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The Friday Update

June 19, 2015

EGYPTIAN THEATRE GETS SET TO GO DIGITAL - The Egyptian Theatre Preservation Association (ETPA) received word this week that they were awarded \$40,000 from the Meyer Memorial Trust to help with the purchase and installation of a high definition digital projection and sound system for the Egyptian Theater. With the generous support of the Meyer Memorial Trust and with funds raised locally, the ETPA will move forward with the order of the digital projection equipment. Once installed, the Theatre will have the largest high definition projection screen on the Southern Oregon Coast!



THIS WEEK'S COUNCIL MEETING WAS POSTPONED – While it doesn't happen often (actually no one can remember the last time this occurred), the regularly scheduled meeting of the Coos Bay City Council this week was postponed due to scheduling conflicts. The meeting has been rescheduled for June 30th at 7:00 pm, and the agenda item regarding the Mingus Park Geese Survey will be discussed. The presentation and discussion regarding the wastewater rate methodology has been rescheduled for July 21st.

HIGHWAY 101 RAILING AND SIDEWALK PROJECT

The Highway 101 railing and sidewalk project is nearly complete. ODOT's contractor has completed the concrete work, and the City's crew is installing the railing between the concrete posts. The City crew is doing the work at night to minimize conflicts with Highway 101 traffic and businesses. Barring unforeseen circumstances, the rail installation work should be completed by June 26th. Final clean up by the ODOT contractor is scheduled for the week of June 28th. This project was funded by the City of Coos Bay, the Oregon Department of Transportation, and the International Port of Coos Bay.



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PEDESTRIAN SAFETY OPERATION - On June 24th, the Coos Bay Police Department will conduct the second of several planned Pedestrian Safety Operations. The operation will be conducted at the intersection of South 4th Street and Bennett Avenue, an intersection that has generated pedestrian related complaints in the past. The operation will be conducted between the hours of 7:30 am and 9:30 am. The focus of operations like these is to raise the pedestrian safety awareness of drivers and pedestrians through education and enforcement of pedestrian right-of-way laws.



HOW IS OUR WATER SUPPLY? – Given the recent declaration from the Coos County Commissioners and Governor Kate Brown, there have been some questioning on the status of our community's water supply. The good news is that while resources are drying up in other parts of our County, according to Rob Schab, general manager of the Coos Bay / North Bend Water Board, the available water in our area is more than sufficient to supply the area needs into the fall even if we received less than the traditional precipitation this summer.

IT'S FIRE SEASON - On June 9th, the Coos Forest Protective Association announced that fire season has begun. This means that outside burning is not allowed outside the City limits. The Coos Bay Fire Department has already responded to several brush fires in the last couple of weeks including one on North Empire Blvd. that was nearly an acre in size.



The Coos Bay Fire Department has also responded to several small bark mulch fires that appear to have been cause by improperly discarded cigarettes. Currently, the Coos Bay Fire Department (CBFD) is not restricting burning within the City. Even though the CBFD has not restricted burning there are still rules and regulations that need to be followed. For more information of those rules and regulations [click here](#).

Remember, if you have an outside burn, it is your responsibility to ensure that the burning regulations are followed. The following outdoor burning safety tips should help you keep your burn under control:

- Maintain adequate clearance
- Only burn during daylight hours
- Only burn approved materials
- Keep a garden hose on and nearby
- Never leave your fire unattended

The above regulations apply to residential burning. All commercial properties are required to obtain a burning permit from DEQ.

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THANK YOU K2 EXPORT LLC – A big thank you to John Knutson of K2 Exports LLC who generously donated a mountain of bark mulch to the City of Coos Bay.



SAVE THE DATE...CLAMBOREE & GLASS ART FEST – The fun and festivities will begin at 10:00 am on Saturday, June 27th in Historic Empire.



FESTIVAL SCHEDULE ALL DAY

Vendors • Live Music • Kids Events • Classic Car Show

Shuttle Service to/from Ed Lund Park, CB Boat Building Center, Tribal Center

- **Clam Hoagies!** Prepared by Oregon Coast Culinary Institute
- **Sawmill & Tribal Trail**
Walk the Sawmill and Tribal trail to the Clamboree in Empire. Meet at the Empire Boat Ramp at 8:30am.
- **Coos Bay Boat Building Center Tours & Demonstrations All Day**
- **Tribal Hall & Museum Tours** - 10:00am-4:00pm with shuttle to/from
- **Glass Blowing Demonstration**
- **South Slough Estuary Reserve's Kids Events**
- **Open House - Old Tower House B&B** 12:00pm-3:00pm
- **Hollering Contest** at Stage 2
- **Classic Car Show** - Classic Chevy
- **Beer Garden** Hosted by 7 Devils Brewery
- **Hollering Place Radio Show** 7:00pm at the Dolphin Playhouse

Entertainment Two Stages of Entertainment!

Stage 1	
10:00am-10:45am	Dan Covert (Guitar, Vocals)
11:00am-11:45am	Metro Gnomes
Noon-1:00pm	Road Rockers
1:15pm-2:30pm	Horst & Sharon Hartung (Duo, Guitar, Vocals)
2:45pm-3:30pm	Neil Laurence (Ukelele Poet/Songwriter/Musician)
3:30pm-3:45pm	Announcements on stage, contest winners, sponsor mentions, etc
4:00pm-4:45pm	Hectic Week (Duo, Guitar, Vocals)
5:00pm-5:45pm	Orcoast John & the Orcoasters
Stage 2	
11:30am-12:15pm	South Coast Area Square Dancers
12:30pm-1:30pm	Kaleidoscope Community Yoga with Sailee
1:45pm-2:45pm	The Magical World of Snakes
3:00pm-4:00pm	Hollering Contest
4:15pm	Sponsor Thanks, etc

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