

General Council meeting

11 a.m. Sunday, Oct. 4

Being held remotely using the Zoom teleconferencing (tentative) program.
503-879-2304.

NOTICE — Monthly Tribal Council Wednesday Meetings

DATE	TIME
Wednesday, Sept. 16.....	11 a.m.
Wednesday, Sept. 30.....	10 a.m.

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



COMMITTEE AND SPECIAL EVENT BOARD VACANCIES

The following Committees and Special Event Boards have vacant positions.

- Housing Grievance Board – 1 vacancy
- Ceremonial Hunting Board – 2 vacancies
- Culture Committee – 2 vacancies
- Enrollment Committee – 2 vacancies
- Fish & Wildlife Committee – 3 vacancies
- Powwow Special Event Board – 1 vacancy

Please send completed applications to
Stacia Hernandez, 9615 Grand Ronde Road,
Grand Ronde, OR 97347

Letters welcome

Letters should be exclusive to **smok signalz**.

Letters should be 400 words or less and must include the writer's name, address, phone number and Tribal roll number. You will be contacted to confirm authorship.

All letters are subject to editing for space, grammar and, on occasion, factual accuracy. Only two letters per writer are allowed during a three-month period.

Letters written in response to other letter writers should address the issue at hand and, rather than mentioning the other writer by name, should refer to the date of the letter published. Discourse should be civil and people should be referred to in a respectful manner. Letters deemed in poor taste will not be printed. Send letters via e-mail to news@grandronde.org, or submit in person at the Tribal Governance Center in Grand Ronde, Ore., or mail to **smok signalz**, 9615 Grand Ronde Road, Grand Ronde, OR, 97347.

WIC visits Community Center monthly

Pregnant? Breastfeeding? Does your family include a child under the age of 5? If so, you may qualify for the Women, Infants and Children program.

With WIC, people can receive answers to nutritional questions and access fruits and vegetables, whole grains, eggs, milk, cheese, juice, cereal and more.

A WIC representative visits the Tribal Community Center on the third Tuesday of the month, which will be Sept. 15.

Walk-ins are welcome between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. For more information or to schedule an appointment, call 503-879-2034. ■

Correction — Ryland Keber was misidentified and his mother's, Denise Keber, last name was incorrect on page 12 of the Sept. 1 issue of *Smoke Signals*. The newspaper corrected the online version and regrets the errors.

Tribal Office Closures

Tribal offices will be closed on Friday, Sept. 25, in observance of National Native American Day.

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MONDAY, SEPT. 21.....	OCT. 1, 2020
MONDAY, OCT. 5.....	OCT. 15, 2020
MONDAY, OCT. 19.....	NOV. 1, 2020
FRIDAY, NOV. 6.....	NOV. 15, 2020

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