated organizations preferred but not mandatory. There should also be a demonstrated ability to be responsive to the goals of the business and its increasing dynamic character with appropriate analytical and communication skills.

Must be able to pass a thorough background check and obtain a PMO gaming license.

Deadline to apply is Monday, June 22, 2015.

Applicants may submit a letter of interest, resume and three references to:

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