Smoke Signals **JANUARY 1, 2018** 

### **GRAND RONDE ROYALTY COURT**

Participating in Royalty is an excellent opportunity for Tribal youth to learn traditions, powwow protocol and public speaking. Participants represent the Tribe by attending various community events and powwows where we also work with the Veterans Special Event Board (Veterans SEB) Royalty participants.

Serving on Royalty requires a considerable commitment from the participant and their parents and/or sponsor. Royalty participants (including parent or sponsor) must attend all required events and activities: organizational meetings, powwows, parades, fundraisers and more. We encourage all Tribal youth ages 4-18 to join.

Participants must be within the following age categories by Aug. 1, 2018:

Warriors: 4 – 18 years of age

Tiny Tot (Honorary): 4 – 6 years of age Little Miss Grand Ronde: 7 – 10 years of age Junior Miss Grand Ronde: 11 – 13 years of age Senior Miss Grand Ronde: 14 – 18 years of age

#### **General Requirements:**

- 1. Enrolled Grand Ronde Tribal member
- 2. Must be drug-, alcohol- and tobacco-free
- 3. Attend school regularly and be in good standing
- 4. Must be single with no dependents
- 5. Sign and comply with Royalty Guidelines and Agreement

## **Grand Ronde Royalty**

If you are interested in participating in the 2018–19 Grand Ronde Royalty please take the following steps:

- 1) Come in, write, e-mail or call Please leave your name and address and we will send you an application.
  - a. CTGR Royalty c/o Public Affairs, 9615 Grand Ronde Road, Grand Ronde, OR 97347
  - $b.\,503\text{-}879\text{-}1418\,or\,public affairs@grandronde.org\,or\,chelsea.clark@grandronde.org\,or\,ch$ grandronde.org
- 2) Complete the application with a parent and/or sponsor and return before Friday, March 30, 2018.



## Royalty recaps 2017

As you can see, the Royalty Court kept busy in 2017 and we are expecting the same for 2018. Now is the time to consider joining! We are looking for more participants, both girls and boys, to positively represent the Grand Ronde Tribe. Participating requires a considerable commitment, but also provides numerous opportunities to have unique experiences and memories.

#### 2017 Events & Powwows

Jan. 21: PCC Sylvania Wacipi Powwow

Feb. 25: Chemawa Birthday

Powwow

March 11: Willamette University

Powwow

April 7-8: Grand Ronde Agency

Creek Round Dance April 19: Native Care Conference

April 26-30: Gathering of Nations

Pageant & Powwow May 6: PSU Naimuma Powwow

May 13: UofO Mother's Day Powwow May 18: LCIS Spring Celebration at

Oregon State Capitol May 20: OSU Powwow

May 29: Memorial Day Observance program

May 30: Rose Festival Court Visit June 3: Starlight Parade

June 10: Spirit Mountain Casino Grand Floral Parade

June 23: Education Honors Dinner June 23-25: Muckleshoot Powwow July 7-9: Marcellus Norwest Memorial Veterans Powwow

July 10: Elder Honor Day July 29: SMCF 20th Anniversary

Dinner

Aug. 11-13: Siletz Powwow Aug. 17: Queen's Brunch

Aug. 18-20: Grand Ronde Contest

Oct. 6: Grand Ronde Back-to-School

Mini Powwow

Oct. 21: Plankhouse Birthday Nov. 4: Chemawa Veterans Powwow

Nov. 18: Siletz Restoration Powwow

Nov. 22: Grand Ronde Restoration Celebration & Powwow

Dec. 3: Tribal Council Christmas Party

Dec. 21: Grand Ronde Youth

Powwow

Also involved in:

Monthly Royalty meetings Youth Council meetings and

activities Fundraising

Youth Education activities

Youth Prevention activities Canoe Family events

Royalty Court Highlights:

Honorary Tiny Tot Jameson Turner

 Helping serve the Elders Introducing herself

Passing out candy

Junior Warrior Nacoma Liebelt

 The Rose Festival Court visit Camping at Siletz

Little Miss Sophia Grout Earning her first crown

■ First time in Rose Parade

· Riding Rose Festival rides

Junior Miss Kaleigha Simi

 Meeting Governor Kate Brown Meeting Acosia Red Elk

■ Going to New Mexico

Senior Miss, Isabelle Grout Meeting Miss Indian World

Owl dancing with Nacoma

■ Passing out in Contest Powwow Grand Entry

Everyone enjoyed

· Queen's Brunch

Powwows and parades

Wings & Waves trip with Youth Council
Tribal Council and Royalty Christmas parties

To keep up with Royalty, check out our official Tribal Facebook page at www.facebook.com/CTGRRoyalty.

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Now accepting applications for the Temporary Staffing Pool!

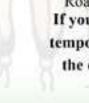
If you are interested in filling temporary vacancies on an on-call basis, you are encouraged to contact the CTGR Human Resources Office.

Applicants must successfully pass a criminal background check and drug screen.

This is an excellent opportunity for our membership to supplement their income and gain experience while aiding us in continuing a smooth delivery of services.

To apply, please go to www.grandronde.org/about/employment and download an application. Applications can be delivered to Human Resources, mailed or emailed to empapps@grandronde.org

Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde, Employment Service Center, Building C Attn: Human Resources, 9615 Grand Ronde



Road, Grand Ronde, OR 97347 If you have questions about the temporary pool, please come by the office or call 503-879-2109