

# Sea~Ha Runner



A fun and informative news-  
letter for the residents of the  
Kilkich Community!



## May Calendar

4/30: CIHA Office open  
until 6:00PM

5/1: CIHA Office open  
until 6:00PM

5/4: CIHA Office open  
until 6:00PM

5/5: CIHA Office open  
until 6:00PM

5/7: Community Dinner  
Meeting with SCINT at  
6:00PM

5/10: Happy Mother's  
Day!!

5/20: CIHA Board of  
Commissioners Meeting  
at 3:30PM

5/25: CIHA  
Office closed. Happy  
Memorial Day!



**DRUG-FREE  
ZONE**

# Community Dinner Meeting followed by a



# Drug Awareness Presentation by SCINT

## Sponsored by CIHA Thursday, May 7th at 6:00 P.M. At the Community Center on Tribal Lands



SSSSS  
Gift Card Raffles  
\$100 ~ \$50 ~ \$25



Pizza  
Sodas  
Dessert



Lots of Fun &  
Exciting Gifts  
for the Kids

## Coquille Indian Tribe 20th Year Restoration Day Celebration

June 27-28, 2009 Bandon, Oregon  
Schedule of events:

### Friday June 26, 2009

5:00p.m. Bullards Beach State Park Potluck to welcome the Nine Tribes of Oregon and Northwest Canoe Families. There will be story telling, Dancing, drumming, singing and getting to know our tribal neighbors.

### Saturday June 27, 2009

Events start at 8:30a.m. with a Traditional Salmon Ceremony at Bullards Beach State Park. All Tribal and Canoe Families are welcome.

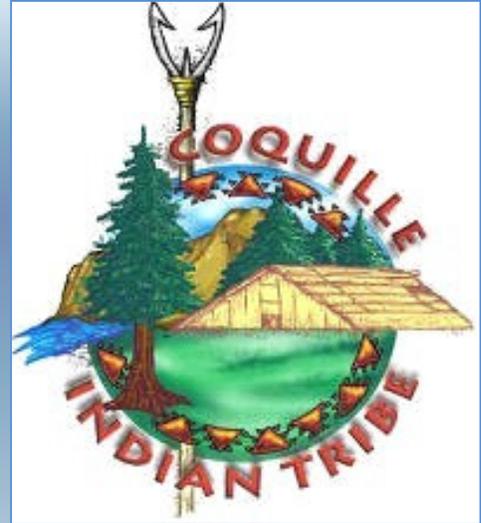
9:00a.m. Canoes begin short river journey to Bandon to commence the Restoration Celebration.  
9:30a.m. Western Oregon Tribes OR 150 Video showing at Bandon City Park Community Center.  
11:00a.m. - 4:00p.m. Salmon cooked and served with corn on the cob and Indian Fry Bread.  
12:00p.m. Canoe protocol at Old Town Bandon.  
1:30p.m. Speakers on various Native American Topics

**Lunch Tickets - \$10.50**  
**Food served at Bandon City Park**

### Sunday June 28, 2009

9:30a.m. Western Oregon Tribes OR 150 Video showing at Bandon City Park Community Center.  
11:00a.m. - 4:00p.m. Salmon cooked and served with corn on the cob and Indian Fry Bread.  
1:30p.m. Speakers on various Native American topics.

The weekend celebration will include various vendors and exhibits as well as cultural demonstrations that showcase flint-knapping, basketry and beading.



For more information contact Denise Hunter at (541) 756-0904 ext. 10225  
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## TOP 10 MOTHER'S DAY GIFT IDEAS

Don't know what to buy for Mother's Day? Here are ten Mother's Day gifts that she's sure to love.

### **Mother's Day Gift Idea #1: Flowers or Plants**

Get her a beautiful flower arrangement or plant as a symbolic gift of life. If you have a green thumb, you could plant new flowers or a rosebush for her in the garden for a really personal touch.

### **Mother's Day Gift Idea #2: Send a Food Gift Basket**

She has spent years feeding you, so maybe it's time for her to take a break and enjoy some ready-made goodies.

### **Mother's Day Gift Idea #3: Jewelry**

Consider getting her a simple and nice pendant or ring with a personal message inscribed on it.

### **Mother's Day Gift Idea #4: Sentimental Pictures and Photo Gifts**

Get her a personalized photo frame, album, poster, or calendar.

### **Mother's Day Gift Idea #5: Dinner or Brunch**

To keep costs low, you can opt for a simple brunch or cook up dinner yourself. If you can't be with your mom, consider sending a restaurant gift certificate.

### **Mother's Day Gift Idea #6: Spa Treatment**

If you know she would enjoy some spa time, send her a personalized package with a massage or facial that she'd pick out herself.

### **Mother's Day Gift Idea #7: Music**

Most moms loves music. If you know what tunes she hums around the house, you can surprise her with a personalized selection of CDs or MP3s with her favorite music.

### **Mother's Day Gift Idea #8: Events**

You can get event tickets to some local shows, plays, or events that mom would love. If there is nothing local, consider taking her on a road trip to the event.

### **Mother's Day Gift Idea #9: Books or Magazines**

You can target any one of her passions and hobbies with a great book or magazine subscription.

### **Mother's Day Gift Idea #10: Something Engraved**

Take something of sentimental value and if possible, get it engraved. If you don't have anything in mind, you could get a nice small container or a keychain and have it engraved with a personal message.

Whether it's your mom, mother-in-law, wife, or friend -- every mother deserves to be treated like a queen on Mother's Day. It doesn't have to be hard to send a thoughtful and affordable Mother's Day gift when you send one of these ten gifts. Show her the love with one of these gifts that she'll be happy to receive.



# COOS COUNTY RESIDENCES

**Hazardous Waste Collection Day 2009**  
**Saturday, May 30th 2009 8:00am - 4:00pm**

*NO TIRES,  
Radioactives,  
Explosives,  
Latex Paint, or  
Ammunition!  
Do not mix  
Products!*



*FREE digital  
thermometer  
when you  
recycle your  
old mercury  
thermometer!*



**FREE DROP OFF!!  
FOR COOS COUNTY RESIDENCES**

### What is Accepted?

Unusable or unwanted products with toxic ingredients, such as:

Cleaners, solvents, batteries, oil paint, thermometers, pesticides, herbicides, auto products, gasoline, fertilizer, varnishes, sharps containers, mercury, fluorescent lights, aerosol cans and motor oil.



**Households**



**No Appointment Needed**

Saturday, May 30th 2009 8:00am - 4:00pm

**K-Mart Parking Lot**

3111 Ocean Blvd.

For Event Information Call: 269-1181 Ext 267

Sponsored by DEQ & the City of Coos Bay



**Businesses**

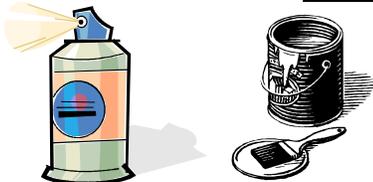


Friday drop off available.

Appointments are required.

Call the contractor at 1-800-819-5912

Fees may apply.



## THE HISTORY OF MEMORIAL DAY



**Memorial Day, originally called Decoration Day, is a day of remembrance for those who have died in our nation's service.**

There are many stories as to its actual beginnings, with over two dozen cities and towns laying claim to being the birthplace of Memorial Day. While Waterloo N.Y. was officially declared the birthplace of Memorial Day by President Lyndon Johnson in May 1966, it's difficult to prove conclusively the origins of the day. It is more

likely that it had many separate beginnings; each of those towns and every planned or spontaneous gathering of people to honor the war dead in the 1860's tapped into the general human need to honor our dead, each contributed honorably to the growing movement that culminated in General Logan giving his official proclamation in 1868. It is not important who was the very first, what is important is that Memorial Day was established. Memorial Day is about reconciliation; it is about coming together to honor those who gave their all. By the late 1800s, many communities across the country had begun to celebrate Memorial Day and, after World War I, observances also began to honor those who had died in all of America's wars. In 1971, Congress declared Memorial Day a national holiday to be celebrated the last Monday in May. (Veteran's Day, a day set aside to honor all veterans, living and dead, is celebrated each year on November 11.) Today, Memorial Day is celebrated at Arlington National Cemetery with a ceremony in which a small American flag is placed on each grave. Also, it is customary for the president or vice-president to give a speech honoring the contributions of the dead and lay a wreath at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. About 5,000 people attend the ceremony annually.

## WINDOW SAFETY TIPS

As things start to warm up and windows start getting opened, please remember the following safety items.

1. Make sure your windows are in good, working condition yearly. A loose window could fall and hurt a nearby child.
2. Keep your windows closed

- and locked when children are around. When opening windows for ventilation, open windows that a child cannot reach, or in the case of a double-hung window, open the top sash only.
3. Keep objects, including furniture, a child can climb on away from windows to prevent accidents.
4. Keep children's play away from windows or patio doors. Falling through the

glass can be fatal or cause serious injury.

5. Don't rely on insect screens to prevent a fall. Insect screens are designed to provide ventilation while keeping insects out; they are not designed to, nor will they prevent a child's fall from a window.



## Coquille Indian Housing Authority

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### RENT CHECK PICKUP

If you are an elder, a person with a disability, or it is difficult for you to get to the housing office to drop off your rent payment, please call our office at 888-6501 to schedule a rent pick-up. We will be happy to stop by and pick up your payment for you!

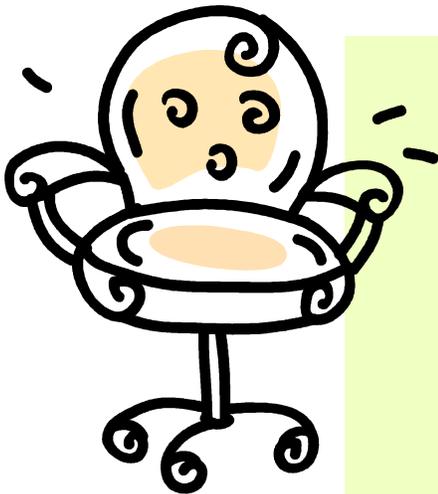
### KRA Meeting

Second Monday of the month at 6:00pm

The monthly Kilkich Residents Association Meeting is held the second Monday of the month at 6:00pm. Dinner is served before the meeting, beginning at 5:30pm. All Kilkich Residents are encouraged to attend. The one hour meeting focuses on ways to improve and beautify the community, as well as safety and concerns. Please attend and be an active member of YOUR community! The Community Dinner Meeting with SCINT on May 7th at 6:00PM is taking the place of the May KRA meeting. We hope to see you all there!



*"Better three hours too soon than a minute too late."  
~William Shakespeare*



### 1st Annual **CHAIR-ITY** Event

You are cordially invited to attend a benefit event for Neighbor 2 Neighbor Mediation Services. The event will be held **Saturday, May 2, 2009, 11:00AM to 4:00PM** at the Pony Village Mall. There will be a free live public Auction of

Chairs that have been decorated by local artists. The viewing of the chairs will be from 11:00AM to 1:00PM and the auction will run from 1:00PM to 3:30PM. There will also be a silent auction on various items including gift

baskets, original art, photography and more. In addition to the auctions there will be wine tasting from several area wineries for a \$10 suggested donation. For more information contact Marcia at 541-297-0669 or go to our website