



Bicoastal Media - Quarterly Issues / Program list

The following is a listing of some of the significant issues responded to by Station KBBR Coos Bay, Oregon, along with the most significant programming treatment of those issues for the period of January 1, 2016 to March 31, 2016. The listing is by no means exhaustive. The Order in Which the issues appear does not reflect any priority or significance.

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Discription of Issue	Program/Segment	Date	Time	Duration	Narration of Type & Description of Program/Segment
Children at high risk of abuse.	In Touch	Jan. 2nd and 3rd	6AM- 7PM	4 - 3 Minute Segments	On In Touch, Rishia Mitchell from SC Harbor Family offers free daycare to low income families with small children.

Issue	Program/Segment	Date	Time	Duration	Response Program
Homes for children in need of Foster care	In Touch	Jan. 10th and 11th	6AM- 7PM	7 - 3 Minute Segments	Susan Thornton from the Dept. of Human Services gave examples of what it takes to be a foster parent.

Issue	Program/Segment	Date	Time	Duration	Response Program
Homeless teens in Coos County	In Touch	Jan. 16th and 17th	6AM- 7PM	5 - 3 Minute Segments	On In Touch, Kate Frame from the Maslow Project expressed the need and what kind of donations Maslow Proj. can use for homeless teens in Coos County

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Seniors on fixed incomes in need of healthy meals.	In Touch	Jan. 23rd and 24th	6AM- 7PM	4 - 3 Minute Segments	On In Touch, Sonya Liggett from the North Bend Senior Center provides low cost daily meals for Seniors.

Issue	Program/Segment	Date	Time	Duration	Response Program
Disaster Preparation	In Touch	Jan. 30th and 31st	6AM- 7PM	4 - 3 Minute Segments	On In Touch, Michael Murphy from Coos County Emergency offers suggestions for emergencies and how to be prepared.

Issue	Program/Segment	Date	Time	Duration	Response Program
Teen homelessness, drug use, and bullying.	In Touch	Feb. 6th and 7th	6AM- 7PM	2 - 3 Minute Segments	On In Touch, Eric Gleason from the Coos Health and Wellness center introduces a commercial contest by teens for teens about what effects them and how to find healthy solutions.

Issue	Program/Segment	Date	Time	Duration	Response Program
Coos County youth in need of activities.	In Touch	Feb. 13th and 14th	6AM- 7PM	4 - 3 Minute Segments	On In Touch, Bruce and Tony from the Coos Bay Coast League invite kids to come out and play ball and make lasting friendships.

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Teen homelessness, drug use, and bullying.	In Touch	Feb. 20th and 21st	6AM- 7PM	2 - 3 Minute Segments	On In Touch, Eric Gleason from the Coos Health and Wellness center introduces a commercial contest by teens for teens about what effects them and how to find healthy solutions.

Issue Date Time Duration Response Program

Illegal dumping on County Roads and in Forests	In Touch	Feb. 27th and 28th	6AM- 7PM	3 - 3 Minute Segments	On In Touch, Raymond Block, is cleaning up Coos County roads and forests and is in need of volunteers.
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Issue		Date	Time	Duration	Response Program
Homeless teens and families	In Touch	Mar. 5th and 6th	6AM- 7PM	3 - 3 Minute Segments	On In Touch, Patty Becker from Bach Rock is having a concert fundraiser by kids to raise money to be donated for homeless teens and families.

Issue		Date	Time	Duration	Response Program
Homeless teens and families	In Touch	Mar. 12th and 13th	6AM- 7PM	3 - 3 Minute Segments	On In Touch, Patty Becker from Bach Rock is having a concert fundraiser by kids to raise money to be donated for homeless teens and families.

Issue		Date	Time	Duration	Response Program
After school activities	In Touch	Mar. 19th and 20th	6AM- 7PM	3 - 3 Minute Segments	On In Touch, Rebecca Westmark from the Coos Bay Public Library offers free programs for kids to learn and have fun in a safe setting.

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After school activities	In Touch	Mar. 26th and 27th	6AM- 7PM	3 - 3 Minute Segments	On In Touch, Rebecca Westmark from the Coos Bay Public Library offers free programs for kids to learn and have fun in a safe setting.

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Issue	Program	Guest	Details
SC Harbor Family	In Touch	Rishia Mitchell	Free Daycare program for children at risk from Low income families with high risk of abuse
Dept of Human Services	In Touch	Susan Thornton	Foster parent programs and at risk youth. What to expect when you're a foster parent.
Maslow Project	In Touch	Kate Frame	The Maslow Project helps homeless teens and their families to get help and resources.
North Bend SR Center	In Touch	Sonya Liggett	Low cost meals for seniors and free activities.
Disaster Prep	In Touch	Michael Murphy	What to do in the case of a Cooscounty emergency. Be Prepared and have a plan.
Coos Health And Wellness	In Touch	Eric Gleason	Commercial Contest for High school students to talk about what effects them and how to find solutions.
Coos Bay Coast League	In Touch	Bruce and Tony	Little league baseball. Getting kids off their electronics and outside. Fostering friendships and Healthy lifestyles.
Coos Health And Wellness	In Touch	Eric Gleason	Commercial Contest for High school students to talk about what effects them and how to find solutions.
Leaven No Trace	In Touch	Raymond Block	Program highlighting the illegal dumping in Coos County and how it effects our ecology.
Bach Rock	In Touch	Patty Becker	Educating the community about the growing number homeless teens and raising money with an upcoming concert.
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Coos Bay Public Library	In Touch	Rebecca Westmark	Free events to promote literacy in Coos County.
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Start Date	End Date	Time	Qty	Duration
01/02/16	01/03/16	6AM- 7PM	4	3 Minute Segments
01/09/16	01/10/16	6AM- 7PM	7	3 Minute Segments
01/16/16	01/17/16	6AM- 7PM	5	3 Minute Segments
01/23/16	01/24/16	6AM- 7PM	4	3 Minute Segments
01/30/16	01/31/16	6AM- 7PM	4	3 Minute Segments
02/06/16	02/07/16	6AM- 7PM	2	3 Minute Segments
02/13/16	02/14/16	6AM- 7PM	4	3 Minute Segments
02/20/16	02/21/16	6AM- 7PM	2	3 Minute Segments
02/27/16	02/28/16	6AM- 7PM	3	3 Minute Segments
03/05/16	03/06/16	6AM- 7PM	3	3 Minute Segments
03/12/16	03/13/16	6AM- 7PM	3	3 Minute Segments
03/19/16	03/20/16	6AM- 7PM	2	3 Minute Segments
03/26/16	03/27/16	6AM- 7PM	2	3 Minute Segments

EOTSC20160102 (th) crab season opens & White Stone Service

Fishery managers determined the Commercial Dungeness crab season is ready to open Jan. 4 along the entire Oregon coast. Boats are allowed to set gear Jan. 1. For more information visit the ODA shellfish closures web page.

<http://www.oregon.gov/ODA/programs/FoodSafety/Shellfish/Pages/ShellfishClosures.aspx>

Also

Unity By The Bay on Union Avenue in North Bend will conduct their annual White Stone Service, symbolic of freedom, on January 3rd, at their 10am Sunday Celebration Service. It is a time to embrace the beginning of the new year.

EOTSC20160102 SOCC - ESL, GED & Eastern Medicine

Southwestern Oregon Community College offers GED & English Language Acquisition classes this coming term with both day and evening class schedules. More information is online at socc.edu/transitional

Also

SOCC will offer "Principles of Eastern Medicine" on Thursdays during January from 6-8pm.

Orientation is scheduled for January 4 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm in Tioga Hall, 3rd floor, on the Coos Bay Campus

Lunch will be provided for enrolled students.

EOTSC20160103 (th) CB Urban Renewal & City Council Meetings & CB School Policy

COOS BAY CITY COUNCIL MEETING will take place in the City Hall Council Chambers on January 5th at 7pm.

and

The Coos Bay Urban Renewal Agency will meet in the City Hall Council Chambers immediately following the City Council Meeting.

Also

Coos Bay School District Policy Committee Meets January 4 at 9:00 AM at Milner Crest Education Center in Coos Bay. The public is welcome to attend and the meeting location is accessible to persons with disabilities.

For a list of all public meetings scheduled, go to <http://cbd9.net/public-meetings-schedule>

EOTSC20160103 (th) crab season opens & HUNGRY FOR CHANGE

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Also

Coos Bay Public Library offers “Healthy New Year! Eat Clean in 2016” documentary series on Mondays in January at 7:00 p.m. It's free and open to the public. Monday, January 4th see HUNGRY FOR CHANGE. For more info visit coosbaylibrary.org

EOTSC20160105 (th) CB School District Facilities & Xmas tree pick up

Coos Bay Public School District Facilities Planning Committee Will meet January 6 at 5:30 PM at Milner Crest Education Center in Coos Bay.

Also

Coos Bay Volunteer Firefighters will pick up Christmas trees located within the City limits. Firefighters ask that you place your tree next to the curb by 8:00 a.m. on January 9th. They are also asking for a donation of canned food but trees will be picked regardless if donation is left or not.

EOTSC20160105 (th) Start Business, CB School District & Maaster Gardener

SOCC's "Ready Set Start Your Business" workshop is scheduled for Thur., January 7th, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm. preregistration is required. To register go to socc.edu/sbdc

Coos Bay School District Facilities Planning Committee Meets January 6th at 5:30pm at Milner Crest Education Center.

OSU's ten-week Master Gardener training course begins Thursday, January 7. Find out more online at extension.oregonstate.edu/coos

EOTSC20160107

The City of Coos Bay is seeking volunteers to fill positions on the Budget Committee. Applications can be found on the City's website at coosbay.org and will be accepted through 5:00 p.m. January 8th. for more information contact the city hall managers office

also

Coos Bay Public Library will be offering a New conversational program called SPANGLISH! LANGUAGE SWAP for Spanish and English speakers. This event will be held on Saturday, January 9th from 10:30am to 12:00pm in the library's Myrtlewood Room.

EOTSC20160107 (th) County Town Hall & CB Library Cookbook Club

Senator Merkley will be holding a Coos County Town Hall meeting at the Myrtle Point High School cafeteria this Friday, January 8 at 9:00 a.m. Senator Merkley will update constituents, answer questions and invite suggestions.

Also

Coos Bay Public Library offers a new book club. Cooking the Books, a Cookbook Book Club will meet the second Friday of every month. The first meeting will be held on January 8th from 11:30 am – 12:30 pm in the Cedar Room of the Coos Bay Library.

EOTSC20160107 (th) Siuslaw Library donations & CB Library Cookbook Club

The Friends of the Siuslaw Library are always looking for donations of gently used books which may be brought to the Library Circulation Desk at any time. Please email SiuslawLibraryFriends@gmail.com with any questions.

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EOTSC20160108

the Coos Bay Volunteer Firefighters Association will be picking up Christmas trees within the City limits of Coos Bay on Saturday, January 9. Have your tree and a canned food donation on the curb by 8 am and they will take care of the rest.

also

On the second Saturday of each month starting this January through March, the Coos History Museum will be having a team-trivia contest fundraiser. The contests start at 6 pm and go until 9:30. cost per person is \$10 and team size is limited to 8. For more information contact the Coos History Museum.

EOTSC20160108 (th) SOCC - Hall of Fame & Explore the Estuary

Southwestern Oregon Community College Alumni will honor former athletes and coaches on Saturday, January 9 during the basketball games at 2 and 4pm. To attend this year's Hall of Fame banquet, or for more info, email hof@socc.edu

Also

Meet at the Charleston Visitors Center on Saturday, January 9 from 8-10 am to Explore the Estuary in search of winged wildlife. Interpreter, binoculars and spotting scopes provided. \$1 per birder. Call to reserve your place.

EOTSC20160108 (th) South Slough Yoga & Reproductive Health

Yoga class at the South Slough is designed for the beginning level student with the opportunity for returning yogis. Saturday, January 9 from 1-3 pm. Call to reserve your place. \$15 per person, must be at least 18 years old

Also

The Coos Health & Wellness Public Health Division continues to provide Reproductive Health and other Public Health services at low cost or for free for uninsured community members. Appointments are available within a few days on Tuesdays thru Fridays.

EOTSC20160110 AARP Tax Help and Coos Bay Library Free Ebooks

Beginning in February 2016, AARP Foundation will again provide free tax assistance and preparation for taxpayers with low to moderate income and are seeking volunteers to support the Bandon, Lakeside and North Bend sites call 541-297-3722 for more info.

also

Coos Bay Public Library will be offering its monthly LIBRARY2GO WORKSHOP for downloading free eBooks and audiobooks. The workshop will be held Monday, January 11th , from 12:00 - 2:00pm in the Coos Bay Library's Cedar Room

EOTSC20160110 SBDC small business upstart also Central Coast Christian Women Luncheon

Beginning Monday, January 11, 2016, the Southwestern Oregon Community College Small Business Development Center is offering a 4-session workshop that focuses on building a business on solid ground using a business plan. Call 541-756-6866 for more info

also

The Central Coast Christian Women Luncheon will be held January 14, 2016 at Red Lion Inn, 1313 North Bayshore Dr., Coos Bay, 11:00 am to 1:00 pm. All women are welcome. contact Ruth at 541-808-0625 for more info

EOTSC20160110

The Coos Bay public School board Meetings are currently scheduled for January 2016. For a complete list and more information of all public meetings scheduled, go to cbd9.net/public-meetings-schedule

also

The “Armchair Film Adventure” series at Coos Bay Public Library continues on Tuesday, January 12th at 2:00 p.m. in the Myrtlewood Meeting Room. this month's feature is called “Secrets Of The Great Barrier Reef”.

EOTSC20160110 (th) Elderly Money Management & PURE PLANT NATION

The Oregon Money Management Program offers free help to people of all ages with limited income and assets who need help to understand and pay bills on time, manage credit and organize financial papers. For more info Contact Coos Elderly Services in Coos Bay

Also

Coos Bay Public Library offers the “Healthy New Year! Eat Clean in 2016” free documentary series on Mondays in January at 7:00 p.m. Monday, January 11th see PURE PLANT NATION. For more information visit coosbaylibrary.org

EOTSC20160111 (th) CB Library Armchair Film & SOCC Real Estate Course

The “Armchair Film Adventure” series at Coos Bay Public Library continues on Tuesday, January 12th at 2pm with “Secrets Of The Great Barrier Reef”. Everyone is welcome, no charge for admission and refreshments will be served.

Also

Southwestern Oregon Community College’s Community Education Department is offering a 10 week Real Estate Broker License Course January 12-March 15 on Tuesdays from 6:00pm-9:00pm. Contact Brenda Rogers in Community Education and Workforce Development.

EOTSC20160112 Bay area Epilepsy Group and SOCC Start Your Business

Bay Area Hospital says You are not alone with epilepsy, together we can fight it!

A social group meets every second Tuesday, from 4 to 5 pm

No registration required.

At the Community Health Education Center, 3950 Sherman Avenue, North Bend. call 756-7279 for more info

also

Southwestern Oregon Community College’s Small Business Development Center is offering people a chance to explore their dreams of starting a business. The Southwestern

SBDC is offering a workshop titled "Ready Set Start Your Business" each week in January

Call 541-756-6866 for more info.

EOTSC20160112 (bl) SWOCC Choices for Life also Bay Area Hospital Bariatric Surgery Group

Southwestern Oregon Community College's Community Education Department will be offering the course "Choices for Life"- Minor In Possession Course

January 13 thru March 16 from 6 to 8 pm

Call 541-888-7328 for more info

also

Bay Area Hospital is offering a Bariatric Surgery Support Group to discuss diets, procedures, and related bariatric topics every 2nd Tuesday of the month from 7 pm to 8 pm at the North Bend Medical Center

call 541-267-5151 extension 1526.

EOTSC20160113 Fizzics friday and Coquille valley seed community

Fizz-ics Friday Coos Bay Public Library Science Club Students in grades K-5 are invited to explore, experiment, and experience the awesome power of science at the Coos Bay Public Library on January 15th with Speed Racer Science., call 541-269-1101 For more information

also

The Coquille Valley Seed Community is hosting a FREE SEED SWAP on Thursday, January 14th, 6:00pm at the Owen Building, 201 N. Adams St., Coquille

For more information go to www.facebook.com/CoquilleValleySeedCommunity.

EOTSC20160113 (th) Cancer Support & CB Library mouse class

There is a free support group for cancer patients or anyone who cares for a cancer patient. Every Monday, from 9 to 11 a.m., at the Counseling and Bereavement Education Center at 1620 Thompson Road in Coos Bay

Also

Coos Bay Public Library will be offering a Free Computer Mouse Class for novice computer users Friday, January 15th, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the Library's Internet computers. The sign-up sheet is available at the Reference Desk in the Library.

EOTSC20160114 (th) CB Library mouse class & Cultural Coalition grants

Coos Bay Public Library will be offering a Free Computer Mouse Class for novice computer users Friday, January 15th, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the Library's Internet computers. The sign-up sheet is available at the Reference Desk in the Library.

Also

The Coos County Cultural Coalition will hand out grant awards on Friday, January 15th at 5:00 p.m. at the Coos History Museum on Front Street in Coos Bay. Finger foods provided by the culinary students at North Bend High School. For more information go to ccculturalcoalition.org.

EOTSC20160114 (th) flushing waterlines & Leave it to Beavers

During the week ending January 15th, Coos Bay-North Bend Water Board will be flushing of waterlines near Central & Bayshore Drive, and Hemlock & Lockhart. From 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. If discoloration does not clear up promptly, please notify the Water Board

also

South Slough Reserve presents "Leave it to Beavers" Nature Film on Saturday, January 16 from 1-2pm. Big screen, awesome sound system and fresh popcorn provided. Contact The South Slough to reserve your place in this free program.

EOTSC20160113 SWOCC Geology Lecture also South Slough New Programs
Southwestern Oregon Community College's Geology Lecture series continues with Dr. Douglas Toomey (University of Oregon) on Saturday, January 16, 2016 at 7:00 pm with "The Cascadia Initiative and Earthquake Early Warning in the Pacific Northwest".
541-888-7216.

also

It's a New Year and New Programs at the South Slough Reserve!
Be transported deep Inside the Milky Way Galaxy via Nature Film Saturday, January 16 from 1-2:30 pm
Call (541)-888-5558 ext. 121 for more info

EOTSC20160115 (th) Tide of Toddlers & Coos River Hwy & Toddler Development

South Slough Reserve presents "Tide of the Toddlers" for children ages 1 to 5 on Saturday, January 16 from 10-11am. \$1/child to register for this program.

and

Temporary signals have been installed on Coos River Hwy in Eastside between 10th Court and 12th Avenue. One traffic lane will be open for possibly two months.

also

SOCC's Family Center offers an "Amazing Infant and Toddler Development" workshop. Saturday, January 16 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at the Family Center.

EOTSC20160115 (th) Toddler Development & Preppers meeting

SOCC's Family Center offers an "Amazing Infant and Toddler Development" workshop. Saturday, January 16 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at the Family Center. To register call the Pathways to Positive Parenting office at 888-1588

also

Southwestern Oregon Preppers will hold a free public meeting at Noon on Saturday, January 16, at the Bandon Rural Fire Department. Learn the facts about "The Use of Deadly Force" Join the Preppers on Facebook and/or meetup.com.

EOTSC20160118 (BL) Coos Bay Public Schools meetings also SWOCC Ready Set Start your Business

Southwestern SBDC is offering people a chance to explore their dreams of starting a business by offering a workshop titled "Ready Set Start Your Business" each week in January 2016.call 541-756-6866 for mor info

also

Coos Bay Public Schools Policy Committee Meeting – January 19 at 9:00 AM at Milner Crest Education Center. For more info contact Adrian DeLeon at adriand@coos-bay.k12.or.us or call 541-404-4459

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the Community Education Department is offering the AARP Smart Driver Course. This course gives people an opportunity to learn how to drive more efficiently and safely. The fee is \$15 for AARP members , or \$20 for non-members For more information contact the Community Education & Workforce Development office

also

The Coos Health & Wellness Public Health Division continues to provide Public Health services at low cost or free for uninsured community members. Appointments are available Tuesdays thru Fridays.

EOTSC20160119 (th) LANGLOIS LIBRARY - MUD MURDER MYSTERY & Celebrate Downtown

LANGLOIS LIBRARY PRESENTS: INTERESTING LANGLOIS - MUD, MURDER, & MYSTERY on January 20TH at 6:30pm. Thomas Medlin's current research into the history of Langlois continues to will uncover the colorful past of the town and it's people.

also

The Coos Bay Downtown Association is kicking off the new year with a “celebration of downtown” and annual meeting Thursday, January 21st at the Coos Art Museum. The “Celebrate Downtown” event begins at 5:30pm

EOTSC20160120 (th) CBNB flushing waterlines & Celebrate Downtown

During the week ending January 22nd, the Coos Bay-North Bend Water Board will be flushing of waterlines in Bunkerhill, Libby, and Millington between 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. If discoloration does not clear up promptly, notify the Water Board.

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EOTSC20160121 CB Library - Crime Lab & BOLI - WORKPLACE ACCOMMODATIONS

“Crime Lab”, a traveling exhibit from Oregon's Museum of Science and Industry on Friday, January 22nd at 2:00pm at the Coos Bay Firehouse. Get your child registered as soon as possible at the library. More info on the library's website.

Also

The “WORKPLACE ACCOMMODATIONS” Seminar, presented by: Bureau of Labor and Industry takes place at ESD on Teakwood in Coos Bay, Friday, January 22 at 8:00 a.m. This session includes tips and best practices for employers and time for Q&A.

EOTSC20160121 CB Library - Squid Dissection & BOLI - WORKPLACE ACCOMMODATIONS

“Squid Dissection”, a traveling exhibit from Oregon's Museum of Science and Industry on Friday, January 22nd at 4:00pm at the Coos Bay Firehouse. Get your child registered as soon as possible at the library. More info on the library's website.

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The “WORKPLACE ACCOMMODATIONS” Seminar, presented by: Bureau of Labor and Industry takes place at ESD on Teakwood in Coos Bay, Friday, January 22 at 8:00 a.m. This session includes tips and best practices for employers and time for Q&A.

EOTSC20160122 (th) CB Library Crafting Sale & CHEESE MAKING WORKSHOP

Friend's of the Coos Bay Public Library Used Craft Books and Supplies Sale takes place Friday, Jan 22nd, 4pm-6pm and Saturday, Jan 23rd, 10am-3pm. Donate your unwanted hobby supplies or buy books and supplies for your hobbies.

also

The Coos County Master Food Preservers CHEESE MAKING WORKSHOP will be held JANUARY 23 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., and the cost is \$15. Participants may wish to bring a sack lunch or snack. Contact the Coos County OSU Extension Office.

EOTSC20160122 (th) Power of Now & Mystic Naturalists

A new nine-week class based on the book "The Power of Now" is being on Saturday mornings beginning January 23 and runs through March 26, 10 am until 11:30am. Cost will be on a love-offering basis; all are welcome. For more information, contact Unity By The Bay in North Bend.

also

Mystic Naturalists, are giving voice to the unseen through painting, collage and clay on Saturday, January 23 from 2-4pm. Contact the South Slough Reserve to secure your place in this free program.

EOTSC20160122 (th) Seaweed Pressing Workshop & Power of Now

A Seaweed Pressing Workshop takes place Saturday, January 23 from 1-3pm. Meet in front of the Oregon Institute of Marine Biology. \$20/person. Contact the South Slough Reserve to register for this program.

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EOTSC20160124 CB Library Truth about Sugar also CB school Dist special Meeting

Coos Bay Public Library offers

Monday, January 25th - THAT SUGAR FILM

One man's journey to discover the bitter truth about sugar

For more information call 541.269.1101 or visit <http://www.coosbaylibrary.org>

also

Special School Board Meeting with possible Executive Session –January 25 at 5:30 PM
The public is welcome to attend.

All meetings are held at Milner Crest Education Center, 1255 Hemlock Ave., Coos Bay

EOTSC20160124 (th) Bandon Library - TRAVEL NIGHT & VA Medical Center - ribbon-cutting

TRAVEL NIGHT features "London" at Bandon Library and takes place Monday, January 25 at 7 pm. Everyone is welcome, there is no cost to attend, and refreshments will be served.

also

The Roseburg VA Medical Center's new Health Care Center in Eugene Oregon will hold a ribbon-cutting ceremony On Monday, January 25th at 10 a.m. Following the ceremony the Eugene Health Care Center will begin seeing Veterans starting at 1pm.

EOTSC20160124 (th) Florence Community Chorus & VA Medical Center - ribbon-cutting

Register to sing with the Florence Community Chorus at Cross Road Church on 10th and Maple on Monday, January 25th at 6:30 p.m. All singers from high school age and up are welcome. \$60 registration fee, rehearsals Monday 7-8:30pm.

also

The Roseburg VA Medical Center's new Health Care Center in Eugene Oregon will hold a ribbon-cutting ceremony On Monday, January 25th at 10 a.m. Following the ceremony the Eugene Health Care Center will begin seeing Veterans starting at 1pm.

EOTSC20160125 Coos Health food handler class also Langlois Library Self sufficiency class

Coos Health & Wellness will be sponsoring:A Food Handler Class January 26, 2016 At 1:30 pm
The class will be located at the North Bend Annex 1975 McPherson Ave #1, North Bend
To register call:541-751-2431

also

Ginger Pearson from Coast Community Health Center will be at the Langlois Public Library on January 26th from 1p-3p and again on February 2nd from 5p-7p. introducing individuals in Curry County to Self-Sufficiency Programs.
For more info call Karen at the library 348-2066

EOTSC20160125 (th) money management workshop - business Recruitment workshop

Free help to people of all ages who need help to understand and pay bills on time, manage credit, organize financial papers. Coos Elderly Services is holding a free money management workshop every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month.

also

Employee Recruitment business workshop is being offered by Bandon Chamber of Commerce January 26 from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Best Western Inn in Bandon. \$45 Pre-registration is required (\$35 for Bandon Chamber business members)

EOTSC20160125 (th) OEC - Meeting & Government Contracting workshop

Oregon Employer Council South Coast will hold its monthly meeting on TUESDAY January 26 from 7:30AM-8:30AM. There will also be an opportunity for Networking at 7:00am at the WORKSOURCE Oregon Employment Department in North Bend.

also

Southwestern SBDC is offering a Government Contracting Opportunities workshop from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm on Tuesday, January 26 at The Business Center on Maple Leaf in North Bend. \$20 per person. Seating is limited. Preregister at socc.edu/sbdc

EOTSC20160126 Start your business also Bay Area Hospital Cancer Support

SWOCC Small Business Development Center is offering people a chance to explore their dreams of starting a business. SBDC is offering a workshop titled “Ready Set Start Your Business” each week in January Call 541-756-6866 for more info

Also

There is a free support group for cancer patients or anyone who cares for a cancer patient. Every Monday, from 9 to 11 a.m., at the Counseling and Bereavement Education Center, 1620 Thompson Road in Coos Bay.

To learn more, call 269-2986

EOTSC20160126 (th) Darkness to Light & CB Library - computer lab

The “Darkness to Light” program can teach you to recognize the signs of child sex abuse and how to react responsibly. Kids’ HOPE Center offers this free training from 5:30 to 8 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of every month. Call 266-8806.

also

Coos Bay Public Library will be offering a drop-in computer lab for users with general questions about computers on Wednesday, January 27th, from 10:30am to 12:30pm. This computer lab is free of charge. Registration is not required.

EOTSC20160203 Master Gardener also Owyhee River Documentary

If you're interested in improving your green thumb, consider the variety of gardening classes being offered to the general public during the Coos County Master Gardener's 2016 Training in January, February and March
For more info call 541-572-5263, ext. 25299.

also

Owyhee River Book and Documentary Film Program at the North Bend Public Library
Thursday, February 4 at 6:30pm
This program is free and open to the public and is sponsored by the Friends of the North Bend Public Library
For more info call 541-756-0400

EOTSC20160204 (th) AARP tax-help & Free Vein Screening & CB Eagles Dance

The Coos County AARP tax-help program is available for those of any age with low to moderate income Thursday, February 4, 10:00 am, at the Lakeside Lions Club.

and

Bay Area Hospital offers Free Vein Screening for those suffering from tired, achy, or unsightly legs on February 5, from 9 am to noon, at the Women's Imaging Center in Coos Bay.

also

USA Dance will hold their monthly dance Friday, Feb. 5th in the upstairs ballroom of the Coos Bay Eagles. lessons 7-8, dancing 8-10. \$7, members \$4.

EOTSC20160205 (th) Coos Curry Chess Tournament & JUBILEE CONCERT

Saturday, February 6th at 10 a.m., Coquille will host the Coos Curry County Regional Chess For Success Tournament for K-12th grade in the Coquille High School Library. Preregistration is required and the fee is \$21.

also

COUNTRY-GOSPEL JUBILEE CONCERT takes place on Sun. Feb 7th at 6pm
Featuring, Sounds of Faith. No charge to attend this concert at Shoreline Community Church on Clark St in North Bend. visit them online at shorelinecommunitychurch.net

EOTSC20160205 (th) flushing waterlines & Valentine Mug Sale & Wren Birdhouse

During the week ending February 5, the Coos Bay-North Bend Water Board will be flushing of waterlines in Bunkerhill, Englewood, and Millington between 8:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. If discoloration does not clear up promptly, notify the Water Board.

and

The Coos Bay Garden Club Valentine Decorated Mug Sale takes place all day February 5th and 6th at the Pony Village Mall.

also

Build Your Very Own Wren Birdhouse at the South Slough Reserve Saturday, February 6th from 1 – 3 pm. \$12/birdhouse. All supplies provided.

02/01/16

tHIS IS cRYSTAL here to to tell you about

the Miss Coos County Scholarship Pageant this Saturday, February 6, at the Hales Center for the Performing Arts SOCC Campus. the pageant starts at 6:30pm and Tickets are available at the Painted Zebra in North Bend, Judy's New Image in Coquille and Katrina Kathleen's in Coos Bay

also

There will be a huge book sale this Saturday and Sunday the 6th and 7th in the Bromley Room at the Siuslaw library starting at 10 am

EOTSC20160206 (th) CB Library Used Book Sale & Bandon Library CLASSIC FILM

Friends of the Coos Bay Library Used Book Sale. Saturday, February 6, 10am - 4pm; and Sunday February 7, noon - 4pm; Early bird, members-only access, 9-10 am on Saturday. Bag sale starts at 3 pm on Sunday. Membership only \$5 at the door.

<http://www.cclsd.org/libraries/bay-drupal/sites/default/files/Membership%20Form.pdf>

also

Bandon Library Friends & Foundation present CLASSIC FILM NIGHT Monday, February 8th at 7 pm at the Bandon Library with "The Party" Starring Peter Sellers. Everyone is welcome and refreshments will be served at this free event.

EOTSC20160207 (th) Sick Time seminar & GENETIC ROULETTE & CB School Board Meeting

Employers can attend the Bureau of Labor and Industry's 'Sick Time' seminar Monday, February 8, online registration required. contact Amanda Poe at Cardinal Services

800.342.4742 Ext: 2124

https://events.egov.com/eventreg/OR/registrant.htm?action=new&_event=oregonstatewide_sicktime

also

Coos Bay Public Library presents a free documentary "GENETIC ROULETTE: The Gamble of Our Lives" a about the dangers of GMOs Monday, Feb. 8th.

also

Coos Bay Public Schools Regular School Board Meeting, February 8 at 6:00 PM at Milner Crest Education Center.

<http://cbd9.net/public-meetings-schedule>

EOTSC20160208 (th) BAH Anxiety Support & CB Library Coloring Circle

If you live with anxiety, panic or depression, there's a free support group to help manage your stress. Every Monday, from 12:30 to 1:30, the Depression and Anxiety Support Group meets at the Nancy Devereux Center at 1200 Newmark Avenue.

Also

The Coos Bay Public Library will hold its first monthly Coloring Circle for Adults on Tuesday, February 9th at 5 p.m. This event is free, and all supplies are provided. No registration is required. Add a Little Color to Your Life.

EOTSC20160208 (th) Cancer Support & CB Library Armchair Film

There is a free support group for cancer patients or anyone who cares for a cancer patient. Every Monday, from 9 to 11 a.m., at the Counseling and Bereavement Education Center at 1620 Thompson Road in Coos Bay

Also

The "Armchair Film Adventure" series at Coos Bay Public Library continues on Tuesday, February 9th at 2pm. A Globe Trekker visit to Hawai'i is this month's destination. No admission is charged and refreshments will be served.

EOTSC20160209

Southwestern SBDC is offering people a chance to explore their dreams of starting a business with a workshop titled "Ready Set Start Your Business" each week in February. A fee of \$20 per person covers materials. Preregistration is required. The workshop will be held at 2455 Maple Leaf.. Contact 541-756-6866 for more information.
also

Oregon Money Management Program at Coos Elderly Services in Coos Bay offers free help to people of all ages with limited income and assets who need help to understand and pay bills on time, manage credit, organize financial papers, and do other financial tasks.

The Bills and Budget Management Workshop is offered every 2nd and 4th Wednesday, 10-11 am at Coos Elderly Services in Coos Bay. The workshops are free and open to all.

EOTSC20160209

Come and join your friends and neighbors at the Coos Bay Winter Market. Find locally grown produce, meat, eggs, honey and baked goods along with beautiful crafts and Christmas gifts. The market is located inside the Coos History Museum at 1210 Front Street in Coos Bay and operates every Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. To see the current list of vendors check out our Facebook page at Coos Bay Winter Market.

Also

Epilepsy Social Group

You are not alone with epilepsy, together we can fight it!
A social group meets every second Tuesday, from 4 pm to 5 pm
No registration required.
At the Community Health Education Center, 3950 Sherman Avenue, North Bend. For more information, call 756-7279.

EOTSC20160209 (th) Bariatric Support & CB Library job fair

Bay Area Hospital is offering a Bariatric Surgery Support Group to discuss diets, procedures, and related bariatric topics every 2nd Tuesday of the month from 7 pm to 8 pm at the North Bend Medical Center

Also

Connect with local employers and staffing agencies at the Coos Bay Public Library job fair on Wednesday, February 10th, from 1:00-4:00pm. All employers and job seekers are encouraged to attend this a FREE event.

EOTSC20160210 (th) Coos Library Advisory Board & Arago drinking water

The Coos Library Advisory Board will hold a regular meeting on Thursday, February 11, 9:30 am-12:00 noon in Coquille in the Owen Building.

Also

A public health advisory has been issued for drinking water in the Arago area in Coos County between Coquille and Myrtle Point. Testing has shown the presence of E. coli bacteria which can cause diarrhea, cramps, nausea and headache. Bottled water is advised for those without a disinfection system.

EOTSC20160210 (th) Kentucky Avenue closed & Arago E. coli

Kentucky Avenue in Empire is closed to through traffic between Tricia Place and Denise Place because of an underground spring that has caused the roadbed to fail. Repairs are in progress and expected to be complete by February 11th at 3:00 pm.

Also

Testing has shown the presence of E. coli bacteria in drinking water in the Arago area in Coos County between Coquille and Myrtle Point. Bottled water is advised for those without a disinfection system.

EOTSC20160210 (th) Nicotine Anonymous & CHRISTIAN WOMEN LUNCHEON & Master Gardener classes

Nicotine Anonymous meets every Wednesday, from 5:30 to 6:30 pm in the Alano Club on Union Avenue in North Bend.

and

CENTRAL COAST CHRISTIAN WOMEN LUNCHEON takes place THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 11:00 AM — 1:00 PM at RED LION INN. Cost is \$13.00. ALL WOMEN ARE WELCOME

Also

Master Gardener Training classes will be held in Coos Bay, on February 11, at the South Coast ESD on Teakwood. \$10 for a 3-hour class, or \$15 for both

EOTSC20160211

The Oregon Employer Council invites you to attend the 2016 1st Quarter Board Meeting to be held on Friday 2/12/2016. If you are interested in attending please contact Amanda Poe online at cardinal-services.com

Selling on Etsy Free Class @ the Coos Bay Public Library Saturday, February 13th at 10:00am. The class is free and open to the public.

EOTSC20160211 CB Library - Friday Foreign Film & SOCC Authors Night

Coos Bay Public Library's "Friday Foreign Film" series is held on the second Friday of the month and is free to the public. This month's feature is "2 Autumns, 3 Winters ", Friday, February 12th at 7:00 p.m.

Also

SOCC's 21st Annual South Coast Writers Conference Authors' Night, is scheduled for Friday, Feb. 12, at 7 p.m. and will be held in the Showcase Building at the Curry County Fairgrounds. Workshops on Friday and Saturday. Visit socc.edu/scwriters

EOTSC20160211 (th) CB Library Foreign Film & SOCC Mini-Cheer Camp

Coos Bay Public Library's "Friday Foreign Film" series is held on the second Friday of the month and is free to the public. This month's feature is "2 Autumns, 3 Winters ", Friday, February 12th at 7:00 p.m.

Also

SOCC will host a Mini-Cheer Camp for boys and girls ages 4-12. The camp will be taken place in the Prosper Hall Gym on Saturday, February 13, from 9:00 am-12:00 pm. Cost for the camp is \$25 and includes a t-shirt. contact Coach Gonzalez at SOCC.

EOTSC20160213

This is Noah with an event in our community...

a silent auction in honor of lukas will be held at pony village mall february 13th from 6 to 9. Donations can be dropped off at Maurices.

Coos Bay Public Library will be offering an Introduction to Google Drive class for novice users. This class will be held on Friday, March 18th, from 9:30-11:00 a.m.

EOTSC20160212 (th) CB Library - Wildlife Photography & Valentine's with the Stars & Seafood Project

There will be a Free Wildlife Photography Presentation by Naturalists Dale and Elva Paulson at the South Slough Reserve on February 13th from 1 PM to 3 PM

And

The Star of Hope is presenting Valentine's with the Stars on Saturday, February 13th at the Mill Casino, featuring a live auction, dinner & dancing.

Also

The Seafood Project has an \$45,000 and is seeking input on investment opportunities. Applications for the program are due by February 15. Contact Michelle Martin at Neighborworks Umpqua.

EOTSC20160212 (th) Charleston Crab Feed & dog behavior test

Celebrate Oregon's fresh Dungeness crab harvest at the 32nd Annual Charleston Merchant's Crab Feed on Saturday, February 13th from 11am to 3pm at the "Old" Charleston Elementary School \$20 for a whole crab and \$18 for a half a crab.

Also

Furry Friends Therapy Dogs will be holding a Canine Good Citizen test on Saturday, February 13, from 11:00 am til 2:00 pm. The test will be held at Pony Village Mall between AT&T and Sears. Testing fee is \$10.

EOTSC20160212 Dehydrating workshop also Maritime History Museum Trivia contest (BL)

Dehydrating will be the topic of the next Coos County Master Food Preserver's workshop set for Saturday, February 13, 2016. This class will cover the basics of dehydrating fruits and vegetables, plus inspiring tips and tricks such as the ever-popular "Dinner in a Jar" as well as other options! call 541-572-5263, ext. 25299 or 25240 for more info.

Also

On January 9th, February 13th and March 12th (the second Saturday of each month), the Coos History Museum will be having a team-trivia contest fundraiser series. Called Trivia Files, the contest(s) start at 6 pm and will run until about 9:30. Interested players are welcome to come to any or all nights.

EOTSC20160214 (th) Bandon Library AUTHOR NIGHT & VA Brookings Town Hall

Everyone is welcome to attend AUTHOR NIGHT at the Bandon Library with "WRITING BEHIND THE GRAY LINE: Authoring Fiction and Non-fiction Behind the Closed Doors of National Security" Monday, February 15 at 7pm. Refreshments will be available at this free event.

Also

A VA Healthcare System Town Hall takes place at Best Western plus Beachfront Inn on Boat Basin Road in Brookings February 16, from 5:30-7pm. This will be an open dialogue listening forum.

EOTSC20160214 (th) Reedsport traffic detour & Bandon Library AUTHOR NIGHT

As a result of Confluence in Reedsport, there will be a traffic detour on Winchester Avenue between 4th and 5th streets. The detour will begin about 5pm on Wed Feb 10th and is expected to end Sunday evening Feb 14th about 5pm.

Also

Everyone is welcome to attend AUTHOR NIGHT at the Bandon Library with "WRITING BEHIND THE GRAY LINE: Authoring Fiction and Non-fiction Behind the Closed Doors of National Security" Monday, February 15 at 7pm. Refreshments will be available at this free event.

02/05/2016

this is Crystal and I'm here to let you know that

the Coos Bay Public Schools policy meeting for this month will be February 19th at 9 am. meetings are held at Milner Crest Education Center in Coos Bay, For mor information, go to cbd9.net.

also

The Coos Health & Wellness Public Health Division continues to provide Reproductive Health and STD services. These services can be provided at low cost or free for uninsured community members. To schedule an appointment, call 541-751-2400.

EOTSC20160215 (th) VA Town Hall & Flu Shots

A VA Healthcare System Town Hall takes place at Best Western plus Beachfront Inn on Boat Basin Road in Brookings February 16, from 5:30-7pm. This will be an open dialogue listening forum.

Also

Appointments for Flu Shots are available within a couple of days for everyone 6 months and older at Coos Health & Wellness in North Bend. Please, bring your insurance card. For those with no insurance, cash discounted price is \$35 per dose.

EOTSC20160216 (th) School Exclusion Day & CB Library pajama storytime

February 17 is School Exclusion Day, and the Oregon Immunization Program is reminding parents that children will not be able to attend school or child care starting that day if their records on file show missing immunizations.

www.healthoregon.org/imm

Also

Preschoolers, along with their families, are invited to pajama storytime at the Coos Bay Public Library. Bring your favorite blanket or snuggle toy and enjoy bedtime stories and a cozy craft Thursday, February 18th at 6:30pm in the Myrtlewood Room.

EOTSC20160216 (th) Start Business & CB School District

Southwestern Oregon Community College's Small Business Development Center (Southwestern SBDC) is offering a "Ready Set Start Your Business" workshop on Wed., February 17th, from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm. The class costs \$20 per person and preregistration is required. To register go to www.BizCenter.org.

also

The Coos Bay Public School District will hold a Facilities Planning Committee meeting February 17 at 5:30 PM at Milner Crest Education Center in Coos Bay.

EOTSC20160216 (th) Start Your Business & Hepatitis A immunization

SOCC's "Ready Set Start Your Business" workshop is scheduled for Wed., February 17th, 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm. The class costs \$20 per person and preregistration is required. To register go to www.BizCenter.org.

Also

Food handlers who have Hepatitis A can easily pass the serious liver disease to others. The Hepatitis A immunization series is 2 doses 6 months apart. Appointments are available as soon as one working day at Coos Health & Wellness.

EOTSC20160216 (th) VA Town Hall & CB Library Browser Class

A VA Healthcare System Town Hall will take place at the North Bend Public Library on February 17th from 5:30-7pm. This will be an open dialogue listening forum open to the media. Key staff will assist Veterans with their questions.

Also

The Coos Bay Library is offering an INTRODUCTION TO THE INTERNET BROWSER class for novice computer users. The class will be held on Friday, February 20th, from 9:30 to 11:00am. sign up at the library reference desk.

02/08/2016

this is Crystal here to tell you that

the Roseburg VA Medical Center invites all Veterans, their family members and stakeholders to an open dialogue listening forum. this is an opportunity to be heard and have your questions answered. The meeting will take place on February 17th from 5 to 7 pm at the north bend town hall on sherman ave.

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The Coos Bay Library is offering an INTRODUCTION TO THE INTERNET BROWSER class for novice computer users. The class will be held on Friday, February 19th, from 9:30 to 11:00am. sign up at the library referance desk.

EOTSC20160219 (th) Candidate Roundtable & Fizz-ics Friday

A Candidate Roundtable of this political season will be held at the Coos History Museum on Saturday, February 20th from 10:00am to 11:30am. Participate in small group discussions with the Republican candidates for US Senate and Congress.

also

Coos Bay Public Library Science Club Students in grades K-5 are invited to Fizz-ics Friday, a monthly science club that will meet on the third Friday of each month from 3:30-4:30. For more information, call the Coos Bay library.

EOTSC20160219 (th) Cuts for the Cause & Safety Belt Enforcement

Free haircuts will be given to those who donate. It's "Cuts for the Cause" Saturday February 20th from 10am to 2pm at Lindy's Barbershop on Broadway in North Bend. All proceeds will go to benefit Waterfall Community Health Center.

also

A Safety Belt Enforcement Campaign is in effect now thru February 21st. Members from the Coos Bay Police Department will take to the road during this campaign to focus their attention on seatbelt violations and child safety seatbelt violations.

EOTSC20160219 (th) spring turkey season & SW Oregon Preppers

ODFW offers hunter education classes. Registering for a class or field day costs \$10. Workbook or online course must be completed independently prior to field day. A field day is scheduled at the Glide Baptist Church, Feb. 20, 8 a.m.-1 p.m.

also

Southwestern Oregon Preppers will hold a meeting at Noon on Saturday, February 20 at The Umpqua River Inn and Suites in Reedsport. "Katrina - A first hand account" is the main topic. Join Southwestern Oregon Preppers on Facebook and/or meetup.com.

EOTSC20160221

The "Mindful Mondays" documentaries plus series continues at Coos Bay Public Library on Monday, February 22 at 7 p.m. with a screening of Cowspiracy: The Sustainability Secret.

For more information call the library at 541.269.1101 or visit <http://www.coosbaylibrary.org>.

Also

TRAVEL NIGHT

Monday, February 22, 2016

7 pm at Bandon Library

1204 11th St. SW

Visit "SCOTLAND" with Marilyn Noorda & Linda Wilcox

Everyone welcome, no cost to attend, refreshments served.

Sponsored by Bandon Library Friends/Foundation.

For more info call

541.347.3221

02/11/2016

Crystal here to tell you that

Everyone is welcome to attend the Coos Bay Public Library's environmental documentary titled "COWSPIRACY: The Sustainability Secret" about the hazards of large-scale animal factory farming. show starts this Feb. 22nd at 7pm.

also

Special School Board Meeting this February 22 at 5:30 PM. The agenda and packet will be posted at cbd9.net/schoolboard/agendas by February 19th

02/15/16

This is Crstal here to tell you that

Bay Area Hospital has a Cancer Support Group that meets every Monday, from 9 to 11 a.m., at the Counseling and Bereavement Education Center at 1620 Thompson Road in Coos Bay.

also

Coos Bay Public Library will be offering a free drop-in computer lab, for general questions about computers, on Wednesday, February 24th, from 10:30am to 12:30pm in the Coos Bay Library's Cedar Room.

02/25/16

Crystal here to let you know that

The Bay Area Hospital offers a free blood sugar screening the fourth Thursday of each month, from 9 to 10 a.m., In the hospital's first floor main lobby. Be sure to fast for six hours before the test, and no coffee or tea.

also

Dont miss The 19th annual "Pancakes for life" Located at the coquille fire department this satuday feb 27 from 8 to 11 am. 5 sollars for adults, 3 dollars for kids and the Proceeds go to suppodrt the emanuel childeren's burn center.

EOTSC20160224

Hey it's noah with some local events going on...

Fiddler on the Roof will be performed at the Gloria Dei Lutheran Chruch starting february 26th. on Fridays and saturdays doors open at 5:30, and sunday matinees open at 2.

Book lovers listen up! The library will be holding their annual book sale on February 27th at the Langlois Lions Club. It runs from 9 am to 4 pm, Coffee, tea, and goodies will be available!

EOTSC20160227 Coquille Firefighter Pancake Breakfast

Coquille Firefighters present their 19th annual "Pancakes for Life" in support of the Emmanuael Childrens Burn Center at the Coquille Fire dept on Saturday February 27th from 8 to 11 am. Adults are \$5 and children are \$3

also

FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY HABITAT FOR HUMANITY WILL BE ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR NEW FAMILY SELECTIONS FOR THE NEW CONSTRUCTION BUILD. APPLICATIONS available AT THE HABITAT RESTORE ACROSS FROM CASH N CARRY ON SECOND STREET , COOS BAY. FOR MORE INFO CALL 541-756-9080 OR 541-756-1600

02/25/16

Crystal here to tell you that the

CB library's healthy new year series continues on monday feb 29 at 7pm Stephanie Polizzi, MPH, RND will be presenting "PLANT POWER" about how a plant-based diet can prevent or reverse diabetes, heart disease, and more. the program is free and everyone is welcome

also

FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY HABITAT FOR HUMANITY WILL BE ACCECPTING APPLICATION for THE NEW CONSTRUCTION BUILD. Pick up an application at AT THE HABITAT RESTORE ON SECOND STREET IN DOWNTOWN COOS BAY.

EOTSC20160228 Mayor Contest and Salem Hunter rep

Enter the "If I were Mayor" contest.

Share your idea about what you would do as mayor!

Local winners are entered into the state contest for a chance to win a NEW IPAD AIR 2 TABLET!!!

CONTEST DEADLINE: APRIL 29, 2016 To submit your entry, please complete the form located on the City's coosbay.org website

also

Help provide hunting access and improve wildlife habitat on private land by serving on the Access and Habitat Board. ODFW is recruiting for a Hunter Representative position on the statewide Board and applications are due by Feb. 29, 2016.

Please contact Isaac Sanders at (503) 947-6087 for more info

02/25/16

Crystal here

Local non-profits are encouraged to apply for BAH Community Foundation grants by March 1. Any non-profit organization can be awarded a grant, as long as the funds go to contribute to the health and well-being of our community.

also

The Coos Bay Public Library will be hosting a birthday party for Dr. Seuss on wednesday march 2nd at 6pm and your envited! The fun includes Dr. Seuss stories, birthday cake, and a FREE book for each child who attends.

02/25/16

Crystal here

The Coos Health & Wellness Public Health Division continues to provide Reproductive Health and STD services. These services can be provided at low cost or for free for uninsured community members and appointments are available within a few days

also

A series of FREE caregiver classes begins on March 2, and runs for six consecutive Wednesdays through April 6. Please choose afternoons from 3:00 – 4:30 or evenings from 6:00 – 7:30. Classes meet at Bay Area Community Health & Education Center at 3950 Sherman in NB

EOTSC20160305 Bite of Bandon - Organic Cranberry Growers

The Bandon Community Youth Center invites you to the Bite of Bandon Culinary Showcase and Auction March 5th at 6 in the Bandon Community Center. Tickets can be purchased at the Bandon Mercantile and Radio Shack in the Bandon Ace Hardware.

If your interested in Organic Cranberry Growing plan to attend a meet and greet cranberry producers, handlers, and marketers March 5th at 9 in the Bandon Library.

EOTSC20160312 Coquille Garden plots and Bandon Library film night

CLASSIC FILM NIGHT

Monday, March 14, 2016

7 pm at Bandon Library

"On Borrowed Time" (Warner Bros, 1939, B/W, 99 min.)

Starring Lionel Barrymore

Everyone welcome, no cost to attend, refreshments served.

Sponsored by Bandon Library Friends/Foundation.

Call 541.347.3221 for more info

also

Starting February 1st, Coquille Community Garden beds are available for rent. A 4X12. garden bed for the entire growing season is only \$20.00.

Applications are available at the Coquille Sentinel office, the Coquille Library or at the garden located between 1st and 2nd St. on Baxter

03/15/16

crystal here

From March 21 through April 4th The COOS BAY POWER SQUADRON will have their ABC CLASS,for THE OREGON BOATERS EDUCATION CARD, required to operate a boat over 10 hp. call 541-888-6178 to register.

also

On Saturday, March 26, from 10am to 1pm, thousands of Oregonians will scour beaches for trash washed in from winter storms. volunteers of all ages are welcome. Register online at solveoregon.org

03/21/2016

Crystal here
the umpqua discover center offers exhibits and activities to teach us about the history of the lower umpqua area. Check out [umpqua discovery center dot com](http://umpqua.discoverycenter.com) to learn more.

also

The Gloria Barron Prize for Young Heroes honors 25 leaders ages 8 to 18 who have made a positive impact in their communities, or the environment. The top fifteen winners receive 5,000 dollars to support their service or higher education. Applications are accepted online only by April 15. visit barronprize.org/apply

03/28/2016

Crystal Here with some free event information for the Coos Bay public library.

On Monday april 4th you can get an instructors help for downloading eBooks and audiobooks. its not a formal class just come in between 12 to 2pm for help with problems, questions or just to get started.

and then

On Wednesday april 6th from 1 to 4pm the library will be hosting a job fair. Employers and Job seekers are invited to this free event for a chance to make connections. Call the Library for more information.

03/28/2016

Crystal here

Coos Bay Public Library will be offering an INTRODUCTION TO THE INTERNET class Friday, April 8th, from 9:30am to 11:00am. Seating is limited so preregistration is required.

also

The 3rd Annual Coos County Chili Challenge is Saturday, April 9th, 4pm – 7pm at the Coquille Community Building. proceeds benefit the Coos County Mounted Sheriff's and Search and Rescue organizations. \$5 for adults, \$3 for kids, \$1 for dessert

1/4/18

Good morning, this is Timm Slater with your weekly Chamber minute.

With fallen leaves clogging your gutters and frost on the windshield, we begin thinking about the New Year and its challenges. At the Chamber we begin our preparation for 2016's opportunities and successes with the annual Board planning session.

Remember the on-line survey we talked about in September? For the past several years we have used your input about what you see are the most important issues facing our community, how you think the Chamber has been dealing with them and what you would like to have us address in the next year.

With that information and our Committees 2016 goals, the Chamber sets its Strategic Objectives for the next year.

Part of the success of that effort depends on leadership. The Executive committee for 2016 was just elected so let me share that information with you.

President—Barry Winters—Barrett Business Services

President-Elect—Jessica Engelke—Southwestern Oregon Community College.

Past President—Rick Skinner—Knife River Materials

**Vice President—Government Affairs & Economic Development—Tom Burdett—
Bnt Promotional Products**

Vice President—Tourism & Membership—Deena Gisholt—Oregon Pacific Bank

**Vice President—Communication & Community Outreach—Deborah Rudd—
South Slough Reserve**

Secretary—Pam de Jong—Edward Jones Investments

Treasurer—Michele Hampton—Banner Bank

Your community has succeeded as a result of people working together. Your Chamber of Commerce provides the perfect mechanism for continued community cooperation and success. So come join us and be part of the Team!

This is Timm Slater, for the Bay Area Chamber of Commerce, remember our business is helping your business. And like us on facebook.

01-11-16

Good morning, this is Timm Slater with your weekly Chamber Minute.

The annual Bay Area Chamber of Commerce Awards banquet is scheduled for Saturday January 30st, beginning at 6 pm in the Salmon room at the Mill Casino-Hotel. Our theme is "Bettin' on the Bay". You are invited to join us to celebrate the achievements of 2015 and those outstanding leaders and businesses in our community who inspired us. Besides excellent food, fellowship and a bit of fun, we will take the time to recognize those who regularly made a difference for you and me, with the awarding of the Citizen, Business, Ambassador and Chamber member of the year. Additionally the Prefontaine Athletic Award is given, and, a new tradition we started in the last couple of years, celebrating organizations who are critical to the success of our community. As we did last year, we will also be recognizing an Educator of the year. So get your tickets today, at the Chamber office .

While you are marking events on the calendar, don't forget to circle February 13th, as that's the day for the Charleston's Merchants' 31st annual Crab Feed. This affair is held at the "old" Charleston Elementary School on Seven Devils Road from 11:00 am to 3:00 pm. ^{Assoc}You have your choice of a whole or half, fresh Oregon Dungeness crab dinner with all the fixings. Additionally there will be some great prize drawings. While it's fine food and generally, a lot of fun, the important reason to show up, is that this is the major fundraiser each year which keeps the Charleston Visitor Information Center open. So see you there!

This is Timm Slater for the Bay Area Chamber of Commerce, remember our business is helping your business. *And like us on Facebook.*

*Thank you for your support
Timm Slater*

1/18/16

Good morning, this is Timm Slater with your weekly Chamber Minute.

Often you have heard me say that the Chamber's strength comes from utilizing the vast collective experiences and energy of our diverse membership of over 580 businesses. So how do we do that? In many ways, it's through their participation on one of our teams. Let me re-introduce you to those opportunities.

Ambassadors—Are the Red-coated welcoming team that greets dignitaries, cuts ribbons and hosts Business after Hours each month.

Business Development & Support—works for a positive business climate which promotes retention and expansion activities throughout Oregon's Bay Area.

Natural Resources—helps to educate the public on timber and fishing issues and other natural resource opportunities which affect our coastal community.

Legislative Action—Serves as an advocate for Chamber members and the business community in local and state issues impacting quality of life, growth and business viability.

Wednesday Business Connection—hosts a weekly business or community related forum from September through May, which provides folks networking opportunities and current issue information.

Leadership Coos—A program which gives an in depth introduction to all aspects of our community over 9 months each year, while encouraging personal investment of time and effort into making a difference.

Chamber members can be part of any of these teams. In fact that is the only way we are successful. So give us a call and we will set you up. Oh there are even a few more hard working groups to introduce you to, but that will have to wait for another day.

This is Timm Slater for the Bay Area Chamber of Commerce, remember our business is helping your business. And like us on Facebook.

1/25/16

Good morning, this is Timm Slater with your weekly Chamber minute.

Last week we talked about how you can make a difference in our local business climate by working on one of your chamber's teams. We didn't get through all the opportunities at that time, so let me introduce you to the rest *more of them*.

Marketing & Communication—this team reviews and revises all means of communication, to include website, social media, press releases, radio and others to ensure that our message gets out successfully.

Membership Development—has been extremely active this past year with several fund raising social events, developing personal contact opportunities for all members, and reinforcing the value and benefits of membership to maintain a strong and viable organization.

Education—provides support to our local schools so they have the resources to help students achieve their dreams and become productive adults, by improving communication with business community, monitoring school performance, recognizing excellence, exposing students to careers and job opportunities and enhancing facilities.

Tourism—Takes a leadership role in developing and improving tourism partnerships and communications on all levels. They provide ideas, resources and programs to support both new and expanding tourism based businesses.

Transportation—Works continuously to ensure that highways, rail, harbors and air services are maintained and upgraded to better serve the businesses and residents of the south coast.

Chamber members can be part of any of these teams. In fact that is the only way we are successful. So give us a call and we will set you up.

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2/1/16

Good morning, this is Timm Slater with your weekly Chamber minute.

Wow, did we have a great evening this past Saturday with the Bay Area Chamber Awards Banquet—Bettin' on the Bay! Wonderful food, unique entertainment, and a variety of awards and recognitions which truly make this a community celebration.

Citizen of the year is an honor given to a member of our community who, by consistently giving of their time, energy and resources, has made Oregon's Bay Area a better place to live. For 2015 that award was given to Allan Ledesma. He is probably best known as a computer whiz helping many non-profits be successful on line. He also believes in kids learning and enjoying sports, especially soccer.

The Business of the Year award is given to a business that has exhibited excellence in products and customer service; contributed time, manpower and resources to community improvement projects; and excelled in employee relations and training. The 2015 award went to Oregon Pacific Bank, honoring their excellence in business and strong commitment to the community.

Chamber Member of the Year is given to that member, who through their efforts, has carried us to a new level of community service and impact. In 2015 we had two superstars. Pam Plummer, of Umpqua Bank, with her work leading the Business Development & Support and the Marketing & Communication Teams was co-winner with Rick Skinner, Knife River Materials. Rick was a leader in the Legislative Action team during the 2015 session and more.

What a great evening! Plan to be at the banquet next year, the last Saturday of January.

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Have you been to the Wednesday Business Connection Luncheons lately? Well chances are some of your friends have. In January we averaged crowds of more than 80, who on successive Wednesdays, heard from the Jordan Cove Energy project, Cardinal Services on the impact to business of the 2015 Oregon legislature, the College's upgrading of the 50 year old Science and Health building and the Coos Bay and North Bend Mayors with a report on 2015 accomplishments and their expectations for 2016.

WBC offers you the chance (September through May) to network with others, promote your business or event with the weekly open mic while keeping current on issues which impact your operations and Oregon's Bay Area, through our main presentation.

Last week we heard about the exciting Coquille Carousel project. This week Jason Brandt of the Oregon Restaurant & Lodging Association will highlight the proposal to increase the statewide lodging tax. Later in this month, Guy Tauer, the Regional Economist for WorkSource Oregon and one of our annual Economic Outlook speakers, will be back to talk Coos County economic and workforce trends. Lastly we'll from Hugh link of the Oregon Dungeness Crab Commission on their success this season.

What a great informational and networking resource for you. That's the Wednesday Business Connection (WBC), every Wednesday from 11:30 to 1:00 pm in the Salmon Room at the Mill Casino-Hotel. If you have people, issues or services you would like to see as the focus of a WBC luncheon, give us a call at the Chamber.

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2-13-17

Good morning, this is Timm Slater with your weekly Chamber minute.

A momentous movie, to some of my generation, was Smokey and the Bandit. It introduced us to the Pontiac Trans Am. For over 25 years following that movie, I collected articles, pictures and books on the TA. I watched its styles and horsepower change. Finally, I found a late model in perfect shape, low miles and a great price. To everyone's surprise, I brought it. At long last, a dream realized.

Over the years, your Chamber has been the source of many dreams realized. The Tourism committee began with a focus to extend the seasons people come to visit us. They also believed tourism could become a significant part of our local economy. Their success has proved them right. Leadership Coos was formed to educate community members to the many facets of our area. It also had a goal to help produce the next set of community leaders. Today you find its graduates leading local business, government and agencies. Last year the Business Development & Support committee was re-energized and focused. It engaged the Chambers throughout the County in our common purpose of economic development. It began a second meeting a month to deal with the impact of the Jordan Cove Energy project construction. Also they facilitated dialogue between our cities and contractors to improve doing business.

So who will be the next "Business Development & Support", the new dream realized, of this Chamber year? Our community has many needs and opportunities that you, as a chamber member, can make happen.

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2-29-16

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For the past several months we have talked about the various teams, activities and opportunities the Chamber is involved in. But why be a Chamber member? Each year I ask that question of our directors, who are your friends and neighbors. Here's a little of what they had to say.

- I am active with the Bay Area Chamber of Commerce because I feel strongly that the business community supports one another and works to encourage the growth of our region. We must get back on a sustainable foundation where we are better able to provide for ourselves.
- I belong to the Chamber because I like the forward movement I am seeing. We have moved from a quaint networking group to building a business advocacy powerhouse. I feel we are making a difference in our area. Our voice is being heard and we are actively representing our almost 600 members. We are building connections with key people and businesses to help move this area forward. We are doing this all while we continue to build our membership providing those key networking opportunities that strengthen our team.
- I believe that as a business owner, I have a responsibility to invest my time and money back into the community that supports me and my family. As the community flourishes, so will my business.
- It is simple. We are stronger, have more influence and clout when we work together. We will each be successful when we are all successful.

So if you want to make a difference for your business and your community, join us today.

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3-18-16

Good morning, this is Timm Slater with your weekly chamber minute.

This year's Bay Area Chamber of Commerce Business Directory and Community Profile will be hitting the streets this week. Besides getting this wonderful area promotion piece to hotel-motels, real estate offices and other major users, you, as a chamber member, have always gotten a copy mailed to you.

This Thursday, March 24th, chamber members will personally hand most of you a copy of the 2016 Directory and the 2016 Chamber window decal, with our QR code, at your business. Additionally you will get an invitation to the Meet n Greet at NW Natural at 5 pm. Folks will gather at the Chamber office on Central Avenue in Coos Bay at 9 am to form into teams, get their member lists and boxes of the new directory. We have split Oregon's Bay Area into 30 units with a team to work each one. So from 10 am to 5 pm look for one of your chamber friends and neighbors to be dropping by.

But hey, the day's not over yet! At 5 pm NW Natural will be hosting a feed at their office on N. 7th Street in Coos Bay. You have to eat somewhere that evening, so why not with your business and community friends. Come on down!

If you want to be part of the distribution teams, give us a call and we can sign you up. So mark it down March 24th for food, fellowship and fun—while getting your first look at our excellent 2016 area promotion piece.

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3-25-16

Good morning, this is Timm Slater with your weekly Chamber Minute.

It's Spring! Isn't it great to go to work and come home in the daylight? All over the small green leaves are budding out and the daffodils are sprouting by the road side. Our thoughts turn to yard work, barbecues and getting ready for visitors.

National Tourism week is May 1 through May 7. Since we have company coming, a Bay Area Brigade has been organized to clean up Highway 101 on Saturday May 7th from 9 am to 11 am. We have 101 broken into areas to be covered by Pirates, Bulldogs or Lakers. When your two hour shift is done, everyone will head for the Mingus Park in Coos Bay for a free BBQ Lunch and to find out which team will receive the Bay Area Brigade Trash Trophy. If you don't have a team, come on down to the starting point on Saturday and we will match you up with a one to help make Oregon's Bay Area sparkle!

At 9 am, Saturday May 7th, we will all gather at the North Bend Fire Hall. At the registration site, besides signing your waivers, there will be 101 section maps, garbage bags, trash pickers vests and gloves available from ODOT and SOLVE. At the end of the event ODOT will collect all the trash bags.

If you think your business isn't a tourist related, think again. In 2014, for example, Coos County visitors spent \$29 million on ground transportation and motor fuel. They spent over \$28 million in retail stores and another \$24 million in grocery stores.

So hey let's all get out and spruce up the Highway. Company is coming!

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