

Fun-filled Antique Week has multitude of events to draw you to Lincoln City

Lincoln City's Antique Week is celebrating Lincoln City's 50th anniversary with this year's theme of Cheers to 50 Years!

Antique Week is actually 10 fun-filled days of antiquing from Feb. 7-16. The schedule includes a scavenger hunt, an "Appraise-a-thon," an engaging lecture, historic city bus tours, a Valentine's Day concert and dance lesson, glass floats on the beach, special attractions at the North Lincoln County Historical Museum and Driftwood Public Library, a Members' Antique Sale at the Lincoln City Cultural Center, Saturday movies from 1965 (the year Lincoln City officially became a city) at the Bijou Theatre and sales in almost every antique shop in town.

The event will kick off with the "Appraise-a-thon" from 1-3 p.m. on Feb. 7 at Chinook Winds Casino Resort.

Frank Farmer Loomis IV, a former appraiser for *Antiques Roadshow* and writer/co-producer of the PBS television series *Is It Antique Yet?*, will appraise antiques and collectibles for a fee of \$10 per item or three items for \$20 (in celebration of Chinook Winds' 20th anniversary). To reserve a spot, call 541-996-5815.

Directly following the Appraise-a-thon, Loomis will give a lecture at 3 p.m. on the topic *Antiques 101: A Crash Course in Antiquing*. Loomis' speaking style has been described as lively, laced with anecdotes, often humorous and never boring. The talk is free and sponsored by the Lincoln City Cultural Center and Chinook Winds Casino Resort.

A scavenger hunt will take place over the 10 days with participants visiting local antique shops to find questions and corresponding answers to trivia of Lincoln City history. Maps and entry forms are

available at antique dealers and at the Cultural Center. Correctly answered entries will receive a chance to spin the "prize wheel" (every spin wins!).

Participating dealers include Little Antique Mall, Carousel by the Beach, Rocking Horse Mall, Granny's Attic, The Kelp Bed, Lincoln City Antiques & Music, Lincoln City Cultural Center, Days Catch, Nelscott House Antiques, Robert's Bookshop, JS Coins, Taft 2nd Hand, All Seasons-Coast Clocks, 101 Coastal Creations, AA Home Furnishings and Antiques, Tam's Plaza, Pop Culture Collectibles, Pacific Coast Books and North by Northwest Books & Antiques.

The City of Lincoln City will hide 300 antique Japanese glass floats on the beach throughout the week, as well 50 solid red floats and 14 red heart-shaped glass pieces on Valentine's Day weekend. Finders are encouraged to register their floats with the Information Center located in the Cultural Center, 541-994-3302.

Elizabeth Black will lead "mostly accurate" and always entertaining historic city bus tours on Feb. 10 and Feb. 12 at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. The 10 a.m. tours will cover south Lincoln City; 2 p.m. tours will cover the north end.

Explore local history as you travel through the communities that, in 1965, incorporated to become Lincoln City. The tours are free, but reservations are required. Call 541-994-3302 to reserve your spot. Chinook Winds Casino Resort is providing the bus.

The Lincoln Pops will provide danceable music at 7 p.m. on Valentine's Day (Feb. 14) at the Lincoln City Cultural Center. Tickets are \$14 each, \$25 per couple.



Courtesy photo

Frank Farmer Loomis IV

A beginner's swing dance lesson will be held from 6-6:45 p.m. for an additional \$5. For more information and to purchase tickets, call 541-994-9994 or visit lincolncity-culturalcenter.org.

A Crafters' Supplies Sale will be held at the Lincoln City Community Center

on Valentine's Day weekend, Feb. 14-15, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Admission is free.

In addition to finding great deals on craft supplies, the book titled *A Century on the Beach* (a compilation of history from 1927-2000 created by Margaret Kerr for *The News Guard*) will be for sale.

Booth space is \$30 for the weekend. To reserve a table, contact Kerr at 541-994-8465.

The North Lincoln County Historical Museum will have special exhibits of Lincoln City's history, including a quilt display. Admission to the museum is free thanks to a grant from the City of Lincoln City.

The Driftwood Public Library will feature a display of books related to this year's theme.

The Bijou Theatre will show movies from 1965 at 11 a.m. on Feb. 7 (*Cat Ballou*) and Feb. 14 (*Shenandoah*).

A Members' Antique Sale will be set up in the Cultural Center for the duration of the event. Members will sell their antiques with a percentage going to benefit the Cultural Center, which will be open 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. every day of Antique Week. Call 541-994-9994 to participate.

This project is made possible by a grant from the City of Lincoln City and sponsorship by Chinook Winds Casino Resort and the Lincoln City Cultural Center.

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Conserving Native Wildlife and their Habitats

September 11th, 2014

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To whom it may concern:

As the leading non-profit organization in California working to promote California condor recovery, we are writing to voice our support for Siletz elder Agnes Baker Pilgrim as she advocates for the return of Condors and protection of other wildlife in Oregon.



We commend her outspoken commitment to restore California condors to your ancestral territories and protect wildlife already living there by reducing lead in the local food web. As you may know, Condors and other scavengers are particularly susceptible to poisoning from spent lead ammunition. They ingest lead fragments primarily from gut piles left over from harvested deer and elk and from a variety of animals shot and not retrieved from the landscape including, ground squirrels, coyotes and injured or sick livestock on ranchlands. Other culturally significant species are also impacted by this kind of poisoning, including Eagles and Ravens.

Research has shown that lead poisoning is the number one threat to Condor survival in the wild and without reducing its impacts Condors will never be able to fully recover from the threat of extinction. Fortunately, non-lead alternatives are available for shooters. We promote the use of copper-based ammunition in central California by purchasing ammunition boxes to raffle and give away to our neighbors in local counties. We also support on-going research into this topic as well as continue to monitor Central Coast Condor flock lead levels.

Furthermore, we recently signed an MOU with the Yurok Tribe who is currently leading the effort to reduce lead and restore Condors in the Klamath Siskiyou region. As a supporting partner, we understand the diverse cultural values that Condors hold for many and are encouraged to see Mrs. Pilgrim's efforts to speak about this to a wide variety of groups. It is our hope that Condors will one day grace your skies- it will take all of us to make that possible. Please let us know if there is anything we might be able to assist you with in sharing her vision. On behalf of Condors and all creatures big and small, thank you for all you do to protect wildlife.

Sincerely,


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2015 Elders Council officers include Ilene Somes, vice chairman; Kay Steele, treasurer; Cookee Fernandez, treasurer; and Elena Cordts, secretary. Not pictured: Kathryn Dick, president.

Submitted by Joan Washington

The longer I live, the more I realize the impact of attitude on life. Attitude, to me is more important than facts. It is more important than the past, than education, than money, than circumstances, than failures, than successes, than what other people think or say or do. It is more important than appearance, giftedness or skill. It will make or break a company...a church...a home. The remarkable thing is you have a choice every day regarding the attitude you will embrace for that day. We cannot change our past...we cannot change the fact that people will act in a certain way. We cannot change the inevitable... The only thing we can do is play on the one string we have, and that is our attitude.

I am convinced that life is 10% what happens to me and 90% how I react to it. And so it is with you... You are in charge of your attitudes.