

Thanksgiving meal services a success in Coos Bay

By NATE SCHWARTZ
News Editor

The Holidays can be a tricky time for many. What is normally a time of giving, togetherness, and joy for some, can often be isolating and cold for those without the resources or family needed to make the season bright. To help combat some of that need, local institutions often fill in the gaps for folks who could use the help.

The Coos Bay Corps of the Salvation Army and the shelter at South Coast Gospel Mission are two such institutions that step up each year to provide hundreds of Thanksgiving meals to those who need it most. Whether a homebound senior who struggles to cook a large meal, or a family who can't afford the fancy fixings we all

know and love, all are welcome and all are fed.

"To-go totals would probably be closer to 310, and then about 200 people in the gym... 500-550 meals went out," estimated the Salvation Army's Major David Kauffman.

Delivered almost entirely by volunteers, the to-go meals were a huge part of the operation this year. Many recipients were mobility impaired or did not have the transportation available to attend in-person service. Others just prefer to keep their level of need private.

"There's people that are shut in, people that for whatever reason can't get around... We really appreciated the

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Drains to Bay: stormwater pollution awareness and action campaign

By ALEXA CARLETON, Outreach
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Coos Watershed Association

The Coos Watershed Association and Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua, and Siuslaw Indians have a message to share with the Coos watershed community: stormwater runoff is harming our local waterways, but there is something we can do about it. We are sharing this message through public art: specifically, through custom-made storm drain stencils that feature a lineup of local critters impacted by water pollution, such as lamprey and salmon. The designs feature text stencils as well, emphasizing that stormwater runoff "Drains to Bay," and there is "no filter." You will also see "Water Is Life" stencils in either hanis or miluk (the native, ancestral languages of the Coos Bay and North Bend Area) as a way to emphasize the significance of clean water to the people who have called this home since time immemorial. This summer, with the help of volunteers, we painted eight designs along Newmark in downtown Empire, two at Mingus Park, three at North Bend City Hall, and one in downtown Coos Bay. We



hope to expand this project next summer, so be on the lookout for more "art with a message" in the future!

What is stormwater and why

does it matter so much?

When it rains on paved surfaces in the Coos watershed, this runoff picks up oil, gas, pesticides, fertilizers, heavy metals, and garbage (anything

that is found on our landscapes) and transports it into the bay via storm drains/catch basins. When

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County commission discuss budget shortfalls, jail cutbacks & departmental layoffs

By DEAN BRICKEY
For The World

COQUILLE — Responding to an expected \$4 million budget shortfall, Coos County commissioners voted at a work session Monday Dec. 2 to close one of two pods at the Coos County jail on Feb. 1, 2025.

That was one of three steps Commissioner John Sweet proposed. Commissioners also voted to meet with department heads on Wednesday, Dec. 4, to determine five to seven more employees to lay off by Feb. 2 and asked Sheriff Gabriel "Gabe" Fabrizio to calculate

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North Bend seeking business for Historic Storefront

STAFF REPORT

On Union Ave, just off the main strip in North Bend sits the former Bay Cleaners building. The historic façade, which has been purchased by the City with state grant funds, is in the midst of a robust renovation. The North Bend Urban Renewal Agency is seeking Expressions of Interest (REOI) from local entrepreneurs and small business hopefuls.

"We're looking for a visionary tenant who is ready to help bring this gem back to life and contribute to economic revitalization of downtown North Bend," states the City.

The 1930 sq. ft. location, set right across the street from the North Bend Public Library, is due for a whole slate of upgrades to the structure. In addition to a face-lift to the façade, a new roof will be soon installed. A small off-street lot is being planned to ease parking issues, and restrooms are being brought to compliance with ADA codes.

Priority for a lease is being given to businesses who have approved plans with the Southwestern Small Business Development Center, the South

Coast Development Council, Inc., and other development partners like CCD Business or SWOCC's Small Business Development Center. The city is pushing for local start-ups and minority-owned businesses.

Previous proposals saw a tortilla factory vying for the space, but the project fell through leaving the opportunity available. Bay Area Cleaners operated in the building for about a decade, followed by another decade of vacancy. The City and Main Street association hopes for proposals that will thrive in a downtown environment and bring foot traffic to the area.

The City of North Bend has been pushing hard to revitalize properties, both residential and commercial. In the spring of 2024, a new restaurant opened in the adjacent building but has since had to close doors for a reevaluation, citing unforeseen expenses and an overhead that was above their predictions. This is despite decent reviews and community support.

This is certainly not an indictment of Main Street's potential, however, with another two restaurants opening in 2024



and continuing off of strong starts. The Tin Rooster, which opened in February, and North 40's North Bend location, which launched in May, have both adapted to their historic locations and seem to be serving the community well, with both also garnering positive reviews and support.

The submission deadline for

REOIs is the last day of the year, Dec. 21st, 2024. The city hopes to review proposals and come to a decision by the end of January 2025. If all goes as planned, the lease should begin April 1, 2025 with a tentative move-in set for May 2025. All of this is subject to renovation efforts going smoothly.

If you think you have the right

idea to revitalize this historic storefront and bring fresh ideas to downtown North Bend, you can reach out to Stephanie Wilson, North Bend's Main Street Manager, with your questions, tour requests, and development proposals:

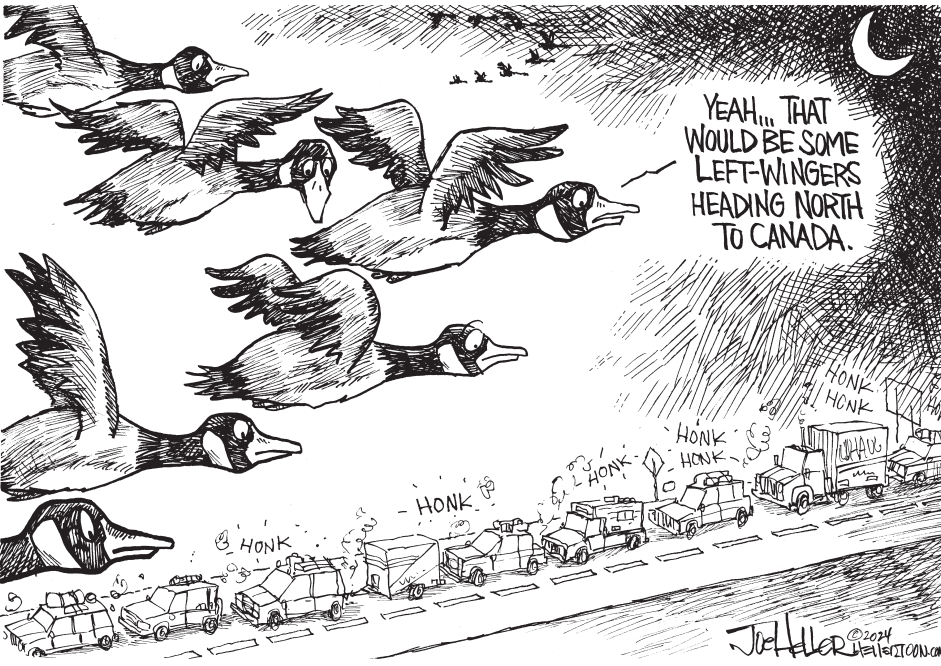
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PUZZLE ANSWERS

To solve the sudoku puzzle:

The numbers 1 through 9 must fill each row, column and box. Each number can appear only once in each row, column and box.

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Guest Columns

A Word, Please

By JUNE CASAGRANDE
Guest column

When I first started writing this column in the early aughts, readers would often complain to me about sentence-ending prepositions. Or, to put that ironically: Sentence-ending prepositions were things readers would complain to me about.

In the years since, that complaint has steadily waned. It’s gotten so rare that I figured the idea was pretty much dead, gone the way of the ruler-wielding Miss Thistlebottoms who departed this grammatically imperfect world for the great stylebook in the sky.

Nope. Earlier this year, Merriam-Webster’s dictionary posted on Instagram, “It is permissible in English for a preposition to be what you end a sentence with” (see what they did there?). The result: uproar, like this reply from a user going by the name of AJWarren74: “Absolutely do NOT end a sentence with a preposition!! It’s like fingernails on a blackboard!! UGH.”

Aah, that takes me back. Seems like just yesterday people were telling me I was wrong. Of course, correcting the publishers of one of the country’s leading dictionaries — professional lexicographers with decades of study and hard-earned expertise under their belts — is another matter entirely. It’s like telling your doctor that your liver is in your ear.

I learned two things from Merriam’s post and the ensuing uproar: 1. The myth about sentence-ending prepositions is alive and festering, and 2. Merriam’s

could use some backup.

So what’s this grammar myth all about? The idea is that prepositions like “with,” “about,” “to,” “at,” “in” and “on” take objects — nouns or pronouns that complete the thought. You spoke with Linda. You think about pizza. You walked to the store. You yelled at him. You’re grounded in reality. Your keys are on the table.

If you move any of those objects to an earlier position in the sentence and just leave the preposition parked at the end, the result could be a bad sentence. Linda is the person you spoke with. Pizza is what you think about. The store is where you walked to. He is who you yelled at. Reality is what you’re grounded in. The table is the thing your keys are on.

If you tell someone that a preposition at the end makes for a bad sentence, you’ll be right in a lot of cases, as the examples above prove. But not always. And if you tell people that this is a grammar rule they must follow, you’re not just giving them bad information — you’re telling them not to trust the instincts that lead English speakers to use prepositions well every day.

But you don’t have to take my word for it. You don’t even have to take the word of Merriam’s lexicographers. Every major grammar authority agrees, including the conservative ones.

“Not only is the preposition acceptable at the end, sometimes it is more effective in that spot than anywhere else,” advises Strunk and White’s “The Elements of Style.” Strunk and White argue persuasively that “A claw



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hammer, not an ax, was the tool he murdered her with” is superior to “A claw hammer, not an ax, was the tool with which he murdered her.” It sounds more natural and, as the authors argue, it’s more effective “because it sounds more violent.”

Or consider the words of one of the most conservative language authorities I know, Fowler’s Modern English Usage: “In most circumstances, especially in formal writing, it is desirable to avoid placing a preposition at the end of a clause or sentence,” the guide writes. “But there are many circumstances in which a preposition may or even must be placed late . . . and others where the degree of formality required governs the placing.”

Finally, consider this snarky example long misattributed to Winston Churchill (which researchers have since learned probably wasn’t Churchill at all but some unknown writer) about a sentence clumsily rewritten to move a preposition from the end: “This is the type of English up with which I will not put!”

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He is dashing handsome, daz- zlingly sophisticated, and equally

HOLY GOW! HISTORY: Meet the Real James Bond

handy with firearms and female admirers. He prefers martinis and loves the latest gadgets.

He famously introduces himself by last name first. “Bond. James Bond.” And he has kept readers and moviegoers alike on the edge of their seats for nearly 75 years now.

Did you know there really was

an actual James Bond? He never faced down an international villain, made women swoon, or escaped pursuing bad guys by firing up his jetpack. Nor did he have even a passing resemblance to Sean Connery, Roger Moore or Daniel Craig.

So, just who was the real James Bond? And how did he wind up becoming the namesake of the most famous secret agent in the world?

It was because the character’s creator, Ian Fleming, was in a bind.

The author had met some fascinating figures while serving in British naval intelligence during World War II. They were boldly cunning and undertook hush-hush operations at incredible personal risk. (Including Fleming’s own brother Peter, who was involved in behind-the-lines missions in Norway and Greece.)

So, Fleming rolled all of them into the character we now know as 007 when writing his 1953 novel “Casino Royale.” However, he ran into a Mount Everest-size mental block: What name to give the super spy?

While he had no trouble devising a host of colorful names for other characters over the years (remember Le Chiffre, Sir Hugo Drax, Dr. Julius No, and Pussy Galore?), the hero stumped him.

Each name he came up with fell flat. As Fleming remembered in a 1962 interview with The New Yorker, “I wanted Bond to be an extremely dull, uninteresting man to whom things happened.”

(James Bond, dull? He may be many things, but dull isn’t one of them.)

When Fleming couldn’t craft a name to his liking, he looked about for an actual one to borrow. And he found it in the most unlikely

of places.

Fleming was living in Jamaica and was an avid birdwatcher. Thumbing through books on the topic one day, he came across a field guide bearing the lackluster title, “Birds of the West Indies,” written by — wait for it — James Bond.

“I thought, by God, it was the dullest name I ever heard,” Fleming said. “It struck me that this brief, unromantic, Anglo-Saxon, and yet very masculine name was just what I needed.”

And so the hero of countless adventures now had a name.

Just who was the real James Bond?

If the movie star adventurer ever had an exact opposite, it was his namesake. The actual James Bond was born into a prosperous Philadelphia family in 1900 and fell in love with natural history as a child. Educated at Cambridge, he returned home and spent three miserable years working at a bank before turning to his life’s passion.

Bond became a highly respected ornithologist, led dozens of bird-watching expeditions to the West Indies, and was an acknowledged expert on Caribbean birds.

While Fleming’s James Bond was a big hit in Europe, it took several years before the books caught on in the United States. In fact, the real James Bond didn’t learn about the fictional version until the early 1960s.

In 1964, Bond and his wife unexpectedly visited Ian Fleming in Jamaica. What could have been an awkward situation was immediately defused when the writer learned Bond thought it was a wonderful joke. Fleming later wrote to Bond’s wife, “I can only offer your James Bond unlimited use of the name Ian Fleming . . . perhaps



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one day he will discover some particularly horrible species of bird that he would like to christen in an insulting fashion.”

Fleming also gave Bond a first-edition copy of “You Only Live Twice,” which he inscribed, “To the real James Bond, from the thief of his identity.” It sold at auction for nearly \$85,000 in 2008.

The bird-loving Bond died at age 89 in 1990. The ageless, time- less espionage agent is doing quite well in the 21st century, with plans in the works for “James Bond 26.” While we don’t know which actor will play the legendary figure in the coming movie, it’s likely there will be at least one vodka martini — shaken, not stirred.

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Members of the Salvation Army's advisory board preparing to load up to-go meals.



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Dedicated volunteers prepared hundreds of meals to be delivered to homes in the area. Over 300 to-go meals were served, with another 200+ in person.

Thanksgiving

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opportunity to go to their houses. Most of [the delivery drivers] are people from the community. The advisory board is a big part of that, they carried at least 60% of those meals into people’s homes,” said Kauffman.

The in-person meal service was equally impressive, with many being individual served and a host of volunteers buzzing about, including whole families looking to give back to the community.

On the volunteers Kauffman said, “We couldn’t do it without them. They are integral to pulling off an operation this big. They helped with, not only cooking all the food up, but the gym had to be turned over from the warming center... We were here at 7 am, we had to sanitize the room... getting everything cleaned up, then we set up tables and chairs, decorated the tables. Then they helped with to-go’s and stood in the serving lines...

“Just so much activity and we couldn’t do it without them, it was too big of a job. We can’t do something this big without community help. People stepped right up. We had to turn [volunteers] away, we had too many people trying to help. People would come and bring their kids... They were serving whipped cream, putting it on pies right in front of people.”

That huge groundswell of support from the community only reinforced the message that the Salvation Army is trying to send. That regardless of the level of need, there are people in the community willing to step up and help.

“To have the meal here, it’s a real honor to have people come and sit with us. We try our best to let them know they’re loved, and they’re cared about. We just want them to know that on Thanksgiving,” said Kauffman.

The philosophy extends to the Salvation Army’s warming center, which opens each winter to keep the unhoused out of the cold and potentially dangerous weather. Though there is a conditional requirement (centers



Contributed photo
South Coast Gospel Mission's impressive dessert spread.

can’t open unless the National Weather Service predicts below freezing temperatures), the center at 1155 Flanagan Ave in Empire will provide shelter as often as possible, with cots and other accommodations available for those that need it. So far this year, that need has seemed larger than ever.

“From Nov. 15th through Dec. 1st, we’ve served anywhere from 38 to 54 people... The lowest night was the night after Thanksgiving, it’s been in the forties and fifties every night since then,” explained Kauffman.

That extends to pets

as well, with Kauffman estimating, that 5 cats and 11 puppies have taken shelter too.

“Everyone’s welcome,” closed Kauffman with a laugh.

At the South Coast Gospel Mission, where the services are a little more specific to the unhoused, another local meal service was conducted for around 80 of the area’s homeless. We spoke to Executive Director Joshua Haynes about their service.

“It means everything. Everybody that works at the Mission is a former resident of the Mission. So, I myself am a former

homeless individual, I was a resident of the Mission for a year. Everybody that works here is for the Mission and the mission of the Mission, which is to help those in need,” said Haynes.

With an impressive desert spread and their own regular volunteers, the Mission looks to cater their services specifically toward the needs of Coos Bay’s unhoused. Haynes spoke to the importance of their volunteers, who

work diligently to make connections and bring people up.

“The volunteers are amazing. They give their heart to the Mission. The one’s who were at meal service, with the exception of one person, everybody’s a regular. So, it’s not just people coming in just to feel good about themselves, they are actually there for the work...

“A big part of that is creating relationships with those in need because

that’s a way to give a hand up. You create those relationships, and then you can give someone a hand up, not just a handout. That’s what we’re about, crating victories at the mission,” said Haynes.

The World would like to thank the Salvation Army Coos Bay Corps and the South Coast Gospel Mission and join them in thanking those who sacrificed a little bit of their holiday to serve the needs of the community.

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Vinyard receives USATF state age-group award

Coos Bay youth Logan Vinyard was named the Male Field Athlete of the Year for the 12-and-under age group by the USA Track & Field Oregon Association.

The reward recognized Vinyard for a strong summer track season with the Prefontaine Track Club.

At the Oregon State Junior Olympics Championships, Vinyard won the long jump by leaping 12 feet, 10 ¾ inches and also won the shot put with a mark of 22 feet, 10 inches. He finished second in the high jump, based on more misses than the winner, with both clearing 4 feet, 5 inches.

At the regional Junior Olympics Championships, Vinyard won the triathlon in his first attempt at the multi-event competition that included the shot put, high jump and 400 meters. He also won the high jump with a new best 4-5 ½ and finished sixth in the shot put and 10th in the long jump. He qualified for the Junior Olympics National Championships with his finishes in the high jump and triathlon.

Vinyard traveled to the national championships at Texas A&M University and finished

second in the 9-10 age group for the high jump, clearing 4-1 ½ in miserable weather. He also was 13th in the triathlon.

“If it wasn’t raining so bad with all the thunder and lightning, I think I would have been a national champion,” he said after the event.

“Logan truly loves the sport of track and field,” said his dad and coach, Jonathan Vinyard. “He could not be more happy accepting this award and being recognized with the likes of all the other great athletes in the state of Oregon.

“Everyone who puts in the time and practice for their individual events are much deserving of this recognition. Logan realizes this type of award isn’t something that is easily obtained and is striving to be even better next year.”

Logan loves to be involved in as many sports as possible.

“There is no stop or resting throughout the year in our household as both Logan and his twin brother Cooper jump right into the next sport as one ends,” Jonathan Vinyard said.

Right now that means basketball season, where the twins are part of a local traveling team that participates in



Logan Vinyard.

Courtesy photo

tournaments put on by Oregon Amateur Basketball. Last year

the team finished second in the state tournament.

Mac’s Run slated Saturday

Mac’s Run, the annual December event for the South Coast Running Club, is on Saturday, Dec. 14, starting and ending at Sunset Bay State Park near Charleston.

The event includes both 10-kilometer and 5-kilometer distances and is entirely on paved roads. Both races start at 10 a.m.

Both races take runners through Shore Acres State Park and the longer race also goes through Cape Arago State Park.

The entry fee for members of the South Coast Running Club who sign up early is \$15 and the pre-registration fee for non-members is \$25. Both increase by \$5 for those who sign up on race day. The entry fee for students is \$5.

To sign up early, or to sign up for the club or learn more about this race and other events, visit www.southcoastrunningclub.org.

RECENT EVENTS

The running club hosted its annual Turkey Trot on Thanksgiving day.

The event is not a race, in terms of competition, but more a fun way to get together and provide food for the South Coast ? More than 2,400 pounds of food was donated this year.

The most recent race was Run Whiskey Run in October, an event that included three different race distances.

Former Bandon High School standout Sailor Hutton won the longest event, the Double Shot, which measured about 10 miles on the Whiskey Run mountain bike trails. Hutton finished in 1 hour, 14 minutes and 2 seconds.

Sam Dannenbring was second, in 1:14:43, followed by Daniel Fiorvanti (1:22:51), Moises Garcia (1:23:12), Eric Sugarman (1:24:30) and Matthew Stuber (1:26:35).

Dani Woodward was the second female finisher and seventh overall (1:28:55) an Vanessa Mohrbacher was third among females (1:39:42).

In the 5-mile Whiskey Ginger race, Angelo Pedrini finished first in 39:28. He was followed by Daniel DeSurra (39:48), Luke Padilla (40:50) and Kyle Erm (40:54).

Isabelle Smith was first among female finishers in fifth overall (42:59), and followed among women by Jen Fedorov (44:18), Ellen Kramer (50:15) and Alyson Barker (51:27).

Elementary school student Clementine Miller, a late entrant, was fastest in the 1.5-mile Shirley Temple run finishing in 19:37.

She was followed by Cooper Goudelock (20:51) and Josh Goudelock, the first male finisher (20:53). Maria Smith was fourth (21:02), followed by Veronica Grave (22:50) and Jennifer Knight (25:37). Finn Huff was second among male finishers (29:01), followed closely by Elsa Huff (29:02) and Julie Huff (29:03).

Complete results are available on the running club website.

Coquille girls open hoop season with wins

JOHN GUNTHER
For the World

Coquille’s girls easily won both games in their annual Winter Lake Showcase event over the weekend.

The Red Devils beat Elmira 53-17 and Harrisburg 47-11. The Red Devils host Pleasant Hill in a big early nonleague game Tuesday and are at La pine on Friday.

BULLDOGS SPLIT: North Bend’s girls opened the basketball season with a big win over visiting Douglas on opening night last week, topping the Trojans 51-9.

The Bulldogs lost a close game to Tillamook on Saturday at Taft High School, 40-36, and this week have a trio of road games, at Ashland on Wednesday, Phoenix on Friday and Hidden Valley on Saturday. North Bend also hosts Newport on Monday and North Valley on Tuesday to finish a stretch of five games in seven days.

BOBCATS WIN TWO: Myrtle Point’s girls got a convincing win to open the season, topping visiting South Umpqua 55-30. They also beat Siuslaw 36-16 as part of Coquille’s Winter Lake Showcase.

The Bobcats visit Pacific on Monday and Powers on Tuesday.

CRUISERS WIN OPENER: Powers opened the season with a win at Mohawk 47-26, but lost two other close road games, falling to Southwest Christian 35-28 and then Perrydale 38-35. In addition to hosting Myrtle Point, the Cruisers host Waldport on Friday and play North Clackamas Christian at Oakland on Saturday.

TIGERS TAKE TWO: Bandon won two of its three games in the Culver Tournament. The Tigers topped host Culver in the opener 54-18, fell to Weston-McEwen 47-18

and beat Joseph 41-21.

Bandon is at North Valley on Tuesday and faces Nestucca at Siuslaw on Saturday.

PIRATES WIN ONE: Marshfield lost its first two games in the opening Crook County Tip-off, falling to host Crook County 39-24 and losing a close contest to Seaside 56-51 before pounding Mazama 74-23. The Pirates host Cascade Christian on Tuesday and are at Hidden Valley on Friday.

MONROE TOPS BRAVE: Reedsport’s girls fell to Monroe 62-19 at the Mapleton Classic. Toledo beat the Brave 68-22. The score of Saturday’s game was not available.

Reedsport hosts Siuslaw on Tuesday and is at Crow on Saturday this week.

IV EDGES PACIFIC: Pacific fell to Illinois Valley 43-38 in its season opener. In addition to hosting Myrtle Point on Monday, the Pirates face Crosspoint Christian on Friday and Lost River on Saturday in the Holiday Hoops Classic at Crosspoint Christian.

BOYS BASKETBALL PIRATES WIN TWO: Marshfield had two wins against bigger schools sandwiched around a close loss in the Crook County Tip-Off Classic. The Pirates beat Ridgeway 54-51, lost to Crook County 39-38 and beat Bend 52-43.

Marshfield hosts Cascade Christian on Tuesday and is at Hidden Valley on Friday and Phoenix on Saturday.

BULLDOGS BEAT DOUGLAS: North Bend beat Douglas 45-42 on opening night of the winter season.

The Bulldogs faced Tillamook on Saturday at Taft High School, losing 59-46. This week they are at Phoenix on Friday and Hidden Valley on Saturday and host Newport on Monday and North Valley on Tuesday next week.

TIGERS WIN AT CULVER: Bandon took its first two games in the Culver Tournament, topping the host Bulldogs 48-29 and Weston-McEwen 54-29. The score of Bandon’s Saturday game against Joseph was not available.

Bandon is at North Valley on Tuesday and faces Nestucca at Siuslaw on Saturday.

BOBCATS DROP TWO: Myrtle Point fell to South Umpqua 55-38 and then lost to Siuslaw 65-37 in the Winter Lake Classic.

The Bobcats are at Pacific on Monday and Powers on Tuesday and host McKenzie on Saturday.

RED DEVILS FALL: Elmira beat Coquille 55-38 in the Winter Lake Classic at Coquille on Friday. On Saturday, Harrisburg topped the host school 44-32.

The Red Devils face Pleasant Hill on Tuesday and visit La Pine on Friday.

POWERS WINS ONE: Days removed from winning the state football title, Powers split a pair of road games, falling to Southwest Christian 56-32 and edging Perrydale 45-43. The Cruisers host Myrtle Point on Tuesday and Waldport on Friday and face North Clackamas Christian at Oakland on Saturday.

REEDSPORT DROPS GAMES: Reed sport was edged by Toledo 56-54 in the Mapleton Winter Classic and then lost to Central Linn 58-42 and Lowell 64-52. Reedsport hosts Siuslaw on Tuesday and is at Crow on Saturday.

PACIFIC FALLS: Pacific lost its season opener to Illinois Valley 61-27. The Pirates host Myrtle Point on Monday and face Crosspoint Christian and Lost River on Friday and Saturday in the Holiday Hoops Classic at Crosspoint Christian.

WRESTLING

Big events coming up this weekend in wrestling and swimming

The winter sports season is under way and the area’s biggest local wrestling and swimming meets are this coming weekend, followed closely by one of the two premier basketball events in the area.

The Coast Classic wrestling tourna-

ment is Friday and Saturday at North Bend and features all the South Coast squads and several major ones throughout the state. Athletes will be competing in both boys and girls divisions.

Meanwhile, the North Bend Invitational swim meet is Saturday at North

Bend Municipal Pool and includes both Marshfield and host North Bend as well as several other schools.

In Basketball, the Les Schwab South Coast Holiday Tournament is Dec. 19-21 at Marshfield High School.

The girls field includes Marshfield

and Coquille, along with Mountain View, Junction City, Sutherlin, Crook County and Philomath.

The boys field includes Marshfield and North Bend, along with Mountain View, Junction City, Crook County, Redmond and Philomath.

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The Chamber Minute

From the desk of Rosey Thomas

By ROSEY THOMAS
Executive Director, Bay Area Chamber of Commerce

Welcome to another Chamber Minute! This is Rosey from Team ROJO, your Bay Area Chamber of Commerce Dream Team. We work tirelessly to support our Chamber members and strengthen the business community as a whole. As December arrives, it's a time for giving back and sharing our time, and Team ROJO is committed to doing just that. We're involved in various local initiatives, such as the Bus Jam Toy and Food Drive, to help our community. We even participated in the Dunk Tank to raise funds and we will volunteer at the event, happening on the first Saturday of December from

10 AM to 3 PM at both BiMart locations and at Rogue Credit Union in Bandon.

Our Chamber is full of passionate individuals who are dedicated to making things better for all of us. With 10 active committees, we're working behind the scenes to ensure a thriving community for both businesses and families. Joining the Bay Area Chamber is about more than just securing a directory listing. It means becoming part of a larger movement that supports Government Advocacy, Economic Development, Education, and more. We're incredibly grateful for the members who help make all of this possible.

Now that my first year is

behind me, I look forward to connecting with each of you and learning more about what you'd like to see moving forward. If you haven't met Team ROJO yet, come by the Chamber Office and check out our new window art! And remember: Our business is helping your business. Be sure to Like us on Facebook, Heart our page on the Community Plus App, and subscribe to our YouTube channel @ bayareachamberofcommerce Team Rojo

Upcoming Events:

December 11th
WBC Wednesday Business Connection Luncheon
Port of Coos Bay Update...
TBA



Rosey Thomas

Dec. 13th • 6:45am - 11:00am
32nd Annual Economic Outlook Forum
At the Mill Casino Salmon Room. Tickets available at: oregonsbayarea.org or call 541-266-0868

December 17th • 4:00pm
Ribbon Cutting at Outwest Sports
1354 N Bayshore Dr. (New Coos Bay Village)

Drains to Bay

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these pollutants enter our waterways, they create harmful conditions such as higher temperatures and less oxygen, which harms the salmon,

lamprey, crabs, birds, and insects that make up the aquatic food web. **What can I do?** Visit the stencils (can you find all 14?), talk

about them with your friends and family, and then decide how to incorporate the messages into your own life! Here are some tips for keeping

the bay clean: check your cars for leaks, minimize pesticide and herbicide use in your yard, avoid washing cars with soap directly on pavement, landscape with native plants, and install rain gardens or permeable pavement. For more ideas, visit the

website below. And if you are interested in volunteering to paint with us in 2025, reach out to kklietz@cooswatershed.org. Thank you to our collaborators for making this project possible: Confederated Tribes of Coos, Lower Umpqua,

and Siuslaw Indians, City of Coos Bay, City of North Bend, Community Coalition of Empire, and Ram Papish Art, with funding provided by Trust Management Services. cooswatershed.org/what-we-do/restoration/#urban



South Coast Cooperative Weed Management Area Presents:

Weed of the Month

English holly - Ilex aquifolium

ID Tips:

- leaves are thick, glossy, dark green, wavy, and SHARP, growing 1-3 in. long
- bunches of red, yellow or orange berries, **poisonous to people and pets**
- shrubs that can grow into 30 ft. trees and live to 300 years!
- thrives in the understory of coniferous forests, unlike most invaders

Winter tradition:

- holly has been used during winter celebrations since before the Romans, currently known as a symbol of Christmas

Ecological impacts:

- displaces native plants, alters wildlife habitat
- seeds are widely transported and spread due to bird droppings

Prevention:

- holly is extremely difficult to remove once established, since it regenerates from roots, best to plant a native shrub instead
- by cutting down your holly, you will keep the berries from spreading into the forest!

established plants will regrow from the trunk

Report:

- no need to report

Contact your Local Watershed Weed Expert.

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Local Artist

Photo Spotlight

Photo submitted by Kenzie Prince (age 15)



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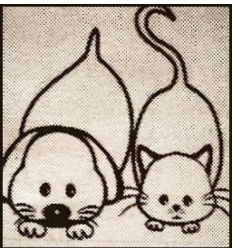
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TS No. OR08000204-22-5S APN 331112 | 331111 TO No 628856AM TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE Reference is made to that certain Trust Deed made by, VIRGINIA L. ROUSH AND RICHARD L. ROUSH HUSBAND AND WIFE as Grantor to U.S. BANK TRUST COMPANY, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION as Trustee, in favor of U.S. BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION N.D. as Beneficiary dated as of June 5, 2008 and recorded on July 9, 2008 as Instrument No. 2008-7315 of official records in the Office of the Recorder of Coos County, Oregon to-wit: APN: 331112 | 331111 BEGINNING AT AN IRON ROD ON THE EAST BOUNDARY OF LOT 1 OF SECTION 17,TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH, RANGE 13 WEST OF THE WILLAMETTE MERIDIAN, A DISTANCEOF 128.33 FEET SOUTH OF THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF THE SAID SECTION 17; THENCE SOUTH 01 DEGREE 34 MINUTES EAST ALONG THE SAID EAST BOUNDARY OF SECTION 17 FOR A DISTANCE OF 250.00 FEET; THENCE LEAVING SAID EASTBOUNDARY OF SECTION 17, NORTH 78 DEGREES 39 MINUTES 26 SECONDS WEST FOR A DISTANCE OF 150.74 FEET TO A POINT ON THE EAST BOUNDARY OF A ROADWAY; THENCE ALONG SAID ROADWAY ALONG A CURVE TO THE LEFT HAVING A 316.50 FOOT RADIUS, THROUGH A CENTRAL ANGLE 48 DEGREES 10 MINUTES 52 SECONDS FOR A DISTANCE OF 266.15 FEET; THENCE NORTH 08 DEGREES 50 MINUTES 00 SECONDS EAST FOR A DISTANCE OF 3.42 FEET TO THE POINT OF BEGINNING, BEING A PORTION OF LOT 1 OF SECTION 17, TOWNSHIP 25 SOUTH,RANGE 13 WEST OF THE WILLAMETTE MERIDIAN, COOS COUNTY, OREGON. Commonly known as: 1675 MAXWELL ST, COOS BAY, OR 97420 Both the Beneficiary, U.S. Bank National Association, and the Trustee, Nathan F. Smith, Esq., OSB #120112, 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. The default for which the foreclosure is made is the Grantor's failure to pay: Failed to pay payments which became due Total Payment(s): Total Payments from 06/10/2021 to 11/12/2024 at \$81,453.01 Total Late Charge(s): Total Late Charge(s) at \$75.00 By this reason of said default the Beneficiary has declared all obligations secured by said Trust Deed immediately due and payable, said sums being the following, to-wit: The sum of \$199,050.29 together with interest thereon at the rate of 7.50000% per annum from May 10, 2021 until paid; plus all accrued late charges thereon; and all Trustee's fees, foreclosure costs and any sums advanced by the Beneficiary pursuant to the terms of said Trust Deed. Wherefore, notice is hereby given that, the undersigned Trustee will on March 19, 2025 at the hour of 01:00 PM, Standard of Time, as established by Section 187.110, Oregon Revised Statutes, Main Entrance, Coos County Courthouse, 250 North Baxter Street, Coquille, OR 97423 County of Coos, 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

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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 or 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. 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. In construing this notice, the masculine gender includes the feminine and the neuter, the singular includes plural, the word "Grantor" includes any successor in interest to the Grantor as well as any other persons owing an obligation, the performance of which is secured by said Trust Deed, the words "Trustee" and "Beneficiary" includes their respective successors in interest, if any. Dated: October 24,2024 By: Nathan F. Smith, Esq., OSB #120112 Successor Trustee Malcolm & Cisneros, A Law Corporation Attention: Nathan F. Smith, Esq., OSB #120112 c/o TRUSTEE CORPS 17100 Gillette Ave, Irvine, CA 92614 949-252-8300 NPP0467855 12/10, 12/17, 12/24, & 12/31/2024, World 404777

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Amanda L. Bennett has been appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Denise Paulette Hockema, deceased, Coos County Circuit Court Case No. 24PB10316. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present the same within four months from the date of publication of this Notice to the Personal Representative at Thorp Purdy Jewett Urness & Wilkinson, P.C., 1011 Harlow Road, Suite 300, Springfield, Oregon 97477, or they may be barred. Any person whose rights may be affected by these proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the above-entitled Court, the Personal Representative, or from the Personal Representative's attorneys. DATED and published: December 10, 2024 /s/ Amanda L. Bennett Personal Representative 12/10/2024, World 405151

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA JULIEANN SONG LOPEZ, Plaintiff vs. GAYLE WANDA JUNG, Defendant. CASE NO.: D-27-691961-L DEPT. NO.: P

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1. File with the clerk of the clerk of this court, whose address is shown below, a formal written response to the Complaint in accordance with the rules of the court, with the appropriate filing fee.
2. Serve a copy of your response upon the attorney whose name and address is shown below, or upon the Plaintiff if Plaintiff is in Proper Person.
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Submitted by: JAMES E. SMITH, Attorney for: Plaintiff **JULIEANN SONG LOPEZ**
By: STEVE GRIERSON, CLERK OF THE COURT
Shaun Salcedo, Deputy Clerk
Date: 7/9/2024
Family Court Complex
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Las Vegas, NV 89101
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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE STATE OF OREGON IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF COOS ONITY LOAN ACQUISITION TRUST 2024-HB2, Plaintiff, vs. THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF SHIRLEY A. JANSSEN; THOMAS DALE; SECRETARY OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; WESTERN MERCANTILE AGENCY; ALL OTHER PERSONS OR PARTIES UNKNOWN CLAIMING ANY RIGHT, TITLE, LIEN, OR INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY; and ALL OTHER OCCUPANTS OF THE PROPERTY, Defendants. Case No. 24CV51822 SUMMONS TO: THE UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF SHIRLEY A. JANSSEN and ALL OTHER PERSONS OR PARTIES UNKNOWN CLAIMING ANY RIGHT, TITLE, LIEN, OR INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON: You are hereby required to appear and defend the complaint filed against you in the above-entitled cause within 30 days from the date of service of this summons on you. If you fail to appear and defend, the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. SUMMARY STATEMENT FOR RELIEF SOUGHT Plaintiff, ONITY LOAN ACQUISITION TRUST 2024-HB2, made a loan on October 19, 2009, which was secured by a Deed of Trust recorded on October 23, 2009, giving Plaintiff interest in the real property located at 2141 N Lake Rd. Lakeside, OR 97449. The loan has defaulted and Plaintiff seeks to foreclose. PRAYER FOR RELIEF 1. For an Order granting judgment against Borrower in favor of Plaintiff and/or declaring the amount due from Borrower to Plaintiff. 2. Foreclosing Plaintiff's Deed of Trust lien and ordering the sale of the Property described above by the county Sheriff in the

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manner prescribed by law pursuant to ORS 18.901 et seq., with proceeds of sale paid into court. 3. Granting any other further relief as the court may deem just and equitable. 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 must be given to the court clerk or administrator within 30 days along with the required filing fee. It must be in proper form and have proof of service on the plaintiff's lawyer or, if the plaintiff does not have a lawyer, 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 contact the Oregon State Bar's Lawyer Referral Service online at www.oregonstatebar.org or by calling (503) 684-3763 (in the Portland metropolitan area) or toll-free elsewhere in Oregon at (800) 452-7636. NOTICE TO ANY VETERAN OF THE ARMED FORCES If the recipient of this notice is a veteran of the armed forces, assistance may be available from a county veterans' service officer or community action agency. Contact information for a service officer appointed 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

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of Veterans Services for all Oregon counties by visiting the following link: <https://www.oregon.gov/odva/Services/Pages/All-Services-Statewide.aspx>. DATED this 1st day of November 2024. /s/ Nathan Harpham Nathan Harpham, OSB #143338 650 NE Holladay St, Suite 1600 Portland, OR 97232 Telephone: (971) 270-1233 nate.harpham@mtglawfirm.com 12/3, 12/10, 12/17, & 12/24/2024, World 404694 ----- IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF COOS, PROBATE DEPARTMENT In the Matter of the Estate of: DAVID JOHNATHAN WEINSTIEN, Decedent. Case No.: 24PB08605 NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Johnathan Weinstein has been appointed Personal Representative. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with vouchers attached, to Amy L. Muenchrath, attorney for the Administrator, at MuenchrathLaw, LLC, 280 N. Collier St., Coquille, Oregon 97423, 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 probate clerk's office at the Coos County Courthouse, Probate Department 250 N Baxter, Coquille, Oregon 97423, Monday through Friday between 8 am and noon, and 1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m., the Administrator, or the attorney for the Administrator, Amy L. Muenchrath, MuenchrathLaw, LLC, 280 N. Collier St., Coquille, Oregon 97423. Dated and first published this 10th day of December, 2024. 12/10/2024, World 405104

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SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION Case No.: 24CV30948 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF COOS CITIBANK, N.A., AS TRUSTEE FOR CMLTI ASSET TRUST, Plaintiff, vs. UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF MARGO L NIX AKA MARGO LYNN NIX AKA MARGO NIX; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND DEVISEES OF RODNEY E NIX AKA RODNEY EARL NIX AKA RODNEY NIX; GENERAL CREDIT SERVICES, INC.; AMERICAN GENERAL FINANCIAL SERVICES (DE), INC.; FIRST PORTFOLIO VENTURES I, LLC; WESTERN MERCANTILE AGENCY INC.; OCCUPANTS OF THE PROPERTY AT 93718 E HOWARD AVE, COOS BAY, OR 97420; OCCUPANTS OF THE PROPERTY AT 63776 ELLEN ST, COOS BAY, OR 97420, Defendants. To: **The Unknown Heirs and Devisees of Margo L Nix aka Margo Lynn Nix aka Margo Nix and The Unknown Heirs and Devisees of Rodney E Nix aka Rodney Earl Nix aka Rodney Nix 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**

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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 93718 E Howard Ave, Coos Bay, OR 97420. Date of First Publication: McCarthy & Holthus, LLP _ John Thomas OSB No. 024691 Grace Chu OSB No. 220848 _ David Swartley OSB No. 232327 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 #0225428 11/26, 12/3, 12/10, & 12/17/2024, World 404442**

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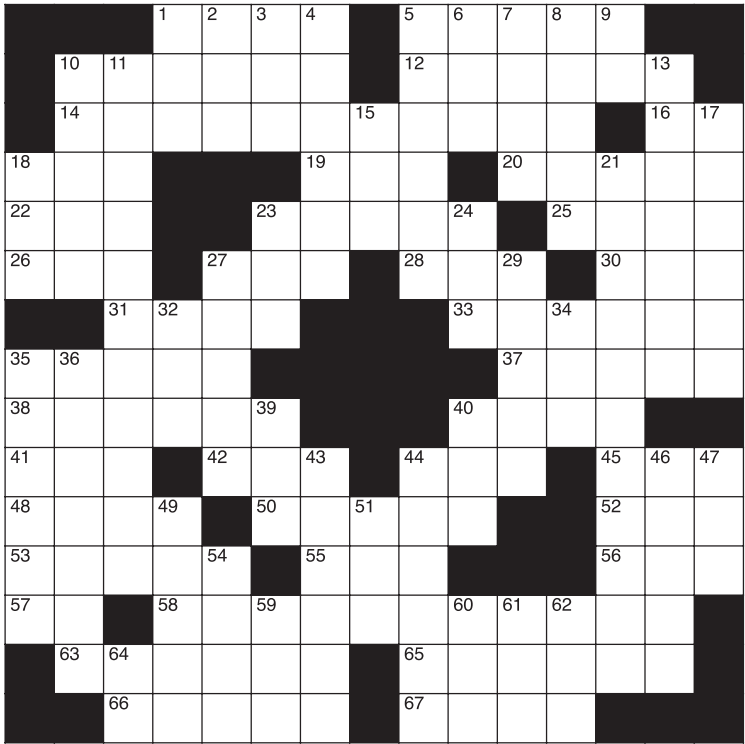
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF COOS PROBATE DEPARTMENT No 24PB10213 NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS In the Matter of the Estate of **VICKI LOUISE GERSEY, Deceased.** Notice is hereby given that THOMAS J. GERSEY has been appointed as the personal representative of the above estate. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them to the undersigned personal representative in care of the undersigned attorney at: 444 N 4th Street, Coos Bay, OR 97420, within four months after the date of publication of this notice, or their claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the above proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, the personal representative, or the attorney for the personal representative. Dated and published on: December 3, 2024. **THOMAS J. GERSEY, Personal Representative Christian M. Oelke, OSB No. 983127, Scarborough, McNeese, Oelke & Kilkenny, PC, Attorney for Personal Representative** 444 N 4th Street Coos Bay, OR 97420 (541) 982-5678 12/10/2024, World 405071 ----- **Auction Notice** Storage Auction for Midway Storage, Coos Bay, OR. Auction at www.storage-resures.com, Ends January 2, 2025 @ 6 pm, Tricia Vincent, Unit A-5 & BB-33. \$100.00 min deposit. 12/10 & 12/17/2024, World 405183 ----- Notice of Lien Sale 1980s Tolly Craft for Auction. As is, where is. Auctioned off to highest bidder on 12/20/2024 @ 12:30pm Auction located at Reedsport Machine and Fabrication, LLC, 170 Bay Front Loop, Winchester Bay, OR 97467 12/10 & 12/17/2024, World 405160



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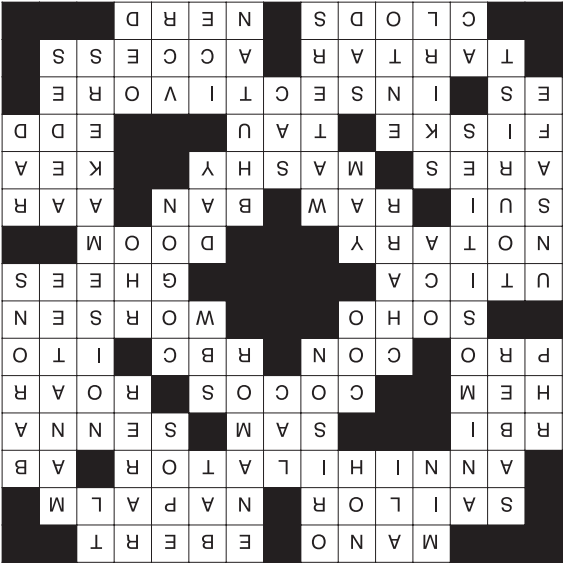
CLUES ACROSS

- 1. Hand (Spanish)
- 5. Siskel and ___ critics
- 10. Seaman
- 12. Chemical weapon
- 14. One who eliminates
- 16. They precede C
- 18. Baseball stat
- 19. Americans "uncle"
- 20. Cassia tree
- 22. Surround
- 23. Crisp and Pebbles are two
- 25. A sudden very loud sound
- 26. Affirmative
- 27. Disadvantage
- 28. Corpuscule count (abbr.)
- 30. OJ trial judge
- 31. New York art district
- 33. Become more bleak
- 35. Upstate NY city

CLUES DOWN

- 37. Clarified butters
- 38. One who witnesses
- 40. Condemn
- 41. ___ juris
- 42. Natural
- 44. Prohibit
- 45. Swiss river
- 48. Greek war god
- 50. 5 iron
- 52. New Zealand mountain parrot
- 53. Scandinavian surname
- 55. Follows sigma
- 56. Doctor of Education
- 57. Spanish be
- 58. One that feeds on bugs
- 63. Tooth issue
- 65. Get into
- 66. Lumps of clay
- 67. Overly studious student

PUZZLE ANSWERS



Budget

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another \$1.2 million savings from the sheriff's office budget this year. The sheriff said later he would have to lay off seven to eight deputies to meet that goal, in addition to the corrections officers laid off when the second jail pod closes. Sweet's motion passed 2-1 with Commission Chairman Rod Taylor opposed. The commissioners' decision came at the end of a sometimes contentious 3-½ hour meeting before a lively crowd in the commissioners' meeting room. Each of the three commissioners laid out their ideas for saving money and Taylor opened the floor to citizens who voiced their ideas and opinions. Among them was Chris Castleman of Coos Bay, who proposed a county-wide donation model for supporting the sheriff's office and district attorney.

Castleman, who ran unsuccessfully in the May primary for a commissioner's position, made a brief presentation promoting his 'Coos County Safe Neighborhoods Initiative.' He said 30-40 people have been involved in this effort, which he called "a new, open-minded perspective." Explaining his proposal, Castleman said he believes county residents and businesses would donate money to keep the sheriff's office operating at the current level. He suggested his group could collect \$1.2 million and asked the county to match the donations to reach a \$2.4 million goal. "I think we can do it," he said. "I know we can do it." Responding to Castleman's proposal, Sweet said, "There's too

much uncertainty. We just can't afford uncertainty. We can't budget on money we don't know we'll get year after year, month after month. ... I think we need to make cuts." Taylor's cost-cutting ideas began with implementing a 35-hour work week in all general-fund departments. It would reduce everyone's pay, he said, but be an alternative to workers having to cover for one who's laid off. Taylor also recommended a hiring freeze for the remainder of the fiscal year and laying off one person in each of the clerk's, assessor's, surveyor's and treasurer's offices. He said the county should stop buying new vehicles, buying used vehicles instead, and should eliminate some expenditures for rented spaces. For the long term, Taylor recommended implementing a 2 percent countywide sales tax, excluding some purchases, to support county operations.

Sweet estimated that cutting the county work week to 35 hours would result in about a 10 percent reduction in the county's \$30 million general fund budget and might result in employees quitting. Commissioner Robert "Bob" Main, offering his ideas, said the county should close the second jail pod. Additionally, he recommended cutting two appraisers from the assessor's office, one from county counsel, two from

crime victim's assistance, and a half from child support enforcement. For the long term, Main suggested the county begin liquidating county parks that are not revenue-makers and consider selling county forest lands. Responding to the discussion, Fabrizio questioned Castleman's donation model. "That's a helluva gamble," he said, adding that Taylor's sales tax plan was a good idea, but it would take time to implement. Sweet agreed, estimating implementing a county sales tax might take three or four years. Colton Totland, county counsel, said, "There's no equivalent in the state of Oregon." He said there are a number of uncertainties, including setting up the tax department to collect and distribute it and the uncertainty of voters approving it. "The last sales tax in Josephine county lost by 80 percent. Can we get it passed by voters and can we implement it," he asked. Megan Simms, county finance director, questioned the county's ability to enforce collecting sales tax revenue from businesses. "It would be a challenge," she said. Totland said state revenue department officials have instead suggested a countywide corporate activities tax that the county could work with state to implement. "That seems more feasible," he said.

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Michael Thomas Nelson

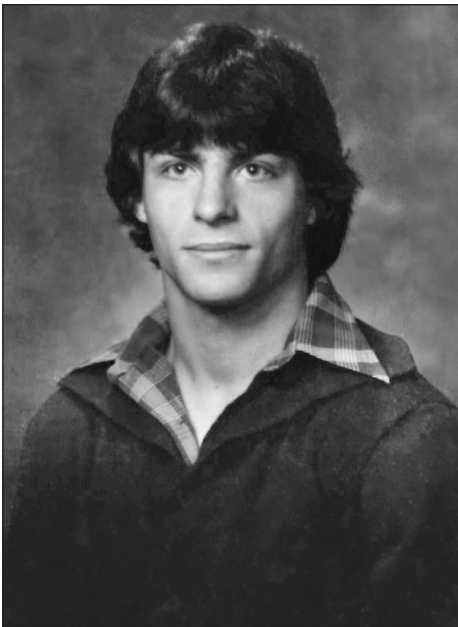
May 17, 1960 – November 20, 2024

Michael Thomas Nelson, 64, passed away on November 20, 2024, in Eugene. He was born in North Bend, Oregon on May 17, 1960, to Layton and Phyllis Nelson.

Raised in North Bend, Mike graduated in 1979 from North Bend High School. He attended SWOCC and Southern Oregon University, where he wrestled for both schools. After graduating from Southern Oregon, Mike became a substitute teacher and wrestling coach at Sandy and West Linn High Schools in the Portland Metro Area. He was teaching and coaching at West Linn when he was tragically injured in an automobile accident in 1988 that left him with permanent disabilities.

Mike loved sports and in particular, wrestling. He and his North Bend team took first place at the state wrestling championship in 1979; the first team in the school’s history to win a State Title. After graduating from Southern Oregon, Mike was selected to participate on the United States Wrestling Team that traveled to South Africa for international competition.

Those who knew Mike will remember his gregarious personality and uncanny ability to make others laugh. When faced with the uphill battle to overcome the many hurdles he faced after his accident, Mike was always able to put a smile on the faces of those who cared for him and loved him. Instead of saying goodbye, he would always say, “You’ll see me when I



see you.”

Mike is survived by his brother, Jeffrey (Linda) of Redmond, Oregon; sisters, Sandee Alto (Bud) of Willow, Alaska and Susan Peach of Longview, Washington; along with several nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents, Layton and Phyllis Nelson.

A private Memorial Service was held at Holly Residential Care Facility in Eugene and a Celebration of Life will be held at a later date.

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John Wesley Thomson

March 11, 1949 – November 26, 2024

John Wesley Thomson, born on March 11, 1949, passed peacefully, November 26, 2024. John bravely and proudly served his country with honor and dedication in the US Army during the Korean War, qualities that he carried throughout his life.

John was known for his humor, charm, devotion

and strength; traits that endeared him to his family and friends. His legacy is carried on by his surviving family members, who remember him fondly for the joy and laughter he brought into their lives.

The viewing is Saturday, December 7th from 3- 7 p.m., and the services are December 9th at 10 a.m.



both are located at Macy & Son.

Death Notices

Brenda Kay Noble, 74, of North Bend, passed away on November 23, 2024 in Eugene. Arrangements are under the care of North Bend Chapel, 541-756-0440.

Bonnie L. Culley, 80, of North Bend, passed away on November 25, 2024 in Bandon. Arrangements are under the care of North Bend Chapel, 541-756-0440.

Stevie Lynn Worthey, 68, of North Bend, passed away on December 1, 2024 in Coos Bay. Arrangements are under the care of North Bend Chapel, 541-756-0440.

Victor Koliczew, age 73, of North Bend, passed away December 1, 2024 at Coos Bay. Arrangements under the direction of Nelson’s Bay Area Mortuary. 541 267-4216.

Joan Walthall, 90, of Coos Bay, passed away on December 2, 2024 in Sweet Home. Arrangements are under the care of Weddle Funeral Service, 503-769-2423.

Verl Allen “Al” Rand, age 89, of Coos Bay, passed away November 27, 2024 at Coos Bay. Arrangements under the direction of Nelson’s Bay Area Mortuary. 541 267-4216.

POLICE 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.

Monday 11/25

- North Bend**
- 4:07 am, dispute, 3698 block of Broadway Avenue.
 - 4:13 am, disorderly conduct, 3635 block of Sherman Avenue.
 - 6:32 am, business alarm, 598 block of Chappell Parkway.
 - 6:52 am, business alarm, 1500 block of 16th Street.
 - 8:03 am, criminal mischief, 1614 block of Union Avenue.
 - 11:13 am, theft, 3201 block of Tremont Avenue.
 - 3:06 pm, hit and run, 1611 block of Virginia Avenue.
 - 4:50 pm, dispute, 2075 block of Lincoln Street.
 - 5:00 pm, suspicious subject, area of Broadway and Newmark.
 - 6:15 pm, dispute, 3698 block of Broadway Avenue.
 - 6:37 pm, 60 year old male cited on driving while suspended, area of Tremont and Highway.
 - 11:07 pm, dispute, 1011 block of Virginia Court.
- Coos Bay**
- 12:23 am, disorderly conduct, 1625 block of

- Newmark Avenue.
- 12:57 am, shoplifter, 600 block of North Bayshore Drive.
- 1:09 am, 21 year old male transported to Coos County Jail on failure to appear on DUII, reckless driving, failure to perform duties of a driver and criminal mischief II, 1005 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 2:02 am, suspicious subject, 1660 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 7:00 am, criminal trespass, 281 block of Laclair Street.
- 7:07 am, unauthorized use of motor vehicles, 1100 block of South Broadway.
- 8:01 am, criminal mischief, 324 block of Ackerman Avenue.
- 8:12 am, suspicious subject, 1075 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 9:37 am, dispute, 1445 block of North Bayshore Drive.
- 11:08 am, dispute, 2051 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 11:12 am, unauthorized use of motor vehicle, area of North Marple.
- 1:50 pm, fraud, 1272 block of Park Avenue.
- 2:06 pm, unlawful vehicle, area of North 8th Street and Pine Avenue.
- 3:06 pm, theft, 2665 block of North 14th Street.
- 3:27 pm, accident, area of Highway 101 and Alder Avenue.
- 3:53 pm, disorderly conduct and threats, area of Anderson and 5th.

- 4:18 pm, unlawful vehicle, area of 15th and Nutwood Avenue.
- 4:23 pm, dispute, 955 block of Kentucky Avenue.
- 4:33 pm, unauthorized use of motor vehicle, 868 block of 8th Terrace.
- 10:55 pm, criminal trespass, 295 block of Holland Avenue.
- 11:20 pm, theft, 1625 block of Newmark Avenue.

- Coquille**
- 7:04 am, fire, area of North Grape Street.
 - 4:03 pm, criminal trespass, 89 block of West 3rd Street.

- Reedsport**
- 12:41 pm, animal problem, 3435 block of Fernwood Place.
 - 12:55 pm, harassment, 97 block of Rowe Street.
 - 6:07 pm, domestic disturbance, 1977 block of Cedar Avenue.
 - 6:44 pm, trespassing, 376 block of Winchester Avenue.
 - 7:35 pm, fire, 529 block of Regents Place.

Tuesday 11/26

- North Bend**
- 2:12 am, prowler, 3544 block of Pine Street.
 - 2:34 am, criminal trespass, 3432 block of Cedar Street.
 - 6:45 am, injured animal, 3863 block of Vista Drive.
 - 7:45 am, criminal trespass, 3427 block of Ash Street.
 - 8:04 am, 20 year old male cited on driving while suspended, area of Virginia and Myrtle.
 - 8:58 am, criminal trespass, 2077 block of Sherman Avenue.
 - 9:07 am, suspicious subject, 1800 block of Virginia Avenue.
 - 9:29 am, 36 year old transported to Coos County Jail on failure to appear on warrant service, area of Virginia and Meade.
 - 10:05 am, shoplifter, 3411 block of Broadway Avenue.
 - 10:11 am, injured animal, 451 block of O’Connell Street.
 - 11:09 am, 80 year old cited on hit and run, 3303 block of Broadway Avenue.

- 11:52 am, shoplifter, 1611 block of Virginia Avenue.
- 12:37 pm, criminal mischief, 2232 block of Broadway Avenue.
- 4:57 pm, injured animal, 2705 block of Stanton Avenue.
- 5:23 pm, hit and run, 1885 block of Waite Street.
- 5:24 pm, inured animal, 1930 block of Maple Street.
- 7:19 pm, fraud, 2232 block of Broadway Avenue.
- 7:23 pm, theft, 2170 block of Garfield Street.
- 7:59 pm, disorderly conduct, area of Tremont and Highway Street.
- 9:32 pm, unauthorized use of motor vehicle, 2243 block of Madrona Street.
- 11:51 pm, criminal trespass, 2265 block of Newmark Street.

- Coos Bay**
- 3:36 am, assault, 1775 block of Thompson Road.
 - 6:07 am, disorderly conduct, 200 block of South Broadway Street.
 - 7:10 am, theft, 859 block of E Street.
 - 8:22 am, disorderly conduct, 171 block of South Broadway Street.
 - 8:32 am, 40 year old female and 26 year old male transported to Coos County Jail on burglary and possession of controlled substance, 2115 block of Thompson Avenue.
 - 8:58 am, dispute, 960 block of Maryland Avenue.
 - 9:57 am, suspicious subject, 1103 block of Newmark Avenue.
 - 10:08 am, 38 year old male transported to Coos County Jail on failure to appear on warrant service, criminal trespass I and theft II, 2031 block of Newmark Street.
 - 10:10 am, disorderly conduct, area of South 3rd.
 - 10:24 am, criminal trespass, 1088 block of Newmark Avenue.
 - 10:47 am, unlawful vehicle, 1835 block of North 15th Street.
 - 11:23 am, criminal trespass, 175 block of South 3rd Street.
 - 12:00 pm, 39 year old male cited on theft III,

- area of central and 13th.
- 1:24 pm, animal abuse, area of South Bound on Highway 101.
- 1:29 pm, shoplifter, 522 block of South 4th Street.
- 1:46 pm, injured animal, 1210 block of Fenwick Street.
- 2:03 pm, theft, area of Newmark and North Cammann.
- 6:46 pm, criminal trespass, 522 block of 4th Street.
- 7:08 pm, counterfeit money, 1313 block of North Bayshore Drive.
- 9:56 pm, theft, 1297 block of Ocean Boulevard.
- 11:58 pm, dispute, 245 block of South Schoneman Street.

- Coquille**
- 6:35 am, 42 year old female transported to Coos County Jail on criminal mischief I and disorderly conduct II, 42 block of East Highway 42.
 - 7:21 am, 57 year old male transported to Coos County Jail on criminal trespass II, 54 block of West Highway 42.
 - 10:24 am, lost dog, area of Rink Creek and highway 42.
 - 11:57 am, criminal trespass, 207 block of East 1st Street.
 - 2:55 pm, alarm, 250 block of North Baxter Street.
 - 5:37 pm, 37 year old male transported to Coos County Jail on rape I, criminal mistreatment I, assault IV and recklessly endangering another, area of Highway 42 South and Fishtrap.

- Reedsport**
- 8:55 am, fire, area of Mile Post 206 and Highway 101.
 - 3:50 pm, hit and run, area of Lower Umpqua Hospital.

Wednesday 11/27

- North Bend**
- 7:07 am, criminal trespass, 2000 block of Sherman.
 - 8:26 am, 47 year old male cited on criminal trespass II, 1595 block of Newmark Street.
 - 11:52 am, 60 year old male transported to Coos County Jail on possession of methamphetamine, possession of a controlled substance schedule 2, possession of heroin, possession of psilocybin mushrooms and possession of LSD, 3201 block of Tremont Avenue.
 - 11:52 am, 46 year old female transported to Coos County Jail on failure to appear on warrant and DUI, 3201 block of Tremont Avenue.
 - 1:27 pm, criminal trespass, 1611 block of Virginia Avenue.
 - 2:03 pm, hit and run, area of Cedar and Newmark Street.
 - 3:00 pm, business alarm, 2323 block of Pacific Avenue.
 - 3:30 pm, criminal trespass, 2121 block of Madrona Avenue.
 - 5:17 pm, injured animal, 1225 block of Ford Lane.
 - 10:37 pm, theft, 3201 block of Tremont Avenue.

- Coos Bay**
- 10:07 am, unlawful vehicle, area of Anderson and 10th.
 - 10:24 am, criminal mischief, 1270 block of North Bayshore Drive.
 - 10:35 am, criminal trespass, 275 block of East Johnson Avenue.
 - 11:50 am, sex offender registration, 500 block of Central Avenue.
 - 1:39 pm, unlawful vehicle, area of 4th and

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- Ingersoll.
- 1:42 pm, threats, 400 blocks of Central Avenue.
 - 1:44 pm, 43 year old male lodged at Coos County Jail on criminal driving while suspended or revoked, 479 block of Newmark Avenue.
 - 14:21 pm, threats, 474 block of 4th Avenue.
 - 2:35 pm, theft of bike, 525 block of Anderson Avenue.
 - 2:56 pm, 56 year old male lodged at Coos County Jail on criminal trespass II, 1195 block of Newmark Avenue.
 - 3:14 pm, criminal trespass, 2051 block of Newmark Avenue.
 - 3:24 pm, 31 year old male lodged at Coos County Jail on failure to appear on warrant and failure to perform the duties of a driver, 474 block of Morrison Street.
 - 3:43 pm, accident, area of Golden and 2nd.
 - 4:44 pm, alarm, 525 block of Pacific Avenue.
 - 5:29 pm, lost dog, 549 block of North Morrison Street.
 - 5:54 pm, accident, area of Johnson and Broadway.
 - 7:10 pm, criminal trespass, 2051 block of Newmark Avenue.
 - 7:45 pm, restraining order service, 500 block of Central Avenue.

Coquille

- 7:55 am, accident, area of Highway 42 and MP 7.
- 9:37 am, 57 year old male transported to Coos County Jail on criminal trespass, 207 block of East 1st Street.
- 11:36 am, criminal mischief, 997 block of West Central Boulevard.
- 2:38 pm, theft, 64 block of West Highway 42.
- 3:28 pm, 52 year old male transported to Coos County Jail on warrant charge, probation violation and 2 counts of failure to appear, 1490 block of West 10th Street.

Reedsport

- 8:49 am, alarm, area of First Interstate Bank.
- 1:30 pm, animal problem, 940 block of Rowe Street.

Thursday 11/28

North Bend

- 12:47 am, injured animal, 1225 block of Ford Lane.
- 8:23 am, criminal trespass, 2238 block of Pony Creek Road.
- 11:16 am, accident, area

- of Liberty.
- 12:02 pm, 40 year old male cited on driving while suspended, area of Sherman and Tower.
- 12:16 pm, assault, 2046 block of Virginia Court.
- 12:28 pm, theft, 3201 block of Tremont Avenue.
- 1:42 pm, disorderly conduct, 1700 block of Hamilton.
- 1:48 pm, dispute, 2046 block of Virginia Court.
- 1:59 pm, suspicious subject, 2108 block of Broadway Avenue.
- 2:12 pm, alarm, 1300 block of Virginia Avenue.
- 3:51 pm, disorderly conduct, 2238 block of Pony Creek Road.
- 5:47 pm, domestic harassment, 1613 block of 16th Street.
- 7:10 pm, dispute, 2087 block of Meade Avenue.
- 8:14 pm, criminal trespass, 1503 block of Virginia Avenue.
- 10:32 pm, suspicious subject, 2250 block of Virginia Avenue

Coos Bay

- 12:27 am, business alarm, 247 block of South 2nd Street.
- 2:49 am, dispute, 333 block of South 9th Street.
- 3:21 am, accident, 1880 block of North 7th Street.
- 7:13 am, theft, 1195 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 8:19 am, business alarm, 212 block of South 5th Street.
- 9:29 am, 37 year old male cited on criminal trespass II, 555 block of South Empire Boulevard.
- 10:13 am, criminal trespass, 965 block of South 1st Street.
- 10:19 am, dog found, 1400 block of North Bayshore.
- 12:13 pm, theft, 775 block of Anderson Avenue.
- 12:27 pm, alarm, 57744 block of Round Lake Road.
- 1:50 pm, criminal trespass, 1200 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 3:51 pm, dispute, 245 block of South Schoneman Street.
- 4:15 pm, suspicious subject, 500 block of Central Avenue.
- 5:13 pm, criminal trespass, 1103 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 6:52 pm, dispute, 1775 block of Thompson Road.
- 7:10 pm, suspicious subject, 251 block of North 14th Street.
- 7:15 pm, dispute, 1134 block of Juniper Avenue.

- 8:20 pm, alarm, 2297 block of Forest Hills Drive.
 - 8:27 pm, 30 year old male transported to Coos County Jail on domestic harassment, 994 block of Elrod Avenue.
 - 10:42 pm, 41 year old female cited on driving while suspended, 63033 block of Highway 101.
 - 11:10 pm, fire, area of MP 1.
 - 11:54 pm, 36 year old male cited on driving while suspended, 1297 block of Ocean Boulevard.
- Coquille
- 12:04 pm, criminal trespass, 794 block of East 2nd Street.
 - 7:42 pm, 37 year old male transported to Coos County Jail on theft III and criminal trespass I, 240 block of West Highway 42.
 - 8:39 pm, suspicious subject, 3 blocks of East 1st Street.
 - 11:19 pm, assault, 865 block of East 5th Street.

Reedsport

- 8:18 am, family offense, area of Black Forest Apartments.
- 1:26 pm, motor vehicle accident, 2885 block of Salmon Harbor Drive.
- 1:43 pm, motor vehicle accident, area of Banshee Hill.
- 9:26 pm, domestic disturbance, area of Forest Village Apartments.

Friday 11/29

North Bend

- 4:37 am, business alarm, 2238 block of Pony Creek Road.
- 7:23 am, 39 year old male lodged at Coos County Jail on theft, 1686 block of Oak Street.
- 11:06 am, 53 year old male cited on theft II, 2589 block of 14th Street.
- 3:36 pm, disorderly conduct, 3133 block of Broadway Avenue.
- 5:16 pm, criminal mischief, 2238 block of Pony Creek Road.
- 5:54 pm, 33 year old male cited on theft III, 2265 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 6:32 pm, threats, 1022 block of Clark Street.
- 7:59 pm, disorderly conduct, area of Newmark.
- 8:00 pm, disorderly conduct, 3200 block of Newmark Street.
- 10:49 pm, assault, 2232 block of Broadway Avenue.
- 11:13 pm, alarm, 2675 block of Colorado Avenue.

Coos Bay

- 12:25 am, dispute, 461 block of North 2nd Street.
- 2:36 am, prowler, 296 block of North 14th Street.
- 2:46 am, criminal trespass, 1075 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 4:15 am, criminal trespass, 1445 block of North Bayshore Drive.
- 5:23 am, alarm, 972 block of West Ingersoll Avenue.
- 8:04 am, 31 year old female transported to Coos County Jail on failure to appear on harassment, 2 counts of escape III and criminal mischief II, 1195 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 8:21 am, 30 year old male transported to Coos County Jail on criminal trespass I, theft II and possession of a controlled substance, 2051 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 8:21 am, 30 year old male transported to Coos County Jail on criminal trespass II and probation violation, 2051 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 8:33 am, criminal mischief, 350 block of Commercial Avenue.
- 9:24 am, found dog, 539 block of South Morrison Street.
- 11:14 am, business alarm, 1295 block of South Broadway Street.
- 12:07 pm, alarm, 333 block of South 4th Street.
- 12:19 pm, threats, 250 block of East Johnson Avenue.

- 12:31 pm, alarm, 1835 block of Ocean Boulevard.
- 12:48 pm, threats, 3260 block of Sandpiper Drive.
- 1:29 pm, lost dog, area of Salmon and Woolridge.
- 7:53 pm, 57 year old cited on driving while suspended, area of Montgomery Avenue and South Wall Street.
- 9:38 pm, dispute, 1588 block of Coos River Highway.
- 10:42 pm, shots fired, 1500 block of Pine Avenue.
- 11:23 pm, alarm, 149 block of South 7th Street.

Coquille

- 12:34 pm, theft, 96955 block of Highway 42 South.
- 9:41 pm, 57 year old male transported to Coos County Jail on criminal trespass II, 54 block of West Highway 42.

Reedsport

- 1:34 am, domestic disturbance, area of Forest Village Apartments.

- 6:08 am, fraud, 2321 block of Arthur Drive.
- 10:03 am, fire, area of Reedsport Community Charter School.
- 12:09 pm, disturbance, area of Fresh Coast Laundry.

Saturday 11/30

North Bend

- 3:32 am, theft, 3201 block of Tremont Avenue.
- 9:45 am, business alarm, 2323 block of Pacific Street.
- 11:11 am, 23 year old cited on driving while suspended, area of Highway 101 and North Bay Drive.
- 12:12 pm, accident, area of Newmark and Edgewood.
- 1:59 pm, harassment, 2131 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 3:13 pm, dispute, 1712 block of Meade Street.
- 4:24 pm, 27 year old female transported to Coos County Jail on probation violation, 2253 block of Newmark Street.
- 4:56 pm, injured animal, 451 block of O'Connell Street.
- 7:04 pm, 30 year old male cited on driving while suspended, area of Virginia and Monroe.
- 8:38 pm, criminal mischief, area of McCullough Bridge.
- 9:22 pm, fight, 2222 block of Broadway Avenue.

Coos Bay

- 12:06 am, criminal trespass, 1155 block of Flanagan Avenue.
- 4:00 am, business alarm, 289 block of Laclair Street.
- 5:15 am, 52 year old cited on driving while suspended, area of Johnson Avenue and South Broadway Street.
- 5:50 am, dispute, 456 block of North Marple Street.
- 6:30 am, 48 year old female cited on driving while suspended, area of Morgan Vet.
- 6:59 am, criminal trespass, 852 block of South 4th Street.
- 7:14 am, criminal trespass, 579 block of South Broadway Street.
- 8:36 am, criminal trespass, 997 block of South 1st Street.
- 2:58 pm, theft, 1988 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 4:39 pm, disorderly conduct, 525 block of Anderson Avenue.
- 5:02 pm, dispute, 1745 block of Newmark Street.
- 6:16 pm, business alarm, 175 block of Hall Avenue.
- 6:24 pm, business alarm, 270 block of South Broadway.
- 6:37 pm, 43 year old cited on driving while suspended, area of Oil Changers.
- 6:55 pm, suspicious subject, 1005 block of South Broadway Avenue.
- 7:00 pm, 22 year old male cited on driving while suspended, area of Southwest and Minnesota.
- 8:01 pm, theft, 2051 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 8:24 pm, criminal mischief, 1660 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 10:52 pm, 49 year old female cited on driving while suspended, 1109 block of South 1st Street.

- 6:55 pm, suspicious subject, 1005 block of South Broadway Avenue.
- 7:00 pm, 22 year old male cited on driving while suspended, area of Southwest and Minnesota.
- 8:01 pm, theft, 2051 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 8:24 pm, criminal mischief, 1660 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 10:52 pm, 49 year old female cited on driving while suspended, 1109 block of South 1st Street.

Coquille

- 2:22 pm, theft, 661 block of East 5th Street.

Reedsport

- 5:43 pm, fire, 200 block of Riverfront Way.
- 9:17 pm, trespassing, area of Reedsport Medical Clinic.

Sunday 12/1

North Bend

- 1:52 am, business alarm, 2323 block of Pacific Street.
- 12:41 pm, criminal trespass, 1450 block of Virginia Avenue.
- 4:15 pm, injured animal, 3595 block of Sheridan Avenue.
- 4:50 pm, 45 year old male cited on DUII, area of Brussels and Wall.
- 5:11 pm, criminal trespass, 3411 block of Broadway Avenue.
- 7:20 pm, 49 year old female cited on driving while suspended, area of Bayview and Sherman.
- 7:55 pm, harassment, 2352 block of Sherman Avenue.

Coos Bay

- 12:11 am, 35 year old female transported to Coos County Jail on probation violation on attempting to commit a class B felony and robbery II, area of Highway 101 and Center Road.
- 12:58 am, 48 year old female cited on driving while suspended, area of Weyerhauser Co. and Olive Barber Road.
- 2:36 am, 33 year old female transported to Coos County Jail on probation violation, 2 counts of theft II and disorderly conduct II, 1075 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 3:44 am, dispute, area of North 10th Street and West Commercial Avenue.
- 4:21 am, 24 year old female cited on driving while suspended, 1059 block of Evans Boulevard.
- 9:07 am, criminal mischief, area of North 10th Street and West Commercial Avenue.
- 9:41 am, found dogs, area of Virginia and Everett.
- 9:51 am, business alarm, 132 block of North Wasson Street.
- 10:04 am, dispute, 3215 block of Pacific Loop.
- 10:30 am, assault, 997 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 10:52 am, criminal trespass, area of Neese and Radar.
- 11:43 am, theft, 1775 block of Thompson Road.
- 12:43 pm, 36 year old male lodged at Coos County Jail on failure to appear on DUII and failure to appear on 2 counts of criminal driving while suspended or revoked, 1156 block of Seagate Avenue.
- 1:28 pm, accident, 1905 block of Woodland Drive.
- 2:06 pm, criminal trespass, 1075 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 3:19 pm, criminal mischief, area of Empire Donuts.
- 4:10 pm, burglary, 840 block of Seabreeze Terrace.
- 5:00 pm, 52 year old male cited on driving while suspended, area of 1st and Ingersoll.
- 5:37 pm, criminal trespass, 200 block of Ross Street.
- 7:39 pm, harassment, 1020 block of South 1st Street.
- 10:49 pm, suspicious subject, 1616 block of Newmark Avenue.
- 11:20 pm, business alarm, 1075 block of South Broadway Street.

Coquille

- 1:08 pm, criminal mischief, 790 block of West 17th Street.
- 9:23 pm, vehicle alarm, 1510 block of North Ivy Street.
- 9:33 pm, weapons offense, 3404 block of South Pacific Highway.

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Friday, December 13, 2024

The Dolphin Playhouse unveils

A magical Aladdin Panto

Filled with humor, high-tech twists, and holiday cheer

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For the World

This December, The Dolphin Players invite you to join in the fun with Aladdin, the fifth annual holiday Panto in a cherished tradition. Running weekends from December 6 to December 22, Aladdin will enchant audiences with a fresh, comedic take on the beloved story – complete with a magic-performing monkey, two genies, and a mysterious pyramid appearing once every 1,000 years!



Co-directors Peg Boots and Alice Carlson, the dynamic team behind all five Dolphin pantos, are thrilled to bring Aladdin to life this year. According to Boots, the production is an exciting opportunity to showcase new technology and equipment funded by recent grants.

Boots states, “With the expertise of our technical director Kiras, we’re able to incorporate AI and upgraded equipment” which will surely add an extra layer of magic to the production.

This unique version of Aladdin stays true to the traditional English “pantomime” style, bringing broad humor, sight gags, physical comedy, and lots of audience participation, a bit of Monty Python meets *A Thousand & One Nights*. Expect lively music, jokes that hit both high and low notes, and a festive

atmosphere that's become a hallmark of The Dolphin Playhouse's holiday shows.

This year's production features familiar faces beloved by Playhouse audiences. Ariel Hicks returns, following her roles in *The 39 Steps* and as Belle in last year's panto, to bring new life to the character of the Genie of the Lamp. Amber Nichole, also seen in *The 39 Steps* and Panto, plays Jasmine's mother, the Empress. Alex Baugh, a Panto staple, joins the fun once again as the Princess Jasmine, and Quinn Ryan, who began her Playhouse journey at age six, celebrates her third Panto alongside her seven-year-old brother in his Playhouse debut.

The title role of Aladdin is played by Toby Dresser, a frequent performer in summer Salutes and Shakespeare in the Park. Kevin Goss, last seen in *Sherwood*, continues his

tradition of playing villains as he tries to gain control of the lamp. In a special debut, the Playhouse is thrilled to welcome board president Joy McCarthy to her first Panto performance, although she has appeared in many previous Dolphin productions!

Don't miss the chance to experience Aladdin in this exciting, tech-enhanced production that's perfect for all ages! Curtain time is 7:00 pm on Friday and Saturday, and 2:00 pm on Sundays. Tickets are \$12 for general admission, \$10 for seniors and students, \$8 for children under 12, and \$25 for a family of two adults and up to three children.

Tickets are available
through:
TheDolphinPlayhouse.com

Or by calling:
541-808-2611.



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Princess Jasmine (Alex Baugh) and Gertie (Joy McCarthy) are suspicious of the trader (Kevin Goss) who wants to buy Aladdin's lamp.

Shore Acres' Holiday Lights BEGIN THEIR 37TH YEAR



The
Friends
of Shore
Acres opened
up a cornerstone
of the holiday season
here in Coos Bay over
the Thanksgiving weekend.
The Holiday Lights held at the
Shore Acres botanical gardens
sees over 320,000 LEDs and multiple
animated displays light up one of the
area's favorite State Parks.

ShoreAcres.net/holiday-lights/

Admission to the display is always free, but a \$5 parking pass is required to be reserved in advance for those looking to drive themselves, with multiple time-slots available every night. A free shuttle is

available on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday evenings, as well as the nights of Christmas Eve, Christmas and New Years, with pick-up at the Charleston Marina.

Complementary

refreshments including hot cider and cocoa, coffee, and cookies are available at the shuttle pick-up, and at Santa's Garden House in the botanical gardens.

The event, estimated to

bring in 50,000-70,000 people from around the country is a can't-miss event of the Holiday Season. The event hinges on the community support of over 1,500 volunteers, local sponsors, and state park staff.

For more information or to
book a parking pass, visit:
shoreacres.net/holiday-lights/

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Community Calendar of Events

Please email WorldCirculation@CountryMedia.net to submit an event

Dance and Fitness Class

Every Monday (All year long, except holidays)
9:00am - 10:30am

North Bend Senior Center
1470 Airport Lane

Fun paced world music exercise class for women and men. New dancers are welcome. Free!

County Line Dancing

Every Thursday
5:00pm - 6:30pm
Upstairs at the Eagles Lodge
568 S 2nd St., Coos Bay
\$5 per person. Teaching step-by-step for beginners & advanced dancers too!

Pacific Home Health and Hospice: Grief and Loss support group

1st Friday of the month
12:00pm - 2:00pm
Kaffe 101
171 S Broadway, Coos Bay
All are welcome. For questions, call 541-266-7005.

Friends of Coos County Animals (FOCCAS)

Every Saturday
12:00pm - 3:00pm
Pony Village Mall- 1611 Virginia Ave, North Bend
All of our adoptable cats and dogs live in foster homes. For more information, visit: <https://friendsofcooscountyanimals.org>

Women's Empowerment Book Club

1st Saturday of the month
11:00am - 12:00pm
Coos Bay Library
525 Anderson Ave.

The Coos Bay and North Bend Parkinson's Support Group

Second Thursday of each month
1:00pm - 2:30pm
Coos Bay Public Library (Myrtlewood Room)
525 Anderson Avenue
The support group is sponsored by Parkinson's Resources of Oregon (PRO). Local contact information: Aaron - 541.808.1336. Learn more about PRO's services at www.parkinsonsresources.org

Oregon Bay Area Beautification

Every 2nd Saturday
9:45am
Locations vary; visit www.4obab.org for details
Whether you're someone who enjoys light duties or someone who's ready to dive into more demanding tasks, we have a project for you.

The American Council of the Blind of Oregon, Southwest Chapter

Every 2nd Saturday
11:30am & 12:30pm
The Venture Inn Restaurant
2265 Inland Point Dr., North Bend
For more information, call Leonard Kokel at 541-888-0846.

ASL Practice Place

Every third Thursday

12:00pm
Zoom: bit.ly/3m6j2WG

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. This program is FREE and open to anyone who wishes to sharpen their ASL conversational skills.

Community Cooking with the Co-Op

Every 4th Thursday
5:30pm
Zoom: bit.ly/3powyqG
Coos Bay Library has teamed up with Coos Head Food Co-op to provide safe, easy, and healthy recipes to create at home. This event is FREE and open to everyone.

The Bay Area Hospital District's Board of Directors Meeting
Tuesday, December 10
6:05pm
Via Teams

This session is pursuant to ORS 192.660(2)(c) for the consideration of matters pertaining to the function of the medical staff. Please contact Denise Bowers, Administration office at denise.bowers@bayareahospital.org if you would like to attend this session.

Sea Breeze Harmony Chorus and Summer Wind Ensemble Present: Sing We Now of Christmas.
Thursday, December 12
7:00pm
Emmanuel Episcopal Church
400 Highland Ave., Coos Bay

Join us for this free holiday concert featuring Sea Breeze Harmony Chorus, a women's a cappella chorus, and Summer Wind Ensemble, a woodwind quintet. Featuring traditional and modern Christmas music.

Volunteer with VITA (Volunteer Income Tax Assistance)

Thursday, December 12
10:00am – 12:00pm
Saturday, December 21
12:00pm – 2:00pm
Coos Bay Library (Library's Cedar Room)
525 Anderson Ave.
VITA's recruiting volunteers of all ages to assist low to moderate income families prepare their taxes for free. No experience necessary. Receive specialized training, become IRS certified, choose your own hours, learn valuable skills, and work with experienced tax professionals. Program runs January 15 to April 15. Be part of the VITA team and give back to your community! For more info, contact Dan McAvoy at dan@moneywiseoregon.org or 541-670-5054.

Oregon Coast Historical Railway Presents: The Polar Express

Friday, December 13
7:00pm
Egyptian Theater
229 S. Broadway, Coos Bay
Tickets are \$6 for adults

and \$4 for youngsters, and will include a souvenir "I Believe" bell Christmas ornament in a soft cloth bag, and a "Golden Ticket" for the fictional Polar Express train. The Oregon Coast Historical Railway will present a benefit showing "The Polar Express." Doors open at 6:15 p.m. At 6:30 p.m. Lee Littlefield will play holiday music on the theater's Mighty Wurlitzer pipe organ, followed by the movie at 7 p.m.

Art & Wine Tasting with Brigadoon Winery

Friday, December 13
4:00pm - 7:00pm
Mindpower Gallery
417 Fir Ave., Reedsport
Join us for art and wine!

Egyptian Theatre Presents: 50th Annual Sounds of Christmas

Saturday, December 14
12:00pm
Egyptian Theater
229 S. Broadway, Coos Bay
Doors open at 11:30 a.m. Free admission!

Egyptian Theatre Presents: Miracle on 34th Street

Saturday, December 14
3:00pm
Egyptian Theater
229 S. Broadway, Coos Bay
Doors open at 2:30 p.m. Regular admission.

DIY Bat Boxes

Saturday, December 14
10:00am & 2:00pm
Coos Bay Library
525 Anderson Ave.
Help create a valuable bat habitat and learn more about local bats at a hands-on bat box building program. Limited space available. Pre- registration is required. Sign up at the library website or call 541-269-1101 x 3606.

Create Dance Center

Now until Saturday, December 14
Beginning Ballet/ Lyrical:
Monday 5:30pm - 6:25pm
\$30 per month
Inter. Ballet/ Lyrical:
Monday 6:30pm - 7:25pm
\$30 per month
Intermediate Hip Hop:
Wednesday 5:30pm - 6:25pm
\$30 per month
Burlesque 17+:
Wednesday 6:30pm - 7:30pm
\$7 per class
Mini Ballet/ Hip Hop:
Saturday 9:30am - 10:10am
\$30 per month
Beginning Hip Hop:
Saturday 10:15am - 11:10am
\$30 per month
Sign up with Chelsea King at (208) 570-1062 or e-mail chelsearking1209@yahoo.com. If you're unable to get ahold of her contact Nancy Keller at drnancykeller@yahoo.com.

Shop with Heroes

Saturday, December 14
Begins at Coquille High School
The Coquille Police and Fire Department helped over 155 children last year have a great Christmas. With your

help, we look forward to doing the same. Donations can be made at Coquille City Hall or the Coquille Police Department.

Bandon Holiday Light Parade

Saturday, December 14
5:00pm - 7:00pm
Near Bandon Fisheries Warehouse
200 1st St. SW, Bandon
Join us for the Bandon Annual Holiday Light Parade, filled with music, lights, and holiday cheer. Don't miss out on the festive floats, lighted vehicles and bikes. Celebrate the season with us. Everyone is invited to join in. Light up your vehicle, your pet, yourself! No registration required.

Alive After Five: Nog Walks

Saturday, December 14
3:00pm - 5:00pm
Boardwalk Picnic Shelter, Old Town
390 1st St. SW, Bandon
Join us for our nog walk! Purchase \$10 commemorative glasses from 5- 6:30 p.m.

The Sounds of Christmas Concert

Saturday, December 14
12:00pm
Egyptian Theatre
229 S. Broadway, Coos Bay
Featuring Lee Littlefield on the Mighty Wurlitzer pipe organ. For five decades, the concert is a gift to the community from the musicians involved and The Egyptian Theatre Preservation Association. Admission is free. Donations for the Wurlitzer Restoration Fund are welcome.

Christmas Bazaar at the Barn

Saturday, December 14
10:00am - 3:00pm
Sunday, December 15
10:00am - 3:00pm
The Barn, Bandon Community Center
1200 block of 11th St., Bandon
Free admission. For questions, contact Avery Richards at 541-551-1474.

The American Council of the Blind of Oregon, Southwest Chapter Christmas Party

December 14 • 12:00pm
First Baptist Church, 2080 Marion St. in North Bend (across from Safeway)
For more information, call 541-707-2226

Marshfield Project Graduation Presents: How the Grinch Stole Christmas

Sunday, December 15
2:00pm
Egyptian Theatre
229 S. Broadway, Coos Bay
Doors open at 1 p.m. Admission is \$7.

Baby Storytime

Tuesdays
10:00am; Beginning now until December 17
Coos Bay Public Library
525 Anderson Ave.
The program will include stories, rhymes, and songs selected specifically with babies in mind. Free and

open to the public. For more information on storytimes, visit www.coosbaylibrary.org, call (541) 269-1101 x 3606, or email Jennifer Knight at jknight@coosbaylibrary.org.

Unlimited Book Club

Thursday, December 19
6:00pm
Zoom
The group will discuss the book, "Into the Magic Shop: A Neurosurgeon's Quest to Discover the Mysteries of the Brain and the Secrets of the Heart" by James R. Doty. Those interested are invited to attend the meeting, there is no obligation to stay. To receive Zoom link for meeting, register for free @ <https://bit.ly/3R6E57M>

Art & Wine Tasting with Ricochet Wine Co.

Friday, December 20
4:00pm - 7:00pm
Mindpower Gallery
417 Fir Ave., Reedsport
Join us for art and wine!

The Oregon Coast Ballroom Dance Club Presents: The Holiday Dance

Friday, December 20
6:00pm - 9:00pm
Coos Bay Engles Aerie 538
568 S. 2nd St., Coos Bay
With a beginning waltz class at 6 p.m. All levels welcome. No partner required. \$7. Contact Paul Rutan 818-675-8518 or email oregoncoastballroomdanceclub@gmail.com

The Oregon Oldtime Fiddlers, Dist. 5

Saturday, December 21
1:00pm - 3:00pm
Odd Fellows Hall
Located at 42 South on the right just after the intersection with Highway 101. This jam will feature Christmas music and everyone is invited to join in singing and playing. Refreshments will be provided. For more information, please call 541-759-3419 or 541-297-3419.

Egyptian Theatre Presents: Christmas Vacation

Saturday, December 21
7:00pm
Egyptian Theatre
229 S. Broadway, Coos Bay
Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Regular admission. Join us for an ugly sweater contest. Shark Bites will be serving beverages.

Cookies for Santa

Sunday, December 22
2:00pm - 5:00pm
Bandon Community Center- 1200 11th St. SW, Bandon

Join in family-friendly holiday fun with crafts, stories, snacks, cookie decorating, face painting, crafts and story time, plus a visit by Santa. Welcome to children of all ages accompanied by adults. RSVP by December 19 on Facebook or by calling Rita at 541-329-9854. This free event is sponsored by Southern Coos Hospital and the City of Bandon. Donations of canned or non-perishable foods welcome.

Art & Wine Tasting with Girardet Winery

Friday, December 27
4:00pm - 7:00pm
Mindpower Gallery
417 Fir Ave., Reedsport
Join us for art and wine!

CAM Biennial 2024

November - December 29
Coos Art Museum
235 Anderson Ave.
Every other year Coos Art Museum celebrates Oregon's emerging artist talent. We are pleased to have so many distinct submissions this year.

We Are All Homeless: Exhibit and Artist Talk with Willie Baronet

November - December 29
Coos Art Museum
235 Anderson Ave.
The We Are All Homeless project began in 1993 when Willie Baronet bought a sign from a person experiencing homelessness.

Holiday Lights at Shore Acres

Now until December 31
4:30pm - 9:00pm
89039 Cape Arago Hwy., Charleston
Visitors get a chance to stroll through this holiday tradition through New Year's Eve – including Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. It has become a real holiday tradition for the whole family. Admission is always free! However, parking at Shore Acres any time of the year is \$5.

Monthly Preschool Art Program

Every third Thursday of every month until January 2025
10:00am
Coos Bay Library
525 Anderson Ave.
Ages 3- 6. November 21, December 19, and January 16. Free and no registration required. Each program features a different craft project.

CHM Winter Class – Mysteries of the South Coast with Steve Greif

Wednesdays,
January 29 - March 5, 2025
6:00pm - 7:00pm
Coos History Museum
1210 N Front St., Coos Bay
Admission price is \$80 for non-members and \$75 for members. Pre-registration is required, payment is required at booking. Reservations can be made online <https://cooshistory.org/event-registration/>, by phone at 541-756-6320 or register in person at the museum's front desk. Program fills up fast, sign up early!

Coos Sand 'n Sea Quilters

First Thursday of the month until June 2025
6:00pm
Gloria Dei Lutheran Church
1290 Thompson Rd., Coos Bay
New members are welcome to attend. Dues are \$20.00 a year. A program is presented each month on quilt related topics. <https://coosbayquiltguild.com>

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As I See It

By Mary Schamehorn



The first photo I am sharing this week highlights a headline in the Nov. 17, 1938, Western World: “Believed Record Cranberry Crop.”

“What is believed to be a record for cranberry production is reported from the C.F. St. Sure bog of Bandon this year, where one bog comprising seven-tenths of an acre produced 1021 quarter-barrel boxes, packed for shipping. This, according to cranberry growers, is equivalent to at least 1250 boxes at the time of picking, as from 20 to 25 percent is lost in grading and shrinkage between the time of picking and shipping.

“Altogether Mr. St. Sure harvested over 2,000 boxes for shipping from his two and three-quarters acres, all of which are of the McFarlin variety. On the small, high-producing bog, pickers made as high as \$6 per day.”

Later the farm was purchased by Jim Jackson and his family.

The second photo of Earle Davison, owner of Bandon Market, came from the June 15, 1972, paper after the market had once again been burglarized. I took the photo, and I remember Davison telling me that he had been burglarized so many times that it was hardly news any more. He points out boards which covered the window, as he didn’t bother to replace the glass after the last burglary. The store later burned, and was located on what is now a vacant lot adjacent to the dental office at Highway 101 and Delaware.

Today, we complain a lot about the price of gasoline, but in January of 1974, the problem was finding a service station open and with gas enough to fill your tank during a time of extreme rationing.

Local service station owners held a meeting at City Hall to determine how they could best serve the community ... although gas allotments were considerably lower than the previous year.

Among those attending the meeting were representatives of Chappell’s Chevron Service, Jack’s Philips 66, Bob’s Shell, Ernie Luther of Beach Junction Grocery, Ed Gorman of the Arco Station, Val Edmondson of

The Country Store , the Moore Mill station, and Lanny Boston, owner of the Union 76 (pictured), which was situated on the northeast corner of 11th Street and Highway 101, now the location of Banner Bank.

They agreed they wouldn’t be pumping on weekends, although a couple said they might be open a few hours on Saturday. Most of the stations remained open during non-pumping hours to service cars.

I learned this week that people planning to enter the Holiday Lights Parade on Saturday, Dec. 14, do need to pre-register before Friday, Dec. 13, at 5 p.m. People can register at the Greater Bandon Association’s website at greaterbandon.org. People will line up on the gravel lot across from Bandon Fisheries Warehouse at 5 p.m., with the parade to start at 5:30, winding its way down Second Street.

For safety reasons, throwing items from vehicles during the parade is strictly prohibited, according to the GBA website.

A number of people came upon a fiery wreck on Highway 42 just outside of Coquille shortly before noon Monday, Nov. 25, with good Samaritans helping one driver and being unable to get the



other driver out of his burning vehicle.

According to the state police report, preliminary investigation indicated a BMW sedan, operated by Brandon Smith, 32, of Coos Bay, was headed west on 42 when for reasons unknown his vehicle went into an uncontrolled spin, traveled into the eastbound lane and collided with a Toyota Corolla, operated by Dana Salmon, 32, of Myrtle Point. Both vehicles came to an uncontrolled rest within the east land of travel, at which time the BMW became engulfed in

flames.

One Facebook poster said that they witnessed Dana Salmon escape from her car, but saw her collapse on the highway. The man quickly got her to safety, while others tried to rescue Mr. Smith, who was declared deceased at the scene. Salmon was transported to a local hospital with serious injuries.

On Nov. 24 at 4:20 p.m., county dispatch received a text to 9-1-1 message regarding an unknown emergency in the area of Doerner Fir Trailhead

located in the remote Burnt Mountain area of Coos County. The caller said they were stuck in the river. Members of the Myrtle Point Fire Department, as well as the Coos County Search and

Rescue coordinator responded to the area. When help arrived, they found 28-year-old Emily

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PUT A RIBBON ON IT, MY MAN, AND MAKE A CARD THAT SAYS, "MERRY CHRISTMAS, HELGA... AND HAGAR!"

WHAT A SURPRISE! YOU HUNG MISTLETOE AND DECORATED THE TREE!

SNEK

I'VE CAUGHT THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT!

SMACK!

HAGAR! YOU REALLY HAVE CAUGHT THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT!

The FAMILY SNIPS

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Hopfer, Roseburg, clinging to a log in a stream below the trailhead. Also on the scene was a male, Erick Lowe, 24, Roseburg, who was transported to a Douglas County hospital and treated. While on scene, it was learned that Emily had been in the river for about two hours before rescue personnel could make it to the scene. Deputies who have received specialized training in water rescue responded to the scene and prepared to rescue Emily from the log. A rope system was established and the Deputy, in a dry suit, made it to Emily and began to prepare her to be moved. While getting her rigged for safe traverse of the stream, she went into cardiac arrest. She was quickly moved to land and lifesaving efforts, including CPR and medicines available to paramedics, were administered to the young woman, but they were not able to revive her.

Sheriff’s deputies from Coos County maintained a vigil throughout the night and the following morning, members of area fire departments, including Bandon and Coquille, trekked into the location to recover her body. In order to get to the body, a rope safety system had to be established to ensure rescue personnel did not fall into the water.

The Coos County Sheriff’s Office reminded the public, as they recreate in the beautiful areas of Coos County, how important it is to stay on established trails unless they are familiar with the area or are prepared for the conditions.

I saw a Facebook post featuring singer/songwriter Jessie G performing the National Anthem at the Green Bay Packers/Miami Dolphins football game recently. Jessie G was raised in Brookings and is the granddaughter of BHS graduate Peggy Hunt Goergen. She is also a cousin to Barry and Dan Winters.

Another well-known Curry County woman, who was raised in Gold Beach, is actress Bridgette Wilson, who has been married to retired tennis pro Pete Sampras since 2000. He posted just over a year ago that his wife was battling ovarian cancer, having gone through surgery and chemo. She is the granddaughter of former Coos County Clerk MaryAnn Wilson and her husband, Larry, who had a home on the jetty for some years.

Dr. Alden Forrester, the new Chief Medical Officer at Southern Coos Hospital and Health Center, was introduced to the public at the Meet and Greet Tuesday, Dec. 3, noon, at Bandon Fisheries Warehouse.

Representatives of the Oregon Water Resources department will present the program on Tuesday, Dec. 10, from 11:30 to 1, and again that night from 6 to 8 p.m. for anyone interested in learning more about water issues in the state. Food will be available at

the Warehouse Coffee Cafe, including a \$15 taco dinner on the night of Dec. 10.

The Dec. 17 Meet and Greet will feature three board members from the Bandon History Museum with an “Ask the Expert” program, including Jim Proehl, Reg Pullen and Mary Schamehorn. The program will begin at noon and last for an hour.

The Bandon Library Friends and Foundation hosted a 20th anniversary celebration of the current library building on Saturday, Dec. 7, with refreshments and a slide show at 1, and presentations at 2 in the Sprague Room at the library.

Like the Sprague Community Theater, the library was built without tax money, but with generous community donations and grants.

A front page article in the Salem Statesman Journal last week praised the work of a former Bandon couple, Thom and Mandy Augsburg, who created a new kind of foster care for

teen boys, known as Affect Youth Services. Thom’s parents were the late Father Will Augsburg and his wife Ruth; Mandy’s parents are Claudia Butler Scott and Dan Scott, who now live in Salem, but were raised in Bandon.

The couple live in the home, and half a dozen permanent staff are also on site around the clock. More than 800 teen boys, most with higher needs, have lived in the Augsburg home since the program opened in 2016.

The article mentions that during the summer months, the boys are taken on trips to Bandon and Foster Lake.

Coming Events:
The Harbor Lights Middle School Christmas Concert is Tuesday, Dec. 10, 7 p.m. at the Sprague.
Sweet Speeches is set for Thursday, Dec. 12, 7 p.m., at the Sprague.
A free holiday concert featuring Sea Breeze Harmony Chorus and Summer Wind Ensemble (and several singers from Bandon) will take place at 7 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 12, at

Emmanuel Episcopal Church, 400 Highland Avenue, Coos Bay.

People are reminded that the plastic collection event at the Library is the third Wednesday of each month from 4 to 6 p.m.

I had an opportunity to visit with Chamber president Brandie Culp and the new chamber executive director Hal Jensen (who prefers to be called Jensen) recently. He and his wife recently moved to Bandon from California. He is enthusiastic about his new job and looks forward to working with the chamber officers, including Culp, Makena Ojeda, Sara Kimball and Anne McCaleb, and the other members of the board.

This is the time of year that it’s more important than ever to remember our local Bandon merchants when it comes time to purchase Christmas gifts. They are always willing to support community causes ... and we need to thank them by buying local whenever possible.



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3.7143	Cook, Benjamin R.
3.5714	Cooper, Gunner A.
4.0000	Cromwell, Isabella R.
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4.0000	Favilla, Alissah F.
3.8571	Flammang, Lindsay K.
3.7143	Floyd, Thomas S.
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3.8571	Franklin, Jessie L.
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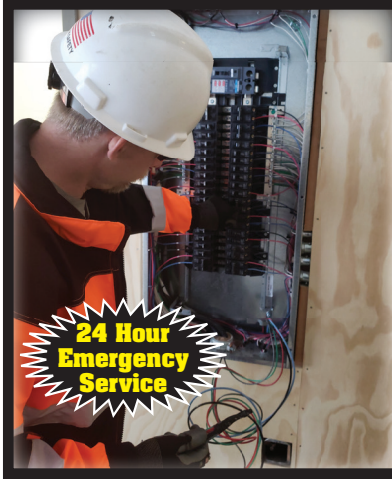
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