



# Powder River

October 20, 2023

## AIC Spooky NEWSLETTER



**Pastry Program  
Suspended**

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**AA Meetings  
Resuming!**

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**New Flagging  
Class Available!**

Writing Project  
with Bridgeworks  
Oregon

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Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
October 21	October 22	October 23	October 24	October 25	October 26	October 27
76/47	59/39	54/34	47/32	45/29	45/27	45/25
Partly Cloudy	Evening Showers	Partly Cloudy	Mostly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy	Partly Cloudy

### **Admin Clerk**

Admin is seeking a Clerk to aid in computer work, filing, and activities committee related tasks. Requirements to qualify to apply include:

#### MUST HAVE:

1. 8 months until treatment eligibility or release date
2. No Program failures
3. Clear Conduct for the past 6 months
4. GED
5. Strong work ethic, ability to follow instructions, and work independently
6. MUST HAVE working knowledge of Microsoft Office – Word and Excel
7. Previous experience preferred

Interested in the position please fully complete the CD1523 Work Application Form and send to Ms. Pimentel – IWP Coordinator.

The position open until filled by qualified candidate.



## Al-Anon

Thursdays from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm

Al-Anon is a program that works with alcoholics and non-alcoholics who have family members or friends who have been affected by alcohol and / or drugs. Al-Anon offers a gentle but powerful path to serenity that can be applied right now in prison and upon release.

## Sign-up Now! - AA (Freedom on The Inside)

Monday every other week at 6:00 pm

AA Group will resume beginning October 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2023 and will be held every two weeks on Monday's until further notice. The group will begin at 6:00pm in the Elkhorn Room in the Multi-Purpose Building.

Please send an AIC Communication to Ms. Geddes if you would like to be added to the Call Out.

Thank you.

## Photo Rules Reminder:

From the Photo Coordinator:

- No perimeter fence, any observation tower, any security device, any staff office area, any staff member, or any other AICs not posing for the picture.
- The purchaser of the photograph must be included in the picture.
- All photographs are subject to review and approval of SECURITY THREAT GROUP staff.



*UNAUTHORIZED PHOTOS OR PHOTOGRAPHS* taken in violation of any guidelines will be confiscated and *no credit* will be given for a retake.



**The Pastry Program  
is suspended until  
January 2024.**

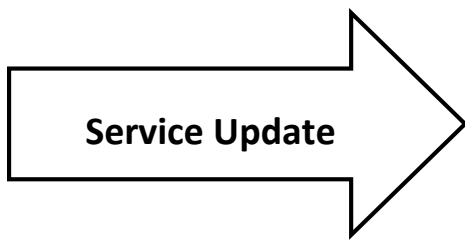
## Mail rules apply to electronic correspondence too.

Please note the following Incoming Mail Definitions under Chapter 291-131-0010

(7) Electronic Messages: Correspondence exchanged between inmates and subscribers through a department approved third-party electronic messaging vendor by means of computers equipped for internet access.

(16) Mail: Incoming or outgoing mail, including *electronic messages*, authorized by these rules to be sent or received by an inmate and delivered by the United States Postal Service or any other carrier approved by the department including, but not limited to, parcel service enterprises or electronic messaging services.





**Heart of the Dove LLC- family transportation**  
**Please note that this service provider is no longer in Service.**

*From the Administrative Rules Program:*

Below is the list of status changes made to DOC administrative rules since 8/8/2023.

**PROPOSED RULES:**

**291-145 Group Activities (AIC)**

- Amends rule to correct an error in the rule fixing the account to which unobligated funds are transferred when a club is terminated, thus aligning the rule to current practice.
- Last day of comment period: 12/4/23 5:00 PM

**PERMANENT RULES**

**291-145 Group Activities (AIC)**

- Amends rule to provide direction for AICs and employees regarding how clubs and other activities should operate; aligns rule with audit recommendations and policy decisions on fundraising; and changes the term "inmate" to "adult in custody".
- Effective 10/3/23

**291-156 Welfare Fund (AIC)**

- Amends rule to update business strategies, reflect changes in department philosophy like changing "inmate" to "adult in custody" and clarify the rules.
- Effective 9/29/23

# Important Information

Please Place all Medical Requests in the

**“MEDICAL KYTE BOX”**

Located outside the Medical Office or the  
Chow Hall



**\*\*DO NOT place in regular Kyte Mail Box\*\***

Thank You! Health Services

# CLOTHING EXCHANGE

## Until further notice:

Unit schedules for Clothing exchange will be as follows:

**\*Units 1W & 3 – Tuesday and Thursday**

**\*Units 1E & 2 – Monday and Friday**

**6:45 am to 8:00 am.**

Coming into R&D outside of these hours, unless you've been called down, will result in you being held accountable, if there is an immediate need, please talk with your housing unit officer.

## CLOTHING IS A

## 1 FOR 1 EXCHANGE!!

## LOST OR MISSING CLOTHING?

**YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO COMPLETE THE  
RE-ISSUANCE OF STATE ISSUED PROPERTY  
FORM LOCATED ON YOUR UNIT!**

**POWDER RIVER CORRECTIONAL FACILITY  
INTEROFFICE COMMUNICATION**

**TO:** RECEIVING & DISCHARGE OFFICER  
**SUBJECT:** RE-ISSUANCE OF STATE ISSUED PROPERTY  
**DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, am in need of re-issuance of the following items for the following reasons:

ITEM	REASON

By signing this, I verify that I do not have any property in excess of what I am authorized to have in my possession.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Inmate Signature/ Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Bunk Assignment

**Housing Unit Officer:** Please ensure that this individual has made every effort to locate the missing items listed above. This includes checking with Housing Unit Laundry Room.

**Work Section Supervisor:** If damage has occurred because of work related conduct, please sign below.

\_\_\_\_\_  
HOUSING UNIT OFFICER/ DATE

\_\_\_\_\_  
WORK SECTION SUPERVISOR/DATE

Revised-1/13/2006



**WRITING PROJECT & ONLINE JOURNAL WITH BRIDGEWORKS OREGON**

## THE PONY XPRESS CONTINUES

and be part of a journal publishing writing from inside

**TWO-HOUR WORKSHOP FACILITATED BY BRIDGEWORKS:**

**who | Past participants and new folks welcome**

**what | Writing workshop, prepare a piece to discuss & submit!**

**Theme: Legacy, what will you carry forward?**

**In-class writing exercises**

**where | Blue Mountain Room**

**when | September 27, 2023 | 8:30-10:30 am**

**how | To participate please send a kyte to Ms. Geddes**

**BRIDGEWORKS OREGON BRINGS ART & MUSIC INTO OREGON PRISONS. SUPPORT COMES FROM OREGON COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, OREGON ARTS COMMISSION, OREGON HUMANITIES, AND MULTNOMAH COUNTY CULTURAL COALITION.**



## HAVING TROUBLE WITH T-MOBILE?

### WE WORK TOGETHER!

The Department of Corrections is aware that T-Mobile and Boost Mobile customers may have difficulty receiving calls from AICs due to T-Mobile's spam filters. T-Mobile is investigating the issue.

#### There are currently two solutions:

- You can call T-Mobile customer service and request that the number associated with the prison be removed from the blocked spam list. For general help, dial 611 from your T-Mobile phone or call 1-800-937-8997.
- You can also download the "Scam Shield app," which should be a T-Mobile app. From the application, you can add the number you want to allow yourself.

If you have the Scam Shield app, disable it and/or manually add the phone number to the list of approved people. Double-check that your phone does not have "unknown call filtering" enabled.

**If you have an emergency, please contact the center directly.**

DOC FACILITIES	PHONE NUMBER
Coffee Creek Correctional Facility	1-503-855-0998
Columbia River Correctional Institution	1-971-273-1989
Deer Ridge Correctional Institution	1-458-230-5136
Eastern Oregon Correctional Institution	1-541-304-2132
Oregon State Correctional Institution	1-971-273-1992
Oregon State Penitentiary	1-971-273-1993
Powder River Correctional Facility	1-541-406-0107
Santiam Correctional Institution	1-971-273-1991
Snake River Correctional Institution	1-541-709-5093
South Fork Forest Camp	1-971-341-3203
Two Rivers Correctional Institution	1-541-626-0029
Warner Creek Correctional Facility	1-541-407-1299

# Open Resource Room Hours

- **Open Resource Room Hours and offerings:**

- PRCF is now offering Open Resource Room Hours for AICs who are currently enrolled in RTOS classes (If you are not enrolled in RTOS classes do not sign up for Open Resource Room hours). Open Resource Room Hours are currently available on: Wednesday from 12:30pm to 3:00pm and Thursday & Friday from 8:00am to 10:30am. If you would like to utilize Open Resource Room hours, you will need to sign up in multi-Purpose the day prior to the time and day you are wanting to come. AICs are limited to one slot per week. Below are things we can help you with during these time slots:

- Resume building
- Transitional plans
- RTOS homework
- Budgeting plans
- Cover letters
- Credit reports/disputes
- Letters of accommodation
- Transitional housing calls/interviews
- Snap Benefits
- Child support calls
- DMV calls
- Case by case basis other items



- Please come and utilize this time wisely. Our goal in the Transition Unit is to help AICs overcome barriers to transitioning back to their communities. If you want the help we are here.





# Financial Services

## *Informational Briefing*

### *Adult in Custody (AIC) Trust Accounts*

<p>General Spending Account</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Primary spending account for AICs Eligible deposits are received into this account ○ <i>Examples:</i></li> <li>• <i>Deposits received from friends/family, and PRAS</i> AICs use the Request for Withdrawal of Funds form (CD28) to facilitate financial transactions from the General Spending Trust Account</li> <li>• Funds in this account are not protected from debt/obligation collection or garnishment</li> </ul>
<p>Protected Spending Reserve Account</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• This is a spending account established for AICs who receive protected money ○ <i>Examples: disability benefits for veterans, moneys received from Native American or tribal government, railroad retirement benefits, OCE Prison Industry Enhancement (PIE) Awards</i></li> <li>• AICs use the green Request for Withdrawal of Funds from Protected Reserve form (CD28P) to facilitate financial transactions from the Protected Reserve Trust Account</li> <li>• Funds in the Protected Reserve Trust Account are protected from debt/obligation collection or garnishment</li> </ul>
<p>Transitional Savings Account</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Established per SB844/ORS 423.105 as a means for AICs to save funds for release from ODOC custody</li> <li>• 5% of each eligible deposit is received into the AICs Transitional Savings Trust Account until the account reaches \$500</li> <li>• AICs may elect to transfer funds into this account by submitting a transfer request form (CD1832, <i>available electronically and in paper</i>) up to \$500</li> <li>• AICs may continue a 5% deduction of their eligible deposits beyond \$500 if court-ordered financial obligations (COFOs) are satisfied</li> <li>• Funds in the Transitional Savings Trust Account are protected from debt/obligation collection or garnishment, but this is not the same thing as the Protected Spending Reserve Account</li> </ul>
<p>General Savings Account</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Established as a means for AICs to save funds outside of the Transitional Savings Trust Account AICs may elect to transfer funds into the General Savings Trust Account by submitting a transfer request form (CF1832, <i>available electronically and in paper</i>) Funds in this account are not available until the AIC releases from ODOC custody; an exception may be granted by the CFO or designee per OAR 291 Div. 158</li> <li>• Funds in the General Savings Trust Account are not protected from debt/obligation collection or garnishment</li> </ul>
<p>Obligated Reserve Accounts</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Medical, Optical, Dental, Trip, Education, Religious, and Programming are accounts AICs use when there is a need to reserve funds for a good or service that meets specific criteria</li> <li>• AICs may receive deposits directly to one of these accounts from an external source</li> <li>• AICs must be approved to place funds into an Obligated Reserve Account</li> <li>• Funds in Obligated Reserve Accounts are deemed spent and therefore are not subject to debt/obligation collection or garnishment</li> </ul>

### Questions?

AICs may submit an AIC Communication form to Business Services (electronic communication option preferred & available on the tablet). Friends and Family may submit questions to [dldoctrustinfo@doc.state.or.us](mailto:dldoctrustinfo@doc.state.or.us).



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Debt / Obligation Type	Collection Schedule	Additional Information
Court Ordered Financial Obligation (COFO)	<p>Collected from eligible deposits per ORS 423.105</p> <p>10% collected for COFO(s) from eligible deposits until the transitional savings trust account reaches \$500</p> <p>Then, 15% collected for COFO(s) from eligible deposits until obligation(s) are satisfied</p>	<p>The department does not have case-specific information regarding COFOs; AICs are encouraged to contact the court of record regarding their COFO details</p> <p>COFOs are not the same as County and US Court filing fees. Examples of COFOs are restitution, fines, fees, &amp; child support</p> <p>COFOs will continue to collect during the Holiday Buying Period</p>
<p><b>Note:</b> Although the transitional savings trust account is considered an obligation, funds collected are owned by the AIC. Per ORS 423.105, 5% will be collected from eligible deposits and placed into the transitional savings trust account. Funds in the transitional savings trust account are not available until the AIC releases from ODOC custody.</p>		
DOC Debt	<p>Collected from eligible deposits</p> <p>Additionally, collections shall occur the last business day of the month per OAR 291 Div. 158 if funds are available</p>	<p>DOC debt includes but is not limited to debt incurred from various disciplinary fines, copy, and postage advances</p> <p>DOC debt is due upon receipt, if/when funds are not available; funds are advanced and set-up as debt</p> <p>Monthly, AICs may spend up to \$40 of the first \$80 deposited into general spending</p> <p>DOC Debt may be suspended during the Holiday Buying Period unless a new disciplinary fee is applied</p>
County Court Deferred Filing Fee Obligation	<p>Collected as funds become available</p> <p>Multiple collections may occur throughout the month</p> <p>Additionally, collections shall occur the last business day of the month</p>	<p>County obligations refer to deferred county filing fees</p> <p>These obligations are incurred when an AIC elects to file with the court and the court approves a deferred filing fee</p> <p>County Court fees will continue to collect during the Holiday Buying Period</p>
Initial Federal / US Court Filing Fee Obligation	<p>Collected as funds become available</p> <p>Multiple collections may occur throughout the month</p> <p>Additionally, collections shall occur the last business day of the month</p>	<p>Initial Filing fees can be collected in total and are due upon receipt</p> <p>These obligations are incurred when an AIC elects to file with the court and the court approves a deferred filing fee</p> <p>Initial Federal/US Court filing fees will continue to collect during the Holiday Buying Period</p>
Federal / US Court Deferred Filing Fee Obligation	<p>Collected around the beginning of the month</p>	<p>General filing fee collection amount determined by the previous month's deposit(s)</p> <p>20% of previous months deposits multiplied by the number of cases is deemed collectable</p> <p>Federal/US Court Deferred filing fees will continue to collect during the Holiday Buying Period</p>



## OCTOBER IN HISTORY

**October 20** - 1944 US forces under General Douglas MacArthur return to the Philippines with the landing of the US 6th army on Leyte

**October 20** - 2020 US Justice Department sues Google for illegal monopoly over search and search advertising

**October 21** - 1944 World War II: US troops capture Aachen, 1st large German city to fall

**October 21** - 1948 UN rejects Russian proposal to destroy atomic weapons

**October 21** - 1950 Chinese forces occupy Tibet

**October 22** - 1879 Thomas Edison perfects carbonized cotton filament light bulb

**October 22** - 1884 International Meridian Conference in Washington, D.C. adopts Greenwich Mean Time (GMT) worldwide, creating 24 international time zones with longitude zero at the Greenwich meridian

**October 23** - 1942 During WWII, Britain launches major offensive at El Alamein, Egypt

**October 23** - 1981 US national debt hits \$1 trillion

**October 23** - 2001 The Provisional Irish Republican Army of Northern Ireland commences disarmament after peace talks

**October 24** - 1962 Cuban Missile Crisis: Soviet ships approach but stop short of the US blockade of Cuba

**October 24** - 2008 "Bloody Friday" saw many of the world's stock exchanges experienced the worst declines in their history, with drops of around 10% in most indices.

**October 25** - 1962 US Ambassador to the UN Adlai Stevenson demands USSR UN rep Valerian Zorin answer regarding Cuban missile bases saying "I am prepared to wait for my answer until hell freezes over"

**October 25** - 1971 United Nations votes to expel the Chinese Nationalist ruled Taiwan and admit the Communist People's Republic of China

**October 25** - 2017 Chinese Premier Xi Jinping unveils his new ruling council in the Great Hall of the People, none of the five are young enough to succeed him

**October 26** - 1863 International conference begins in Geneva aimed at improving medical conditions on battlefields - beginning of the Red Cross

**October 26** - 1977 Last natural case of smallpox discovered in Merca district, Somalia. Considered the anniversary of the eradication of smallpox, the most spectacular success of vaccination

**October 26** - 2019 Raid by US Special Forces kills ISIS founder Abu Bakr al-Baghdadi in Syria

# SPORTS NEWS

## BLAZERS

### Deandre Ayton thankful Phoenix Suns traded him to Portland Trail Blazers

Portland Trail Blazers center Deandre Ayton

Oregon Live.com



**Deandre Edoneille Ayton Sr.** (born July 23, 1998) is a Bahamian professional basketball player for the Portland Trail Blazers of the National Basketball Association (NBA). A consensus five-star prospect in the Class of 2017 and a McDonald's All-American, he played one season of college basketball for the Arizona Wildcats, where he was named the Pac-12 Player of the Year.<sup>[1]</sup> Ayton was selected with the first overall pick in the 2018 NBA draft by the Phoenix Suns and was named to the NBA All-Rookie First Team in 2019. In 2021, he helped lead the Suns to their first NBA Finals appearance since 1993.

From Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia

## Winterhawks remain tops in the league

Kamloops scored the first goal of the night Friday, but Portland did the rest of the net-finding for a 4-1 home win.

The Winterhawks pulled into the lead late in the first period, criss-crossing the ice before finding Josh Zakreski coming up on the left side to bury one past the goalie.

Hudson Darby added a goal in the second, fighting out of a scrum along the boards and firing from the face-off circle.

Diego Buttazzoni cleaned up a rebound in front of the net for a power-play goal to cap The scoring with 13 minutes to play.

The Winterhawks held a dominating 50-27 edge in shots taken, holding the Blazers to only five attempts over the game's final 20 minutes.

Portland goalie Jan Spunar made 26 saves.

The Winterhawks improved to 5-1 early this season, boasting the top winning percentage in the Western Hockey League. the scoring with 13 minutes to play. *KATU.com*





## Anger Management

Join Pastor B. Clemens in answering...

What is anger? Is anger sin? Can anger be my ally? What are some tools to deal with anger?

Wednesdays 5:30 pm – 7 pm, starting 11/01/2023

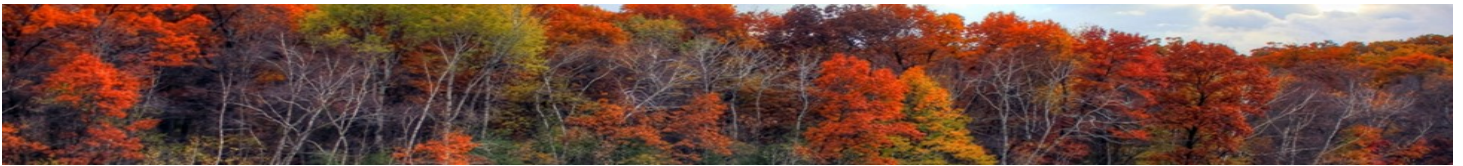
Interested? Send a 'Kyte' to the Chaplain to be included on the call outs.

*(NOTE: This is not a state-certified module. A certificate of completion will be provided at the close of the module.)*

**ONLY TEN SPACES AVAILABLE.**

## **PROPERTY UPON RELEASE**

All property listed on your Property List must be in your possession and accounted for at the time of your release. Failure to provide these items or proof of approved disposal of items not in your possession may result in progressive discipline for you and anyone else in possession of your property.



## PRCF Religious Activities & Services 2023

Day	Time	Faith	Name and Description	Location	Format	Supervisor
Sunday	8:00 AM	Nazarene	Worship Team Practice	Chapel	In-person	Nelson
Sunday	9:15 AM	Nazarene	Worship Service	Chapel	In-person	Nelson
Sunday	8:00 AM	Asatru	BLOT*	Earth Circle	In-person	Chaplain
Sunday	1:00 PM	JWs	Bible Study/Service	Elkhorn	In-person	Smothers
Sunday	7:30 AM	Native	SweatLodge	Native Grounds	In-person	Chaplain
Sunday	12:15 PM	Native	Talk Circle	Native Grounds	In-person	Chaplain
Sunday	12:15 PM	Native	Drumming	Native Grounds	In-person	Chaplain
Sunday	12:15 PM	Native	Smudge	Native Grounds	In-person	Chaplain
Sunday	5:30 PM	Non. Deno.	Worship Service	Chapel	In-person	Clemens
Sunday	5:00 PM	Non. Deno.	Worship Team Practice	Chapel	In-person	Clemens
Sunday	6:00 PM	Christian	CCBC Bible Study	Whitman	In-person	Wagemaker
Sunday	8:00 AM	Native	Sweat Lodge Prep.*	Native Grounds	In-person	Chaplain
Mon & Tues	5:00 PM	SDA	Guitar Lessons	Chapel	In-person	Nickell
Tuesday	8:30 AM	Wicca	BLOT*	Earth Circle	In-person	Chaplain
Tuesday	5:30 PM	Christian	Malachi Dads	Eagle Cap	In-person	Wilson
Tuesday	8:00 AM		OPEN CHAPEL	Chapel	In-person	Chaplain
Wednesday	5:15 PM	Asatru	Rune Study	Whitman	In-person	Chaplain
Wednesday	9:00 AM	Islam	Jumah Prayer**	Chapel	In-person	Chaplain
Wednesday	5:30 PM	Native	Native Movie	Chapel	In-person	Chaplain
Wednesday	5:00 PM	Nazarene	Conquer Series**	Chapel	In-person	Woodruff
Wednesday	5:00 PM	Nazarene	The Chooosen Series**	Chapel	In-person	Woodruff
Wednesday	5:30 PM	Christian	Celebrate Revovery	Eagle Cap	In-person	Chaplain
Thursday	1:00 PM	Catholic	Mass	Chapel	In-person	Fr. Suresh
Thursday	7:00 PM	SDA	Creation Chronicles	Chapel	In-person	Sundean
Thur & Sat	6:30 PM / 9:00 AM		Yoga & Meditation	Elkhorn	In-person	Donahue
Friday	12:30 PM	Jewish	Sabath Service	Library	Video	Chaplain
Friday	9:30 AM	LDS	Bible Study/Service	Elkhorn	In-person	Eardley
Fri & Sat	5:15 PM		Music Practice	Chapel	In-person	MPD Officer
Fri. & Sun.	12:00 PM	Buddhist	Meditation	Elkhorn	In-person	Chaplain
Saturday	7:30 AM	SDA	Worship	Chapel	In-person	Sundean
Saturday	5:00 PM	Baptist	Good Seed Bible Study	Whitman	In-person	
TBD		Christian	Baptismal Study	Chaplain Office	In-person	Chaplain
			Art of Communication**	Chapel	In-person	Bradford
	5:00 PM	SDA	Relationship That Lasts**	Chapel	In-person	Sundean

\*Once a month-Sunday. Dates TBD

\*\*Work in progress

# IWP Position

## **NEW HOPE – POWDER PALS PROGRAM** **Interested AICs are welcome to apply**

New Hope for Eastern Oregon Animals (New Hope – Powder Pals) partnered with the Powder River Correctional Facility, Oregon Department of Corrections, since early 2011. A key focus of this work has been the ability to provide meaningful work for inmates in training homeless dogs. More specifically, the program assists homeless dogs lacking obedience skills and behavioral issues that limit the animal's ability to be re-homed successfully. New Hope for Eastern Oregon Animals is a Private Non-Profit whose purpose is to improve the lives of animals through kindness, understanding and respect. Their purpose is to rescue and rehabilitate animals in Eastern Oregon, increase awareness of animal well-being through education, and encourage a caring and safe environment for animals.

Work duties will include are but not limited to the following:

- Always follow the training program. Failure to follow the program will result in immediate removal from the program and may result in disciplinary action.
- Conduct or assist with scheduled training sessions.
- Conduct or assist with socialization of the animals.
- Follow the schedule of activities for the animals.
- Exercise animals daily.
- Keep a daily log of the animal's progress in the program.
- Feeding and watering following recommended daily amounts.
- Remove solid waste from kennel areas (inside and outside), and any other area as needed using approved Personal Protective Equipment (PPE).
- Clean kennel area (inside and outside) using appropriate chemicals and PPE.
- Must be willing to work in a variety of weather conditions.

Qualifications for opportunity to apply:

1. In compliance with DOC Case Plan
2. No major misconduct reports within the last 6 months
3. Minimum of 6-8 months remaining on sentence
4. No history of animal neglect or abuse
5. Willingness to work as a team, open to new training ideas, willingness to make a difference to an animal
6. Be motivated for change and have a good attitude
7. Must be able to lift 50 lbs.

**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE SEND *\*AN APPLICATION FORM\** TO MS. PIMENTEL**



## **FLAGGING CLASS**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18<sup>TH</sup>**

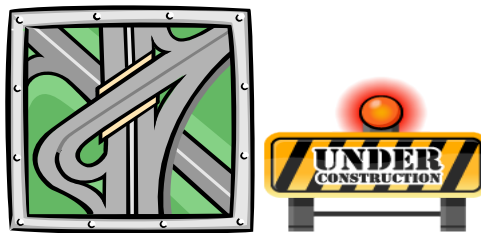
**\$100 TO TAKE THE CLASS – PAID VIA CD28 OR MONEY ORDER**

**NOTE: CERTIFICATION LAST FOR 3 YEARS.**

Upon completion, you will be certified for road-working and flagging jobs in Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana.

Wages in this job industry are climbing, as is the demand for certified workers within this field, so this is a great opportunity for anyone interested in a hands-on career, working outdoors and with the community.

**ALSO, MOST FLAGGING COMPANIES ARE FELON FRIENDLY!**



The Class will run approximately four hours, at the end of which will be an open-book exam. If the student fails the exam, the money will be refunded. The class is offered 2-3 times per year.

**Must be one year or less to release to take the class.**

***To sign up – send a kite with your CD-28 attached to Ms. Suing at PRCF (CD-28 payable to Todd Cooper). If you have any further questions, please kite Ms. Suing, Transition Coordinator.***

***All CD-28's must be turned in by Wednesday, November 1<sup>st</sup> and will be processed the week of November 6<sup>th</sup>.***



# OCTOBER



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6 No Ticket Delivery this week. CD-28s processed as usual.	7
8 Turn in CD-28 for tickets	9 <b>Pastry Box Picked-up from MPB</b>	10	11	12	13 Coffee, Photo & Activity Tickets  <b>* Pastries Delivered</b>	14
15 Turn in CD-28 for tickets	16	17	18	19	20 Coffee, Photo & Activity Tickets	21
22 Turn in CD-28 for tickets	23	24	25	26	27 Coffee, Photo & Activity Tickets	28
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block;"> <p><b>The Pastry Program is suspended until January 2024</b></p> </div>						
29 Turn in CD-28 for tickets	30	31 <b>Happy Halloween</b>				

# Contact Officer Corner



Are you proud of yourself?

As you go throughout your day, is the person you present to your peers, your co-workers, and even those who love, support and encourage you; someone of moral integrity, honesty and commitment? In your daily interactions, is your intent to be the best person you can be or is it to see just how much you can feed your instant gratification through lies, manipulation and deceit?

If those who mean the most to you—your family, children, significant other—walked side-by-side with you each day as they watched your every deed and listened to your every word, would they be impressed with your decisions and actions to seek true change for yourself, or would they once again hang their head in hurt and disappointment over another promise broken? When faced with your reflection, is the person staring back at you a true image of who you are inside and out?

You see, there are ripple effects to every decision, every choice, every action YOU decide to make. The moment YOU make the choice to act upon your decision—good or bad, YOU are also making the decision to own the consequence—good or bad. YOU have the ability be the champion in your own life; YOU must simply make the decision to do the next right thing. It is as simple or difficult as YOU choose to make it.

So once again, are you are proud of yourself? If not, you can make the decision now to change your moral compass and move forward in a positive direction. Regardless of which way you go, the choice is yours.

## Weekly Quote:

*Children do not exist for parents; parents exist for children. Sven Erlandson*

## Suggested Reading:

*There's a Hole in My Love Cup by Sven Erlandson*

## PRCF Contact Officer Program Contact Information:

Ms. Hoopes, Correctional Counselor, oversees the Amend Contact Officer Program at PRCF. She works with the PRCF Contact Officer Leadership Team consisting of Sgt. Crawford, Officer Brinton, Lt. Brazofsky and Officer Erickson to build the Contact Officer program and improve communication between staff and AICs. If you have questions regarding the Contact Officer Program or the Oregon Way, please feel free to send an AIC Communication to Ms. Hoopes-Multi Purpose Building Rm. 505.

# R & D Info

<b>STATE CLOTHING ALLOWED</b>		
<u>1 Each Denim Coat</u>	<u>1 Chambray shirt</u> <u>2 Chambray shirts (Program)</u>	<u>2 Pair Denim Pants</u>
<u>3 Each T-Shirts</u>	<u>2 Sweatshirts</u> <u>1 Sweatshirts (Program)</u>	<u>1 Each Belt &amp; Buckle</u>
<u>3 Pair Grey Dress Socks</u>		<u>2 Each Towels</u>
<u>3 Pair of Underwear</u>	<u>2 Blankets (Wool or Cotton)</u>	<u>2 Sheets and 1 Pillowcase</u>
<u>1 Pair State Tennis Shoes</u> <u>(if no personal shoes)</u>	<u>1 Pair of State Shower Shoes</u> <u>(if no personal shoes)</u>	<u>1 Pair Red Shorts</u> <u>(If no personal blue shorts)</u>
<b>WORK CREW ONLY</b>		
<u>1 Pair Work Boots</u>	<u>2 Pair Work (boot) Socks</u>	<u>1 Pair Work Gloves</u>
	<u>1 Each Safety Vest</u>	
<p>Work crew items must be turned back in when you are no longer assigned to a work crew. Work crew clothing is to be worn for work assignments only.</p> <p>1. Clothing exchange is done on a one-for-one basis. You must bring the article of clothing you wish to exchange to R&amp;D to get a replacement. If you do not have the article of clothing, and you have tried to find it, you are required to follow the proper state property re-issuance procedure. The forms are available on your units. (The process for returning clothing <b>does not</b> included turning items into the Unit Laundry buckets)</p> <p>2. <b>Do Not</b> purposefully rip, tear, alter, or destroy any clothing or laundry bags in hopes of getting new ones. R&amp;D does not have the extra clothing or budget to continue replacing damaged items. You can and will be held accountable if clothing appears to be purposefully destroyed.</p> <p>3. Clothing exchange will occur Monday and Friday from at 6:30 am to 7:30 am. Coming into R&amp;D outside of these hours, unless you've been called down, will result in you being held accountable, <u>if there is an immediate need please talk with your unit officer.</u></p>		

## Release Clothing

Have you thought about your clothing needs for release and how you are going to pay for them?

When you are **45 Days from release**, you will need to contact R&D to make arrangements for your dress outs by completing a package authorization form to have clothing sent in OR by completing a CD28, to ensure you have funds available to purchase clothing from PRCF

The cost for dress outs can be up to \$35 depending on your needs. If you have any questions about the cost for dress out clothing, please kite R&D.

Due to changes to the Inmate Trust accounts you should start thinking about how you will pay for your dress outs. You can pay for dress outs with money in your General Spending account or your General Savings account but Not your Transitional Savings.



### **Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA Information)**

The Oregon Department of Corrections (ODOC) has a zero-tolerance policy for sexual abuse, sexual harassment and for retaliation for reporting an incident. You may report in person to any staff, through an AIC communication, through the grievance system, by calling the PREA hotline by making a language selection, then dialing 91 from any AIC phone.

#### **Filing an Anonymous PREA Report**

If you are uneasy about filing a PREA allegation, you may file an anonymous report with an outside agency.

You may write to:

Governor's Constituent Services Office  
900 Court Street NE, Suite 254  
Salem, Oregon 97301

Please indicate in the beginning of your letter you are filing a PREA allegation, and you are requesting to remain anonymous. The Governor's Office will refer all anonymous allegations to the DOC PREA Coordinator to assure an investigation is completed based off the information that is provided.

#### **Opposite Gender Viewing/Announcements**

Opposite gender staff announcement themselves when entering a housing unit by ringing a bell. This must be done any time the status quo of the gender supervision on a housing unit changes (if there is already an opposite gender staff on the unit then there is not needed to re-announce). When you hear the doorbell, opposite gender staff will be entering the housing unit so please make sure you are covered up appropriately.

It is also important you undress in the appropriate locations. If you are in a bunk area, there are cameras throughout the facility so the designated changing/bathroom areas are the only areas you should be without undergarments. Opposite gender viewing may happen incidentally when staff are conducting routine cell checks. You can minimize this by keeping aware of the gender of supervision in your housing unit and ensuring you cover up when possible.

#### **Community-Based PREA Advocacy (Support) Program**

ODOC has partnered with community based, confidential advocates of sexual abuse victims to provide services to AICs.

AICs at ODOC who have experienced sexual abuse may reach a community-based advocate by making a language selection, entering your AIC PIN, then press 0\*711 AIC telephone systems, or may request a private call through the PREA Compliance Manager at the facility. Advocates provide victims of sexual abuse information about their options, resources, information, and emotional support. There is no charge for calls to advocates.

The community-based advocacy crisis line is for individuals needing assistance coping with sexual abuse related issues and should not be used for other purposes.

Telephone calls and mail with community-based advocacy centers is considered privileged communication and will be handled like legal calls/official mail. All advocacy calls are not monitored or recorded.

Advocates provide confidential support and crisis intervention, inform you about the investigation and medical examination process, educate you about healing from sexual abuse and offer resources and referrals

Advocates will not tell you what to do, communicate with the institution unless you request them to do so and sign a release and will not provide legal advice.

Community-based advocacy centers provide sexual abuse support to people of all genders. Community-based advocates will not report unless you request them to do so and if you sign a release of information.

Just Detention International Headquarters is a national advocacy resource and can be reached at:

3325 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 340  
Los Angeles, CA 90010

If you have any other questions regarding PREA, you may ask any staff member, write the PREA Compliance Manager at your institution, or you may write:

Ericka Sage PREA Coordinator  
Oregon Department of Corrections  
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Salem, OR 97302

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