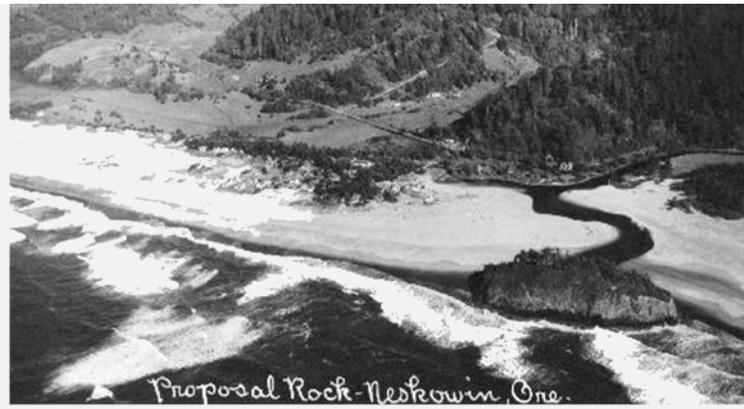




# End of Summer BULLETIN



AUGUST 2008

## Fourth of July

By Pam Rowland

As usual, Neskowin was filled with people and patriotic spirit to celebrate our country's birthday! The Sweeneys launched the parade full of familiar faces and some carefully covered. The Sneaker Waves, a family wearing shirts embossed with flip-flops, dogs dressed as children and children dressed as dogs, were all part of the fun. K.K. Burrell and family handed out 25 awards while John Eschelmann, Jeff Walton and Jim Wiles lead the sing-along. Who knew the South Salem band uniforms would still fit the second generation of Neskowinners?!

On the beach, castles were erected and kites flown under the close observation of the Crowell family, this years castle and kite judges. Castles named "Uncle Clam," "Raising the Flag" and "Cascade Rolls" were a few who garnered awards. Even with the big high tide not one of the 45 castles were erased before the judging.

Fireworks were displayed at dusk while families sat gathered around numerous beach fires. Lyle Rowland and Dexter Fairbanks managed the security of this event. This year's display lasted twenty minutes and cost \$5,500. Donations of \$3,000 helped defray the costs.

Mary Emlaw and family spearheaded the clean up of the beach on July 5th. Thanks to many hands and the cart loaned by the Wieden family, all the trash was placed in the beach-wayside and removed by the Oregon Parks personnel by 11:00 AM!

## Labor Day Meeting

We will have a full agenda for our Labor Day meeting to be held at the fire hall on Sunday, August 31st. The meeting starts promptly at 4:00 PM and will conclude well before 5:00 PM. Come meet your neighbors and participate in your Neskowin Community Association. Content of the meeting will include elections of new board members, NCA reports, the new transit bus coming to Neskowin from Portland and information about an important meeting focusing on the erosion/preservation of the beaches in Neskowin.

## Successful Community Cottage Walk

By Nancy Nagel

On Saturday, August 2nd, 14 Neskowin cottages were open as a community fundraiser sponsored by the Neskowin Community Association. Most who purchased a ticket were from our own community, giving them an opportunity to see some of the cottages they frequently pass and have always wanted to visit. But others were visitors to our village, such as a couple trying to beat the heat from Walla Walla. But the guests who win the prize for longest distance travelled were from Scotland!

The income for the event reached \$1,100. The funds will go to the general NCA coffers and help support local social activities, schools and identified non-profits.

Thank you to all who opened your homes!

## Neskowin Directories Available

By Nancy Nagel

The 2008 Neskowin phone directory has been completed. Some of you collected your copy over the Fourth of July weekend. We have many more to hand out to current NCA members!

We are hoping to save the \$1.68 mailing cost for each book by having you pick yours up while you are in Neskowin. Currently, Christi Clark is storing the members' copies at her home. She also has copies for those who have paid their 2007 dues, are included in the directory, but still owe for 2008. You can reach her at 503-392-3937.

I have extra copies members can purchase for \$5 each. You can reach me at 503-392-4324.

All unclaimed directories will be at the general community meeting on August 31st. So get yours there or have a neighbor pick it up for you!

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*Jeff Walton has kindly shared this photo of Neskowin taken in 1905 from the top of Proposal Rock facing North.*

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