



CITY OF BINGEN NEWSLETTER – APRIL 2007

2007 Community Pride Week

Do you need more space in your garage, shed, basement, attic and backyard? What about your front yard?

Community Pride Week is scheduled for the week of April 23 through April 29. The drop off site for junk and recyclable materials will be open as follows:

Friday, April 27	12:00 to 4:00 p.m.
Saturday, April 28	10:00 to 4:00 p.m.
Sunday, April 29	10:00 to 4:00 p.m.

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

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 and glass
- Building materials
- Used household appliances
- Brush, tree limbs, lawn, garden, and yard waste

Used tires will be accepted for a fee: \$3 per tire for passenger and light truck tires and \$10 per tire for semi-truck tires.

Household wastes and household hazardous waste cannot be accepted.

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.

Yard and Garden Debris Pickup

Bingen residents can arrange for yard and garden debris pickup during Community Pride Week by calling city hall at 509-493-2122.

Yard and garden debris must be bagged and/or bundled. Bundles must be 3 feet x 3 feet x 4 feet or smaller and tied with twine.

City crew will collect up to 4 bags and/or bundles or yard and garden debris. The bags and/or bundles must be placed at curb side by 8:00 a.m. on Friday, April 27. You must call city hall to have the debris picked up.

**Call Bingen City Hall at 509-493-2122
to arrange for yard
and garden debris pickup.**

How Can a Quiet Zone be Created?

Do you love the train whistles or do you hate the train whistles? Would you like to learn more about a "Railroad Quiet Zone" and how it can be created?

Attend a workshop with the Bingen City Council on Monday, April 23 at 6:30 p.m. at Los Reyes to learn more.

Information will be presented on what is involved in creating a quiet zone.

Parks and Recreation Planning

Does Bingen need a skateboard park, a covered picnic shelter, covered basketball court? Are there other things you would like to see happen at Daubenspeck Park?

Attend a public involvement session on Monday, May 7 at 6:30 p.m. at Bingen City Hall. We want to hear from the residents of Bingen about what they want in parks and recreation.

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