



Natural Resources Guide

Did you know?....

NRD Managed Lands Access Policy Publication

- Natural Resources Department Managed Lands Access Policy publication for Tribal membership.
- Identifies Tribal lands managed by NRD and maps.
- Identifies access information such as levels, categories, management, requests/permits and activities.
- Available upon request at 503-879-2424 or by email at nrd@grandronde.org.



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To borrow a hotspot library cardholders must be 18 years or older and have their library account in good standing. Parents/guardians are responsible for the use of the hotspot by minors.

For additional terms and agreements please contact the library. Kathy.Cole@grandronde.org 503-879-1488

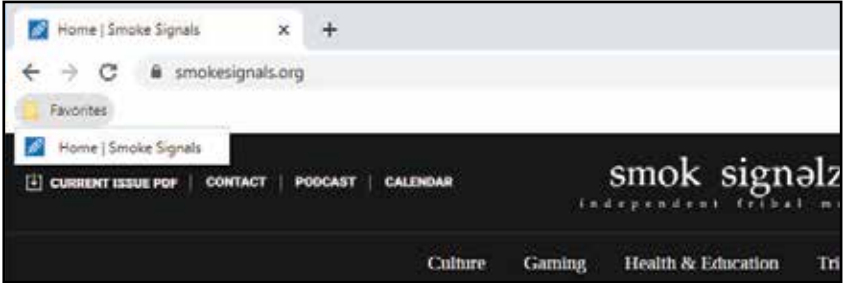
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When Grand Ronde Tribal news breaks... *We Post It!*



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IPKA Fellowship applicants sought

The Grand Ronde Tribe’s Cultural Resources Department is seeking applications for the 2024 Indigenous Place Keeping Artist Fellowship.

In 2024, one fellow will be selected to receive \$20,000 to advance their artistic work. Applications are due by 5 p.m. Friday, Jan. 19, 2024.

The application is two pages and includes answering three questions, providing a detailed resume and artist portfolio with at least five examples of work. Applicants are asked to do the following:

- Read the application packet;
- Fill out a two-page application;
- Answer three preliminary questions in a Word or PDF file, with no more than 150 words per response to each question.

Contact Cultural Resources Manager David Harrelson at cultural.resources@grandronde.org or 503-879-1630 for an application. ■

Child Development Center construction begins

Starting Tuesday, Dec. 26, through Dec. 31, 2024, construction will be occurring for the new Child Development Center. During this time, there will be construction traffic using the loop road around the old powwow grounds across the street from the Governance Center.

The road surrounding the old powwow grounds will have restricted access to allow the contractor adequate space to access the site, as well as store materials and equipment.

“Given the proximity of the construction site to the loop around the old powwow grounds, I am requesting all employees and community members do not use that road during construction,” Tribal Engineering and Planning Manager Ryan Webb said in an email. “In addition, from Tuesday, Dec. 26, through Tuesday, Jan. 9, the access road down to the cultural site and rodeo grounds will be closed so the contractor can upgrade that road as part of this project.”

For more information, contact Webb at 503-879-2404 or Ryan.Webb@grandronde.org. ■

We want to hear from you!

The Grand Ronde Health & Wellness Center Comment Box is located at the entrance of the Health & Wellness Center, next to the drinking fountain. Share your experience, good or bad with us. ■



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