General Council meeting

Tribal Council nominations

11 a.m. Sunday, June 30

Tribal Community Center

NOTICE — Monthly Tribal Council Wednesday Meetings

DATE	TIME
Wednesday, June 26	5 p.m.
Wednesday, July 10	5 p.m.

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

Canoe Journey approaching

Tribal youth interested in participating in this year's Paddle to Lummi Canoe Journey should contact Youth Prevention Manager Nicole Hewitt at 503-879-1471 for more information.

Cold water training will be held on Saturday, June 15, on the Salmon River. Participants will meet at the Tribal Community Center at 8 a.m. before leaving at 8:30. Transportation and lunch will be provided.

Youth 14 and older can participate in the mid-July Canoe Journey. ■

Tribal member dies in car crash south of Newport

Grand Ronde Tribal member John Wesley Runningbird, 36, walked on Wednesday, May 30, from injuries sustained in a crash south of Newport on Highway 101.

Oregon State Police responded to a report of a single-vehicle crash on Highway 101 seven miles south of Newport at about 8:18 p.m. An investigation found the driver of a 2006 Chevrolet HHR, Faith Goodman, 49, of Willamina, had veered off the road and struck a tree while traveling north on Highway 101 near milepost 148.

Runningbird was a passenger in the car. He lived in Grand Ronde. ■

Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde Tax Preparation Request for Proposal

The Request for Proposals (RFP) is being conducted by the Member Services Department for the purpose of obtaining a licensed contractor who has 5+ years of experience preparing tax returns.

Qualified applicants shall possess the ability to:

- Provide tax preparation services to Tribal Elders and foster youth living on and off Tribal lands.
- Assist Tribal members in completing tax-related paperwork.
- Serve as a resource to Tribal members who have questions regarding payment and filing of state and federal tax returns.

Preference will be given to members of the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde and/or Indian-owned businesses registered with the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde TERO office.

Please contact Veronica Montano for information. All proposals must be submitted by 5 p.m. Monday, July 1, 2019.

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10 spots open for Warrior Camp

The Tribe's Youth Prevention Program has 10 spots open for the Native Wellness Institute's Warrior Camp scheduled to be held Monday, June 24, through Thursday, June 27, at úyxat Powwow Grounds off Hebo Road.

The Warrior Camp is open to Native youth aged 12 to 18. A permission form and agenda packet that includes a photo release and respect pledge needs to be filled out.

For more information, call Youth Prevention at 503-879-1471. ■

Tribal Office Closures

Tribal offices will be closing on noon Wednesday, July 3, and closed on Thursday, July 4, in observance of Independence Day.

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DEADLINE DATE	ISSUE DATE
Thursday, June 20	July 1
Monday, July 8	July 15
Friday, July 19	Aug. 1
Monday, Aug. 5	Aug. 15
Tuesday, Aug. 20	Sept. 1
Friday, Sept. 6	Sept. 15

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