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## **Drop box installed**

The Grand Ronde Tribal Police Department, 9655 Grand Ronde Road, now has a medication drop box located in the front lobby.

Lobby hours are 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The drop box is for any prescribed or over-the-counter medication. If the containers are too large to fit in the drop box, please repackage them in a zip-lock plastic bag. Tribal Police employees cannot handle the medications so the person dropping them off must repackage them. Needles and liquids are not allowed in the drop box.

Tribal Police suggest mixing liquid medications with cat litter or coffee grounds and then throwing them away with the household trash.

For more information, call 503-879-1821. ■

# **Veterans Royalty**

Veterans Royalty works with the Veterans Special Event Board (Veterans SEB). They attend powwows, parades, fundraisers, meetings and other events with the Veterans SEB and the Honor Guard. They interact with and represent all veterans. They also work with the Grand Ronde Royalty court during events and activities such as Restoration, parades and fundraiser. The Veterans royalty should know what a veteran is and the different military branches.

When veterans royalty attend events, they are expected to stay for the entire duration of the event. This includes helping to set up events, meetings and parades and dancing during Grand Entry, inter-Tribals and staying until the flags are retired. Veterans Royalty should have their own regalia and be willing and able to dance.

### **GRAND RONDE VETERANS ROYALTY**

Participating in Veterans Royalty is an excellent opportunity for Tribal youth to learn our traditions, powwow protocol, public speaking and work with veterans. Participants represent the veterans and the Tribe by attending powwows, events, parades, fundraisers and various community events.

Serving on Veterans 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 7 – 18 to join.

Participants must be within the following age categories by Thursday, July 1, 2022:

Warriors: 7 -18 years of age

Little Veterans Queen: 7 -10 years of age Junior Veterans Queen: 11-13 years of age Senior Veterans Queen: 14-18 years of age

General Requirements:

- Enrolled Grand Ronde Tribal Member
- 2. Must be alcohol and drug free
- 3. Never married, no children
- 4. Attend school regularly and be in good standing
- 5. Sign and comply with Veterans Royalty guidelines & agreement

**DEADLINE: 5 p.m. Tuesday, March 15** 

# Applicant's Name: Mailing Address: Phone (Day): Date of Birth: Father's Name: Mother's Name: Sponsor's Name, Address and Phone (if different than a parent): Why do you want to participate in Veterans Royalty? Applicant's Signature Parent's Signature Sponsor's Signature (if different than a parent) Mail Applications to:

Mail Applications to:
Veterans SEB c/o Public Affairs
9615 Grand Ronde Road
Grand Ronde, OR 97347

# Health & Wellness Center entrance

Reminder: The drive-through entrance at the Health & Wellness Center is for loading and unloading only. The entrance was built with our Elders and those with mobility issues and their ease of access in mind.

If you are coming to the center to pick up prescriptions, please park in one of our regular parking spaces.

## **Attention All Artisans**

The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde is seeking bids for our Veterans Royalty 2022-23 Crown Medallions.

Submit full design that includes:

- The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde Veterans Logo (pictured)
- a. Little Queen 4 inches
- b. Junior Queen 6 inches
- c. Senior Queen 6 inches
- d. Warrior Medallion 4 inches
- 2. Court year Queens only
- 3. Back of Crown's medallion logo (3) 3 inches

Bid deadline is March 15, 2022 by 5 P.M. (deadline is firm and no bids accepted after 5 P.M.)

Mail bids & design to: CTGR Veterans SEB/Shannon Simi 9615 Grand Ronde Road Grand Ronde, OR 97347

Questions: call Shannon Simi @ 503-879-1358 or Shannon.simi@grandronde.org

Ad by Samuel Briggs III

## **Attention All Artisans**

The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde is seeking bids for our 2022-23 crowns and medallions.

Submit full design that includes:

- The Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde logo (including feathers)
- Court Year 2022-23
- Titles: Little Miss Grand Ronde Junior Miss Grand Ronde Senior Miss Grand Ronde
- Crowns and medallions must be completed and delivered by July 29, 2022

Must submit photos of progress when requested

Bid deadline is March 15, 2022 (deadline is firm and no bids will be accepted after 5 p.m.)

Mail bids and designs to: CTGR Royalty c/o Tribal Council 9615 Grand Ronde Road Grand Ronde, OR 97347

Questions: Call Chelsea at 503-879-1418 or email chelsea.clark@grandronde.org

\*Bids and designs can be sent to the above email address.

