



Wine Walk

The World newspaper is coordinating the Downtown Coos Bay Wine Walk events the *first Friday of every month during spring, summer and fall*. Each event will benefit different local non-profit service and arts organizations. The starting location and participating businesses are all within 4 blocks of The Coos Art Museum and Egyptian Theatre. Participants purchase a wine glass for \$10 and get a map to allow them to visit participating businesses between 5-7pm. There are several businesses participating in the event and offering wine samples. This event is intended to bring people out to celebrate all that Downtown Coos Bay has to offer. For details on starting location contact Cindy Rawlings at 269-1222 ext 289.

May 2 will benefit the Coos County Historical Society Museum and Coos Elderly Services. This event will start at Express Blinds & Beyond.

June 6 will benefit the Oregon Coast Music Festival Association and Oregon Coast Historical Railway Museum.

The July 4th holiday will move the event to the following Thursday July 10 coordinating with the ART Walk. This event will benefit the Coos Art Museum, which will be the starting point.

August 1 will benefit the Egyptian Theatre Preservation Association, which will be the starting point.

September 5 will benefit The Boys & Girls Club and Music on the Bay.

October 3 will benefit Habitat for Humanity and the Retired Senior Volunteer Program.

To date, Wine Walk events have raised \$3,907 in community contributions benefiting The Coos Art Museum, The Egyptian Theater Preservation Association, The Boys and Girls Club of Southwestern Oregon, Music on The Bay, Habitat for Humanity, South Coast Food Share, Southcoast Clambake Jazz Festival, The Women's Safety & Resource Center, The Lighthouse School, and Star of Hope.