



Warner Creek Trails

P.O. Box 1500, 20654 Rabbit Hill Rd., Lakeview, OR 97630

Visiting Renewal

Inmate Services Unit (ISU) technicians are completing a visitor clean-up project by completing background reviews on all visitors 15 years and older that have been on your visiting list for two years or longer. Additionally, per Oregon Administrative Rule 291-127-0285 on Visiting (Inmate), any visitor that hasn't visited in the previous **two years** will be removed from the inmate's list unless ISU is notified otherwise.

We ask that you consider **waiting until your visitor is ready to visit** before adding them back to your list. Our visiting application process is very streamlined, so we can complete most applications within a week of receipt unless there is some background issue. This will also help keep your visiting list updated and accurate, and ensure new applications continue to be processed as quickly as possible.

What this means:

1. On May 15, 2017, any visitor that has not visited in the past two years will be automatically removed from your visiting list.
2. You will receive notifications of visitors that are removed. Again, we recommend you reapply when your visitor is ready to visit.
3. ISU Technicians will focus on completing background checks on all visitors on your visiting list for two years or longer, who are still visiting.
4. You will be notified if a visitor is found to no longer be eligible to visit.

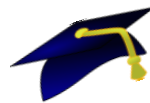
The Inmate Services Unit knows how important it is for you to connect with your family and friends, mentors, and support. We want to help make this

clean-up project as smooth as possible, so please share this information with your visitors.

If you, your family, or friends have any questions or concerns, please forward them to ISU at the address below. Thank you.

**Inmate Services Unit
2575 Center Street NE
Salem, Oregon 97301**

Education Highlights



WCCF had five graduates in April! Please congratulate John Bogenoff, Aaron Boyle, Dalton Bracket, Bruce Franklin, and Wayne Streight for completing their GED.

Three new tutors have joined our ranks: Andrew Grimes, Robert Simuel, and Steven Zerr. Please congratulate them! The job they are taking on is very daunting indeed, but worth every ounce of effort.

The next major event for us is graduation. Save the date: Saturday, June 24th 2:00 pm. There is always a lot of food and a good time of graduate recognition.

Our food service department does an absolutely amazing job with the food for graduation. I hope to see many staff come and show their support for our graduates.



GED TESTING DATES:

- The **GED Ready Test** is scheduled for **Tuesday, May 16TH**, in the morning; there will only be classes in the afternoon on that day.
- The **GED Official Test** is currently scheduled for **Wednesday, May 17th**, in the afternoon; there will only be classes in the morning on that day.
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These test dates and times are subject to change.

IMORTANT SCHOOL DAYS:

- May 1st - 5th – NO Aztec or Keyboarding Lab
- Friday, May 5th – AM Classes ONLY
- Monday, May 29th – Memorial Day / NO School

WINTER TERM TUTORS:

We would like to honor the following tutors for all of their hard work, professionalism, extra time, and dedication to their students and the Education Department.

- Adam Decicco
- David Frick

What Month is it Contest

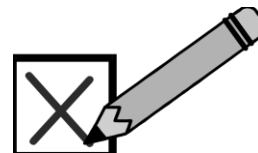
1. A month begins on a Friday and ends on a Friday too. What month is it?
2. The result of adding the dates of the last Monday of the last month and the date of the first Thursday of next month is 38. If both dates are of the same year, what is the current month?

Send a Kyte to Education with **BOTH** answers for What Month is it Contest to receive an educational bookmark. First TWO received will win the monthly contest.

INTERESTING FACTS:

Match the words with their randomly listed meanings.

<u>Word</u>	<u>Meaning</u>
1. guttiform	a. Shield-shaped
2. maniform	b. Having holes like a sieve
3. scutiform	c. Shaped like a drop of water
4. cribriform	d. Hand-shaped
5. unciform	e. Shaped like a hood



Winning Words

“If you want to be happy, set yourself a goal that commands your thoughts, liberates your energy, and inspires your hopes. Happiness is within you. It comes from doing some certain thing into which you can put all your thoughts and energy. If you want to be happy, get enthusiastic about something.”

Dale Carnegie

BOOKS OF THE MONTH:



20.211.00.066 *The Girls With The Dragon Tattoo* (Book 1)

Harriet Vanger, scion of one of Sweden's wealthiest families, disappeared over forty years ago. All these years later, her aged uncle continues to seek the truth. He hires Mikael Blomkvist, a crusading journalist recently trapped by a libel conviction, to investigate. He is aided by the pierced and tattooed punk prodigy Lisbeth Salander. Together they tap into a vein of unfathomable iniquity and astonishing corruption.

20.211.00.067 *The Girl Who Played With Fire* (Book 2)

Crusading publisher Mikael Blomkvist has decided to run an explosive expose' of a wide-ranging trafficking operation. Just before the piece is published, two people are brutally murdered. The fingerprints on the murder weapon belong to his friend, the troubled hacker genius Lisbeth Salander. Blomkvist, convinced of Salander's innocence, plunges into an investigation. Meanwhile, Lisbeth herself is drawn into a murderous game of cat and mouse, and is forced to face her dark past.

20.211.00.068 *The Girl Who Kicked The Hornet's Nest* (Book 3)

Lisbeth Salander lies in critical condition in a Swedish hospital, a bullet in her head. But she's fighting for her life in more ways than one: if and when she recovers, she'll stand trial for three murders. With the help of Mikael Blomkvist, she'll need to identify those in authority who have allowed the vulnerable, like herself, to suffer abuse and violence.



MATH LOGIC:

Sometimes puzzles and problems appear to lack all the necessary information. This puzzle falls into that category. Upon first glance, you would

swear there is not enough information – but a closer look will reveal that there is. Give it a try and see how flexible your mind can become!

What is the value of F?

$$A + B = Z$$

$$Z + P = T$$

$$T + A = F$$

$$B + P + F = 130$$

$$A = 20$$

CREATIVE THINKING:

Below is a letter square with the letter Q missing so as to make a 5 x 5 square. Now, here's the puzzle: Find the letter that comes just above the letter that comes between the letter just before the letter just below G and the letter just before the letter just above T.

A	B	C	D	E
F	G	H	I	J
K	L	M	N	O
P	R	S	T	U
V	W	X	Y	Z

HISTORY AND SCIENCE TRIVIA:

1. What's the scientific name for the North Star?
2. Who invented the helicopter?
3. Ascorbic acid is another name for what vitamin?
4. What lowercase letter is used to represent the square root of negative one?
5. What was the name of the ship on which Charles Darwin sailed in the 1860s?

EAT WHAT YOU TAKE:

In an effort to reduce our waste we will diligently monitor the “Eat What You Take” policy.

take what
you eat what
address this issue
discipline may be taken.



Simply put, you only
you want to eat and
you take. Staff will
and progressive

Inmate Newsletter Photos



You are able to order wallet size photos; this can be accomplished by filling a Reprint/Stationery/Calendar order form and checking the appropriate box.

You cannot order wallet size photos at the time the photo is taken, they can only be ordered as a reprint.

Common reasons photos are denied:

- Underwear showing, when taking photos on the yard it is permitted to take photos with your shirt off, but the photo will be denied if **any** underwear is showing.
- When wearing a button up shirt it must be buttoned except for the top button and the sleeves must be down, not rolled up or pushed up, it can be untucked.
- Pants cannot be rolled up or tucked in boots, shoes or socks.
- Shoes and boots must be laced up and tied.

These are the most common reasons photos are denied, please familiarize yourself with the inmate handbook concerning dress and appearance.

If you have a photo taken inside, such as in the card room or at an event, make sure you dress appropriately for the area where the photo is taken.

Gestures, or positioning of fingers arms legs or feet or legs to indicate a sign are not permitted.

Please take the time to read the Inmate handbook on page 16 concerning Photographs for more details on what is, and isn't permitted when taking photos.

From the NWC Photo Shop

Due to an overwhelming amount of orders for photos including borders, we are sending out this notice: As of May 1, 2017, any orders received for a photo with a border, (and a border has not been purchased prior to the request) **will not** be printed.

No communication will be sent.

Please ensure you have purchased adequate borders prior to sending your re-print request.

Administrative Rules

Below is a list of status changes for the DOC administrative rules since 3/1/17:

291-028: Searches Conducted by Parole and Probation Officers

- These rule revisions are necessary to remove a process that is no longer needed for parole and probation officers to conduct searches and to update the definitions to current terminology.

291-061: Medical Clearance for Inmate Food Handlers

- To lower the risk of the transmission of foodborne illnesses through the food supply, the department's rule requires a medical clearance that the department's Health Services certify that an inmate assigned to the Food Services Section is free from communicable disease. This rule amendment clarifies that that certification requirement concerns communicable diseases that are transmitted through the food supply or the handling of food, rather than any or all communicable diseases.
- *Also temporarily adopted effective March 30, 2017.*

The last day to submit comments is **June 5, 2017.**

Note: The last day to submit comments on the proposed rules on **Transgender and Intersex (Inmate)** has been extended to **May 20, 2017.**

HOW TO COMMENT: Written comments can be submitted to the Rules Coordinator, DOC, 2575 Center Street NE, Salem, OR 97301-4667.

TEMPORARY RULES

291-061: Approval for Short-Term Transitional Leave: This temporary amendment allows inmates who are eligible for STTL and housed in a county facility to be released directly from the county facility.

PERMANENT RULES:

291-001: Procedural Rules

291-065: Parole and Probation Officer Duties

DOC rules are available for review in the inmate legal library.

Access to Health Care

Triage/Sick Call – Services are available Monday – Friday. Sign up forms are available in your unit. The forms will be collected by medical personnel Sunday – Thursday at 4:30 p.m. If your name is on the form, you will be seen for triage the following morning. Report to health services **after** your unit has been called to morning chow.

Kyte request – Medical/Dental kyte requests may be submitted 7 days a week via the Medical Kyte box located in the chow hall. The kytes will be collected and reviewed twice daily. Sending your kyte by any route other than the Medical Kyte box will result in a delay to your medical care.

Weekends and Holidays – Triage/Sick Call will not be available Saturdays, Sundays or Holidays. All routine medical concerns need to be addressed via kyte.

Urgent/Emergent Care – Available 24 hours a day. Report to your unit officer, work supervisor, and/or any available staff member any **urgent/emergency** care needs. Medical will be contacted immediately on your behalf.

With the reduction of desserts occurring on the Spring/Summer mainline menu, you will also see changes to the meat alternative tray (MAT). The MAT tray will no longer serve fruit on the days that dessert is not served on mainline. This change is occurring so the trays are consistent with one another.

Ecology Lecture

Institute for Applied Ecology Educational Lecture

May 16th 9:00 am – 10:00 am

The End of the Journey – Exploring Oregon’s Salmon Species



Did you know that all salmon, are anadromous, meaning they spend part of their lives in the ocean and part in freshwater. Oregon salmon begin their lives far up our rivers and streams eating small insects, before they are big enough to travel downstream to coastal waters. There, they spend 2-3 years feeding on smaller fish before beginning their spawning journey back to the very same stream where they were hatched. Once they’ve completed their goal of mating, the salmon die and their decomposing bodies nurture generations of salmon, and other wildlife.

Oregon salmon are an important species for healthy, functioning ecosystems and our economy. These amazing animals are facing many threats both in their natal streams and the ocean.

Come join us to explore some native fish of Oregon and learn about threats they face. Dr. William Percy, Professor Emeritus at Oregon State University in the College of Earth Ocean and Atmospheric Sciences has studied marine animals in the Pacific Northwest for over 50 years and will be presenting the talk.

If interested in attending, send an inmate communication to Ms. Cobian by May 10th.

Water Conservation

Spring’s officially here....maybe. Regardless of whether we believe spring is here or not, with it comes the responsibilities of planting, watering, and maintenance. That being said, it should also come with the mindset of water conservation.

While this year has been a particularly wet year for us both with snowfall and rainfall, that doesn't mean we can forget about conserving water for times of drought. On average, Lake County gets only 10 inches of rainfall in a whole year (the US average is 39 inches), while snowfall is an average of 44 inches here.

Most of us have been around here long enough to see that it is usually feast or famine. So what can we do to help get through or prepare for those times of famine?

The Oregon Department of Corrections is promoting sustainability through energy and water challenges that are designed to help us reduce our energy and water consumption, better the environment, promote the Department's Strategic Energy Management (SEM) policy, and meet the requirements of the Executive Order 15-09.

At WCCF, we will be getting some "bladder bags" that will allow us to store water from rain/snow melt for things like watering the garden. If you've seen the little "reservoirs" for run off in front of the facility, you'll note that during these snowy/rainy months we've had this year that quite a bit of water has been collected. Working on a way to utilize that to our advantage is just one of the things WCCF is looking to achieve.

As always, there are so many other things we can do to help conserve water on a daily basis regardless of the water situation at the time:

- Wash fruits and vegetables in a pan rather than running water from tap – then use that water for the houseplants.
- Check the root zone of your lawn or garden for moisture before watering using a spade or trowel. If it's still moist two inches under the soil surface, you still have enough water.
- Shorten your shower by a minute or two and you'll save up to 150 gallons of water per month.
- Adjust your lawn mower to a higher setting. A taller lawn shades roots and holds soil moisture better than a closely clipped lawn.

- Use rain barrels to collect water from your roof to water your garden.
- Use a commercial car wash that recycles water.
- Turn off water while brushing your teeth and save 25 gallons of water per month.
- Set a timer to remind you to turn off sprinklers/watering hoses. A running hose can discharge up to 10 gallons of water per minute.
- Don't use sprinklers on windy days – most of the water will evaporate instead of getting to its intended destination.
- Do not purchase/drink bottled water. Buy a reusable container and fill with tap water.
- Check water meters regularly to determine if you have any leaks.

Please share with the Green Team any ideas you might have for water and energy savings – or any tips you may have for personal energy/water savings in the home.

We will be taking part in the Energy Challenge that DOC is having and need your help and input to accomplish our goals. Please e-mail the Green Team or send an Inmate Communication with your thoughts and solutions.

Thank you,



The WCCF Green Team

Brain Puzzle Answers

INTERESTING FACTS

1. c
2. d
3. a
4. b
5. e

MATH LOGIC

85

Since we know $A + B = Z$, it follows that $A + B + P = T$. Since $T + A = F$, in the equation $B + P + F = 130$, replace F with $T + A$.

$B + P + T + A = 130$ or $B + P + T = 110$

Since $A = 20$

Rearrange to solve for T .

$$20 + B + P = T$$

$$110 - B - P = T$$

$$130 = 2T$$

$$65 = T$$

$$T + A = F; 65 + 20 = 85$$

$$F = 85$$

CREATIVE THINKING

G is the letter between and above **K** and **M**.
M is the letter “just before the letter just above **T**” and **K** is the letter “just before the letter just below **G**.” That makes **L** the letter between **K** and **M** – the puzzle asks for the letter just above that, which is **G**.

HISTORY AND SCIENCE TRIVIA

1. Polaris
2. Igor Sikorsky
3. Vitamin C
4. i
5. Beagle



Transition Crossword Puzzle

Transition Words

Counseling
Education
Employment
Family
Finances

Freedom
Friends
Hobby
Housing
Medical

Parole
Programs
Services
Support
Transportation



All are invited to Smoothtalkers! This open invitation to Toastmasters here at Warner Creek offers you an opportunity to explore and develop yourself with leadership skills.

Be it for business, Family relations or on the job relationships with Ninety-two years of tried and proven curriculum Toastmasters International will expand your potential for effective communication and leadership. Join us Monday nights from 6:30-8:30 pm. By sending a Kyte to CRS Ms. Adams. Smoothtalkers you are invited!

-Vice President of Public Relations