

Community Notes November 15, 2018

BOHEMIAN CORRIDOR (referred to last month as Occidental Business Group) has proposed to its members that they give full support to the Holiday Weekend Activities December 8 and Craft Faire December 8 and 9. There will be a tree lighting as part of the seasonal celebrations in front of Bohemian Market 5:30, Dec. 8th.

HARMONY UNION SCHOOL middle schoolers have created beautiful handcrafted cards for sale at \$1.00 each. Proceeds go toward framing materials for the January art show at Occident Center for the Arts.

KOWS is looking for a new studio location due to take place January 2019. Description of venue needs are listed on the website. If you know of such a space, contact Don Campau <campaudj@comcast.net> or 707-478-8541

OCCIDENTAL ARTS AND ECOLOGY CENTER has opened its doors to renting space at the New Meeting Hall on campus. Classes continue in biodiversity and sustainability. For a price quote, call 707-874-1557 Ext. 103.

OCCIDENTAL CENTER FOR THE ARTS fundraiser "West County Has Talent" was such a success, it may become an annual event. Funds go toward completion of the newly constructed Lobby at the center. The Gallery will be featuring "Small Works" November 20th through the holidays with many gift items for sale.

OCCIDENTAL COMMUNITY CENTER ADVISORY COUNCIL awaits a decision from the Bothin Foundation for funds due to be announced in February. Meanwhile other grants from USDA are being explore for funds to complete its renovation of the Community Center's gymnasium floor.

OCCIDENTAL COMMUNITY COUNCIL will be presenting its Holiday Craft Faire scheduled December 8 and 9. Vendors have been selected and spaces reserved. Food will again be supplied by donation: soups, salad, bread, and drinks. Desserts by Salmon Creek School.

OCCIDENTAL COMMUNITY CHOIR will have public concerts starting November 30th. Tickets are on sale online from Brown Paper tickets by going to www.occidentalchoir.org. In addition, open to the public will be a 40 year retrospective show in the OCA Gallery of photos, Poster Art, props and memorabilia.

OCCIDENTAL COMMUNITY SERVICE DISTRICT reported water loss is holding at 10%. Chief Lunardi reported 30 call for assistance during the month of October.

SALMON CREEK WATERSHED COUNCIL was recently cited as "a dedicated team of concerned volunteers that monitors and advocated for the restoration of the watershed" in a recent Masters Thesis by Alexandra Gustafson at the University of Washington this year.

WEST COUNTY OCCIDENTAL HEALTH CENTER was featured in this month's Gazette in an article describing the organization's growth and future plans. It currently employs 207 staff members and serves nearly 13,000.

YMCA schedule at the Occidental Community Center can now be viewed at <https://www.scfymca.org/main/comm> and more completely at www.occidental-ca.org Community Calendar.