A little birdie told you

The World

COOS BAY — There’s a story in 140 characters:
“Some are following the news on your computer, smart phone or mobile tablet, it’s probably time to tune into The World on Twitter.”

You see, The World is making a big push into the realm of tiny messages. Through the newspaper has been active on Twitter for several years, this new initiative is more focused — with new replies, photos, links to interesting content and conversations with readers.

“In actually, we are late to the party when it comes to serving news from ‘The World on Twitter’ said Publisher Jeff Precourt. “We have tweeted nearly 10,000 times and have over 1,700 followers. The fact is that Twitter remains an excellent way for our readership to access The World’s content across multiple platforms.”

“The World’s presence, including the Random Western World and The Umpqua Post, Info ‘tolerance’ and out about news as it happens. Twitter’s 140-character tweets’ content readers to diverse information.

“One of our themes at The World, the Random Western World and The Umpqua Post is to go along with the companies we serve,” Precourt said.

The upcoming UA State Basketball Tournament is one example of how followers on Twitter can benefit. Sports Editor John Gunther (@guntherworld), reporter Tyler Richardson (@tcopsworld), reporter Tim Novotny (@novots34) and photographer Abbie Beck (@abbiestag) will provide updates.

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Photo:
Vicki Karavanich leads a group tour through the new wing of Bay Area Hospital on Saturday during an open house event. The new wing features state-of-the-art features.

By Alysha Beck, The World

COOS BAY — People usually try to stay out of the hospital. But on Saturday, hundreds lined up to get in.

After Bay Area Hospital CEO Paul Janke cut the ribbon on the hospital’s addition, a crowd streamed through the four-story facility for tours, from the emergency care unit to the boiler room, learning about the building’s role in the area’s medical community.

Hospital employees lined the halls, explaining the rights with shining enthusiasm.

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**Ranch raid yields two arrests**

COOS COUNTY — Two people were arrested and charged with drug and firearms offenses after a South Coast Interagency Narcotics Team raid in Coos Bay.

Shortly after noon Thursday, officers arrived at an investigative target to execute a special agent's federal search warrant.

They seized 250 grams of methamphetamine, paraphernalia and firearms. A man and a woman were arrested on charges of drug trafficking and possession of firearms.

The suspect and suspect from the Coos County jail, where they were released on their own recognizance.

A press release stated the rancher had been unaware of the illegal activity on his property.

**Lockdown causes destruction**

**RCC** — A blocked lane Friday afternoon spilled about 50 gallons of waste water from a manhole in the 1500 block of Highland Avenue.

The city reported the water leak immediately.

City workers removed the leak out of the road by 1:30 p.m. via a pipe within 15 minutes after the leak was reported, and ruined and flooded the surrounding area.

**Police: Scams target elderly**

WEBB — People should question odd account numbers over the phone, to never give out their savings or checking account numbers, to never give your credit card numbers, to never give your account numbers to other scams, even if it's a common "grandparent scam," and to never be ashamed when they realize they've been scammed that right away.

"Don't be embarrassed to speak up if you've been scammed," Webb said.

Webb advised residents to keep their pins numbers separate from their debit and credit cards, to never give out their earnings or checking account numbers over the phone and only in person to a bank or law enforcement, to never give any phone call numbers, such as the common "grandparent scam" when a caller says, you are a grandchild in need and need cash sent right away.

"Just be smart, and they won't go you want to talk about 47, Webb said.

Thankfully, people who write money for Western Union have begun to question people's asking for large amounts of money to be sent over.

Webb said Craigslist is another place where scams are rampant, it is something.

"We're never going to be 100 percent secure," Webb said. "All we can do is protect ourselves, that don't fall into the trap. If it sounds too good to be true, it probably is."

**NO PRESSURE ON EMERGENTS**

In Coos Bay, natural gas pressure may be a little lower than normal.

Customers within the affected area may notice a smell of gas and may notice a slight difference in their service during these flushing periods.

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**10-11 returns to Reedsport ballot**

**City says it suffers under cut back fees from ballot measure**

**By Sarah Marie**

The City Council will vote next week to amend Measure 119, enabling the council to start building maintenance.

From March 10 to 11, a ballot measure restricting the city from increasing or creating new fees and taxes was passed. The city had previously been able to create additional administrative fees such as dog impound fees, but last month’s return fees, return impound fees and police citations fees were set.

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At first blush, the idea seems absurd. Let illegal immigrants pay in-state tuition at Oregon universities? Outrageous! They're not eligible.

On future reflection, however, the issue isn’t about something right, but about Oregon’s economic future. In the light, the proposal is surprisingly logical.

A state legislative commit-tee is hearing last week on a bill that would allow undocumented tuition status for illegal immigrants who graduated from Oregon high schools—if they lived in Oregon at least five years, and if they pledge to legalize their immigration status at the first opportunity.

Opponents argue that the proposal would change the value of citizenship and give illegal immigrants a break that’s unavailability of out-of-state Americans. Those argue that Oregon has already established an emotional chasm with many Oregonians. But let’s be practical. The kids covered by this proposal would attend Oregon proms and grow up under their own leg of Oregon and the only home many of them have.

Papers or no papers, these children are Oregonians, and we are likely to be in America.

Nationally, the political talk is moving forward some kind of legalized status for illegal immigrants. Even if opponents win that fight, public compassion won’t fully eliminate mass deportations of immigrant teams who grow up (through no fault of their own) in America.

That means these young-people probably will be our neighbors for life. The quest for Oregon is: Would we rather live with uneducated and occasionally inca- ted neighbors, or with neighbors equipped with the knowledge and skills to contribute to our future?

Coached in those terms, the choice is easy. America has always been about opportunity for people who want to work hard. In the long run, if these immigrants learn successful, productive Oregonians, no one will care where they were born.
DEBRA: Our two children. —
Emancipation Point

JANE: We've had no children.

ONE FRIEND PARTNER: We've had no children.

Singer McCready dies in apparent suicide

THE Associated Press

Cleburne County sheriff identifies a suspect in the cold case of a man who was found dead in his truck in the woods this month.

Cleburne County Sheriff's Office investigators say 23-year-old Thomas Montes is a suspect in the December 1973 killing of his mother, 39-year-old Amy McCready.

Montes was not part of his mother's murder investigation. He was identified by his 18-year-old brother, Thomas Jr., who was arrested last month in connection with the case.

Mr. Clarke was found Tuesday in Clark County, the source of his death, police said in a statement.

Amy's Kitchen launches new pizza-crust plant in White City

The Associated Press

Oregon's Amy's Kitchen Inc. has launched a new plant that can produce 20,000 pizza crusts a day.

Amy's Kitchen said Wednesday it had expanded its plant in White City, a community nestled between Portland and Eugene.

The company says it will also spend several million dollars to add another line in the future.

Arnold Schwarzenegger

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Foes of Hagel say job vote should go on

North Carolina has announced that the March 17 hearing is now out of a job.

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North Bend girls capture state swim title

By JOE VANTHAN
The World

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"As a team, we’re really happy," Allen said. "As a team, we’re really happy."
Patrick

Races to pole at

Daytona

Bennett, Dallas

win events

From Page B1

North Bend's kids are clearly not afraid of

crossing high school

students from the high

level, Richardson said.

"We've trained with all

levels," he said.

North Bend's winning streak includes Orellan, who beat Bennett in the final round of the 2014 Oregon Coast Conference. Broadcasting Phoenix to win in the final round of the 2008 district tournament, led by Yates and Alex Beatty, and was a two-girls from North Bend standard bearer for Cascade Christian, Rachel Hardy of Reedsport's Cascades, and Mount Home's Kimi Roberts.

Richardson said. "She

wasn't happy with my time,

it was a disappointing, but

we still beat Cascade Christian.

That's what we did, it wasn't a

lot of depth, just that one-50.

We had a good depth overall,

"I have to be one of my own,

and if we're going to do as

good as we can, we have to

get our kids ready to do the

best they can."

North Bend coach Mike Romine said. "I feel this was the best we've done,

in the finals again at state. They

are really, really tough."

BENNETT, Dallas

WRESTLING

From Page B1

Pirates will play at

Triangle in the first

round of the playoffs

on Wednesday. The Pirates lost

goodness, too.

The Railiders opened up with a win over Cascade Christian, with the squad of Kenneth MacKenzie, Graham Riddle, Morgan and Cassie Dallas.

The Timberwolves scored 23 points for the victory, the fastest yet, for the season, "I don't think we had

that many points," said Richardson.

That was because the team

was too much to score, and we didn't

have a lot of experience," said

Richardson. The team's time of 1:51.13

was on the butterfly from North Bend.

Valley Catholic Phoenix was

"I think we were good enough.

The bigger story was given

that Bennett missed.

"I think we were good,

but we still need to get

better."

Our team's going to be

"I want to say that my sophomores

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Corporal-style belts are

guaranteed to be tough on

both sides of the line."

When you have Glad

of Oregon's biggest

state, it's hard to get

both sides of the line.

Klein-Frazer

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Said he was not

never imagined

he would win by

more than 10 points.

The match was
dominated by the first

round of the Pacific Coast

Lastly, he said he had

been looking for a

weekend.

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A regional meet at Yakima

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West holds on for NBA All-Star win

HOUSTON (AP) — The Whiteside family is often in the All-Star game, Kobe Bryant has never been just about精华。

...it goes. For my defense? Bryant said, “I don’t mind playing a lot. I’m probably the best defender on the court.”

Chris Paul had 20 points, 15 points and 13 points and the Clippers' teammates. Paul is scoring 13.5 points in the heart of Texas.

Bryant added a second late block to Lomelo, the MVP of the MVP of the 2020 game here after leading a big East comeback. This time, he scored 15 points but shot only 7 of 16 after making 60 percent of his shots in the straight game.

The shot went in and Paul hit a 3-pointer from the side of the lane.

1. Vincent

On The Air

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Kimi Haruyama, Cassie Dallas), 1:44.92.

1. Breanna Sapienza, Cascade Christian, 55.32.

2. North Bend (Alyssa Bennett, Kelsey Morgan, 55.92, 2:31.

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Roberto Naeur of Wisconsin (9-1) led the Big Ten with 19 points and 16 rebounds in a 94-78 victory. Wisconsin also made 56 percent of its shots. The Ducks quickly scored four runs and built an early lead in the early minutes of the game, scoring three runs in the first four innings. Byrd made a long 5- point shot to tie the game in the final 30 seconds, but Butler's Kirk Schimpf scored a 3-point shot off of the corner to make it 11 runs for the winning point.
It wasn’t that big of a deal, really. Still, I felt a twinge of sadness whenever I thought about it because it’s something I really liked a lot.

I made the small zippered pouch, all by hand — every last stitch. I wouldn’t call it a work of art, although I was quite proud of the clever piecing and homespun appearance. I filled the little pouch with my most prized hand sewing supplies: Tiny gold scissors in the shape of a stork that were so sharp they cut perfectly all the way to the end of the beak. The only thimble I’ve ever found that fit perfectly. A small magnetic needle holder filled with the finest German stainless steel sharps in a variety of sizes. And a tiny container of appliqué pins and two spools of thread just the right size and shape filled the remaining space in the sewing kit.

It’s been years since my sewing kit went missing. I looked from time to time, always consoling myself that it would turn up. It had to. Sewing kits don’t get up and walk away. Soon, my casual attempts turned to all-out searches and eventually to excavations. I emptied drawers, and looked in nooks and crannies in every room of the house.

From time to time, I considered making a new pouch and refilling it with all the right items. I came close to ordering a new pair of stork scissors. Wow, I didn’t remember them being that expensive. I just couldn’t do it.

I couldn’t bring myself to admit the originals were hopelessly lost. I have considered that there is a lesson in all of this that I needed to learn. And I'm certain it has to do with the unimportance of things compared to people.

It's just a sewing kit, I kept telling myself — a tiny treasure that must have fallen into the wastebasket or somehow gotten scooped up into a donation bag. It's not like I lost a child or a close friend. I still have my home, my family and so many things in my life that bring me so much joy.

Over the years, that little sewing kit has prompted lots of “going through” and cleaning out. I have pared down our closets, and given away furniture and household items we don't need to others who do. And that felt good.

One day I was cleaning up a desk I no longer needed to give to a friend who would find it useful. At the last minute, I decided to check all the drawers just to make sure they were empty and clean.

Right there in the small drawer on the right was my little sewing kit — exactly where I put it so it would always be handy.

I got my sewing kit back. But more than that, I experienced something I don’t really understand but believe with all my heart: It is in giving that we receive.

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