NOTICE — Monthly Tribal Council Wednesday Meetings Wednesday, Sept. 20......5 p.m.

Please note that these times and dates are subject to change if needed.

Tribal IDs now acceptable to buy alcohol, marijuana

SALEM — The Oregon Liquor Control Commission has officially ruled that an unexpired and unaltered identification card issued by a federally recognized Indian Tribe with a photo, name and date of birth can be used to purchase alcohol or marijuana items.

The change came after a Tribal member made a request to Sen. Ted Ferrioli's office and it was included in Senate Bill 1057, which provided the commission with more power to enforce state marijuana laws. Ferrioli is a Republican from John Day and serves on the Legislative Commission on Indian Services.

The change became official on Aug. 10 and increases the validity of Tribal government-issued identification. ■

St. Michael's offers brunch

St. Michael's Catholic Church offers an open house brunch every Sunday following Mass. The brunch is free to the community. Brunch begins at about 11:30 a.m. following the 10:30 a.m. Mass.

Mass attendance is not required for brunch attendance. For more information, contact Janelle Justen at 503-550-0923. ■

Play on the Bypass scheduled

DUNDEE - The Oregon Department of Transportation will open the Newberg-Dundee Bypass to people from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept.

This will be people's chance to see what has been built before the bypass opens to vehicles this winter.

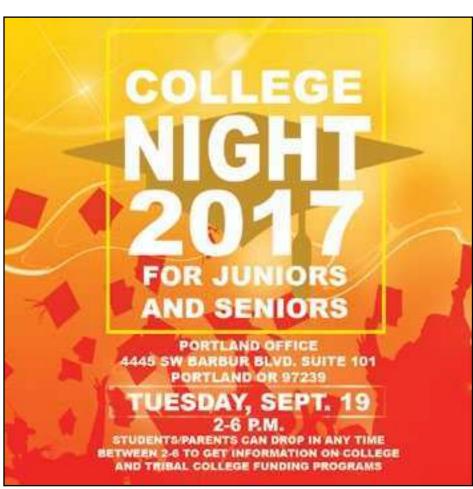
People are invited to walk, bike, run or roll, but no cars will be permitted. Leashed dogs are allowed, but no alcohol.

Chehalem Parks and Recreation District also will be hosting a 5K run earlier that morning.

For more information, visit www.newbergdundee.org or call Kristen Kibler at JLA Public Involvement on behalf of ODOT at 503-235-5881, ext. 104. The Grand Ronde Tribe donated \$4 million to help fund the bypass project. ■

Tribal Office Closures

Tribal offices will be closing at noon Friday, Sept. 1, and closed on Monday, Sept. 4, in observance of Labor Day. Offices also will be closed on Friday, Sept. 22, in observance of National Indian Day.



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General Council meeting

11 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 10 **Community Center**

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