

## **Court Boice Bio**

### **Family Man, Business Man, River Outfitter; Common Sense, Practical, Solid Old-Fashioned Values. A Servant with Non-Compromising Honesty and Loyalty**

Court enjoys encouraging and mentoring family men of all ages. In spending much of his adult life living in the beautiful Rogue River Wilderness (including raising his family between there and on the 'coast' at Gold Beach) he practiced - sound but 'common sense' environmental procedures, good health, the efficient use of all resources, and faced the daily challenges of being very geographically isolated. All required daily improvisation. Court understands the 'service industry' because he lived it. He has a broad background in working with various regulatory agencies, at all governmental levels....

Court was born in Gold Beach and has been a Southern Oregon resident since 2005. He has Northwest roots going back to the 1800's. His Grandfather Allen Boice, Sr. was a County Commissioner for one term and was then elected and served as Curry County Judge for 12 years - serving throughout the 30's and 40's. Court's father, Allen Boice Jr. was a Marine and later became a famous Oregon Lawman who served as a three-term Curry County Sheriff in the 60's and 70's. Court's mother Meryl is still a practicing Registered Nurse of 61 years. He is close to his two younger sisters, Julie Marstall and Peggie Botielho....

Court is very proud of his three sons; two born in Gold Beach and one in Medford ... Justin 41) Family man, Business man, Football Coach, former River Racer throughout the (90's) -- Brandon (38) Family man, Oregon State Police Detective, Football Coach, former O.S.U. 'Beaver' linebacker (95-99) – Ty (29), Business man and talented Actor ...

Court is very thankful for his Grandchildren; grandson 'Court', (19) and five special younger granddaughters; Karter, Brook, Peyton, Jordan and Reagan. Two other grandsons, Landon and Keaton. He is fortunate to be physically fit and in excellent health....

## **EXPERIENCE**

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**1973 to Present -- Rogue River Commercial Jet Boat Operator, River Guide and Outfitter;** Licensed through the Marine Board and United States Coast Guard (now part of Homeland Security) Court recorded over 9,000 trips into the wilderness on Oregon's famed river. His company designed and built the first three-engine, white water passenger boat ever used in the world.

**1973 thru 2005 -- Paradise Lodge, Southern Oregon Rogue River Wilderness;** An 'off the grid' location; 3,000 overnight guests annually -- highest number of employees (18) -- no road access, everything had to be transported via "River Jet Boats" including a full-size 'jeep' pick-up in 1980 and is located 50 miles up the Rogue from the Pacific Ocean.... At the Lodge, Court was responsible for all daily aspects including; lodging, grounds, livestock, facilities, personnel, marketing, reservations, food-service, transportation, scheduling, electrical, water and fire-fighting

systems -- This all required him to be consistently innovative. His most famous guests were President and Mrs. Jimmy Carter. He had the honor of Jet-Boating (from Gold Beach to 'Blossom Bar') Baseball great Ted Williams both in 1988 and 1992. Court was mentored by Rogue River Legend Glenn Wooldridge and Baseball, also a 'Hall of Famer', Bobbie Doerr. In February of 2013, Oregon Public Broadcasting; Court was one of the primary speakers for O.P.B. 'Field Guide', History of Rogue River.

**1973 thru 1997 -- Jerry's Rogue River Jet Boats, Gold Beach;** Highest number of employees (20). For over 50 years this world famous river tour company has transported over 20,000 guests annually up the Rogue from Gold Beach.

**1996 thru 2004 -- Member, Oregon State Marine Board, Salem;** Chairman one year. Court was appointed by former Governor John Kitzhaber. He served two (4) year terms traveling around the state in voluntary service. He attended thirty three consecutive meetings plus many special board events and facility dedications.

**1998 thru 2004 -- Part-Owner, Boice Jet Boats, Medford;** Highest number of employees, (31 – most of which were family wage jobs) **White Water Jets, USA and Jet Boat "U", Medford;** Southern Oregon's 'Custom' Rogue River Jet Boat River Tours. Also offers: Personal River Training, Safety, River Courtesies and Rules of the Road. ([CourtsWhiteWater.com](http://CourtsWhiteWater.com))

**2011 Legislative Assistant – Garrard, Dist. 56;** Oregon State Capitol, December 2010 thru May 2011, Salem, Oregon. Daily management, Lead person in Members office, Responsible for Daily Schedule, Public Liason – State Lobby, Constituents, Capitol Personnel, Oregon Departments, Other Members, Legislative Staffs, considerable constituent telephone time and problem solving. – Research, Clerical and Legislative Bill Tracking.

**2010 County Commissioner Candidate --** Jackson County Oregon, Republican Primary, Position 3 – (200,000 population) -- Filed just prior to deadline, the only one of five strong candidates not born in the Medford area, spent limited time in daily campaigning, spent substantially less than all other candidates in campaign expenditures – Finished very close to third in the running.

**2009 Christmas Season -- Harry and David, Medford;** employee, Bear Creek Shipping Department.

**2007 Spring -- Box "R" Ranch, Ashland;** employee. All aspects of daily operations including Ranch work: Maintenance, Livestock, Irrigation, Food and Guest Services.

**2007 thru 2009 -- Oregon Construction General Contractor, Medford;** Licensed through Oregon Contractors Board, # 177247.

**2006 Summer -- JH Ranch, Etna, California;** Head Rafting Guide, Klamath River -- JH is a highly reputable Father/Son Christian Outreach Program. Responsible for (12) Assistant guides and (40-60) guests daily.

**1994 to Present -- Performed Numerous Weddings, Rogue River Wilderness;** Helped plan over a dozen weddings and then was honored to personally perform the ceremonies.

**1983 thru 1997 -- Youth Basketball Coach, Gold Beach**

**1986 thru 1988 -- Coos, Curry, Douglas Business Development Corporation, Roseburg;**  
Board of Directors.

**1988 thru 1990 -- South Coast Business Employment Corporation, Coos Bay;** Board of  
Directors.

**1985 and 1986 -- Curry County Republican Central Committee, Gold Beach; Chairman.**

**1979 and 1983 -- Two Term Oregon Governor, Vic Atiyeh, Gold Beach; Curry County  
Campaign Chairman.**

**1971 thru 1972 -- Congressman and Mrs. John Dellenback, Washington D.C.; Scholarship,**  
spending one week touring our Nation's Capitol. Graduated, Gold Beach Union High School, All  
league in Baseball, Football.

**COURT BOICE** has broad experience in assisting many Movie, Film, News and Documentary  
Crews. He is a Tree-Faller; has Raised Cattle, Grown Orchards, is an O.S.U. Master Gardner, and  
trained in CPR/First Aid.... In 1997, operating the "Ol Judge," (named for his Grandfather) He and a  
friend pulled from near freezing and flood-stage waters five men from the Rogue at Blossom Bar  
Rapids. The event was later featured on The Learning Channel, "Without Warning".... Over the  
years, Court and his family met head-on and overcame many River and other Wilderness  
emergency situations.... This was a tremendous blessing for his family with many Southern Oregon  
friends made along the way

**Since 1973: Numerous Civic and Charity Organizations throughout Southern Oregon...**

## Accreditation

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20 Years Training, CPR and First Aid

June 2012 – Employee of the Month, Avamere Health and Fitness (215 Employees)

U.S. Coast Guard 'White Water' Inland Operator License, 1973 to Present

## Character References

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Roger Fredinburg (National Radio Talk Show Host) 541-601-0164

Vic Atiyeh (Former Oregon Governor) 503-222-2244

Bill Sweet (Founder Western Bank) 541-297-7734

John Greb (Good Friend) 541-821-1234

Gerry Frank (Good Friend, Mier & Frank Family) 503-585-8411

Bill Macey (1-2 day per week employer -- Fitness Center) 541-773-7718 X 400

Steve Burks (1-2 day per week employer -- Generator Company) 541-864-9796