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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. 503-879-1418 or publicaffairs@grandronde.org or chelsea.clark@grandronde.org
- 2) Complete the application with a parent and/or sponsor and return before Friday, March 30, 2018.





Gary LaChance Jr

is "50"

Yes it is true, Gary LaChance Jr. turned the big "50" on the Jan. 12, 2018. Hope this year brings new light and life adventures. I Love You,

USDA Distribution

~ Salem ~

Jan. 16: 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Jan. 17: 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Jan. 18: 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Jan. 19: 9 to 11 a.m.

~Siletz~

Feb. 1: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Feb. 2: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Feb. 5: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Feb. 6: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Feb. 6: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Feb. 7: 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

If you need assistance, call Joyce Retherford at 1-800-922-1399, ext. 1393, or call direct at 541-444-8393 or 541-444-8279.

Health & Wellness Center offers Afterhours Health Line

Tribal members can contact the Afterhours Health Line for questions about health care concerns you may have when the clinic is not open.

You can reach the Afterhours Health Line by calling 503-879-2002 and follow the prompts. The Afterhours Health Line will coordinate care and communicate with Grand Ronde Health & Wellness Center providers. ■

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