

# CROSS CREEK TIMES

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September LOCK  
 Combination  
 0-6-7-6

## ASSOCIATION BOARD NOTES

The board met on Thursday, August 12th at the Rec Center.

The new Big Toy in the area adjacent to the Rec Center has been installed — special thanks to **Robert Schmitt, Joe Kennedy, Kevin Lutner, and Nick Enger** for all of their hard work on the installation.

**We still need volunteers** to assist with placing the boards to enclose the area and filling in the bark chips to cushion under the toy. Please contact Robert Schmitt at 649-2963 to volunteer. Everyone welcome!

There was preliminary discussion regarding the next new “Big Toy” which will be located in the play area off 207th. We hope to have this new toy done sometime this fall.

And on more playground news, Tara Mazzocco and Ty Trevarthen put a great deal of effort and artistic finesse into repainting the Caterpillar and the Snail tot toys at Snail Park. They did an absolutely beauti-

ful job (and worked through some of the worst heat of the summer!!) transforming the Park into a more lovely and enjoyable place for children and parents alike.

The new light by the RV Storage Area has been installed. This is sure to make the RV area safer from the more mischievous members of the community.

There were clarifications as to rules regarding swimming in the community pool. “Family Swim” requires that a parent is at least in the pool area while their children are swimming. Also, it was determined that 10 years is the minimum age for children to be in the pool area without a parent or guardian — whether or not that child has passed the swim test.

**Next  
 Association Meeting  
 Thursday, Sept. 9th  
 at 7:30 p.m.**

## Staff Members

Bookkeeper	Susan Soto	591-0971	
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## Cross Creek Service Directory

### Doll Refurbishment

Do you have old dolls lying around your house? Would you like them cleaned and refurbished so they look like new? Then call Julie Sinclair's Doll Refurbishment Services at 642-2571. Call for more information and pricing.

### Cosmetics

Avon Cosmetics and Merchandise are available from Susan Soto. Call Susan for the latest catalog and information at 591-0971.

### Guitar/Bass Lessons

Joseph Kennedy offers Guitar and Bass lessons for all ages. Ear training, sight reading, tabulature and much more for all ages and levels. Call Joe at 642-9160 for more information.

### Independent Nikken Distributors

Magnetic and Wellness Technology for Health and Prevention. For information and demonstration call Vivian or Ken at 649-4639.

### Magnetic & Alternative Healthcare Products

For no-cost demonstration and preview of the products please call Karen at 642-4159 or e-mail at [sangi@teleport.com](mailto:sangi@teleport.com)

### House Painting

Reasonable Rates — call Ken Kirk at 649-8391

### Alignment Specialties

Alignment, suspension, brakes, and struts. All makes and models. Call Bill and Judy Boyce at 642-0998.

### Your Service Here

Call Michelle Kennedy at 642-9160 or e-mail information for this section to [jmiskenn@aol.com](mailto:jmiskenn@aol.com).

## Enjoy Playing Bridge? Play for Perry!

Perry Center Metropolitan Auxiliary Bridge Marathon has been raising funds for children since 1983, donating \$46,000 in treatment costs for severely emotionally abused children. While players enjoy "party bridge" with friends, they also help some of the most severely abused children in Oregon. This year the marathon begins in September.

Players are divided by address for travel convenience, and take turns hosting one other couple for bridge in their homes. Individual groups collectively decide the days and times of monthly play, meeting eight times during the marathon.

If you are interested in participating, call Parry Center for Children at 234-9591, ext. 216. A player's fee of \$20 is due at the first game played with checks being made out to Parry Center for Children. Your entry fee is entirely tax deductible!

## STOLEN BIKE!!

On Sunday, August 15th, a 16" Chrome and Blue BMX Bike was stolen from the Rec Center Bike Rack. A REWARD is offered for its return. Call Joe or Michelle at 642-9160 with information.

## Homeowner Alert!!

In the past six months, the Cross Creek Community has experienced two very serious fires. These fires both were caused in dryers, located in the homes' garages.

Commonly fires occur in the lint trap or by lint which had filtered into the dryer and been set ablaze by the heating element. In the most recent incident of a dryer fire in Cross Creek, the fire began in the electrical panel in the rear of the dryer.

Both recent fires occurred while the homeowners were present in the home. Both were not alerted to the fire in time to effectively react because the garages where the dryers were located were not equipped with smoke detectors.

Another fire occurred in a dryer in Cross Creek on December 23rd (during the snowy weather) after several loads of clothes had been dried in a very short time, caused by lint on the heating element. You never heard about this fire because it was extinguished by the homeowner, alerted by a smoke detector, and caused no damage outside of the dryer itself.

The moral of this story: **Smoke Detectors.** Inside, In the Garage, Upstairs, Downstairs. Inexpensive protection and they really work!!!! (Also — make sure your dryer is well maintained and kept free of lint.)

## Teens for Hire

### Yard Work/Odd Jobs

Chris Kirk  
649-8391

James and Jeff McIntosh  
649-4116

Dan Meiwes  
642-2615

### Baby-sitting

Stephanie Osmon  
649-1543 or 649-6083

### Dog Sitting/Walking

Lauren and Sarah  
848-6739 or 649-9636

## CROSS CREEK BUY LINE

### 1990 Ford Taurus LX

Excellent Condition. Many Extras. \$4,500 OBO. Call Scott at 649-4116

### 1988 Honda Prelude

AT, AC, one owner w/ all maintenance records. 193K miles. \$3,990 OBO. Call Joe at 848-8289.

## Keep Our Community Safe!

Please report any suspicious activity to the Washington County Sheriff's dispatch at

## Agenda

On the agenda for discussion at the Homeowner's Association Meeting in September are the following items:

1. Proposed limitations on the size of RVs which can be stored in the RV Lot.
2. The new proposed Big Toy for the Play Area at 207th.

If you are new to Cross Creek and have not yet received your "Welcome Packet," please call Lila Goodin at 649-9884!