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Community Garage Sale



- **KRA Garage Sale** will be held Friday, August 1 and Saturday, August 2
- Host your own garage sale for a chance to win a \$50 Visa Card
- Contact Rocky Doyle at 541-404-4910 or Cathy Chase at 541-888-4931 for more information



Charleston Sanitary District Rate Hike



The Coquille Indian Housing Authority received notice on June 30, 2014 that the Charleston Sanitary District sewer rates will increase from the current monthly rate of \$57 to a new monthly rate of \$68 beginning on August 1, 2014.

The Charleston Sanitary District states the rate increase is due to the repair and rehabilitation of Wastewater Treatment Plant #2, antiquated and deteriorating infrastructure, as well as the increasing costs for the treatment of sewage.

The existing infrastructure is a pollution problem, and the city is under DEQ order to upgrade the existing facilities. In other words, the sewer pipes are old and leaky, and the Wastewater Treatment Plant is antiquated.

The Charleston Sanitary District will continue to raise sewer rates on an annual basis in order to generate sufficient funds to pay for the District's share of the cost of ongoing repairs to the infrastructure, the Wastewater Treatment Plant, and the treatment of sewage.

As in the past, the sewer charge (CSD) will be billed to each household in the Kilkich community on the monthly billing statement. The new rate of \$68 will appear on your billing statement beginning August 1, 2014. If you have any questions regarding the CSD rate increase, contact:

Charleston Sanitary District

PO Box 5522

63365 Boat Basin Road

Charleston, OR 97420

(Phone) 541-888-3911

(Fax) 541-888-2540

The Salvation Army Will Pick Up Your Donations

If you have clean, gently-used items that you would like to donate to the Coos Bay Salvation Army Thrift Store, please place the items at the end of your driveway on Wednesday morning, August 6th.



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 NOT picked up remain the responsibility and property of the donating party.

Contact the Salvation Army at 541-269-9704 if you have any questions.





Paisley Ann Chambers

Paisley Ann Chambers weighed 5 pounds, 2 ounces and was 17 ¹/₂ inches long when she was born on June 30th at 4:55 p.m. to parents Jacquelyn and Shane Chambers. Paisley joins her big sister, Hallie, who is overjoyed to have a sweet baby sister to grow up with.

It's
a
Girl!



Congratulations

Drum and Dance Practice

ALL Tribal members and Kilkich community members are invited to drum and dance practice every Wednesday night at the CIT Plankhouse from 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.



Children age 13 and under MUST be accompanied by an adult.



For more information, contact Lyman Meade at 541-297-5582.

Time to Clean Out the Garage

Dumpsters Arrive August 22nd



Community dumpsters will be arriving on Tribal Lands on Friday, August 22nd. Dumpsters are provided for the **EXCLUSIVE USE of Kilkich Residents**

ONLY!!

Items NOT allowed in the dumpster include, but are not limited to, antifreeze, appliances, batteries, cell phones, electronics, glass, motor oil, paint, solvents, tires, and any other questionable items. If you are unsure if an item can be placed in the dumpster, please call CIHA at 541-888-6501.

Please recycle all recyclable material such as plastics, newspapers, magazines, tin cans, etc. A recycle bin is located next to the Tribal Police Department on Mexeye Loop.

Oregon E-Cycle locations in the area that accept computers, monitors, and TVs for recycling include West Coast Recycling, 541-269-9212 and Goodwill, 541-269-9150. This is a FREE service. Call for hours of operation.

Bay Area Enterprises (B.A.E.), 541-269-9306, located at 680 F Street in Eastside, behind the

DIET FREE™

Lose Weight and Master Your Health - For Life!

Learn about this life-changing, nine-week program offered by *America's Nutrition Leader*, Zonya Foco. Learn about her eight DIET FREE habits through lifestyle change.

The first class will be held on Thursday, July 31st at 12:00 p.m. in the Tribal Health Clinic conference room.

The Eight Habits That Will Change Your Life

To sign up for the classes, please call Gail Accinelli at 541-888-9494, ext. 20216.

You must be 18 years or older to sign up for the classes. The class is open to Kilkich residents, Coquille Tribal members, and Tribal employees.

The program is offered by the CIT Health Center.

Sign Up Today!

Coach House Restaurant, accepts electronic items such as cell phones, cameras, video recorders, answering machines, computer mice, computer keyboards, gaming consoles, iPods, iPads, and more for recycling. **Be sure to delete all personal information off of devices before recycling. Detailed instruction at: www.consumer.ftc.gov/articles/0200-disposing-your-mobile-device** B.A.E. hours of operation are 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.,

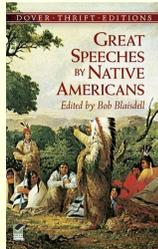


CIT Library - A New Location is Coming Soon *and* a Few New Titles

As some of you in the Tribe’s community know, the Tribe’s Library, along with other programs in the Culture, Education and Library Services Department, will be moving to a new building near the Community Center. A ground-breaking ceremony was held in mid-June. The department expects to be operating in the new office by the end of the year. Currently, the Education Center and Library are still located at 2611 Mexeye Loop.

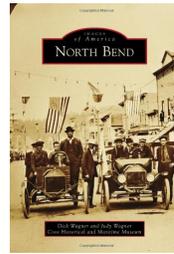
The CIT Library has many valuable resources available. Below are summaries of recently acquired books; some new, and some copies of popular existing titles.

Great Speeches by Native Americans: As the title strongly suggests, this book is a collection of speeches made by Native American



leaders. There are 82 speeches included in this collection spanning over 500 years of contact between indigenous Americans and various non-tribal groups. These speeches include refusal by Acuera, a leader of the Timucua of Florida, to meet with Spanish Conquistador Hernando De Soto in 1539, as well as a speech given by Russell Means to the United Nations Commission on Human Rights in 1977.

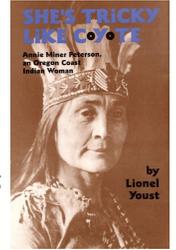
Images of America, North Bend: This book was written by Dick and Judy Wagner with contributions from the Coos Historical and Maritime Museum. It is one of a series of local history books, each book focusing on a different city or community in Coos County. Similar books in the CIT Library cover Coos Bay, Bandon, and Port Orford (yes, that city is not in Coos County). The books include historical photos and essays covering the city’s history beginning with the first pioneer settlements in North Bend and ending with information on the city today. While the focus is on the city itself, these books do not ignore the indigenous peoples of Coos County, including the Coos and Coquille and their contributions to the community from helping out the first settlers to contributing to the economy and overall culture of the community today.



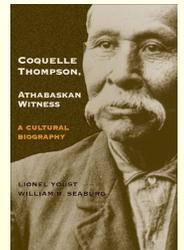
She’s Tricky Like Coyote: OK, this is not the first time I’ve talked about this Lionel Youst written biography of a famous Coos County woman.

Annie Miner Peterson was a Coos woman whose work with researchers, including John P. Harrington and Melville Jacobs, contributed greatly to the

information the Coquille Tribe has today about the Miluk and Hanis languages, stories, and other traditional practices of southwest Oregon tribes. The CIT Library has several copies of this book and other similar popular titles that we often recommend to patrons who want to learn about Coos and Coquille traditions.



The CIT Library also has multiple copies of another Youst biography, *Coquille Thompson, Athabaskan Witness*. Both are great resources of information on early, southwest Oregon history from the perspective of Coos and Coquille ancestors, both before and after contact with pioneers and settlers.



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The CIT Library’s hours of operation are:
Monday through Friday
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
The Library is closed from
12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.
every day for lunch.
Call 541-756-0904
for more information.

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Rent Check Pick Up

- Rent check pickup is available for elders and persons with disabilities
- A CIHA employee will stop by your home and pick up your rent check
- To schedule a rent check pick up, call the CIHA office, 541-888-6501

Interested in a Job in Banking? Apply Today!



Banner Bank in both Coos Bay and North Bend has job openings. You may apply online at:

www.bannerbank.com/AboutUs/EmploymentOpportunities/Pages/default.aspx

Farmer's Market in downtown Coos Bay on Central Avenue happens every Wednesday from 9:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m. Enjoy farm-fresh produce, jams and jellies, honey, nuts, breads and other bakery items, hand-made crafts, and much more!

Call 541-269-0169 for more information.



57th Annual Kiwanis Salmon BBQ

Sunday, August 3rd from 10:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Bastendorf Beach County Park  
Salmon Dinner - Adults \$15; Children 10 and under \$7
Call 541-756-1769 or 541-217-3397
for tickets and information



Tuesday, August 5th from 5:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Ferry Road Park in North Bend
Food, Fun, Music, and Games
Smoke Free Event 
Call NB Police Detective,
John Bohanan 541-756-3161
for more information

FREE Event

25th Annual Charleston Seafood Festival

Saturday, August 9th from 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Sunday, August 10th from 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
  Charleston Boat Basin  
Call 541-888-2311 for more information

32nd Annual Blackberry Arts Festival

Saturday, August 23rd from 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Sunday, August 24th from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
 Downtown Central Avenue, Coos Bay 
Call 541-269-5312 for more information

11th Annual Mill-Luck Salmon Celebration

Saturday, September 13th from 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Sunday, September 14th from 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
 South End of The Mill Casino · Hotel 
Call 541-756-8800, ext. 9 for more information

Lawn Mower? Weed Eater?



If you would like to borrow a lawn mower, rake, weed eater, or wheelbarrow, call Ken Myers during normal office hours at 541-297-3022. Yard equipment may be checked out for the day during the week or over the weekend if checked out on Friday.

