

Chiloquin News

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Morning light on Tom's elm tree. Photo courtesy of Joan Rowe.

NASA satellite Images



Colby fire in California

Announcements



Joan would like to thank the Chiloquin Vector Control Board who approved a \$25.00 payment as a community service, to assist with the costs of the new Chiloquin.com website.



Chiloquin Elementary school would like to thank The Klamath Tribes for donating funds, and ODE for the grant, that enabled us to purchase a mobile computer lab. for the students.

Reminder: January 23rd is the end of 1st semester.

Chiloquin Elementary School

February 7th: Klamath Tribes Give a kid a smile

February 13th: Community Team Meeting from 3:30 to 5:00. Light Dinner will be served.

February 19th: Immunization Exclusion Day.

February 27th: Family Math Night 5:00 to 6:30. Snacks will be served

Chiloquin JR/SR High School

Would like to announce that Chiloquin JR/SR High School has started a Junior High after school program from 3:15 to 5:00 pm Mon-Thurs. Transportation is provided. If you have any questions Please call 541-783-2321.



Items of interest to Chiloquin on the agenda of the Klamath County Board Of Commissioners
Tuesday, January 21, 2014 - 9:00 A.M. Commissioners' Hearing Room

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SUNDAY January 26: Reverend Kathleen Erion will be leading the service for the Chiloquin United Methodist Church. Services this week will be held at 135 S. Charley Ave, Chiloquin (off LaLakes) and begin at 11 AM. Everyone is welcome. Kiddush following services.



Calling all Crocheters and Knitters - Join us in showing appreciation to our troops!

We are a group of crocheters and knitters who put our hooks and yarn to good use to hand make scarves and hats. We come together to share our love of crocheting/knitting and to make a difference in the lives of our Troops. Since our launch in December of 2013, we have ladies both locally and in several states crocheting/knitting for this cause. It's our goal to donate 300 hats and scarves to Operation Gratitude by September 1st 2014. Donations of yarn and hooks are welcomed and appreciated.

There are two drop off locations in So. Oregon.
Contact Victoria with Linking Loops in Klamath Falls at easygoingmama@gmail.com
Diane in Chiloquin at: designsbydiane3@gmail.com

Please visit our website for more information on size requirements and colors of yarn to be used. linkingloops.wordpress.com



Chiloquin Open Door

Hello, I would like to introduce myself-My name is Jonathan Neal, I am a Physician Assistant in family practice-

I will be one of our two new medical providers serving at the Chiloquin Open Door on Tuesdays and Fridays- alongside a female Nurse Practitioner covering Mondays and Wednesdays starting in March.

I have worked at Klamath Open Door Family Practice, the sister clinic to Chiloquin Open Door, for the past 8 years and recently relocated to the Chiloquin area and am looking forward to serving this community. We will be offering a wide array of family practice, women's health, pediatric, urgent care and in-office surgical procedures for your convenience as a primary care home. As your primary care home we also handle referrals to specialists as needed and offer nurse care management for nutrition, diabetes and smoking cessation with Janelle RN.

Don't forget, every Wednesday is our dental clinic day, so schedule early and get those teeth in top condition!

We are currently accepting new patients and will do our best to provide you with the medical care that you and your loved ones need. We have changed our hours and now offer extended hours until 6 pm for those needing later appointments. We also offer a sliding scale for those without insurance so please stop by and pick up a new patient packet.

Contact Cindy or Penny for more info or if you have further questions:

Clinic Phone number- 541-783-2292

Clinic hours- MTWF- 8 am to 6 pm., Closed Thursdays

It is time to get back in control of your health- schedule today!

Jonathan Neal MS, PA-C

Dry Winter Weather puts Firefighters on Alert

Yreka, Ca. -California is experiencing an unprecedented dry winter which is putting firefighters on alert as several fires have burned throughout the county and state. For many locations across Northern California, 2013 was the driest calendar year on record.

Currently a large wildfire is burning in the Angeles National Forest. Local personnel from the U.S. Forest Service and CAL FIRE have been dispatched to aid in the firefighting effort. Though CAL FIRE has year round staffing in many areas, current conditions warrant additional staffing to meet the increased threat of wildfire. Here in Siskiyou County we have had several fire starts in the last few weeks, which were kept small due to a quick response from fire agencies.

We ask the public to remain informed of current weather conditions and take the same precautions they would take during summer. When burning, have a permit, and take steps to ensure proper clearance around your pile, have a water source and don't burn on windy days.

Please be extremely careful with anything that can cause a spark. Anyone using equipment, like mowers, should be aware of their surroundings. A loose trailer chain can start multiple fires along roadsides. Make sure your vehicle is properly maintained with nothing dragging on the ground. Check tire pressures and maintain vehicle brakes. Driving on an exposed rim throws sparks. A small flame can get out of control very quickly. Please report all fires or any suspicious activity by calling 9-1-1.

More fire safety information is available at <http://www.preventwildfireca.org>.

A letter from the library

Dear Chiloquin, Malin and Merrill Libraries and Library Supporters,

Through the Klamath Cultural Coalition, the local funding arm of the Oregon Cultural Trust, the Friends of the Library are helping us to administer a grant to create a clay-process art project.

The project, called Faces of Diversity, will be administered by established local artist Richard Bergstrom. He is the person responsible for the wonderful clay tree in the youth services area of the Main Library - which was also created by local youth. The grant we received pays for the clay and the glaze and the tools. Rich gives all his time for free. He is an excellent and patient teacher with students of all ages.

Faces of Diversity will gather students, hopefully at your library locations (but also at the schools if necessary) to create faces made of clay. Those works will be fired in a kiln, brought back to their creators and glazed, then fired once again. All the faces will be mounted onto a board and the finished product will be on permanent display at the new South Suburban library branch. We hope to have a total of 200 faces for the finished product. Faces will be all shapes, sizes and colors.

Why this project? Why these branches?

Faces of Diversity is a mini-grant wrapped inside a larger National Park Service grant-funded project called The Art of Survival (AOS). AOS looks at the arts, crafts and creative innovations of those who were confined in the Japanese American camps during World War II.

For this clay faces project, the committee and Rich felt that Merrill and Malin branches would be appropriate because of their proximity to Tulelake and the rich history in the area from this WWII era. Merrill and Malin are also rich with ethnic diversity - Czech, Irish, Mexican-American, among others.

They felt that Chiloquin would be ideal because it is also ethnically diverse and often underrepresented in the county.

Will any and all of you contact me and help me brainstorm how to attract the youth and set the dates for this project? What will be needed is at least one session at each branch to make the faces and a follow-up session to glaze the faces. We may need to repeat this process if we don't get enough youth but hopefully we will as Rich is going to also work with kids at the Integrated Youth Services. It will require tables that we can cover with plastic and we have tarps you can put on the floors.

This project will ideally be completed by April. Thanks for your help! This will be fun and a great way to engage youth in your communities.

Christy Davis
Klamath County Library Service District
cdavis@klamathlibrary.org
[541-882-8894](tel:541-882-8894) ext. #23

Train Mountain Appeal



On Tuesday February 25 at 6:00pm the Klamath County Planning Commission and the Board of County Commissioners will hold a hearing that will determine the future of Train Mountain.

We need to send Lots of Supporting EMail.

We need to fill the room with Supporters.

There will be an Open House Meet starting Saturday Feb 22 and ending with the Hearing Tuesday Evening. The meet will be Free and open to members and non-members. A current liability release will need to be signed.

Train Mountain has requested that the county create a new Train Park Zone that :

- 1) Allows a Track Connected Community to house volunteers on 2+ acre lots on 129 acres on the west side of TM.
- 2) Allows a Train Park Support area on 39 acres around Central Station. This lets us build track, run the store, improve Blue Caboose, develop the museum, etc. as permitted uses instead of non-conforming, grandfathered, or conditional uses.

There are 2.3 million non profits in the US.... 1.6 million registered with IRS. The top 7% have budgets of \$100,000 a year or more. 94% of non-profits with annual revenues below \$200,000 are run exclusively by volunteers. Train Mountain is just like all the other non-profits. It only has enough money to be run by volunteers. We have to have a track connected community to attract and retain the volunteers needed to run Train Mountain. This is critical to TMs future.

More info at : <http://www.tmr.org/Resources/special/OpenHouseMeet.pdf>

WE REALLY NEED YOUR HELP ON THIS :

SEND EMAILS

Please send an email supporting the Train Mountain Application. The email should go to Mark Gallagher, Planning Director... mgallagher@co.klamath.or.us Sample Text is :

Dear Mr. Gallagher,

I am writing to support Train Mountain's application to allow a Train Connected Residential Community for volunteer workers and to allow the activities necessary to support the Train Park.

*Sincerely,
Your name*

If you have volunteered at TM, talk about that. If you think about having a place at TM and building a life that includes working on TM, talk about that. And talk about why Train Mountain is important to you.

Oregon land use law allows a County to approve residential development on Resource Lands (TM is Forestry) outside a designated Urban Growth Area (like Chiloquin) to house Workers for an established Economic Activity. Here we are creating housing for Volunteer Workers that will help Train Mountain.

ATTEND THE HEARING -- We need to fill the room with supporters. The proposal will be heard by the Klamath County Planning Commission and Klamath County Commissioners on Tuesday Feb 25th at 6:00pm in the Klamath County Government Center, 305 Main Street, Klamath Falls, Oregon. Sometimes only the back door of the buiding is open in the evenings.

This is fully supported by the Train Mountain Board of Directors

Tom Watson, Chuck Barnes, Dennis Ward, John Cooper, Jerry Crane, Jim Armstrong and a personal note....

I very seldom ask you to interrupt your life and do something critical for Train Mountain. We really need to get more volunteers to live at Train Mountain if it is going to survive. We have to get this. Please send an email now. It is a numbers game. Have your spouse, and everyone you know voice their support for Train Mountain. If you post to a list of people that might help, ask them to send supporting emails. PLEASE make a special effort and come to the hearing. We need to make a strong showing. This is as important as getting rid of the IRS liens. WE NEED YOU!

John Black

Two Rivers Gallery presents:

Richard Johnson
singer, songwriter, guitarist

In concert at the
Chiloquin Community Center.
140 S. 1st Ave., Chiloquin, OR

Join us for an evening of
music from the 20's-60's,
traditional Irish and American
folk songs and Richard's own
songs and guitar compositions.

Friday January 24th
7:30 PM – 9:00 PM

\$8/person, advance sales
\$10/person, at the door

Buy advance tickets
at Two Rivers Gallery, 541-783-3326

Performance donated by Richard as a fundraiser for Two Rivers Gallery.
Join with him to help support the local artists of this area.



STORYTIME
FOR
PRESCHOOLERS
(and grown-ups too!)



EVERY WEDNESDAY

AT 1:30 P.M.

TWO OR THREE
STORIES, SONGS, AND
A SIMPLE CRAFT



This Month's Themes:

January 1st ~ LIBRARY CLOSED

January 8th ~ Snow

January 15th ~ Hats

January 22nd ~ Bath Time

January 29th ~ Jobs

Fishing trip raffles

WIN A FLY FISHING TRIP

WOOD OR WILLIAMSON RIVER

SUMMER OF 2014

Randy Jarvis is generously donating a trip to take you on a fabulous fishing trip on either river on a date of your choosing, July thru October 2014

Buy raffle tickets for \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00

Drawing will take place May 30, 2014

Trip value \$350.00

TICKET MONEY WILL BENEFIT THE FAMILY AND COMMUNITY EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND FOR CHILOQUIN HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS

Contact Sandie for tickets 541-892-2336

ONE DAY FLYFISHING TRIP FOR TWO PEOPLE

On the Williamson and Wood Rivers

DATE TO BE AGREED UPON

July-October 2014

CATCH AND RELEASE



DONATED TO FCE
BY TAILWATER FISHERIES, LLC.

Chiloquin Visions in Progress



When: Saturday, February 1st

Chiloquin Community Center

Dinner served: 5pm to 6pm or gone

Menu: Chicken & Vegetable Stir Fry

Potstickers, Rice, Orange slices, & Fortune Cookie

Jasmine Tea

\$8.00 per person

BINGO 6PM TO 9PM

BOOK OF 10 GAMES: \$10.00 EACH, 20 GAMES WILL BE PLAYED

JACKPOTS AT GAME 10 & GAME 20

THE MATA MATA TURTLE - *Chelus fimbriata*

(reprinted from The Garden of Eaden Facebook page of horticulturist and part-time traveller Simon Eade.)



When it comes to looking like the leaf litter found at the bottom of a pond then there is only one contender - the Mata Mata turtle! Native to the Amazon and Orinoco basins, the Mata Mata turtles range stretches into northern Bolivia, eastern Peru, Ecuador, eastern Colombia, Venezuela, the Guianas, and northern and central Brazil. It is strictly an aquatic species and spends most of its day in shallow water with its snout just proud of the surface so it can breathe.

Image credit - J. Patrick Fischer



The Mata Mata turtle was discovered by French naturalist Pierre Barrère in 1741 and is the only surviving member of the *Chelus* genus.

It is a large, sedentary turtle which inhabits the warm, acidic waters of slow moving, blackwater streams, stagnant pools, marshes, and swamps. The mata mata is carnivorous, feeding exclusively upon aquatic invertebrates and fish.

The Mata Mata's camouflage has evolved to help it become undetectable to its prey. Its shell and head resembles fallen vegetation, and as it remains motionless in the water, its skin flaps enable it to blend into the surrounding vegetation until its prey comes close.

When feeding, it thrusts out its head and opens its large mouth as wide as possible. This creates a low-pressure vacuum that sucks the prey into its mouth. Its prey is swallowed whole as the Mata Mata is unable to chew.

Image credit - Stan Shebs

<http://gardenofeaden.blogspot.co.uk/2013/12/the-mata-mata-turtle-chelus-fimbriata.html>



AREA EVENTS

Calendar courtesy of Mata Rust Updated 01/16/14

Submit events for inclusion to rustm@fireserve.net

DATE	EVENT	DESC	LOCATION/CONTACT
Monday - Friday Noon - 6 PM	Wine tasting	A large variety of wines from Oregon, as well as from throughout the world.	The Oregon Gift Store and Oregon Wine Cellar 733 Main St. 541 884-1600
Mondays 6 - 7 PM	Family yoga		Mike's Fieldhouse www.basinunited.org 541 273-1152
Tuesdays 3 - 6 PM	Year-round Tuesday Market	Vegetarian Deli. Fresh Organic produce, vegetables, local honey, Oregon flours, fresh eggs, baked items, soaps, handmade novelties. Selection varies by season. Call for each week's offerings.	Green Way EcoMart 249 EAST MAIN STREET Klamath Falls, Oregon 541-205-3488 www.greenwayecomart.com
Tuesdays 5:30 PM	Family Night	All ages welcome	Klamath County Library
Tuesdays & Thursdays 5:45 - 6:45 PM	Zumba Fitness Classes		Chiloquin 541 633-5521 vkovak@centurytel.net
Tuesdays, beginning Jan. 14 5 - 9 PM	Fajita Night	Chips & Salsa Choice of Chicken and/or Beef Fajitas served with Rice & Beans Garnished with Guacamole, Sour Cream & Pico de Gallo Choice of Flour or Corn Tortillas \$14.95 Margaritas Only \$5	Ruddy Duck Restaurant Running Y
Tues 5:30 PM and Thurs 10:30 AM, beg Jan. 25	Klamath County Library's Bear Month	Stories, songs, and crafts. All ages invited to participate	Klamath County Library
Wednesdays 10 AM - 11 AM	"Wacky Wednesday"	\$1 for 1 hour visit per person.	Children's Museum of Klamath Falls 541 885-2995 www.cmkf.org
Wednesday	Fish & Chips	A very popular special, every Wednesday.	Ruddy Duck at Running Y 541 850-5582
Thursdays 11 AM - noon	CASA open volunteer orientations.		CASA office 403 Pine St., 3 rd floor 541 885-6017
Thursdays 10 - 11 AM	Yoga Class	Please bring yoga mat, blocks, belt, and blanket or bath towel if you need a headrest. Certified instructor.	Chiloquin Community Center 541 892-4130 541 783-2070
Thursdays 11 AM		Children's story and craft time every Thursday at 11:00 AM	Keno Branch Library 541-273-0750
Fridays 10:30 AM	Storytime	Geared toward preschoolers	Klamath County Library
Fridays	Prime rib special		Ruddy Duck at Running Y 541 850-5582
Fridays 6 - 9 PM	Wine tasting & live music	A large variety of wines from Oregon, as well as from throughout the world. Happy hour.	The Oregon Gift Store and Oregon Wine Cellar 733 Main St. www.theoregongiftstore.com 541 884-1600
Every first Friday of the month	Date night	Childcare so "you" the caregiver can enjoy a night out on the town. Fee will be \$4 per hour per child, \$3 per hour per child for current members. Dinner for your child will be included; pre-registration is a must as only a certain amount of slots will be available.	Children's Museum of Klamath Falls
Every second Saturday of the month	Date night	Childcare so "you" the caregiver can enjoy a night out on the town. Fee will be \$4 per hour per child, \$3 per hour per child for current members. Dinner for your child will be included; pre-registration is a must as only a certain amount of slots will be available.	Children's Museum of Klamath Falls
Saturdays 10:30 AM	Angels in Whiskers	Read to a canine angel	Klamath County Library

Saturdays December - March 1 PM	Crystal Cave guided tour	Spectacular ice formations, open only to park visitors on small ranger-guided tours during the winter months. The 3-hour tours must be reserved 3 weeks in advance.	Lava Beds National Monument 530 667-8113
Saturdays and Sundays through April 27	Ranger-guided Snowshoe Walks	The walks last 2 hours and cover approximately 1 mile of moderately strenuous terrain. They explore the forests and meadows along the rim of Crater Lake. Participants should be at least 8 years old, be in reasonably good physical condition, and come prepared with warm clothing and water-resistant footwear. No previous snowshoeing experience is necessary. Snowshoes are provided free of charge, and there is no cost for the tour. The park does not collect an entrance fee in the winter months.	Crater Lake National Park Advance reservations are required. For more information and to sign up, call 541-594-3100
Sundays 10 AM	Sporting clays winter shoots		Pheasants Forever Stateline Road 541 892-9621 541 891-7071
Sun Through Dec. 29 th	Children's Museum additional open hours.		Children's Museum 711 E. Main St.
Sundays Through Dec. 29	Children's museum open	Come explore with us on Sundays too! This will be a 3 month trial, so pass the word on to your family and friends	Children's museum of Klamath Falls
Ongoing	Featured Art Exhibits	"Impressions" Artistic impressions of Crater Lake National Park	Modoc Gallery Klamath County Museum 1301 Main St.
Ongoing	Featured Art Exhibit	Photographer Jonne M. Goeller	MC's on Main
Ongoing	Featured Art Exhibit	Artwork by Beverly Fairclo-Ott	M'bellish 522 Main St. And Main Street Jelwlers 3480 Washburn Way
Ongoing	Featured Art Exhibit	Artwork by Sharon Rajnus	Favell Museum 125 W. Main St. 541 882-9996
Ongoing	Featured Art Exhibit	Paintings by Tom Cogley and Gary Wyn.	Lobby of Ross Ragland Theater
Ongoing	Featured Art Exhibit	"Breaking the Silence, The Power of Voice." More than 70 students of Penny Rosterolla and Cathy Nevala's advanced art classes will have their works on display.	Klamath County Library
Thursdays beginning Feb. 1 st . 10 AM - 11:00 AM	Yoga Class	Please bring the usual supplies - a mat, blocks and belt plus an old bath towel for a head rest and/or additional padding.	Chiloquin Community Center Althia at 541-783-2070 or 541-892-4130
Throughout the year	Outdoor adventures.	Guided fishing, canoeing, kayaking, whitewater rafting, jet boat cruises, and more.	Roe outfitters 541.884.3825 info@roeoutfitters.com
Ongoing	Volcanic Legacy Scenic Byway Geocache Tour	Discover 8 geocaches as you explore Oregon's spectacular state parks. From historic trails to majestic lakes and lava beds, our Volcanic Legacy Byway Geocache Tour offers something for everyone. Find all 8 geocaches for a chance to win a trip to Mauna Loa in Hawaii!	Discover Klamath Visitor & Convention Bureau [info@discoverklamath.com]
Now through March, 2014	Ice skating	Various workshops, free activities, exhibitions, hockey, broomball curling, open skate sessions, figure skating.	Bill Collier Ice Arena 541 850-5758 www.klamathicesports.org

January, 2014

Jan. 20 10 AM - 4 PM Registration beginning at 8:30 AM	Chess Tournament	"I Have a Dream" Tournament	Preregistration recommended, but a-the-door registrations will be accepted. Conger Elementary School
Jan. 20 7 PM	Monday Night at the Movies	"When Harry Met Sally"	Ross Ragland Theater
Jan. 23	Musical Presentation	Local Country Music singer/songwriter	Cultural Center of the Ross Ragland

7 PM		Marty Combs	Theater
Jan. 24 5:30 PM	Women's college basketball	OIT vs. Eastern Oregon University	OIT Danny Miles Court
Jan. 24 7:30 PM	Richard Johnson in concert	20s - 60s Irish and American folks songs, as well as Richard's own song and guitar compositions. A fundraiser for Two Rivers Gallery.	Chiloquin Community Center 140 S. 1 st Ave. Chiloquin 541 783-3326
Jan.24 7:30 PM	Men's college basketball	OIT vs. Eastern Oregon University	OIT Danny Miles Court
Jan. 25 5:30 PM	Women's college basketball	OIT vs. College of Idaho	OIT Danny Miles Court
Jan. 25	Klamath County Chamber of Commerce Annual Awards Gala.	Hollywood-style awards show honoring businesses and individuals.	Ross Ragland Theater 541 884-5193
Jan. 25 7:30 PM	Men's college basketball	OIT vs. College of Idaho	OIT Danny Miles Court
Jan. 25, 26	36 th Annual Sagebrush Rendezvous Charitable Art and Sale	Juried art of every genre. Produced by the Exchange Club of Klamath Falls, with proceeds from art sales going to several charities.	Running Y's Convention Center 541 891-8618
Jan. 28 7:30 PM	Performance	Golden Dragon Acrobats: Cirque Ziva. Amazing spectacles for the entire family.	Ross Ragland Theater 541 884-5483 www.rrtheater.org

February, 2014

Feb. 1 9 AM - 4 PM	USFS Hosted Career Fair	Current temporary, seasonal and permanent job opportunities with the Klamath National Forest, Shasta-Trinity National Forest and National Park Service include positions in fire, botany, archeology, business administration, wildlife, recreation (trail crew), timber, and engineering (equipment operator). Representatives from the Bureau of Reclamation and the California Conservation Corps will also be present to discuss job opportunities within their organizations. Help will be available to explain the hiring process and how to complete the online job application. Candidates submit their applications on the USAJOBS website at https://www.usajobs.gov/ . Computer workstations and technical assistance will be available at the event.	Mt. Shasta Mall 900 Dana Dr., Redding, CA (530) 842-6131 (530) 605-7337
Feb. 1 11:30 AM - 4:30 PM	Take your child to the library day.	Angels in whiskers, activities, games, prizes, and snacks at various intervals throughout the day.	Klamath County Library
Feb. 1 5 - 9 PM	Chiloquin Visions in Progress dinner and bingo.	Dinner 5 - 6 PM, bingo to follow	Chiloquin Community Center
Feb. 1	12 th Annual Figure Skating Spectacular		Bill Collier Ice Arena 541 850-5758
Feb. 2 2 PM	Annual William Stafford Birthday party	Cake, poetry reading and more.	Klamath County Library
Feb. 4, 11, 18, & 25 11 AM	Baby time Story Time	Family night at 5:30	Klamath county Library
Feb. 5, 12, 19, & 26 3 PM	After School Program	4 PM - Teen time	Klamath County Library
Feb. 6 12 - 1:30	Philanthropic Quest Event	Sponsored by Klamath Falls County Library Foundation Board, this first in a series is aimed at sharing resources and ideas to assist our community's non-profit organizations in their quest tot access funding.	Klamath County Library 541 882-8895
Feb. 6 6 PM	Black History Month Film Screening	<i>4 Little Girls</i> -Documentary spotlighting the notorious racial terrorist bombing of an	Klamath County Library

		African American church.	
Feb. 7 5:30 PM	Women's college basketball	OIT vs. Evergreen State	OIT Danny Miles Court
Feb. 7 7:30 PM	Men's college basketball	OIT vs. Evergreen State	OIT Danny Miles Court
Feb. 7, 14, 21, & 28 10:30 AM	Storytime		Klamath County Library
Feb 8 1:30	Teen Movie		Klamath County Library
Feb. 8 5:30 PM	Red Tie Romp		Ross Ragland Theater
Feb. 8 5:30 PM	Women's college basketball	OIT vs. Northwest University	OIT Danny Miles Court
Feb. 8 7:30 PM	Men's college basketball	OIT vs. Northwest University	OIT Danny Miles Court
Feb. 11 5:30 PM	Special Family Night	Valentine party	Klamath County Library
Feb. 13 - 16	35 th Annual Winter Wings Festival		OIT 877 541 2473 www.winterwingsfest.org
Feb. 15 1 AM - 10 AM	Pancake Breakfast	With sausage, eggs, juice, & coffee. A benefit for Klamath Outdoor Science School. All you can eat for \$7.	Applebee's Restauarant 541 850-8218
Feb. 15 5:30 PM	Women's college basketball	OIT vs. Southern Oregon University	OIT Danny Miles Court
Feb. 15 10 AM - noon	Valentine's Day Brunch	Quiche, frittata, biscuits and gravy, fruit salad and beverages (Also available - our delectable candies, including those sinful Truffles!) Donation: \$5/Adults, \$3/Children Sponsored by the Lioness Club of Sprague River!	Sprague River Community Center
Feb. 15 7:30 PM	Men's college basketball	OIT vs. Southern Oregon University	OIT Danny Miles Court
Feb. 15, 16	20 th Annual Chemult Sled Dog Races	Races are free, but daily snow park passes are required.	Walt Harin Snow Park, one mile north of Chemult
Feb. 17 7 PM	Monday Night at the Movies	"Dead Poets Society"	Ross Ragland Theater
Feb. 20 6 PM	Black History Month Film Screening.	<i>More than a Month</i> - the story of an African American who journeys cross country in an effort to end Black History Month.	Klamath County Library
Feb. 21 7:30 PM	Performance	The Coates. The Basin's favorite a-cappella group returns.	Ross Ragland Theater 541 884-5483 www.rrtheater.org

Our Neighbors

Rocky Point

Fish Lake Resort - Café open weekends; campground and store open. 949-8500. www.FishLakeResort.net.
Etc. - Closed until spring 541 810-0008 (ww.solarcafeusa.com).

Crystalwood Lodge - Open for full-lodge retreats and family gatherings throughout the year.
info@crystalwoodlodge.com or 541-381-2322.

Lake of the Woods Resort -is now on winter hours, so check their website or call. Don't forget about ice fishing (which is really good right now) and winter fun opportunities. The resort operates weekends and sells non Oxy Gas 92 octane gas. George has his expanded snow shoe rentals. Call or check the website for hours and offerings. 1-866-201-4194. www.lakeofthewoodsresort.com.

Rocky Point Resort - closed for winter 356-2287.

Odessa Store - Open 8 AM - 6 PM, with groceries and quick-stop supplies, liquor store, propane, gas & diesel.

Crater Lake B & B - Open all year with lodging and great food by Janet. 866 517-9560
www.craterlakebandb.com

Farmers Market closed for the season.

Dump open - Tues, Fri., & Sat., 8:30 - 4

Library & Quilt - Tuesdays, 9 - noon.

Sprague River

Valentines Day Brunch



When: **Saturday, February 15th**

Time: **10 am - 12 pm.**

Where: **Sprague River Community Center**

What's available: quiche, frittata, biscuits and gravy, fruit salad and beverages

(Also available - our delectable candies, including those sinful Truffles!)

Donation: \$5/Adults, \$3/Children

Sponsored by the Lioness Club of Sprague River!

Winter Give-A-Way

Are you or someone you know...



- Doubled up or couch surfing?
- Sleeping in your car on the street or camping?
- Living in motels, hotels?
- Sleeping in transitional or emergency shelter?
- Or living in a place not meant for humans?



If so then please attend our two hour event where individuals and families will have access to new or gently used winter jackets, blankets, winter hats and gloves. Items will be available to those in attendance while supplies last. There will also be free refreshments.

Event Location:

Sprague River Community Center

Sprague River Highway

Thursday, January 30, 2014

1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Klamath & Lake Community Action Services will join community partners and volunteers to host the Winter

Give-A-Way in Klamath Falls. For more information call: (541) 882-3500 or visit

www.klcas.org.



Weekly Meetings

ChiloQuilters

Meet on Thursdays from 11:00 AM into the afternoon at Two Rivers Gallery; hours are flexible. A sack lunch is recommended since meetings usually extend into mid-afternoon. Everyone interested in quilting is welcome! For more information, contact Linda Wood (541-783-3879) or Morna Bastian (541-783-2542 or jnmbastian@centurytel.net). Linus Quilters meet the last Friday of the month from 11:00 AM into the afternoon, at Two Rivers Gallery

EXERCISE/YOGA CLASS

at the Chiloquin Community Center.
NO CHARGE - Donations to CVIP gratefully accepted but not required.

Improve Flexibility, Strength & Balance

Fitness class will be held on **Tuesdays** from 10 am with Functional Fitness thru Dance, followed by Yoga Pilates Fusion.

Jean Sinclair will be leading both classes. Yes there is an overlap. We will use the last yoga dance number as a warm up for the Yoga Pilates Fusion.

Functional Fitness thru Dance will have emphases on cardio and moving to the music .

Yoga Pilates will be a gentle class geared for the more sedentary, so join us no matter what your level of fitness. Resistance bands will be used. No hand weights will be required.

If you need more information on the Fitness class contact Jean @ [541.591.9231](tel:541.591.9231)

Yoga class will be held on **Thursdays** from 10:00 am - 11:00am.

Taught by Althia Butts-Stephens, a certified yoga instructor for 13 years.

Bring a yoga sticky mat, blocks, belt and a blanket.

Come to the large Community Room about 5 minutes before the scheduled start time.

Contact Althia at [541-783-2070](tel:541-783-2070) or [541-892-4130](tel:541-892-4130)

Wear stretchy clothes.

All are welcome

Alcoholics Anonymous

Arrowhead Alcoholics Anonymous meets at 301 Chiloquin Blvd. Chiloquin Christian Center every Tuesday from 6pm to 7pm. All are welcome. We have step study and Big book meetings. Youth are encouraged to come. Please contact reverend Seabolt at 541-783-2344 for the church. We hope to see you here.

Zumba



Come and party with us!

ZUMBA is a fun way to party into shape. ZUMBA fuses Latin style music with high energy aerobic moves and a variety of different dance styles that will make you forget you are working out. Anyone at any fitness level can participate in a ZUMBA Fitness class.

Where : Chiloquin Elementary Gym

When: Every Tues & Thurs 5:45 pm to 6:45 pm

Cost: Your first class is always free (see instructor at beginning of class) \$5 per class (Drop In)

Package Purchase available (CHEAPER this way)

Instructor: Veronica Kovack

Email: vkovack@centuytel.net

Ph: 541 783 3591

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Monthly Meetings

FCE (Family and Community Education)

Meetings are the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 9:30. Meetings are open to all. We have a pot luck each month along with the lessons presented by a member. For the location and directions to the next meeting, please call Sandie Bolyard at 541-892-2336.

Locally, FCE raises money for college scholarships for our Chiloquin High School Seniors. Money is raised through fund-raising projects such as a Thanksgiving turkey dinner fixings raffle with tickets being sold at Kirchers Hardware; Christmas Boutique at the Chiloquin Community Center; Kaleidoscope of Learning at Mazama High School in Klamath Falls. We are very active in our community and you will find FCE volunteers at many local events.

Oregon FCE is a non-profit organization of volunteers who have worked on such issues as improving sanitary requirements in hospitals, women's labor laws, requirements for high school teachers, and funding for the state library. Nationally, we began the school hot lunch program and pushed for bookmobile libraries.

FCE asked for and got money from the legislature to fund an OSU research study on the dental caries problem in Oregon. We've studied our county governments and monitored their activities; worked on county and state fair boards to improve their quality; sponsored programs on rural road safety, farm safety, home safety, bike safety, Defensive Driving courses, campaigns to get the drunk drivers off the road, and child seatbelt laws. Current educational programs focus on the environment, children and television, literacy, and global issues. Current concerns include addressing the growing need for food banks, for shelters for the homeless, and for reducing the violence against women and children. Oregon FCE members donate thousands of volunteer hours and dollars to these causes.

Woodland Park Special Road District

The road serves about 73 homes in the area between Chiloquin and Collier State Park. Meets the 2nd Monday of every month at 6:00 PM at the Community Center.

High Desert Trail Riders Back Country Horsemen



2nd Tuesday of the month at Sizzler's Restaurant, Klamath Falls, 6:30 PM. Come earlier to eat and greet. Meetings include guest speakers on various subjects. *If you want to help save our trails & campsites, come see what we are about. Trail rides, work projects & camaraderie as well as lots*

of good people and good times. For more information see our website at www.HDTRBCH.org or Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/HighDesertTrailRiders>

Central County Community Action Team

(CATeam) - 1st Thursday of March, April, May, June, September, October and November at 6:30 PM at the Chiloquin Community Center. *This is open to anyone living in the area.*

Chiloquin Book Club

4th Thursday of every month at 1:30 PM - Chiloquin Library.

Chiloquin Vector Control

The Chiloquin Vector Control District Board of Trustees meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month except for November and December at the Chiloquin Community Center Conference Room at 6:30PM. The agenda includes discussions about mosquito control, mosquito monitoring, bill paying, budget issues and general management concerns. The public is encouraged to attend and offer public comments at the end of each meeting. The meeting room is wheelchair accessible.

Friends of the Chiloquin Library

1st Wednesday of every month in the library conference room. April through October - 9:00 AM, and November through March - 10:00 AM. *All are welcome!*

Two Rivers Village Arts (TRVA) Board of Directors

3rd Wednesday of every month at 11:00 AM in the winter (Oct-April) and 10:00AM in the summer (May-Sep). TRVA operates Two Rivers Gallery. See 'Volunteer Opportunities' for more information.

Sheriff's Citizen Advisory Committee

3rd Thursday of every month from 2:00 PM to 3:30 PM at the Chiloquin Fire Station. *All area residents are invited to attend.*

Chiloquin City Council

meetings held on the 2nd Monday and 4th Tuesday of every month at 6:30 PM, Chiloquin City Hall on 2nd Street.

Chiloquin Visions in Progress (CVIP)

meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6PM in the Chiloquin Community Center conference room. See 'Volunteer Opportunities' for more information.

Volunteer Opportunities in Chiloquin

Volunteer Fire Fighters - "What if you had an emergency and no one came?" *Become a Volunteer Firefighter!*
783-3860.

Volunteer Ambulance Service - 783-3131

Two Rivers Gallery: The gallery, which is a community project and has no paid employees, is seeking people to "gallery sit". This involves talking to people who stop by to browse and shop. You do not need to be an artist, but if you are, gallery hours reduce the amount of your commission. Any time at all that you can donate to us will be very much appreciated. *Contact the Gallery @ 783-3326.*

Sage Community School - Sage Community School is looking for community volunteers interested in assisting Sage Community School. *If you are interested in offering your services as a volunteer in any way, please contact Wendy Letner at 783-7743.*

Klamath Humane Society - volunteers needed at the Humane Society. We are getting started on our disaster program and need volunteers in the Chiloquin area. We also are looking for people who can write grants.

Foster homes for dogs and cats are always needed. For more information, contact the shelter at 882-1119 or e-mail staff@klamathhumanesociety.com.

Start Making A Reader Today (SMART) - a statewide program working with children K-3 during school hours. Each volunteer works one-on-one with a child for ½ hour, helping them read (or reading to the youngest). We always need volunteers, whether scheduled every week or merely as a substitute reader when the regular reader is unable to attend. Call the above numbers for an application or fill out an on-line application at www.getsmartoregon.org. It will be the most rewarding hour you ever volunteer! *Contact the SMART office at 273-2424 or the Chiloquin Elementary School at 783-2338.*

Neighborhood Watch - Agency Lake President - Sharon Huber at 541-880-6461 or Secretary Maureen Soar at 783-2208.

Chiloquin Branch Library - The library has many ways to get involved and many fun ways to contribute to your local community. Some opportunities:

1. Story time: If you would like to read two or three stories to a small group or preschoolers, and lead them in a simple craft or activity, the library staff can use your help
2. Summer Reading Program: There are many opportunities during the summer to help out with this very worthwhile program.
3. Honor collections: these are racks of paperback books, magazines and audiovisual materials that patrons may check out without a library card. By offering these collections, more people in the community can be reached and a greater diversity of materials can be made available without incurring the costs of cataloging and processing items for the general collections. The staff would like to have some help in keeping these racks orderly, attractive and relevant. Check with the librarian for information on how to “adopt a rack”.
4. Help with sorting donations.
5. Go through Books for Sale section and tidy it once a month or so.

Stop in at the library and see what they need or give them a call at 541-783-3315.

Chiloquin Visions in Progress (CVIP)

CVIP operates the Chiloquin Community Center, the Chiloquin Learns After School program, the Writer in Residence Program, and is the contact point for the Chiloquin Area Community Resource Committees and their projects. We have a volunteer list in the office where you can sign up to be available for many different “jobs” and projects. *Call 783-7780 between 10 AM and 2 PM weekdays for further information.* If you would like to get further involved, attend a Board meeting, held on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6PM in the Community Center conference room.

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