

## **North Forty 4/14/10**

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Trinity Center Marina docks are in place and both Trinity Center and Cedar Stock marinas open on May 1. There are a limited number of guest slips available for short-term rental. If you have vacation plans, be sure to call Forever Resorts soon to reserve your slip.

Get ready! Mary Havener says that the MiniKat will reopen on May 1. Can't you just taste those great burgers? The KOA Kampground reopening follows on May 13.

Coffee Creek School welcomes the public to participate in a 'Chess Day on the Green', starting at noon on Sunday, May 23. No chess experience is necessary, and all ages are welcome. The cut-off age for the "live game" is seven years old. A free BBQ follows - potluck side dishes are welcome. Enjoy other outdoor games and activities for people of all ages. If it rains, they will cancel, and will try again next year.

The "live" game consists of a large-scale chess "board" spray painted on the athletic field. You will be the "pieces." We need at least 32 "pieces" and possibly 8 substitutes. So bring your friends, cousins, neighbors, etc. Please RSVP to CC School, 266-3344 for a head count for the BBQ. Should be fun!"

Plan on attending a community discussion on "Where is Trinity Water Going" on Monday, April 19 at 6:30pm at the Trinity Center IOOF Hall. A presentation on the current water crisis in California, river restorations, and their impact on Trinity Lake will be followed by open discussion about issues and what the NLT community can do to influence lake water management. This forum is sponsored by the Trinity Lake Revitalization Alliance.

It is chili time! Be sure to attend the annual Coffee Creek VFD Chili Feed and Auction. This event is CCVFD's main fundraising event. CCVFD does not receive any property tax revenue for their operations so they are 100% funded by donations. Adults \$10, children 12 and under \$5. Doors open at 4:30. Dinner 5:00 to 6:30. Silent Auction 4:30 to 6:00. Live Auction 6:30. Call Debbie Amoss 266-3200 for more info.

The countywide rummage sale weekend is coming and NTL is participating. The Covington area communities will hold a fundraising Rummage and Bake Sale on April 30 and May 1 from 7am to 5pm each day. This event is a fundraiser to offset the County fees for annexing these communities into the Trinity Center CSD.

The rummage sale will be at Billie Higgs' home in Covington Mill at 630 Greenhorn Drive. Donations in good condition are needed: furniture, tools, dishes, knick-knacks, and jackets. No clothing (unless you have a mink coat to give away. :-). Donations to the bake sale are welcome. Free coffee will be available. For more information, call Billie Higgs 286-2279.

North Trinity Lake now has a Facebook page. You can go online and follow NTL news without signing up for Facebook, or sign up as a Fan to receive automatic emails whenever good news and events are posted. Also, don't forget our community website and webcam at [www.NorthTrinityLake.com](http://www.NorthTrinityLake.com).