



CITY OF BINGEN NEWSLETTER – APRIL 2006

2006 Community Pride Week

Yes, it is that time again – the opportunity to clean out the garage, shed, basement, attic and the backyard and maybe the front yard too.

Community Pride Week is scheduled for the week of April 24 through April 30. The drop off site for junk and recyclable materials will be open as follows:

Friday, April 28	12:00 to 4:00 p.m.
Saturday, April 29	10:00 to 4:00 p.m.
Sunday, April 30	10:00 to 4:00 p.m.

The site is located just east of the Bingen Public Works shop on the north side of Lakeview Road, across from the Bingen Point Industrial park.

The following items may be brought to the site:

- Reusable household items
- Scrap metal
- Recyclable paper, metal, plastic, glass
- Building materials
- Used household appliances
- Brush, tree limbs, lawn, garden, and yard waste

Used tires will be accepted for a fee: \$3.00 per tire for passenger and light truck tires and \$10.00 per tire for semi-truck tires.

The following items cannot be accepted at the site:

- Household wastes such as food scraps
- Household hazardous waste

A \$3 cash voluntary donation is accepted at the collection site.

Transfer stations at BZ Corners, Dallesport or Goldendale will accept up to five tires in each pickup load of garbage. In addition the transfer stations will accept hazardous wastes.

Community Wide Yard Sale

A community wide yard sale is scheduled for April 28 and 29. A map of yard sales will be distributed throughout the community a week before the sale. To get your yard sale on the map call White Salmon city hall at 493-1133 or Bingen city hall at 493-2122.

What you don't sell can be brought to the collection site. Reusable items will be collected by the homeless shelter. Clothing will be accepted if it is clean, dry and in plastic bags.

Volunteers Needed for Broughton Flume Project

The Gorge Heritage Museum is working with Broughton Lumber Company to enhance the Broughton Flume display at Daubenspeck Park in Bingen. Many of the enhancements will be completed during Community Pride Week. Volunteers are needed. Contact the Mt. Adams Chamber of Commerce at 493-3630 or Ruth Winner, Gorge Heritage Museum at 493-3228.

**Public Hearing
Charter Communications
Franchise Renewal**

The City will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, April 18 at 7:00 p.m. to hear comments regarding the renewal of a franchise agreement with Charter Communications Inc.

Charter Communications Inc. provides television cable services in the City of Bingen.

Public comment will be taken at the hearing. Written comment can also be submitted to City Hall, PO Box 607, 112 N. Ash, Bingen WA 98605 by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 18.

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