



**CIBA eNEWS, April 2015**

**Hello CIBA Members & Associates,**

We are pleased to introduce a monthly electronic newsletter to streamline communications relevant to independent businesses, CIBA programs and events, and member news. CIBA member announcements can be submitted by the 15th of the month to [info@corvallisiba.org](mailto:info@corvallisiba.org) for inclusion in CIBA's next eNEWS.



*Click image to read report about the value of local independent business alliances*

**Showcase Your Business on May 20th at 5:30pm**

**CIBA's Annual Membership Meeting at Shonnard's Nursery**

CIBA Membership Meetings provide opportunities for you to showcase your business and to network with other local independent business owners. Thank you to [Shonnard's Nursery](#) for hosting CIBA's Annual Membership meeting and Board Election on May 20th at 5:30pm. We look forward to an informative, synergistic gathering!



## Celebrate Independents Week with Fellow CIBA Members

**July 1, 2015 at 5pm at Tyee Winery**

CIBA Members will be celebrating Independents Week at [Tyee Winery](#) on July 1st, 2015! We will be celebrating our region's entrepreneurial spirit and the freedom our local businesses embody. Independents Week is also an occasion to recognize small businesses' contributions to the community -- and to affirm citizens' role in shaping their community's future. Please bring a potluck item and invite your office staff.

### Thank You CIBA Members

CIBA is a cooperative volunteer-led effort by local, independent businesses to help our community prosper and keep our local economy healthy, diverse, and stable. Your annual membership is vital to CIBA and very much appreciated. Thank you to all new and renewing CIBA members! The [CIBA Board](#) is excited to have you join the CIBA Family of Independent Businesses!



---

### Member Announcements

**Walk, bike, carpool, ride the bus, and you might win!**

The Cascades West Rideshare program at Oregon Cascades West Council of Governments (OCWCOG), in partnership with the City of Corvallis Transportation Program, invites you to get active, save money, and be eligible to win prizes! Don't miss the annual [Get There](#) campaign, set for May 4-15, 2015. Track your trips by bike, bus, walking, carpool/vanpool, and teleworking at [www.DriveLessConnect.com](http://www.DriveLessConnect.com) for your chance to win prizes such as an overnight trip to Chinook Winds Casino Resort in beautiful Lincoln City, an Amazon Kindle®, or one of dozens of gift cards to local restaurants, farmers markets, bike shops, and more. DriveLessConnect.com is a free website operated by the Oregon Department of Transportation in partnership with local agencies such as OCWCOG.



05.14.15

Join us for the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual  
**WILLAMETTE**  
ANGEL CONFERENCE  
*Innovation. Commercialization. Investment*  
Learn more at [WillametteConference.com](http://WillametteConference.com)

**CH2M Hill Alumni Center**  
Oregon State University, Corvallis Oregon

©2015 Community Independent Business Alliance | 316 SW Washington Ave | Corvallis, OR  
97333 | [info@corvallisiba.org](mailto:info@corvallisiba.org)

[Web Version](#)

[Forward](#)

[Unsubscribe](#)

Powered by **Mad Mimi**®  
A GoDaddy® company