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Coquille Indian Housing Authority

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

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*21st Annual Restoration Day Celebration
June 25th - 27th*

At the Community Plankhouse

Schedule of Events are listed on pages 2 - 3

Summer Solstice Celebration

Please join us to celebrate
Summer Solstice In
Traditional Dance on
Monday, June 21st
beginning at Dusk.

The Celebration will be
held at the
Coquille Indian Tribe's
Community Plankhouse.



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If you have any
questions, please
contact Brenda
Meade at
541-888-9494 or
1-800-344-8583,
ext. 20205

The Summer
Solstice Celebration
will also feature a
potluck. Please
bring a salad or
dessert to share.

Schedule of Restoration Celebration Day Events

Friday, June 25th



- 4:30 p.m. Opening of the Coquille Cultural Garden
- *The Garden is located across from the Tribal Health Center*
Welcome by CIHA Chair Toni Ann Brend
Blessing by Chief Ken Tanner
Interpretive Presentation by CIHA Projects Supervisor Lyman Meade
- 5:00 p.m. Lighting the Fires
- *Please join us at the Community Plankhouse Fire Pit*
- 6:00 p.m. Potluck
- *Hosted by the Coquille Indian Tribe's Cultural Committee*
Please join us and bring a salad or dessert
Videos will be showing in the Plankhouse throughout the evening



Saturday, June 26th



- 10:00 a.m. Our Celebration
- *Please join us at the Community Plankhouse*
The Celebration will begin with refreshments, kid's activities, Native crafts, vendors, and information booths
- 10:30 a.m. Welcome by Chairman Ed Metcalf
Blessing by Chief Ken Tanner
Traditional Feather Dancers
- *Feather Dancers will dance in the Plankhouse*
Honoring Our People
- *Chairman Ed Metcalf and Chief Ken Tanner*
- 12:00 p.m. Traditional Salmon Dinner
- 2:00 p.m. General Council Meeting
- *To be held in the Community Plankhouse following lunch*



Sunday, June 27th

8:30 a.m. Poker Walk

**Gift
Card
Raffle**

- *Register in front of the Tribal Health Center*

The Poker Walk is a fun way to learn about protecting yourself from cancer. Prizes will be awarded at the end of the fun one-mile walk for the best poker hand. All participants will receive a goody bag!

10:00 a.m. Please Join Us for a Day of Learning and Sharing

Until

- *Traditional Flint Knapping with Don Day*

4:00 p.m.

- *Traditional Basket Weaving includes materials and uses with Margaret Mathewson supported by Tribal Member Denni Hockema*

**Enjoy
Learning
and
Sharing
Native
Crafts**

- *Rope Splicing with Tribal Elder George DeOs*

- *Traditional Clothing demonstrating the construction of a maple bark skirt with Vi Wasmundt supported by Tribal Member Julie Chouquette*

- *Traditional Language booth will be set up for Tribal Members to explore the Miluk Language*

- *Tulle Reed demonstrations and projects with Doug Barrett*

- *Jewelry Making Station with Tribal Member Sarah Meade*

Videos will also be playing throughout the day in the Plankhouse

Also being served will be a

Traditional Gourmet Seafood Feast:

**Unique
Traditional
Native
Gourmet
Seafood
Feast**

• Smoked Salmon Collars

• Smelt

• Perch

• Mussels

• Clams

• Fish Heads



• Camas Bulbs

• Hazelnuts

• Fish Roe

• Cranberries

• Greens

• Native Huckleberry Crisp



The Kilkich Residents Association will be having a Silent Auction Fundraiser and a 50-50 Drawing during the 21st Annual Restoration Celebration on Saturday, June 26th. If you have any items that you would like to donate to the Silent Auction, please contact Janet Simpson at 541-888-4831 or Phyllis Garrett at 541-888-4642.



2010 CIHA Landscaping Contest

Homeowner Front Yard

1st, 2nd, and 3rd prize

Homeowner Back Yard

1st, 2nd, and 3rd prize

Renter Front Yard

1st, 2nd, and 3rd prize

Renter Back Yard

1st, 2nd, and 3rd prize

1st Prize = \$100 Gift Card

2nd Prize = \$75 Gift Card

3rd Prize = \$50 Gift Card

Just a reminder that there are still a few weeks left to prepare for the Landscaping Contest; it is not too late to participate! The Judges are scheduled to be on Tribal Lands the week of June 21st.



All Kilkich residents are welcome and encouraged to participate. Entering is easy; you don't have to do anything except a little gardening. The Master Gardener Judges will quietly visit your home, take a peek at your front yard and your back yard, take some notes, compare information, and tally up their findings.

The lucky winners will be notified in person by a CIHA staff member. Pictures of the winners and their yards will be on display Saturday, June 26th at the Restoration Celebration and published in the July edition of the Sea~Ha Runner.

Please notify the CIHA office if you DO NOT wish to participate; CIHA will notify the Judges.

Homeowner and Renter yards are judged separately; front yards and back yards within each category are judged separately. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd prizes will be awarded. There is also an Honorable Mention category this year.

Please call the CIHA office if you DO NOT want your yard to be entered in the contest, 541-888-6501.

The Date Has Been Set ... KRA 4th of July Barbeque

At the May 10th KRA Meeting, the KRA Board voted to hold the **KRA Community Barbeque on Monday, July 5th from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. at the Kilkich Community Park and Playground.** KRA will be providing the

hamburgers and hotdogs; each guest is asked to please bring a dessert or a salad to share. It is suggested that everyone bring their own lawn chair to ensure enough seating.

Rocky Doyle is asking for

volunteers to help set up, tear down, and clean up for the event. If you would be willing to help out, please call Rocky at **541-888-4910** or come to the next KRA meeting scheduled for Monday,

June 14th. Dinner is served at 5:30 p.m.; the one-hour meeting begins at 6:00 p.m.



KRA Annual



August 20th & 21st

The Annual Kilkich Resident Association's Community Garage Sale will be held Friday, August, 20th and Saturday, August 21st this year. These dates were chosen to coincide with the Charleston Seafood Festival to hopefully attract Festival goers as they are driving by. This is a great time to get rid of items you don't want or use anymore and make a few extra dollars!

All residents are welcome to host their own yard sale or to donate their items to KRA. KRA appreciates your contributions!

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact Rocky Doyle at 541-888-4910.

Head Start Graduation

The Head Start class has been working hard all year and would like to announce that we will honor our children with a Graduation Ceremony on June 9th at 6:30 p.m.



**June 9th
6:30 p.m.**



The ceremony will be at the Coquille Indian Tribe Community Center. There will be a Volunteer of the Year Presentation as well.

Hope To See You There!



Thank You Tribal Police

The Afterschool Program participated in a variety of activities to recognize National Police Week. We had several discussions about the service and sacrifice police officers make everyday to keep us all

safe. We ended the week with a "Thank You" poster made especially for our Tribal Police. A special thanks to Officer Brian Dubray, who always has time to spend with us!

~ The Afterschool Kids

Youth Mentoring Trip ~ Wet & Wild



Calling all youth ages 10 - 18 for a Whitewater Excursion. The Youth Mentoring Trip will take place in July. Watch your mail for more details!

Community Center Fitness Room & Gym Hours

Monday through Thursday

8:00 - 9:00 Open Gym
9:30 - 11:00 Head Start
12:00 - 1:00 Open Gym
1:00 - 2:00 Head Start Rest Time
2:30 - 3:00 Wrap Around
3:00 - 5:00 Afterschool
5:00 - 6:00 Open Gym

Fridays

8:00 - 1:00 Open Gym
1:00 - 6:00 Open Gym - Bring A Friend

Gym and Fitness Room hours are subject to change due to Special Events.

If you have any questions, please contact Luke at 541-888-9494, ext. 20240.



Kilkich Summer Academy

July 19 - August 5



The 2010 Summer Academy is gearing up to be a fun-filled, 3-week adventure of hands-on activities, projects, field trips, and events. All children ages 5 through 18 are invited and encouraged to participate in the Kilkich Summer Academy. All children will have the opportunity to be involved in all of the planned activities exposing them to some level of a cultural experience.

All major activities and projects will take place in and around the Community Plankhouse and on Tribal Lands, with the exception of field trips.

Each day will begin with breakfast at 8:00 a.m. at the Tribal Community Center.

Mid-morning snacks will be provided.

Lunch will be served at the Tribal Community Center beginning at 12:00 p.m.

A sack lunch will be provided to children by the Tribal Community Center during field trips.



Daily Activity Schedule

July 19: Intro Activities

July 20: Robin Harkins, Geocaching

July 21: Field Trip, Euphoria Ridge

July 22: Follow up Field Trip, Review, Art, & Journal

July 26: Troy Anderson, Language & Identity

July 27: Continue with Troy, Prep for South Slough

July 28: Field Trip, South Slough

July 29: Process Basket Materials, Art, & Journal

Aug 2: Baskets

Aug 3: Drums/Stick Game

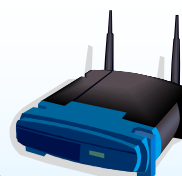
Aug 4: Field Trip, Sunset Bay with Canoes

Aug 5: Last Day, Finish Baskets, Art, & Journal

Parent/guardians must complete the "Extra Curricular Activities" packet before children can participate. These are available at the Tribal Community Center or the Tribal Administration Office. If you can't pick one up, the packet can be mailed to you. If you have any questions, please contact Linda Mecum or Ray Davis at 541-756-0904 or Laura Angulo at 541-888-9494.

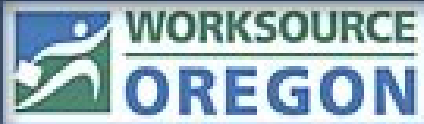
ORCA Kilkich Wireless Network

If you are a Kilkich resident using ORCA's Wireless Communications Network and have a wireless router in your home, please set your home wireless router to channel 6. Some people have had problems with their internet service because of router interference. Changing your router to channel 6 should help avoid future interference problems. **If you have any questions, please contact ORCA Communications at 541-267-7907; a technician will be happy to assist you.**





June Employment Opportunities



State of Oregon Job Listings Website:

www.employment.oregon.gov

You can search by job location, job listing or occupation. You may also sign up for iMatch Skills which matches your skills and experience to Oregon jobs.

Log on today!

The Mill Casino · Hotel currently has a variety of job openings posted on their website.



Log on to:

- www.themillcasino.com
- Click on *Employment*
- Click on *Open Positions*

The Application for Employment is available online.

For more information, call
541-756-8800

Oregon Coast Community Action
2110 Newmark Avenue
Coos Bay, OR 97420

Current Job Openings

Route Driver - On Call
VISTA Summer Associate

For a job application/more information, access ORCCA's website at:

www.orcca.us

Or call 541-888-7014

SAFEWAY 

Your Future Starts Now.

Both the North Bend and Coos Bay Safeway stores have openings for Food Clerks, Deli Clerks, and Courtesy Clerks.

Apply Today and Start Your Future!

(Wages vary: most entry level positions start at \$8.50 an hour.)



Link your future to the Safeway Team.

Apply now at our in-store hiring kiosk or safeway.com for an onsite interview.

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HOUSING AUTHORITY

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June 2010 Calendar

CIHA open until 6:00 p.m.	1-4
KRA Dinner Meeting at 5:30 p.m.	14
Father's Day	20
Summer Solstice Begins	21
CIHA Office Closed	21
CIHA Board Meeting at 4:00 p.m.	24
21 st Annual Restoration Celebration Day Activities	25-27
CIHA Office Closed - Tribal Restoration Day Holiday	28

"Safety Tips of the Month"

If you are going on vacation this summer:

- Notify a trusted neighbor to watch your home.
- Use a timer to turn on/off interior lights.
- Use a motion detector for outside lights.
- Lock all your windows.
- Store outside equipment in locked sheds, e.g. lawnmowers, barbeque grills, etc.

Set rules for teens who will be home alone when their parents are working.

- Do not allow anyone inside the home until a parent is home.
- Have emergency phone numbers available for the teen.

Always use a helmet when riding a bicycle.

- **Oregon law requires** anyone under the age of 16 to wear a helmet.

Always watch for unsafe drivers.

- Anyone witnessing unsafe driving is encouraged to call the police department; please note the time of day.
- You can remain anonymous when reporting. Give the description of the driver, the vehicle, and the vehicle plate identification number if possible.
- Unsafe driving includes driving on sidewalks or speeding.

Coquille Tribal Police
and
the National Crime Prevention Council

Have A Safe & Happy Summer

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 our office at 541-888-6501**. A staff member would be happy to stop by and pick up your payment for you.



*Feed on the
Blessings of Life*