



Coquille Indian Housing Authority Sea~Ha Runner



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



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Housing Payment Pick Up



Housing payment pick up is available for elders and persons with a disability. Call CIHA to schedule a pick up at (541) 888-6501.

It is amazing what you can accomplish if you do not care who gets the credit.
~ Harry S. Truman

Les' Sanitation Guidelines for the Recycling Bin

The recycling dumpster located down past the duplexes is provided for Kilkich community members to use.

This is the **ONLY** recycling dumpster located on Tribal Lands that is designated for Kilkich community use.

Recycling dumpsters are located at each business on Tribal Lands. These dumpsters are NOT for community use nor are the refuse dumpsters.

Homebuyers and renters are required to maintain monthly garbage service with Les' sanitary.

The **ONLY** items allowed in the recycling bin are:

- Brown corrugated cardboard - flattened (no cereal boxes, milk cartons, etc.)
- Newspapers and magazines (clean)
- Metal cans (clean and rinsed); no lids
- White copy paper (no colored paper, junk mail, envelopes, etc.)
- Plastics #1 and #2 - bottleneck only (see list in next column). No lids, yogurt, salad containers, butter, cottage cheese, etc.

PLEASE RECYCLE

NO GARBAGE

ACCEPTABLE PLASTICS

- One gallon milk bottles
- One gallon water bottles
- Two gallon water dispensers
- Plastic fruit juice bottles
- Liquid laundry containers
- Fabric softener containers
- Bleach bottles
- Windshield solvent bottles
- One, two, or three liter soda bottles

CLEAN, RINSED PLASTIC CONTAINERS ONLY



PET PLASTICS



HDPE PLASTICS

If you have recycling questions, please contact Les' Sanitation at (541) 267-2848.

Glass may be recycled at the local transfer station for a small fee.
West Coast Recycling: (541) 269-9212 / Beaver Hill Disposal Site: (541) 396-7623.



Underground Power Lines in Kilkich to be Located

Starting Tuesday, March 29, 2022, through Friday, April 15, 2022, Monday through Friday from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M., a utility contractor from Advanced Underground Utility Locates will be working throughout the Kilkich community to mark the locations of underground power lines. The locates will be marked with temporary red marking paint. The contractor will need access to your electric meter and will knock on your door before entering fenced areas. If you have any questions, contact Lon Matheny, CIT Design and Construction Manager at (541) 808-8101. *Thank you for your cooperation!*

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Lawn Mower or Weedeater?

Spring rains, warm temperatures, and intermittent sunshine have given the grass and weeds the perfect environment to grow like crazy.

CIHA has lawn mowers and weed eaters available to borrow for up to 24 hours.

Reserve a day in advance by calling CIHA at (541) 888-6501.

Equipment is loaned on a first come, first served basis.



Buy Local! Support Your Local Farmers and Artisans.

Visit the Bay Area Farmers and Artisans Market at 999 N. Front Street in Coos Bay. The Market will be open every Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. through the month of April.

Beginning in May, the Market will relocate to Central Avenue in Coos Bay; open Wednesdays, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

The summer Farmers Market will be on Central Avenue through October.

Questions? Call (541) 404-6045.



Grab The Binoculars - It's Whale Watching Season



In late March, up to 20,000 migrating gray whales will start their northbound voyage back to Alaska. Peak season is March, but the whales can be seen well into the summer months up and down the Oregon coast. Don't miss the migration of these incredible, entertaining creatures!

It's estimated that 18,000-plus gray whales now live in the eastern north Pacific area. About 200 of these whales drop off the migration route and feed along the Oregon coast throughout the summer months.

Shore Acres has an 'Oregon Coast Whale Watching' brochure posted on their website along with an 'Oregon Coast Whale Watching' map. The map lists various parks along the Oregon coast: <https://shoreacres.net/>.

If you will be traveling to parks along the Oregon coast, you may want to check the individual park's current services.

Website: <https://stateparks.oregon.gov/index.cfm?>



Have You Registered Your Companion Animal with CIHA?



CIHA is receiving complaints regarding dogs running loose, people not picking up after their animals, and an influx of stray cats.

Animals that cannot be identified when captured may be transported to the Coos County Animal Shelter. Please register your animal with the CIHA office, so that your animal can be identified if lost.

In addition to a photo of your animal, your cat or dog must also be up-to-date on all vaccinations and be spayed or neutered. This is not optional; it is a requirement of keeping a companion animal on Tribal Lands. Proof of current vaccinations and documentation of spay or neuter must be on file with CIHA.

S/Nipped in Empire offers low cost spay and neuter services and low cost vaccinations.

Contact S/Nipped for additional information and current pricing at (541) 808-2377.

ARE YOU REGISTERED TO VOTE? Last day to register to vote or change party affiliation is Tuesday, April 26, 2022. Registration cards postmarked by this date or submitted online no later than 11:59 p.m. are valid. The Oregon primary election is Tuesday, May 17, 2022. The Oregon general election is on Tuesday, November 8, 2022.