



Rio Dell - Scotia News

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Wildwood Days schedule inside!

Cutie Pie's remains open while for sale

Owner Amber Bernal plans to keep her children's clothing store, Cutie Pie's Boutique, open while she waits for a buyer, posting on her shop's Facebook page when she will be there and inviting those interested in shopping to direct message her through Facebook or call her at 707.783.3501. Bernal notes she opened the business, located at 278 Wildwood in Rio Dell, about a decade ago and has not made a decision about possible future ventures, such as running an online shop. For now, Bernal is offering large summer season markdowns on new and pre-owned items.



Enjoying local beauty

Warm summer days can find local residents strolling on the river trail that runs from Edwards Drive to Davis Street. Opened earlier this year, it features informational signage and art by school children and muralist Blake Reagan. Mentions on Facebook cite the peace, beauty and wildlife to be found there. Concerns include litter, with the electronic sign on Wildwood asking people to clean it up, and the continued need for a skate/bike park in town for youth to enjoy.



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Thursday, July 31 Downtown Rio Dell

Rio Dell/Scotia Bridge closed for
BBQ Cook Off

10:00am

Vendors 2:00pm - 7:00pm

Music by Lora Lyn Carter

3:00pm - 5:00pm

Horse Rides

\$10.00 per ride

4:30/5:00pm start

Band Monument Road

6:00pm - 9:00pm

BBQ Cook-off

Judging 5:30pm

People's Choice 5:30pm - 6:30pm

Awards 7:00pm

Fire Muster sign ups Downtown

6:00pm

Fire Muster starts 6:30pm



Friday August 1 2 Downtown Rio Dell

Kiwanis Club Spaghetti Dinner Rio Dell Fire
Hall 4:00pm - 6:00pm \$12.00

Ernie Cannady Cruise & BBQ @ DJ's Burger
Bar 5:30pm - 9:00pm

Fire Truck Rides @ Cedar St. & Sequoia Ave
6:00pm - 7:00pm

NEW Bocce Round Robins 6:00pm - until
done @ Bocce Courts at the Fire Department

Kids Night, Penny Scramble, Soap Box Derby,
Bouncers, Shaved Ice, Cotton Candy, Face
Painting @ Shotz Coffee Parking lot 6:00pm -
8:00pm

5th Annual Street Dance with Under the
Influence @ DJ's Burger Bar 9:00pm - 11:00pm

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Saturday August 2

Rio Dell Fireman's Park

Kiwanis Club Pancake Breakfast @ Rio Dell Fire Hall 6:00am - 11:00am

• \$10.00 adults, \$7.00 Children under 10

Color Run 7:00am Registration 8:00am Run Begins \$5 kids, \$10 adults to enter, Can enter day of race

• 5K Run is from Rio Dell Fire Station to Scotia Fire Station and back
Kid's Run is 2 laps from Center Street to Davis Street

Wildwood Bike Ride

• 100 mile ride 7:00am - Meet in front of Rio Dell Fire Station

• 65 mile ride 8:00am - Meet in front of Rio Dell Fire Station

• 58 mile ride 8:00am - Meet in front of Rio Dell Fire Station

• 35 miles ride 8:30am - Meet in front of Rio Dell Fire Station

Bocce Round Robin 9:00am - 10:00am for people unable to make it on Friday

Double Elimination Bocce Tourney 10:00am

Dennis Wendt Women's Softball Tourney 8:00am

Vendors & Craft Fair 10:00am

Book Sale @ Library 10:00am

Parade-Feel the Spirit of the West 12:00pm

Music Festival in the Park:

• Knights of the Van Duzen 10:00am - 12:00pm

• Break 12pm-1pm for parade

• Ultima Elexion-Edgar Lincona 1:00pm - 2:00pm

• The Riving 2:30pm - 4:30pm

• Triple Tones 5:00pm - 7:00pm

• Monument Road 8:00pm - 11:00pm

Firemen's Tri-Tip Sandwich BBQ in the Park 4:00pm Price \$15.00

Firemen's BBQ Oysters in the Park 4:00pm \$2.00 each, or 5 for \$10.00, 10 for \$20.00

Texas Hold'em Tourney 7:00pm



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Sunday August 3 Rio Dell Fireman's Park

Dennis Wendt Women's Softball Tourney 9:00am

Car Show & Shine 9:00am in front of City Hall

Duck Race @ Rio Dell Fire Hall 10:00am

Vendors & Craft Fair 10:00am

Book Sale @ Library 10:00am

Scotia Band 12:00pm

Fireman's Bar-B-Que 12:00pm Price \$20.00

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