

EVENT: MLK JR Day of Service

EVENT DATE: January 18, 2016

INTERVIEW: January 7, 2016

GUESTS: Katya Spiecker

PERTINENT INFORMATION: The Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday is the only federal holiday observed as a day of service – a “day on, not a day off.” Over the past six years, more than 1,700 volunteers in Central Oregon have donated their time to local nonprofits on MLK Day. Volunteer Connect works to honor his legacy with action by participating in the MLK JR Day of Service. Volunteers are needed for a few short hours at one of many project sites on January 18, 2015. People can sign up in groups or as individuals and choose a project that fits your interest in Bend, Redmond, Prineville or Madras. Last year a record breaking 385 volunteers participated in the Day of Service, utilizing over 1,100 hours of volunteer work to paint, build, arrange flowers, make dog beds and so much more. To learn more or to serve, go to www.volunteerconnectnow.org.

EVENT: Central Oregon Wedding and Event Show

EVENT DATE: January 9, 2016

INTERVIEW:

GUESTS:

PERTINENT INFORMATION: The Central Oregon Wedding and Event Show is being held on Saturday, January 9 from 10 AM to 4 PM at the Riverhouse Convention Center. Admission is \$5.00 and all proceeds will be donated to Ronald McDonald Charities of Central Oregon. The event includes fashion shows featuring the latest bridal trends, along with creative entertainment ideas, exhibitor booths with helpful resources and a “Grooms Lounge” with a bar. In addition, The Dress in Redmond has donated a Hawaiian Honeymoon package as part of a \$5,000 Dream Wedding Package. Find out more at www.thecoshow.com.

EVENT: Rubbish Renewed Eco-Fashion Show

EVENT DATE: January 14, 2016

INTERVIEW: January 13, 2016

GUESTS: Amy Anderson and Maggie, Lilah, Tatum and Violet (students from Realms)

PERTINENT INFORMATION: Rooted in a love of fashion, an appreciation of art and a passion for the planet, *Rubbish Renewed Eco Fashion Show* is an annual fundraising event for REALMS Magnet School. Started in 2010, this fundraiser features an eclectic, wearable art runway show (featuring both *trash fashion* and *re-fashioned* garments), a live and silent auction, a gallery style marketplace (where contributing local artists sell and showcase their work), the *Business Challenge* (where local businesses turn their waste into fashion for a chance to win the *coveted trash trophy*) and local food and drink. The *Rubbish Renewed Eco Fashion Show* showcases how we “fashion” our lives while lessening waste and fuses environmental responsibility, funky fashion and community. Proceeds benefit REALMS Magnet School. Tickets for both an early, all-ages show and a later, over-21 show are available online at www.rubbishrenewed.com.

EVENT: Tour of 101.7 FM for Cub Scout Pack 24