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COQUILLE INDIAN HOUSING AUTHORITY



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HOUSING PAYMENT PICK UP AVAILABLE

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

KRA COMMUNITY - WIDE GARAGE SALE

**THE KILKICH RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION
COMMUNITY - WIDE GARAGE SALE WILL BE HELD
FRIDAY, AUGUST 11TH AND SATURDAY, AUGUST 12TH.
THE GARAGE SALE WILL BEGIN AT 9:00 A.M. BOTH DAYS - RAIN
OR SHINE; EXPECT EARLY MORNING BARGAIN HUNTERS.**

NEED A DISPLAY TABLE?

**DISPLAY TABLES ARE AVAILABLE ON A
FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVED BASIS.
CONTACT CIHA BY MONDAY, AUGUST 7TH
TO RESERVE A TABLE AT (541) 888-6501.**



PUBLIC SAFETY BULLETIN

MEET COQUILLE TRIBAL POLICE OFFICER WALLING

Although Officer Crystal Walling has only been with the Coquille Tribal Police Department since February of this year, she is no newcomer to law enforcement. Eighteen years ago she began her career with the Bend Police department, subsequently moving on to work for Jefferson County Sheriff's department, then Lincoln City to work at Chinook Wind's casino. After she tragically lost two homes in the Echo Mountain fire in 2020, she and her son moved to Coos County where she changed career paths, working as a Business Account Executive for Spectrum.

Last year she met her husband Scott and they opened Mini Golf Asylum and Arcade in the Pony Village Mall. Crystal had decided to leave law enforcement but was persuaded to interview for a position with Coquille Tribal Police after a friend encouraged her to apply. She immediately knew it was a good fit for her and she enjoys the flexibility of working with other local agencies as well as community policing on the Kilkich Reservation. Her favorite part of the job is to spend time with the children at the Learning Center. Between her full-time job, owning a business and raising her 10 year old son, she doesn't have a lot of spare time, as she and her husband are also volunteer firefighters at Green Acres, but whenever possible she enjoys hunting and fishing.



Officer Walling with her husband and son and Chief Merritt at her swearing in ceremony.

ASYLUM MINI GOLF

Indoor 18 hole mini golf course located inside the Pony Village Mall. Open 7 days a week. Golf, Arcade, Pizza, Cotton Candy, Popcorn, Angus Beef Hotdogs, Soda, Energy Drinks and more.

Host a birthday party or special occasion in the 1,600 sq. ft. party room.

Call (541) 808-0962 for more information.



FIRE SEASON

Fire season is upon us and there are currently 25 wild fires burning in Oregon with over 24,000 acres burned. Extra caution is needed when weather conditions are unstable. Wind, humidity, and temperature play the biggest roles for the chance of a fire starting and spreading. We are surrounded by the Kilkich Forest and the grass in your yard is probably very dry so following the Coos Forest Patrol regulations is critical to community safety.

CURRENT FIRE SEASON REGULATIONS AS OF 7/25/2023



*Fire
Danger
Is
Moderate*

- Debris burning is prohibited.
- Smoking is prohibited while traveling in forestland; except in vehicles on improved roads, in boats on the water, and other designated areas.
- Use of fireworks is prohibited.
- Use of sky lanterns, exploding targets, and tracer/incendiary ammunition is prohibited.
- Motor vehicles including motorcycles and all-terrain vehicles, are allowed on improved roads or trail systems free of flammable vegetation, except for the cultivation and harvest of agricultural crops.
- Firefighting equipment is required while traveling in forestlands, except on state highways, county roads, and driveways: one shovel, one axe or Pulaski, and one gallon of water or a 2 ½ lb. or larger ABC fire extinguisher.
- Campfires, charcoal fires, cooking fires, and warming fires are allowed only at designated locations.
- Powersaw use is allowed from 8 P.M. until 1 P.M., each powersaw must have a shovel and 8 ounce or larger fire extinguisher. A firewatch of one hour is required after the use of each saw.
- Cutting, grinding, and welding of metal is allowed from 8 P.M. until 1 P.M., the area must be cleared of flammable materials and have either a charge water hose or 2 ½ lb. or larger ABC fire extinguisher.
- Mowing of dried, cured grass is allowed from 8 P.M. until 1 P.M. The culture and harvest of agricultural crops is exempt from this requirement.
- Any other spark emitting internal combustion engine not specifically mentioned is allowed from 8 P.M. until 1 P.M. when the area is cleared of flammable materials.

Go to www.coosfpa.net, and Coos FPA or Charleston Fire Department on Facebook for the latest updates.



Are you ready to “Rock the Dock” every Friday night in August at The Mill Casino? This event is a FREE CONCERT SERIES with top tribute bands from all over the Pacific Northwest. Enjoy the Mill Grill, beer & wine right outside as you rock along the bay from 8 PM - 10 PM.

AUGUST 4 - Invincible | a Pat Benatar Tribute
www.invincibleseattle.com

AUGUST 11 - Petty Fever | a Tom Petty Tribute
www.pettyfever.com

AUGUST 18 - Almost Human | a KISS Tribute
www.kisstributealmosthuman.com

AUGUST 25 - Fan Halen | a Van Halen Tribute
www.fanhalen.com



All the best food trucks from the Pacific Northwest will be gathering at The Mill Casino to see who is the best. Enjoy \$4 samples or full menu meals.

Friday, August 4, 2023 | 4 PM - 8 PM
Saturday, August 5, 2023 | 11 AM - 6 PM
Sunday, August 6, 2023 | 12 PM - 4 PM

Friday Live Music

Rekless Kompany | 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Saturday Live Music

Rekless Kompany | 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

KayB | 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Adam Craig 3:30 PM - 6:00 PM

Sunday Live Music

Adam Craig | 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM

KayB | 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

Tickets on sale July 14, 2023 | Ko-Kwel Gifts

\$5 general admission per day

(A portion will benefit the Boys & Girls Club of Southwestern Oregon)





The Blackberry Arts Festival is an arts and crafts festival celebrated for 39 years. It was started to highlight the work of local artists and crafters during the annual harvest of the blackberry. It features an impressive array of jewelry, quilts, candles, hand-painted clothing, wine, carved wood, and more with lots for sale.

FIRST TUESDAY TALKS AT THE COOS HISTORY MUSEUM

FIND OUT MORE AT COOSHISTORY.ORG



The First Tuesday Talks Lecture series features speakers from various backgrounds, locations, and topics with a focus on Southern Oregon Coast history.

This monthly program takes place from February through June and August through December.

Doors open at 5:30 pm and each lecture will begin at 6:00 pm.

The museum, galleries, and store will be open for extended hours during the event.

Admission is free for museum members.

Admission for non-members in person is \$7.00 and admission for non-members online is \$5.

Please note: From time to time the lectures may be ONLINE ONLY.

1210 N. Front Street Coos Bay, OR 97420

(541) 756-6320



Featuring great music from some festival favorites! Stage is located at Central and 3rd Avenue in Coos Bay.

Saturday, August 26th

12:00 PM – Jeff Torrence

2:00 PM – Trent Beaver

4:00 PM – Terry Rob

Saturday, August 27th

12:00 PM – Chris Coach

2:00 PM – Ben Rice

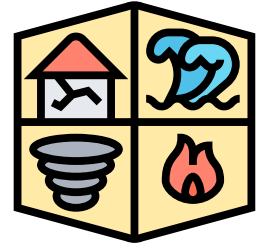




Kilkich Residents Association

Next KRA meeting
is
Monday August, 14th
ALL residents are
welcome

Jessica Hamner, Public Health Coordinator with the Ko-Kwel Wellness Center, will be joining us at the next KRA meeting on how Kilkich residents can prepare for natural disasters.



This is an important lesson for all Kilkich residents and even if you can't attend in person, we highly recommend you join via Zoom. The link will be posted on the Kilkich Facebook page or you can call CIHA on Monday, August 14th for the details.

Kilkich Transportation Safety Project Continues

We strongly encourage you to sign up for Construction Updates through Nixle! TEXT keyword "BUILD" to 888777. Updates will be provided weekly throughout the project. Updates will also be posted on the Kilkich Facebook page.

DUMPSTERS WILL BE HERE SOON! ARRIVING FRIDAY, AUG. 25TH AND LEAVING TUESDAY, SEPT. 5TH

The dumpsters are **EXCLUSIVELY FOR THE USE OF KILKICH COMMUNITY RESIDENTS.**

Absolutely NO HAZARDOUS WASTE IN THE DUMPSTERS.

If you are unsure if an item can be discarded in the dumpster, contact CIHA at (541) 888-6501. Items NOT allowed in the dumpsters include, but are not limited to the following:

- batteries
- electronics
- tires
- antifreeze
- appliances
- digital devices
- motor oil
- paints/solvents

IF THE DUMPSTER IS FULL, PLEASE WAIT UNTIL IT HAS BEEN EMPTIED TO DISCARD YOUR ITEMS



NO!



YES



THERE IS STILL TIME TO ENTER THE RENTER FRONT YARD MAKEOVER DRAWING. IF YOU RENT A SINGLE-FAMILY HOME LEASED FROM CIHA AND ARE LIVING IN A UNIT THAT HAS NOT HAD A FRONT YARD MAKEOVER IN THE PAST, YOU ARE ELIGIBLE TO ENTER. DUE DATE FOR SUBMISSIONS IS WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23RD AT 5 PM. CALL CIHA FOR AN ENTRY FORM.



Fitness Room Rules for User Safety

The Kilkich Fitness Room (KFR) was developed to provide Coquille Tribal families, staff, Kilkich residents, and patients of the Ko-Kwel Wellness Center (KWC) a space to exercise that is accessible 24/7. The facility is managed by the Health and Wellness Division and there are rules in place to keep it a safe environment for all registered users. In recent months, there has been damage to the floors and walls due to dropping and dragging equipment, reports of inappropriate comments made to guests, and individuals accessing the KFR who have not completed the required User Agreement.

Video surveillance has been added to provide an added level of security.

To continue to have the fitness room available to all eligible users please be mindful of the rules below:

The Kilkich Fitness Room is open to all Coquille Tribal members and their families; Employees of the Coquille Indian Tribe or it's entities; Kilkich residents; Patients of the Ko-Kwel Wellness Center.

People not in one of the above groups must be accompanied by a Coquille Tribal member and their families; Employees of the Coquille Indian Tribe or it's entities; Kilkich Residents; Patients of the Ko-Kwel Wellness Center and completed a user agreement.

All users must complete a User's Agreement.

Minors aged 13-17 may use KFR with parental supervision only.

Children 12 and under may not use the Kilkich Fitness Room.

KFR users are asked to clean up after themselves. Replace all weights, ropes, and other equipment neatly within the holding area.

Equipment must be used as intended. Misuse of equipment or property will be grounds for exclusion from the fitness center.

Music and television volume must not be excessive.

Access may be denied if these rules are not respected. Video may be used to identify individuals who are not authorized to use the facility or who are disruptive.

Please reach out to wellness@coquilletribe.org with any questions.



Submitted by Anna Chavez, Quality Improvement Coordinator
for the Ko-Kwel Wellness Center



MILUK WORD OF THE MONTH
 FROM JAECI HALL-
 LANGUAGE COORDINATOR

QWəLE'ES - SUN
 Q'EWESII - WIND IS BLOWING



Recycling

Please recycle items that can be recycled. Current recycling rules allow ONLY the following items in the recycling bins.

Acceptable Items:

- Plastics in the shape of a jug or bottle. NO LIDS. #1/#2 bottleneck only. Paper: clean office paper, newspapers and magazines.
- Cardboard: cleaned flattened corrugated boxes.
- Metal: food and beverage containers, no lids.

Unacceptable Items:

- Aluminum foil
 - Food scraps, food-soiled paper or boxes
 - Plastic bags
 - Plastic take-out containers
 - Plastic trays (bakery, meat, etc.)
 - Plastic cups, plates or utensils
 - Styrofoam containers or pellets
 - Prescription vials
 - Paper towels, plates or napkins
 - Disposable diapers or rags
 - Ceramics or dishes
 - Light bulbs
 - Mirrors or window glass
 - Lids or caps
 - Greasy or sharp scrap metal
 - Needles or syringes
 - Toxic containers (antifreeze, oil, syringes, etc.)
- Remember: All recycle should be clean and free of food scraps.

August

C A L E N D A R

1	First Tuesday Talks at Coos Art Museum
4-6	Food Truck Off at The Mill Casino
4, 11, 18, 25	Rock the Dock at The Mill Casino
11-12	KRA Community-wide Garage Sale at Kilkich
14	Kilkich Residents Association Meeting, with guest speaker Jessica Hamner, at the CIHA Office and via Zoom Begins at 5:30 p.m.
23	Deadline to enter the Front Yard Makeover
25	Dumpsters Arrive
26-27	Blackberry Arts Festival
26	Blackberry Jam

