



CATHLAPOTLE PLANKHOUSE
Celebrating Ten Years ▶ 2005 - 2015

Celebrate Cedar!

Cathlapotle Plankhouse at the Ridgefield NWR

28908 NW Main Ave, Ridgefield, WA 98642

September 13th, 12PM—4PM

Discover the Many Gifts of the Western Red Cedar

▶ *with* ◀

Judy Bridges; Weaver, Artist, & Cowlitz Tribal Member

The Western Red Cedar tree is highly regarded by many Native Peoples in the Northwest for the role that it plays in their lifeways and culture. Throughout time, Cedar has supported the needs of people by providing homes, clothing, canoes, medicine, and many other items. Many of these Cedar traditions are still vibrant in Native communities today.

Join us for

- ▶ Cedar Processing & Weaving Demonstrations by Judy Bridges
- ▶ Naturalist Lead Hike at 2:00 “Cedar: Tree of Life”
- ▶ Cedar Bark Pounding, Cedar Plank Splitting Demos, & More!

Just 15 Minutes North of Vancouver, WA!

Funding for these programs has been generously provided by the U.S. FWS, Lewis and Clark Trail Heritage Foundation, The Community Foundation for SW Washington, and Umpqua Bank.

The Cathlapotle Plankhouse is a full scale Chinookan Plankhouse located at the Ridgefield NWR. Plankhouse programs are coordinated by the Friends of Ridgefield NWR. The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service is committed to providing access to this event for all participants. Please direct all requests for sign language interpreting services, closed captioning, or other accommodations needs to Eric Anderson, 360-887-4106, Eric_Anderson@fws.gov. TTY 800-877-8339 with your request by close of business one week before the event. For wheelchair access arrangements for this program, contact Sarah Hill (360) 887-4106 or Sarah_Hill@fws.gov.