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TRK Nature Day Camp

*Just act natural...
Animals are watching.*

Send a special child in your life to TRK's Nature Day Camp this summer or sponsor a child by creating a scholarship. Tualatin Riverkeepers has partnered with Adelante Mujeres (Forward Moving Women), an organization that serves Latinos in our community, to send students from their Adelantes Chicas program to summer camp. See page 3 for camp details.



ENTER TRK'S NATURE PHOTO CONTEST

Contest theme is *Nature Close to Home!* Photos should include people enjoying nature and recreation. \$25 to enter. Grand Prize: Nikon D90 camera. Proceeds benefit TRK. To learn more, visit: www.dofcontest.org. Ends July 20, 2009.

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20th Annual Tualatin River Discovery Day Saturday, June 27

Cook Park, Tigard to Brown's Ferry Park, Tualatin
FREE

Join us for a leisurely 2.3 mile self-guided paddle on the beautiful Tualatin River. Paddlers will receive a guide-book highlighting wildlife and history. Participants may bring their own kayak or canoe, or rent one from Tualatin Riverkeepers. Shuttle service will be provided. Community Fair with family activities to follow paddle trip. You don't have to drive a long way or spend a lot of money to enjoy nature and recreation. Come paddle the river in your own backyard. Great for families with children! Registration and rentals at www.tualatinriverkeepers.org.



Mayors Challenge Paddle Race Saturday, June 20, 2009 9am at Cook Park

Once again elected officials from across the Tualatin Valley will take to the river and race for honor, glory and a hideously ugly canoe paddle trophy in the Mayors Challenge Paddle Race. This year the event takes place one week before Tualatin River Discovery Day as part of the Tigard Balloon Festival. For more info, contact Brian Wegener at 503-620-7507 or brian@tualatinriverkeepers.org.

2008 Winners City Councilor Shea & Sinan Gumusoglu of Rivergrove.

OUR MISSION

Tualatin Riverkeepers (TRK) is a community-based organization working to protect and restore Oregon's Tualatin River system. TRK builds watershed stewardship through education, public access to nature, restoration and advocacy.

The Tualatin Riverkeepers became a nonprofit in 1992 and is tax-exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Please join us by completing and mailing the membership application in this newsletter or by contacting us.

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*Tualatin Riverkeepers is proud to be a
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From the Director



Dear Riverkeepers,

Twenty years ago this June, volunteers organized the first Tualatin River Discovery Day! Forty people attended the event which started at a farm above Shamburg Bridge. "It was a long trip to Cook Park," recalls organizer April Olbrich. The park was one of the few developed public put-in sites at the time.

From this first paddle event grew Tualatin Riverkeepers, an organization with 850 member families, 500 volunteers and a solid record for protection, education and restoration in the Tualatin River

watershed. And...we're still growing.

This summer TRK is hosting a new program, Nature Day Camp. TRK has experienced tremendous success with our Nature Awareness and Service Education school field trip program which served 1,000 students in 2008. The six, five-day camps will offer youth entering grades 3-7 opportunities to experience nature in a new way. You can sponsor a student from our partner organization, Adelante Mujeres, allowing them to attend camp at a reduced rate. See form on page 3.

There are special events planned for our 20th Annual Tualatin River Discovery Day, including the Mayors Challenge Paddle Race on June 20 (see page 1). Come cheer on your favorite public official. The Discovery Day main event on June 27 will include a 2.3-mile paddle trip from Brown's Ferry Park to Cook Park, the Oldest Discovery Day T-shirt Contest, a community fair, all the watermelon you can eat and more! Join us—reserve your launch time at www.tualatinriverkeepers.org.

Sincerely,
Monica Smiley

Protect the Earth — through public speaking

So many issues, so little time. It is not always easy to find the best way to have our message heard and we're grateful that you have answered the call. For a number of years, Tualatin Riverkeepers has been able to reach a broader audience through our membership in EarthShare of Oregon, Oregon's only environmental federation—and we could use your help this year.

EarthShare of Oregon is a nonprofit organization that collaborates with businesses and public agencies to enable their employees to support 70 environmental groups through workplace giving campaigns. Last year, more than 3,000 supported EarthShare through giving campaigns in 100 workplaces.

Tualatin Riverkeepers is able to use the funds raised through EarthShare to support important programs like Watershed Watch and Nature Awareness Education.

In order to get the word out to their employees about the giving options available, many workplaces invite Earth-Share members to give brief presentations about their projects. If you have a passion for Tualatin Riverkeepers' work, a small amount of time to volunteer to make a 5-10 minute presentation, and a willingness to overcome stage fright about public speaking, let us know! We'd love to have you represent us as only you can do it as a generous and committed supporter.

If you'd like to learn more about EarthShare and about their business partners in your area, you can visit the EarthShare website at www.earthshare-oregon.org. To join the team of speakers for the 2009 Fall Charitable Giving Campaign, please contact Meghan Humphreys: 503-223-9015 or meghan@earthshare-oregon.org.



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Education Program

Summer Nature Day Camp

Hands-on, outdoor, experiential learning, fostering an appreciation and love of nature. All camps promote each child's personal development by building confidence, self-esteem and an opportunity to connect with their natural surroundings.

Age: Entering grades 3 - 7

Registration and medical forms are available at www.tualatinriverkeepers.org, or call Tualatin Riverkeepers at 503-620-7507 to request registration forms. For more information contact Lori at lori@tualatinriverkeepers.com.

SESSION 1, June 22-26, 9am-3pm

Survivor

Tualatin River National Wildlife Refuge, Sherwood
\$130 for members, \$150 for non-members

Learn what it takes for animals to survive through exploration of animal adaptations. This session will explore the natural world through discovery of animals—the signs they leave in nature and the plants they eat!

SESSION 2, July 6-10, 9am-3pm

It's Easy Being Green

Tualatin River National Wildlife Refuge, Sherwood
\$130 for members, \$150 for non-members

In this camp we will learn ways to care for the environment that everybody can do. We will see first-hand where all that trash goes, and creatively re-use materials. This session will foster sustainable behavior and we'll have fun doing it!

SESSION 3, July 13-17, 9am-3pm

What's YOUR Niche?

Tualatin River National Wildlife Refuge, Sherwood
\$130 for members, \$150 for non-members

Animals and plants all have very special roles to play in their communities as the niches they fill help keep their habitats healthy. In this camp we will learn about the amazing relationships that exist in nature and find out the unique niche that each camper has.



SESSION 4, July 20-24, 9am-3pm

Nature Detectives

Jackson Bottom Wetland Preserve, Hillsboro
\$130 for members, \$150 for non-members

Unlock the clues nature has left behind to learn the stories of the forest. Hone your detective skills by listening to birds and what they are trying to tell us.

SESSION 5, August 3-7, 9am-3pm

Go With the Flow

Cook Park, Tigard

\$150 for members, \$170 for non-members

Where does all the rain go? What happens "after the flush"; where does that drain lead? This camp will follow the water cycle and how we are connected to it. We will explore the wetlands and take a paddle trip down the Tualatin River.

SESSION 6, August 10-14, 9am-3pm

Walk on the Wild Side

Cook Park, Tigard

\$130 for members, \$150 for non-members

Where are the natural areas, who takes care of them, what animals live there? In this session we will be doing wildlife tracking, nature awareness, and predator/prey activities. Participants will help with a restoration project in Cook Park.

I would like to: Enroll a Child Sponsor a Child Session _____

Child's Name: _____

Child's Age: _____

Your Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____



Volunteers / Restoration Program

TRK Volunteer Classifieds Everyone Can Help!

Do you have special skills or a desire to learn new skills as you help protect and restore your Tualatin watershed? Contact Monica Smiley to volunteer at monica@tualatinriverkeepers.org or 503-620-7507.

Discovery Day Event Volunteers:

Discovery Day is Saturday, June 27, from Cook Park in Tigard to Brown's Ferry Park in Tualatin. Many strong volunteers are needed to launch and dock boats. Lighter duty positions like watermelon cutter also available.

Office Volunteers:

Your office skills are needed one time per week for filing, labeling or data entry.

Field Trip Leaders:

Share your knowledge of the natural world with students. Enthusiasm is a must! Field trips will take place at Gotter Prairie in Scholls and Cook Park in Tigard.

Nature Day Camp Counselors:

Share your knowledge and passion for the natural world with children at our new Summer Service Learning Camps in Hillsboro, Sherwood and Tigard.

Citizen Action Committee:

Researchers, scientists, policy analysts, engineers, writers, organizers needed to help TRK develop public policy positions and advocate for the Tualatin River. Meetings are the fourth Wednesday of each month at 6:30pm at Max's Fanno Creek Brew Pub on Main Street in Tigard.

Marketing & Communications Committee:

Help TRK connect! The Marketing & Communications Committee work with Board and staff to develop and implement TRK's media plan. Professionals with experience in marketing, communications, public relations or related field preferred. Must be able to commit two hours weekly to volunteer projects and attend monthly meeting at TRK in Tigard. Contact Committee Chair Nickie Harber with questions at nharber@gmail.com.

Volunteer Spotlight — Charlene Bankston



"I have lived in the Tualatin Basin for 35 years and my favorite stretch of the Tualatin River is the stretch that runs along the back of my property... I am interested in keeping the river clean — and having a natural place for wildlife. It's the wildlife that we watch every day that motivates me to work to protect the Tualatin."

Charlene's biggest concern for the Tualatin is the development and runoff that is changing the river. She is making a difference on the ground to protect important habitat within the Tualatin watershed. Charlene and her family have been working to place a conservation easement on her property which will ensure this significant riparian wetland is protected for generations to come.

Charlene volunteers at the TRK office weekly and works primarily on our membership database. She is incredibly dependable and detail-oriented. She enjoys the people she has met through volunteering and appreciates working with TRK staff. Charlene — we appreciate you, too. Thank you for all your hard work!

Would you like to volunteer in the TRK office? We always can use help. Contact Monica at monica@tualatinriverkeepers.org or 503-620-7507 and fill out a volunteer application today!

Thank you to Riverdale High School for your commitment to restoring our watershed!

This spring, Riverdale High School students joined Tualatin Riverkeepers for a planting at Metro's greenspace property on Munger Lane. Students from Michael Murray's class romped in the mud, planting native trees and shrubs to help restore this critical wetland and oak savanna habitat. Initial restoration and establishment of this Scholls property will continue through next fall when we'll complete Phase I of this important wetland enhancement project.

Stay tuned for more opportunities to get involved in this exciting project.



Trips & Tours



A Fun Day — Discovery Day!

How did you learn about the Tualatin River? When did you first hear about Tualatin Riverkeepers and their mission to protect, restore and enjoy the watershed? Was your first experience like mine – paddling down the river on a beautiful summer day, enjoying the sights and sounds of nature? What an unexpected treat to find in an urban setting! That is all it took for me back in 1997 to become a member of and volunteer for TRK. Since that day I have been on the river too many times to count. Now, fellow volunteers and I get to introduce you to the river through a great paddling tradition – the **20th Annual Tualatin River Discovery Day** paddle trip on Saturday, June 27.

If you've never paddled the river before, this is the perfect opportunity. The short route is "family friendly" and ideal for first-time paddlers. Beginning at Cook Park in Tigard, paddlers will meander down the river to Brown's Ferry Park in Tualatin. Each boat receives a complimentary copy of *The Tualatin Tales*. Written by volunteers, the guidebook contains historical stories and interesting facts about the river and its inhabitants.

Worried about paddling with a crowd? It won't happen! Boats launch every two minutes giving you a relaxing paddling experience. Don't have a boat of your own? Not a problem. You can rent one of ours for just \$30—just reserve it in advance. We'll have your boat on site and ready for you at Cook Park. When you reach the end of the paddle you can enjoy the Community Fair or take the free shuttle back to your car.

Are you like me—a familiar face on the river? Then join the fun as a volunteer! How does the old saying go? "Many hands make the work lighter." Volunteer on Saturday, June 27, and see the looks on the paddlers' faces as they enjoy our river for the first time. Registration, dock assistants, traffic control, greeters — these are just some of the volunteer opportunities that are available. To volunteer, visit www.tualatinriverkeepers.org and click on Discovery Day Volunteer Opportunities.

Reservations are required! Head over to the TRK website, www.tualatinriverkeepers.org, to register for a launch time today. See you at Discovery Day!

— Sue Moir, Trips & Tours Committee Chair

2009 Tualatin Riverkeepers' Paddle Trip Schedule

TRK trips are open to all members and the general public. Space is limited and online reservations are required. *There is a trip charge of \$5 per person for TRK members and \$10 for nonmembers. Canoes are available to members free of charge by reservation. Nonmembers may rent canoes for our trips for \$30. Annual memberships start at \$35.*

Alcohol is not permitted on trips and personal flotation devices must be worn. Trips may be canceled due to weather conditions. Trip leaders are volunteers, and are not compensated for the time and energy they contribute in making our Trips & Tours program successful. Trips may be canceled if we are unable to recruit sufficient volunteer support to lead a safe and enjoyable trip. For more information, please contact us at 503-620-7507 or info@tualatinriverkeepers.org.

FREE June 27, Saturday

20th Annual Tualatin River Discovery Day

Where: Cook Park to Brown's Ferry Park Time: 9 am to 4 pm

July 11, Saturday Moonlight Evening Paddle

Where: Tualatin Community Park Time: 5 pm to 8 pm

July 26, Sunday Paddle & Picnic at the Park

Where: Brown's Ferry Park, Tualatin Time: 10 am to 2 pm

August 8, Saturday Mid-Summer's Night Paddle Trip

Where: Cook Park, Tigard Time: 5 pm to 8 pm

August 22, Saturday Family Day Summer Paddle

Where: Tualatin Community Park Time: 10 am to 1 pm

September 6, Sunday River Clean-Up

Where: Tualatin Community Park Time: 10 am to 1 pm

September 12, Saturday Members-Only Advanced Paddle

Where: Eagle Landing to Scholls Time: 9 am to 1 pm

October 10, Saturday Autumn Colors Paddle Trip

Where: 99W Bridge, Tualatin Time: 1 pm to 4 pm

Dates and times subject to change. Please check our website for updates at www.tualatinriverkeepers.org.

NEW ONLINE REGISTRATION

TRK's Trips & Tours program is now set up with online registration for the 2009 paddle trip season. Reserve your space and canoe for our paddle trips online before they fill up! See our website for details at: www.tualatinriverkeepers.org/paddle_trips.

Watershed Watch/Citizen Action

DEQ Report Shows Tualatin River Leads State in Water Quality Decline

A report from Oregon Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) states that three monitoring sites on the Tualatin River show the biggest decline in Water Quality Index of the 127 sites analyzed over a ten year period.

The Oregon Water Quality Index (OWQI) is a single number that expresses water quality by integrating measurements of eight water quality variables: temperature, dissolved oxygen, biochemical oxygen demand, pH, ammonia+ nitrate nitrogen, total phosphorus, total solids, and E. coli. Its purpose is to provide a simple and concise method for expressing the ambient water quality of Oregon's streams. The index allows users to easily interpret data. The OWQI improves comprehension of general water quality issues, communicates water quality status, and illustrates the need for and effectiveness of protective practices.

Of the 127 sites with sufficient data to measure trends, seven had significant increases in water quality and 31 had significant

decreases in water quality, while the rest showed no significant trend in either direction. Five of the six monitored sites in the Tualatin basin showed significant declines in water quality. The Rood Bridge site showed no trend in water quality.

It is important to note that all data used in this report were collected before the Wapato Lake Discharge that caused the toxic cyanobacteria outbreak and cost the Joint Water Commission over \$285,000 in extra filtration costs.

Scores on the OWQI range from 10 to 100. Scores that are less than 60 are considered very poor; 60-79 poor; 80-84 fair; 85-89 good; and 90-100 excellent. To account for differences in water quality between low flow summer months (June - September) and higher flow fall, winter, and spring (October - May), average values for these two periods were calculated and compared.

OWQI Status and Trends Summary for Tualatin Basin Sites

| Site | Score | Category | Trend | Magnitude |
|---|-------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Beaverton Creek at Cornelius Pass Road (Orenco) | 53 | Very Poor | Declining | -5.0 |
| Fanno Creek at Bonita Road (Tigard) | 63 | Poor | Declining | -5.0 |
| Tualatin River at Boones Ferry Road | 54 | Very Poor | Declining | -19.0 |
| Tualatin River at Elsner Road | 59 | Very Poor | Declining | -24.3 |
| Tualatin River at HWY 210 (Scholls) | 56 | Very Poor | Declining | -28.1 |
| Tualatin River at Rood Bridge | 80 | Fair | No Trend | No Trend |

When asked which parameters of the OWQI were leading the decline for the Tualatin River, DEQ staff had no explanation. Tualatin Riverkeepers Citizen Action Committee is examining the data provided by DEQ to answer this question. Links to the DEQ data and OWQI report are posted at www.tualatinriverkeepers.org/advocacy.html.

Citizen Action Committee Investigates Declining Water Quality Trends

On June 24 Tualatin Riverkeepers Citizen Action Committee will meet to discuss our investigation of a significant decline in the Water Quality Index on the Tualatin River as measured by Oregon Department of Environmental Quality. The meeting starts at 6:30pm and is held at Max's Fanno Creek Brew Pub, 12562 SW Main Street in Tigard. The public is welcome.



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River Bank Program



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Sign up today! Please set up reoccurring credit card payments online or contact Vicki at 503-620-7507 to set up donations from your checking account.

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Tired of that old clunker in your driveway? TRK can help! Donating your car or boat is easy. Simply give us a call and we'll get the process started. Volunteers of America will even come to your house and pick it up for you. For more information, contact us at 503-620-7507.



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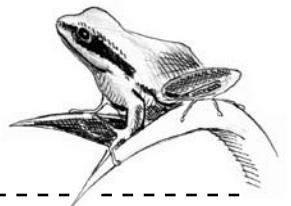
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