



# Coffee Talk



Superintendent: Mr. R. Persson

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## WEEKEND AT THE MOVIES



You may request any film be shown for a weekend movie; however, a film may **only** be shown as long as it meets the DOC's movie criteria as well as copyright rules (Swank).

Due to the volume of requests received, we are unable to respond and will be adding the movie requested to the list of movies that need to have eligibility determined.

Remember, there are several factors that have to be considered when selecting the movies, and these factors vary at **each** institution. This means that just because a movie was shown at another Institution it may not meet criteria to be shown here. The movie selection process is subject to change without notice.

We will try to ensure there is a combination of movie genre and release date for those being shown. Please remember that there are many residents here at Coffee Creek with many different tastes in movies.

### Upcoming Movies

2/18/2017	Inferno
2/19/2017	Ratchet & Clank
2/20/2017	Bridget Jone's Baby (Holiday)
2/25/2017	Blair Witch
2/26/2017	Surf's Up 2: Wave Mania

## MARION CO. WORK RELEASE PROGRAM

Some of you may be aware that Marion County recently opened a new work release program. Please **do not** contact your correctional counselor with questions about how to get accepted into the program, etc. The Department of Corrections screens all Marion County releases to determine eligibility for the program. If you are eligible, your **correctional**

counselor will contact you directly with the information. Thank you.

## BABY BONDING

*From B. Hoffman*

Baby Bonding is an extra visiting session each week for new mothers who give birth while here at CCCF/CCCM. **But, did you know that it is not limited to just the mothers who have given birth here?** If you have a baby under the age of **18 months**, and you are recently incarcerated, you could qualify for up to 6 months of Baby Bonding sessions! Want to know more? Send a kyte to **Beth Hoffman/CRU** to see if you qualify for the program.

## ATTENTION MOTHERS

*From Mr. Randall, CRU Manager*

Do you have a baby or toddler under three? Want 7 hours a week parenting your child?

**Early Head Start** offers a bi-weekly opportunity for incarcerated mothers and their children to strengthen their relationship and to preserve the bond of attachment while separated. Mothers gain hands-on parenting experience while their children learn through play and exploration.

Early Head Start is a national program established in 1995 to promote healthy prenatal outcomes, enhance the development of infants and toddlers, and promote healthy family functioning. The mission of the Early Head Start program at Coffee Creek is to promote, strengthen and support bonding and attachment between infants and toddlers and their incarcerated mothers. Talk to your counselor to see if you qualify today!

### REQUIREMENTS:

- Child aged zero to three
- Minimum or minimum eligible with gate clearance
- Child lives less than 60 minutes away
- Transportation to and from the school (not provided by EHS) Tues/Thurs 9-12:30

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## MESSAGE FROM THE OREGON DEPARTMENT OF VETERAN'S AFFAIRS (ODVA)

*From Mr. Sparks, ODI 7A*

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Did you serve in the Armed Forces of the United States?

The Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs (ODVA) is beginning a new program designed to better serve veterans who are incarcerated in a state facility. The number one priority is to identify persons who are veterans, in Oregon prisons. This is the first step to identifying needs specific to the incarcerated veterans community, so we can better address those needs.

**During the month of February**, every person who identified as a veteran when they entered the ODOC (during Intake) will receive a brief survey. Please complete the survey to the best of your ability and return it in the envelope we provide. You will be contacted by ODVA regarding any further information required.

If you are a veteran but do not receive a survey, please request a copy through:

Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs  
700 Summer St NE  
Salem, OR 97301

Thank you for your service to our country.

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## VISITING APPLICATIONS

*From Mr. Rohrschelt, CRU*

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Once you have submitted an application, whether it was hand written or on the kiosk, please **do not** keep re-submitting applications for the same visitor. The process for a visitor application can take up to 6 to 8 weeks. Once the visitor is approved or denied, you will receive notification of the application status. Submitting more than one application per visitor is not productive and will not speed up the process.

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## RECYCLING NEWS

*From the Green Team*

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Thank you to all of the women involved in the Garden Crew who helped harvest almost 4200 lbs. in 2016 alone. This was added to the other Correctional Facilities in Oregon totaling 235,973 lbs. of which 13,277 lbs. was donated to local food banks and other community outreach programs. Keep up the good work and encourage others to join us in protecting the earth by practicing organic gardening, providing a therapeutically pleasant experience  
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for those who practice it when paroled. Friends & family members young & not young can get involved to bring about even more abundant garden growth in their yards too!

The soft plastics recycled on the Units make a significant contribution in more ways than one! Many plastic bags are cut into strips and crocheted into large, sturdy shopping bags. The women in Minimum who participate have sold several to staff for \$20 a bag.

Furthermore the CDC delivery trucks from Salem don't return empty handed. The trucks are then filled with our recyclables to find new life. The plastics are conveniently recycled with local grocers; Styrofoam and peanuts from Staff and Canteen are recycled with local Mail companies; glass from the Staff & Kitchen finds a fresh start through **sustainability programs at the Juvenile Detention Center** participating in efforts similar to ours. Also, used, broken down wood items such as pallets and other lumber are turned into new furniture. These are just a few examples of the abundance of good that comes from our recycling efforts!

Keep up the good work and embrace eco-friendly changes in your daily routine to demonstrate that you care about your children's future and the earth. If you have any questions, ideas or comments please drop a kyte to the Green Team/Ms. Fitts.☺

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## EYEGLOSS PROGRAM READER REPAIR REMINDER

*From Mr. Naish, Eyeglass Program Coordinator*

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Hello everyone, we at Eyeglass just wanted to take a minute to remind everyone that according to the Eyeglass Repair Form, we **Do Not Repair** Readers. We know that in the past this has been done, but we will not be doing it going forward. We are sorry for any inconvenience that this might cause. If your readers are broken and you need another pair you can purchase them either from canteen or from Eyeglass.

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## POSTAGE RATE INCREASES

*From Statewide Commissary Ops Manager*

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The USPS has raised postage rates on the following items effective 1/22/17. Below are the new Canteen prices set to go into effect on Monday, 1/23/17. Standard envelopes increased \$0.02, large envelope flats increased \$0.04 and some flat rate boxes also increased. No increases were made on postcards or international mail.

Standard envelope - \$0.58  
International envelope (up to 2oz. domestic) - \$1.39  
6.5 X 9.5 domestic - \$1.39  
10 X 13 domestic - \$1.75  
9 X 12 domestic - \$3.74  
12.5 X 18.5 domestic - \$3.80  
Priority Envelope - \$7.15

For institutions using the flat rate box program, below are the new Canteen prices:  
Small flat rate box - \$7.65  
Medium flat rate box - \$14.10  
Large flat rate box - \$19.35"



Medium Brew



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## PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY INSIDE OUT DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COURSE

*From Ms. Jensen, Education Department*

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Portland State University will be offering a college class in the medium facility during Spring Term. This Inside-Out Prison Exchange program allows PSU students to attend class inside the institution along with inside students.

The course will focus on the causes, frequency, dynamics, and consequences of the pervasive social problem of domestic violence. Special attention will be paid to the culture of violence, the role of power and inequality in understanding this issue.

It is important to note that the class is not designed to be a support group, offer therapeutic services, or focus on an individual's history or experience. It is an academic course, with significant readings and assignments.

The class will be held on Thursday afternoons from 1:00-4:00 p.m. in the medium visiting room. The first class will be **April 6, 2017** and the term will end on **June 8, 2017**. Two books will be provided for use during the class.

To be considered for the class, you must be:

1. Available to attend the entire class and not scheduled for release, transfer, or programming that would conflict prior to **June 8, 2017**.
2. Have a high school diploma or GED
3. Have work supervisors signed approval to attend class during work hours. Work supervisor can sign your inmate communication form.
4. Incentive level 2 or 3

Seats are limited to 10 inside students who successfully complete an application and interview. If you are interested in taking this class, please send an inmate communication

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form to **Ms. Jensen**, Education Department by Friday, **February 24** to be considered for the class.

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## LIBRARY NOTES

*From Ms. Wheeler, Library Coordinator*

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If you have books to return, and the return box is full, you must bring your books with you. If you return a book to the return box, be sure it goes all the way into the box. If your book cannot go all the way in, you must take it back to your cell or bunk. **DO NOT** leave it on top of the return box.

*Let me say that again. If the book you are returning cannot fully fit in the return box, you **MUST** take the book back to your cell or bunk. YOU are responsible for books checked out in your name. Leaving a book or books on top of the return boxes is a potential problem, since someone else can pick up the book and lose or damage it. YOU will be held responsible.*

Any books left on top or not fully inside the book return box will be checked for the name of the person who checked it out and that person will have a 2 week ban from the library. Each offense will increase the length of your ban by 2 weeks. **These sanctions are now standard operating procedure.** Be mindful of your actions so that you can continue receiving the privilege of coming to check out books.

*Remember, your name = your responsibility.*

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## MEDIUM RELIGIOUS SERVICES

*From Chaplain Brault*

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### Friday, February 17, 2017

Chaplain Bible Study 9:00-10:00 a.m. GH02 (**No LOP**)

Jewish Study 9:00-10:30 a.m. Chapel (**No LOP**)

Meditation 201 12:50-2:30 p.m. Chapel (**No LOP**)

ARMS 1:00-3:00 p.m. M111 (**Participants Only**)

Buddhist Service 6:50-8:50 p.m. Chapel (**LOP ok**)

New Thought Ministries 6:50-8:50 p.m. CD02 (**LOP ok**)

Seventh Day Adventist Study 6:50-8:50 p.m. M111 (**No LOP**)

### Saturday, February 18, 2017

Spiritual Community for Lifers 9:00-11:00 a.m. Chapel (**Participants Only**)

Seventh Day Adventist Service 1:50-3:50 p.m. Chapel (**LOP Ok**)

Baptist Service 6:50-8:50 p.m. Chapel (**LOP Ok**)

### Sunday, February 19, 2017

City Bible 8:50-10:50 a.m. Chapel (**LOP Ok**)

LDS 1:30-3:00 p.m. M111 (**LOP Ok**)

Islamic Service/Study 2:00-3:30 p.m. M111 (*LOP Ok*)  
Choir Practice 2:30-3:50 p.m. Chapel (*Participants Only*)  
Pagan Gathering 7:00-9:00 p.m. Chapel (*LOP Ok*)

**Monday, February 20, 2017**

Silent Meditation Time 9:00-9:30 a.m. Chapel (*Participants Only*)

TM 1:00 – 2:30 p.m. GH06 (*Participants Only*)  
JW 6:50-8:50 p.m. GH02 (*LOP Ok*)  
Baptist Bible Study 7:00-8:30 p.m. M111 (*No LOP*)  
AGLOW 7:00-9:00 P.M. chapel (*No LOP*)  
Estudio Biblico 6:50-9:00 p.m. GH08 (*No LOP*)

**Tuesday, February 21, 2017**

Threshold 12:50-3:00 p.m. Chapel (*Participants Only*)  
Labyrinth 7:00-9:00 p.m. Chapel (*No LOP*)

**Wednesday, February 22, 2017**

Meditation 101 12:50 -2:30 p.m. Chapel (*No LOP*)  
FITS 6:50-8:50 p.m. Chapel (*No LOP*)

**Thursday, February 23, 2017**

Anticipate! 8:30-10:30 a.m. M111 (*No LOP*)  
Bridgetown (Discipleship) 12:30-12:50 p.m. Chapel (*Participants Only*)  
Bridgetown 12:50-3:00 p.m. Chapel (*No LOP*)  
Grief Group (Nancy) 1:00-2:30 p.m. GH08 (*Participants Only*)  
Prison Fellowship 6:50-8:50 p.m. Chapel (*LOP Ok*)  
Catholic Service 6:50-9:00 p.m. GH06 (*LOP Ok*)  
Celebrate Recovery 7:00-9:00 p.m. GH02 (*No LOP*)

**Friday, February 24, 2017**

Chaplain Bible Study 9:00-10:00 a.m. GH02 (*No LOP*)  
Asatru Blot 9:00-10:00 a.m. Chapel (*Participants Only*)  
Meditation 201 12:50-2:30 p.m. Chapel (*No LOP*)  
ARMS 1:00-3:00 p.m. M111 (*Participants Only*)  
Buddhist 6:50-8:50 p.m. M111 (*LOP Ok*)  
New Thought Ministries 6:50-8:50 p.m. CD02 (*LOP Ok*)  
Seventh Day Adventist Study 6:50-8:50 p.m. M111 (*No LOP*)

**Saturday, February 25, 2017**

Seventh Day Adventist Service 1:50-3:50 p.m. Chapel (*LOP Ok*)  
Baptist 6:50-8:50 p.m. Chapel (*LOP Ok*)

**Sunday, February 26, 2017**

LDS 1:30-3:00 p.m. M111 (*LOP Ok*)  
Islamic Service/Study 2:00-3:30 p.m. M111 (*LOP Ok*)  
Choir Practice 2:30-3:50 p.m. Chapel (*Participants Only*)  
Druid 7:00-9:00 p.m. CHAPEL (*LOP Ok*)

**Monday, February 27, 2017**

Silent Meditation Time 9:00-9:30 a.m. Chapel (*Participants Only*)

TM 1:00–2:30 p.m. GH06 (*Participants Only*)  
JW 6:50-8:50 p.m. GH02 (*LOP Ok*)  
Baptist Bible Study 7:00-8:30 p.m. M111 (*No LOP*)  
Pastor Jose 7:00-9:00 p.m. Chapel (*No LOP*)  
Healing the Scared Hoop 7:00-9:00 p.m. CD02 (*Participants Only*)

**Tuesday, February 28, 2017**

Threshold 12:50-3:00 p.m. Chapel (*Participants Only*)  
East Hill Service 7:00-9:00 p.m. Chapel (*No LOP*)

**Wednesday, March 1, 2017**

Meditation 101 12:50 -2:30 p.m. Chapel (*No LOP*)  
FITS (GUEST BAND!!!) 6:50-8:50 p.m. Chapel (*No LOP*)

**Thursday, March 2, 2017**

Anticipate! 8:30-10:30 a.m. M111 (*No LOP*)  
Bridgetown (Discipleship) 12:30-12:50 p.m. Chapel (*Participants Only*)  
Bridgetown 12:50-3:00 p.m. Chapel (*No LOP*)  
Grief Group (Nancy) 1:00-2:30 p.m. GH08 (*Participants Only*)  
Catholic Service 6:50-9:00 p.m. GH06 (*LOP Ok*)  
Celebrate Recovery 7:00-9:00 p.m. GH02 (*No LOP*)  
Victim/Offender Education Group 7:00-9:00 p.m. CD02 (*Participants Only*)



*Minimum Brew*



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## DOUBLE VISIT REQUESTS

*From Lt. Wall*

Due to the high volume of double visit requests being received in the minimum facility, you need to give at least two to three weeks for the request to be processed. If your request is for a shorter time frame, your request will be denied. Requests may also be denied for any existing security concerns. Double visits may only be accommodated when there is space available in the visiting area.

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## NEW ARRIVALS TO MINIMUM

*From Capt. M. McCorkhill, Minimum Operations*

Every Friday at 1:00 pm in your unit dayroom will be a mandatory meeting for arrivals to minimum for that week. You will meet your Peer Educators for your unit.

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## AL-ANON

*From Ms. Keicher, Lifeskills*

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The members of the "Hope At Coffee Creek" Al-Anon meeting will be having an Open House April 5<sup>th</sup> 2017 from 1-3 PM.

Please kite Ms. Keicher to attend.

Al-Anon has been at CCCF since 2002 and is a Spiritually based program for people whose lives have been affected by someone else's drinking ( or drug use) .

Quote from Peggy, an AA member: "Many of us who have turned to Al-Anon have done so in desperate attempts to help those we love. We come because while AA and/or other programs have helped us to become sober, it is in Al-Anon that we truly learn to accept others as they are, and allow them to deal with their own drinking problem while we concentrate on our own recovery. "

Quote from Bill W. co-founder of AA "The success of Al-Anon has not only been phenomenal, but I feel it is just about the biggest thing that's happened since AA began."

Quote from How Can I Help My Children: " What we say and do can have an effect on the alcoholic as well as on our children. We can discover, by accepting the help Al-Anon offers, how to make our family life happier.

Quote from member of Hope At Coffee Creek " I come because it is a safe place to come to share my feelings about my relationships, with troubled loved ones. Al-Anon taught me to take care of myself and to make healthier decisions in all my relationships. I found out I wasn't alone. Many people have experienced just what I have and we learn and share how to really take care of ourselves while caring about others."

We hope you will come and see if Al-Anon is right for you. We meet every Wednesday 7 pm to 8:30 pm in D-5.

Thank you The members of Hope At Coffee Creek Al-Anon group

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## MOVES TO MINIMUM

*From Lt. Wall*

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**Lieutenant Wall** will be reviewing the move process for Coffee Creek Minimum. Please be patient as moves may take a bit longer than normal. Once the process is reviewed and finalized, moves will be back on track as soon as possible. There will be updates in the Coffee Talk in the coming weeks to keep all staff and inmates informed of any changes. If an inmate is moved from their incentive move

for other than disciplinary reasons such as going out to court, over to the medium for medical treatment etc. There is no guarantee the inmate will be moved back to the same bunk. The minimum is very full and we have to house inmates accordingly. However, inmates will be given another incentive move in this case.

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## MINIMUM RELIGIOUS SERVICES

*From Chaplain Al-Amin*

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**New 12 Step Program** will be meeting on **Thursdays from 3:00pm to 4:00 pm D5**. This program is being brought to you by the Latter Day Saints, but is open to all faith traditions. Space is limited. Please send a kyte to the Chaplain if you are interested.

**African American Program** a culturally specific transition program for Multnomah County Community Corrections. Please kyte the Chaplain if you are interested in this program and you are from Multnomah County. It will meet on **Monday evenings at 5:45 pm**.

**Meditation 101 Meets on Sunday** 9am-10:30am in D8! This is an introduction to meditation that can help you become a healthier, happier, more positive person. You will learn techniques to cope with stress, take control of your mind and emotions, and live with balance and harmony.

Taught by teachers from Portland's Meditation Yoga Center, Meditation 101 is spiritual without being religious, and is an opportunity for you to learn and experiment with meditation techniques drawn from many cultures and traditions.

In Meditation 101 you will learn basic principles of meditation including:

- Breath Exercises
- Centering
- The Relaxation Response
- Visualizations
- Hindu and Buddhist mantras
- Chants (Native American, Hindu and Buddhist)
- Neuro-linguistic Programming Exercise
- Introduction to the Chakra System

**Multicultural Group** is reading and discussing **Houses of**

**Healing** by Robin Casarjian. There are openings in the group. Please kyte if you want to participate.

**Native American Sweat Lodge Ceremony** Will meet this month time and date TBA

**Chapel Library** The Chaplain will call chapel library by units Monday and Wednesday Afternoons as her schedule permits.

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## MOVES TO MINIMUM

*From Lt. Wall*

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The following information is for inmates assigned to the minimum facility.

The new incentive move process will take effect on **February 5, 2017**.

The Lieutenant assigned to housing moves in the minimum is currently Lieutenant Wall. Please do not make incentive move requests of other Lieutenants, as you will be referred back to Lieutenant Wall and may be held accountable for attempting to circumvent the processes set in place.

- A. Any emergency/urgent housing moves will take priority over previously approval moves based on the needs of the facility. The assigned Lieutenant and the Operations Captain in the minimum retain the authority to make an emergency-housing move they deem appropriate.
- B. An Incentive Move Request Form must be submitted to the Lieutenant assigned to housing moves in the minimum, for an incentive move to be processed. Inmate Communication Forms (kytes) will not be accepted in place of an Incentive Move Request Form.
- C. All incentive moves will be processed by the assigned Lieutenant, who reserves the right to approve or deny convenience moves based on the needs of the facility. The needs of the facility take priority over incentive moves.
- D. Inmates may only submit one request at a time. If more than one request is submitted, both will be returned to the inmate unprocessed. If a request has already been processed and a second request is received, both moves will be denied and the inmate loses their place in line. If multiple requests are received all requests will be reviewed and it will be determined if the inmate will be allowed to submit another request. Requests may be suspended up to six months.

- E. The Treatment program area does not fall under this process. Any requests from those areas will not be approved.
- F. Inmates will receive notification of their incentive move request being approved or denied, if their incentive move privileges are suspended, and for how long.
- G. All incentive move requests will need to be signed by the unit officer on duty. You are required to present your inmate ID card to the officer for verification of who you are, before it will be signed.
- H. Inmates may only have one incentive move in a six-month period. A move from the medium to the minimum will not count as an incentive move.
- I. Inmates will not be housed directly above, below, or beside their registered domestic partner. If an incentive move takes place and the inmate happens to be moved directly next to their registered domestic partner, it is the inmate's responsibility to alert the unit officer immediately so their bunk assignment can be changed to house them appropriately. If an inmate does not follow this guideline, appropriate disciplinary action will be followed.
- J. An inmate will not be allowed to "choose" their bunk, even in designated incentive areas. The inmate can indicate an area, housing unit and wall by directions (East, West, South, or North.) The decision where the inmate will be moved will be made by the assigned Lieutenant.
- K. Additional moves will not be made specifically to accommodate an incentive move. Inmates will have to wait until a bunk opens in the area they have requested.

L. If an inmate refuses an incentive move they will not be allowed another incentive move for six months.

M. Inmates must be more than 90 days from release from the facility to be approved for a move.

N. The inmate who requested the move will be responsible for packing and moving their own property. CCCM/CCCF will not be responsible for any property lost, broken, or otherwise misplaced during the move.

O. Approved moves will be made as soon as possible depending upon staffing levels, workload, and housing availability. In all cases, the requesting inmate will be notified of the decision; approved or denied. If denied, the reason will be clearly stated.

P. Approval for an incentive move may be given if the inmate is in compliance with the following criteria:

- Inmates must have six months clear conduct and be at least an Incentive Level II to be eligible. Clear conduct begins at the time the sanction ends for a major misconduct.
- If an inmate has more than two conduct orders within the last 60 days, the inmate will not qualify for a move.
- Inmates may have no more than two minor misconducts in a six month period.
- Inmate must be program compliant with their corrections plan, and have no program failures in the last six months. Removal from treatment to general population due to a Program Failure will count against the inmate, including any return from the medium for the same reason.
- Inmates may have no more than two daily failures in the past 60 days.

Q. Incentive Housing will be the preferred living areas in the minimum facility. The designated areas will be F100 50A – 61B, F200 bunks 49A – 61B, F400 bunks 49A – 61B, and all of dorm F300. Eligibility criteria for Incentive Housing are established for inmates that meet the above listed criteria. In addition

to that they must also be in compliance with the following:

- Inmates must be an incentive level 3 and meet all criteria for that level.
- Once approved for preferred incentive housing, your name will be added to the waiting list.
- An Incentive Move Request Form must indicate you wish to move to the incentive area.

*Coffee Creek Correctional Facility management reserves the right to change the incentive move housing process based on the needs of the facility.*

# LOOKING FOR BEE TEAM 2

If you are interested in being a part of the bee program for Bee team 4 and have the following requirements, kite Cpl. B. Johnson or Capt. McCorkhill on why you would like to be a part of the team.

Clear conduct level 2 or 3, minimal conduct orders

Minimum of 9 months to gate

Class and Bee hive check vary; in spring will involve weekly visits. Work Supervisor's approval to attend.

No offsite crews, CDC, Parks, forestry.

Medical - not allergic to bees

Deadline for application is March 1, 2017

There will be a cost for the program, \$10 for the course and a cost of a book. The book cost is unknown at this time. We will know the cost soon.





## OCE/Web4VI Work Opportunity

OCE/Web4VI (websites for the visually impaired) is launching an exciting new program and we are seeking to fill 2-6 positions in the initial phase, there may be additional recruitments to follow. You will be trained to analyze websites for accessibility and use by the blind and visually impaired, and you will write reports itemizing website improvements. There will be NO INTERNET ACCESS in these positions, you will be using a specialized software to accomplish this. These positions will start at 10 PRAS points daily PLUS the opportunity for an OCE match of PRAS points. The scheduled hours will be Monday – Thursday, 6:30AM – 3:30PM, subject to change depending on program needs. There will be a writing test as part of the interview process.

All applicants must meet the following qualifications:

- Have NO current convictions for ID Theft, Fraud and Computer related crimes or in previous 10 years.
- Must have a GED, High School Diploma *or* be actively pursuing either.
- Have at least 6 months clear conduct.
- Have NO program failures in the past 6 months.

All applicants will need to pass a security screening.

- Must have a valid social security number or equivalent.
- Must have a release date of at least 3 months left on current sentence.
- Lifers welcome to apply.
- Must be able to read and speak English language well, bi-lingual welcome.
- Be able to work efficiently and professionally at all times.

*\*Preference will be given to applicants who can demonstrate proficiency in grammar and writing!*

Submittal process:

If you are interested in applying, please submit a completed DOC Inmate Work Application and send to: Mr. D. Conway "Web4VI"

**Applications must be received by: February 24, 2017.**

Approved by Operations



**State of Oregon  
Department of Corrections Commissary**

**Date:** 2/10/2017  
**To:** All DOC Inmates  
**From:** Anita Nelson, Statewide Commissary Operations Manager  
**Subject:** Commissary News, Updates and Reminders

**Updates:**

**Price Reductions**

<u>Jet Puffed Marshmallows (10 oz.)</u>	<u>\$1.75</u>
<u>Armour Beef Stew (8 oz.)</u>	<u>\$1.75</u>
<u>Obrien's Beef Salami (5 oz.)</u>	<u>\$1.75</u>
<u>LD Red Velvet Christmas Tree</u>	<u>\$1.75</u>
<u>Huy Fong Sriracha Sauce (17 oz.)</u>	<u>\$2.45</u>
<u>Hershey's Candy Cane (1.5 oz.)</u>	<u>\$0.85</u>
<u>Irish Spring Signature 3 in 1 (15 oz.)</u>	<u>\$4.00</u>
<u>Old Spice Bar Soap Swagger (5 oz.)</u>	<u>\$0.95</u>
<u>FP Pink Salmon (3 oz.)</u>	<u>\$1.60</u>
<u>Gracey's Goody Hot Tamales (2.75 oz.)</u>	<u>\$0.80</u>
<u>FP Mackerel in Brine (3.5 oz.)</u>	<u>\$1.25</u>
<u>BC Summer Sausage w/ Cheddar (5 oz.)</u>	<u>\$1.75</u>
<u>Honey Maid Graham Crackers (14.4 oz.)</u>	<u>\$3.00</u>
<u>Coffee Mate Caramel Macchiato (15 oz.)</u>	<u>\$3.50</u>
<u>Emporia Salt &amp; Pepper Set (5.4 oz.)</u>	<u>\$1.75</u>
<u>Spice Time Onion Powder (2.5 oz.)</u>	<u>\$1.50</u>
<u>Sathers Sour Night Crawlers (4 oz.)</u>	<u>\$0.75</u>

\*items may not be available at all locations

## Incarcerated Moms Are Invited to Make Submissions for ***Amazing Moms***

United We Parent founders Hogan Hilling and Elise Cohen invite incarcerated moms to participate in the first comprehensive coffee table book about moms –

### ***Amazing Moms: Parents of the 21st Century.***

The book project will use stories submitted by moms of different socio-economic backgrounds, races and family structures to reveal the truths, tears and triumphs of modern motherhood.

To receive a form to fill out with instructions on how and what to submit, mail a letter to:

Hogan Hilling  
P.O. Box 3763  
Crestline, CA 92325

Or, you may contact Hilling by email at [hogan@unitedweparent.com](mailto:hogan@unitedweparent.com). You may also ask a relative or friend to contact Hilling on your behalf.

The deadline for submission is February 28, 2017. However, Hilling and Cohen Ho will accept extensions upon request. Hilling will also be happy to guide you through the whole process.

Hilling was successful in featuring dads, including incarcerated dads, in his book ***Dadly Dads: Parents of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century***. The ***Dadly*** book will feature 115 dads of various family dynamics from 11 different countries and is scheduled to debut in May 2017.

# *EYEGLOSS PROGRAM*



**NOW RECRUITING!**



Eyeglass will be accepting applications for the optical program beginning Thursday February 16<sup>th</sup>. This is a 14-month work based education program that awards 6 PRAS points per day, progressing to 14 points by program end. The first half of each day will be spent studying curriculum about Opticianry and the other portion of the day will be spent recycling eyeglasses for the Lions Clubs International sight missions. There are several requirements that you must meet for acceptance into the program.

## REQUIREMENTS:

- Willing and able to pay \$100.00 towards your Certified Paraoptometric (CPO) Examination by May 2018
- Commitment to work Monday-Friday 8:00am - 2:45pm as well as the occasional evening and weekend
- High School Diploma or GED
- CASAS test math score of 236 and reading score of 242
- Minimum 6 months at Coffee Creek Correctional Facility prior to applying
- Housed in minimum facility general population
- Release date after June 2018 to allow time to complete the program
- Self-motivation to work hard, study in class and independently on your unit, and pass frequent quizzes

**If you do not meet all of the required criteria your application may still be considered.**

Upon completion of the program, subject to passing the CPO examination, you will receive certification from the American Board of Opticianry as a Certified Paraoptometric. If you are interested in pursuing a career in the optical profession please submit a DOC job application, and a KYTE explaining why you would like to be considered for the optical program, **by March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2017**. Please place your completed KYTE and application in the Education KYTE box.

Thank you,

Drew Naish  
School of Paraoptometrics Coordinator