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Announcing the birth of CTGR newest Tribal member,

Nicholas Andrew Estrada

Born Saturday October 29, 2016, to proud parents Tribal member Erik Estrada and his wife Malia. Nicholas is the first grandson of Debbie Leno and Danny Estrada and great-grandson of Bud and Maxine Leno. We are so grateful to welcome this precious little guy to our family.

Happy 1st Birthday to our beautiful daughter

Sanaa Rogue L. Hewitt

from her Mom, Dad and all of her family. This year has been full of love and adventure, watching you grow has been the biggest blessing in our life. Here's to many more big girl We love you!



Grand Ronde Housing Department



Housing Board seeks community input

The Grand Ronde Housing Board is inviting Tribal members and Tribal housing residents to provide input to assist its members in carrying out its advisory role to the Housing Department and Tribal Council regarding policy guidance. The Housing Board meets at 3 p.m. the third Thursday of each month in the Housing Department conference room, 28450 Tyee Road. Its chair is Matt Thomas. For more information, contact the Housing Department at 503-879-2401. ■



Food & Health Community Conversation

Thursday, Feb. 9 - 9-8pm
West Valley Community Campus
[256 SE Washington St., Willamina]

FREE DINNER - NO CHILD CARE

RSVP: FRANCENE AMBROSE, 503-879-3663

QUESTIONS: 503-879-2401 or francene.ambrose@grandronde.org



NURTURING PARENTING

Would you like to connect with other parents and gain skills that focus on:

- Stress Management
- Positive Discipline
- Communication
- Self-Care

Would you like more confidence in your parenting?



Do you need more time for yourself?

Would you like to develop skills to promote a positive family life?

If you answered **YES** to any of these questions, we invite you to join us for 12 **FREE** weekly seminars.

FOR: Parents and caregivers with children between ages of 0-8.

WHEN: Wednesdays, January 11th to March 29th
10:00am to 12:30pm

WHERE: Tribal Community Center
9615 Grand Ronde Rd, Grand Ronde

FREE WITH CHILD CARE AND MEAL

HOW TO REGISTER

Online at www.midvalleyparenting.org

or by calling Heather at

503-623-9664 ext 2368

QUESTIONS

Amber Amouak at 503-879-2009

or

Carmen Mercier at 503-879-1304



The Veterans Royalty and Veterans SEB is seeking bids for medallions for our next Royalty Court

Designs for two 5" medallion of Honor Guard patch.

Separate pieces

Titles

Junior Veterans Queen

Senior Veterans Queen

Court Year

2017 - 2018

Bid deadline is 5 p.m. Monday, April 10

Medallions and pieces completed and delivered by June 5, 2017.

Submit bids to: Veterans SEB c/o Public Affairs

9615 Grand Ronde Rd, Grand Ronde, OR 97347

Questions? Contact Chelsea Clark at 503-879-1418 or chelsea.clark@grandronde.org

