

Tsunami debris drop-off sites, 211 info and reporting hotline available

From the Central Oregon Coast Assoc.

A network of 32 drop-off sites on the Oregon Coast now are receiving beach debris washing ashore from the tsunami that struck Japan in March 2011.

The drop-off sites are free and are a combination of state parks and independent recycling and transfer stations located in every county.

Schedules vary for the drop-off locations and visitors are encouraged to visit oregon.gov/OPRD/PARKS/tsunami_debris.shtml for a digital map with complete detailed locations and hours, plus a list of common questions and answers about tsunami debris.

State parks will accept bagged debris every day during normal operating hours.

The drop-off sites will accept debris in official beach cleanup bags produced by SOLVE, which are available at state park campgrounds. All locations are listed online at oregonstateparks.org.

- Much of the small debris is rigid foam and plastic. Don't break up the foam. Put it in the bag and tie it shut.
- Residents and visitors who see a piece of debris too large to fit into a bag

should drag it above high tide, if possible, then call 211 or 800-SAFENET (800-723-3638) to report the date and location.

- Beach visitors who find tires, appliances or other large objects should not attempt to bring these items to the drop-off sites on their own; report them instead.
- Debris with living organisms should be reported (with a photo if possible, location and date) then moved above high tide or removed from the beach, bagged and delivered to a drop-off site. Never move organisms to another body of water (even at home). This will help reduce the threat of invasive species.

To use **mail order pharmacy** to order your refills after hours and on weekends: Please call the Siletz Clinic 7-10 days before you need your refills. Call 800-648-0449; enter 1624 as soon as the clinic's message begins – you'll be transferred to the refill line. Or call the refill line direct – at 541-444-9624.



Over a hundred years ago Black Elk had a vision of the time when Indian People would heal from the devastating effects of European migration. In his vision the Sacred Hoop which had been broken, would be mended in seven generations.

The children born into this decade will be the seventh generation.

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**When the Children Grow Old ...
We Want Them to Know We Fought for Them**

There are many ways to fight to protect our children – one of those ways is by being a foster parent.

The Siletz Tribal Indian Child Welfare Department is accepting and recruiting foster homes on behalf of our Tribal children.

For more information, call Christy Hurt, foster care certifier, at 800-922-1399, ext. 1338, or 541-444-8338.

NOTICE: The Hunting/Fishing – Shellfish issue will be discussed at the General Council meeting in August. Representatives from the U.S. Department of Justice will be present to hear and discuss the issues regarding the Tribe's rights.

The General Council meeting is scheduled for Aug. 4 at 1 p.m. at the Siletz Tribal Community Center.

All Tribal members are encouraged to attend.



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