

Sea~Ha Runner

A fun and informative Newsletter
for the Residents of the Kilkich Community



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GARAGE SALE



August 7 and August 8
beginning at 9:00 a.m.

Rent Check Pick Up

- * For elders and persons with disabilities
- * A CIHA employee will stop by your home to pick up your payment
- * Contact CIHA at

KRA Annual Community-Wide Garage Sale August 7th and 8th

The KRA community-wide garage sale will be held Friday, August 7th and Saturday, August 8th. The garage sale will be held in conjunction with the annual Charleston Seafood Festival in hopes of drawing bargain hunters onto Tribal Lands.

All Kilkich residents are encouraged to host their own yard sale during the garage sale weekend. This is an excellent opportunity to sell items you no longer need or want.

Expect heavy vehicle and foot traffic during the two-day sale.

The event will be advertised in the local newspapers and media; a large banner will be hung at the entrance to Tribal Lands announcing the two-day event.

The garage sale will begin at 9:00 a.m. each day, rain or shine. Expect early morning bargain hunters.

The Kilkich Residents Association (KRA) will hold a drawing again this year for all homes actively participating in the garage sale. Each day of the garage sale, a KRA member will visit each residence actively participating in the sale.

Each residence will receive a raffle ticket - **one ticket, per day, per address**. If multiple families are holding their sale at the same address, **only the resident at the garage sale address will receive a raffle ticket.**

Four winning tickets will be drawn on Monday, August 10th; each winner will receive a \$25 prepaid VISA gift card.

Please contact KRA Chair Rocky Doyle at 541-888-4910 or KRA Treasurer Carol Arzt at 541-662-1331 if you have any questions.

9th Annual Bicycle Safety Rodeo on Saturday, August 8th

The Police Departments of the Coquille Indian Tribe and the Confederated Tribes of the Coos, Lower Umpqua, and Siuslaw Indians present the 9th Annual Bicycle Safety Rodeo.

- ♦ Saturday, August 8th
- ♦ 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

♦ CIT Health Center and Community Center



Bring your bicycle or non gas-powered scooter and a helmet. Activities will include safety courses, helmet fittings, safety overview, an off-road bicycle ride,

bicycle registration, and **PRIZE DRAWINGS!**

A sack lunch will be provided to all participants. For more information, contact Officer Merritt at 541-888-0189 or the CIT Community Center at 541-888-9494.

Join us for fun, food, prizes, and a bike ride!

South Coast Hospice will Pick Up Donations on Monday, August 10th Please Place Your Donation Items in a Box or Bag (except large items)

Drum and Dance Practice

Wednesdays,
6:00 p.m.
at the Tribal
Community
Plankhouse.
For more
information,
contact Lyman
Meade,
541-297-5582.

If you have clean, gently-used items that you would like to donate to the South Coast Hospice Thrift Store, please place the items at the end of your driveway the morning of Monday, August 10th. The donation truck will be on Tribal Lands sometime between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. to collect any sellable items.

The truck will NOT pick up any items that cannot be sold in their store, for example, broken, dirty, or damaged items.

All donations that are NOT picked up remain the responsibility and property of



nating party.

The Thrift Store accepts clothing, jewelry, household items, furniture, books, stuffed animals, toys and games, medical and exercise equipment, working appliances, and much more.

Please contact the South Coast Hospice Thrift Store



Please obey the speed limit and be cautious when driving through the community. Kids are at play, riding their bikes, and may not be paying attention to their surroundings. Please drive safely and slowly.



Kilkich Residents Association Meeting

The next KRA meeting will be held on Monday, August 10th at the CIHA office. The meeting begins at 5:30 p.m. All Kilkich community members are welcome and encouraged to attend. Contact KRA Board Chair Rocky Doyle at 541-404-4910 with questions.



Community dumpsters will be arriving on Tribal Lands on Friday, August 28th. The dumpsters are for the **EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE KILKICH RESIDENTS ONLY.**

Items NOT allowed in the dumpsters include, but are not limited to, anti-freeze, appliances, batteries, digital devices, electronics, glass, motor oil, paint, solvents, tires, and any other

questionable items. IF you are unsure if an item can be discarded in the dumpster, please contact CIHA at 541-888-6501.

Please recycle all recyclable material (plastics, newspa-

pers, magazines, tin cans, etc.). A community recycling bin is located next to the Tribal Police Department at 2602 Mexeye Loop.

Recycle your computers, monitors, TVs, printers, keyboards, and mice at an Oregon E-Cycles location. **Oregon E-Cycles is a FREE, easy, and environmentally responsible recycling program.** Local collection sites include: Goodwill, 3698 Broadway Ave., North Bend, 541-269-9150; West Coast Recycling, 1210 S. Broadway, Coos Bay, 541-756-5868; and Beaver Hill Disposal Site, 55722 Hwy. 101, Coos Bay, 541-396-7620.

Spring Cleaning in Late Summer

Dumpsters Arriving on Friday, August 28th
Dumpsters Leaving on Tuesday, Sept. 8th

Bay Area Enterprises (B.A.E.), 680 F Street in Eastside, behind the Coach House Restaurant, 541-269-9306, also accepts electronic items.

The Women's Safety and Resource Center located at 1681 Newmark Ave., Coos Bay, 541-982-4712, accepts cell phones *that can be charged in order to dial 911*. These phone are used for emergencies only. Your donation is tax deductible.

Be sure to delete all personal information off of devices before recycling. Detailed instruction is available at: <http://www.consumer.ftc.gov/articles/0200-disposing-your-mobile-device>

Archaeology, Anthropology, and Native American History Books , Resources, and Information are Available at the CIT Library

The CIT Library is open from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Telephone number is 541-756-0904.

The CIT Library contains an extensive amount of information on the Coquille Indian Tribe and other Tribes of southwest Oregon. The Library also has a public computer for the use of Tribal members and Kilkich residents.

Does archaeology, anthropology, or Native American history interest you? If so, stop by the CIT Library and check out some of Dr. Mark Tveskov's interesting works, as well as other historical resources and books by other authors.

If you haven't heard of Dr. Mark Tveskov, he is an archaeologist and professor of anthropology who has worked with the Coquille Tribe on archaeology projects for many years. His works include insight about historic sites in the southwest region where pioneers and military personnel first interacted with the area's first inhabitants, the ancestors of today's Coos and Coquille tribes. Dr. Mark Tveskov has provided detailed accounts of specific incidents that occurred in the 19th century based on excavations conducted at known sites, including the wreck of the Captain Lincoln and battles that took place during the Rogue River Wars and at the former Table Rock Reservation.

In his thesis, *The Coos and Coquille: A Northwest Coast Historical Anthropology*, Dr. Mark Tveskov takes a detailed look at both tribes and

explains how they lived before contact with pioneers and the interactions that occurred with colonialists in the mid-19th century. The library has multiple copies of this book.

You may access additional historical information at Southern Oregon University's Library collection of digital materials. These materials are available to view and download free of charge, at the **Southern Oregon Digital Archives (SODA)** <http://soda.sou.edu>.

SODA contains a First Nations section which includes documents, books, and articles related to the indigenous people of southwest Oregon including the Coquille, Coos, Hupa, Karuk, Klamath, Modoc, Takelma, Shasta, Siuslaw, Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians, Yahooskin, and Yurok tribes.

The school's Laboratory of Anthropology has a couple of its publications available online at www.sou.edu/anthropology/anthlinks.html.

Written by Terence O'Donnell, *An Arrow in the Earth*, is a biography of General Joel Palmer, an Oregon superintendent of Indian Affairs who

negotiated treaties with multiple tribes in the mid-19th century. At a time when many who had settled in the southwest thought extermination of the Indians was the best solution, Palmer's negotiations likely saved the lives of many First People. Palmer negotiated treaties throughout Oregon, including one that created the Table Rock Reservation that is close to Medford, Oregon. Palmer was also the U.S. Representative for the two treaties that permanently impacted the Lower and Upper Coquille villages who are the ancestors of today's Coquille Indian Tribe.

A collection of essays, edited by Stephen Dow Beckham, *Oregon Indians: Voices From Two Centuries*, account for almost 200 years of history between Oregon tribes and settlers and includes an essay on the Rogue River wars. Other essays include, *Imprisonment at Alcatraz: Chief John of the Rogue Rivers*, and *The Takelmans' Trail of Tears*. These are just two of many detailed historical accounts included in this collection.

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Did you
lose a set
of keys?
Call CIHA to
identify and
claim.



**58th Annual
Kiwanis Salmon Barbecue**

Sunday, August 2, 10am - 3pm
Bastendorf Beach Park
Salmon Dinner - Adults \$15
Children 10 and under \$7
Call 541-217-5678 for information

2015 National Night Out

Tuesday, August 4, 5pm - 8pm
Ferry Road Park in North Bend
FREE Food, Fun, Music, and Games
Call 541-756-8500 for information

**26th Annual
Charleston Seafood Festival**

Saturday, August 8, 10am - 6pm
Sunday, August 9, 10am - 6pm
Boat Basin in Charleston
Call 541-888-2311 for information

**2015 Music On The Bay
FREE Music Concerts Every Tues-
day**

Beginning Tuesday, August 18 through
Tuesday, September 15, 7pm - 9pm
In Mingus Park
<http://musiconthebayoregon.com>

**33rd Annual
Blackberry Arts Festival**

Saturday, August 22, 9am - 6pm
Sunday, August 23, 10am - 4pm
Downtown Coos Bay
Call 541-266-9706 for information

**12th Annual
Mill-Luck Salmon Celebration**

Saturday, September 12, 10am - 6pm
Sunday, September 13, 10am - 6pm
The Mill Casino · Hotel
Call 541-756-8800 for information

Practice Safe Habits While Walking and Texting

While the following tips may seem like common sense, findings from a study conducted by the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission show that in 2011, a total of 1,152 people *of all ages* were treated in hospital emergency rooms in the U.S. for injuries sustained while walking and using a cell phone or other electronic device. And according to statistics posted on www.safekids.org, **61 children are hit by cars every day in the United States.**

As children prepare for the new school year, they need to learn and practice basic safety tips



while walking to and from school and other activities, and around school buses and other traffic.

- ◆ Do not walk, talk, and text
- ◆ If you have to talk or text, move out of the way of others, move to the side of the walkway, or find a place to sit and text
- ◆ Do not cross or walk in the street while using an electronic device
- ◆ Do not walk with headphones in your ears
- ◆ Be constantly aware of your current surroundings



Excerpted from
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SCAM ALERT - Protect Your Personal Infor-



Crooks use clever schemes to defraud millions of people every year out of their personal information and money. New technology, age-old tricks, smooth-talking deceivers, and persuasive pressure are used in these convincing, and



seemingly legitimate, scams. The tools used to defraud people encourage victims to make key and important decisions on the spot. And in today's digital world, technology has provided an even larger platform for the criminals to work from.

Awareness and diligence is paramount in protecting yourself from identity theft and scams. It is critical that you ALWAYS verify the person/company requesting personal information or money and NEVER give out ANY personal information or money until you have thoroughly verified the requesting party. Personal information includes, bank account numbers, debit and credit card numbers, your PIN, Social Security numbers, etc. Legitimate institutions will not request personal information over the telephone or the internet. Do NOT wire money, and do NOT trust caller ID. Scammers can spoof their numbers to look like they are calling from a legitimate location, even using your own telephone number to call you! The FTC has a list of current scams, <https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/scam-alerts> and a very helpful and informative website with detailed information.