

DEER RIDGE PRINTS

October 5, 2018

WHO'S WHO AT DRCI

Superintendent – Mr. Causey
Asst. Supt. Security – Mr. Jorgensen
Asst. Supt. General Services – Mr. Ackley
Business Services – Ms. Bryan
Education Director – Ms. Narum
Mailroom Supervisor- Ms. Simmelink-Rask
Food Service Manager – Ms. Peel

Grievance/Diversity Coordinator - Ms. Geils
Health Services Manager – Ms. Carter
Hearings Officer – Mr. Sturdevant
Inmate Work Programs –Mr. Chapman
Library Coordinator - Ms. Jordet
Mental Health Services Manager – Mr. Quaid
Pathfinders – Ms. Bauman and Ms. Choin

Physical Plant Manager – Mr. Fritz
Religious Services – Chaplain Ball
OCE- Mr. Wright
Transition Coordinator – Ms. Wilson and Ms. Madden
Transitional Services Manager – Mr. Boyer
Warehouse/Commissary Manager – Mr. Brabb

IWP

IWP work opportunities - The inmate work programs department is hiring the following positions:

Skilled chainsaw mechanic needed: You must have gate clearance and clear conduct. Saw maintenance skills must include chain sharpening and general repair.

Sewer needed to repair chaps: You must have gate clearance and clear conduct. Commercial sewing experience required.

Saw shop/fire crew cache orderly: You must have gate clearance and clear conduct. General orderly and computer skills preferred but not required. We are willing to train the right person for the job.

****All jobs require the candidate to have a positive attitude and the ability to work independently on tasks once adjusted to the job.**

To apply send a kyte to Mr. Chapman, IWP department. List your skill set and experience.

SATELLITE TV

Institution Channel Offerings & Changes
September 20, 2018

Q: How is the cost of providing satellite TV determined?

As a contracted service, Satellite TV is broken into base and add-on packages—just like it is for your friends and families on the outside. The cost of Satellite TV changes depending on the package being offered, and the number of TVs connected and receiving programming.

Q: Why can't there be more TV channels and diverse choices at my institution?

Because Oregon DOC has a set budget, we cannot spend more than what has been authorized. DOC simply does not have the budget to purchase each and every channel combination package available (and our installed systems do not have the bandwidth).

Q: What caused the change in channel selection and availability?

Due to rising TV package subscription costs, it became necessary to make a change to programming packages. Eliminating these packages lowered the overall cost of satellite TV at our institutions.

Q: Is there anything else that restricts programming aside from cost?

Not every channel's programming is actually appropriate or suitable for viewing within the corrections environment. This means that channel and programming choices must be made that will simply not please all people at all times.

Q: What about Spanish language channels?

DOC has worked with our contractor to provide acceptable programming choices and is happy to report the following channels will be adding into our line-up starting October 1:

- Azteca America
- Discovery En Espanol
- History En Espanol
- Telemundo
- NBC Universo

Q: What will the process be for making or requesting changes to the channel offerings?

Effective September 2018, senior management for each institution has been charged with deciding what channels can be programed for their site. Each institution will also define their process for handling and accepting requests for changes to those programming channel choices.

Inmate kytes to request new channels or changes to the TV channel assignments should no longer be sent to Oregon DOC Headquarters. Instead, kytes need to go up the local chain of command to the institution's management.

Q: How will my institution decide what programming is appropriate?

Institution staff have been provided with recommended selection guides, and will use these materials and their knowledge of what channels are popular or helpful at their institution.

Q: How will this change of process impact me?

It is our hope that giving your institution the ability to select and change channels, changes can be approved and made more rapidly than under the old process.

Q: How does the change in process impact me if/when I move institutions?

As inmates move from institution to institution, the channels available may vary somewhat. Each institution's process used to accept channel change requests may be different as well.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

OFFER OF THANKS AND GRATITUDE

TO ALL THE INDIVIDUALS WHO HELPED US WITH OUR YEARLY FUNDRAISERS IN JULY, AUGUST, AND SEPTEMBER. WE WOULD LIKE TO THANK YOU FOR ALL YOUR HARD WORK AND SUPPORT. THE DEDICATION OF ALL WHO WERE INVOLVED WAS GREATLY APPRECIATED. WE WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN ABLE TO DO IT WITHOUT YOU. A SPECIAL THANKS TO THE KITCHEN AND BAKERY STAFF FOR PREPARING THE DELICIOUS FOOD AND DESSERTS THAT WERE SERVED. WE LOOK FORWARD TO WORKING WITH YOU AGAIN NEXT YEAR.

HEBREW ROOTS

AN OVERVIEW OF THE TERMS AND BASICS OF SCRIPTURAL CHRISTIANITY, THIS CLASS CONNECTS OUR FAITH BACK TO THE GOD OF ABRAHAM, ISAAC AND JACOB. THE HEBREW ROOTS CLASS CHALLENGES THE STUDENT TO CONSIDER THE COMMANDMENTS, COVENANTS AND PROMISES OF GOD AND HOW THAT RELATES TO OUR FAITH TODAY.

VOLUNTEER: STEVE BASCOM

BEGINS: OCTOBER 17, 2018

DAY/TIME: WEDNESDAYS

6:30 - 8:00 P.M

WHERE: N158

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE SEND A KYTE TO THE CHAPEL TO BE ADDED TO THIS SERVICE

“HEALING AND PROPHECY” MINISTRY CLASS

PASTOR LANCE STOVER WILL BE STARTING A NEW MINISTRY CLASS THIS MONTH. A VARIETY OF TOPICS WILL BE DISCUSSED WHICH INCLUDE:

SPIRITUAL GIFTS WITH DAN MCCOLLAM, *PROPHETIC GIFTING* WITH CHRIS VALLOTTON, AND *HEALING MINISTRY* WITH DR. RANDY CLARK. THIS ALSO INCLUDES PERSONAL STUDY TO GAIN GREATER UNDERSTANDING FROM A BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVE.

VOLUNTEER: LANCE STOVER

BEGINS: OCTOBER 16, 2018

DAY/TIME: TUESDAYS

6:30 - 8:00 P.M

WHERE: CHAPEL

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE SEND A KYTE TO THE CHAPEL TO BE ADDED TO THIS SERVICE

CONGRATULATIONS!!!

TO THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS FOR PROFESSING THEIR DEDICATION AND FAITH IN JESUS CHRIST AS THEIR LORD AND SAVIOR BY BEING BAPTIZED ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29TH, 2018.

JACK BAKER, WILLIAM BIRD, RICHARD BLAND, MATTHEW BROWN, GARY BRUNSON, OCTAVIOUS CALLOWAY, ADAN CEJA-TORRES, JAKE DENNING, JEWELLS DREAM, STEVEN HICKS, LYLE LEMMON, ANTRON PHILLIPS, DANIEL PLEDGER, ROBERT WADLEY, CURTIS WATERS, & CLINT WIDENER

KITCHEN

Kitchen News

The United Nations estimates that one in nine people in the world do not have access to sufficient food to lead a healthy life. More people are reported to die from hunger every day than AIDS, malaria and tuberculosis combined. But at the same time, nearly one-third of the food that is produced in the world is lost or wasted due to one reason or the other. Food wastage, which includes both food loss and food waste, is not only morally irresponsible, but also causes huge economical losses as well as severe damage to the world around us.

Here at DRCI our food loss or waste is mainly caused by two things: Over production and when food is intentionally discarded.

In an effort to reduce the amount of food waste that is going to the landfill we will be implementing an **“Eat what you take”** policy. Simply put, you only take what you want to eat and you eat what you take. This will eliminate the need to cook extra product and it will reduce the amount of waste going to the scullery which ultimately ends up in the landfill.

We will begin using the **“Eat what you take”** policy on November 5th, 2018. This is a wonderful opportunity for all of us (staff and inmates) to work together in reducing waste that ends up in our landfills. This policy will enable us to be better stewards of our environment and our resources.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter,

Ms. Peel
Food Services Manager

ACCOUNTS

Based upon a new policy direction, the department has made changes to the way we will implement Senate Bill 844 (ORS 423.105). The Department of Corrections (DOC) is authorized to collect a portion of eligible trust account deposits for two important reasons:

- Transitional savings accounts and
- Court-ordered financial obligations

Below are key components to the recent changes:

Protected Spending Accounts

- Deposits into transitional savings accounts, that took place as a result of protected funds transfers into general spending accounts, have been reversed. If this applies to you, you will see it reversed on your next Trust statement.
- If you have a protected reserve account, you will be able to transfer funds from that account into your general spending without ORS 423.105 being applied.
- Now, protected funds are exempt from Court-Ordered Financial Obligations (COFO) when transferred to a general spending account to purchase commissary.
- A letter was sent to everyone who has received some form of protected funds since July 2018.

Next Steps for Protected Accounts

- We are making system changes to allow *commissary spending* to occur from either a protected reserve account or a general spending account, but this will take time.
- If you have a protected reserve account, you will need to transfer funds from that account into your general spending account, if you wish to make commissary purchases.
- While we are reprogramming our accounting system, internal (DOC) debt and external debt (Court Fees, etc.) collection has been stopped for inmates who receive protected funds. The suspension of all debt collection will remain in place until a better solution has been found.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please submit an electronic inmate communication (ORS 423.105 / SB844 Form) via the Telmate Station or Tablet. Alternately, inmates may submit a paper inmate communication to AIC Financial Services.

