

MAY 2013

TOWN OF OAKESDALE

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save the date - old mill days - july 20th

OUTDOOR BURNING

As we start seeing signs of spring, we have had several inquiries into the Town's Code for outdoor burning of yard debris. YES, you can burn your yard waste! Burning must be done on Monday through Saturday from 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. No burning on Sundays or legal holidays. **All fires must be totally extinguished by 4 p.m. NO SMOLDERING!** Fires for grilling, cooking or smoking food which are contained within an appliance or device using charcoal, wood or combustible gas are permissible. A small campfire not larger than four feet in diameter and two feet tall intended for recreation or cooking purposes is allowed. A permit is available for ceremonial, religious or celebratory fires that use virgin wood for fuel. **It is unlawful to leave any outdoor or open fire unattended.**

LIBRARY NEWS CORNER

****Coming May 6th to the Oakesdale Library****

Downloadable Open House from 4 to 6 p.m., bring your iPods, iPads, Nooks, Kindles and any other downloadable device! The expert from Colfax will be here to teach how to download eBooks and audio books from the library website to your device. Come in anytime from 4-6...I will have the coffee on!

****Coming May 18th at the Library ****

Money Saving and Couponing Workshop at 10:30 a.m. Great money saver and avid couponer Andrea Thompson from Colfax will be here to teach us all some great money saving tips and couponing strategies! Andrea told me she "never pays full price for anything!" Please join us!

If you need more information on what is happening at our local Library please contact Michele Wright, Librarian, at (509) 285-4310

ANOTHER SCAM FOR SENIOR CITIZENS

It has been brought to our attention there is another money laundering scam out there targeting the elderly. They send you a letter from USB Bank, Global Payment Management Division, informing you that a lump sum amount of \$98,600 has been deposited in their bank as your sweepstakes prize. They enclose a real looking check of \$3,930 that has been deducted from your winnings as your initial payment. To activate your claim they are asking you to pay \$3,600 in required tax. They list a contact number they want you to call to give your financial information. **DO NOT RESPOND TO SUCH CLAIMS!** If you are not sure please have a friend or family member review the information.

***ANNUAL YARD SALE – SAVE THE DATE – JULY 13TH ***

There has been some interest in having another yard sale during Old Mill Days on July 20th. If anyone is interested in having a yard sale on the following weekend of Old Mill Days, please contact Colleen Rose (509) 285-4281 by June 1st. There will be sign up information at a later date for the annual yard sale on July 13th.