

Klamath Chamber News!



929 85

Douglas Memorial Bridge, Klamath River, Redwood Highway.

*Welcome
May*



This & That

By Jan Crandall

If any of our **Business Members** are interested, we have a good supply of Klamath CA gold colored pins available for sale in your gift shops or at your counters. The pins are all individually packaged and are \$2.50 and \$5.00

suggested as the re-sale price to the public. These have always been popular as a pin on the fisherman's hat. From all reports, we are getting the fishing back from June to August. Please let Jan know if you would like to order and the amount.

Also, anyone needing a new supply of Klamath Brochures let me know & I will make sure to have them available to you when I deliver the May News Letter.

Aaron Funk, owner of Kamp Klamath and Alex Campbell, Manager of Home Depot, jointly purchased & delivered a new freezer for the Klamath Community/Senior Center as it was truly needed. Huge Thank You to these Klamath Chamber Members.

Aaron Funk, owner of Kamp Klamath and Alex Campbell, Manager of Home Depot, jointly purchased & delivered a new freezer for the Klamath Community/Senior Center as it was truly needed. Huge Thank You to these Klamath Chamber Members.

Woodland Villa & Country Cabins & Market is sporting an attractive picket fence around their propane tank. Certainly calls attention to one of their many services.

We lost a long time resident and a good friend to many when George Herrick passed away on April 15th, he had been in the hospital with pneumonia for over a week. Many for over a week. Many folks knew him when he was at Cat's RV. I am sure that God welcomed him with open arms.

We still have Chamber Members who have not paid their 2018 Membership Dues. Please if you have any questions call me, but would truly appreciate the outstanding ones be taken care of as soon as they can. I had a request last month, that the date of the Del Norte Rual Human Services be published in our news letter each month. In May they will be at the Klamath Community Center, on Tuesday the 22nd, Hours 9:30 to Noon, any questions please feel free to call the office in Crescent city, (707)-464-7441.

Mariachi Season

Ay,ay,ay,ya! May is the season for mariachi! The celebration begins a bit prematurely with Texas State University's Fiesta de Mariachi Festival & Competition, on April 30. Not to worry, for there will be plenty more mariachi on May 1, the official Mariachi Day in Texas and elsewhere.

Mariachi is rooted in Spain's arrival in Mexico when the Spanish introduced European musical instruments such as guitars, violins, harps, brass horns and woodwinds that were used in theater productions & church services. Native Mexicans quickly appropriated the instruments to their own uses, even building, tuning and modifying them.

Scholars argue over the origin of the term mariachi. Some believe that it comes from the French word marriage, meaning "wedding" or "marriage" How did a French word enter the Mexican lexicon? In the 19th century, Mexico was conquered & ruled by Maximillian I, a Frenchman at the command of Napoleon III, nephew of Napoleon Bonaparte. Others believe the word does not step from French at all but is rather from a native word for a local tree used to build both guitars and for the stage upon which musicians played music.

No matter where the word originated, the mariachi music embodies the heart & soul of Mexico. The Annual Battle of the Mariachis will take place on May 14 in San Juan Capistrano Calif, in Mexico, every day is Mariachi Day, but perhaps the best day to hear mariachi would be on Cinco de Mayo99 (May 5)

Happy May Birthday's

Lori Collins 2nd, Wanda Kirkpatrick 5th
Paul Crandall 9th, Liam & Cole 28th,
Jessica Crandall & "Willie Mully share
the 29th. And Mary Tillson 30th.

Happy Anniversary Wishes To:

And welcome Home Tom & Carolyn Atlas

Senior Luncheon

**KLAMATH COMMUNITY/SENIOR CENTER, 219 Salmon Avenue
Wednesday 16, 2018 1:00—2:00 pm.**

Roast Beef, Mashed Potatoes & gravy,
Veggie Medley, Green Salad and dinner rolls.

Deserts by Charlie & Jan. Charlie also bringing in a special
Treat for the Mother's Peach Tea, coffee & Lemonade will be available.

All Local and Visiting Seniors are welcome!

Hope to see all Seniors there to join us.

For Information please phone Judy @ 482-1121 or Jan 482-9705

The Klamath Chamber of Commerce is a non-profit organization. We seek to facilitate business, health and growth by meeting and promoting public and community services. We strive to maintain our area's unique rural atmosphere, history and sense of community for all residents and businesses.

Alone we stand but a mighty tree - Together we are a forest

To contact The Klamath Chamber of Commerce:

Mailing Address: PO Box 476, Klamath CA 95548

Office: (707) 482-9705

President, Kylan Hoener :hoenerk@gmail.com

Treasurer, Jan Crandall: janchinook@hughes.net

Newsletter Editor, Wanda Kirkpatrick: wandakchamber@aol.com

**Klamath Chamber of Commerce
PO Box 476
Klamath CA 95548**