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Kathleen brings decades of tribal service and a vision for a thriving future. As a proud member of our tribal community she understands the values that unite us and the challenges that face us.

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LAE Volunteer Opportunity

Champoeg Volunteer Days

Help restore habitat for First Foods at Champoeg State Heritage Area

Saturdays monthly (see below)
9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
Champoeg State Heritage Area

You are invited to join the Institute for Applied Ecology and the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde to help restore prairie habitat—at a **First Foods Harvest Area** in Champoeg State Heritage Area. All are welcome! Join us to remove invasive weeds like tansy ragwort, while contributing to the recovery of the land. Thanks to the Marion Soil and Water Conservation District for funding this project.

Dates: Saturdays on May 10, June 14, July 12, Aug. 16
Times: 9am - 1pm
Where: Champoeg State Heritage Area, Oregon
What: Planting native plants in a First Foods harvest area
RSVP: Contact Evan at evanlasley@appliedeco.org

A restroom is available on site, and limited carpooling from Corvallis is available. Learn more at appliedeco.org/calendar.

What are "First Foods"?

First Foods were eaten by indigenous groups before the arrival of Europeans, and continue to be harvested, grown, and collected today. Native Americans have a long history of food gathering at Champoeg State Heritage Area. The word "Champoeg" comes from an indigenous word that names it as "the place of the yampa," an edible root that was harvested there. As part of the Plants for People project, yampa has been reintroduced to this site, as well as many other First Foods such as camas, brodiaea, ookow, yarrow, and many others.

Learn more about our work to conserve native species and habits in the Willamette Valley at www.appliedeco.org.

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Cultural Resources Department art program seeking 2-D Tribal work

The Tribal Cultural Resources Department’s art program is seeking to purchase 2-D artworks, to be added into the Cultural Resources Department Portable Works Public Art Collection.

The goal for the art purchase is to ensure that art will be present in public buildings and that it reflects the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde community. This new collection of movable public art will be a rotating collection, to be displayed within conference rooms, hallways, elevator lobbies, common spaces and more.

Last year’s art, featuring 28 pieces from 16 Grand Ronde artists, was installed in July within the Governance Center and the Tribal gym lobby.

To learn how to share work for purchase, visit <https://weblink.grandronde.org/Forms/CTGRPortableArt>

The call for artists will close at 11:59 p.m. Monday, Aug. 25.

Purchases will take place in October. Artists who are enrolled members of the Confederated Tribes of Grand Ronde are eligible for this opportunity.

The types of original artwork that qualify for this opportunity are works on paper, paintings, photographs, drawings, textiles, collage, Bas relief, mosaic, glass, ceramic, metal, prints, weaving and other original media intended to be hung on a wall with a 4-inch depth maximum.

Artworks with electrical components are not eligible for purchase at this time. Artwork that fits the dimensions of 30 inches wide, 40 inches high and 4 inches deep or smaller will be prioritized; however, larger works will be considered.

Artworks valued between \$200-\$2,500 will be purchased.

A selection panel of artists, Grand Ronde community members and Grand Ronde employees will select the work to be purchased.

For more information, contact Tribal Arts Administrator Mack McFarland at Mack.McFarland@grandronde.org. ■

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