

North Bend ethics complaint rejected

By DAVID RUPKALVIS
For The World

The Oregon Government Ethics Commission unanimously rejected an ethics complaint field against North Bend Main Street Manager Stephanie Wilson.

The commission board voted 8-0 to dismiss the complaint against Wilson, who was hired to the post earlier this year.

Former mayoral candidate James Rose filed the complaint in September, saying that hiring Wilson to oversee the Main Street program when she owns a downtown business was an ethics violation.

Rose also claimed in a letter published on the Rob Taylor Report that Wilson was not the most qualified candidate and was only hired because she had a strong relationship with Mayor Jessica Engelke.

In his ethics complaint, Rose said hiring Wilson and using taxpayer funds to promote downtown events was a conflict because Wilson owns the Painted Zebra Boutique in downtown North Bend. He claimed that her employment and the events sponsored by the Main Street program benefited her business directly.

Rose pointed specifically to a Sip

‘N Stroll event downtown where the Painted Zebra Boutique was listed as a sponsor.

‘She is now a city employee receiving a taxpayer-funded salary and benefits in the neighborhood of \$85K per year and remains the sole owner of a clothing boutique with a direct financial conflict of interest when any taxpayer funds are spent to promote NB’s so-called Main Street.” Rose wrote in his letter.

“In the recent Sip & Stroll taxpayer dollars were spent to promote 22 NB businesses including her own business... that’s a problem they all know about... are they hoping

nobody will say anything? They are breaking the law every single time she says anything without first making a public disclosure of her business ownership... in most expenditure discussions and recommendations she will need to recuse herself completely due to the actual or potential personal financial benefit she may/might receive as a consequence of her recommendations... as an employee business owner in this position everything she does is a conflict of interest and is tainted... unless and until she closes or sells her business.”

However, when the Ethics Com-

mission met December 18, members found no conflict. In a notice rejecting the ethics complaint, the commission said the decision was made after a preliminary review, and the vote by the board was unanimous.

On its Facebook page, the city of North Bend reported the commission’s decision.

“Congratulations to Stephanie Wilson on having the Oregon Government Ethics Commission Board conclude there was no wrongdoing and, therefore, no cause to proceed with an investigation,” the city wrote.

South Coast Train Club: Enjoying trains all year long



Photos by David Rupkalvis/For The World

The South Coast Train Club hosted its annual holiday train show last weekend as club members of all ages showcased their collections. Many displays turned their trains into holiday displays while others showcased their traditional set ups. Guests at the show got to vote for their favorite displays in different categories. The train club is open to anyone who loves model trains, with expert members always willing to help newcomers. For information, find the South Coast Train Club on Facebook.

Students show big heart donating gifts to animal shelter



By BREEANA LAUGHLIN
The World

Second-grade students at Ocean Crest Elementary School in Bandon are embracing a holiday tradition to help their furry friends in need.

Instead of taking part in a traditional holiday gift exchange, the students donated gifts to the animals at the Coos County animal shelter.

Kathleen Augsburger is longtime teacher who started the tradition years ago. She said she wanted to do something a little different with her classes for the holidays.

“We thought wouldn’t it be cool to do something more meaningful? Let’s take care of the animals that don’t have anybody at Christmas time,” Augsburger said.

Augsburger’s class teamed up with Priscilla Weston’s second-grade class to donate a variety of items to the shelter before they headed out on Christmas break Dec. 16. They collected dozens of items on the shelter’s holiday wish list.

The shelter’s holiday wish list included items from blankets, food and cleaning supplies, to toys, treats and leashes and puppy pads. A couple weeks before the holiday break, the teachers message their students’ parents and with the shelter wish list.

Kathleen Augsburger and Priscilla Weston’s second-grade classes at Bandon’s Ocean Crest Elementary school donated a variety of items to the Coos County animal shelter before they headed out on Christmas break Dec. 16.

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Coos Bay surprised North Bend with Christmas treats



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Mayor Joe Benetti and members of the Coos Bay City Council surprised Mayor Jessica Engelke and the North Bend City Council with platters of holiday baked goods during Tuesday’s governing board meeting. At the core of collaboration is pulling other people to the table, so that each one contributes to the vision and therefore the success. North Bend and Coos Bay are united in collaboration to move both communities and the bay area forward.

Coos County looking for Weed Board applicants

The Coos County Board of Commissioners will be accepting applications from anyone interested in applying for a position on the Coos County Noxious Weed Advisory Board. The successful applicant will fill the remainder of a vacant term, with the term set to expire June 1, 2024. Interested parties must send a completed county application to: **Coos County Board of Commissioners Office**

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Applications are available on the county’s website at www.co.coos.or.us and click on “county boards and committees” or by contacting the Board’s office. Deadline for submitting an application is January 13, 2023 at noon. Applicants should be available for interviews as soon as the following week.

First Interstate Bank collected and donated 12,232 clothing items from Coats and More Drive

Team members from First Interstate Bank, a \$33 billion community bank with more than 300 branches across 14 states, recently collected and donated 12,232 clothing items from its annual coats and more Drive to help keep community members warm this winter. Items collected included coats, hats, mittens, scarves, socks, and snow boots, and were given to local nonprofits, including schools, child and family services, senior centers, and veteran outreach programs. Since starting the drive in 2009, First Interstate has collected and distributed 63,532 total items to community partners and schools. “A special thank you to our clients and employees who participated in the 14th annual Coats and More Drive,” said Amberly Pahut, Executive Director of First Interstate BancSystem Foundation. “The winter months can be particularly difficult for some of our neighbors, and together, we have helped spread warmth around our communities.”

Wyden, Merkley applaud passage of critical wildfire prevention and response measure

U.S. Senators Ron Wyden and Jeff Merkley applauded the passage of a critical measure that supports the training of National Guard personnel on wildfire prevention and response in Oregon and nationwide. “I’m proud that Congress has passed my provision to support the Oregon National Guard with rapid response and wildfire prevention training,” Wyden said. “This provision will help make sure that Oregon communities have the support they need from well-trained and well-equipped Guard members when the next fire season hits. I’ll keep up the fight to secure further resources to combat wildfires and keep Oregonians safe.” “With wildfires getting more and more intense thanks to climate chaos, we need all hands on deck to battle these blazes and keep our communities safe. Getting Oregon National Guard members trained and equipped to help fight wildfires has been a huge win for bolstering our wildfire defenses across the state, especially during the times when our resources are stretched thinnest,” said Senator Merkley. “This provision to support the Oregon National Guard members will help ensure they continue to have the training and resources needed to keep Oregonians across the state protected when wildfires break out.” “Having your Oregon Guard members pre-trained and ready to respond is invaluable,” said Lt. Col. Stephen Bomar, Director of Public Affairs for the Oregon Military Department. “It supports a rapid mobilization and ensures we have the trained personnel available to save the lives and property of our fellow Oregonians.” The Wyden-led wildfire prevention and response measure was included and passed as a part of the Fiscal Year 2023 National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA).

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Dunning honored for 15 years in North Bend



North Bend Police Officer Shane Dunning was honored for his 15 years of dedicated service to the community. Officer Dunning was recognized by Police Chief Gary McCullough, Mayor Jessica Engelke, and the North Bend City Council at its meeting in Council Chambers.

WISHING YOU

Happy Holidays

AND A WONDERFUL NEW YEAR

Hope your holiday sparkles and shines, bringing joy and contentment to your heart and home.

With Our Sincere Thanks,

The World

Coquille chess tournament closes out 2022



Frank Morse in foreground competing against Julian Liga



Gabe Dunn, winner of the intermediate division



Novice players show off their prizes!



Misha von Dassow was not upset at his move, he was chilly as the school had turned down the heat for winter break but that did not deter competitors.

The Coquille Chess Club hosted the last Coos County chess tournament of the 2022 year last weekend with players from all over Coos County ranging from first timers to experienced and first grade to adults. Scholastic players are preparing for state tournaments that run February through April. There was a lot of learning as Intermediate players were required to record their games and use clocks for the first time. They quickly caught on.

- Advanced:**

 - 1st place: Mark Claiborne (adult North Bend)
 - 2nd place: Sawyer Bergstedt (11th grade Coquille)
 - 3rd place: Matthew Bottoroff (adult Myrtle Point)
- Intermediate:**

 - 1st place: Gabe Dunn (8th grade Coquille)
 - 2nd place: Noah Ish-Shalom (4th grade Coquille)
 - Dillian Richardson (10th grade Coquille)
 - Misha von Dassow (6th grade Coos Bay)
- Novice:**

 - 1st place: Sharon Bullington (Adult North Bend)
 - 2nd place: Nadia von Dassow (3rd grade Coos Bay)
 - 3rd place: Anya von Dassow (3rd grade Coos Bay)

The Chamber Minute: Looking at new year

With fallen leaves clogging your gutters, frost on the windshield and Holiday Lights blazing, we begin thinking about the New Year. At the Chamber, we begin our preparation for 2023's opportunities and successes with the annual Board planning session.

For the past several years we have used your input about what you see are the most important issues facing our community, how you think the Chamber has been dealing with them and what you would like to have us address in the next year.

With that information the Chamber defines its annual priorities.

To ensure that businesses succeed and our community thrives in our Bay Area, the Chamber is committed to the following:

Create a strong local economy

Through supporting the retention and growth of existing local business, focusing on tourism opportunities, supporting industrial development in our area, facilitating new business wanting to relocate here & streamlining the state and local permitting process.

Promote the Community

Through using a positive area marketing message both internally and externally, promoting Oregon's Adven-

ture Coast, by collaborating with other agencies on product/area branding and by supporting the area's visitor centers.

Provide Networking Opportunities

The Chamber is the hub of information for business & community, utilizing events like Business after Hours, Wednesday Business Connection and the Economic Outlook Forum and more, to spread the word.

Represent Business Issues

By advocating for business issues at all levels of government, continuing to research and take positions on issues important to business and community, and by strength-

ening lobbying efforts with the state.

Build a strong Chamber

Engage new active members for committees and events; provide a mentoring program to ensure their success and incorporate best practices from Chambers around the state to continue our growth and effectiveness into the future

Part of the success of that effort depends on leadership. The Executive committee for 2023 was elected earlier this month, so let me share that information with you.

President—Stacy Dewater—Star of Hope

President-Elect—Allison Richards—CB NB CH VCB

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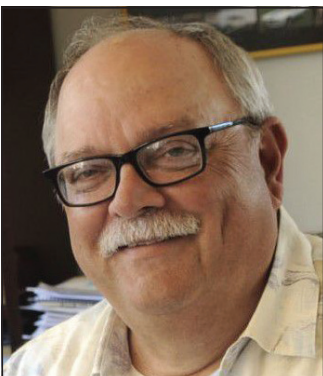
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North Bend installs menorah for Hanukkah



Hanukkah is the Jewish eight-day, wintertime “festival of lights,” celebrated with nightly menorah lighting, special prayers and fried foods. The Hebrew word Chanukah means “dedication” and is thus named because it marks the rededication of the Holy Temple. Also spelled Hanukkah (or variations of that spelling), the Hebrew word is pronounced with a guttural “kh” sound, kha-nu-kah, not tcha-new-kah. A menorah commemorating the holiday is on south flag island at U.S. 101/ Tremont Avenue/Washington Avenue in North Bend near the Liberty Theatre and Engles Furniture. The candelabra, with eight candles or lights and a main light in the center – the shamus – denotes the eight days an oil-fueled lamp burned for eight days even though there was only enough oil for one day. Hanukkah 2022 will begin on the evening of Sunday, December 18, and ends on the evening of Monday, December 26. The menorah, purchased with transient lodging tax dollars, automatically adds a new light every 24 hours.

DEAR ABBY

By Abigail Van Buren

STUDENT PLANS FOR FUTURE WITH LONG-DISTANCE BEAU

DEAR ABBY: I am a senior in high school in a long-distance relationship. My boyfriend, "Grant," and I live two states apart and have visited each other several times. He's four years older than I am. We met three years ago, when Grant was 19 and I was 15, and became friends through banter online. However, he had a girlfriend and we were nothing more than friends. I developed feelings, but he did not reciprocate because I was underage. Later, after he and his girlfriend broke up, I told him how I felt and we became a couple. That was 10 months ago.

Grant asked me to move in with him next year, and I have decided to do so. His college tuition and housing are paid for, and he wants to help in paying mine while we pursue an in-person relationship. Some of my relatives know about my decision, but the two family members I live with do not. They are very serious and old-fashioned in their beliefs and do not respect my relationship in any way. I'm not sure how to tell them about my decision to move 900 miles away to a state where neither Grant nor I have friends or family. I'm looking for any advice possible. -- BIG PLANS IN INDIANA

DEAR BIG PLANS: I'm glad you are seeking advice about this because I have serious reservations about what you are planning. If you move in with Grant (as generous as his offer may be), you will be denying him and yourself an important aspect of the college experience. This is a chance for each of you to complete your education, as well as grow and define yourselves as INDIVIDUALS. Both of you will meet new people and develop interests apart from the other,

which is both challenging and healthy. Please do not deny yourself or Grant this important experience.

DEAR ABBY: Our family is worried about my brother. Ever since he met and married his wife, he has changed. There was a "surprise" baby. Access to the baby is limited -- even my parents, who visit only once a year, must schedule an appointment at least two days in advance. My brother now rarely leaves the house. He has begun questioning my parents about their will. He is asking to be bought out of the family business, which he has stated numerous times that he absolutely loves being a part of.

Abby, I know you typically say to stand aside and offer support if asked, but some of his decisions, like wanting to leave the family business, will have serious negative impacts on the whole family. Is there anything we can do? -- CONCERNED BIG BROTHER IN WASHINGTON

DEAR BIG BROTHER: Your brother's wife appears to be very controlling. Is he all right? I ask because you wrote that he has always loved the family business. Because his request to be bought out will affect everyone, all of the principals -- including your brother -- should meet with your attorney as well as your financial adviser to discuss what that will mean for all of you. If this is being caused by your brother's wife, do not allow her to isolate him. Assure him that you will always be there for him regardless where his path may lead.

Dear Abby is written by Abigail Van Buren, also known as Jeanne Phillips, and was founded by her mother, Pauline Phillips. Contact Dear Abby at www.DearAbby.com.

North Bend man charged for killing deer

On March 23, 2021, three young Blacktail bucks were found by a citizen alongside a sand road on the North Spit of Coos Bay. All three deer were shot in the head from a relatively close range and were likely taken using artificial light at night. These deer were shot and left to waste. OSP Troopers estimate that the deer were killed sometime between March 19 - March 21, 2021.

After a lengthy investigation into this case, troopers were able to

develop a suspect.

On December 5, 2022, OSP Fish & Wildlife troopers interviewed and ultimately charged Macen M. West (21) of North Bend, Oregon with the following crimes:

Take Game Mammal

Closed Season (x3)

Waste of a Game Mammal (x3)

Hunting with the aid of Artificial Light

The rifle that is believed to have been used in the crimes was also seized during the investigation.

DEATH NOTICES

Edward James Landay, 81, of Coos Bay, passed away December 14, 2022 in Coos Bay. Arrangements are under the care of Coos Bay Chapel, 541-267-3131 www.coosbayareafunerals.com

Cynthia Jean Groff, 59, of Coos Bay, passed away December 8, 2022 in Coos Bay. Arrangements are under the care of Coos Bay Chapel, 541-267-3131 www.coosbayareafunerals.com

Loretta Ann Brammer, 39, of Coos Bay, passed away December 10, 2022 in Coos Bay. Arrangements are under the care of Coos Bay Chapel, 541-267-3131 www.coosbayareafunerals.com

Dorothy May Howard, 94, of Coos Bay, passed away December 17, 2022 in Coos Bay. Arrangements are under the care of Coos Bay Chapel, 541-267-3131 www.coosbayareafunerals.com

Edward James Landay Jr., 81, of North Bend, passed away December 14, 2022 in Coos Bay. Arrangements are under the care of Coos Bay Chapel, 541-267-3131 www.coosbayareafunerals.com

Bobby Max Blair, 91, of Coos Bay, passed away December 13, 2022 in Coos Bay. Arrangements are under the care of Coos Bay Chapel, 541-267-3131 www.coosbayareafunerals.com

Emma "Beth" Hubbell, 73, of North Bend, passed away December 18, 2022 in Coos Bay. Arrangements are under the care of Coos Bay Chapel, 541-267-3131 www.coosbayareafunerals.com

Edward A. Green, 81, of Bandon, died December 18, 2022 in Bandon. Arrangements are under the direction of Amling Schroeder Funeral Service, Bandon.

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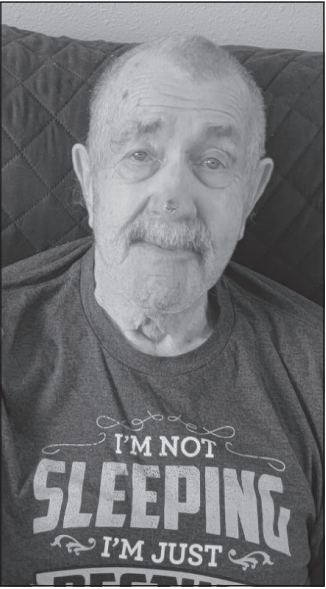
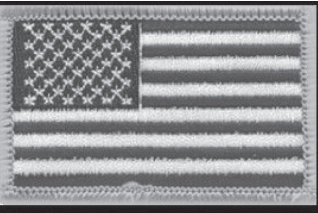
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OBITUARIES

George Thomas Shaw

September 22, 1941 - November 22, 2022



George Thomas Shaw was born on September 22, 1941 in Providence, Rhode Island. He moved to Oregon when he was young, with his father and siblings. He loved playing sports at Sandy High School in Portland, and won the state championship in football his senior year.

George joined the Navy after graduating from high school. He served in the Vietnam War on the Navy vessel The Hancock. He was very proud of his time in the service and talked about it often. During his time of service, George met Arlene, a fellow sailor. They got married on December 25, 1962. Shortly after getting married, George and Arlene started a family. They had two children, Brian was born in 1970 and Monica was born in 1978.

After his service in the US Navy, George was employed with Kentucky Fried Chicken as a Regional Manager. As Regional Manager, he managed many locations and employees. George loved his time with KFC, and often shared accounts

with “The Colonel”. He kept and shared a picture of “The Colonel” holding Brian. After KFC, George worked as a handyman for different companies, always taking pride in his work, and assisting many people and businesses.

George loved wood working, bowling and traveling. He was a devoted family man, and his family was the pride and joy of his life.

George is survived by his wife, Arlene Shaw; son, Brian Shaw and his wife, Mindy; daughter, Monica Shaw and her husband, Lucas Lodholz; sister, Beverly Shaw; brother, Bob Shaw; and sister, Carol Ann Shaw.

George was preceded in death by his parents, Frank Shaw Sr. and Betty Shaw; brother, Frank Shaw Jr.; and sister, Mary Shaw.

Friends and family are encouraged to sign the online guestbook at www.coosbayareafunerals.com and www.theworldlink.com. Arrangements are under the care of North Bend Chapel, 541-756-0440.

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LETTER TO THE EDITOR

I don't understand

It is interesting to me how the liberals think, especially Gov. Kate Brown. Apparently it is wrong to execute a convicted murderer but it is quite all right to kill innocent babies because might make you have to care for them. I just don't understand the legal system that allows that.

Paul Redlingshafer

Coos Bay



GUEST COLUMN

Opinion: Attacks on Press Freedom Are an Attack on Democracy

By WILLIAM MCKENZIE
InsideSources.com

Alfonso Esquivel. Antonio de la Cruz. Armando Lopez. Fredid Roman. Heber Vasquez. Jose Arenas. Juan Lopez. Juan Muniz. Luis Ramirez. Maria Lopez. Roberto Barrera. Sheila Oliveira. Yessenia Falconi. Remember those names. They are the 13 journalists killed this year in Mexico, a country that the Committee to Protect Journalists says has turned into the most dangerous country for journalists.

Mexico’s drug cartels pose a particular obstacle to independent journalism. Physical threats are a reality for some journalists, while the cartels’ presence in Mexico’s northern states and along the Pacific Coast can lead to journalists censoring themselves.

Unfortunately, Mexican President Andres Manuel Lopez Obrador has not firmly upheld the importance of a free press in a democracy. After the slaying this year of a Mexican journalist, the Inter American Press Association called upon the leader to curtail his harangues against journalists who criticize his administration.

Mexico is far from the only country in the Americas where journalists face personal and professional barriers. Nicaragua. El Salvador. Honduras. Guatemala. Venezuela. They are among the nations that CPJ considers serious

abusers of independent journalism. So does Freedom House, which gives those five countries a score of two or lower on its four-point 2022 ratings for media freedom.

For example, longstanding dictator Daniel Ortega suspended 17 radio and TV stations in Nicaraguain September. Two months earlier, his government raided the homes of a reporter and a photojournalist working for La Prensa newspaper. The government also detained two drivers working for the independent operation.

The list continues. In June, authorities canceled the legal status of the independent Trinchera de la Noticia. In March, a judge found the publisher of La Prensa guilty of money laundering after a closed-door trial. In February, another journalist received nine years for conspiring to undermine Nicaragua’s integrity and distributing false information.

These are only some of the attempts to control a free press in Latin America. Increasingly, journalists and media organizations find their ability to provide reliable reporting and in-depth investigations restricted in some countries. The limits are part of a larger unraveling of democracy across Latin America.

The question is, what to do about these challenges?

Most important, Latin American civil society leaders who value a free press should embrace efforts to bolster independent report-

ing. Fortunately, some efforts exist.

During this summer’s Summit of the Americas, the Organization of American States helped launch the Center for Media Integrity of the Americas. The center, which plans on becoming an independent entity, seeks to fight back against pressures on journalists, including from governments, drug cartels and corporate interests.

In September, the center hosted a conference featuring Venezuelan, Cuban and Nicaraguan journalists. The reporters told their stories, explained how attacks on freedom of the press are linked to declines in democracy, and advocated for the cause of independent journalism in the Americas.

The region also needs trained journalists. Here, too, numerous efforts exist.

The Consortium to Support Independent Journalism in Latin America invests in journalists doing investigative reporting in Latin America. University of Texas-Austin’s Knight Center equips future reporters to work in the region. And the Center for Media Integrity of the Americas will host a competition to award Latin American journalists money to pursue their reporting projects.

Training journalists requires money, of course. Private philanthropy, especially, can help provide necessary resources. Government assistance for getting a vibrant press off the ground in democratically challenged

nations can only go so far before it looks like governments are spinning stories.

The United States cannot fix this problem alone, but our voice matters. The Biden administration rightly acknowledged this spring the need for journalistic freedom. The United States needs to continue promoting this idea, and not just on anniversaries like World Press Freedom Day.

The larger reason democrats around the world should stand against the undermining of a free flow of information relates to what Rosental Alves, director of the University of Texas at Austin’s Knight Center for Journalism in the Americas, says: “When you kill a journalist, you also are killing an idea: the right to gather and distribute information.”

We live in a time when disinformation abounds, often through social media or big microphones. Citizens, especially where democracy is in retreat, need access to reliable sources of information and news, the kind that a vibrant free press provides. Without such, democracy cannot take root, much less thrive.

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GUEST COLUMN

Opinion: Banning Oil Exports Is Not Sound Economics

By RAYMOND J. KEATING
InsideSources.com

Just ahead of the midterm elections, the Biden administration and its allies launched a last-ditch effort to shift the narrative around high gasoline prices, pointing the finger at energy companies and threatening new taxes and potential market restrictions. Unfortunately, bad politics breeds bad policies, with potentially devastating results for American businesses and consumers.

It’s a tale as old as Washington: politically motivated “solutions” may sway some, but the facts say otherwise. For example, one idea under consideration by the administration is banning gasoline, diesel and other refined petroleum exports in the hope of mitigating high prices at the pump. The White House has even requested the Department of Energy to assess the possible effect of banning refined petroleum products. Further, Rep. Ro Khanna, D-Calif., introduced a bill last month that would temporarily prohibit the export of motor fuel during periods when pump prices are high.

In reality, this type of government intervention imposes barriers on free markets, and leads to distortions that inevitably result in less production, continued high prices and grim consequences for our allies abroad.

Increasing prices cannot be solved with naive policies like an export ban. Gasoline and other refined products are globally traded commodities, with the United States representing 12.1 percent of refined oil exports globally. Basic economics teaches us that a decrease in the supply of a service or commodity — like oil — while demand remains the same means the price tends to rise. More product in the market lowers prices globally, not just in the United States. Alternatively, banning the export of refined products would likely decrease inventory levels — why would a company invest if it can’t sell it? — and place more upward pressure on fuel prices.

According to a study conducted by the American Council for Capital Formation, refined products originally slated for export would be trapped in our coastal refineries, mainly driven by the lack of infrastructure to

transport and divert these products from Gulf region refineries to the East and West coasts. This would ultimately lead to refinery capacity decreases domestically and an increase in product prices in the global market. The same study concluded that “more than two-thirds of U.S. consumers will see price increases, including average increases of more than 15 cents per gallon.”

Additionally, we cannot turn a cold shoulder to our allies. During the first half of 2022, the United States exported record amounts of petroleum products. For example, U.S. propane exports to Europe increased by 51 percent and set a record of 349,000 barrels a day in June. And when the European Union’s new refined petroleum products sanctions on Moscow take effect in February, our allies will look to the United States as a global leader in exports to help fill that void.

Freeing markets from government controls, and relying on private competition and co-operation, enhances efficiencies, investment and production — all subject to consumer sovereignty. Take, for example, the removal of the decades-long ban on crude oil exports

in 2015. A study commissioned by the energy industry this year found that this policy reversal led to an increase of \$161 billion in U.S. gross domestic product, the addition of a yearly average of 48,000 jobs, and reduced gas prices by an annual average of 4.6 cents per gallon. Clearly, embracing isolationist policies like restricted exports does not work in our economy’s favor.

The United States is facing increased global energy demand, constrained supply and geopolitical instability — a situation that would be made far worse with these misguided policies. Banning or restricting the export of refined petroleum products or crude oil is not the answer in the near term or over the long haul. The administration and political allies ought to focus on providing tax and regulatory relief for the U.S. energy industry and not meddling in critical international supply chains in the name of politics.

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GUEST COLUMN

Opinion: Starting a New Era of Bipartisanship

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Now that the 2022 midterm elections are over, America faces two years with the House of Representatives under Republican control while the Democratic majority retains the Senate. A split government like this means bipartisanship will be necessary to address our nation’s problems. Yet, we Americans have never been more divided, and the vitriol in our political discourse is higher than ever.

We need to fix the tone and tenor of the political conversations that we have with one another. That’s where BattlePACs, a new online platform for political discourse, comes in. By using the tried-and-true principles of gamification, BattlePACs aims to make debate not just productive again but also fun and rewarding. When more Americans engage in politics, we will see higher voting rates and a stronger democracy overall.

Decades ago, Democrats and Republicans could disagree without

being disagreeable. The parties would also work together on issues where there was common ground.

Today, however, the political opposition is treated as an enemy. All too often, our political discourse revolves more around entrenched partisan views and destroying the other side rather than finding solutions to the country’s problems.

This zero-sum view of politics inhibits collaborative policymaking that benefits everyone. It also fails to reflect the country as a whole. Many people feel left out of the current political system as voices from the political extremes typically drown out independents and moderates from both parties. Young people also may find it difficult to break into an entrenched and polarized political system that doesn’t serve their interests. Citizens of all political stripes have become disillusioned with the gridlock and dysfunction in our politics.

Part of the problem has been social media. These platforms have played a role in fueling acrimony and worsening divisions in today’s

political atmosphere. Social media platforms, and the algorithms that drive them, funnel individuals into ideological bubbles where users largely see content with which they already agree. This confirmation bias contributes to polarization in our politics because Democrats rarely engage with Republicans and vice versa. Meanwhile, independents can feel left out entirely.

Another aligned challenge is the proliferation of specific highly partisan legacy media platforms that exploit and amplify this conflict.

BattlePACs aims to change these toxic dynamics.

BattlePACs is a platform that promotes conversation about political issues among people of diverse viewpoints. Essentially, it constitutes a new political ecosystem, which presents an exciting opportunity to reimagine how citizens engage one another. Everyone is invited to participate in BattlePACs, provided they agree to some basic rules to promote civil discourse.

Rather than perpetuating

conflict, BattlePACs will encourage citizens to reach across the aisle and listen to one another. It will be a community where people can engage as their authentic selves rather than caricatures based on ignorance or fear. People will be able to identify shared values and concerns across party lines. Since everyone will feel comfortable expressing themselves in an atmosphere of mutual respect, measured and constructive political conversations will take hold.

By participating in BattlePACs, Americans will develop skills of active listening and constructive argumentation that they can take into other parts of their lives. For instance, the issues discussed and debated on the platform will offer a blueprint for civil, off-line political conversations at the national, state and local levels.

If the United States continues along its current path, the conflict and acrimony in our politics will only worsen. This inhibits real, substantive progress on important issues, turns citizens against one

another, and tears at the fabric of our country.

BattlePACs’ dynamic, diverse and thriving community opens up a safe space for political discussions. The inclusive nature of BattlePACs is reflected in our outreach efforts. We are actively inviting citizens of all political stripes — especially young people — to join our community and make their voices heard.

Students who demonstrate a passion for engaging in conversations surrounding the issues in our country should also consider applying for our new scholarship fund, where your participation on social media could qualify you for up to a year’s tuition.

BattlePACs takes the dream of an ideal public sphere and brings it to life. Politics will never be the same, and America will benefit.

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PREVIOUS SOLUTION

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3	5	7	9	1	6	8	4	2
8	4	1	3	2	5	9	6	7
6	2	9	7	8	4	3	5	1
2	7	5	1	9	3	6	8	4
9	3	8	6	4	7	1	2	5
1	6	4	2	5	8	7	9	3

HOW TO PLAY:
Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 through 9 without repetition.

ACROSS

- 1 Several
5 ER practice
8 Influence
12 Bread spread
13 Tone
14 First-aid plant
15 Llama country
16 Wakefulness
18 Ice cream treat
20 Playing marble
21 Miller or Curry
22 Swift antelope
25 Big sizes, briefly
28 Go on horseback
29 Glasgow girl
33 Cowboy skill
35 Tallow source
36 Swift horse
37 Spell
39 Sherpa's sighting
40 Oahu neighbor

- 42 Recipe meas.
43 Loyal
46 Wabash loc.
49 Full of hot —
50 Auel heroine
53 Four-legged security (2 wds.)
56 Claims
58 Cajun veggie
59 Mesozoic, for one
60 McEntire of country
61 Monthly expense
62 Slap the cuffs on
63 Black gemstone

DOWN

- 1 Swab
2 Obi-Wan player
3 Fiddling emperor
4 Unfledged

Answer to Previous Puzzle

A	G	A	R		R	A	V	E		Y	O	N
L	I	F	E		U	K	E	S		E	W	E
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- 5 Actor McBride
6 Drop-kicked
7 Home turnover
8 Grier or Dawber
9 Radius' companion
10 Steak cut
11 Not fatty
17 Nocturnal bird
19 Be entitled to
23 Sharp turn
24 Bride in "Lohengrin"
25 Diagnostic aid (hyph.)
26 Folk wisdom
27 Tiff
30 A relative
31 Jiffies
32 Ladder rung
34 Heron kin
37 Winery cask
38 Costa —
40 Knight's girl
41 Electromag-netic storm
44 Small fry
45 Type of power plant
46 Operatic prince
47 Put in the microwave
48 Mend a heel
51 Mortgage, e.g.
52 Popular advice-giver
54 Willard's pet
55 Talk a lot
57 Jazz instrument

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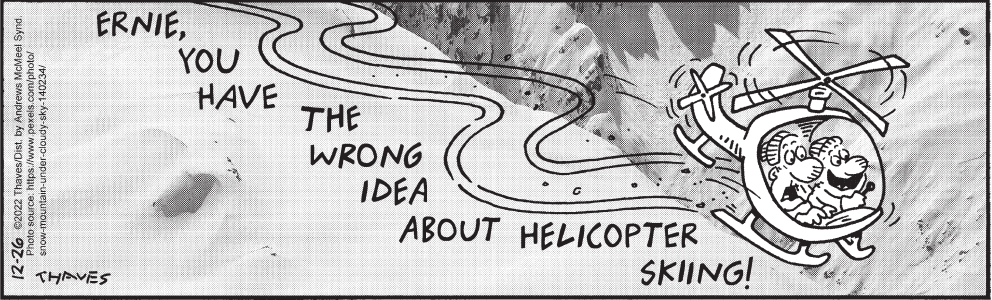
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PREVIOUS SOLUTION

9	2	4	5	6	8	1	7	3
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7	5	1	8	9	2	3	4	6
6	4	9	3	8	5	7	2	1
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HOW TO PLAY:

Each row, column and set of 3-by-3 boxes must contain the numbers 1 through 9 without repetition.

ACROSS

- 1 Mary — Ash
4 Ally opposite
7 Casper's st.
10 High dudgeon
11 UHF part
13 Actor — McKellen
14 Aunt, in Lima
15 Inn
16 XXI times C
17 "Gesundheit!" evoker
19 Fall into disuse
21 Patricia Neal film
22 Drink with scones
23 Paulson or Hyland
26 Coleridge setting
29 "You said it!"
30 Buddhist practice
31 Building extension
33 Chitchat
34 Switch settings

- 35 Thrash with a stick
36 Cuba's capital
39 Egyptian peninsula
40 Summer drink
41 Play a role
42 Flat-tasting
45 Laughed loudly
48 Hankering
49 Uniform
51 Support
53 Startled cry
54 Churchill Downs event
55 "Ted Lasso" character — Kent
56 Mexican Mrs.
57 JAMA readers
58 "Face" or "amble" lead-in

DOWN

- 1 Baby fox
2 Diva's rendition
3 Slangy OK
4 Glut
5 — von Bismarck

Answer to Previous Puzzle

M	A	N	Y		C	P	R		P	U	L	L	
O	L	E	O		H	U	E		A	L	O	E	
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O	K	R	A		E	R	A		R	E	B	A	
R	E	N	T		N	A	B		O	N	Y	X	

- 6 Before, to
7 Cream puff, slangily
8 Edible roots
9 Almost never
11 "I see" (hyph.)
12 Steve or Gracie

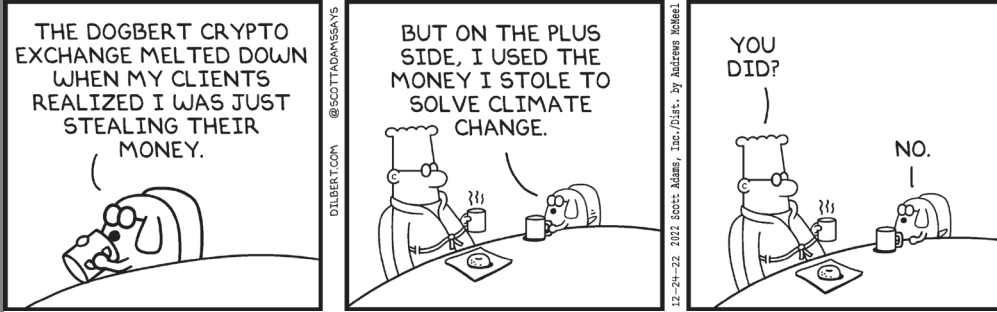
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20 Battery size
22 Basks in the sun
23 Sink downward
24 Delhi nursemaid
25 "Fancy" singer
26 Warrior princess
27 Mr. Koontz
28 Humerus neighbor
30 Sector
32 Luau souvenir
35 Metropolis
37 Panel truck
38 Appended
39 Rough like a snake
41 Graceful horses
42 "So long" and "ciao"
43 Lascivious glance
44 "My Way" songwriter
45 "Hamilton" role
46 Legendary marshal
47 Name in fashion
50 Geometric proof ender
52 Use henna

1	2	3		4	5	6		7	8	9
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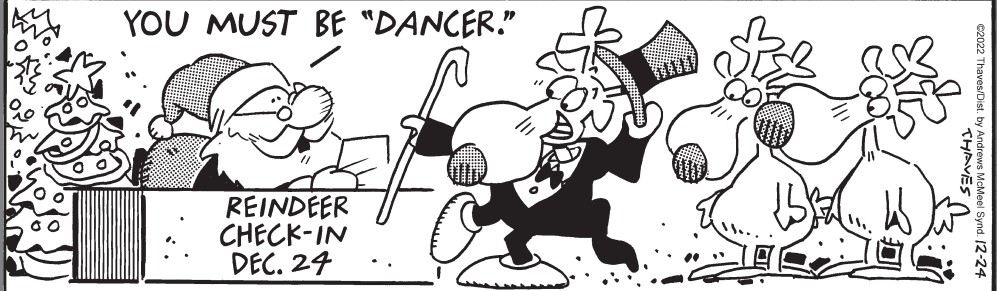
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Local students make Honor Roll at Oregon State University

Names of students who have made the Scholastic Honor Roll Fall 2022 have been announced by Oregon State University. A total of 12,220 earned a B-plus (3.5) or better to make the listing. To be on the Honor Roll, students must carry at least 6 graded hours of course work.

Students on the Honor Roll included:

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Rand P. Black, Senior, Elect & Computer Engineering.

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Sierra N. Belisle, Sophomore, University Exploratory Studies; Derek O. Bell, Sophomore, University Exploratory Studies; Alyssa M. Brook, Senior, Botany; Carson J. Devoe, Junior, University Exploratory Studies; Austin L. Goergen, Senior, Elect & Computer Engineering. Natalie Goering, Junior, Biology; Amanda F. Goodpasture, Junior, Human Devel and Family Science; Jesse J. Gunnell, Post Baccalaureate, Nu-

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Payne promoted to city planner in North Bend



North Bend Public Works Director Ralph Dunham recently announced the promotion of Derek Payne to city planner. Derek is a United States Army veteran who served as a combat engineer.

Since joining the city of North Bend in August 2020 as its permit technician, Derek (pictured left) has tenaciously worked on obtaining his residential plans examiner and residential structural

inspector endorsements as part of the Oregon Inspector Certification process. He is a third-year architecture student with prior experience in public works, carpentry, and as a legal intern.

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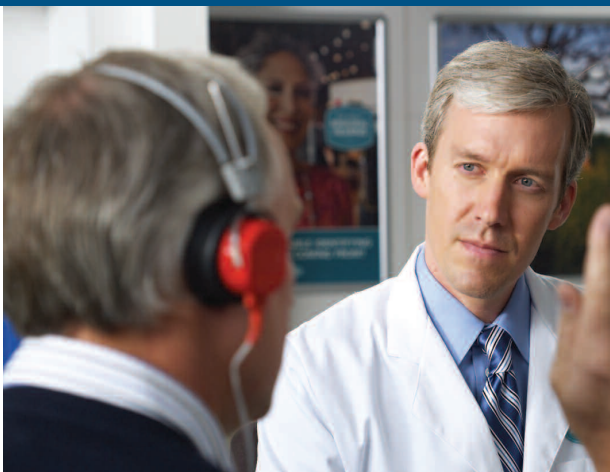
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As I See It: Early automobiles

By MARY SCHAMEHORN

Things that we take for granted today were mere dreams for people who lived in Bandon over a hundred years ago. An editorial, in the July 25, 1911, Bandon Recorder (on the front page) is titled "Automobile Road to Beach."

"Bandon people are getting automobiles at a rapid rate; so fast, in fact, that it is almost impossible to keep track of the large number of new cars that are constantly arriving. This is a good thing as it speaks well for the prosperity of Bandonians, but along with the automobiles, there should be better roads throughout this section of the country, not for the automobiles alone, but for the general good of the public, that farmers might be able to get to town more easily with their produce and thus build up a great farming section here, as this country is capable of doing.

"But what we started out to say was that there should be an automobile road to the beach, and not only an automobile road, but one for general travel. Bandon has the finest beach on the Pacific coast, and, in fact, has the only picturesque one along this section of the coast. This is an asset, the value of which cannot be calculated; all it needs is development, and the way to develop it is to begin a little at a time, and the first thing to be done is to make it easily accessible for the people.

"We have a sidewalk for foot passengers (first photo

of the early-day sidewalk in the jetty area), and all are agreed that this is the best thing that has ever been done for the improvement of the town and benefit of the people, and that the people appreciate it is evidenced by the hundreds, yes, thousands, who are constantly using it. This is especially noticeable on Sundays and holidays, where there is a constant stream of people between the city and the beach (note people walking toward the jetty).

"Now with the sidewalk completed the next thing we need is a good road for automobiles and other vehicles to the beach. What could be nicer than a spin along the beach in an auto, or a nice carriage drawn by prancing steeds?

"There are two routes of easy access, either of which could be put into excellent condition for one hundred dollars or less. One of these is down by the old Bennett place (second picture taken of the Bennett Cottages on the north side of 11th Street at what is now Beach Loop), and the other near the Queen Anne cottage (third photo, south of Bennetts).

"In addition to our own autos and rigs, there are many people from Coos Bay and the up river towns, here in their autos every Sunday, and what an advertisement for Bandon it would be if there was just a road by which they could get down on the beach. Let's get busy and ACT. Who will take the initiative?"

Bandon lost one of its most popular senior citizens

Saturday with the death of 98-year-old Patricia Seidler, mother of City Council President Madeline Seymour.

Patricia moved here in May 2014 after retiring at age 90 from Calaveras Title in San Andreas, Calif. She didn't waste any time getting involved in her new home town, by volunteering at the visitor center, the Bandon History Museum, at the hospital gift shop, Holiday Meals, the VFW Auxiliary, EAT when Alison needed her, and at the Port of Bandon updating their scrapbook. She also spent many days at the Farmers Market administering Oregon's SNAP program, and worked at the Hospital Foundation's annual golf tournament. It was not uncommon for it to get pretty cold in the marketplace building, but Patricia never let it bother her. She always had a smile on her face and a willingness to help people learn about the program.

I got to know and love Patricia, spending several Thanksgivings with Madeline and her (during the shut down of the holiday meals during Covid) and often she joined Madeline and I at dinner at Edgewater's, often along with our good friends Rae Seeley and Geri Prochetto.

Patricia will be missed. We had so hoped that she would make the century mark, but congestive heart failure had other ideas, in spite of maintaining her sharp wit right up to the end.

Becker's Hospital Review, which each hospital board member receives pretty much daily, had an interesting article recently about adult mental health in each state.

Oregon is 47th in the nation for the highest prevalence of mental health (problems) and one of the lowest rates of access to care for adults. The only states with worse records than Oregon when it comes to taking care of the mentally ill are Arizona, Wyoming and Kansas.

Couple that with Oregon being the first state to decriminalize user grade amounts of heroin, meth and cocaine, and the legalization of marijuana, and you have a potential disaster in the making.

A lot of you probably did not even know who our state senator was, but I learned this week that Republican Dallas Heard of Roseburg has resigned the position, effective Jan. 1. He represented District 1, which includes

all of Curry County, southern Coos County, southern Douglas County, western Josephine and the northwesternmost part of Jackson County. In the House, we are represented by David Brock Smith, a Port Orford Republican.

This is not the first time that Heard had stepped down from a political position. In March he resigned as chair of the Oregon Republican Party, with a message, saying that his "physical and spiritual health can no longer survive exposure to the toxicity that can be found in this community.

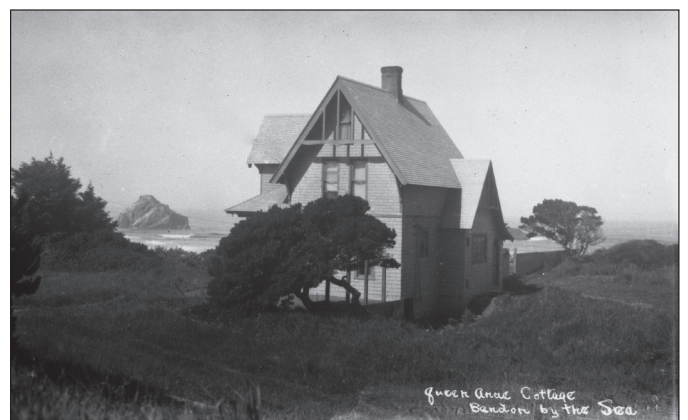
"Communist psychological warfare tactics are being used daily within the party. These tactics are being used to destroy anyone of true character who would oppose the man who introduced them into our community for the last 20 years. The endless slander, gossip, conspiracies, sabotage, lies, hatred, pointless criticism, blocking of ideas, and mutiny brought against my administration has done what I once never thought possible. They have broken my spirit. I can face the Democrats with courage and conviction, but I can't fight my own people, too," said Heard, in his lengthy resignation statement.

He was appointed to the Senate in 2018, after Senator Jeff Kruse, a Roseburg Republican, resigned following sexual harassment allegations. Heard's Senate replacement will be named by county commissioners from District 1.

It wasn't bad enough that I had a two-week bout with Covid back in April, but for a week and a half, I have been pretty much homebound with a miserable head cold. I was able to attend the December meeting of the hospital board via Zoom, but decided not to expose my fellow board members and hospital employees by attending the hospital Christmas party Saturday night, so I stayed home. I hear it was a great event and I am sorry I missed it, but this is not a "gift" I would want to share at Christmastime. This is the first really bad cold I have had in the last several years, and I am pretty sure that can be attributed to the fact that I seldom was in public without a mask for two years. But that, thank heavens, is pretty much a thing of the past. But bad colds aren't

Southern Coos Hospital and Health Center has announced that Dr. Paul Preslar, DO, has joined the clinic staff and is now taking new patients in his family medicine practice. People can call the clinic at 541-329-0154 to make an appointment.

Dr. Preslar and his wife



Photos courtesy of Mary Schamehorn collection

have moved here from Oklahoma and are building a home in Bandon.

Brenda Meade, Coquille Tribal Council chair, told the Bandon City Council recently that there had been "an amazing return of fall Chinook salmon on the Coquille River this year." She said over 150 pair of salmon were collected for broodstock in the Ferry Creek system, breaking the record for the past 20 years.

Meade said the high number of returns brought renewed hope for Bandon, the river, and the Coquille Indian Tribe. In 2020, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW) only collected three pair of returning salmon and there was a talk of possible extinction of the fall Chinook salmon on the Coquille River.

The Tribe reached out to city councilors and county and port commissioners for support and worked to find ways to get the community involved in working toward solutions.

To accommodate more salmon on the River, the problem of invasive species needed to be addressed. In 2021, the Tribe was given a crash course in the use of electric shock boats by ODFW. In 2022, the Tribe, ODFW, the Port of Bandon and others were able to take a large number of invasive fish off the river. The Tribe purchased two boats for this

purpose. She said the Port of Coquille River also made a major contribution to the removal of invasive species when it hosted a small mouth bass derby.

She told of efforts that were taken in 2021, which fell short of reaching the goal of 75 pair of broodstock, with only 24 pair collected that year.

This year, working with ODFW and the community partners, aided by a grant from the Port of Bandon, the Tribe built a new metal trap system for Ferry Creek that really worked. The number of salmon collected meant that the Tribe and the state could start spawning at the Bandon Hatchery. As a result, she said that the hatchery had more eggs than it ever had over a half-million.

The goal, said Meade, is acclimating and setting free approximately 350,000 eggs into the lower basin of the Coquille River and 150,000 smolt into the upper rivers -- the North and South forks.

"It's about restoring our fisheries for everyone, and to have a robust wild and hatchery run on the Coquille River again," she said, thanking the council for recognizing the importance of the salmon to the Coquille Indian Tribe and the Bandon community. "The story really is going to be about how our community really stepped up and made a change," she said.

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Dannenbring fastest in Mac’s Run

Sam Dannenbring of North Bend was the runaway winner of the annual Mac’s Run, held earlier this month in the state parks area near Charleston.

Dannenbring covered the 10-kilometer course, which started at Sunset Bay State Park and included trips through both Shore Acres and Cape Arago state parks, in 34 minutes and 35 seconds.

Josh Goudelock of Coquille was a distant second in 43:15, followed by Ryan Mill of Coos Bay (45:13). Luke Rector of North Bend was fifth overall and first among masters runners (40 and over) in 46:26.

The top female finisher was Katlin Anderson of Coos Bay, who was 10th overall in 50:51. She was followed among female runners by Ellen Kramer, also of Coos Bay, in 53:42, and Ellieana Massey of North Bend in 56:03.

In the 5-kilometer race, 15-year-old Pebble Oliva of Grants Pass was the winner in 20:11. He was one of four teenagers from Grants Pass to finish in the top five. The exception, veteran Myrtle Point runner Jerry Roberts, who is 70 and finished second in 23:40.

The rest of the top five were Jackson Allen (23:56), Addison Allen, the top female finisher (26:18) and Megan Hart (26:19).

A total of 28 runners and walkers completed the 5-kilometer event, which included a trip through Shore Acres State Park.

The run was the last race of the calendar year for the South Coast Running Club, but runners don’t have to wait long in 2023 for the next one.

The annual Bullards Run, which takes place entirely in Bullards Beach State Park, is on Saturday, Jan. 21.

The event, which traditionally has been held on Sunday afternoons this year will be held on Saturday morning, starting at 10 a.m.

Races include both 5-kilometer and 10-kilometer distances, plus a kids fun run. The start line is in the parking lot just past the horse camp turnoff a little distance past the park’s picnic area.

The entry fee for the 10K and 5K races is \$15 for members of the South Coast Running Club who sign up in advance (\$20 on race day) and \$25 for nonmembers who preregister (\$30 on race day). The entry fee for students is \$5.

Both courses will take the runners out to the Coquille River Lighthouse.

For more information on this race and other upcoming South Coast Running Club events, visit www.southcoastrunningclub.org.

10 Kilometers

Top Male: Sam Dannenbring, 34:35.
Top Female: Katlin Anderson, 50:51.

Overall —

1. Sam Dannenbring, North Bend, 34:35;
2. Josh Goudelock, Coquille, 43:15;
3. Ryan Mill, Coos Bay, 45:13;
4. Ben Swank, North Bend, 46:21;
5. Luke Rector, North Bend, 46:26;
6. Ryan Lane, Florence, 46:30;
7. Brandon Stinson, North Bend, 47:26;
8. Patrick Bringardner, Coos Bay, 49:41;
9. A. Pedrini, Coos Bay, 50:23;
10. Katlin Anderson, Coos Bay, 50:51;
11. Ellen Kramer, Coos Bay, 53:42;
12. Kent Sharman, North Bend, 53:42;
13. Ellieana Massey, North Bend, 56:03;
14. Amarissa Wooden, Coos Bay, 56:05;
15. Chris Amaral, North Bend, 1:00:00;
16. Dan Robertson, North Bend, 1:01:52;
17. Jim Littles, Bandon, 1:03:11;
18. Drew Jones, Coos Bay, 1:05:33;
19. Maurene Aakre, Coos Bay, 1:42:25.

5 Kilometers

Top Male: Pebble Oliva, 20:11.
Top Female: Addison Allen, 26:18.

Overall —

1. Pebble Oliva, Grants Pass, 20:11;
2. Jerry Roberts, Myrtle Point, 23:40;
3. Jackson Allen, Grants Pass, 23:56;
4. Addison Allen, Grants Pass, 26:18;
5. Megan Hart, Grants Pass, 26:19;
6. J. Legutki, Bandon, 26:32;
7. Travis Parker, 26:48;
8. P. Godsiff, Coos Bay, 27:07;
9. Heather Allen, Grants Pass, 27:26;
10. Ron Hansen, 29:38;
11. Liam Stroud, North Bend, 30:07;
12. Lucas Stroud, North Bend, 30:133;
13. Sara Buskerud, North Bend, 30:16;
14. Deidre Taylor, 30:53;
15. Adam Ferriss, Bandon, 31:04;
16. Olivia Ferriss, Bandon, 31:10;
17. R. Lane, Florence, 33:41;
18. M. Lane, Florence, 33:46;
19. Jessica Lane, Florence, 33:48;
20. Roger Willis, 35:43;
21. Tiffany Hubbard, Coos Bay, 36:53;
22. Sandra Merritt, Coos Bay, 37:39;
23. Nora Rector, North Bend, 40:00;
24. Leah Rector, North Bend, 40:01;
25. Patrick Myers, North Bend, 41:49;
26. Jesse Loper, 44:00;
27. Ali McGeehon, Coos Bay, 44:46;
28. Vicki Francis, Coquille, 53:41.

Vigue has quadruple-double in Coquille win

Coquille sophomore Holli Vigue recorded a rare quadruple-double during the Red Devils’ win over North Bend in the opening round of the Creswell tournament on Tuesday.

Vigue finished with 19 points, 11 rebounds, 12 assists and 14 steals in Coquille’s 54-42 win over the Bulldogs.

The point guard had one triple-double during her freshman year for the Red Devils.

Trinidy Blanton added 13 points and Alexi Lucatero and Izabella Trujillo scored eight points each.

The Red Devils were coming off the team title in the Boomer Bash at Toledo on Saturday, when they beat the host school 54-21 in the championship game. Vigue had 17 points and Blanton 13 in that win.

Lennon Riddle had 11 points to lead North Bend against Coquille.

Coquille played host Creswell in the championship game Wednesday (results were not available). Creswell beat Oakridge 69-31.

BANDON 57, LOWELL 26: The Tigers opened the Coast Valley League schedule with a road win over the Red Devils on Tuesday.

“We played really well and started league off right,” Bandon coach Jordan Sammons said. “I’m proud of the girls and our effort.”

Katelyn Senn had 20 points and Olivia Thompson 18 for the Tigers, who improved to 6-1 heading into Thursday’s home showdown against Central Linn (results were not available). Bandon plays Mapleton in the opening round of the Bandon Dunes Holiday Invitational on Dec. 28.

Amerika Baszler had 10 points for Lowell.

The other girls scores from the first day of league play were Central Linn 57, Gold Beach 31; Toledo 47, Reedsport 9; Monroe 46, Oakland 29; and East Linn Christian 36, Illinois Valley 22. Oakridge beat Waldport 59-40 on Monday.

POWERS 40, RIDDLE 10: The Cruisers stayed

perfect on the year by beating the Irish in a nonleague game Tuesday at home.

Powers, which improved to 5-0 faces junior varsity teams from bigger schools in its next three outings, Thursday against North Bend (results weren’t available) and Dec. 29 and Jan. 3 against Marshfield (the latter in Coos Bay) before opening league play Jan. 6 against Days Creek.

CRATER 59, MARSHFIELD 34: The Pirates dropped to 5-4 on the season when they fell to the Class 5A Comets at home on Monday night.

Marshfield hosted Pleasant Hill on Thursday (results weren’t available) and will face Jefferson in the opening round of the SCTC Holiday Classic at Stayton on Wednesday.

SOUTH WASCO COUNTY 55, MYRTLE POINT 51: The Bobcats came up just short in the opening round of the Tall Timbers Basketball Tournament at North Douglas High School on Tuesday.

The event, a Class 1A showcase tournament, also included Elkton, Trinity Lutheran, Country Christian, Crosspoint Christian, Days Creek and the host Warriors. The four teams from the Skyline League did not play each other.

Myrtle Point fell to Country Christian 41-29 on Monday. The Bobcats face East Linn Christian on Dec. 28 in the Bandon Dunes Holiday Invitational.

BOYS BANDON 55, LOWELL 51: The Tigers won their opener in the Valley Coast Conference on Tuesday, improving to 5-2 overall.

Bandon also played Central Linn on Thursday (results weren’t available) and face Mapleton in the opening round of the Bandon Dunes Holiday Invitational on Dec. 28.

The league’s other scores from Tuesday were Gold Beach over Central Linn 73-62; Toledo 48, Reedsport 43; East Linn Christian 70, Illinois Valley 38; and Oakland 45, Monroe 40. Waldport beat Oakridge 50-35 on Monday.

Gold Beach, Oakland and East Linn Christian all are 6-1 and Central Linn is 4-2 as the league enters the bulk of its schedule.

NORTH BEND 60, COQUILLE 56: The Bulldogs beat the Red Devils in the opening round of the Creswell tournament on Tuesday after Coquille erased a 10-point deficit to force overtime.

Paolo Flores hit five of six free throws in the extra session and scored seven points for North Bend. Jalen Riddle had 15 points; Payton Forrester hit three 3-pointers and scored 13 and Jason Padgett had 11 for the Bulldogs.

Dean Tucker had 14 points, Gardner Scolari 13, Hunter Layton 12 and Hayden GeDeros 10 for Coquille, which lost its third game by four or fewer points and fell to 3-5 overall. The Red Devils went just 12-for-29 from the foul line (North Bend made 14 of 23).

North Bend played host Creswell in the championship game Wednesday (results were not available) and Coquille faced Sutherlin in the consolation game.

North Bend hosts Douglas on Friday while Coquille is at Monroe on Dec. 28.

CRATER 72, MARSHFIELD 63: The Pirates fell at home to the Comets on Monday, falling to 4-4 overall heading into the Stayton tournament. They face Scappoose in the opening round Wednesday.

RIDDLE 59, POWERS 40: The Irish beat the Cruisers in a nonleague game on Tuesday.

Tucker Halstead had 28 points and Leo Lopez 14 for Riddle. Tayton Allen and Charlie Shorb led the Cruisers with 15 each.

COUNTRY CHRISTIAN 65, MYRTLE POINT 51: The Bobcats fell to Country Christian in the Tall Timbers Tournament at North Douglas High School.

Their other game in the tournament was canceled and they next play East Linn Christian in the opening round of the Bandon Dunes Holiday Invitational on Dec. 28.

THIS WEEK IN COOS COUNTY HISTORY

100 YEARS – 1922

TWO COUGARS ARE SEEN NEAR SCHOOL

R. Lyle reports large varmints in city limits

Saw them on South Tenth Street bridge within two blocks of high school

R. Lyle, who lives on South Twelfth street, reported today that he had seen two large cougars at the end of the South Tenth street bridge, about two blocks west of Marshfield high school.

It was about 9:30 o’clock and he was walking down across the street. The animals detected him before he saw them but they did not appear to be badly frightened. They trotted off into the brush west of the high school building.

Mr. Lyle said they were as large as good-sized dogs. He said that families should be warned as cougars will attack a person and he feared that a child might be the victim of them.

ASK INCREASE IN PHONE RATES

Coos & Curry Co. file request for advance

Business phones to cost \$1 per month more — say improvements necessitate it

The Coos & Curry Telephone Co. announces it has filed a request with the Oregon Public Service commission for an increase in rates which they state is necessary to meet the cost of improvements made.

The proposed increase is \$1 per month on business telephones and fifty cents per month on one and two-party residence phones and 25 cents per month on four-party residence lines.

Manager E.W. Gates yesterday issued the following statement in connection with the matter:

“Many improvements are proposed for 1923 on Coos Bay by the Coos and Curry Telephone Company. Additional cables in Marshfield and North Bend and more trunking facilities between the two towns are necessary and it is proposed to spend \$16,000 on this improvement. They are also planning to install a new semi-automatic switchboard at North Bend at a cost of about \$15,000.

“This proposed board will have all the automatic features of the Marshfield switchboard including automatic ringing, keyless listening, secrecy service, instantaneous recall, etc. It is also planned to change the telephones to harmonic ringing where by four parties or more may be called on a line without disturbing the

other bells. There have been many favorable comments made on this progressive move.

50 YEARS – 1972

BABY SHARKS RAISED BY STUDENTS AT MARSHFIELD

Students in the Marshfield High School oceanography class helped rescue several baby sharks after the dying mother was donated by a commercial fisherman for class study.

Fishermen in the area often contribute specimens to the class for dissection, but usually at the end of a long fishing trip when the fish are dead, according to class instructor George Tinker.

But in this case, the fisherman returned to harbor and the small dogfish shark was still alive, though barely. She was ready to give birth to what turned out to be about a dozen babies, or pups.

The students kept four or five for the salt water aquarium to see how long the young sharks could be kept alive and to study their habits.

Most of the sharks are captured in fishing nets about this time of year and most females are pregnant, he said, with their pups in varying stages of development.

Sharks all give live birth, Tinker said, as do baby perch.

EVACUATIONS ON OREGON’S COAST

Another storm front

By United Press International
Flood waters covered roads and forced evacuation of about a dozen persons along the Oregon Coast Thursday but by this morning the water was receding and all major routes were open.

The National Weather Service posted high tide and storm warnings, however, as another Pacific front approached Oregon.

In Eastern Oregon high winds blew down timber around John Day, blocking several side roads. U.S. 26 was blocked by a slide at Picture Gorge near its junction with Oregon 19 about 30 miles west of John Day, Oregon State Police reported.

The Washington coast was harder hit than Oregon by the heavy rains as most Washington rivers west of the Cascades neared or passed flood stage and high tides broke a levee on the Chehalis River south of Aberdeen. The Army Corps of Engineers declared Western Washington a flood flight area.

In Oregon, the corps alerted flood fighting teams in Portland, Eugene, Albany, Corvallis and Salem.

THIS WEEK IN COOS COUNTY HISTORY

Most serious flooding in Oregon Thursday was in Tillamook County where U.S. Highway 101 and State Highway 6 were closed for several hours by thigh-deep waters.

20 YEARS – 2002

CARISSA OWNERS SEEK MISTRIAL

COQUILLE — As much as state officials might wish the New Carissa’s stern would go away, it hasn’t.

Not only is the nuisance still rusting in the surf off Coos Bay’s North Spit, the attorneys for the ship’s owner are bedeviling the state’s lawyers in court. Their actions follow the six-week trial that ended Nov. 25, when a Coos County jury entered a judgment against the grounded wood chip freighter’s owners and operators. Jurors awarded the state \$25 in damages and ordered the state to remove the remaining shipwreck that’s been mired in sand since February 1999.

Attorneys representing the Taiheiyo Kaiun Co. Ltd. And its subsidiaries have 30 days to appeal the November verdict, but in the meantime are demanding a new trial.

The motion filed earlier this month is a procedural step, not atypical in civil cases.

RESORT DRIVES FOR SUCCESS

Expansion on the horizon

Construction: Bandon Dunes confirms plans to add a third, fourth golf courses at current site

BANDON — Let there be no more speculation. Officials at the Bandon Dunes golf resort this week confirmed that a third, inland 18-hole course will be built at the resort and that a fourth course also is in the works.

The first project, a woodlands course inland from the ocean, likely would open sometime in 2005. The second, to the north of the existing Bandon Dunes and Pacific Dunes courses, would probably be a links-style course similar to the first two, but that development likely

will be pushed six or more years into the future.

Construction of both courses depends on a number of things, including the timeline of the resort’s majority owner Mike Keiser. It also requires the Coos County Commissioner approve a request by Keiser and his partners to have 925 acres, mostly consisting of forest land, added to the resort.

The plans for the resort’s expansion were announced Monday night during an open house at Bandon Dunes. That meeting, a chance for the public to see the concept, drew about 75 community members.

For golf fans, it was good news, indeed. Golfers have speculated a third course would be developed at the resort because of the success of Bandon Dunes and Pacific Dunes.

Both existing courses have received extensive praise since their openings in 1999 (Bandon Dunes) and 2001 (Pacific Dunes). Each has been at the top of the list of new upscale courses and each is listed among the top 10 resort courses in the United States by at least one publication. Both are considered among the top 50 courses of any type in the United States and top 100 in the world by one magazine.

LOONEY FINISHES 21ST AT NATIONALS

Myrtle Point student Lacy Looney finished 21st in her division at the Junior Olympic National Cross Country Championships in Carrollton Ga., last weekend.

Looney, a 13-year-old eighth-grader competing in the youth girls (13-14) division, was timed in 15:58 for the 4,000-meter race. The winner of the race ran 15:10.

Looney, who runs for the South Coast club Zephyrs, qualified for nationals by finishing second in the regional meet.

By finishing in the top 25 in the 268-runner field, she earned a chance to go to the award ceremony that night.

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Currently hiring for a full time mechanic, 1 year experience preferred. Please visit 580 N Central Blvd. Coquille, OR 97423 or call (541) 396-5571 for more information and to apply.

Budget Committee Openings
Bandon School District announces openings on its Budget Committee, for a three year term expiring 6/30/2026. The Budget Committee reviews the District's budget and recommends needed changes. The Committee conducts business in evening public meetings held between May and June. The Budget Committee also approves the Budget Document and forwards it to the School Board for adoption by the end of June. Interested people who are registered voters living within the district boundary should submit a letter of interest postmarked by 12/31/22. Please include the following in your letter:
1. Name
2. Address
3. Phone number
4. E-mail
5. Why do you want to serve on the budget committee?
6: What skills and experience you have that would benefit the committee.
Please address the letter to Bandon School District, 455 9th Street SW, Bandon, OR 97411, or email letter to rach-elh@bandon.k12.or.us
If you wish to know more about the Bandon School District's Budget Committee and its work, please call Business Manager, Amanda Looney, at 541-347-4411.

The Curry County Circuit Court is hiring a new Curry County Supervisor (OJD Supervisor 3) to join the team. To learn more and apply, please follow this link: <https://tinyurl.com/pknnr6mz>

604 Recreational Vehicles

BUYING RVs. Gib's RV is looking for clean pre-owned RVs to buy/consign. No fee consignments. We make house calls. 541-888-3424.

736 Pets

ANIMAL CREMATORY
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BANDON MINI-STORAGE. Temp. controlled RV & boat storage. 50317 Hwy. 101 South. 541-347-1190. **BANDON E-Z STORAGE.** Affordable plus Boat/RV. 370 11th St. SE, 541-347-9629. **BANDON MINI-STORAGE,** temp controlled, 88371 Hwy. 42S, 541-347-5040. **Ask for Manager's Special.**

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FOR RENT: A one-bedroom apartment with a view of the water is available for rent. High vaulted ceilings. Lots of windows. This apartment is built on top of a garage. Close to beach access. Located on the west side of Beach Loop Road. The apartment is semi-furnished, with a sofa, matching chair, and a queen bed. The landlord pays for cable, water, electricity, and garbage. There are no pets and no smoking allowed. Off street parking \$1,500. Call 925-381-0689.

900 Real Estate/Trade

VACANT LAND FOR SALE
Located at the Jetty Road area, two listings! A 1.48-acre parcel that are 3 separate tax lots offered at **\$398,500.** Also, a separate 0.41 parcel for **\$145,500.** Combined, they would be almost 2 Acres for either single residences or a multi-unit development. Both parcels have views of the Lighthouse, Bay/River, 2nd story residences could offer some ocean views. Call Principal Broker **Dan Cirigliano, 541.297.2427 at PACIFIC PROPERTIES**

1.23 acres just east of town. End of the road. Completely private and lush. If you like close in, yet private, with lots of trees - this is the building site for you! Offered at \$180,000.

Call Keeli Gernandt, David L Davis Real Estate 541-297-9535.

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BEACH LOOP HOMESITE \$175,000 easy owner financing.

ABANDONED GOODS Commercial Building 1600 sq ft. Corner of Hwy 42 and 101. \$299,000

Call for complimentary no cost neighborhood evaluation of your home or land.

Fred Gernandt, Broker David L. Davis Real Estate 1110 Alabama SE 541 290 9444

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TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE T.S. No.: **OR-22-943667-BB** Reference is made to that certain deed made by, **ALEX SHILOFF** as Grantor to **TICOR TITLE COMPANY OF OREGON**, as trustee, in favor of **SOUTH PACIFIC FINANCIAL CORP DBA NORTH PACIFIC FINANCIAL CORP**, as Beneficiary, dated **10/8/2015**, recorded **10/13/2015**, in official records of **COOS County**, Oregon as fee/file/instrument/microfilm/reception number **2015-009269** and subsequently assigned or transferred by operation of law to **OREGON HOUSING & COMMUNITY SERVICES** covering the following described real property situated in said County, and State. **APN: 734671 27S1336-BD-03200** THE NORTH 80 FEET OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY: BEGINNING AT A POINT WHICH IS 596 FEET EAST AND 316 FEET NORTH OF THE SOUTHWEST CORNER OF THE EAST 1/2 OF THE Northwest 1/4 OF SECTION 36, TOWNSHIP 27 SOUTH, RANGE 13 WEST OF THE WILLAMETTE MERIDIAN, COOS COUNTY, OREGON; RUNNING THENCE NORTH 160 FEET; THENCE EAST 110 FEET; THENCE SOUTH 180 FEET; THENCE WEST 110 FEET; THENCE NORTH 20 FEET TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING. Commonly known as: 1643 N DOGWOOD ST, COQUILLE, OR 97423-1014 .The undersigned hereby certifies that based upon business records there are no known written assignments of the trust deed by the trustee or by the beneficiary, except as recorded in the records of the county or counties in which the above described real property is situated. Further, no action has been instituted to recover the debt, or any part thereof, now remaining secured by the trust deed, or, if such action has been instituted, such action has been dismissed except as permitted by ORS 86.752(7). Both the beneficiary and the trustee have elected to sell the said real property to satisfy the obligations secured by said trust deed and notice has been recorded pursuant to Section 86.752(3) of Oregon Revised Statutes. There is a default by grantor or other person owing an obligation, performance of which is secured by the trust deed, or by the successor in interest, with respect to provisions therein which authorize sale in the event of such provision. The default for which foreclosure is made is grantor's failure to pay when due the following sum: TOTAL REQUIRED TO REINSTATE: \$42,490.30 TOTAL REQUIRED TO PAYOFF: \$185,643.56 Because of interest, late charges, and other charges that may vary from day-to-day, the amount due on the day you pay may be greater. It will be necessary for you to contact the Trustee before the time you tender reinstatement or the payoff amount so that you may be advised of the exact amount you will be required to pay. By reason of the default, the beneficiary has declared all sums owing on the obligation secured by the trust deed immediately due and payable, those sums being the following, to- wit:

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The installments of principal and interest which became due on 8/1/2019, and all subsequent installments of principal and interest through the date of this Notice, plus amounts that are due (if applicable) for late charges, delinquent property taxes, insurance premiums, advances made on senior liens, taxes and/or insurance, trustee's fees, and any attorney fees and court costs arising from or associated with the beneficiaries efforts to protect and preserve its security, all of which must be paid as a condition of reinstatement, including all sums that shall accrue through reinstatement or pay-off. Nothing in this notice shall be construed as a waiver of any fees owing to the Beneficiary under the Deed of Trust pursuant to the terms of the loan documents. Whereof, notice hereby is given that **QUALITY LOAN SERVICE CORPORATION OF WASHINGTON**, the undersigned trustee will on **3/14/2023** at the hour of **11:00 AM**, Standard of Time, as established by section 187.110, Oregon Revised Statutes, **At the Main Entrance to the Coos County Courthouse, located at 250 NorthBaxter Street, Coquille, OR 97423** County of COOS, State of Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the interest in the said described real property which the grantor had or had power to convey at the time of the execution by him of the said trust deed, together with any interest which the grantor or his successors in interest acquired after the execution of said trust deed, to satisfy the foregoing obligations thereby secured and the costs and expenses of sale, including a reasonable charge by the trustee. Notice is further given that any person named in Section 86.778 of Oregon Revised Statutes has the right to have the foreclosure proceeding dismissed and the trust deed reinstated by payment to the beneficiary of the entire amount then due (other than such portion of said principal as would not then be due had no default occurred), together with the costs, trustee's and attorney's fees and curing any other default complained of in the Notice of Default by tendering the performance required under the obligation or trust deed, at any time prior to five days before the date last set for sale. Other than as shown of record, neither the beneficiary nor the trustee has any actual notice of any person having or claiming to have any lien upon or interest in the real property hereinabove described subsequent to the interest of the trustee in the trust deed, or of any successor in interest to grantor or of any lessee or other person in possession of or occupying the property, except: Name and Last Known Address and Nature of Right, Lien or Interest **ALEX SHILOFF 1643 N DOGWOOD ST COQUILLE, OR 97423-1014** Original Borrower **For Sale Information Call: 800-280-2832 or Login to: www.auction.com** In construing this notice, the singular includes the plural, the word "grantor" includes any successor in interest to this grantor as well as any other

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person owing an obligation, the performance of which is secured by the trust deed, and the words "trustee" and "beneficiary" include their respective successors in interest, if any. Pursuant to Oregon Law, this sale will not be deemed final until the Trustee's deed has been issued by **QUALITY LOAN SERVICE CORPORATION OF WASHINGTON**. If any irregularities are discovered within 10 days of the date of this sale, the trustee will rescind the sale, return the buyer's money and take further action as necessary. If the sale is set aside for any reason, including if the Trustee is unable to convey title, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the monies paid to the Trustee. This shall be the Purchaser's sole and exclusive remedy. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Trustor, the Trustee, the Beneficiary, the Beneficiary's Agent, or the Beneficiary's Attorney. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holders right's against the real property only. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. **Without limiting the trustee's disclaimer of representations or warranties, Oregon law requires the trustee to state in this notice that some residential property sold at a trustee's sale may have been used in manufacturing methamphetamines, the chemical components of which are known to be toxic. Prospective purchasers of residential property should be aware of this potential danger before deciding to place a bid for this property at the trustee's sale. NOTICE TO TENANTS: TENANTS OF THE SUBJECT REAL PROPERTY HAVE CERTAIN PROTECTIONS AFFORDED TO THEM UNDER ORS 86.782 AND POSSIBLY UNDER FEDERAL LAW. ATTACHED TO THIS NOTICE OF SALE, AND INCORPORATED HEREIN, IS A NOTICE TO TENANTS THAT SETS FORTH SOME OF THE PROTECTIONS THAT ARE AVAILABLE TO A TENANT OF THE SUBJECT REAL PROPERTY AND WHICH SETS FORTH CERTAIN REQUIRMENTS THAT MUST BE COMPLIED WITH BY ANY TENANT IN ORDER TO OBTAIN THE AFFORDED PROTECTION, AS REQUIRED UNDER ORS 86.771.** TS No: OR-22-943667-BB Dated: 10/31/2022 **Quality Loan Service Corporation of Washington, as Trustee** Signature By: **Jeff Stenman, President** Trustee's Mailing Address: Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington 108 1 st Ave South, Suite 450, Seattle, WA 98104 Toll Free: (866) 925-0241 Trustee's Physical Address: Quality Loan Service Corp. of Washington 108 1 st Ave South, Suite 450, Seattle, WA 98104 Toll Free: (866) 925-0241 IDSPub #0181973 12/2/2022 12/9/2022 12/16/2022 12/23/2022 The World & ONPA (ID:352460)

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SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION Case No.: 22CV38681 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF COOS U.S. BANK TRUST NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY BUT SOLELY AS OWNER TRUSTEE FOR GS MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES TRUST 2018-RPL1, Plaintiff, vs. UN-KNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF MARSHA DENESE GALLINO AKA MARSHA D GALLINO AKA MARSHA GALLINO; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF ROGER DALE GALLINO AKA ROGER D GALLINO AKA ROGER GALLINO; GREG GALLINO; SARAH GALLINO; OCCUPANTS OF THE PROPERTY, Defendants. **To: UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF MARSHA DENESE GALLINO AKA MARSHA D GALLINO AKA MARSHA GALLINO; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF ROGER DALE GALLINO AKA ROGER D GALLINO AKA ROGER GALLINO; OCCUPANTS OF THE PROPERTY** You are hereby required to appear and defend the Complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause within thirty (30) days from the date of service of this summons upon you, and in case of your failure to do so, for want thereof, Plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the Complaint. **NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: READ THESE PAPERS CAREFULLY!** You must "appear" in this case or the other side will win automatically. To "appear" you must file with the court a legal paper called a "motion" or "answer." The "motion" or "answer" (or "reply") must be given to the court clerk or administrator within 30 days of the date of first publication specified herein along with the required filing fee. It must be in proper form and have proof of service on the plaintiff's attorney or, if the plaintiff does not have an attorney, proof of service on the plaintiff. If you have questions, you should see an attorney immediately. If you need help in finding an attorney, you may call the Oregon State Bar's Lawyer Referral Service at (503) 684-3763 or toll-free in Oregon at (800) 452-7636. If you are a veteran of the armed forces, assistance may be available from a county veterans' service officer or community action agency. Contact information for a local county veterans' service officer and community action agency may be obtained by calling the 2-1-1 information service. Additionally, contact information for a service officer appointed under ORS 408.410 for the county in which you live and contact information for a community action agency that serves your area can be found by visiting the following link: <https://www.oregon.gov/odva/services/pages/county-services.aspx> and selecting your county. You can also access a list of Veterans Services for all Oregon counties by visiting the following link: <https://www.oregon.gov/odva/Services/Pages/All-Services-Statewide.aspx>. **The relief sought in the Complaint is the foreclosure of the property located at 620 C Street, Myrtle Point, OR 97458. Date of First Publication: 12/23/2022 McCarthy & Holthus, LLP s/ Michael Scott _ John Thomas OSB No. 024691 X Michael Scott OSB No. 973947 920 SW 3rd Ave, 1st Floor Portland, OR 97204 Phone: (971) 201-3200 Fax: (971) 201-3202 mscott@mccarthyholthus.com Of Attorneys for Plaintiff IDSPub #0182689 12/23/2022 12/30/2022 1/6/2023 1/13/2023 The World & ONPA (ID:354415)**

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SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION Case No.: 22CV27211 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF COOS NATIONSTAR MORTGAGE LLC, Plaintiff, vs. UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF ROBERT A EDWARDS AKA ROBERT ALAN EDWARDS AKA ROBERT EDWARDS; JULIE SIMER; STATE OF OREGON; OCCUPANTS OF THE PROPERTY; Defendants. To: **UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF ROBERT A EDWARDS AKA ROBERT ALAN EDWARDS AKA ROBERT EDWARDS** You are hereby required to appear and defend the Complaint filed against you in the above entitled cause within thirty (30) days from the date of service of this summons upon you, and in case of your failure to do so, for want thereof, Plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the Complaint. **NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: READ THESE PAPERS CAREFULLY!** You must “appear” in this case or the other side will win automatically. To “appear” you must file with the court a legal paper called a “motion” or “answer.” **The “motion” or “answer” (or “reply”) must be given to the court clerk or administrator within 30 days of the date of first publication specified herein along with the required filing fee.** It must be in proper form and have proof of service on the plaintiff’s attorney or, if the plaintiff does not have an attorney, proof of service on the plaintiff. If you have questions, you should see an attorney immediately. If you need help in finding an attorney, you may call the Oregon State Bar’s Lawyer Referral Service at (503) 684-3763 or toll-free in Oregon at (800) 452-7636. If you are a veteran of the armed forces, assistance may be available from a county veterans’ service officer or community action agency. Contact information for a local county veterans’ service officer and community action agency may be obtained by calling the 2-1-1 information service. Additionally, contact information for a service officer appointed under ORS 408.410 for the county in which you live and contact information for a community action agency that serves your area can be found by visiting the following link: <https://www.oregon.gov/odva/services/pages/county-services.aspx> and selecting your county. You can also access a list of Veterans Services for all Oregon counties by visiting the following link: <https://www.oregon.gov/odva/Services/Pages/All-Services-Statewide.aspx>. **The relief sought in the Complaint is the foreclosure of the property located at 511 9TH AVE, COOS BAY, OR 97420. Date of First Publication: 10/18/2022 McCarthy & Holthus, LLP** s/Grace Chu _John Thomas OSB No. 024691 _Michael Scott OSB No. 973947 _Grace Chu OSB NO. 220848 920 SW 3rd Ave, 1st Floor Portland, OR 97204 Phone: (971) 201-3200 Fax: (971) 201-3202 gchu@mccarthyholthus.com Of Attorneys for Plaintiff IDSPub #0182594 12/16/2022, 12/23/2022, 12/30/2022, 1/6/2023 The World & ONPA (ID:354118)

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF COOS
Probate Department
In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN M. WARNER. Deceased.
Case No. 22PB10410
NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Mary Warner has been appointed personal representative. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with vouchers attached, to the personal representative at: 1530 SW Taylor Street, Portland, OR 97205, within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, the personal representative, or the attorneys for the personal representative. Dated and first published on December 9, 2022.
/s/ Mary Warner
Personal Representative
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE
Mary Warner
ATTORNEYS FOR PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE:
Scott Howard OSB No. 790583
Kivel & Howard, LLP
1530 SW Taylor Street,
Portland, OR 97205
Tel: (503) 796-0909
Fax : (503) 802-4757
Email: showard@k-hlaw.com
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF COOS
In the Matter of the Estate of: KOREE NICOLE FORRESTER, Deceased.
Case No. 22PB07098
INFORMATION TO INTERESTED PERSONS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that KALE FORRESTER has been appointed personal representative. All persons having claims against the estate of KOREE NICOLE FORRESTER are required to present them, with vouchers attached, to the personal representative at 2410 Union Ave., North Bend, OR 97459, or through his attorney, Nathan B. McClintock, at PO Box 1178, Coos Bay, OR 97420, or in person at 936 Central Avenue, Coos Bay, Oregon, within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, the personal representative, or the lawyer for the personal representative, Nathan B. McClintock. Dated and first published on the 23rd day of December, 2022.
/s/Nathan B. McClintock, OSB #841520
Attorney for Personal Representative
Personal Representative:
Kale Forrester
2410 Union Ave., North Bend, OR 97459 (541) 404-0719
Lawyer for Personal Representative
Nathan McClintock
PO Box 1178
Coos Bay, OR 97420
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NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS
ESTATE OF JUDITH C. REICHERT
COOS COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT CASE NO. 22PB10371
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Timothy D. Thoren has been appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Judith C. Reichert, deceased. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with written evidence thereof attached, to the Personal Representative c/o Patrick Terry, PO Box 630, Coos Bay, OR 97420. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them within four months after the date of first publication of this notice to the Personal Representative at the address stated above for the presentation of claims or such claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court or the Personal Representative named above. Dated and first published on December 9, 2022.
Attorney for Personal Representative:
Patrick M. Terry, OSB #025730
PO Box 630
Coos Bay, OR 97420
(541) 756-2056
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NOTICE OF SHERIFF’S SALE
On January 23rd, 2023, at the hour of 10:00am at the front door of the Coos County Sheriff’s Office, 250 N. Baxter St; Coquille, the defendant’s interest will be sold, subject to redemption, in the real property commonly known as: 69147 and 69148 Saint Dennis Road, North Bend, Oregon 97459. The court case number is 22CV16611, where WILLIAM A. MAZE, TRUSTEE OF THE FRED AND CHARLOTTE MAZE TRUSTDECEDENT’S TRUST AND WILLIAM A. MAZE, SUCCESSOR TRUSTEE OF THE FRED AND CHARLOTTE MAZE TRUST-SUVIVOR’S TRUST is plaintiff, and KEEGAN JAMES COOPER dba KB COOPER TRUCKING, PARTIES IN POSSESSION, AND ALL OTHER PERSONS OR PARTIES UNKNOWN CLAIMING ANY RIGHT, TITLE, LIEN OR INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED HEREIN is defendant. The sale is a public auction to the highest bidder for cash or cashier’s check, in hand, made out to Coos County Sheriff’s Office. For more information on this sale go to: <http://oregonsheriffssales.org>
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF OREGON FOR COOS COUNTY
In the Matter of the Estate of WILLARD JUDSON COX Deceased.
Case No. 22PB08914
NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Ivan McCoy has been appointed and has qualified as Successor Personal Representative of the above estate. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby required to present the claim, with proper documentation, within four months after the date of first publication of this Notice, as stated below, to the Successor Personal Representative at the office of GOULD LAW FIRM P.C., 243 W. Commercial, P.O. Box 29, Coos Bay, Oregon, 97420, or the claim may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings in this estate may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, 250 N. Baxter, Coquille, Oregon 97423, the Successor Personal Representative or the attorney for the Successor Personal Representative. Dated and first published: December 23, 2022
Ivan McCoy
Successor Personal Representative
937 Sanford St.
Coos Bay, OR 97420
(541)252- 5855
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Public Auction
The Fortress Self Storage
1503 Ocean Blvd NW
Coos Bay, OR 97420
541-888-5521
The following units will be sold at Public Auction
Unit #274 Barbara Ross Unit #054 Case Harris Unit #058 Case Harris Unit #273 Case Harris
Starting January 10, 2023, at 9:00 am
Ending January 17, 2023, at 9:00 am
for non-payment of rent and other fees. Auction to be pursuant to Auction Rules and Procedures for Truax Holdings. Rules are available at the facility office.
All bidding will take place ONLINE at bid13.com
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AA Meetings

Interested in Bandon AA meetings?

Contact: (541) 347-1720
AA-District30-Area58.org/bandon.htm

Friday:
12:00pm: Survivors Group
Holy Trinity Catholic Church
355 Oregon Ave SE

6:00pm: Women's Meeting
Holy Trinity Catholic Church
355 Oregon Ave SE

Saturday:
12:00pm: Survivors Group
Holy Trinity Catholic Church
355 Oregon Ave SE

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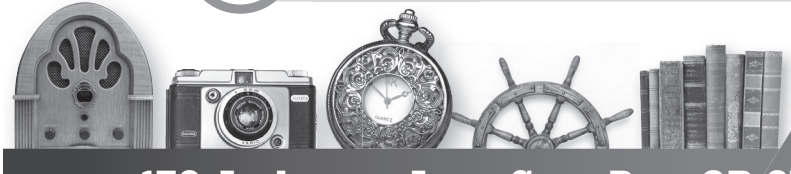
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Heard endorses Brock Smith to take Senate seat

Just days after he announced he was retiring from the Legislature at the end of the year, State

Sen. Dallas Heard announced he was endorsing State Rep. David Brock Smith to be his replacement. Heard announced he was retiring from the Senate to spend more time with his family. He was elected to serve in the State House in 2015 and appointed to the Senate in 2018.

"It has been an honor to have been chosen to be the voice for the people I have grown up knowing and loving," said Heard. "Our district has seen many challenges over the years, and I have always given my all to meet them with faith and the peoples best interest in my heart. Representative Brock Smith has brought years of passionate devotion and legislative success to his native region of the coast while serving in the

House of Representatives. I have always said that David is unequivocally the hardest working legislator in the State of Oregon and that remains true to this day. I fully support the good representative in succeeding me as the next senator for District 1 and encourage the people to grant him that opportunity. I firmly believe David is the champion we need to replace me as the voice of southwest Oregon." said Senator Heard. Brock Smith has served in the Oregon House of Representatives since 2017 and is an assistant leader of the House Republican Caucus. He is a former Curry County commissioner, school board member, city council president, chamber president-director and has held many other elected and appointed positions in his nearly 20 years of public service. "I am honored to have the support of Senator Heard and look forward to continuing to forge a solid team with Representative Osborne, Representative Goodwin, Representative Wright, Senator Anderson and my successor, to bring the voices and values of the people of

Curry, Coos and Douglas Counties to Salem," said Rep. Brock Smith. Brock Smith said he is going to attempt to fill the Senate seat. "It has been a privilege and honor to serve the people of House District 01 in the Oregon Legislature with Senator Heard," said Brock Smith. "Our collaboration has stopped and/or modified bills that would have negatively impacted our district and has moved others forward that benefit the people of District 01 and Oregon as a whole. Additionally, we have worked together to secure millions in resources for our District. This includes securing millions to Curry Health Network to help them open their life saving Emergency Department, millions to treat and stop the spread of Sudden Oak Death, that if left untreated, would be another huge blow to our timber industries. "Also, funding to move the State of Oregon’s only Wildfire Training Facility project forward and funding to assist in the replacement of the Bandon Marina, to name just a few."

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Police Blotter

The police blotter is a public record of incidents as reported by law-enforcement agencies. All individuals arrested or charged with a crime are innocent until proven guilty. The information printed is preliminary and subject to change.

Wednesday 12/14:

North Bend

- 12:34 am, family dispute, 3500 block of Brussels St.
- 1:55 am, dispute, 1800 block of Newark Street.
- 3:17 am, 26 year old male cited result of traffic stop, Highway 101 and first entrance N Bay Road.
- 3:52 am, 34 year old male cited result of traffic stop, Sherman and Colorado.
- 5:49 am, prowler, 2200 block of Virginia Avenue.
- 10:10 am, theft, 2100 block of California Street.
- 10:18 am, theft, 2000 block of Harbor Avenue.
- 11:12 am, fraud, 3500 block of Ash Street.
- 4:24 pm, fraud, 2100 block of Stanton Avenue.
- 4:27 pm, hit and run accident, Pony Village Mall.
- 4:43 pm, dispute, 800 block of California Avenue.
- 7:55 pm, criminal mischief, 2000 block of Union Avenue.
- 10:33 pm, theft of wallet, 3200 block of Tremont Ave.

Coos Bay

- 1:54 am, 41 year old male cited on warrant, Lakeshore and Crocker.
- 11:17 am, 52 year old female cited for theft III, 8th and Anderson.
- 12:47 pm, disorderly conduct, Thompson and 19th.
- 1:01 pm, theft, 500 block of S 4th Street.
- 1:15 pm, 67 year old female cited result of traffic stop, 2nd and Golden.
- 1:15 pm, animal abuse, 500 block of Newark Avenue.
- 1:39 pm, shoplifter, 2200 block of N Bayshore Drive.
- 2:25 pm, runaway juvenile, 200 block of S Schoneman St.
- 3:29 pm, unauthorized use of motor vehicle, 100 block of S 7th Street.
- 4:08 pm, female subject cited for theft II, 1000 block of S 1st Street.
- 4:20 pm, 37 year old female cited for criminal trespass II, 1700 block of Thompson Road.
- 4:51 pm, shoplifter, 1000 block of S 1st Street.
- 4:53 pm, traffic hazard, Koosbay Boulevard and N 10th Street.
- 5:36 pm, criminal mischief, 600 block of S Empire Boulevard.
- 6:44 pm, recovered stolen vehicle, 200 block of N Baxter Street.
- 7:45 pm, 33 year old male cited for driving while suspended, Broadway and Kruse.
- 8:24 pm, 28 year old male cited for driving while suspended, Broadway and Elrod.
- 10:14 pm, 37 year old female cited for criminal trespass II, 1700 block of Thompson Road.
- 10:34 pm, disorderly conduct, 2000 block of Newark Avenue.
- 11:14 pm, 28 year old male cited result of traffic stop.

Reedsport

- 1:52 am, harassment, Best Budget Inn.
- 8:27 am, trespassing, First Community Credit Union.
- 8:52 am, trespassing, 400 block of Fir Avenue.
- 10:53 am, trespassing, Driftwood Farms Yarn & Candle.

- 10:55 am, burglary, Reedsport Community Charter School.
- 12:34 pm, theft, Snowy River Mercantile.

Thursday 12/15:

North Bend

- 2:46 am, domestic harassment/assault, 2600 block of Virginia Avenue.
- 6:17 am, prowler, 1600 block of Lincoln Street.
- 6:24 am, traffic hazard, 1600 block of Virginia Avenue.
- 7:07 am, burglary/dispute, 2200 block of Meade Street.
- 7:59 am, disorderly conduct, 1500 block of 16th Street.
- 8:13 am, theft, 1600 block of Virginia Avenue.
- 10:28 am, civil problem, 2180 Hamilton Avenue.
- 12:19 pm, ID theft, 1400 block of Scott Lane.
- 12:26 pm, theft, 1500 block of Newark Street.
- 12:37 pm, disorderly conduct, 2700 block of Oak Street.
- 1:18 pm, weapons offense, 1300 block of Sherman Avenue.
- 4:06 pm, theft of mail, 2000 block of 11th Court.
- 5:26 pm, civil problem, 2100 block of Meade Street.
- 7:12 pm, harassment/family dispute, 3800 block of Vista Drive.
- 9:43 pm, disturbance, 3800 block of Vista Drive.

Coos Bay

- 12:52 am, 43 year old male arrested by Douglas County on North Bend Police warrant, 1000 block of SE Douglas Street.
- 1:15 am, 35 year old female cited for forgery II and theft II, Coalbank Slough Bridge.
- 2:22 am, 35 year old female transported to Coos County jail on robbery I, theft II, menacing, unlawful use of weapon and felon possession of restricted weapon, 200 block of S Schoneman Street.
- 3:42 am, traffic hazard, Lakeshore and Crocker.
- 8:22 am, disorderly conduct, Newark and Schoneman.
- 8:59 am, disorderly conduct, 1200 block of Newark.
- 10:47 am, theft, 1200 block of Newark Avenue.
- 12:21 pm, minor in possession of marijuana, 300 block of S 10th Street.
- 12:53 pm, 27 year old female and 25 year old female transported to Coos County jail on warrants, 100 block of S Cammann Street.
- 2:32 pm, dispute, Ingersoll and S Front Street.
- 3:36 pm, Oregon State Police arrested 63 year old male on Coos Bay Police warrant, 500 block of S Empire Boulevard.
- 6:32 pm, 30 year old female cited for driving while suspended, Ocean and Water Board.
- 7:33 pm, custodial interference, 900 block of E Street.
- 9:28 pm, threats, 300 block of N Wall Street.
- 9:46 pm, 57 year old male cited for criminal trespass II, 800 block of S Broadway Street.
- 11:23 pm, 24 year old female cited for driving

while suspended, Noble and S Empire.

Coquille

- 2:28 pm, located runaway, 200 block of W 4th Street.
- 3:49 pm, disorderly conduct, 10th and Folsom.
- 6:19 pm, fraud, 1500 block of N Dean Street.

Reedsport

- 8:35 am, trespassing, Tides Inn Bar and Grill.
- 10:47 pm, trespassing, Holly Knolls Mobile Home Park.

Friday 12/16:

North Bend

- 9:45 am, 47 year old male lodged at Coos County jail for menacing, harassment and criminal trespass I, 1600 block of Virginia Avenue.
- 11:23 am, criminal mischief, 2400 block of Pacific Avenue.
- 11:44 am, loud music, Ash Street and Lombard Street.
- 12:00 pm, violation of restraining order, 2700 block of Oak Street.
- 12:23 pm, dispute, Ferry Road Park Road.
- 12:52 pm, custodial interference, 1600 block of Virginia Avenue.
- 1:31 pm, traffic hazard, Newark and Edgewood.
- 1:44 pm, dispute, Oak Street Park.
- 2:07 pm, civil problem, 1500 block of Union Avenue.
- 4:17 pm, injured animal, 3800 block of Vista Drive.
- 4:31 pm, dog at large, Sherman and Oregon.
- 6:34 pm, criminal mischief, 1600 block of Monroe Ave.
- 6:44 pm, harassment, 3300 block of Broadway Avenue.
- 7:22 pm, 41 year old male cited result of traffic stop.
- 8:27 pm, weapons offense, 2100 block of Newark Street.
- 9:22 pm, criminal mischief, 2300 block of Lombard St.
- 9:48 pm, disorderly conduct, 800 block of Newark Street.

Coos Bay

- 2:46 am, criminal mischief, 1200 block of Newark Avenue.
- 6:54 am, disorderly conduct, 700 block of S Broadway Street.
- 7:50 am, unlawful entry into motor vehicle, 1300 block of Newark Avenue.
- 7:52 am, theft, 1700 block of S 19th Street.
- 9:28 am, 43 year old male arrested on ID theft, theft II, unlawful entry into motor vehicle, criminal mischief II, possession of burglary tools and criminal trespass I, Newark Avenue and Ackerman.
- 11:13 am, ID theft, 400 block of N 4th Street.
- 11:16 am, 69 year old female cited result of traffic stop, S 1st Street and Elrod Avenue.
- 11:35 am, hit and run accident, 500 block of S 4th Street.
- 12:39 pm, loud music, Mingus Park Skate Park.
- 12:49 pm, disorderly conduct, 2000 block of Newark Avenue.
- 1:31 pm, fraud, 200 block of N Broadway Street.
- 1:50 pm, 57 year old male cited on warrant, 1000 block of Newark Avenue.
- 2:06 pm, family dispute,

- 800 block of Newark Avenue.
- 2:13 pm, hit and run accident, Evans Boulevard and E Kruse Avenue.
- 2:15 pm, hit and run accident, Bergers Top Service.
- 2:28 pm, fraud, Exxon.
- 2:32 pm, violation of restraining order, 200 block of S Schoneman Street.
- 2:31 pm, family dispute, 400 block of 9th Avenue.
- 4:17 pm, disorderly conduct, Newark Avenue and Cammann Street.
- 4:38 pm, assault, 1700 block of Thompson Road.
- 5:07 pm, theft, 2000 block of Newark Avenue.
- 5:43 pm, 36 year old male cited result of traffic stop, Ocean Boulevard and Cascade Farm.
- 5:50 pm, fraud, 1200 block of N Bayshore Drive.
- 7:01 pm, 30 year old female cited for criminal trespass II, 2000 block of Newark Avenue.
- 7:07 pm, threats, 100 block of Norman Avenue.
- 7:32 pm, 49 year old male cited for theft III, 1300 block of Newark Avenue.
- 8:23 pm, prowler, 800 block of Kentucky Avenue.
- 8:39 pm, menacing, 1000 block of Newark Avenue.
- 8:54 pm, disorderly conduct, Mingus Park Pool.
- 9:15 pm, 24 year old female cited for DUII, 1600 block of Ocean Boulevard.
- 10:01 pm, dispute, 800 block of Johnson Avenue.
- 10:23 pm, dispute, 2000 block of Newark Avenue.
- 11:03 pm, disorderly conduct, 1200 block of Newark Avenue.

Coquille

- 2:42 pm, disorderly conduct, 200 block of Highway 42.
- 6:41 pm, dispute, 96900 block of Highway 42 S.
- 7:28 pm, 18 year old cited result of traffic stop, E 10th Street and N Elliott Street.
- 10:06 pm, 33 year old male cited result of traffic stop, E 1st Street and N Birch.

Reedsport

- 7:29 am, burglary, The Log lot.
- 4:26 pm, animal problem, 2800 block of Ridgeway Dr.

Saturday 12/17:

North Bend

- 12:46 am, family dispute, 2800 block of Virginia Avenue.
- 8:11 am, dog at large, Virginia and Meade.
- 8:29 am, civil problem, 2400 block of Ohio Avenue.
- 10:38 am, dog at large, Virginia Avenue and Safeway.
- 11:19 am, theft of gas from vehicle, 2000 block of Marion Street.
- 1:19 pm, weapons offense, 2100 block of Newark Street.
- 2:14 pm, 50 year old male cited on warrant and driving while suspended, Virginia Avenue and Madrona Street.
- 5:54 pm, disorderly conduct, Broadway Avenue and Rite Aid.
- 8:05 pm, shoplifter, 1600 block of Virginia Avenue.
- 8:31 pm, dispute, 3200 block of Tremont Avenue.
- 9:10 pm, family dispute, Marion toward Virginia.
- 9:39 pm, located wanted subject, 1900 block of Virginia Avenue.
- 9:51 pm, dispute, 3200 block of Tremont Avenue.
- 10:43 pm, shots fired, Airport Heights.

Coos Bay

- 2:35 am, 38 year old female cited for driving while suspended, Ocean and Radar.
- 5:39 am, water problem, Newport and Edwards.
- 6:16 am, disorderly conduct, 1200 block of Newark Avenue.
- 6:25 am, loud noise, 1900 block of Newark Avenue.
- 7:04 am, 35 year old male cited result of traffic stop, 1000 block of Newark Avenue.
- 8:18 am, disorderly conduct, 1200 block of

- Newmark Avenue.
- 8:22 am, fight, S Empire Boulevard and American Market.
- 9:53 am, 42 year old female cited for disorderly conduct II, 1000 block of Newark Avenue.
- 12:34 pm, disorderly conduct, 1000 block of Newark Avenue.
- 2:14 pm, 50 year old male cited on warrant, 800 block of California Avenue.
- 2:54 pm, theft from a vehicle, 4th and Lockhart.
- 3:12 pm, 58 year old male cited for driving while suspended, Newark and Pine.
- 3:42 pm, recovered stolen vehicle, 200 block of N Baxter Street.
- 3:57 pm, disorderly conduct, 500 block of Central Avenue.
- 4:12 pm, Curry County cited 36 year old female on Coos Bay Police warrant, 29800 block of Ellensburg Avenue.
- 4:27 pm, threats, 1100 block of Anderson Avenue.
- 4:37 pm, hit and run accident, 200 block of S 2nd Street.
- 7:46 pm, theft, 100 block of S Marple Street.
- 9:02 pm, disorderly conduct, N 4th Street and Commercial Avenue.

Coquille

- 8:28 am, theft of motorcycle, 200 block of N Collier Street.
- 3:56 pm, water problem, N Hemlock Street and W 17th Street.

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The second-grade students brought in their items and collected them all together the day before Christmas break. The teachers took a picture of their students with their gifts. Then, the gifts were loaded into a vehicle and distributed to the shelter. Augsburger has been a teacher for more than 30 years. She started the holiday tradition of giving to shelter animals while she was teaching sixth-grade at Harbor Lights Middle School in Bandon. She decided to keep the tradition going when she moved to Ocean Crest Elementary school three years ago. The teacher said it’s been a

success every year. “It’s never hard to convince the kids. It’s kind of amazing to me really,” Augsburger said. “They are proud of themselves because it is something good for the community and for animals. So they dig it,” she said. The Bandon teacher said she was first inspired to start the holiday tradition with her students because her best friend, Kelly Ferguson, has always been a big supporter of animals in shelters. The first year Augsburger tried it out, she had her students vote whether they wanted to exchange gifts between themselves or give gifts to shelter animals – and the students wanted to help out the shelter.

“We live in a society of kids wanting and it’s nice for them to give and to do it without complaining. Not once have I heard a complaint about it – even with the middle school kids. They are always into it,” Augsburger said. The teacher said the Coos County Animal Shelter is always grateful for the things that the students give them. “It’s a simple thing, but the shelter is very thankful,” Augsburger said. The longtime teacher is retiring at the end of the year. But, before she retires, Augsburger said she wanted to let the community to know about the young Ocean Crest Elementary students who have big hearts.

ZITS

by JERRY SCOTT and JIM BORGMAN

NOW, JEREMY, DON'T FORGET!

OH, RIGHT.

WELL, WHAT KIND OF TREAT DID YOU LEAVE FOR SANTA?

FLAMIN' HOT CHEETOS

AHK! KAT! OOH! HAHT! HAHT! HAHHHT!

IT WAS AN UPGRADE OVER COOKIES!

I'M COMING!

The FAMILY

CIRCUS

By Bil Keane

12-25

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TALK ABOUT A CLOSE CALL! AT THIS ONE HOUSE I FINISHED THE COOKIES AND MILK FIRST. THEN I HAD TO PUT TOGETHER SEVERAL TOYS AND HAD JUST FILLED THE STOCKINGS WHEN...

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YOUR CHRISTMAS PRESENT?

TOO BIG? I CAN'T BELIEVE IT

SURE, I KNOW WHERE YOU LIVE... I KNOW YOUR PLACE IS SMALL...

BUT I WAS SO PROUD OF WHAT I PICKED OUT BECAUSE I KNOW HOW LONELY YOU GET...

I ALSO KNOW YOU'RE NOT THE EASIEST PERSON IN THE WORLD TO BUY THINGS FOR...

BUT I GUESS I CAN SEE YOUR POINT

FRANK & ERNEST

FRANK, WHO SAID "CLEANLINESS IS NEXT TO GODLINESS"?

SOMEONE WHO WASN'T TALKING ABOUT CHRISTMAS MORNING!

DILBERT

by SCOTT ADAMS

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YOUR DESIGN WILL NEVER WORK BECAUSE SCIENCE HAS PROVEN THAT PLASTIC WILL EXPLODE AT ROOM TEMPERATURE.

I... DON'T BELIEVE THAT IS TRUE.

GOOD GOLLY, MAN! DO YOU EVER READ A BOOK?!!

WELL, YES, BUT I HAVE NEVER SEEN ANYTHING ABOUT EXPLODING PLASTIC.

MAYBE YOU COULD SEND ME A LINK TO A RELEVANT STUDY.

DO YOUR OWN RESEARCH! I DON'T WORK FOR YOU!

WHEN I DON'T FIND IT, WILL YOU CLAIM THE PROBLEM IS MY RESEARCH SKILLS?

WELL, WILL YOU?

HE'S ONTO ME.

Community Calendar of Events

Shows, Meetings, Fitness, Groups, Clubs, Family Events, Education, & More

Holiday Lights at Shore Acres
Nightly through December 31st
Shore Acres State Park
One of the most unique and by far the largest holiday light displays on the Oregon Coast is returning to the Oregon coast after a two-year COVID hiatus. Holiday Lights at Shore Acres State Park is again lighting up the coast with nearly 350,000 lights, animated displays and a hefty helping of holiday cheer from Thanksgiving through New Year’s Eve. Tickets must be purchased in advance at <https://oregonstateparks.reserveamerica.com/tourParkDetail.do?contractCode=OR&parkId=402381>

Christmas Eve Service
6 pm, December 24th
Unity by the Bay, 2100 Union Ave. North Bend
Unity By The Bay will conduct its Christmas Eve candle lighting service at 6pm on Dec. 24th. The Christmas story will be shared and traditional carols sung. It is an opportunity to celebrate anew the deeply spiritual meaning of the season.

Unity By The Bay is located at 2100 Union Avenue in North Bend. For more information, call (541) 751-1633

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service
7 pm, December 24th
Faith Lutheran Church, 2741 Sherman Avenue, Coos Bay

Christmas Morning Taize Service
10 am, December 25th
Unity by the Bay, 2100 Union Ave. North Bend

Unity By The Bay will hold a Christmas morning Taize service at 10am. This very special service will be a time of music, meditation and readings on the spirit of Christmas that expresses as Hope, Peace, Love and Joy. It will be gentle service to bring us into closer relationship with the Christ within

each of us. Taize is a form of worship developed by the Taize community, a monastic community originating in France, founded by Frère Roger in 1940. It uses readings and meditation upon them, as well as chanting intended to resonate with the heart. While it is a contemplative service, those attending are encouraged to join in the singing, to allow the words and music to lead them to a deeper connection with the divine spirit.

Unity By The Bay is located at 2100 Union Avenue in North Bend. For more information, call (541) 751-1633.

Annual Christmas Dinner
1 pm – 3 pm, December 25th
South Coast Gospel Mission
The South Coast Gospel Mission would like to invite you to come to celebrate the birth of our Savior with Christmas dinner! It’s from 1:00 – 3:00 pm on Christmas Day.

Please help spread the Word, so that NO one goes hungry. And.... if you need a warm jacket, we’ll clothe you too.

The South Coast Gospel Mission receives no government funding and operates completely on private donations. You can help make a difference in our community by giving. Just go to www.southcoast-gospelmission.org

Trauma Informed Yoga
4:30 – 5:45 pm, every Tuesday in January
North Bend Public Library
The North Bend Public Library will be holding a Trauma-informed Yoga series instructed by Iowa during the month of January. These free classes will be held every Tuesday from 4:30-5:45.

Trauma-informed yoga is a slow-paced, inclusive yoga practice. Influenced by Forest and Kundalini yoga, Iowa’s classes emphasize breath-work to ease tension. The intention

of the practice is to create a safe and supportive space where participants can reconnect with themselves, feel safe in their bodies, and learn strategies to reduce anxiety. The practice emphasizes safety, empowerment, and learning resiliency and self-regulation. Iowa trained at Oregon School Yoga Institute, is a certified yoga instructor, and is certified in trauma-informed yoga.

This program will be both live and virtual. To attend virtually, please register at <https://tinyurl.com/yx-fcc6wy>. Participants should wear comfortable clothing and bring a water bottle with them. For more information about this event, contact the library at (541) 756-0400 or email nbservices@northbendlibrary.org.

Intro to Windows 11 with Dennis Dater
10 am – 11:30 am, January 7th
Coos Bay Public Library Myrtlewood Room

Coos Bay Public Library, in partnership with Dennis Dater of Bay Area Seniors Computer Club, will co-host Intro to Windows 11. Class will be held on Saturday, January 7 from 10:00am-11:30pm in the library’s Myrtlewood Room.

This class will be an introduction to Windows 11, Microsoft’s newest operating system. Dennis will discuss how Windows 11 is different than Windows 10. He will discuss new features in Windows 11 and features that have been removed. If you are thinking about switching operating systems or buying a Windows 11 computer, join us for this class to see what’s best for you. Come to the Coos Bay Public Library for this FREE class and learn about this new operating system. This class is for anyone interested in learning about Windows 11.

Community Yoga with Kelli Bosak
6 pm, January 12th
Coos Bay Public Library

Coos Bay Public Library, in partnership with yoga instructor, Kelli Bosak, will co-host Community Yoga. Kelli has been practicing yoga and mindfulness for over 16 years. She has taught yoga in community health centers, schools, and jails for adults and families with all levels of experience and abilities over the last 8 years. We meet every 2nd Thursday of the month at 6:00pm. Next class: Thursday, January 12

This virtual Community Yoga Class will be a foundational group practice that includes guided instruction (and live demonstration via zoom) of basic postures, simple movements guided by breath, and accessible exercises to build strength and flexibility. Ease of movement, standing postures, supported postures, and some passive stretches will be integrated into class. Time will be given to practice breath-work, visualization and meditation. Emphasis is placed on de-stressing the body and mind to help the student find a deep calm and inner sense of wellbeing.

This FREE class is appropriate for all levels. Register for this event @ <https://bit.ly/3CbG1VR> *Registrants will need to complete a new student & liability form.

Umpqua Soil & Water Conservation District Meeting
6:30 pm, January 12th
Via computer, tablet or smartphone UMPQUA SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT MEETING. Thursday, January 12, 2023 at 6:30 PM. Please join the meeting from your computer, tablet or smartphone. <https://meet.goto.com/UmpquaSWCD/umpquasoilwaterconservationdistrictmeeting>. You can also dial in using your phone. Access Code: 960-716-589 United States (Toll Free): 1 866 899 4679

ASL Practice Place
12 pm, January 19th
Via Zoom

Coos Bay Public Library has partnered with instructor, Kandy Bergquist, to offer ASL PRACTICE PLACE via Zoom (virtual meeting software). Bergquist teaches American Sign Language and Signed English at Southwestern Oregon Community College. She has worked with the deaf and hard of hearing as an interpreter, classroom aid, and Speech Pathologist. We meet every third Thursday of the month @ 12:00pm. Next event: Thursday, January 19
Program is for those who wish to practice their ASL conversational skills and help other learners in a friendly setting. Attendees will have the opportunity to sign in ASL as a group for one hour in a casual, informal environment. This is NOT a class, but we will provide ideas for conversational topics. Beginners are welcome. Let’s sign!
This program is FREE and open to anyone who wishes to sharpen their ASL conversational skills. Register for this event @ <https://bit.ly/3m-6j2WG>

Unlimited Book Club
6 pm, January 19th
Coos Bay Public Library
Thursday, January 19 at 6:00 pm, the Unlimited Book Club will meet on Zoom. Unlimited is a joint venture of the Coos Bay Public Library and the North Bend Public Library. We formed to encourage awareness and foster community discussions on equity, diversity, and inclusion through reading and thoughtful conversation. Club meets every third Thursday of the month.

This meeting will be an opportunity for members to meet and discuss our next title, selected by book club members, This is How it Always Is: A Novel by Laurie Frankel. Suggestions for future readings will come from members of Unlimited. Those interested are invited to attend meeting, there is no obligation to stay. To receive Zoom link for meeting, register for free @ <https://bit.ly/3R6E57M>

The Coos County Noxious Weed Board presents:

Weed of the Month

Canada thistle and Bull thistle

ID Tips:

- Canada thistle** Perennial. Deep taproot with spreading root system that can spread 10 to 12 ft in a single season-main source of growth. Leaves mostly smooth. Stems slender, ridged, and hairy, not winged like Bull and Slenderflower thistles. Flowers pink/purple, clustered 1/2 to 3/4 inch. Flowers June until October.
- Bull thistle** Biennial. Leaves-short spines on upper side and longer ones at the end of lobes, downy underneath. Stems dense white hair and spines on the angles formed by the leaf wings. Flowers pink magenta to deep purple 1.5 to 2 inches. Flowers mid-June until early Fall.

Canada thistle

Sharp prickles on leaf margins

Canada thistle

Flower base have weak spines

Bull thistle

Spines around the flower base

Bull thistle

Wings on stems

Bull thistle

Spines on the leaf margins and leaf surface

Concern: Threatens grassland habitats. Found in hay fields, pastures, clear cuts.

Prevention: Prevent seeding.

Control: Canada-Digging roots can spread infestation! Mow every 3-4 weeks over multiple seasons. Try competitive plantings. Apply herbicide when plants fully emerge in spring or in fall before frost.

Bull-dig with shovel at rosette or stem/flower stage. Cultivation and tilling can be effective prior to flower budding. Apply herbicide in spring or early summer to rosettes or bolting plants or in fall to seedlings and rosettes.

Dispose of plants in landfill and remember: "When using herbicides: "The label is the law!"

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