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Wine Tasting Party



Featuring Wines from Chateau Ste Michelle

Date: Thursday July 26, 2018

Time: Welcome wine poured at 5:00 pm

Food: Four course meal featuring Salmon with dill sauce, fennel, and mushroom risotto as our main entrée

Cost: \$110. Per couple

Reservations: required and accepted at 541-997-1940 Ext. 5

Limited to first 44 guests. We recommend signing up early as this popular event will sell out

Wine: Available for purchase by the bottle or case

We look forward to a wonderful evening of wine, food, and FUN!!

Rocks from 1B

more than 500 rocks are estimated to have rolled into Florence in the last several days.

Why?

Betty Blake, a volunteer at the Florence Area Chamber of Commerce, fields inquiries about painted rocks and their locations at the Chamber's visitors center, and now, at the prompting of some friends, is painting and hiding some of her own.

Blake explains that enthusiasts — some professional artists, others amateurs joining the movement — decorate small stones and hide them in plain sight, or just out of sight but where finders won't have to

disturb the surroundings to find them.

Finders are then expected to do any of several things with their find: photograph the stone as it was found and post it to one of the Facebook pages dedicated to the fad, take the stone and place it elsewhere and photograph it's new home (including taking them on cross-country or international vacations), or if they are particularly fond of the stone, make it a keepsake.

"I'm told more than 500 new painted rocks are going to be left around Florence this week," says Blake. "Many feature patriotic themes for the holiday while others are of coastal themes, animals, human faces, and encouraging phrases. Some of the images are of art

gallery quality. They are phenomenal."

"This is such a surprising and delightful artistic trend," says Bettina Hannigan, executive director of the Florence Area Chamber of Commerce. "We posted something about painted rocks on the Chamber's Facebook page and on our website, and both are getting a ton of response. Painted rock enthusiasts visiting Florence are checking with us here at the visitors center about the best places to find them, and then head out to search for them."

Blake has painted several herself and is hiding them in and around town, but isn't saying where.

"Some rock painters will leave them outside the shops,

galleries and restaurants in Old Town. Others will leave them in the dog park, Miller Park, or at the beach," said Blake. "Others may just appear in parking lots and sidewalks around town. You just never know where you'll find one so keep your eyes peeled."

Facebook pages such as West Coast Painted Rocks and Florence Oregon Painted Rocks chronicle the journeys of the stones. Blake says that long-haul truck drivers are in on the fad and have taken the miniature pieces of art all around the country for others to find.

People also track the stones' wanderings with the hashtags #wcpr or #fopr.

Cape from 1B

of summer programs aimed at providing education and context to the area's natural wonders.

Beginning at noon each Monday, visitors can take a "Walk with a Ranger" during an hour-long hike along trails that begin at the visitors center. Participants learn about local history, as well as how to

identify fauna and flora unique to the cape.

There are also evening campfire programs with rangers on alternating Fridays, July 13 and 27, and Aug. 10 and 24, beginning at 8 p.m. at Beverly Beach State Park.

During the campfire programs, rangers cover topics on forests and wildlife.

The same program is offered on alternating Fridays

(July 13 and 27, and Aug. 10 and 24) at Eel Creek Camp ground, starting at 8 p.m.

Other summer program events include:

- Fridays and Saturdays beginning July 14, Junior Ranger programs are offered for families at Spinreel, Eel Creek, Driftwood 2 and Lagoon campgrounds on the Oregon dunes at 5:30pm.
- July 17 — Cape Perpetua BioBlitz: Guided hikes and exploration of the rocky intertidal zone where visitors can contribute to science by recording what interesting tidepool critters they observe (no experience necessary; meet at visitor center), beginning at 10 a.m.
- July 19 — Living History: Meet 153-year old Gifford Pinchot, first chief of the U.S. Forest Service, who will be

making an appearance at the Oregon Dunes Day Use Area.

- July 21 — Canvas at the Cape: Join experienced and budding artists for this open-air public art event where you can practice capturing your perspective this special place with materials and canvas we provide.
- July 19–20 and 26–27, Marbled Murrelet surveys: Contribute to research aimed at saving this threatened seabird.

Join scientists and land managers to learn about murrelet nesting and feeding habits, then help identify and count birds as they fly between the forest and ocean.

For more information on these or other programs, call the visitor center at 541-547-3289.

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Fishing from 1B

the opportunities.

MID COAST LAKES:

Mid coast lakes stocking schedule for this year is posted online. Stocking of mid coast lakes began in February.

Siltcoos Lagoon will not be stocked this year due to continued low dissolved oxygen. Trout scheduled to be released in Siltcoos Lagoon will be diverted to **Cleawox Lake**.

In addition, fishing for warmwater species such as bass and other panfish should improve through June as water temperatures warm and these fish get more active.

Ollala Reservoir, Mercer Lake, Siltcoos Lake and Tahkenitch Lake have warm water species available.

ALSEA RIVER: *Cutthroat trout*

Trout fishing in streams and river opened May 22. Fishing is restricted to artificial flies and lures through Aug. 31.

SALMON RIVER: *Cutthroat trout*

Trout fishing in streams and river opened May 22. Fishing is restricted to artificial flies and lures through Aug. 31.

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Fishing, kayaks, Q-bed, gas heater, bird houses, misc.

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ANNUAL TWO-DAY YARD SALE
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Sat. 7/14/18
Gates Open 9am-3pm
Collectibles, glassware, jewelry, antiques, sports & exercise equipment, camping & fishing gear, furniture, books, bicycles, kitchen & household items, décor, tools, original artwork, baby gear, toys, DVDs, videos, one home selling plants, trees & shrubs.

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