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## NBHD breaks ground on health center and pharmacy

**WILL CHAPPELL** Headlight Editor

large group of community members, district staff and elected officials gathered in Wheeler on July 20, to break ground on the Nehalem Bay Health District's new health center and pharmacy.

The new \$12.2-million facility, scheduled for a September 2025 opening, is being supported by a \$10.25-million, voter-approved bond as well as federal and state funding, and will greatly expand the district's capacity and offerings. It is part of a project with a total budget of \$15.5 million, which is also overhauling the district's senior care facility and will see the current health center and pharmacy demolished to make way for housing.

"The vision for this facility was to create an opportunity to improve healthcare in our region with better physical facilities, including the ability to attract and retain more healthcare professionals," said Nehalem Bay Health District (NBHD) Board Chair Marc Johnson. "More than ever, this is a celebration of what a community is capable of

Progress towards the project began in 2018, when the health district undertook a strategic plan update and identified the needs to upgrade their clinical space and add housing for district staff as top

Plans crystallized further when Tillamook County Commissioner Erin Skaar, who was then the director of Community Action Resource Enterprises (CARE) in Tillamook, identified the property in Wheeler as a potential site for a new health center and pharmacy.



Members of the Nehalem Health Center and Pharmacy board were joined by State Senator Suzanne Weber, Tillamook County Commissioner Erin Skaar and Nehalem Bay Health District Board Chair Marc Johnson for the ceremonial groundbreaking.

Speaking at the event, Skaar said that she had been on a tour of properties that could support housing development in the county, when after visiting the current health center and pharmacy, she saw the parcel opposite Wheeler City Hall on Hospital Road. The property would require a commercial use on its first floor, but Skaar said that having participated in the strategic plan process, she thought that it could still help to advance the ity of building housing on top of a clinic on the property, the district decided instead to build a new clinic and pharmacy facility that would allow them to convert their existing property up the hill into housing.

"As a county commissioner I am always proud of our communities when they do work that is forward thinking and that will really serve our residents in the very best pos-

chased from a Colorado company for \$260,015 in 2021, work began on building a funding package to support the project's planning and construction, in addition to a needed overhaul of the district's senior care facility and the demolition of the current health center to pave the way for future housing.

The project received early boosts in the form of a CARE grant for site planning and due diligence, but the big break came in 2022's

#### sible way and this project is the epitome of that work," Skaar said. With the site identified and purdistrict's vision. See NBHD, Page A10 After considering the possibil-

Kingfisher Apartments bring first workforce, multifamily housing to Pacific City





COURTESY PHOTO FROM

The building's rear façade abuts the Nestucca River, giving residents water access, but the entirety of the structures remains out of the flood plain.

**WILL CHAPPELL** Headlight Editor

Since opening last October, the Kingfisher Apartments in Pacific City have offered the community's first workforce and multifamily housing option and are now operating at full occupancy.

Katie and Kevin Shluka, the couple who developed the apartments, said that while the project had faced numberous challenges, the commitment of a group of local investors, government grants and a property tax exemption had allowed them to complete the building.

"As I engage in other projects, every project is unique and there's some sort of synchronicity that's got to happen for everything to get done," Kevin said. "Get the right team members, the right partners, find the building that fits in the space and so yeah, everybody's got to thread a number of needles to make it happen."

Katie and Kevin have lived in Tillamook County for two decades. meeting each other at the Sitka Center where Katie was working before getting married and moving to Kevin's property in Dolph. Since 2007, the couple have owned and

run Coyote Gardens, with Katie serving as landscape designer.

The couple's journey towards building the apartments began in 2019, when Kevin's father sold a building he owned in northern California and began looking for an opportunity to reinvest the money in a project with Kevin closer to his son's home.

Knowing that the owners of Pelican Brewing, with whom they are friends, had received a \$300,000 grant from Oregon Housing and Community Services to support workforce housing, the Shlukas reached out to see if they would be

interested in using those funds in support of the project.

After receiving a positive response, the Shlukas began looking for properties to locate the apartments, landing on the property at the corner of Pacific Avenue and Sunset Drive, after a deal on one near Grateful Bread fell through. When the couple purchased the property in 2019, it was vacant except for a parking lot that was used by local fishermen.

With the property secured, focus shifted to completing the funding

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#### **FEMA rep discusses** updated floodplain development ordinance timeline

**WILL CHAPPELL** Headlight Editor

AJuly 15 letter from the Federal Emergency Management Agency informed Oregon counties that they will need to pass interim updates to their flood plain development permitting processes as part of an ongoing update to the agency's flood insurance plan.

John Graves, branch chief for flood plain management and insurance in the northwest region, told the Headlight Herald that interim updates had not been planned originally, but that a congressional delay and protracted federal reviews led to a change in course.

"As we reflected on again how long this EIS (environmental impact statement) process is likely to take, we recognized that we had some risk that we needed to address,' Graves said, "and so we decided that we were gonna do the interim measures now while we wait for the environmental impact statement to finish its process.

Progress towards the update to the Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA) flood insurance program began when the Audubon Society sued the agency in 2009, claiming that the program was causing harm to coho salmon in Oregon. The suit triggered a National Marine Fisheries Service review of the plan, which yielded a biological opinion in 2016 that concluded that the program did cause harm to coho, in violation of the Endangered Species Act, and needed to be updated.

By 2018, FEMA was ready to begin rolling out updates recommended in the biological opinion over a three-year period, but before that process could begin, then-Congressman Peter DeFazio passed a three-year implementation pause.

Under the original update timeline, Hughes said that there would not have been a need to ask partnering governments to make interim code updates, but after the pause, FEMA officials began to review that decision. Recognizing that drafting, reviewing and submitting an environmental impact statement for the proposed updates and that a needed National Environmental Policy Act review would take several more years, they decided that interim updates were needed.

Communities that participate in the flood insurance program were presented three options for updating their codes until those processes are finalized: adopting a model ordinance from FEMA that includes a no-net-loss standard for new development, requiring developers to obtain habitat assessment and mitigation plans for their projects showing that they meet the no-net loss standard or prohibiting development in areas of special flood hazard entirely.

The model ordinance has not yet been released, but Hughes said

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#### **COME DISCOVER THE BEST MAKERS** AND ARTISTS IN THE PNW AT COASTAL CRAFT UPRISING!

The Coastal Craft Uprising will be free to attend, and a great way to support small businesses while finding unique gifts for wedding presents, housewarming gifts, birthdays, decor for your home, treats for others, and fun goodies for yourself!



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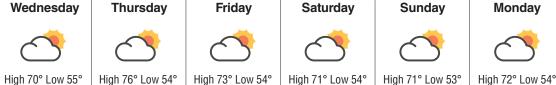
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## **NEWS**

## 65th Annual Dory Days Celebration a success

The 65th Annual Dory Days event in Pacific City has once again proven to be a monumental success, reflecting the community's enduring dedication to celebrating its rich dory heritage, according to orga-

"As one of Oregon's 27 Heritage Traditions, Dory Days stands as a testament to the event's longevity and the unwavering spirit of those who cherish the unique dory culture of Pacific City," the organizers said in a release.

Dory Days is organized entirely by dedicated volunteers from the Pacific City Nestucca Valley Chamber of Commerce, the Pacific City Dorymen's Association, and community members, who said they are passionate about preserving local traditions.

#### **Event Highlights:**

Parade and Marching Band: The streets of Pacific City were vibrant with 52 parade entries and the impressive performance of The Beat Goes On marching band, adding rhythm and excitement to the festivities.

Parade Entry Competition: Awards were given in



COURTESY PHOTO FROM PAT RICE

Parade participants line up on Monday morning.

several categories for the

• People's Choice: Kel-

• Best Use of Humor:

• Best Use of Theme:

• Landlubber's Award:

Special Olympics Tillamook

floats, including:

Larkins Family

Roberts Family

Watkins Family

low Family

most creatively decorated Fish Fry: A remarkable 389 meals were served at the fish fry, featuring · Sponsor's Choice: The fish provided by the local commercial dory boat, the • Dorymen's Choice: SeaQ. The fish fry remains a Vaughn Family and Friends beloved staple of the event.

> Pancake Breakfast: The Nestucca Rural Fire Protection District hosted a pancake breakfast, serving 350 meals. Proceeds from the breakfast support the fire district's essential services.

Friday Night Live Music: Attendees enjoyed COURTESY PHOTO FROM WALT AMACHER

A group of youth showcased a whimsical future for the dory fleet.

a lively performance by Radio Riot on Friday night, with food provided by The Oar House, enhancing the evening's festivities.

**Traditional Dory Dis**play: Saturday's traditional dory display featured six unique dories. Owners were on hand to answer questions about the boats, the dory fleet, and the rich history of dory fishing in Pacific City.

Artisan Market: The artisan market showcased the talents of 15 local vendors, offering a variety of handcrafted goods and artwork.

**Community Support:** The event was made possible by the generosity of 26 sponsors and 5 community sponsors, reflecting the strong community support for this cherished tradition.

Volunteer Efforts: The dedication of 55 volunteers, who devoted ten months to planning and organizing, ensured the success of Dory Days 2024.

"The 65th Annual Dory Days has once again demonstrated the deep-rooted

community spirit and commitment to preserving the unique heritage of Pacific City," the organizers said. The success of the event underscores the importance of volunteerism and local support in maintaining our cherished traditions.

#### About the Pacific City Dorymen's Association

The Pacific City Dorymen's Association is dedicated to preserving the unique dory fishing heritage of Pacific City, promoting sustainable fishing practices, and supporting the local community through various initiatives and events.

#### **About the Pacific City Nestucca Valley Chamber** of Commerce

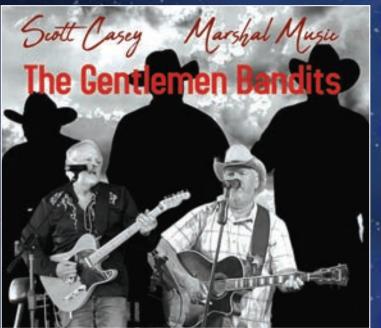
The Pacific City Nestucca Valley Chamber of Commerce works to enhance the economic vitality of Pacific City and the surrounding areas by supporting local businesses, promoting tourism, and organizing community

For more information, contact Arica Sears at 971-341-1952 or aricasears@ gmail.com.



## Live Country Music, Line Dancing Corn Hole .Shopping Late Games Family Fun! Kevitalization

Put on your cowboy boots and hat and boot scootin' boogie down to **Moonlight Madness at** the Second St. Plaza



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- 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. Moonlight Madness Country Western Festival
- 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. Line dancing lessons, by Coastal Cowgirl Line Dance taught by Ashley Sickon for all ages
- MOONLIGHT MADNESS OUTDOOR CONCERT 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. - Live country music concert by Scott Casey and the Gentleman Bandits
- 7:30 p.m. Joel Baker Band at Kitty's Food & Spirits live music and dancing (21 and over)
- Stores and restaurants open late with sales and specials
- Festivities include bouncy houses, games and family fun activities
- Pronto pup will be joining us with their amazing corn dogs! Located next to the Headlight Herald
- OVER 20 VENDORS Street vendors and street performers, located on 2nd Street and Second Street Plaza including:
  - Sugar + Air cotton candy
  - Face painting and tie-dye by Aline Turpen
  - Tillamook Elks lodge
- Stop by Flavors on First for more food options and specials!!!



Ashley Sickon, **Coastal Cowgirl Line Dance** 









## **NEWS**

## Mountain bike trails complex proposed for south county

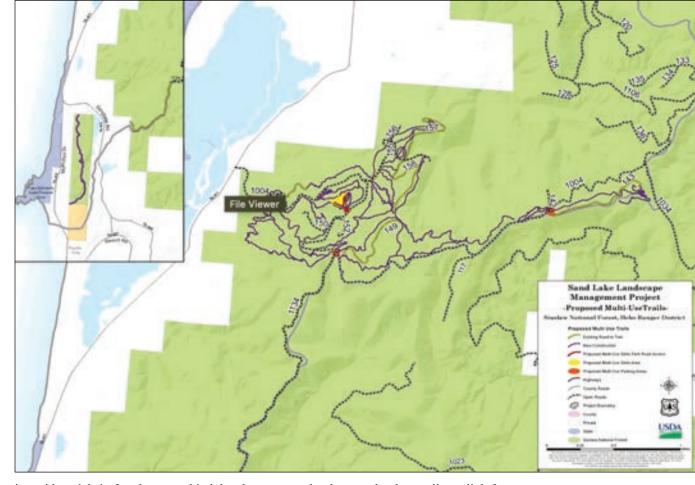
**WILL CHAPPELL** Headlight Editor

Members of the Tillamook Off Road Trail Alliance have been working to solidify plans to build a complex with 30 miles of mountain biking trails in south Tillamook County, just north of Whalen Island.

Ron Baker, secretary of Tillamook Off Road Trail Alliance, briefed the board of county commissioners on the group's past work and plans for the project at their meeting on July 24.

The group was formed in 2016 to help complete a 1.2-mile bike path in Pacific City. Since completing that project, their focus has been on expanding biking skills and opportunities for young people in partnership with the Nestucca Valley School

To that end, Tillamook Off Road Trail Alliance (TORTA) awarded the district a \$10,000 grant that paid for a staff member to train on teaching students to ride. That has allowed the district's elementary school to teach all students how to ride, starting without pedals in kindergarten or the first grade and progressing to rid-



ing with pedals in fourth or fifth grade.

The group also partnered with the district to build a skills park for students be-

hind the elementary school. They are now working on plans to build a pump track, which can be completed without peddling, behind the school as well as a link from the school to Cloverdale through private timber lands.

Baker said that the current facilities for mountain bikers in Tillamook County remained lacking, with the skills park presenting an opportunity for beginners to practice and a trail near Gales

Creek suitable for experts, but nothing in between within an hour's drive.

In response to that shortage, TORTA has partnered with the United States Forest Service to develop a trail system on forest service land around a quarter mile north of Whalen Island, east of Sandlake Road.

Baker said that the plan was still in its early stages but that the group envisioned building the complex in a staged process, with trails suitable for all skill levels eventually available.

TORTA has secured \$270,000 in grant funding for the project so far with  $$200,0\bar{0}0$  coming from the state's recreational trails program and \$70,000 coming from the county's transient lodging tax.

Plans are still in the early stages, with TORTA collaborating with the forest service on an operation and management plan for the trails before starting construction. Baker said that he hoped the project would become a generational asset for the county and said that TORTA was proceeding deliberatively in hopes of allaying nearby residents' fears of overcrowding caused by the new facility.

## Summer meal program open to all Tillamook youth



Volunteers putting the finishing touches on lunches before putting them in coolers for delivery.

COURTESY PHOTO FROM MARIO QUEZADA

Volunteer Tim Smith and his dog loaded up and ready to deliver meals.

**WILL CHAPPELL** Headlight Editor

Tillamook School District's summer food service program has been delivei ing more than a hundred meals to kids five days a week this summer and for

the past 22 years. In partnership with the Tillamook United Methodist Church and thanks to the efforts of a dedicated crew of more than twenty volun-

teers, the program prepares, packages and delivers brown bag lunches to sites across the district.

Scott Wenzel runs the program for the district and recently caught up with the Headlight Herald while he and volunteers were busy putting the finishing touches on 161 lunches.

Wenzel said that the program serves anywhere from 90 to 200 students depending on the day, with higher

numbers during summer school sessions, to which the program also provides

The program began 22 years ago and relies on funding from the Oregon Department of Education to keep school children nourished during summer break. Wenzel makes trips to Costco to pick up supplies and menus vary, with tuna sandwiches, apple sauce, carrots, Rice Krispy

treats and creamery-donated Tillamook cheddar cheese representing a typical selec-

After volunteers prepare e meals and bag t others take them from Tillamook High School to sites around the district for distribution. Tillamook Library distributes lunches from 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. from Monday to Friday and the volunteers set up shop in the parking lots of the

Glenhaven, Trask River and Champion Park Apartment complexes between 11:30 and noon to hand out lunches to kids on the same

A decision three years ago by the state to allow the county's three school districts to offer free lunch to all students means that there are no eligibility requirements. Any schoolaged child can access the program at the above sites

or the group's Tillamook High School kitchen facility, located behind the cafeteria.

Wenzel encouraged lofamilies to have their children participate and said that the program was always looking for more volunteers. He asked those interested in volunteering to reach out to him directly at (503) 812-9134 or via email at scottkarenanna@yahoo.

#### Tillamook County Democrats open 2024 campaign headquarters in Downtown Tillamook

Tillamook County Democrats are proud and enthusiastic to announce that they opened their 2024 Election Campaign Headquarters in downtown Tillamook, at 116 Main Ave (former location of Fat Dog Pizza). The office is currently open to the public Saturdays, 11 a.m.-3 p.m., through August 10. After that date, the office will be open additional hours

(new hours to be announced

Local Democratic community members have created a welcoming and safe place where people can peacefully gather and learn about who Democrats are, what they stand for, and who they support in the upcoming, important election in November. The space will supply information about

local, state, and national Democratic Party candidates and ballot measures, and will be a place for people to work together to advance their shared Democratic values. This is an opportunity to get involved and connect with old friends and make

A Campaign Headquarters Opening Celebration will take place Saturday,

August 3, 12-4 p.m. Light refreshments and nonalcoholic beverages will be served. All are welcome. A few well-known and respected special guests have been invited. It will be an occasion not to miss!

Contact tillcodems@ gmail.com with questions. Learn more about the Tillamook County Democrats at tillcodems.org.

visitor's center inside the

red caboose. To learn more

about volunteering, email

info@rockawaybeach.net.



## Rockaway Beach hosts 47th Arts & Crafts Fair

**CHELSEA YARNELL** For Tillamook Headlight Herald

One of the longest standing traditions in Rockaway Beach is back for its 47th year: the Arts & Crafts Fair.

"It truly takes a village to put on our events every year," Rockaway Beach Chamber of Commerce Secretary Isis Breazile said. "Local business owners, second homeowners, and retirees spend much time communicating with vendors, coordinating volunteer shifts, connecting with live musicians, and sharing flyers throughout the state.

The annual event will take place Aug. 2, 3, and 4 at The Ocean's Edge in Rockaway Beach. The event anticipates hosting 25-30 vendors including: Forever Young Dyes, Ronnie's Chicago Style BBQ, Dragonfly Crystals, Sharp Henna, and the Rockaway Renaissance

"Our fair offers a unique

blend of artists from Rockaway locals to individuals from all over the state," Breazile said. "Visit local businesses to find even more goodies and great food! Rockaway Beach is a walkable town, making it a great family stop." The fair will operate

noon – 6 p.m. on Friday, 10

a.m. - 6 p.m. on Saturday, and 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. on Sunday.

All Rockaway Beach Chamber of Commerce events are planned and hosted by a volunteer staff group. The group is always looking for more members to volunteer at events as well as work shifts in the



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## Chamber to debut new apparel designs at Tillamook County Fair

It's almost that time of year again! Tillamook County Fair time! The air is buzzing with anticipation as preparations unfold across the county. Community members are busy preparing with activities ranging from getting 4-H exhibits ready, printing and framing stunning photography displays to demolition derby

cars getting a final overhaul for Saturday night's grand event. It's evident that this fair is an exciting highlight of the year for both adults and children!

Here at the Chamber, we've been crafting a new line of apparel that we're confident will be a great addition to your wardrobe. These designs have been

carefully selected to reflect the spirit of our community. Wearing Tillamook apparel isn't just about staying cozy and looking good; it's a symbol that showcases our shared values and commitment to making Tillamook a vibrant and thriving place

to live, work, and visit. Every year, families visiting Tillamook eagerly stock up on the latest apparel, turning it into an annual tradition or reunion of sorts. It's always fun to see grandparents joyfully picking out items for all their grandkids.

All our clothing is printed locally by PSI Screen Printing & Embroidery Services, Signs & Vinyl Graphics, a proud member of our Chamber. By choosing to print locally, we're not only ensuring the highest quality and craftsmanship but also supporting a local business that plays a vital role in our local economy.

The Tillamook County Fair runs from August 7-10 this year, and we couldn't be more excited to share

our new designs with you. Come see us in the main pavilion across from the Tillamook Ice Cream Booth. Whether you're enjoying a thrilling ride, admiring the creativity on display, or cheering at the Pig-N- Ford races, make sure to stop by and grab your Tillamook apparel.

See you at the fair!

#### Nearly \$450k for North Coast Neurodiverse & Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities (I/DD) Programs

Accessibility is important to everyone. Whether it be accessing a beach or park, a tourist attraction or coastal eatery; or joining a committee, class, council, or employment, access to participate matters to every one of us. For many, there are barriers to being an active community member that can be overcome with attention and consideration, and the right connections.

This is the work Sammy's Place and its COAAST (Communities of All Abilities Succeeding Together) Network programs having been doing for several years. The network is part of the Oregon Consortium of Family Networks (OCFN) whose goal is to connect families with each other and to their local communities where they live. These relationships become the supports needed to gain genuine access to our communities. When we know each other, we care -when we care, we support.

Sammy's Place works to fund programs that increase access for all individuals, that provide more choices to be part of the community, such as:

- Self Advocacy Discovery Tours and Summit with the Arc of Lincoln County.
- New exciting networking opportunities in our coastal communities.
- Person-Centered Planning and why it works.
- Disability 101 Education: How do I talk to my



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neighbor?

- Video production highlighting independence, universal design, and housing access.
- Affordable housing that highlights the principles of universal design and community.
- Community Service Equity: Who are we miss-
- Universal Access for our hard-of-hearing friends.

"We are interested in growing as many opportunities as possible for our coastal neurodiverse families and friends including those with intellectual and developmental disabilities (IDD)," said Leah Halstead, Board Chair for Sammy's

Place. "This is our time to share the simple ways thinking about universal access opens the choices, for everyone. It's really exciting work"

The Sammy's Place Board invites community friends and organizations to partner where our work intersects to increase reach and support for these valuable, necessary programs and services.

Funding comes from a variety of sources including the Emil W. and Lois E. Brammert Fund of Oregon Community Foundation, The Fairview Trust, the Collins Foundation, the State of Oregon, and private donations [see more here: https://sammysplace.info/about/partnerssupporters/]. Leah says, "The Sammy's Place Board of Director is very grateful for those that continue to support the innovative ideas and new services".

As Sammy's Place works to create opportunities, they invite you to think about ways your family or organization can expand the reach by supporting every person for who they are, and to be an active participant in our communities.

#### **Upcoming Activities** & Events:

- Community Picnic, Rockaway Beach, June 27
- · Discovery Boat Tour, Newport, OR Yaquina Bay Registration coming soon.

• Tillamook County Fair Meetup

• Healthier Oregon Community Exploration • Self-Advocacy Discov-

ery Events

• Universal Design Housing Tours • Fall Community Unified Sports

For more information, go to www.sammysplace.

About Sammy's Place & **Oregon COAAST Net**work:

Sammy's Place is a nonprofit organization serving Oregon's north coast, Clatsop, Tillamook, and Lincoln counties. Originating in Nehalem, OR

we envision a welcoming coastal region where everybody has what they need to fully participate and thrive in their community of choice. Our combined lived experience shows that, while disability is a natural part of life, the Oregon Coast is not yet universally accessible to people with disabilities, which can be unintentionally unwelcoming. This means that not everyone can fully participate and thrive in our coastal communities. This is especially the case for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. This drives us to create new opportunities within the coastal region so everyone can fully participate and thrive in their community of choice. We are currently doing this through three interconnected strategies. We are elevating the voices of people and families experiencing I/DD through our Family Network and peer support services. We are advancing universal accessibility in our local towns along Oregon's North Coast through a community housing development model that highlights concepts of universal design and living in community. And finally, we are creating a sustainable organization as a longterm resource for the Coast through strategic planning and sound financial stewardship. We are inviting partners who are seeking ways to evolve access to our beloved coastal com-

munities, to join us!

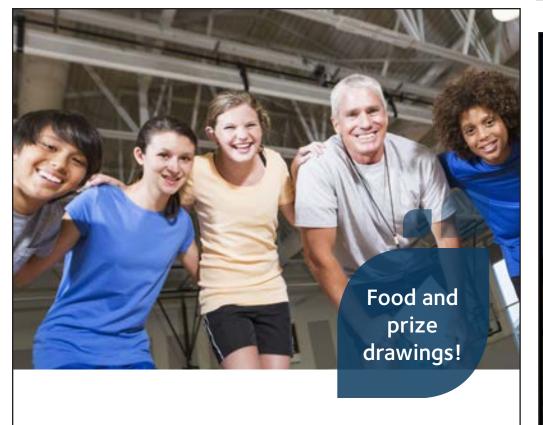
A utility pole may seem like the perfect place to post a notice, however, it creates a serious safety hazard. Nails, tacks, or staples used to attach objects to poles can damage a lineworker's safety equipment as they climb. Puncturing wooden

poles to post objects could cause a

pole to degrade more quickly, which reduces pole stability and

increases the risk of a pole falling over if struck by a vehicle or during a severe weather event.

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#### Adolescent Sports Physical Events

Save the date for one of our summer events providing a sports physical for youth ages 12-21. Immunizations and lab testing provided as needed. No out-of-pocket costs.

Schedule your appointment today by calling 503-815-2292.

Tuesday, August 13 3-7 p.m.

Medical Office – Pacific City 38505 Brooten Road, Suite A, Pacific City

Wednesday, August 14 3-7 p.m.

Women's and Family Health 1011 Third St., Tillamook



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## **OPINION**

#### **FENCEPOSTS**

t is Thursday night, Garibaldi Days eve. The first rounds of hooting and hollering were heard coming from down by the shoreline. Neighbors have had grills smoking dinners and have been kind enough to share. The festive spirit is quickly spreading.

Around here, mayor Katie was putting the finishing touches on the Garibaldi Days event map when she burned her hand on a quilting iron. She's fine, superficial burns. Just add it to the sacrifice.

The volunteer sheet is still in near-mint condition, which means Katie and Councilor Bade will be at the city information booth for much of the festival, as last year, and the mayor will drag her husband in for relief and errands, again. Which makes it all the easier because the babysitter twisted her ankle this week and is laid up on crutches, leaving her sidelined.

(Note to self: Go wash your truck so your wife, kids, sister-in-law, mother-in-law and nieces aren't touted around the parade in a dust collector.)

Now, before we go any further, lets note that none of this is a complaint. It's just a glimpse into one of many behind-the-curtain moments that go into making the event a reality, year after year.

For example, Garibaldi Fire & Rescue's crews are expected to be home this



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weekend, weary from being deployed to assist in fires around the state (Falls Fire, Telephone Fire...), to partake in the weekend festivities especially for the Water Ball event (look out, Coast Guard). Then, currently, are expected to be re-deployed again this week.

City staff has been busy, in addition to Garibaldi Days, onboarding City Manager Jake Boone and revealing the inner workings of "the Garibaldi way." This includes Liane Welch chipping in. She saved up enough time during her time here to finish the onboarding.

The port, Mike Saindon and crew, do much of the heavy lifting for the event as well, in addition to the south jetty repairs and all the other activities going on there.

Shoutouts to Ashley Christensen and Darci Hansen and everyone else whose names might escape me at this time. It sounds like everyone mentioned above has stories, tailored to their

own lives, similar to the ones I started with, that have made this year's event exceptionally challenging.

And they came through despite the ODOT US 101project and jetty rocks and turnover and everything else under the Oregon Coast summer sun.

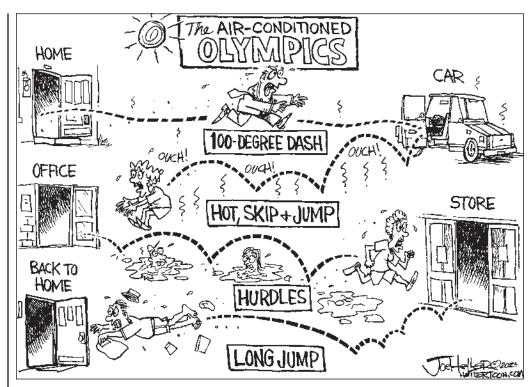
Please make sure to thank them all when you see them.

Lastly, make sure to read Editor Chappell's article on City Manager Jake Boone in next week's paper. I'm told Jake was a great interview, and I'm looking forward to reading it.

As for me, I and the rest of the Planning Commission had one brief Zoom-only meeting with Mr. Boone. My first impressions have been resolutely positive. He was optimistic, had a great attention to grammar details, and was completely respectful to the line between the staff and governing body – not that I had any concerns but the moment he got within shouting distance of said line, he noted it in advance. I really liked

Once he's a little more in the flow and more familiar with our more foundational problems (audits, infrastructure, PFAS), planning will be more incorporated. We commissioners well-know the drill at this point.

With 406B and FEMA quickly coming down the pipe, I suspect we'll be seeing a lot more of each other.



ast week's Fencepost tant issues taken up at the July city council meeting, but here are a few more

Fire Chief Todd Hesse reported that "June was busy, and July even busier. Our call volume is extremely steady." His account of the 4th of July included the comment, "We did not have any fireworksrelated fires, and everybody left with the same number of fingers they came with." He credited our patrols with an influence on "the reduction in illegal fireworks in town during the 4th."

Chief Hesse also announced that the August **Emergency Preparedness** meeting would discuss foraging, with a walk to identify local food sources (and some to avoid). "I would encourage everybody to attend," Chief Hesse said. The presentation takes place on Wednesday, August 7, at 7 p.m., and will include a walk through some of the natural areas near city hall with an expert on local food sources. Chief Hesse added, "We'll probably start right here or at the fire hall, and we'll let you know to get the field trip started."

In addition, Rockaway Beach Fire & Rescue has added two new seasonal firefighters, covered by a grant. Both are certified for EMT and wildland firefighting.

Captain Geoff Grace is currently developing citizen emergency response team (CERT) "train the trainer" classes so we can expand our corps of CERT volunteers.

Superintendent Dan Emerson of Public Works spoke next, with the good news that recent rainfall has increased the water flow for this time of year relative to 2023. As a result, he added "we do

not anticipate the need for a water curtail."

Superintendent Emerson went on to say that the Anchor Street Park, which officially opened in late June, "is a hit. Every weekend, my kids ask if we can go play in Rockaway."

City Manager Luke Shepard gave a thorough run-down of several issues, including Ordinance 2024-03 about keeping and feeding wild animals.

Two Rockaway residents spoke in favor of the ordinance. Kathleen Lengle explained that feeding deer concentrates the population, giving increased opportunities for spreading disease and parasites, and it also attracts predators. She added that according to Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, deer can't digest starch, which is what people typically feed them. Barb Riley also spoke, stressing that people who feed wild animals are well-intentioned, but most human food is

harmful for deer. City Manager Shepard further explained that the State of Oregon has recently changed code numbers, so Ordinance 2024-03 now reflects new codes for the state. In addition, the language on our books has been clarified and now matches state codes. The ordinance passed unanimously, with an effective

date of August 16.

Strategic planning, discussed in my July 16 Fencepost, continues to the community engagement period. Outreach includes engagement events with the Lions Club, Farmers Market, Meals for Seniors and the Business Association. Shepard commented, "The more participation we have, the stronger a plan we're going to end up

Shepard mentioned the Wayside beach access project, which has now entered the bidding phase. "It'll be a late summer/fall project," he clarified. "I think that'll be a big one for by far our mostused beach access point," adding that it meant "new stairs, new ramp access, and sidewalks as well."

In talking with hundreds of visitors who stop into the Caboose, I hear that ADAcompliant access to our attractions is a huge draw for tourism. The pavers around the Caboose and the Anchor Street playground, as well as the Big Cedar Boardwalk, are very popular with visitors. To build on this, Planning Commissioner Bill Hassell spoke in a non-agenda comment that he is looking at Mobi-Mat, which prevents wheelchairs from becoming stuck in the sand.

This is a durable mat of woven recycled plastic currently in use in coastal areas at least from Seaside to Lincoln City. Because the Oregon Coast Visitors Association has a history of providing grants for the purchase, Hassell believes there would be minimal cost to the city to add this to our beach access. He envisions the Mobi-Mat starting at bottom of the proposed Wayside ramp and extending out onto the beach.

Iset my alarm Saturday morning so that I wouldn't miss the pancake breakfast put on by our own Nestucca Rural Fire Protection crew at Kiawanda Community Center. They ordered up perfect weather for parade day and kicked it off by serving up pancakes with butter and syrup, sausage links, ham and orange juice or coffee for a bargain price. I recognized just four people in the room. Jeanene Upton and Ginger Slavens were serving at the kitchen's window, Chief Jim Oeder was working the crowd, and his mom was finishing breakfast at the table next to mine. I think everyone else (and it was nearly standing room only) was visiting Pacific City for Dory days from out of town. A line snaked out the door when I left at 9:30.

Register by August 19 for a free "Cooking Matters: The Family Kitchen" class. It's geared for parents or caregivers to increase their confidence in making



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meals and snacks with and for the whole family. An English-speaking version is planned from 6 until 7 p.m. on Wednesday, August 21; it will be taught in Spanish from 6 until 7 on Friday, August 23. Tillamook O.S.U. Extension office will host the classes. The address is 4506 Third Street, east of downtown Tillamook. Call Galena Flores at 503-842-3433 to register.

Fillamook City Police are hosting a "National Night Out" from 5-7 p.m. on Tuesday, August 6 in Goodspeed Park. It's located at

the intersection of Demonte Avenue and Third Street east of downtown Tillamook. The free event will include live music, free hamburgers and hotdogs, face painting, cornhole, a bouncy house, and a dunk tank.

Neskowin Valley School will host a 21 and older "Savor the Coast Farm and Feast "event from 2-5:30 p.m. this Saturday, August 3. The fundraiser has been described as "where a farmer's market meets a garden party." It promises to showcase the best food and beverages within 150 miles. The address is 10005 Slab Creek Road in Neskowin. \$55 tickets are available online. Google "Neskowin Farm and Feast" to access a list of frequently asked questions or to purchase tickets. All proceeds will benefit a scholarship fund for Neskowin Valley School.

Thanks to Martha Wilson, who is President of

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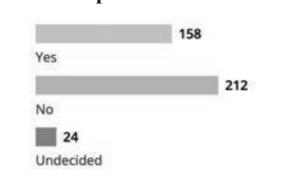
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## **OPINION**

#### **FENCEPOSTS**

ood news on the Jshellfish front for Cape Meares beach: Mussel harvesting is now open. Razor clamming is open here as well. Bay clamming is open all along the Oregon coast. But you know this can change quickly. Always call the shellfish hotline (1-800-448-2474) before heading out to harvest shellfish, or visit https://www.oregon. gov/oda/programs/foodsafety/shellfish/pages/shellfishclosures.aspx.

The time is nigh. We have seen traffic signs alerting us to upcoming bridge work on Bayocean Road for several weeks; now it is about to begin. A press



release from the Tillamook Public Works Dept. states that the bridge on Bayocean Road will be closed at milepost 2.4 from Aug. 5 to Sept. 5. This point falls between the Memaloose boat launch and the dike road. No acfor pedestrian or bicycle traffic. So...it is over the top we go! Yes, thank goodness the new Cape Meares Loop Road is open and offers another way to enter and exit our community. Thank you to the Public Works Dept. for taking care of our roads. And while we are at it, thanks to Cape Meares resident Bob Garrigues, who has been our representative on the County Road Advisory Committee for many years. Roads (and bridges) are hard work.

commodations will be made

Olli Ollikainen is reaching out to the Cape Meares community with a call for

more volunteer firefighters. There are currently three volunteer firefighters in Cape Meares, including Olli—who says he is approaching his "sell by" date. Olli began the basic firefighting class at age 60, almost 20 years ago. He truly enjoys volunteering and doesn't intend to stop yet, but he wants to see others in the pipeline. If you are motivated to serve our community and would like to discuss this opportunity, please reach out to Olli at olli@charter.net or to one of our other two volunteer firefighters, Dave Audet (David. audet1@frontier.com) or Kent Martin (kentm32@hotmail.com). Any of the three can answer questions and give you a tour of Station 73 right here in Cape Meares and the main Tillamook Fire Station 71 in town. Interested individuals will need to fill out an application and pass a background check.

There have been several stories in the news lately about kids digging holes in the sand, then being buried by sand as the hole collapses around them. I see a lot of "engineering" work and sandcastles being built on our beach, but for the first time the other day, I saw a big, person-sized hole dug in the sand. Please make sure your kids and grandkids know the dangers of this sort of activity.

Several neighbors have had good luck salmon fishing in the ocean this month. I have heard reports of a number of silvers (coho salmon) and at least one Chinook being caught. Capt. Pete and I will be waiting until the fish are in Tillamook Bay and up the rivers; that will be another month or so. Tight lines for all the

fishing fanatics out there. Cape Meares is getting greener. A second house in Cape Meares is sporting solar panels, and now a fulltime resident has bought a Tesla. The times, they are a-changin'.

## MELONIE

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the Nestucca High School Alumni Association, for

writing with a reminder for Nestucca graduates. The annual lunch and meeting are planned for 11 a.m. also this Saturday, August 3 at the High School. The address is 34660 Parkway Drive in Cloverdale.

Nestucca Valley Lion's

Club has a few Community Calendars available for sale. They are ten dollars each. Proceeds benefit charitable organizations in south Tillamook County and their Nestucca High School scholarships. If you would like one, please search for "Nestucca

Valley Lions" on Facebook, or send email to nestuccavalleylions@gmail.com.

Remember that the Library Thrift Shop has new business hours. They are open from 11 a.m. through 4 p.m. on Thursdays, from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. on Fridays

and Saturdays and will be open from 10 a.m. through 2 p.m. on the Sunday of Labor Day weekend. The address is 6335 Ferry Street, in Pacific City. All proceeds benefit the building and grounds of Pacific City Library.

Happy birthday this

week to Tacy Bennett, Sara Christiansen, Emma Cross, Tawnya Dimmitt, Jack Hagerty, Tammy Heitsman, Joshua Hopkins, Spencer Hurliman, Owen Love, Mila Modzelewski, Zachary Porter, Sophie Sigman, Jacob Trent and Phyllis Woods.

## Groundbreaking Celebration for Nehalem Bay Health Center

Formal groundbreaking for the new Nehalem Bay Health Center and Pharmacy took place July 20, 2024 with a crowd of nearly 100 north coast residents celebrating the beginning of construction of the 16,000 square foot state-of-the-art

Ground improvements on the 1.3 acres site owned by the Nehalem Bay Health District are scheduled to begin August 1 and construction is expected to take 13

Special guests at the groundbreaking ceremony included Wheeler Mayor Clif Kemp, Oregon state senator Suzanne Weber, Tillamook County Commissioner Erin Skaar, Manzanita Mayor

Kathryn Stock and field representatives with U.S. Senator Jeff Merkley and Congresswoman Suzanne

#### **New Facility Will Allow Expanded Services**

The new Health Center will replace an existing community clinic that was built in the early 1980s and has become too small to accommodate more patients and offer new services. The new Health Center will triple the size of the existing facility, have 15 exam and treatment rooms, a dental suite, x-ray, an expanded pharmacy, behavioral health facilities and a community room with teaching kitchen.

Speakers at the groundbreaking, including Health District board president Marc C. Johnson and Health Center CEO Gail Nelson, stressed that the new facility is designed to serve the north coast community far into the future with expanded services and the ability to address the needs of more patients

close to where they live. The Health District is the owner/developer of the new Health Center. The local non-profit Nehalem Bay Health Center, as it does currently, will lease the new facility and employ health care staff.

#### Federal Grant Jumpstarted the Community Effort

Senator Merkley helped jump start the project in late 2022 when he secured a \$3 million federal grant to help fund construction. Health District voters, by a nearly 70% margin, then approved a general obligation bond measure in May 2023 that provides additional funding for the Health Center, as well as addressing renovations at the Nehalem Valley Care Center, the region's only skilled nursing and rehabilitation facility. The Health

District's three-part strategic plan also envisions development of workforce housing to help address the area's serious housing shortage, including particularly housing for health care workers.

The Oregon Legislature with the strong endorsement of Senator Weber and Representative Cyrus Javadi approved a \$2 million appropriation earlier this year that further supports the effort.

#### **Strong Support from** Foundations and **Individuals**

Johnson, the Health District board president, said the District is grateful for financial support committed to date from a variety of Oregon Foundations, individuals and businesses.

For example the Roundhouse Foundation, a central Oregon-based foundation that supports many projects in rural Oregon, provided a grant earmarked to support construction of the new pharmacy facility. Availability of pharmacy services in rural Oregon is an issue of particular importance to the foundation, which has backed strategies to preserve and enhance those services.

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The Ford Family Foundation, another Oregon foundation that assists organizations in rural Oregon, has provided grant funding for construction.

The Samuel S. Johnson Foundation (the family foundation of former north coast state senator Betsy Johnson) donated to offset construction costs, and the Health District endorsed Senator Johnson's suggestion that the Community Room in the new facility be named in honor of a longtime health care and community advocate. That room will be christened the Leila Newhouse Salmon Community Room. Mrs. Salmon, a former Health Center board member, attended the groundbreaking.

Another recent grant came to the Health District from the Sam Wheeler Fund administered by the Oregon Community Foundation. Wheeler was a giant in the Oregon forest products industry, and his grandfather was namesake to the community of Wheeler. The new Health Center and Pharmacy is being constructed on property once owned by the Wheeler Lumber Company.

The Manzanita branch of 1st Security Bank of Wash-

ington has also contributed financially to the Health District for its projects.

#### **Grants and Fundraising Stretches Local Bond Dollars**

Johnson emphasized that while significant financial resources from a variety of sources have been made available to the Health District an emphasis has been placed on careful stewardship of the community generated bond funding. "Every dollar we have raised – and will raise – is stretching those bond dollars even farther," Johnson said.

The District and Health Center are continuing to pursue grant funding for construction and equipment, as well as for naming opportunities related to the new Health Center.

A new "donate" feature has also been added to the Health District website: www.nehalembayhd.org.

Scott Edwards Architects designed the new Health Center. Bremik Construction is serving as the construction manager and general contractor, while the Klosh Group is serving as the District's owner's representative.



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remain vigilant and report any suspicious calls to the Tillamook Police Department at 503-842-2522. Protecting our community from fraud and ensuring public safety is one of our highest priorities.

For any questions or further information, please contact the Tillamook Police Department at 503-842-2522.

Stay safe and alert.

#### Former Tillamook Pharmacy building and land is sold

We are so pleased to share with the community that the former Tillamook Pharmacy building and land at 915 Main Avenue was sold to an investor that owns and currently owns and operates two other businesses in Tillamook.

Two generations of the

Wilson family, first George and then David, operated the Pharmacy for a wonderful 48-year run. The Wilsons will always appreciate how welcoming the Tillamook community was to their pharmacy practice. The new ownership

team, Amrit and Bahadur

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Singh, also a father and son duo, whom have not yet shared their business plans

The real estate transaction was executed by Christine Folz and Larry Glickman, both of ΓEA Broker for the seller and the buyer.

for the property.



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## **OBITUARIES**

#### Marjorie Ann Stoughton (Listberger)

Marjorie Ann Stoughton, 85, passed away peacefully on July 8, 2024 at Prestige Orchard Heights in Salem Oregon, with her daughter and granddaughter at her

Born in Pelican Rapids, MN. To George and Mary Scheidecker. Throughout her younger years she also lived in Jeffersonville IN, where her father worked as a welder on landing crafts during WWII, Perham, MN. Dent, MN. Herman, MN. Duluth, MN. and Minneapolis, MN. She graduated from South High School.

Marjorie is preceded in death by her (Father) George Scheidecker, (Mother) Mary (Umlauf) Scheidecker, (Sister) Linda Kinn, (Brother) Timothy Scheidecker, (Son) Martin Joseph Listberger and her (Husband) James Stoughton.

Surviving siblings: (Sister) Elizabeth Wienke, (Brother) Michael (Bianka) Scheidecker, (Sister) Patricia Hofrichter, (Brother) James Scheidecker.

Surviving Children: Therese Marie (Marty) Johnston, Mark Alan Listberger, Marvin Andrew (Dian) Listberger, Thomas Ronald (Susan) Listberger, and (Daughter in Law) Sandy Listberger.

Grandchildren: Shane, Tory, Shannan, Brenda, Steven, Anthony, Philip, Ryan, Aaron, Derek, Dylan. As well as (17) great grandchildren.

Marjorie absolutely adored her grandchildren and was a very dedicated grandmother wanting to be there for them as much as possible. She enjoyed doing daycare for them when they were young, taught them school-



ing, most of their math began with her teaching them to play cribbage at a very young age, she enjoyed participating in any event they were involved in whether it be sports or school programs.

While raising her children as a single parent and most of the time working 2 jobs, she decided to enroll at the University of Minnesota and pursue a degree in Social

Services, which she completed in 1975 opening new doors and creating opportunities which allowed her further success in the years to come.

In 1976 Marjorie being a single mother of five children loaded up the car, hitched up a U-haul trailer and began a journey that included driving from Minneapolis to Prince Rupert British Columbia (Canada) 2136 miles, then boarding the Alaska Marine Highway Vessel Taku for the remaining 418 miles that would complete our destination to Juneau Alaska.

During Her years in Juneau she worked for the State of Alaska for the departments of DOT, Regional Affairs as well as several other departments. She was an active member of the Golden North

Salmon Derby, the American Cancer Society,

Church Affiliations and Various Political organizations. Her adventurous nature took her on many fishing trips, and she really enjoyed her trips up Berners Bay and the Taku River with friends on their air boats and jet boats. The stories she could

In 2000 she moved from Juneau to Roseville, CA and then in 2003 to Pacific City, OR. Where she lived for the remainder of her natural life. While in Pacific City she spent countless hours doing research and traveling, working on her families genealogy.

She was extremely dedicated to and helping out with the Tillamook School District and Nestucca Elementary Schools 2nd grade class, volunteering as a teachers aid to Nicole Royster, helping so many children with their learning, whether it be reading or any other class project. She was known, admired and respected as "Miss Margie". She also volunteered for the Pacific City Community Center, and Dory Days Parade. She was a member of the Red Hat Society, participated in regular cribbage groups, enjoyed puzzles and playing solitaire on her laptop, as well as the occasional beach

A Celebration of Life will be held in Pacific City, Oregon at the Kiawanda Community Center, Faye Jensen Hall on October 5, 2024 from 1 to 3 p.m.

In lieu of flowers and/ or cards donations in the memory of Marjorie Ann Stoughton can be made to the American Cancer Society.

#### Thomas "Tom" Alfred Vandehey Feb. 10 1943 ~ July 14, 2024

Thomas "Tom" Alfred Vandehey, 81, loving father and long-time resident of the Forest Grove and Tillamook communities, passed away on July 14, 2024, at home (an adult care home).

Tom was born on February 10, 1943, in Forest Grove, OR. He was the fifth of eleven children born to Alfred "Red" and Mildred "Millie" (Hulsman) Vandehey. He was raised on a small farm on Thatcher Road outside of Forest Grove. He attended Visitation Catholic School and graduated from Forest Grove High School with the class of 1961.

Tom enjoyed fishing, taking pictures of and feeding



the many animals around his property on the Wilson River in Tillamook. Tom also used the property as a fun, family gathering place, hosting

yearly family reunions. Tom could be found most mornings enjoying a cup of coffee next door at Alice's Country

Tom had a passion for woodworking and was a master craftsman, making furniture and cribbage boards. He enjoyed playing cards, tinkering and keeping his property in order. Tom was generous with his time, often helping travelers in

There will be a Rosary (10:30am) and Mass (11:00am) on Sat, August 10, 2024, at Visitation Catholic Church. https://www.dvfuneralhome.com/obituary/ thomas-tom-vandehey.

need, friends and family.

#### **Anthony Gale (Teno) Sours** Sept. 18, 1957 ~ July 17, 2024

Teno was born in Tillamook OR Sept. 18, 1957 to Dale & Bonnetta Sours & passed away July 17, 2024. He was a devoted son, father, brother, & grandfather. A quiet man he was a friend to all who met him. He grew up in the Garibaldi area graduating from NKN high school He spent most of his adult life in Unalaska, AK where he worked for 35 years at the Unalaska City Power plant retiring in

Teno is survived by his children Aaron, Valerie, Vitamay, Christoper, Clarence & Nick. 3 Grandchildren Ethan, Jade & Amber. He was preceded in death by his parents Dale & Bonetta Sours, brother Kurt & sister A graveside service

will be on Aug. 3, 2024 at Idaville cemetery at noon A reception will follow at the Bay City park Graveside service Aug.



#### **Dale Lee Norman** March 25, 1956 ~ March 29, 2024

Dale Lee Norman of Nampa, Idaho, and recently Garibaldi, Oregon, crossed the finish line and passed into his Savior's arms on Good Friday of Easter week this year, 2024. He was 68-year-old. Born March 25, 1956, at Fairchild Airforce Base, Washington to Dell and Margaret Norman, he was the oldest of six boys with two older sisters. Diagnosed with an aggressive form of dementia three years prior, he died peacefully in his home under the care of his wife and family in the early morning hours of March 29, 2024.

Dale was preceded in

death by his parents, Dell and Peggy, his youngest brother, Dick, and his daughter, Sara. Dale is survived by his wife, Lauri, his daughter and son-in-law, Amber and Isaac Rogers, and grandsons Cayden and Tyus. A memorial is planned

for Aug. 11: 3 p.m. at Living Water Fellowship in Tillamook, Oregon. 1000 Main Avenue N. Tillamook, OR 97141.

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#### **Kathleen Margret** O'Connell **Spelbring** June 12, 1947 ~ July 5, 2024



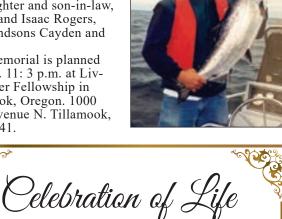
Kathleen Margret O'Connell Spelbring passed

In Tillamook, OR on July 5, 2024. A Celebration of Life will be on August 10, 2024, 1 p.m. at the

Spelbring home at 9985 Hughey Ln., Tillamook, OR

#### Rick Vane Gunder

Rick Vane Gunder, who lived in Tillamook, was born in 1966 and passed away on July 4, 2024.







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Gary R. Reynolds passed away in Tillamook, OR on May 20, 2024



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## **Adventist Health Tillamook completes** significant radiology upgrades



Shown Above with the new fluoroscopy equipment, back row, left to right: Heather Thompson, Amanda Anderson, BJ Jungling, Dennis Grosulak, Andrew Eklof; Front row, left to right: Jeff Percy, Holly Hogan, Mardi Dooher

Adventist Health Tillamook is excited to announce the completion of significant upgrades in its Radiology department. This \$1.4 million investment, funded by Adventist Health capital resources, includes new fluoroscopy equipment, a new digital X-ray room, and a new portable digital X-ray unit. These advancements are designed to provide fast- acting care with minimal patient disruption and the highest levels of diagnostic preci-

The remodeled digital radiology room and the portable digital radiography unit have significantly enhanced their diagnostic capabilities. To date, they have conducted over 3,500 ultra-high-quality digital radiography exams. Dr. Paul Welch, Medical Officer at Adventist Health Tillamook, expressed his satisfaction, stating, "I am very pleased with the new imaging technology upgrades at Adventist Health Tillamook. I can direct and manage patient care efficiently and appropriately locally without sending patients out of the county for diagnostic testing." The state-of-the-art fluoroscopy system offers full digital exam capabilities, including gastrointestinal, obstetrics and gynecology, scoliosis and bone length

studies, arthrography, pain management injection services, speech therapy evaluations, myelography, lumbar punctures, advanced IV insertion, and a comprehensive list of general diagnostic X-ray procedures.

All imaging staff, including all radiologic technologists and radiologists, have undergone extensive training with imaging specialists to ensure we are fully equipped to perform every exam in their service line. Dr. Fredrick Foss, general surgeon at Adventist Health Tillamook, shares, "This portable digital X-ray technology allows me to make critical, life-saving decisions in trauma situations where time is precious, and I need immediate answers with diagnostic, precisionquality images. Having this technology is saving lives and making a real, substantial impact." For more information about Adventist Health Tillamook services, including radiology, please visit AdventistHealthTillamook.org.

#### **About Adventist Health** Tillamook:

Since 1973, Adventist Health Tillamook is a faithbased, nonprofit healthcare organization that includes: a 25-bed critical access medical center located in Til-

lamook, Oregon; the largest hospital-based ambulance service in Oregon with four stations located throughout Tillamook County; and rural health clinics and urgent care medical offices serving the northern Oregon coast as well as the communities of Vernonia and Estacada. Adventist Health Tillamook employs over 550 associates and healthcare providers and is part of Adventist Health, a faith-based, nonprofit integrated health system serving more than 100 communities in California, Hawaii and Oregon. For more information about Adventist Health Tillamook, visit AdventistHealthTillamook.org

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## Tillamook teacher talks Oregon Ag Teachers presidency

WILL CHAPPELL Headlight Editor

Tillamook High School Agricultural Science Teacher Hayden Bush was recently elected to the presidency of the Oregon Agricultural Teachers Association and will serve in leadership for the next three years.

In a recent conversation with the Headlight Herald, Bush said that he hopes to advocate and support current teachers, while also promoting the profession to potential teachers.

"Ultimately, what the responsibility is going to entail is advocating for the needs of our ag teachers but also creating support structures or looking into how can we better support," Bush said. "My thing that I'm passionate about is teachers at all levels of their teaching career.'

Heading into the Oregon Agricultural Teachers Association's (OATA) annual three-day summer conference in June, Bush said that the presidency was not even on his radar. But early in the conclave, a group of other teachers approached him and encouraged him to pursue the position, which he did.

For the next year, Bush will serve as president elect, before a year as president, followed by a final year as past president. In this first year, Bush will be responsible for organizing OATA's one-day fall conference and three-day summer conference before stepping into the presidency.

The primary purpose of OATA is to advocate for the needs of Oregon's agricultural teachers in Salem and the organization employs a lobbyist to advance its policy goals.

Bush said that maintaining funding for ag programs was a key focus but said that his bigger concern was the future of agricultural education, as the number of new teachers entering the field has dwindled in recent years. That fall is attributable to the high-wage, private-sector jobs available to individuals who have the skills to teach in agricultural sciences programs, according to Bush.

The profession has not been well-promoted, Bush said, and he thinks recruitment efforts need to focus more on the intangible benefits of a career in teaching. Bush himself worked for several years in the private sector but always knew that he wanted to teach and gladly took a pay cut when a position opened at Tillamook High School.

Bush said that he thinks the key to increasing recruitment is to emphasize the importance of the profession and satisfaction that he and other teachers derive from it.

'I would never say it's a bad career choice or future path for anybody because the fulfillment is incredible and we need good teachers to lead our community, our country forward," Bush said.



(Left to right) Bush poses for a photo along with THS colleagues Bella Giraud and Brooklyn Bush and John Ramsey, a teacher at Culver High School.

## Hampton Lumber continues partnership with Girls Build, bringing summer camps to rural communities in NW Oregon

Hampton Lumber is pleased to continue its partnership with Girls Build this year, bringing a weeklong summer camp for girls to several of its sawmill communities in northwest Oregon. Girls Build camps are opportunities for girls aged 8 – 14 years old to build curiosity and confidence by

learning the basics of building, including carpentry, plumbing, electricity, concrete, and sheet metal from female instructors. The first Hampton-sponsored camp was held in Warrenton, OR in 2018, followed by camps in Tillamook, OR in 2019 and Willamina, OR in 2022.

Girls Build is a non-profit

organization based in Portland, Oregon, that focuses on empowering girls through hands-on building projects and educational workshops. Founded to inspire confidence and a love for construction, Girls Build offers programs that teach practical skills such as carpentry, plumbing, electrical work,

and welding. The organization aims to break down gender stereotypes in the trades and encourage young girls to explore careers in construction and other skilled trades.

Each summer camp has space for 40 girls. To ensure no one is left out due to an inability to pay, Hampton also supports Girls Build scholarships. Many girls come back year after year, building news skills and gaining confidence. Camp runs Monday - Friday, from 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Breakfast and lunch are included.

> Dates for this year's summer camps are as follows:

 Willamina, OR Aug. 5, 2024 - Aug. 9,

• Tillamook, OR Aug. 12, 2024 – Aug. 16,

 Warrenton, OR Aug. 19, 2024 – Aug. 23,

While camps in Willamina and Warrenton are sold out, there are still currently spaces available for the Tillamook camp. More information and registration details can be found at https://girlsbuild.org/camps.

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## **Empowering Informed Health Decisions**

As we close our Health Literacy campaign, we reflect on the vital role of personal health literacy in enhancing our community's well-being. Personal health literacy is more than just understanding health information—it's about effectively finding, interpreting, and using that information to make informed decisions for yourself and your loved ones.

Thanks to the support of the Knight Cancer Institute Community Partnership Program, we've been able to shine a spotlight on health literacy over the last 3 months. Our goal has been to help you understand how and when to access the best care

for the best possible health outcomes. Here's a summary of the key topics we've covered:

Take Charge of Your Health

Health literacy means making informed choices about your well-being. From understanding prescriptions to navigating healthcare systems, knowing how to make the best health decisions is crucial.

Your Primary Care Provider is Your Advocate

Regular check-ups with your provider are essential for maintaining health and catching problems early. Your primary care provider offers personalized advice,

tracks your health history, and supports your wellbeing. Establishing a strong relationship with your provider ensures you receive timely care. Aim to visit your primary care provider at least once a year—don't wait for issues to escalate.

Where to Go for Care and

Understanding where to seek care is vital. For serious issues, head to the Emergency Room. For immediate but less severe concerns, Urgent Care is the place to go. For regular check-ups and ongoing health management, your Primary Care Physician is your go-to. Making quick and informed decisions ensures you receive the right care at the right time.

Your Health is Important, and So Is Your Voice

When visiting your provider, communicate openly. Share your concerns, ask questions, and discuss any symptoms or issues you're experiencing. Your input is crucial—if you're unsure about something, ask for clarification or explore other treatment options. Don't hesitate to seek a second opinion if needed. Being actively involved in your healthcare conversation ensures you get the care you deserve.

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Stay Informed and En-

We encourage you to keep checking back on our website for ongoing information and resources. Your health is an ongoing journey, and staying informed is key to making the best deci-

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of your health!

For more local health and wellness informa2on, visit www.2llamookcountywell ness.org or follow Tillamook County Wellness on Facebook and Instagram.

## Oregon residents reminded to be ready for potential power outages

**SUBMITTED BY THE OREGON DEPT. OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT** 

If you are travelling by car this summer, especially if you are headed to Eastern Oregon, the Oregon Department of Emergency Management (OEM) and the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) are encouraging you to be fire safe and prepared.

The 2024 wildfire season is shaping up to be one for the record books. With Govenor Tina Kotek invoking the **Emergency Conflagration Act** for Durkee and Battle Mountain Complex Fires, there are now three large complex fires burning through acres of land east of the Cascades. Fire officials and OEM are asking people to take every precaution possible to avoid adding to the problem.

While you are packing and preparing to take off and explore our state, it's important to stay up to date on road closures with Tripcheck.com; connect with the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department (OPRD) about campfire restrictions; and make sure you have emergency supplies

in case you get stranded.

Here is a list of items to consider for a basic emergency car kit:

- Jumper cables
- Flares or reflective triangle
  - Car cell phone charger
  - Blanket
- Cat litter or sand for tire traction in ice
- Flashlight and extra batteries
  - First aid kit
  - Whistle to signal for
- Dust mask to help if the
- air is smokey or dusty • Plastic sheeting, scissors and duct tape to shelter in
- place if needed • Wet wipes, garbage bags, toilet paper and plastic
- ties for personal sanitation Printed maps of the local area in case you lose
- service Cell phone and a backup
- charger Cash or traveler's
- A fire extinguisher you know how to use

Finally, pack extra water

and snakes in case you get stuck for a while.

In addition to packing an emergency kit, ODOT wants to remind travelers to use U.S. 20 to move east or west across central and eastern Oregon, and if you must travel, consult Tripcheck.com and check conditions for your route. It is also important to make sure your car is tuned up, has plenty of gas and the tires are in good condition.

#### Here are more tips to be a fire safe traveler:

- When pulling off the road, stay on paved surfaces when possible.
- Avoid the side of the road where dry grass and other fuel can come in contact with your vehicle's hot components and spark a fire.
- Don't toss lit cigarettes, or any flammable materials, out your vehicle's window.
  • Extinguish all smoking
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- Secure chains and make sure they aren't dragging. That can cause sparks.

Maintain your car and carry the right equipment

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COURTESY PHOTO FROM ALEXANDRA PALLAS The units' interiors feature large windows and upstairs residents have exposed wood beams.

## **K**INGFISHER

Apartments bring first workforce, multifamily housing to Pacific City

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package and planning and permitting the project.

The Shlukas reached out to then County Commissioner Bill Baertlein about the possibility of a property tax or systems development charge exemption for the project right as he was working on the formation of a countywide housing commission. Baertlein offered his support for the project and helped to enact a property tax exemption program for workforce housing projects allowed under state law.

A group of around ten locals also threw their support behind the project in its early stages, investing more out of a belief in the vision than a hope for financial returns. "They aren't really making a very big return, they just did it with a lot of trust," Katie said.

Planning and permitting did not progress as smoothly however, as the project required a conditional use allowance for multifamily housing in the neighborhood commercial zone. Once granted, the allowance drew pushback from some nearby residents who challenged the decision at the Land Use Board of Appeals and in the Oregon Appeals Court.

Ultimately, those challenges were unsuccessful. but the delay they caused, coupled with extreme inflation in the cost of building materials during the coronavirus pandemic, pushed the project's cost significantly higher. "We had problems with everything, we faced every challenge," Kevin The project finally broke

ground in the summer of 2022, with Knottworks in Otis serving as the lead contractor and Jones Architecture from Portland having done the design work. Construction progressed smoothly from there, and the 23-unit building opened in October of last year, featuring nine two-bedroom apartments and 14 studios, spread across three entrances.

A silver lining to the delays presented itself when the Shlukas applied for and received a \$250,000 grant from Tillamook County to support the project in 2023. The grant was awarded in the inaugural round of multifamily housing grants that are supported by a licensing fee assessed on short-term rental properties.

The final piece of the funding puzzle was formalized on July 17, when the Tillamook Board of County Commissioners approved the property tax abatement for the property, the first abatement of its kind in the

county and state. The property tax abate-

ment program requires that the apartments be rented at rates that are affordable to residents making between 80% and 120% of the area's median income (AMI), with the average cost not to exceed affordability for those making 100%. Currently, the complex is averaging just over 90% AMI affordability, with rents ranging from \$950 for studios to \$2,100 for two-bedroom apartments.

Residents enjoy covered parking and shared laundry facilities, and though one unit was empty during July, Kevin said that a tenant was set to move in at the beginning of August.

A third-party contractor is handling the financial aspects of the property's management, while Kevin is performing maintenance, with a tenant also designated to respond to issues outside of business hours.

Kevin said that a mix of people live in the building, with some working locally, others telecommuting and several retired and that it was rewarding to see them around town.

"It's just a really cool mix of people," Kevin said, "we see some of our tenants volunteering with some of the local watershed council stuff and I notice there's a wetsuit hanging out on a tree outside, there's local surfers now. It's just really gratifying to see people that live in our building are walking around, riding their bikes around, seeing them walking on the beach and it's cool.'



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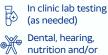
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Headquartered in east Portland, the Adventist Health Northwest Heart Center is known for its minimally invasive surgery program, emergent treatment of chest pain, and advanced

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of care." Adventist Health Northwest Heart Center is committed to meeting the growing demand for highquality heart care in rural areas. "Refocusing cardiac services into one statewide service line allows us to better meet this need with coordinated care supporting patients across all our Oregon sites," says Fawaz Alhumaid, MD, Adventist Health Northwest Heart Center medical director. More information about the Adventist Health Northwest Heart Center is available at: https://nwregionalheart.com/.

#### **About Adventist Health**

Tillamook: Since 1973, Adventist Health Tillamook is a faith-based, nonprofit healthcare organization that includes: a 25-bed critical access medical center located in Tillamook, Oregon; the largest hospital-based ambulance service in Oregon with four stations located throughout Tillamook County; and rural health clinics and urgent care medical offices serving the northern Oregon coast as well as the communities of Vernonia and Estacada. Adventist Health Tillamook employs over 550 associates and healthcare providers and is part of Adventist Health, a faith-based, nonprofit integrated health system serving more than 100 communities in California, Hawaii and Oregon. For more information about Adventist Health Tillamook, visit AdventistHealthTillamook.org



Nehalem Bay Health District Board Chair Marc Johnson welcomes the crowd to the groundbreaking

### **NBHD**

breaks ground on health center and pharmacy

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federal OMNIBUS spending bill, in which \$3 million in funding was pledged to the project. A further \$2 million in funding from the state followed earlier this year, as did another \$500,000 from the feds.

But the lion's share of the project's financing was still going to need to come from district residents, and the district sought their approval of a \$10.25-million bond in May 2023, receiving nearly 70% support.

Jerry Spegman, president of the board that oversees the nonprofit running the health center and pharmacy, said at the ceremony that the public's foresight and support for a long-term, communitybuilding project were impres-

"Public projects like this are particularly difficult because you're really building something for folks that aren't even here yet, folks that haven't been born yet, folks that haven't moved here yet," Spegman said. "And it's not always easy to gain public support for something that's going to pay dividends well into the future but the voters gave us that support by an overwhelming margin.'

Design for the project then began, with staff from the health center and pharmacy, which leases its facilities from the health district, providing feedback on the designs.

The new building will be around 16,000 square feet and contain medical and dental clinics, in addition to a pharmacy. Designed by Scott Edwards Architects, the new facility will increase the center's number of exam rooms from six to 14 and significantly increase the pharmacy's size and ease of access. The all-new dental suite and X-ray room will be located on the building's second level, in addition to a

meeting room and kitchen. Bremik Construction will be serving as the construction manager general contractor for the project and the Klosh Group is also involved.

At the groundbreaking ceremony, representatives of Senator Jeff Merkley and Suzanne Bonamici read statements on behalf of the legislators, before Skaar, Speg-man, Wheeler Mayor Cliff Kemp and Nehalem Bay Health Center and Pharmacy CEO Gail Nelson addressed the crowd.

Kemp offered the city's ongoing moral support and voiced his enthusiasm for the project, while Nelson thanked voters for their support and said that her team was excited for the new

"We're grateful to you, to the Nehalem Bay voters for your support in helping us to make this new health center a reality," Nelson said. "This community's strong and continued support means so much to us.'

Work on the senior care facility is underway, having begun in February, and the district is awaiting results of a hazardous materials assessment at the old health center and pharmacy before moving forward on remediating concerns and demolishing the building.

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## FEMA

rep discusses updated floodplain development ordinance timeline

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that it was currently undergoing legal review and should be ready by the end of July. Hughes clarified that a December 1 deadline mentioned in the letter was only for partnering governments to indicate which of the three options they planned to pursue and that a deadline for implementing the interim updates would be provided along with the model ordi-

nance. Hughes said that by meeting the requirements set forth in the biological opinion, FEMA officials believed that the model ordinance would also meet the finalized requirements for the program, now expected in 2027. Hughes also said that agency officials expected that the interim update would help partnering governments to be prepared when the update is finalized.

"The more we can get communities used to the idea of reviewing their flood plain development permits and impact that they have on species, whether that's through a model ordinance or through the permit-by-permit process, they start to build that expertise in community so they'll be set up for success once the EIS is finalized," Hughes

Hughes also answered questions about some of the issues of largest concern for residents, as voiced during a public meeting last summer in Tillamook.

On the subject of mitigation projects that will be required to offset negative impacts to floodplain functionality, Hughes did not have specifics but said that the model ratio would contain detailed ratios for those projects and that onsite mitigation projects would have a lower required ratio than those at a different location.

As for the definition of development, which concerned many community members, particularly farmers, Hughes said that any manmade change to improved or unimproved real estate would be considered development and require a floodplain development

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Get DISH Satellite TV + Internet! Free Install, Free HD-DVR Upgrade, 80,000 On-Demand Movies, Plus Limited Time Up To \$600 In Gift Cards. Call Today! 1-866-373-9175.

#### SERVICES:

DIRECTV OVER INTERNET -Get your favorite live TV, sports and local channels. 99% signal reliability! CHOICE Package, \$84.99/mo for 12 months.

HBO Max and Premium Channels included for 3 mos (w/ CHOICE Package or higher.) No annual contract, no hidden fees! Some restrictions apply. Call IVS 1-855-602-2009.

#### **150** Misc Services

#### SERVICES:

Get Boost Infinite! Unlimited Talk, Text and Data For Just \$25/mo! The Power Of 3 5G Networks, One Low Price!

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Is 2024 your year? We're here for it and here for you. Reach your goals this year with Weight-Watchers.

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#### SERVICES:

Wesley Financial Group, LLC. Timeshare Cancellation Experts. Over \$50,000,000 in timeshare debt and fees cancelled in 2019. Get free informational package and learn how to get rid of your timeshare!

Free consultations. Over 450 positive reviews. Call 844-487-

#### SERVICES:

Stroke and Cardiovascular disease are leading causes of death, according to the American Heart Association.

Screenings can provide peace of mind or early detection! Contact Life Line Screening to schedule your screening.

Special offer - 5 screenings for just \$149. Call 1-844-655-0972.

#### 300 Announcements

If you care about someone who

drinks too much Al-Anon can

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help. 503-842-5094

#### Lost & Found

**CAT WITH TIPPED EAR.** Nacho escaped his carrier in parking lot of Pioneer Vetenery clinic 801 Main Ave, Tillamook, OR on 7/01/24. May be trying to get home (Tillamook River Rd.) If seen call 503-812-9745 or 503-

812-2814.

LOST MALE YELLOW TABBY

#### 515 **Employment Opps**



#### **Now Hiring Come Join Our Team**

Do you have construction skills and want to join a great crew? Work Local NOW!

#### For digitally fillable application download, go to:

https://gagecontractors. com/employment/

**Email complete** application to: info@gagecontractors.com

Hallco Industries has openings for general labor. Full Benefit package. Pay is based on experience. Please contact Ron Mc-Murphy at 503-842-8746.

North County Recreation District has several full-time and parttime positions open.

On the job training available. Lifeguard certification course coming in August.

Ragan's Masonry ccb#251069. 541-337-5614

#### Recreational Vehicles

604

Housing Single wide trailer in RV Park. Needs some work. Price is Free! Call 503-812-1013. Son going in the Army.

> 613 **SUVs**

2018 Nissan Murano 23,674 Mileage - \$22,000 Pacific City 425.246.4968

#### 620 **Import Autos**

2017 Toyota Prius Prime. Plug-in Hybrid, 68,000 miles. 503-801-

#### 702 Garage Sales



**Annual Charity** Flea Market

#### & Rummage Sale to benefit continued restoration to Fairview Grange Hosted by Oregon

10-4p.m. For Table Space contact Larry at 503-801-0603 \$12.00 for 1st table, \$10 for 2nd.

Coast Children's Theatre & Art Center

Friday August 16 & Sat 17

Rummage Sale item Donations are also needed to arrange pickup or drop off at Grange Monday the 5th after 11a.m. Items can also be dropped off the 1st day of the sale.

A hodgepodge! Furniture, Vintage, Clothes, Boxes:.. Oh My. 1207 6th ST, Tillamook

Huge Garage Sale. Aug 2 & 3, 9a.m. to 2p.m. Some antiques, furniture, too many items to list. 702 Evergreen Dr.

Yard Sale, household items, clothes, costume jewelry, glassware, & lots of misc. Fri. & Sat., Aug. 2-3, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. 5050 Brickyard Rd. No earlybirds.

## 736

FREE CHICKENS! Breeding pair of Cornish Bantams 503-526-



#### **DEADLINE** 10 a.m. Thursdays

**750** 

Misc For Sale

1965 Teardrop Trailer, \$8500. Boat and trailer, w/accessories, \$1000. obo. Ribs for 20 x 20 building, \$1000. 503-354-4569.

#### 800 Rentals

Oceanside studio for rent. 45\$ credit check application fee. 1200\$ per month. bluemntman@ icloud.com.

#### 804 Apts Unfurnished



**Prestige Senior Living Five Rivers** 

#### **Independent Living** Apartments

With Independent Living, you get to live life on your terms while we take care of the details. Say goodbye to cooking and cleaning, and spend more time pursuing your interests and passions!

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HH24-3004 TRUSTEE'S NO-TICE OF SALE T.S. No.: OR-24-990402-SW Order No.: 8791539 Reference is made to that certain deed made by, VERNELL CHAD PINSON as Grantor to CHICAGO TITLE INSURANCE COMPANY. as trustee, in favor of MORT-GAGE ELECTRONIC REGIS-TRATION SYSTEMS, INC., AS DESIGNATED NOMINEE FOR MAGNOLIA BANK INC, ITS SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, as Beneficiary, dated 2/6/2021, recorded 3/30/2021, in official records of TILLAMOOK County, Oregon in book/reel/volume No. fee/ file/instrument/microfilm/reception number 2021-02780 and subsequently assigned or transferred by operation of law to PHH Mortgage Corporation covering the following described real property situated in said County, and State, APN: 361496 Parcel 1 of

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PARTITION PLAT NO. 1997-015. situated in the Northeast quarter of the Southwest quarter of Section 8, Township 2 South, Range 10 West, Willamette Meridian, County of Tillamook, State of Oregon, Recorded May 22, 1997 Tillamook County Records. Together with a non-exclusive easement for access over Parcel 2 of PARTITION PLAT NO. 1995-037 described as follows: Beginning at the Northwest corner of Parcel 1 of PARTITION PLAT NO. 1995-037; Thence South 13° 00' 00" East 177.83 feet to the North line of Parcel 3, PARTITION PLAT NO. 1995-037; Thence South 81° 57' 19" West 25.09 feet; Thence North 13° 00' 00" West 176.43 feet to the North line of Parcel 2 of PARTITION PLAT NO. 1995-037; Thence North 78° 44' 25" East

25.01 feet to the Point of Beginning. Also together with access from Whiskey Creek Road over Lot 99 (private road) of Whiskey Creek Ranch; and a non-exclusive access easement of 50 feet even width lying immediately adjacent to and Easterly of the East boundary of Block 2 of said Whiskey Creek Ranch, and the Southerly projection of the East sideline of said Block 2, which is described as: Beginning at the Northeast corner of said Block 2, Whiskey Creek Ranch; Thence South 13° East 272.32 feet to the North boundary of Parcels 1 and 2, PARTITION PLAT NO. 1995-037. Commonly known as: 4945 BOURBON PL W. TILLAMOOK, OR 97141-9441 Both the beneficiary and the trustee have elected to sell the said real property to satisfy the obligations secured by said trust deed and notice has been recorded pursuant to Section 86.752(3) of Oregon Revised Statutes. The default for which the foreclosure is made is the grantors: BORROWER(S) HAVE DIED AND THE PROPERTY IS NOT THE PRINCIPAL RESI-DENCE OF AT LEAST ONE

SURVIVING BORROWER AND.

AS A RESULT, ALL SUMS DUE

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COME DUE AND PAYABLE. By

this reason of said default the

beneficiary has declared all obli-

gations secured by said deed of

trust immediately due and pay-

able, said sums being the follow-

ing. to-wit: the sum of \$384,569,27

together with interest thereon at

the rate of 8.0300 per annum;

plus all trustee's fees, foreclosure

costs and any sums advanced by

the beneficiary pursuant to the

terms of said deed of trust.

Whereof, notice hereby is given

that QUALITY LOAN SERVICE

CORPORATION, the under-

signed trustee will on 11/4/2024

at the hour of 1:00 PM, Standard

Netarts-Oceanside Sanitary District 1755 Cape Meares Lp. Rd. W., Tillamook, OR 97141



#### <u> Employment Opportunity – Wastewater Treatment Facility Operator</u>

Job Title: Wastewater Treatment Facility Operator Salary Range: \$24.04 to 31.51 per hour DOE

Benefit Package Includes: Paid Vacation, Sick Leave, Holidays, Health, Dental, Vision and PERS Retirement.

#### Job Open until filled.

Purpose of the position: Operates, monitors and maintains the process, equipment and facilities of a SBR treatment plant, facultative sludge lagoon, and its associated collection system. Responsible for the safe an efficient operation of sewage and treatment facilities within the parameters established by the District Superintendent; does other related work as required.

Requirements: High school diploma, GED certificate, or equivalent. Wastewater Treatment Operator Grade I or II certificates in treatment and collections.

Please call the phone number above, prior to picking up the application at the Netarts-Oceanside Sanitary District Office located at 1755 Cape Meares Lp. Rd. W., Oceanside, OR. Between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday Friday or go to <u>www.n-o-s-d.com</u> to download the Employment Application, job description & specifications.

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help the blind and visually impaired.

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When you donate your car, you'll receive:

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Call 1-844-533-9173

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of Time, as established by section 187.110. Oregon Revised Statues. At the southern front entrance to the Tillamook County Courthouse, 201 Laurel Ave, Tillamook OR 97141 County of TIL-LAMOOK, State of Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the interest in the said described real property which the grantor had or had power to convey at the time of the execution by him of the said trust deed, together with any interest which the grantor or his successors in interest acquired after the execution of said trust deed, to satisfy the foregoing obligations thereby secured and the costs and expenses of sale, including a reasonable charge by the trustee. Notice is further given that any person named in Section 86.778 of Oregon Revised Statutes has the right to have the foreclosure proceeding dismissed and the trust deed reinstated by payment to the beneficiary of the entire amount then due (if applicable) 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 the sale date. For Sale Information Call: 916-939-0772 or Login to: www.nationwideposting.com 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" include their respective successors in interest, if any. Pursuant to Oregon Law, this sale will not be deemed final until the Trustee's deed has been issued by QUALITY LOAN SERVICE CORPORATION. If there are any irregularities are discovered within 10 days of the date of this sale, that the trustee will rescind the sale, return the buyer's money and take further action as necessary. If the sale is set aside for any reason, including if the Trustee is unable to convev title, the Purchaser at the sale shall be entitled only to a return of the monies paid to the Trustee. This shall be the Purchaser's sole and exclusive remedy. The purchaser shall have no further recourse against the Trustor, the Trustee, the Beneficiary, the Beneficiary's Agent, or the Beneficiary's Attorney. If you have previously been discharged through bankruptcy, you may have been released of personal liability for this loan in which case this letter is intended to exercise the note holders right's against the real property only. As required by law, you are hereby notified that a negative credit report reflecting on your credit record may be submitted to a credit report agency if you fail to fulfill the terms of your credit obligations. Without limiting the trustee's disclaimer of representations or warranties, Oregon law requires the trustee to state in this notice that some residential property sold at a trustee's sale may have been used in manufacturing methamphetamines, the chemical components of which are known to be toxic. Prospective purchasers of residential property should be aware of this potential danger before deciding to place a bid for this property at the trustee's sale. TS No: OR-24-990402-SW Dated: 6/26/2024 Quality Loan Service Corporation, as Trustee Signature By: Rodica M Cirstioc. Assistant Secretary Trustee's Mailing Address:

Suite 450, Seattle, WA 98104 Toll Free: (866) 925-0241 Trustee's Physical Address: Quality Loan Service Corporation 2763 Camino Del Rio South San Diego, CA 92108 Toll Free: (866) 925-0241 IDSPub #0203103 7/30/2024 8/6/2024 8/13/2024

QUALITY LOAN SERVICE COR-

PORATION 108 1 st Ave South,

8/20/2024 HH24-3006 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OR-EGON FOR THE COUNTY OF TILLAMOOK Probate Department IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF MICHAEL HENRY JONES, Deceased. Case No. 24PB04860 NOTICE TO INTER-ESTED PERSONS NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Marjorie Nielson Jones has been appointed Personal Representative of the Estate of Michael Henry Jones. All persons having claims against the Estate are required to present them, with vouchers attached, to the undersigned Personal Representative at Landerholm, P.S., P.O. Box 1086, Vancouver, WA 98666-1086, within four months of this notice after the date of publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, the Personal Representative, or the attorneys for the Personal Representatives, Landerholm, P.S. FIRST DATE OF PUBLICATION:

July 16, 2024 DATED this 3rd day

of July, 2024. LANDERHOLM,

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#### Join Our Team as a **Garibaldi Utility Worker 2** Annual Salary: \$63,764 - \$73,964

Are you ready to make a difference in your community? We're seeking a skilled Utility Worker 2 to join our team in Garibaldi!

#### **Position Highlights:**

- Full-Time, 40-Hour Week
- Union Position with AFSCME Representation

#### Competitive Salary **Responsibilities:**

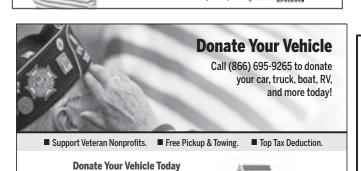
- Perform various manual and equipment operations tasks for city facility maintenance. **Qualifications:**
- Wastewater Level 1 Treatment or Level 1 Collection Certification
- Oregon Health Division Drinking Water Program Level 1 Certification in Water Distribution and Treatment
- Certification to operate the City's Cross Connection Program

Apply Now: Find more details and the application at **Garibaldi Job Opportunities**.

Open until filled. Submit your cover letter, resume, and application to

Nick.theoharis@garibaldi.gov

Become a key part of Garibaldi's future—apply today!



866-695-9265

**PACIFIC CITY JOINT WATER-SANITARY AUTHORITY OPEN POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT** 

#### WATER/WASTEWATER OPERATOR-IN-TRAINING

PCJWSA currently has a job opening for the position of Operator-in-Training. The successful applicant will become part of a team providing water and wastewater services to residents of Pacific City/Woods, Oregon.

This is a full-time, hourly position with a monthly salary range of \$3,293 - \$4,167 DOE plus excellent benefits. Application forms and additional information about benefits, job duties, and minimum qualifications for this position are available online at **www.pcjwsa.com**.

Send completed application and resume to PCJWSA, PO Box 520, Pacific City, OR 97135 or email to rdeloe@pcjwsa.com. Position open until filled. PCJWSA is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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#### TILLAMOOK PUD

**Job Opening** 

**Utility Worker** 

Competitive wages and benefits Closing date: August 12, 2024

For a full job posting and requirements please visit our website at <a href="https://tpud.bamboohr.com/jobs/">https://tpud.bamboohr.com/jobs/</a>

Tillamook People's Utility District Whitney Christensen, Human Resources Generalist P.O. Box 433, 1115 Pacific Avenue Tillamook, OR 97141 Email: wchristensen@tpud.org

Tillamook PUD is an equal opportunity provider and employer.



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Netarts-Oceanside Sanitary District 1755 Cape Meares Lp. Rd. W. Tillamook, OR 97141 (503) 842-8231 www.n-o-s-d.com



#### **Employment Opportunity – Office Specialist**

**Job Title:** Office Specialist **Salary Range:** \$19.23 - \$24.04 per hour DOQ

Benefit Package Includes: Paid Vacation, Sick Leave, Holidays, Health

Ins., Dental, Vision & PERS

#### Job Open until filled

Purpose of the position: To assist the Office Manager with all operations of the office, which

Includes: Posting Cash receipts, Accounts Payable, Finance, Utility Billing, Payroll Process, Customer Service and all other basic office

Requirements: Must have customer service, computer skills, 10-key adding machine, multi-line phone skills, Utility billing program helpful, but will train. Accounts Payable, Posting Cash Receipts and Invoice

skills. Must successfully pass a pre-employment drug screening. Please call the phone number above, prior to picking up the application

at the Netarts-Oceanside Sanitary District Office located at 1755 Cape Meares Lp. Rd. W., Oceanside, OR. Between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday – Friday or go to  $\underline{www.n-o-s-d.com}$  for the job description and application.

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#### **Tillamook School District No.**

- Academic Interventionist @ South Prairie (12T-25)
- SpEd Teacher @ THS (15T-25)
- Elementary Teacher @ Liberty (25T-25)
- SpEd Teacher @ TJHS (29T-25)
- Math Teacher @ TJHS (30T-25) 2nd Grade Teacher @ South Prairie (31T-25)
- Natural Resources Coordinator (32T-25)
- 3rd Grade Dual Language Teacher @ South Prairie (35T-25)

- General Educational Assistant, 3.75 hrs/day, 182-day calendar @ TJHS (12-25)
- SpEd/Special Care EA, 7.5 hrs/day, 182-day calendar @ Liberty (14-25)
- SpEd/Special Care EA, 3.75 hrs/day, 182-day calendar @ THS (16-25)
- SpEd/Special Care EA, 7.5 hrs/day, 1.0 FTE @ South Prairie (19-25)
- General Educational Assistant, 7.5 hrs/day, 182-day calendar @ Liberty (20-25)
- Bilingual Connections Coach, 7.5 hrs/day, 182-day calendar @ THS, TJHS, WRS (21-25)
- SpEd/Special Care EA, 7.5 hrs/day, 1.0 FTE @ South Prairie (23-25)
- Administrative Secretary, 0.5 FTE, 4 hrs/day, 220-day calendar @ Transportation (25-25)
- Academic Interventionist Educational Assistant, 3.75 hrs/day, 182-day calendar @ Liberty (26-25)
- School Bus Driver @ Transportation (27-25)
- Academic Interventionist Educational Assistant, 3.75 hrs/day, 182-day calendar @ Liberty (28-25)
- SpEd/Special Care EA, 7.5 hrs/day, 182-day calendar @ THS (29-25)

#### **Extra Duty:**

- Assistant Football Coach @ THS (01X-25)
- Summer Paint Crew, 2-3 Positions @ Maintenance (79X-24)
- JV 2 Girls Basketball Coach @ THS (24X-25)
- Girls Assistant Wrestling Coach @ THS (25X-25) Assistant Track Coach @ THS (29X-25)
- Speech and Debate Head Coach @ THS (30X-25)

Freshman Class Advisor @ THS (31X-25)

To view job details, qualifications and more job postings, visit our website <a href="https://www.tillamook.k12.or.us">www.tillamook.k12.or.us</a>

Questions? Contact: Hannah Snow Roberts, snowh@tillamook.k12.or.us, (503) 842-4414, ext. 1200 Full time employees are entitled to excellent benefits, including health insurance and retirement benefits (PERS). Tillamook School

District is an equal opportunity educator and employer. All employees must pass a criminal background/fingerprint check.

NEAH-KAH-NIE

POSITIONS: District Office Neah-Kah-Nie High School 24-25 HS/MS 2<sup>nd</sup> Cook, Posting #530

Neah-Kah-Nie Middle School Garibaldi Grade School

3.5 hr. Instructional Assistant, Posting #518

Nehalem Elementary School

24-25 Sp. Ed Instructional Assistant, Posting #524 24-25 Sp. Ed Instructional Assistant, Posting #529

SUBSTITUTES NEEDED - PLEASE CONTACT ESS.COM

Teacher Substitutes

To apply for any substitute position please go to <a>ESS.com</a>, click on Job Seeker, then type in Neah-Kah-Nie School District and follow the application process.

To apply for any of the positions, except for substitute positions, go to TalentEd at https://neahkahnie.schoolrecruiter.net/

Classroom, Secretarial, Cafeteria, and Custodial Substitutes Needed

For More Information Contact:

Kathie Sellars, Administrative Assistant Neah-Kah-Nie School District

PO Box 28/504 N. Third Avenue

Rockaway Beach, OR 97136

Phone (503) 355-3506

Vacancy announcements can be found on our website at <a href="www.nknsd.org">www.nknsd.org</a> Neah-Kah-Nie School District is an Equal Opportunity Employer

Click on this QR code to go straight to our current vacancies.



**INSIDE** More Help Wanted & Real Estate

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P.S. HANNAH C. DELOACH, OSB No. 223917 Of Attorneys for Personal Representative Marjorie Nielson Jones. Attorney for Personal Representative Hannah C. DeLoach, OSB No. 223917 Landerholm, P.S. P.O. Box 1086 Vancouver, WA 98666-1086 Phone: (360) 696-3312 Fax: (360) 696-2122 Email: hannah.deloach@ landerholm.com.

HH24-3013 REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR ENGINEER-SERVICES Tillamook School District 9 is seeking proposals from qualified engineering firms to provide professional engineering services for the Seismic Rehabilitation of the Liberty Elementary Seismic Rehabilitation (The Project). The project is located at 1700 9th Street, Tillamook, OR 97141. Interested firms are advised to attend a Mandatory Walk Through / Pre-Proposal Conference scheduled on August 6, 2024 at 10am. Proposals shall be submitted by firms that comply with the qualifications outlined in the RFP document. All interested firms must submit a Proposal pursuant to the requirements set forth in the RFP document. Proposals shall be mailed to: Tillamook County School District 9, Attention: Amber Schonbrod, 2510 1st St., Tillamook,

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OR 97141. All proposals must be received by August 20, 2024 at 3pm. The full Request for Proposal document is available by email. Please contact Amber Schonbrod for a copy of the RFP. For any questions or clarification, contact Amber Schonbrod by email at schonbroda@tillamook.k12. or.us or call 503-842-4414. LATE PROPOSALS WILL NOT BE AC-CEPTED \*Tillamook School District 9 reserves the right to reject

#### any or all proposals received Tillamook.

#### **Great opportunities at Tillamook**

**Automation/ OT Technician** 

– (Tillamook) - DOE

Commercial Truck Driver (Class A) -(Tillamook) - \$28.34

Site and General Maintenance -(Tillamook) - \$18.00

Please check out our website for more information on these and other great opportunities www.tillamook.com or contact scunningham@tillamook.com

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HH24-3014 Notice to Interested Persons Case NO. 24PB05261 In the Court of the State of Oregon for the County of Tillamook. In the Matter of the Estate of Anita Diane Shirts, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that Angela Leigh Beatty has been appointed as the personal representative of the above estate. All persons with claims against this estate are required to present them to the personal representative at: 92267 Conroy Rd., Astoria, OR 97103



#### We are looking for more bus drivers in the Tillamook School District!!

**Excellent fringe benefits** 

- \$30/month fee for full family insurance
- (medical, dental, vision) \$140/month contributed to HRA VEBA to help offset out of pocket medical
- Total insurance benefit package of over \$21.000 annually
- \$500/month cash stipend if you have other insurance and waive district District paid employee contribution to
- PERS (Public Employees Retirement System) - TSD9 covers the full 6% for PERS
- 403 (b) Supplemental Retirement Saving Opportunities

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**Our Schools Need Your Help** 

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Step 2: Pass a drug and alcohol screening test. Get a Comm

- of pass DMV CDL Class B school bus passenger
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Step 3: Pass a Department of Transportation physical at a local Medical Examiner's office. Step 4: Complete 15 hours of OOE's Behind the Wheel Training.

Step 5: Apply for certification and/or licensure.

Pass a skills test through the DMV or a Third Party Esaminer. Pass an Oregon Department of Education as part of the School Bus DMV Certificate application submitted by the employer.

Now you are qualified for a School Bus Driver Certificate

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Drug & Alcohol Screening Test: <a href="https://www.fmcsa.dot.gov/regulations/drug-alcohol-testing-program">https://www.fmcsa.dot.gov/regulations/drug-alcohol-testing-program</a> Commercial Learner's Permit: <a href="https://www.oregon.gov/odot/DMV/Pages/DriverID/CDLget.aspx">https://www.oregon.gov/odot/DMV/Pages/DriverID/CDLget.aspx</a>

Department of Transportation Physical: <a href="https://www.fmcsa.dot.gov/medical/driver-medical-requirements/driv medical-fitness-duty

Driving & Criminal Record Check: https://secure.sos.state.or.us/oard/viewSingleRule.action?ruleVrsnRsn=147084

We are here to help!! Email transportation@tillamook.k12.or.us or call 503-842-4414 x1200

#### The Tillamook YMCA is looking to add a **Development** Director & Grant Manager to our dynamic staff team!



This position will be responsible for funding procurement and grant management as well as annual fundraising support and philanthropy related activities. This is a Full Time Exempt position with a salary range of \$65,000-\$75,000 (DOE) plus great benefits. Qualified candidates will have a Bachelor's degree in a related field or equivalent experience. Previous experience with grant procurement and fundraising is required.

Interested applicants can submit a resume and cover letter to hiring@tillamookymca.org or they can be dropped off at the YMCA.



#### TEACHING POSITIONS

**High School Social Studies K8 Music Teacher** 

**K8 School Counselor** -\$50,051-\$90,392 DOE -Generous benefits

-190 day contract

#### **CLASSIFIED POSITIONS**

Bus Driver-\$20.21-\$24.03/hr. DOE -184 day contract -Training available

**Middle School Resource Room Special Education Instructional Assistant** -\$18.25-\$21.69/hr. DOE -179 day contract

Apply at: https://www.nestucca.k12.or.us/do/hr/index.php



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Contact: Barb Armstrong 503-842-2539 ext.1100 re: Residential DSP Holly Rico 503-842-2539 ext.2200 re: all other positions

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Include first and last names of individuals and place of business

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Coach \_\_\_\_\_

Esthetician \_\_\_\_\_

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Fishing Guide \_\_\_\_\_

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## Kittens of the Week: Maggie & Sammy

This dynamic duo, Maggie & Sammy, are bonded sisters who are about 3 months old. Their elegant, silky black coats make them look like Greek goddesses who grace us with their feline beauty! Every day, they play & snuggle with one another and with their humans. They are happy & socialized, and will get along with children and adults. Maggie & Sammy's foster family describes them as "ideal cats for just about any family."

These kittens have high energy and love bounding across the room or climbing a tall cat tree. When it's nap time, they are snuggle bugs and will happily snooze in a warm lap. When Sammy wants to be held, she will reach out to you with her paw. At night, they love sleeping with their humans, burrowing under the blankets or nesting in the pillows.

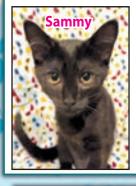
Maggie & Sammy are spayed, vaccinated, and will be chipped, once adopted. They are healthy and eat mostly wet food. Maggie did have a bad eye infection that required medication, but she is doing fine now. She has just a slight scar on her cornea and this does not affect her eyesight. They get along with other friendly kittens & cats, and

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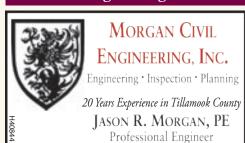
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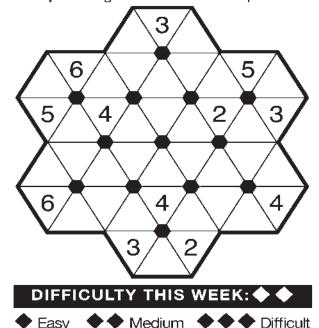
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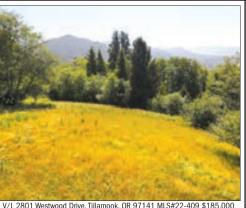
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## **CryptoQuip**

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another, If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

Clue: B equals H

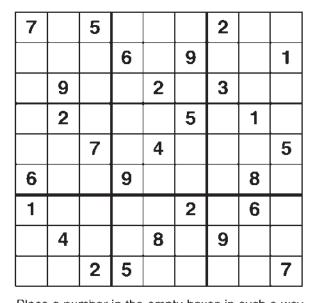
HUAPB RGAUKEHG PUZH ZEPB G DAMGTEJBKN BEFB VUVLKGPEUH UD VGAPERLKGA SGSN SEAYJ

UD VAMN: TEYYN BGZT.

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## Weekly **SUDOKU**

by Linda Thistle



Place a number in the empty boxes in such a way that each row across, each column down and each small 9-box square contains all of the numbers from one to nine.

#### DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆

◆ Moderate ◆◆ Challenging

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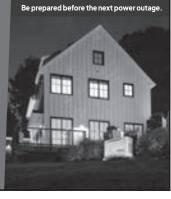
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# **HOCUS-FOCUS** HENRY BOLTINOFF Find at least six differences in details between panels.

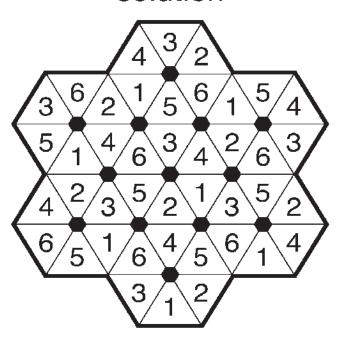
Differences: 1. Hand is moved. 2. Ear is larger. 3. Man is thinner. 4. Awning is different. 5. Tree is moved. 6. Cap is larger.

**Super** Crossword –

#### LAGONS I A L T O RAPINOE UPTAKE IFPEOPLEHAVEPREFERRED MISERIES RED ALANLADD ORESFORBUY O A T S O Y O C H E R F O U R S S T A T A S T E I R P I E C E S O F T O S S A M E D YESV ERNO BOROUGHS R B I C A S T S T H E F O O T R A C E S C A M R O C U M O S E A T I N G F U R N I T U R E H A R G E L E D A R B Y S A T A D U T I E A P R C P A A C C R A WHATMIGHTTHEYCALL S N O O R E S H R E D A U T O T U N E I M O O C A R I N A S P R I M A R Y C H A I R P R O V I D E R S I G N I T E OILSEED NETTED NESTLES

# **SHOMELTHRES**

solution



#### Weekly SUDOKU

Answer

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

