

Coquille  
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# Sea-Ha Runner

A fun and informative Newsletter

for the Residents of the Kilkich community



Happy 4th of July

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## Earthquake-Tsunami Evacuation Drill

On the afternoon of Thursday, May 23, 2013 at 2:00 p.m., Kilkich residents in conjunction with the Community Center staff and children, the Health Center staff and patients, and the Housing office staff participated in a scheduled Earthquake-Tsunami Evacuation Drill.



Jack Lenox initiated the drill with an audible radio announcement that could be heard throughout

the Kilkich community. Individuals and groups made their way to the Plankhouse gathering area. Once inside the Plankhouse, drill participants enjoyed refreshments and were offered disaster planning and emergency preparedness handouts. Drew Adams conducted a disaster preparedness and emergency readiness presentation.

While only a few Kilkich residents participated in the evacuation drill, the drill itself was a success. Everyone arrived at the

gathering place within 15 minutes from the time the earthquake-tsunami drill was announced; this included one patient in a wheelchair.



If you have not already packed a "go kit" and put together an emergency preparedness plan for you and your family, don't delay. It is not a question of "if" the south coast will experience an earthquake, it is a question of "when".

**PREPARE · PLAN · STAY INFORMED**

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Alison Wasson Photography

## KRA Annual Community-Wide Garage Sale Friday, August 16<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, August 17<sup>th</sup>

The annual KRA community-wide garage sale will be held Friday, August 16<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, August 17<sup>th</sup>. The garage sale will be advertised in the local newspapers and on the local radio stations so there may be a significant amount of traffic on Tribal Lands during those two days. A large banner will be



hung at the entrance to Tribal Lands announcing the two-day event. The annual KRA garage sale is a great time to get rid of items you no longer need or want and to make a little extra money. If you have any questions, please contact KRA Chair Rocky Doyle at 541-888-4910.



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# And The Winners of the 2013 CIHA Landscaping Contest Are



## 1<sup>st</sup> Place Winners (Winners received a \$100 gift card)

Homeowner Front Yard: Toni Ann and Orlin Brend, 2681 Mexeye Loop  
Homeowner Back Yard: Sharon and Ron Parrish, 2635 Mexeye Loop  
Renter Front Yard: Alison Wasson, 2609 Mexeye Loop  
Renter Back Yard: Rhonda Parrish, 2607 Mexeye Loop



## 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Winners (Winners received a \$75 gift card)

Homeowner Front Yard: Janet and Carl Simpson, 2644 Mexeye Loop  
Homeowner Back Yard: Dustin and Dasha Beauvais, 2658 Mexeye Loop  
Renter Front Yard: George and Dolly Daggett, 2659 Mexeye Loop  
Renter Back Yard: Crystal and Ben Pallas, 2616 Mexeye Loop



## 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Winners (Winners received a \$50 gift card)

Homeowner Front Yard: Ken Shea, 711 Jistajaya Court  
Homeowner Back Yard: Terry Doyle, 2667 Mexeye Loop  
Renter Front Yard: Della Wilson and Gary Tate, 705 Jistajaya Court  
Renter Back Yard: Lisa Sandberg, 510 Miluk Drive

## Honorable Mention Winners



Bill and Sarah Beaudry, 702 Jistajaya Court  
Sheldon and Cathy Chase, 2662 Mexeye Loop  
Phyllis Garrett, 2675 Mexeye Loop  
Duke and Danielle Summers, 2634 Mexeye Loop



## Coos County Master Gardener 2013 Judges

Donna Rabin  
Steve Richardson  
Sarah Van Horn

The Master Gardener Judges LOVED the yards again this year. As in the past, it was difficult to choose the winners. As they visited the yards on Monday, June 24<sup>th</sup>, they encountered a wide variety of gardening techniques, distinctive designs, charming creativity, and gardens with endless possibilities.

Congratulations to all of the winners, and THANK YOU to everyone for your efforts in making and keeping the Killkich community a beautiful place to live.

The grass growing and lawn mowing season is upon us. Please give Kyle Simpson, CIHA Maintenance Technician, a call if you need to borrow a lawn mower, a weed eater, a wheel barrow, a rake, or a shovel. Kyle can be reached at 541-217-0555 during normal office hours. Per your housing agreement, yards are to be kept clean and manicured at all times.



## COMMUNITY COMPLAINTS - DOGS AT LARGE and CATS IN YARDS

CIHA has received numerous complaints regarding dogs running loose and stray cats wandering into yards. Dogs are to be on a lease AT ALL TIMES unless in a fenced area. ALL pets and companion animals are to be registered with the CIHA office. Cats without identification tags will be trapped; animal control will be contacted to deal with unidentified stray dogs.

# FREE Web Technology Classes Online



**Classes are free and available to everyone without registration.**

This month, the CIT Library article will cover Technology Boot Camp, an online resource providing beginner lessons on using social media Internet services. If you are interested in learning more about Internet based technologies such as Facebook, Twitter, and blogging in general, then Technology Boot Camp just might be the perfect resource for you.

You can learn how to promote your business; create a blog to share your journal, creative writing, or political opinions (as examples); keep in touch with family members; promote your

arts & crafts; or anything else you want to do. So, if you are new to web technologies, or if you feel like you would like to learn more in an easy to use format, then Technology Boot Camp is for you.

Technology Boot Camp is a self-guided, online series covering various technologies related to the Internet and Social Media. The "camp" consists of six online classes. Each class is focused on a different type of web technology.

The class introduces the technology; explains what it is, how it works; and why you might use it. The technologies covered include blogging, cloud computing, social networking, and photo sharing. The classes provide web links to other online material and exercises you can use to practice and explore using the web technology.

The six weekly courses offered at [www.lfpl.org/techbootcamp](http://www.lfpl.org/techbootcamp) can

be viewed at any time. You can learn more about the courses that interest you and skip the courses you don't care about. Study at your own pace.

Initially, one web technology class was produced a week. Now, all six lessons are available on the web page for viewing at any time. Choose the technologies you want to learn about.

To use this program, you do need a computer with access to the Internet and the capability to play audio and video. Don't forget that the Coquille Indian Tribe Library has a computer with Internet access you can use to take these classes.

Technology Boot Camp is made available by the Louisville Free Public Library, an online information resource maintained by the public library system of Louisville, Kentucky. The site is located at [www.lfpl.org/techbootcamp](http://www.lfpl.org/techbootcamp).

## Dumpsters To Arrive On Tribal Lands In Late August



Arrive: August 30<sup>th</sup>  
Depart: September 9<sup>th</sup>  
Dumpsters are provided for the EXCLUSIVE USE OF THE KILKICH COMMUNITY.

## KRA Board Meeting Monday, July 8 at 5:30 p.m.

The Kilkich Residents Association meets the second Monday of every month. All Kilkich residents are welcome and encouraged to attend this one-hour meeting.

## Farmer's Market Downtown Coos Bay Every Wednesday

Every Wednesday from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. you can find fresh produce, homemade jams and jellies, arts and crafts, and many other items at the Coos Bay Farmer's Market.

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## Rent Check Pickup

If you are an elder or a person with a disability and it is difficult for you to come to the CIHA

office to make your housing payment, please call the CIHA office at 541-888-6501 and a staff person will stop by and pick up your payment.

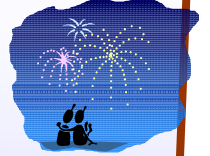


# Fireworks at The Mill Casino

## Musical Fireworks Spectacular



Wednesday, July 3  
10:00 p.m. on the Dock



4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. · Saw Blade Buffet, \$17

6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. · Outdoor Grill and Beer Garden

7:00 p.m. - Midnight · FREE Shuttle to/from Pony Village Mall

9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. · Live Band at Warehouse 101

9:00 p.m. - VIP Seating Opens (Reserved/Ticketed Guests Only)

Dusk (10:00 p.m.) - Fireworks Simulcast on K-DOCK 92.9

FREE 3-D GLASSES



If you have any questions, please contact  
The Mill Casino · Hotel at 541-756-8800.



May we think of freedom,  
not as the right to do as we please,  
but as the opportunity  
to do what is right.  
~ Peter Marshall



## Tribal Lands Fireworks Ordinance

Please remember as you celebrate this 4<sup>th</sup> of July, that while fireworks are fun and exciting, they can be a fire and safety hazard if not handled properly.

CIT Tribal Ordinance 650.620 states that a person commits a fireworks violation if the person sells or uses fireworks within the lands of the Tribe, except as hereby provided:

1. Only those fireworks allowed by the State of Oregon are approved for use on Tribal Lands.
2. Fireworks may only be ignited during the 48 hours before the official holiday and for 24 hours after.
3. Official holidays during which fireworks may be ignited are the 4<sup>th</sup> of July

and New Years Day.

4. Any person under the age of eighteen must have the immediate supervision of an adult.
5. Improper or unsafe use will result in the confiscation of all fireworks in the possession of the person by Tribal Police.
6. Tribal officials may make subsequent restrictions on the use of fireworks based on public safety, weather conditions, and fire concerns.
7. In addition, and not in lieu of any other penalty allowed by law, a \$50 assessment shall be paid to the Coquille Indian Housing Authority by any person found in violation of this ordinance.

## 4th of July in Mingus Park Family Fun Day

Events begin at 9:00 a.m.  
and include:

- Fishing Ponds
  - Face Painting
  - FREE Swimming
  - Family Competitions
    - Clowns
  - Kid's Entertainment
    - Boy Scouts
    - Monkey Bridge
  - Photos from the Heart
    - Furry Friends
    - Therapy Dogs
    - Crafters and Goodie Bags
  - Food and much more!
  - Fireworks provided by the City of Coos Bay at dusk on the waterfront
- For more information, call the Coos Bay Fire Station at 541-269-1191 or log on to: [www.oregonsbayarea.org](http://www.oregonsbayarea.org)