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## Shelters assembled at CARE

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Installation of nine low-barrier shelters for homeless residents and three accompanying bathrooms took place last week at Community Action Resource Enterprises in downtown Tillamook.

With the shelters erected, the project enters its final stages, with connecting electricity and building pathways and a fence around the site the largest remaining tasks. Once complete, Community Action Resource Enterprises (CARE) Executive Director Jeff Blackford said that the organization is planning an open house for the site to show the community what their support has made possible.

“Tillamook stepped up and helped support this too,” Blackford said, “so we want to make sure the entire community can come and take a look at what they supported to show them that this is going to be a place where people can come and get housed and get a new start.”

Work towards the grouping of shelters on a county owned piece of property adjacent to CARE’s downtown Tillamook headquarters is being paid for by \$266,000 appropriated by the state legislature in 2023 from Measure 110 behavioral health network funds.

After working with the county to secure a lease on the site in summer 2023, the project ran into repeated snags, with original designs not meeting fire code, and the team finding that a French drain needed to be installed to prevent flooding, as well as a power vault to provide sufficient electricity. By September of last year, the French drain was in place and conduits installed to receive the power lines when the vault is placed. Another snafu occurred when



crews placed the concrete pads that will serve as the base for the shelters in the wrong locations, cutting the number of shelter units that could be located on the site from 17 to 13. The mistake also led CARE to seek a new contractor for the project, eventually selecting Gage Construction, which Blackford said had transformed the

Photos by Will Chappell  
(Top) As of midday Wednesday, workers had completed installation of three toilets and one four-person shelter (not visible behind the last toilet).  
(Bottom) The interior of a completed four-person shelter, which will feature heating, air conditioning, a mini fridge and microwave.

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## County leaders to reduce TLT increase ask

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In response to concerns raised by hoteliers and short-term rental owners at a public hearing on January 29, Tillamook County commissioners agreed to reduce a requested transient lodging tax increase from 5% to 4%.

Commissioners also agreed that, if approved by voters, the 4% increase would be phased in over two years, with 2% annual raises.

The public hearing on the proposed transient lodging tax (TLT) rate increase was split into two parts, one in the morning at the Tillamook County Courthouse and one in the evening at the Port of Tillamook Bay. At both meetings, Tillamook County Chief Administrative Officer Rachel Hagerty kicked proceedings off with a presentation on the TLT and proposed increase.

Tillamook County’s transient lodging tax (TLT) was approved by voters in 2013 at a rate of 10% and went into effect in 2014. 70% of the funds raised by the tax, assessed on all overnight stays in the county, go towards supporting tourism promotion or tourism-related facilities, in accordance with state law, with the remaining 30% dedicated to road maintenance.

The idea of increasing the rate of the TLT started to percolate to the surface last spring, according to Hagerty, in the face of declining revenues from state forests. The budget group that met beginning last summer to look at ways to address this year’s \$1 million shortfall and projected shortfalls of \$3-4 million in future fiscal years identified a list of more than 50 possible solutions, among which was the TLT increase.

The proposed 5% increase is projected to bring in \$3-3.5 million annually, with \$1 million (30%) available to the county government for any purpose and the remainder obligated to fund tourism promotion or projects.

Hagerty said that the proposed increase would include a funding allocation structure for the additional \$1 million in unrestricted revenues, with 80% being earmarked to support the sheriff’s office, 10% to the county’s emergency management department and 10% to maintenance of the county’s new emergency radio system, which will be constructed soon following voter approval of a bond to support it last November.

Hagerty clarified that the additional funds directed to the sheriff’s office would not be used to increase the office’s budget but rather to secure current funding levels.

Discussions began with city leaders last summer and fall about cities raising their TLT rates in conjunction with the county increase. Currently, 1% of TLT revenue collected in

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## Tillamook Chamber celebrates annual banquet

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Members of the Tillamook Chamber of Commerce gathered for the group’s annual banquet, with a theme of a Scandinavian Soiree, at the Tillamook County Fairgrounds on January 24.

A silent auction and cocktail hour preceded dinner, after which a live auction was held and the chamber’s annual awards presented.

More than 300 people gathered at the fairgrounds, including State Senator Suzanne Weber, State Representative

Cyrus Javadi and Tillamook County Commissioner Erin Skaar. Drinks were provided by Pelican Brewing and the team from Garibaldi Portside Bistro prepared dinner for the crowd.

After dinner, Brett Hurliman conducted a live auction that included tickets to the Oregon State versus Oregon football game this fall, numerous dining experiences for large groups, a central Oregon golf getaway and fishing adventure. A years’ worth of dates at the Garibaldi Portside Bistro ended up with the highest purchase price, garnering \$2,200.

Tillamook Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Justin Aufdermauer then gave a brief presentation on the Tillamook Chamber Community Foundation, which was founded to support local programs that don’t have a home. A large portion of the foundation’s funding comes from money raised at the banquet and this year’s funds will be spent on community beautification.

Following the presentation and a solicitation of donations, Aufdermauer presented the chamber’s annual awards.

In the business of the year category, the Mook at Alderbrook, the golf course located in Idaville, took home the top honor. Co-owner Patrick Zweifel said that the team at the course was working to make it a magical place and that he had



Photo by Will Chappell  
Brett Hurliman ran the live auction at the banquet, donning a Viking-style hat for the night’s Scandinavian theme.

never golfed before buying the property but that “now I golf, and it’s really all I can think about.”

Tillamook Tire Service was named small business of the year, with the Pastega Activity Center—the YMCA owned bowling center in Tillamook—awarded development project of the year and the Tillamook High School Drag Racing Club selected program of the year.

Finally, Tillamook YMCA Chief Executive Officer Kaylan Sisco, who left for a new position in Spokane at the end of January, was named citizen

of the year.

Sisco said that he felt awkward accepting the award and that while he loved to be on the stage, he preferred to be there to promote the YMCA and celebrate what the organization and community accomplished together. He continued that he was honored by the award and thanked the community for its support during his tenure.

“Good people make a good community and good people make good people better,” Sisco said, “and that’s why I’m here.”

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# Port leaders to seek county support on Hangar B

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Facing the amorphous and ill-defined task of deciding on the future of the historic Hangar B, the Port of Tillamook Bay's leadership is planning to ask the county government for \$500,000 in the coming weeks.

The funds, which would come from the county's transient lodging tax (TLT), would be used to undertake two studies, one investigating the cost of restoring the hangar and the other the possible alternatives to repair, to give the port's board a full understanding of their options.

"If we put \$250,000, I believe that will give the board enough information to say, we have so many years to find however many millions," Port of Tillamook Bay General Manager Michele Bradley, "otherwise we will proactively take it down because there's got to be a liability switch at some point

where the maintenance is going to be too much."

The hangar was constructed by the Navy in 1942 to serve as home to blimps that patrolled the coast from the Strait of Juan de Fuca to northern California and is the only such hangar that remains open to the public. In the 80 years since the end of the war, the other hangars constructed by the Navy have passed into private ownership, suffered partial collapses forcing demolition or burned down, as did Hangar A in Tillamook in 1992.

While the building was constructed using old-growth Douglas Fir and is structurally sound, the exterior tin cladding, added after the original construction, is in poor repair and the hangar's roof has extensive leaks, forcing Tillamook Air Museum staff to spend four hours a day removing water when it rains.

Despite these pressing issues, determining the best way to approach them has



been a challenge for the port, which focuses on promoting economic development and has limited resources for other pursuits.

Staff from the air museum have received around \$200,000 in grants over the past decade, including \$75,000 for a structural assessment that returned a clean bill of health and \$75,000 for a remodel of the building's lobby.

However, the possibilities for a full rehabilitation have not been explored in depth and the cost of the work to determine that path's cost and feasibility outstrips the port's resources, leading to the decision to approach county commissioners.

When port leaders go to the board at a work session in the coming weeks, they plan to ask for two grants of \$250,000.

One grant would be to fund a comprehensive study into the hangar's condition

and deliver an itemized budget to repair it.

The second would support a feasibility study for that project that would investigate the port's other options for the hangar, including the cost to vacate and demolish the structure, the possibility of recycling the wood used to build it, possible future uses for the area if the structure was demolished, as well as the cost of maintaining the structure if it is saved.

"We only know a little bit about each of those right now," Bradley said. "So, what we're looking to do is get our whole arms wrapped around any unknowns."

While the specific cost of repairs is unknown, past inquiries with contractors and experts have suggested that the total price tag would run into the tens of millions of dollars, according to Bradley. Bradley said that if a comprehensive repair was undertaken, it would

probably be necessary to split the work into different phases that would have more manageable budgets.

Port of Tillamook Bay Board Member Matt Mumford said that the potential cost of repair was intimidating, but he believed the community would be supportive of a rehabilitation if the cost came in around \$20 million or lower.

Mumford said that he didn't think the county would support the whole project with transient lodging tax (TLT) funds, but that having the proposed studies in hand would help the port identify and secure other funding sources.

"The TLT money is just to get us started," Mumford said. "I don't think we expect them to fund the whole thing, but if they could just get us to get the reports, then we could do more."

It is important for the port to take action to address the issues with the hangar, otherwise there is the risk that an unforeseen development will force the board's hand.

Tillamook Air Museum Director Rita Welch said that if part of the building's roof collapsed, it would force staff to close that area and could well lead to the building's entire closure, as it has at other hangars where the cost of repairs outstripped available resources.

"There could be partial

damage but because of the size of the building, that can make it too big of a project," Welch said.

Whichever approach the port takes will be expensive, with the cost of returning the loaned aircraft in the museum's collection estimated at \$2.5 million alone, and demolition expected to cost millions more. In addition to the air museum, the hangar is home to dry storage for Stimson Lumber, Tilly Tots daycare, Britney Bakes, a pottery business and recreational vehicle parking.

A dark horse potential solution would be the sale of the hangar to a third party with an agreement to rehabilitate the structure, as has happened in California's bay area where Google purchased a hangar in the early 2000s, which it has now almost completely restored.

No matter the eventual decision and path forward, Bradley, Mumford and Welch all said that it was time for action on the hangar before a partial collapse and closure or fire forces the port's hand.

Bradley said that she hoped with commissioners' support for the studies, the port would be able to identify a plan to save the structure, which is cherished by locals. "If you talk to people, they love it, they want to keep it," Bradley said, "nobody wants to pay for it."

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## Tillamook County criminal convictions

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On December 16, 2024, McKayla Dawn Ehly, 40, pled no contest to one count of driving under the influence of intoxicants, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about May 3. On January 13, 2025, Ehly was sentenced to 30 days in jail and her driver's license was suspended

for one year.

On January 9, 2025, Jon Randall Holte, 55, pled no contest to one count of burglary in the second degree, a class C felony, committed on or about December 14, 2024. Holte was sentenced to 18 months in prison and one year of post-prison supervision.

On January 13, Royale Elizabeth Olson, 56, was

sentenced for a July 10, 2023, no contest plea to one count of driving under the influence of intoxicants, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about May 4, 2023. Olson was sentenced to two days in jail and two years' probation, and her drivers' license was suspended for one year.

On January 13, Deepak Rameshkumar, 34, pled guilty to one count of criminal trespass in the second degree, a class A violation, committed on or about September 6, 2024. Rameshkumar was ordered to pay \$1,440 in fines and restitution.

On January 13, Derek R Telford, 53, pled guilty to one count of driving under the influence of intoxicants, a class A misdemeanor, and one count of recklessly endangering another person, a class A misdemeanor, both committed on or about May 11, 2024. Telford was sentenced to 10 days in jail and two years on probation, his driver's license was suspended for one year and he was ordered to pay \$2,255 in fees and fines.

On January 13, Eric Calvillo Mendez, 22, was sentenced for a May 6, 2019, no contest plea to one count of driving under the influence of intoxicants, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about December 22, 2018. Calvillo Mendez was sentenced to two days in jail and two years on probation, his driver's license was suspended for one year and he was ordered to pay \$368 in attorney's fees.

On January 16, Anner Romero Orellana Gomez, 36, pled no contest to one count of reckless endangerment of highway workers, a class A violation, committed on or about April 23, 2024. Orellana Gomez was ordered to pay attorney fees and fines totaling \$808.

On January 23, Jeremy Richard Davidson, 46, was found guilty in a bench trial of failure to appear in the second degree, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about October 29, 2023. Davidson was sentenced to two days in jail and ordered to pay a \$100 fine.

On January 23, John Joseph Pickel, 24, pled

no contest to one count of theft in the third degree, a class C misdemeanor, committed on or about September 1, 2024, and admitted to being in contempt of court. Pickel was sentenced to 30 days in jail and 15 months' bench probation.

On January 27, Icee Marie Blaser, 20, pled guilty to one count of failure to perform duties of a driver related to property damage, a class A violation, committed on or about October 27, 2024. Blaser was ordered to pay \$808 in fines and attorney fees.

On January 27, Heidi Hajduk, 44, pled no contest to one count of assault in the fourth degree constituting domestic violence, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about November 19, 2024. Hajduk was sentenced to 18 months' probation.

On January 27, Timothy Shane Tada, 39, pled no contest to one count of harassment, a class B misdemeanor, committed on or about October 1, 2024. Tada was sentenced to time served in jail.

On January 27, Timothy Joseph Welsh, Jr., 27, pled guilty to one count of harassment, a class B misdemeanor, committed on or about October 6, 2024. Welsh was sentenced to 18 months' bench probation and ordered to pay a \$100 fine.

On January 27, Timothy Steven Neahrng, 42, pled no contest to one count of harassment, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about July 27, 2024. Neahrng was sentenced to 18 months' bench probation and ordered to pay a \$100 fine.

On January 27, Gerardo Brambila Sanchez, 45, pled no contest to one count of taking, angling, hunting or trapping in violation of wildlife law or rule, a class A misdemeanor, committed on or about September 27, 2024. Brambila Sanchez was sentenced to three years' probation, ordered to pay a \$100 fine to the court and \$3,750 to the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife, and his hunting license was revoked for three years.

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cities goes to the county, while the cities keep 10%, in the case of Tillamook and Rockaway Beach, and 9% in the case of the rest of the cities in the county. The state also collects a 1.5% TLT on all stays.

The proposed increase requires voter approval and commissioners plan to place the question on the May 20 ballot, with an effective date of July 1.

Following Hagerty's presentation, public comment was solicited, with hoteliers, vacation property managers and short-term rental (STR) owners renewing the objections they had lodged in earlier town halls on the proposal.

They said that they did not believe their guests would be willing to absorb cost of the proposed tax increase and that they would be forced to take the economic hit. They said that their occupancies were already falling and worried about the knock-on impacts on other local businesses that relied on tourists and complained about the high fees charged by booking apps like Air BnB, which they said can run as high as 30-35%.

Commenters also asked

how the county planned to spend the 70% of the rate increase that had to be dedicated to tourism promotion or tourist-related facilities and wondered if those funds might be used to their benefit or if the state government might change the allocation requirements.

They also raised the issue of reservations already made and contracted with the existing tax rate for after the proposed implementation date of the increase, saying they believed they would have to pay the difference in rate for those stays. Commenters asked that this issue be accounted for in the proposal and requested that the commissioners consider phasing in the increase over multiple years.

After commissioners heard from the commenters, they began deliberations about the proposed ordinance.

Commissioner Mary Faith Bell said that she heard the commenters loud and clear that they felt the 5% increase all at once was too great. Bell said that she would be willing to decrease the rate increase from 5% to 4%, and split that across two years, with a 2% raise this year and 2% in 2026.

Bell also said that she had learned a lot about the fees charged by booking companies and that commissioners were planning to work on a tourist facilities plan after the vote on

the proposed increase so they would have a clear picture of available funds.

Commissioner Paul Fournier addressed questions raised by commenters about the 70% of the increase that would need to be spent on tourist-related items, saying that he hoped to see some of that funding used to increase code enforcement and build new parking lots. Fournier said that both expenditures would qualify as tourism-related and help to address some of the issues that locals experience because of visitors, namely limited parking, traffic and trash.

Fournier also said that he wanted to work with property owners to address the high fees being charged by booking companies, saying that they did not provide transparent accounting information to the county and were a common enemy for both parties.

Fournier also told commenters that while Tillamook's representatives in Salem are pushing for a change in the 70/30 split that governs the TLT, the Oregon Restaurant and Lodging Association was opposing it, as they have similar proposals in the past that ultimately failed.

Commissioner Erin Skaar said that like Fournier and Bell, she was concerned about the high fees being charged by booking companies and had asked Nan Devlin from the Tillamook Coast

Visitors' Association to look into the possibility of establishing a local booking engine with lower fees. Skaar also said that she would be open to a conversation with STR owners about creating a marketing campaign to promote Tillamook County STRs specifically. Skaar also mentioned that she would like to see the issue of existing stays and the rate increase ad-

ressed. Skaar said that the concerns and challenges voiced by the commenters were real and that while she appreciated them, the county was looking to change its path away from reliance on timber revenue and that the TLT increase was an important part of that. Both Fournier and Skaar also said that they would support changing

the increase request from 5% to 4% and splitting the increase over two years. An updated version of the proposed ordinance will be brought to commissioners at a public hearing on February 12, at which point they will make a final decision on whether to submit it for inclusion on the ballot.

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site in the past month.

"Because the layout was wrong, we did lose a couple units," Blackford said, "but we have a great team that we're working with, and we were able to pivot and make some changes."

During the first phase of the project, nine of the 13 shelters are being installed, including two four-person shelters and seven two-person shelters, with the remaining shelters to be installed when funding becomes available. The shelters will require applications and that residents are not a danger to themselves or others, and residents are expected to stay in them for three to six months

before moving to more permanent housing.

The site will also include a congregate shelter, open 365 nights a year to anybody in need, that will house up to 14 or 28, depending on the configuration of beds. Blackford said that he expected work to build a retaining wall and prepare the congregate shelter's site to take around a month and that it will be separated from the other shelters by a fence.

Installation of the shelters, produced by Pallet Shelter, took between 45 minutes and an hour and a half per shelter, according to Blackford, and each will have a portable heater, air conditioning unit, mini fridge and microwave when complete.

Now that the shelters have been installed, the project enters the home stretch, with three major items left to be completed: the installation of the power vault, which has

been permitted, pathways and a fence. Blackford said that the construction team and CARE employees were working to identify a material for the path that will be ADA compliant as well as appealing aesthetically and a design for a fence that would make residents feel safe and suit the area.

"We want something that is pretty and beautiful but that's also effective to make people feel safe but also to the rest of the community that it doesn't look like we're trying to hide," Blackford said.

Once the shelter project is complete, focus will shift to renovating a building on CARE's property into a navigation center featuring a computer lab, kitchen and laundry facilities. That project has already received \$600,000 in federal funding and CARE staff are looking for other grants to support it.

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Welcome to your sun-soaked haven, just steps from the ocean! This delightful 4-bedroom, 3-bath home comfortably sleeps 12, making it an ideal spot for family gatherings or a vacation rental. The spacious kitchen flows effortlessly into the living and dining areas, creating a warm and inviting space for entertaining. Step outside onto the expansive deck, perfect for enjoying morning coffee or evening sunsets. An oversized garage provides ample room for 2 cars, plus plenty of space for your boat and beach gear, ready for all your seaside adventures! Located at the north end of town, you're minutes away from Rockaway's vibrant shops and restaurants. Embrace the coastal lifestyle as you soak in the beauty of 7 miles of pristine sandy beach. Don't let this incredible opportunity slip away!  
MLS#24-612 \$749,999 Steph Poppe



Rare opportunity to own a beautifully updated home in the beloved town of Cape Meares. Located just two blocks from miles of pristine, unspoiled beach! Situated on an oversized 75x100 lot, this original 'Bayocean' home features breathtaking ocean views, oversized windows that bathe the space in natural light & timeless cedar siding. Thoughtful updates include a durable 50-year roof, newer gutters, and a modernized electric panel, all installed in 2004. The kitchen offers a breakfast bar and includes appliances. Nestled near serene Cape Meares Lake & along the picturesque Cape Meares Loop, this property is perfect for beachcombing, fishing & kayaking. With a transferable short-term rental license, it's an ideal vacation retreat or income-generating gem. Call to schedule a private showing.  
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## 2025 THS Alumni Scholarships Open to Apply

The Tillamook High School (THS) Alumni Scholarship Fund, Inc. is currently accepting applications for the 2025 THS graduate scholarship. The THS Postgraduate scholarship will open on Saturday, February 1, 2025.

Students interested in the 2025 THS graduate scholarship must have a minimum high school GPA of 2.75 and plan to attend a college, university, community college, or technical school immediately following high school graduation. Past THS Graduate students interested in applying for the postgraduate scholarship must be attending or registered at an accredited trade school, college, or university and have a minimum 3.00 GPA.

The THS Alumni Scholarship Fund began

in 1992 with the intent of providing continuous scholarship funds to THS graduates. Over the years, the fund has distributed over \$255,000 in scholarship funding to 121 students.

Applications and instructions for both scholarships can be obtained online at <http://ths-asf.yolasite.com/>, the Tillamook High School College & Resource Center, or the Tillamook Bay Community College Main Office. Applications for the 2025 THS Graduate scholarship are due to the Ms. Kephart in the THS College & Resource Center on or before Friday, April 4, 2025. Applications for the THS Postgraduate scholarship are due via mail to the THS Alumni Scholarship Fund, Inc., at PO Box 195, Tillamook, OR 97141, by April 1, 2025.

## Adventist Health Tillamook introduces Chronic Pain Management Group

Adventist Health Tillamook shares the launch of their upcoming Chronic Pain Management Group, a comprehensive program designed to provide individuals with tools and strategies to manage chronic pain effectively and the potential to regain control of their lives. This 8-week program, guided by evidence-based practices, offers participants a deeper understanding of their pain while fostering long-term well-being.

Chronic pain impacts millions of lives, often leading to diminished quality of life and reliance on costly treatments such as medications or surgeries. The MAPS Program — which stands for Movement, Acceptance Commitment Therapy (ACT), Pain Science and Self-Compassion — focuses on a holistic approach that addresses not only the physical but also the psychological and social aspects of pain.

"This program is about more than managing pain," said Tim Patching, Doctor of Occupational Therapy at Adventist Health Tillamook, the group facilitator and an experienced specialist in

rehabilitation services. "It's about empowering individuals to reduce discomfort, enhance their well-being and reclaim the activities they love while exploring alternatives to medications or invasive procedures."

**Program Highlights**  
Participants will engage in a lifestyle-centered approach that blends movement practices, mindfulness and self-compassion techniques with the latest in pain science. The program also emphasizes practical tools for daily life, equipping participants to better understand and manage their pain.

**Who Should Join**  
The Chronic Pain Management Group is open to individuals experiencing persistent pain who are ready to explore new ways to address and alleviate their discomfort. Participants will gain insights into the bio-mechanical, psychological and sociological factors influencing their pain and learn strategies to improve their quality of life.

**How to Participate**  
Ask your healthcare provider for more information or request a referral to the pro-

gram. If you have questions or want to learn more, you can also contact Tim Patching, OTD, at [PatchiTR@ah.org](mailto:PatchiTR@ah.org).

**Location and Schedule**  
The group will meet once a week for eight weeks. Location and time are currently to be determined based on group size.

**Why This Matters**  
Chronic pain affects not just the body but also the mind and spirit. Engaging in structured programs like MAPS has been shown to reduce stress, foster relaxation and improve overall heart and mental health. Participants in this program will discover how to live more fulfilling lives despite their pain, with the ultimate goal of reducing dependency on medications or surgeries. "Adventist Health Tillamook is committed to helping our community thrive," added Patching. "This program exemplifies our mission of inspiring health, wholeness and hope."

For more information, visit [AdventistHealthTillamook.org](http://AdventistHealthTillamook.org) or contact [PatchiTR@ah.org](mailto:PatchiTR@ah.org).



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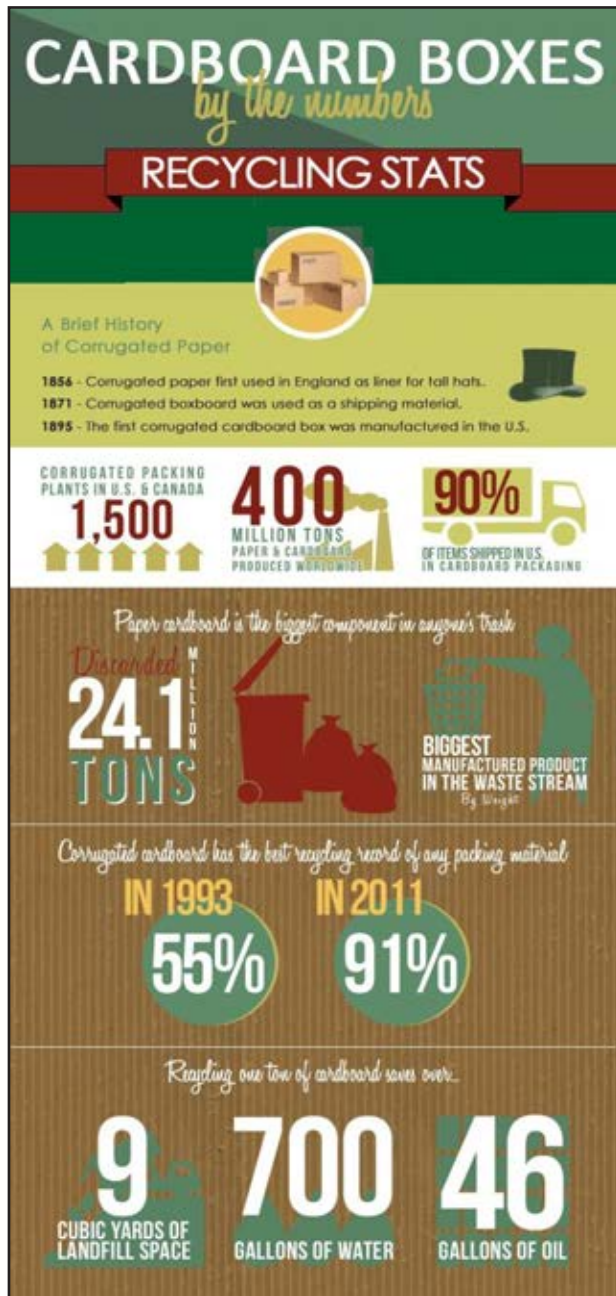
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# GARDENING MATTERS

## Fire prevention



**GARDENING MATTERS**  
**CARLA ALBRIGHT**

If you have been paying attention to the news at all this year, you can't help but be aware of the wildfires that have devastated southern California, especially areas around Los Angeles. I will admit to being a bit paranoid whenever I see smoke. And living close to a county campground means quite a bit of smoke.

Which got me to thinking about the possibility of wildfire on the coast. Of course, Tillamook is noted for a series of forest fires in the 1930's, 1940's, and 1950's. We had a serious fire in the Alderbrook area a few years ago. So just because we get a lot of rain doesn't mean we are immune to fires. Maybe it's time to take preventative action now before fire season starts in Oregon. And one of the best places to start is in the garden.

Removing landscaping material that is within 5 feet of the home is a good first step. This creates a defensible space around your home. Clear away flammable vegetation and debris, removing any dead plants or dry leaves. Prune dead branches and clear away underbrush. If you have a lawn, keep it well watered during the dry months of August and September. Or, better yet, remove that lawn and plant flower beds using fire-resistant plants.

Trim trees and large shrubs, especially ones that overhang your roof lines or are close to windows and walls. Take care to have a gap between the ground and low tree branches that will prevent a ground fire from climbing up walls.

Clean dry leaves and needles from gutters on a regular basis. Store firewood at a safe distance from the home, usually at least 30 feet away from the house. Same for propane tanks. Use gravel and stone in landscape areas around the house instead of mulch or wood chips. This is a hard one for me as my personal preference is to use natural wood materials. But there is a good reason for using stone and I think I will opt for river rock close to the foundation.

Choice of planting mate-

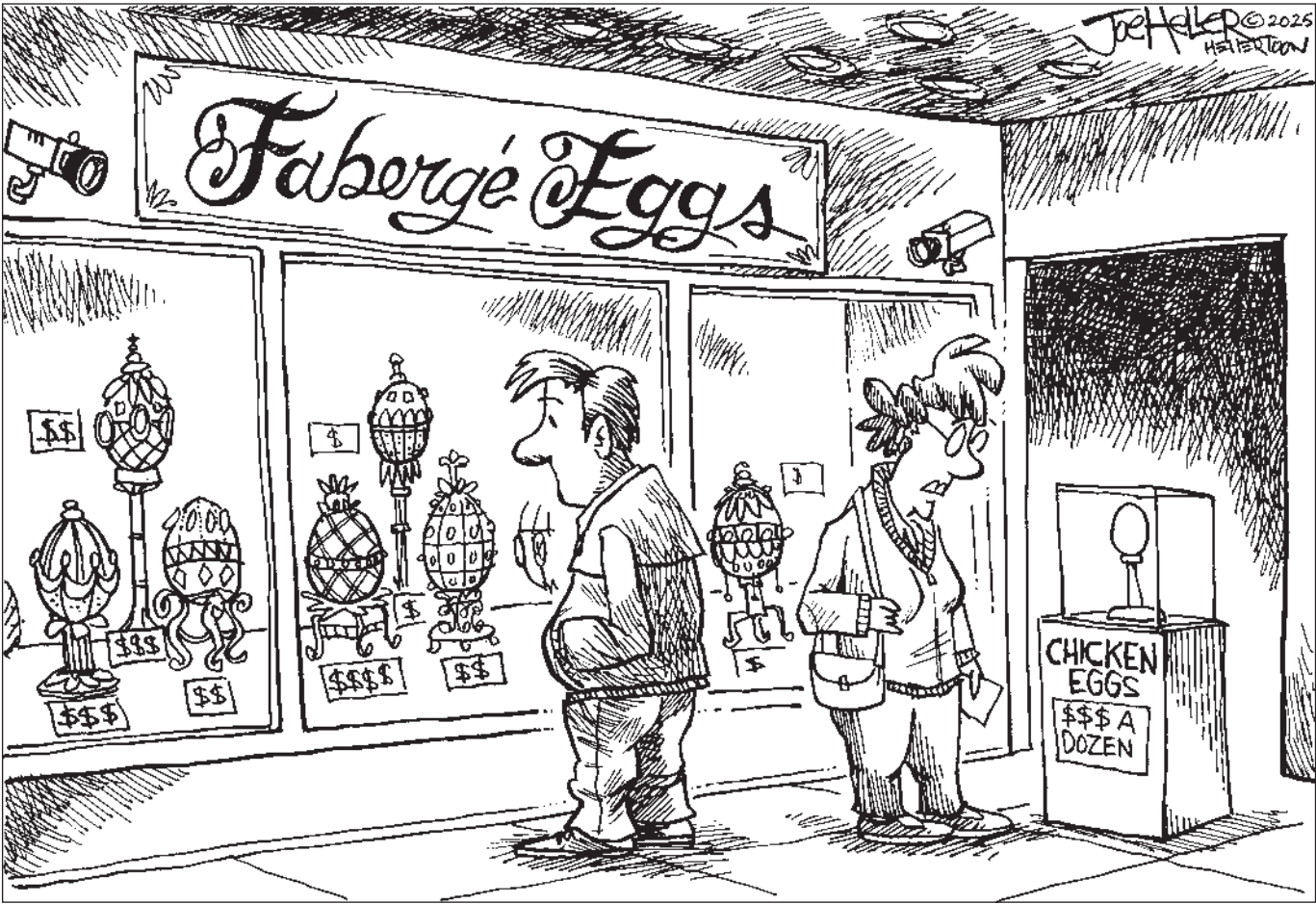
rial is important, too. Opt for deciduous plants that have leaves full of moisture and bare branches in winter. Drought-tolerant plants like succulents or ones with small leaves and low resin content are good, too. Sedum, kinnikinnick and ice plants are good ground covers. Lilacs, Daphne and Currant are fire resistant shrubs. Good perennials to plant are Russian sage, yarrow, Agastache, Alliums, Columbine, sea thrift and Bergenia, but there are many more. Trees include the maples: Japanese, big leaf, and vine maples. Other trees are birch, crape myrtle, and red alder, to name a few.

I found a lot of excellent fire prevention websites, but the one I liked best features the Oregon State University Extension Service publication "Fire-resistant Plants for Home Landscapes." Written by professors from OSU and revised in 2023, this 56-page booklet is loaded with information. Find it at: <https://store.extension.oregonstate.edu/pnw590> . You can research the publication online, download a pdf copy for free, or order a print copy for \$3 from the website as well. It is filled with color photos of suggested plants as well as detailed information on each plant.

One thing this publication stresses is that "fire resistant" does not mean "fireproof." Plants that are not well maintained and healthy will burn even if they are listed as fire resistant. Proper pruning and watering go a long way to keep a plant healthy.

Also, Oregon State University and the Oregon Department of Forestry have joined forces to release an interactive wildfire hazard map. They make it easy to type in your home address and find out if you are at low, medium, or high risk of being impacted by a wildfire. Find it at <https://oregon-explorer.apps.geocortex.com/webviewer/?app=665f61be984472da6906d7ebc9a190d>. The website also offers a myriad of tips for fireproofing your home and yard.

There are many other ways to fireproof your home and garden, including choosing fire resistant materials for roofs and walls of your home. But that is only practical if you are building or rebuilding your home. Taking some steps in the garden, though, will be an instant and low-cost way of guarding your home from fire.



## FENCEPOSTS

The Rusty Cow antique shop will be closed for repairs early this week. They plan to re-open with normal hours (11 a.m. until 4 p.m. Monday through Saturday, noon until 4 on Sundays) starting Thursday, February 6. A stop there or across U.S. Highway 101 at Curious Plants and Gifts or the Bookish book shop would net any of us oodles of gift ideas for Valentine's Day. This year Valentine's Day falls on Friday, February 14.

Fencepost readers appreciate Mickey Hays, Nestucca Rural Fire Protection District (NRFPD) verifying by telephone that a monthly "Family Sunday" event is planned from 5-7 p.m. on Sunday evenings at Hebo Fire Hall. It's located just north of downtown Hebo off U.S. Highway 101. February's falls this Sunday, February 9. The "game night is free admission and open to all," according to Hays.

Speaking of NRFPD, congratulations go out to Firefighter and E.M.T. Devon Beede on completing his probation period. Devon came to NRFPD from Warm Springs Fire and Safety. He is a West Salem High School graduate. In his time off, Devon enjoys hunting, fishing, welding, forging, writing worship music, and spending time with family and friends.



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A harm reduction syringe exchange happens from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. on second Wednesdays (February 12) at our own Hebo Fire Hall. The address is 30710 U.S. Highway 101 in Hebo. The service is offered at the same time four Wednesdays a month. On first and third Wednesdays go to Community Action Resource Enterprises (CARE), at 2101 First Street, in Tillamook. Fourth Wednesday exchanges happen at the Upper parking lot of North County Food Bank, 278 Rowe Street in Wheeler.

Remember that South Tillamook County Library's story time happens at 3:30 p.m. on second and fourth Wednesdays (February 12, 26). All ages are welcome. These events promise "reading and singing and moving about."

The Library Thrift Store will re-open for business after some weeks off at 11 a.m. next Thursday, February 13. Their

hours are Thursdays through Saturdays from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. The Thrift Store is located across Brooten Road from The Grateful Bread Bakery and Café in Pacific City.

Faye Jensen Hall will lead an Ecstatic Dance session from 1-3 p.m. on Sunday, February 16, at Kiawanda Community Center (KCC). The event is family friendly, and all ages are welcome. Wear comfortable clothing, bring a water bottle, yoga mat (optional) and your authentic self. Fay says, "We dance as we are, no phones, no shoes, no words." Admission is by donation (a suggested \$10-\$20 for ages 13 and older; children twelve and younger dance for free). No one will be turned away for lack of funds. The address is 34600 Cape Kiawanda Drive in Pacific City.

Remember to mark your calendar for 6-8 p.m. on Tuesday, February 18. That's when South Tillamook County Emergency Volunteer Corp, in collaboration with the NRFPD will host an informational meeting at Hebo Fire Hall. The gathering will introduce attendees to the notion of a Community Emergency Response Team (CERT). CERT is a nationwide program to train individuals in personal and community disaster preparedness. The course training will be led by NRFPD person-

nel and will include lectures, hands-on and drills. We can have our questions answered and enroll in the course which will be held from 6-8 on Tuesday evenings weekly, through May 27 at

The entire community is invited; all are welcome. The course of study includes an introduction to disaster response, fire safety and extinguisher use, search and rescue essentials, basic first aid, familiarity with the incident command system and participation in disaster simulations.

All are welcome to attend the Introductory class to learn more about CERT. For additional information email: [southcountycert@gmail.com](mailto:southcountycert@gmail.com).

Thanks to Teresa Smith for sending word that Nesko Women's Club will meet at 11:30 a.m. on Friday, February 21 at Kiawanda Community Center (KCC) The address is 34600 Cpe Kiawanda Drive in Pacific City. For reservations, contact Robin at [robinkaeredmond@gmail.com](mailto:robinkaeredmond@gmail.com) or call 503-913-4171.

Happy birthday this week to: Brandlyn Benton, Mackenzie Blum, Logan Cole Craven, Devanie Eckhardt, Melonie Ferguson, Michael Fry, Chandler Judith Hill, Mary Lasley, Jon McKillip, James Sheridan Wesie and Nash Whiteman.

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Many thanks to Randy Klobas and Steve Quinn for their work in replacing the stairs and porch at the Barbara Bennett Community Center. Not only are things safer now, but they look great, too. We appreciate your hard work in helping maintain this historic building.

A steady stream of neighbors—about 30, when all was said and done—dropped in at the community center for hot coffee/tea and delicious pastries on the last Sunday of January. Lemon bars, cranberry scones, coffee cake, biscotti, cinnamon-topped muffins and Brie cheese bites...it was hard to choose among all those goodies. Steve and Ann Quinn hosted the coffeehouse, creating a cozy environment for folks to exchange family, neighborhood and other news. The talk ranged from distant relatives suffering bone-chilling cold back east to those burned out of their homes in



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southern California; the latest in sports, from steelhead fishing off the bank of the Wilson to the NFL football playoffs that afternoon; and, of course, health updates among our geriatric group. Mark your calendars for the next and last winter coffeehouse of the season: Sunday, March 30, from 9:30–11:30 a.m.

The Cape Meares Community Association (CMCA) will be recognized at the Tillamook Coast Visitors Association (TCVA) Tourism Awards Banquet for being a model for other communities. TCVA is awarding

CMCA the tourism award for “Excellence in Community Stewardship” in recognition of their outstanding work on the Watershed Conservation Project. Readers may recall this was a multi-year effort to protect the watershed of Cape Meares through a complex series of real estate transactions. In addition to protecting our water source, Coleman Creek, this project is expected to result in an expansion of the Cape Meares National Wildlife Refuge. Good stewards of our community and the environment, indeed; so glad the hard work of those involved is being recognized. We are indeed “the little community that could.” The tourism banquet takes place Friday, February 21.

Winter seas have been scouring Cape Meares beach, moving a lot of sand from the south end near the cape to the north end near Tillamook Bay’s south jetty. And that has exposed some lovely

rock beds. Beachgoers might pick up a white or carnelian agate, or a piece of green or red jasper. These are just the types of rocks that polish to a beautiful sheen in a rock tumbler. If you are looking for a tumbler and supplies, check out [www.rockshed.com](http://www.rockshed.com); I have bought grit for my tumbler there for years. Just remember to find a place in a corner of the garage, far from sight and sound, for your machine, as rock tumbling is a noisy business that takes place over a period of weeks to months. A long wait, but the results are well worth it.

A reminder that this Saturday, Feb. 8, is the next presentation in the Aging with Grace series at the Barbara Bennett Community Center from 10 a.m.–noon. The topic is “Being Proactive About Aging” and the presenter is Margo Lulich, MPH, RN, co-founder of the North Coast End-of-Life (EOL) Collective.



**ROCKAWAY BEACH**  
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Several upcoming events are of interest to Rockaway Beach residents. As I reported in my January 21 column, the Rockaway Beach Emergency Preparedness group resumes

their regular monthly meetings on February 5. These meetings typically share information on a topic related to surviving an emergency, with previous subjects ranging from how to escape a rip current on the beach to how to pack and prepare a go-bag in the event of evacuation.

In this month’s meeting, “Stop the Bleed, Save a Life,” Captain Geoff Grace offers techniques and preparedness tips in the event you or a family member is injured during an emergency. Uncontrolled bleeding is responsible for roughly 40%

of trauma-related deaths worldwide. This event presents ways to stop and control bleeding. And because one of the first emergency preparedness meetings covered first aid for pets, it’s safe to say you can ask about your four-legged family as well.

The meeting takes place from 6 to 7 p.m. at City Hall, 276 Highway 101 S, in the City Council chambers. Everyone who attends will receive a raffle ticket for an emergency-preparedness prize. As usual, refreshments will be provided.

To follow up on another subject brought up in the January Rockaway Beach City Council meeting, the Tillamook Board of County Commissioners is considering raising the transient lodging tax (TLT) from its current 10% to 14% across the county. This changes the current tax rates, which have been in place since 2014. 70% of all funds raised by the tax are required to support tourism promotion, with the remaining 30% reserved for road maintenance. The January Rockaway Beach City Council meeting addressed outdated language in our city charter, which referred to advertising as opposed to promotion. Resolution 2025-01, which passed, addressed these changes but did not change the distribution of funds.

prepare your comments accordingly.

The city’s recent email concerning the Salmonberry Trail has rekindled interest in this long-term project. In July of 2023, Jon-Paul Bowles of Destination Management Associates (DMA) presented at a town hall and State of the City address. That presentation marked the transition from community engagement and outreach to the design phase.

We have now completed the 30% design phase, meaning that about a third of the design work that will guide construction has been accomplished.

The budget for this phase of the process was set last year, with a \$672,975 grant from an original 2021 ODOT Community Path award. Because of recent uncertainty around federal grant money, it is worth noting that ODOT receives about a third of its funding from the state and two-thirds from the federal government.



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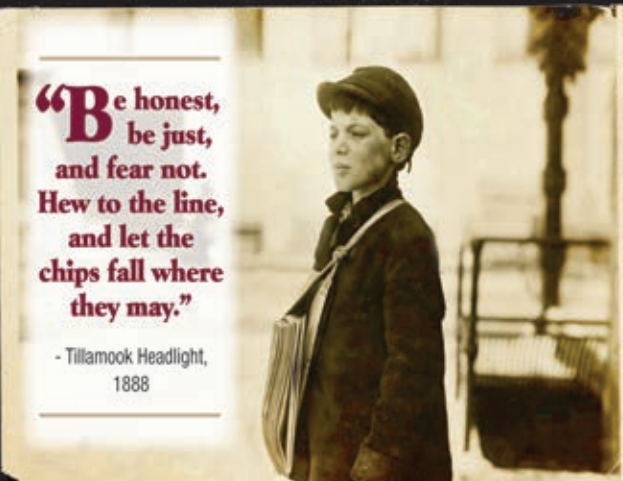


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and fear not.  
Hew to the line,  
and let the  
chips fall where  
they may.”**

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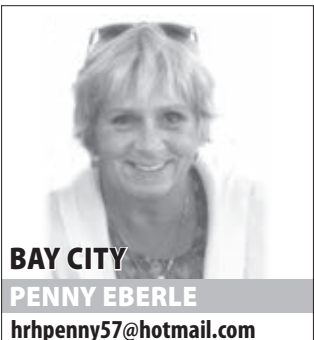
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FENCEPOSTS

We have enjoyed glorious sunshine for what seems like a long time, especially in January. Even though it's been so cold in the mornings, it's been warm enough by midday to enjoy the outdoors and we've been able to do some winter paddling our kayaks both at Lake Lytle and Cape Meares Lake, which has been a gift. Rain has now returned giving us some much-needed moisture.

The Bay City Booster club members have been working really hard on the new park space downtown. The club is excited to have some new members and volunteers who have really stepped up and helped with this project which will provide a lovely space for the community and visitors alike. The trees and shrubs have now been planted, and the whole space is gradually looking more park like. Huge thanks to all who have worked so hard to bring this vision to reality. There is still lots to do, installing memorial benches, signage, parking area and water spigots and lighting, but we are proud of how far



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we've progressed.

The Bay City Arts center will hold one of its signature events on Sunday, February 16th, hosting their

Pancake Breakfast from 9 a.m. to noon. This legendary gathering features delicious, handcrafted food, coffee, tea and juice. It is a wonderful time to meet up with the community and enjoy a time of conversation and fellowship. Works by the artist of the month will also be on display.

The Pearl and Oyster Festival committee will be holding their monthly meeting on February 13th at 6 p.m. at Bay City City Hall. Everyone is invited to get involved with this fun annual

event. Social media savvy folk, new ideas and energy are welcomed.

Tillamook Association for the Performing Arts (TAPA) will present its first show of the 2025 season, Things My Mother Taught Me, a comedy, from February 21 through March 9th. Shows begin at 7 p.m., except for matinee performances on February 23, March 2nd and 9th starting at 2 p.m. Opening night, February 21 is a champagne reception including hors d'oeuvres. This is always a super fun evening.

A couple of weeks ago I wrote about some ducks in my neighborhood who were on an adventure of some type in the middle of the night. I received an e-mail from a reader with a similar story but in a different part of town, and it made me chuckle. Apparently near Ocean and 4th street, there is flock, led by a big white one, who is named Bud. Bud is the guardian goose and sometimes holds up traffic so his flock can safely cross the road. So, be on the lookout for Bud and his gang.

Letter to the Editor

**Don't tax Oregonians to fight Trump**

Only 11 of the 36 counties in Oregon voted for the Democratic Candidate for President, Kamala Harris. Most counties, in this very blue state voted for the Republican candidate, Donald Trump. Yet, our

governor, who in the 2025 latest Morning Consult Poll had an approval rating of less than 50%, is going to tax all Oregonians to fight the new president of the US and any of his policies that may affect Oregonians. Lots of new taxes for Oregon residents in this already highly taxed state to fight the policies that

only 11 blue counties don't like. I think those blue counties are the ones who should be taxed. Dream on. How do these very unpopular governors, Tina Kotek and Kate Brown too, get voted in for governor? Did you know that according to Judicial Watch, (that sued Oregon and won) Oregon has the dirtiest voter rolls in the nation? I think that is how Oregon has remained in Democrat control for 13 years. Dirty voter roles. Both houses of Oregon's legislative assembly have been under Democratic control since the 2012 elections. Way too long. That's my opinion. I am an independent voter.

Dixie Gainer  
Nehalem

School Dist. announces vacancy on board or directors, position #1

A vacancy exists on the Tillamook School District 9 Board of Directors, Position #1. The Board of Directors seeks qualified applicants to fill the position. Interested parties should contact Gail Levesque at the District Administration Office, 503.842.4414 ext 1015, or

by email at gaill@tillamook.k12.or.us to request candidate application materials. A letter of interest and the completed application must be returned by email or US mail to the Tillamook School District Board of Directors, 2510 First Street, Tillamook, OR 97141,

not later than January 31, 2025. A director will be appointed to fill the unexpired term for Position #1 and will be announced at the February 10, 2025, board meeting which will be held at Wilson River School, 2513 Third St, Tillamook, Oregon.

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White Clover Grange to celebrate national Pie Day

The 15th Annual Pie Day Auction and Feast will be held Saturday, February 8th,

at 3 p.m. at the White Clover Grange, with doors opening at 2:30.

Join us for delicious celebration of all things pie! This annual and fun event takes place on Saturday February 8th at the White Clover Grange in Nehalem and is a fundraiser for the Grange building fund.

Fifteen dollars (\$5 for children 10 and under) opens the door to a fast-paced pie auction with pie-lover and publisher Chip MacGregor. The auction features two dozen creative, delicious, and impressive pies from local bakers, chefs, and restaurants and is followed by a pie and ice cream feast! Fruit pies, custard pies, savory pies, vegan pies, gluten-free pies, and various pies-but-not-pies – all of them are featured at this event.

Along with talented home bakers, eating establishments contributing their signature pies to this year's auction and feast table include Brittany Bakes, Buttercup, the Bunkhouse, Big Wave, Downies Cafe, the Roost, Wanda's, Offshore Grill, Manzanita Grocery and Deli, Neahkahnie Smokehouse and the Salmonberry.

Join your community on Saturday, February 8th. Doors open at 2:30 pm and the auction starts promptly at 3:00. There's nothing better to get you through a winter's afternoon than bidding on a delicious, locally made pie and then celebrating by eating lots of great pie and ice cream, all while supporting the White Clover Grange. Please help us continue the ongoing work of maintaining our 104-year-old building as a functional community resource.



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# Tillamook swimmers finish season strong

David Richmond  
Tillamook Swim Coach

In the last big invitational of the regular season, Tillamook traveled to Salem’s Salvation Army Kroc Center this past Saturday to participate in an 11-team invitational.

I was thinking on the way to the meet, I hope the swimmers, especially the seniors take it in and enjoy these big invitationals. They are a special experience and more importantly a great way to prepare the kids for the upcoming championship part of the season. It’s all that’s on our minds right now. The team is focusing in on another successful February and it will take every swimmer’s best effort to reach their potential.

Indi Rhodes led the girls’ team and put 23 points on the board for the Cheesemakers. Her two personal bests in the 200 individual medley and the 500 freestyle landed her fourth and third places respectively. She’s swimming well and ready to drop even more time soon.

The quartet of Riley Cummings, Sandra Hall, Rhodes and Emmy Mulder also swam to a season’s best in the 200 medley. The medley relay is wide open in the league this year. Anyone can win it, and we hope it will be us. Hall had two personal bests on the day in the 200 freestyle and the 100 butterfly. Mulder swam to a PR in the 100 back again.

Hanna Amirkhanian, who



Photo courtesy of Rose Hudgeon  
Johnny Sappington competing in the breaststroke.

is a Neah-Kah-Nie swimmer, but trains with the Tillamook team, swam her best meet of the season. Her 200 and 500 freestyle races were both season bests and she is knocking on the door to new personal bests soon with her recent progress.

On the boys’ side Soren Johnson, Johnny Sappington and Cyrus Werner had the biggest impact for the team in the large field. Johnson boasted the highest finish for the team in the 500 freestyle, racing to 7th place with a new 16 second personal best. He was also 11th in the 200 freestyle in another personal best. Sappington improved his backstroke time and landed himself a top 10 finish. His 27.13 split in the boy’s free relay was the fastest on the team this season. Johnny is really looking good this year and having quite the freshman season. He gives us a lot in practice and in every meet. He’s always ready to

go. Werner walked off the pool deck with more personal bests than anyone, with four on the day. His 200 free improved by 10 seconds, his 100 butterfly another 7 seconds to go along with two marks in his relay splits. We try to use Cyrus as an example for the other swimmers. He is an aggressive swimmer and gets out quick in his races and puts the pressure on everyone else. You could see him swim stronger than even two weeks ago at Molalla. He hung on tough in this meet. He is leading the lane often in practice and we like to say, if you practice hard, you’re going to see results when the meets roll around. Cyrus proved that estimation right on Saturday in Salem.

The Cheesemakers head to the Cowapa League Championships on February 7th.

# Bobcats score close win

Will Chappell  
Headlight Editor

Nestucca High School’s boys’ basketball team got a close, 59-55 win over the Columbia Christian Knights at home on January 27, improving to 6-2 in league play.

The Bobcats held a small lead throughout most of the game and outlasted the Knights behind 18 points off the bench from Eagan Ortis, and 11 from Austin Reno.

The game was back and forth in the early going as both teams struggled on the offensive end and Nestucca trailed 7-9 after four minutes. Nestucca started to find its groove as the quarter wore on and took the lead on a Reno three with just under three minutes to play, and held a slim advantage, 16-13 after one.

In the second quarter, Nestucca dialed up its pressure on the defensive end and started hitting shots, stretching the lead to 25-15, before both teams went cold for the rest of the quarter, allowing Columbia Christian

to whittle the lead down to 27-20 at the half.

Nestucca’s scoring woes continued into the second half, but thanks to tight defensive play, they maintained their lead and were ahead 34-27 with four minutes gone. Play got sloppy on both sides after that, with repeated turnovers, allowing the Knights to trim the lead to four before a Pedro Sandoval three and Ortis midrange jumper pushed it back to nine. Columbia Christian responded with six straight of their own before a Reno layup sent the game to the final quarter with a 41-36 score, advantage Nestucca.

Nestucca Coach Justin Hartford started the fourth with his bench unit, who responded by stretching the lead back to nine in just under three minutes. Columbia Christian clawed back, though, trimming the lead to five with four minutes remaining and three moments later, drawing a timeout from Hartford.

Ortis stepped up for the Bobcats, muscling his way

into the lane and converting a layup, but fouls on back-to-back Columbia Christian possessions let the Knights cut the lead to 50-48 with a minute and a half remaining.

Ortis again came up big for Nestucca with another hardnosed drive, and after a missed three by the Knights, Reno sunk a long-range shot of his own giving the Cats the 55-48 edge with 30 seconds to go.

Columbia Christian responded with a layup and began intentionally fouling, but Ortis sunk two free throws and after an and-one play from the Knights, Mason Vu did the same, sealing the 59-55 victory.

The Bobcats improved to 10-8 on the season with the win heading into a game against Portland Christian on January 29, which they lost, 71-46. They followed that up with a game at Clatskanie on January 31 (result unavailable) and are scheduled for home games against Gaston on February 4, and Faith Bible on February 7.



Austin Reno breaks down a Knight defender.

Photo by Will Chappell

## TILLAMOOK HIGH SCHOOL 2025 CHARITY DRIVE SCHEDULE

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7

**Freshmen** ..... K - 3 Science Camp @ THS Cafeteria; 3:30pm - 5pm \$15 per student  
..... Jr. High Dance @ THS Cafeteria; 8pm - 10pm \$10 (Freshman & Jr. High Students ONLY)  
**Juniors** ..... East School Activity @ East School; 4pm - 5:30pm \$7 (East School Students ONLY)  
**Senior** ..... Spaghetti Dinner @ Nazarene Church; 4pm - 7pm \$15 per person  
..... Professional Comedy Show @ Fairview Grange; 6pm - 8pm \$25 per person

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8

**All Classes** ..... **Boys & Girls Basketball Concessions @ THS; 1:00pm**  
**Freshmen** ..... Basketball Clinic @ THS Aux Gym; 3:30pm - 5:30pm \$15 per peson  
..... Volleyball Camp @ TJHS Gym; 4pm - 6pm \$15 per person  
..... Car Wash @ Tillamook CO-OP; 9am-2pm; By donation  
**Sophomores** ..... Car Wash @ Main Street Pizza; 10am-3pm; By Donation  
**Juniors** ..... Country Breakfast @ THS Cafeteria; 8am - 11am by donation  
..... Fun Run/Walk @ Tillamook Jr. High; 8:30am \$15  
**Seniors** ..... Tumble with Toddlers @ Oregon Coast Dance Center; 1pm - 3pm \$25 each  
..... Werner Beef & Brew Takeover 4pm - 7pm  
..... 50/50 Raffle @ Basketball Game THS Main Gym  
..... Mother/Son Dance @ Jr. High School; \$25 per couple, \$5 per each additional child

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9

**Freshman** ..... Chicken Cordon Bleu Dinner @ Nazarene Church; \$20 per person  
..... Cornhole Torunament @ Elks Lodge; 12pm - 4pm \$60 per 2 person team  
**Sophomores** ..... Cabin Coffee Takeover 8am - noon  
**Juniors** ..... Car Wash @ Tillamook CO-OP; 10am-4pm By donation  
**Seniors** ..... Car Wash @ Main Street Pizza; 9am-2pm By donation  
..... Soccer Camp @ THS; 10am \$15 per person  
..... Dutch Mill Takeover 11am - 4pm

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10

**Freshman** ..... Cosmic Bowling @ Tillamook Lanes 5pm - 8pm \$8 per game  
**Sophomores** ..... Cookie Decorating @ THS Rm 45 Ag Building; 5:30pm-7:30pm \$35 per person, \$60 per Couple (35 spots available)  
**Juniors** ..... Steak Dinner @ Pacific Restaurant; 4:30pm -8pm \$35 couple, \$18 single, \$12 child 10 & under  
**Seniors** ..... Bingo Night @ Pelican Brewery; 7pm - 9pm6pm

### TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 11

**All Classes** ..... **Wrestling Concessions @ THS; 5:00pm**  
**Sophomores & Seniors** .....Rotary Cake Auction @ The Rendezvous; Noon  
**Sophomores** ..... Hawaiian Dinner @ Pacific Restaurant; 4pm - 8pm  
**Seniors** ..... Paint Night @ THS Cafeteria; 6pm \$30

### WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

**Freshman & Juniors** ..... Kiwanis Cake Auction @ PUD Board Room; Noon  
**Sophomores** ..... Werner Beef & Brew Takeover; 4pm - 7pm  
**Juniors** ..... Floral Class @ THS Cafeteria; 6:30pm \$50 register by calling 503.812.6117  
**Seniors** ..... Line Dancing Class @ Elks Lodge 6:30pm

### THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 13

**All Classes** ..... **Val Gram Delivery. See Ongoing Events Below to Order**  
**All School Event: Donkey Basketball @ THS Gym; 7pm; Adults \$9, Child \$7**  
**Freshmen** ..... Clothing Craft Night @ THS Cafeteria; 5:30pm - 7:30pm \$25 per person  
**Sophomores** ..... Pulled Pork Dinner @ Tillamook Methodist Church; 5pm - 8pm  
**Juniors** ..... Jr High Activity Night @ Tillamook Jr. High school; 3:30 - 5pm \$7 (Jr High Students only)

### FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14: NO SCHOOL

**Freshmen** ..... Carnival/Skate Night @ Fairgrounds Skating Rink; 3pm -6pm \$15 each \$5 under age 5  
**Sophomores** ..... Parents Night Out Babysitting @ Liberty; 5pm - 8pm \$10 per child, \$15 for 2 children  
**Juniors** ..... Ham Dinner @ Nazarene Church; 4:30 -8pm \$15 adult, \$12 child 10 & under  
..... Takeover Hayley’s Homestyle Eats @ Rosenberg Parking lot 11am-3pm  
**Seniors** ..... Rummage Drop off @ Fairview Grange 3pm - 6pm

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15

**Freshmen** ..... Tri-Tip Dinner @ Swiss Hall; 5pm - 8pm \$30 per person  
..... Portside Bistro Takeover 3pm - 6pm  
..... Rummage Sale @ East School; 9am - 3pm by donation  
**Sophomores** ..... Bunco @ THS Cafeteria; 5pm-8pm  
..... High Tea @ Nazarene Church; 11am - 3pm  
**Juniors** ..... Prince/Princess for a Day @ Roots Salon & Spa; 1pm - 4pm \$35  
..... Bazaar & Silent Auction @ THS 9am - 4pm  
..... Rummage Sale @ South Prairie School Gym; 9am - 3pm  
..... Pet Dress Contest @ South Prairie School; 1pm \$10  
..... Krispy Kreme Pickup @ THS 1pm - 3pm  
..... Carwash @ Main Street; 10am - 4pm By Donation  
**Seniors** ..... Car Wash @ Tillamook CO-OP; By donation  
..... Escape Room @ 10am  
..... Tamales Pickup @ THS; 5pm-7pm  
..... Rummage sale @ Fairview Grange; 9am - 1pm by donation  
..... Daddy-Daughter Dance @ Officers Mess Hall; 6pm-8pm; \$25 per couple, \$5 each additional child

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16

**All School Event: Mr. THS @ THS Auditorium; 7pm; Adults \$9, Child \$7**  
**Freshmen** ..... Car Wash @ Main Street Pizza; 9am-2pm; By donation  
**Sophomores** ..... Car Wash @ Tillamook CO-OP; 10am-3pm; By Donation  
**Juniors** ..... “Ride for the Kids” Horse Playday @ Tillamook Fairgrounds Pavilion; 10am 503.812.5469 to register  
..... Rummage Sale @ South Prairie School Gym; 9am - 1pm  
..... Ravioli Tak n Bake Pickup @ THS; 2pm - 4pm  
**Seniors** ..... Schooner Restaurant Takeover @ Schooner Restaurant 12pm-7pm  
..... Rummage Sale @ Fairview Grange; 9am - 1pm  
..... Cabin Coffee Takeover 8am - noon  
..... Cinnamon Roll Pickup @ Pacific Restaurant Noon - 2pm  
..... Golf Tournament @ The Mook; 11am \$50 per couple

### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 17: NO SCHOOL

**All School Event: Stud Muffin Volleyball @ THS Main Gym; 6pm; By Donation**  
**Freshmen** ..... Movie Night @ THS Auditorium; 12pm-2pm \$10 includes (popcorn, glow bracelet & snack or drink)  
..... Papa Murphy’s order pickup 12pm - 7pm @ Papa Murphy’s  
..... Musabi Pick up @ THS; 9am - 4pm  
**Sophomores** ..... Cheer Clinic @ THS Gym 2pm -4pm  
..... Golf Clinic @ The Mook; 10am - noon  
**Juniors** ..... Chess Tournament @ Tillamook Jr. High School; 9am \$10 per player  
..... Fern Takeover 5pm - 8pm  
**Seniors** ..... Sugar Scrub Class @ THS 6pm

## ONGOING EVENTS

<b>Freshman: Rena Pajarillo (advisor)</b> <b>Thscharitydrive2028@gmail.com</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Pop Cans call <b>503.812.3788</b></li><li>• Chocolate Dipper Pretzels Val-o-Grams 3/\$10</li><li>• Scrap Metal Pickup; <b>503.812.7677</b></li><li>• Super Bowl Board \$20 per square</li><li>• Hire a Freshman; <b>503.971.341.1311</b></li><li>• Pizza Take-n-bake (Place oreders at events)</li><li>• Scavenger Hunt \$15 per person for the week or \$50 group of 4+</li><li>• Musubi Take-n-bake \$4 per individual musubi, 3/\$10</li><li>• Doernbecher Hoodies at all Freshman events \$30</li><li>• <b>Silent Auction - All items available untill last dinner</b></li></ul> <b>Thscharitydrive2028@gmail.com</b>	<b>Junior: Shelley Hurliman (advisor) 503.812.5469</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Val Gram; Marshmallow Pop; 3 Pops for \$3 to order email <b>valgramclassof26@gmail</b> or call <b>503.812.0312</b></li><li>• Marble Hunt; \$20; to enter call <b>503.842.2566</b> ext <b>2225</b> or <b>503.812.5469</b></li><li>• Pop Cans; for pick up call <b>503.812.7430</b> for info/pickup</li><li>• Krispy Kreme Doughnuts call <b>503.812.0535</b> or email <b>krispykremeclassof26@yahoo.com</b> <b>order by 2/11</b> to order call <b>503.354.4784</b> email <b>thstakenbake@gmail.com</b>; order by 2/14</li><li>• Scrap Metal; <b>503.801.2209</b> or <b>503.812.0173</b></li><li>• <b>Silent Auction At All Meals</b></li><li>• Doernbecher Hoodies at all Junior events \$30</li></ul>
<b>Sophomore: Bella Giraud (advisor) 707.599.7044</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Citrus Sales (Orange/Grapefruit); \$35 Crate available at concessions &amp; Josi’s Farm Stand text Jaimie 503.812.1506 or email</li><li>• Rice Krispy Val-o-gram order by 2/11 - Sara 541.760.6662 or email</li><li>• Scrap Metal Pickup; email for pickup</li><li>• Pop Cans Mindy 503.812.1669</li><li>• Hire a Sophomore email to schedule</li><li>• Doernbecher Hoodies at all Sophomore events \$30</li><li>• <b>Silent Auction at all Sophomore Dinners</b></li></ul> <b>ths.charitydrive.27@gmail.com</b>	<b>Senior: Brianne Kephart (advisor) 503.801.4696</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Oreo Pops; 2/\$3 to order call 503.801.2493 or email <b>classof2025valagrams@gmail.com</b></li><li>• Take n Bake Mac n Cheese; Pickup 2/17 @ Swiss Hall 4pm-7pm <b>503.812.8427</b></li><li>• Take n Bake Tamales to order 503.354.4811 pick up 2/15 5pm - 7pm @ THS 6/\$20</li><li>• Jail &amp; Bail @ Basketball &amp; Wrestling</li><li>• Custom T-shirts/Hats</li><li>• Cinnamon Rolls Pickup 2/16 @ Pacific Restaurant noon - 2pm 6/\$15</li><li>• Flamingo Flocking; text <b>503.812.4927</b></li><li>• Scrap Metal <b>503.812.4482</b> or <b>503.801.4696</b></li><li>• Hire a Senior; <b>503.801.4696</b></li><li>• Doernbecher Hoodies at all Senior events \$30</li><li>• Pop Cans <b>503.801.4696</b></li></ul>

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Lady Cats cruise against Columbia Christian

**Will Chappell**  
Headlight Editor

Nestucca High School's girls' basketball team snapped a two-game skid with a decisive, 63-28 victory over the Columbia Christian Knights at home on January 27.

After a slow first quarter, the Bobcats offense came to life and pulled away for the big victory behind 20 points from Taylor Knight and 18 from Autumn Rist.

Knight started the game off with a layup on the first possession for a quick lead, but following that, despite leading in time of possession, Nestucca struggled to score and held a narrow, 7-4 lead halfway through the quarter. The Bobcats anemic offensive output continued through the rest of the quarter, and they led 12-8 at the end of one.

Early in the second, Nestucca struggled with

turnovers, but Rist turned the tide for the Cats with five straight points with just over six minutes left, triggering a timeout from Columbia Christian's coach. Knight responded with a layup in transition, pushing the lead to 19-8 as the Knights remained scoreless, triggering another timeout, to which Rist responded with yet another three.

Finally, the Knights ended the run with a three of their own, but Rist immediately responded with a midrange jumper and the Nestucca run continued until the half, extending the lead to 38-14 at the break.

The Bobcats' hot play continued into the second half, with five unanswered points drawing another timeout, which Rist again answered with a three. The lead continued to grow, to 53-16 halfway through the quarter and 59-23 heading into the fourth.

Nestucca Coach Tevin Gianella put in his subs for the final quarter as the clock ran and they maintained the lead en route to the 63-28 final.

With the win, Nestucca improved to 11-7 on the season and 6-2 before winning a game against Portland Christian 53-33 on January 29, and a game at Clatskanie on January 31 (result unavailable). This week, the Bobcats return to action with home games against Gaston on February 4, and Faith Bible on February 7.

Photo by Will Chappell  
Autumn Rist goes up for a layup in traffic against the Knights.



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**HOME & GARDEN SHOW**

& BEE DAYS 2025 Tillamook Beekeeper Assoc.

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**FREE ADMISSION FREE PARKING**

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April 2025

Beaches, Birds, and Beyond: Community Science in Action at Netarts Bay

Friends of Netarts Bay, Watershed, Estuary, Beach and Sea (WEBS) is thrilled to introduce a new program to our lineup highlighting local Community Science projects!

During this virtual event, guests will learn about different research projects, how volunteers are helping with data collection, and the outcomes from these efforts. "Participants will hear about five community science projects happening in and around Netarts Bay that are enhancing our understanding of the local environment through collaborative, participatory efforts" says the new Stewardship Coordinator for WEBS, Marina Dreeben. "We hope anyone interested in getting involved and learning about the impacts of this work will join us to hear from the leaders of these projects." WEBS Director Chrissy Smith added "We have been eager to have the opportunity to share with the community the outcomes of different community science projects and the ways our volunteers and other local residents are working together to grow a stronger understanding of this amazing ecosystem."

Open to current volunteers and the general public, this event is for you if:

1. You are generally curious to learn about new findings.
2. You are involved in community science in the Netarts Bay area and want to learn about the impact of your work.
3. You have never heard of community science but want to learn about new ways to support the ecological health of your area.
4. You want to know what's new with the birds and marine debris locally and along the Oregon Coast!

Sharing at the event include representatives leading the following community science projects: NOAA Marine Debris Mapping Project, Coastal Observation and Seabird Survey Team (COASST) Beached Bird Survey, Bird Alliance of Oregon Snowy Plover Patrol, Bird Alliance of Oregon Black Oyster Catcher Monitoring, and the USFWS Seabird Productivity Monitoring Project.

WEBS just launched a new page on their website to help connect individuals to different community science projects. You can find out more by visiting the "Get Involved" page or by directly linking to [netartsbaywebs.org/](https://www.netartsbaywebs.org/) community-science.

Get more information and find a link to register on our website at: <https://www.netartsbaywebs.org/events>

2025 Business and Community Resource Guide For Tillamook County

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**Reservation Deadline: Feb. 7, 5p.m.**

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**Tillamook Headlight Herald**  
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Reserve your space by this Friday!

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**Tuesday**, February 4, 2025

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HH25-111 TRUSTEE'S NOTICE OF SALE. (Non-residential Trust Deed). The trust deed to be foreclosed pursuant to Oregon

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law is referred to as follows (the "Trust Deed"): Grantor: Cyril E. Jacob and Cyril I. Jacob, Original Trustee: Ticor Title Company of Oregon, Beneficiary: Todd A. Josi and Susan Josi, Date: September 30, 2022, Recording Date: September 30, 2022, County of Recording: Tillamook County. Recording Reference: 2022-006149. The Trust Deed covers the following described real property in the County of Tillamook and State of Oregon, ("the Property"): More commonly known as: 1865 Main Ave. North, Tillamook, OR 97141; 1867 Main Ave. North, Tillamook, OR 97141; and, 1885 Main Ave. North, Tillamook, OR 97141. Beneficiary appointed Gary L. Blacklidge, Esq., Jordan Ramis PC, 1211 SW Fifth Ave. FL 27, Portland, OR 97204, as Successor Trustee, to have all the powers of the Original Trustee by appointment recorded on September 12, 2024, in Tillamook County recording reference 2024-003870. The Grantor or other person owing the debt has defaulted as provided under the Trust Deed, and such default allows the Beneficiary to foreclose the Trust Deed and sell the Property to satisfy the obligations secured by the Trust Deed. The defaults for which foreclosure is permitted are the Grantor's failure to maintain property insurance and to pay when due real property taxes, and missing four (4) regular monthly payments in calendar year 2024. By reason of the default, the Beneficiary has declared all sums owing on the obligation secured by the Trust Deed immediately due and payable as follows: Principal Balance: \$1,629,044.20, Unpaid Interest (accrued from 8/8/2024 to 10/16/2024): \$ 18,427.00, Late Charges (7/1/2024 thru 10/1/2024): \$ 3,907.92, Other Fees: \$220.00, TOTAL BALANCE DUE AS OF 10/16/2024: \$1,651,599.12, together with interest after 10/16/2024, at the rate of \$267.0564 per day until paid. In addition there will be Trustee's fees, attorney's fees, foreclosure costs and any sums advanced by the Beneficiary

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pursuant to the Trust Deed, less credits, if any. NOTICE The Trustee will on March 12, 2025 at the hour of 11:00 A.M., on the front steps of the Tillamook County Courthouse, 201 Laurel Ave., Tillamook, OR 97141, Tillamook County, State of Oregon,, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the interest in the Property which the Grantor had or had power to convey at the time of the execution by Grantor of the Trust Deed, together with any interest which the Grantor acquired after the execution of

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the Trust Deed, to satisfy the obligations hereby secured and the costs, attorney fees and expenses of sale, including a reasonable charge by the Trustee. NOTICE OF RIGHT TO CURE The right exists for any person named under ORS 86.778, at any time that is not later than five days before the date last set for the sale, to have this foreclosure proceeding dismissed and the Trust Deed re-instated by doing all of the following: 1. Paying to the Beneficiary the entire amount then due (other than such portion of the principal

## Employment Opportunities CITY OF ROCKAWAY BEACH



The City of Rockaway Beach is seeking motivated individuals to join the Public Works team for the following full-time positions:

- Utility Worker I/II (depending on experience qualifications)
- Plant Operator I/II (depending on qualifications and experience)

See position descriptions and our application form at our **Employment - City of Rockaway Beach** page. Submit resumes and applications to the City of Rockaway Beach, P.O. Box 5, Rockaway Beach, Oregon 97136, or by email to [publicworks@corb.us](mailto:publicworks@corb.us). Position open until filled. First review February 14th, 2025.

The **Utility Worker I** position performs a variety of technical duties involved in the construction, maintenance, and operation of the City's public infrastructure and equipment with an emphasis on the City's water distribution and wastewater collection systems. This is an entry level position. Starting wage for Utility Worker I ranges from \$21.60 - \$25.04 per hour depending upon qualifications and experience.

The **Utility Worker II** is an intermediate level position, performing inspection, maintenance, and troubleshooting of the City's water and wastewater systems. This position requires basic to intermediate knowledge of water distribution and wastewater collection systems and technical skills to interpret information and generate compliance reports. Starting wage for Operator II ranges from \$25.79 - \$29.90 per hour depending upon qualifications and experience.

The **Plant Operator I** position performs a variety of technical duties involved in the construction, maintenance, and operation of the City's public infrastructure and equipment with an emphasis on the City's water and wastewater systems. This is an entry level position. Starting wage for Operator I ranges from \$21.32 - \$24.72 per hour depending upon qualifications and experience.

The **Plant Operator II** is an intermediate level position, performing inspection, maintenance, and troubleshooting of the City's water and wastewater systems. This position requires basic to intermediate knowledge of water and wastewater treatment plant operation and technical skills to interpret telemetry information and generate compliance reports. Starting wage for Operator II ranges from \$26.22 - \$30.40 per hour depending upon qualifications and experience.

Position descriptions and employment application are available in person, by appointment, at the front counter of City Hall (276 S. Hwy 101, Rockaway Beach, OR 97136) or online via the City's website at [www.corb.us](http://www.corb.us). The City of Rockaway Beach is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

\* Open until Filled. First Review: February 14, 2025. \*

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## Job Opening: City of Rockaway Beach CITY PLANNER



\$7,513.99 - \$8,348.88 a month (up to \$8,891.55 beginning July 1st) + full benefit package.

Home to seven miles of uninterrupted sandy beaches and an annual operating budget of \$26 million, the City of Rockaway Beach is now accepting applications for City Planner. This position administers the City's Comprehensive Plan and performs advanced professional planning work, exercising considerable independent judgment. Responsible for current planning work including permit intake, permit reviews and tasks related to zoning code compliance.

Visit <https://corb.us/employment/> for job description, requirements and application. To apply, submit application, resume and cover letter to [cityrecorder@corb.us](mailto:cityrecorder@corb.us) or mail to: Melissa Thompson, City Recorder, City of Rockaway Beach, PO Box 5, Rockaway Beach, OR 97136. Questions may be directed to: [citymanager@corb.us](mailto:citymanager@corb.us). FLSA Exempt Position. Equal Opportunity Employer. First review to be conducted February 21, 2025. Open until filled.

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## SALE OF SURPLUS EQUIPMENT BIDS DUE BY 4:00 PM March 11, 2025

Pacific City Joint Water-Sanitary Authority (PCJWSA) is accepting bids for two elevated fuel tanks with gravity flow systems. The fuel tanks are offered "as-is, where-is" and may be inspected at the PCJWSA office located at 34005 Cape Kiwanda Drive, Pacific City, Oregon. The fuel tanks are used, are 250 gallons each (one diesel and one unleaded gasoline) and have fuel filter nozzles. No warranty is expressed or implied as to the integrity of the fuel tanks by PCJWSA or its employees. It is the sole responsibility of the bidder to inspect the fuel tanks prior to bidding. The successful bidder is responsible for full payment and removal of the fuel tanks within 72 hours following award of bid. Property will not be released until payment has been verified.

Sealed bids containing the bidders name, phone number, and the bid amount should be marked on the outside "Fuel Tank Bid" and submitted to: PCJWSA, PO Box 520, Pacific City, Oregon, 97135, Attention: John Wesely, Manager. Facsimile bids will be rejected. Bids must be received no later than 4:00 PM on Tuesday, March 11, 2025. Bids will be opened and read aloud at the March 11, 2025, regular business meeting of the PCJWSA Board of Directors. PCJWSA reserves the right to reject any/all bids if deemed in the public's best interest to do so. Direct all phone inquiries to John Wesely, who is the sole point of contact in this matter, at 503-965-6636.

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as would not then be due, had no default occurred); 2. Curing any other default that is capable of being cured by tendering the performance required under the Trust Deed; and 3. Paying all costs and expenses actually incurred in enforcing the debt and Trust Deed, together with Trustee's and attorney's fees not exceeding the amounts provided by ORS 86.778. Without limiting the trustee's disclaimer of representations or warranties, Oregon law requires the trustee to state in this notice that some residential property sold at a trustee's sale may have been used in manufacturing methamphetamines, the chemical components of which are known to be toxic. Prospective purchasers of residential property should be aware of this potential danger before deciding to place a bid for this property at the trustee's sale. NOTICE: If the recipient of this notice is a veteran of the armed forces, assistance may be available from a county veterans' service officer or community action agency. Contact information for a local county veterans' service officer and community action agency may be obtained by calling a 2-1-1 information service. Contact information for Tillamook County veterans' service officer is: Tillamook County Veteran Services, 201 Laurel Ave., (Basement, Room 12), Tillamook, OR 97141. (503) 842-4358 / ntorres@co.tillamook.or.us. In construing this notice, the singular includes the plural, the word "Grantor" includes any successor in interest to the Grantor as well as any other person owing an obligation, the performance of which is secured by the Trust Deed, and the words "Trustee" and "Beneficiary" include their respective successors in interest, if any. DATED: October 24, 2024. By: Gary L. Blackledge, Successor Trustee. Jordan Ramis PC, 1211 SW Fifth Ave. FL 27, Portland, OR 97204, Telephone: 503-598-7070, Fax: 503-598-7373. Subject Property: 1865 Main Ave. North, Tillamook, OR 97141; 1867 Main Ave. North, Tillamook,

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OR 97141; and, 1885 Main Ave. North, Tillamook, OR 97141. 1/14/25, 1/21/25, 1/28/25, 2/4/25 HH25-116 City of Tillamook PUBLIC NOTICE Planning Commission Vacancy. The Tillamook City Council is currently accepting volunteer applications for appointment to serve on the City of Tillamook Planning Commission. The City of Tillamook has two (2) vacancies on the Tillamook City Planning Commission. These vacancies are a 4-year term that expires February 28, 2029. Interested persons should submit a volunteer application, along with a letter of interest to the City Recorder's Office by Monday, February 10, 2025. Applicants should: Be a qualified elector under the laws of the State of Oregon and the City of Tillamook. Be available for evening meetings the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month and at special meetings as required. Have an interest in the future of our community. Must live or own a business within the Tillamook City Urban Growth Boundary. Please use one of the following methods to submit your application and letter: Email: cityrecorder@tillamookor.gov. Drop off: Tillamook City Hall, 210 Laurel Avenue (office hours are 7:30a.m.-5:30p.m.. Monday-Thursday)

Posted January 8, 2025: Tillamook City Hall, City website: Tillamookor.gov

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HH25-123 Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance, Inc. v. Estate of Walter Huntington; Estate of Joan B. Huntington by and through Avery Scott Davis, Personal Representative; Bay Air Mobile Home Park, LLC, nka Dolo Properties, LLC; Unknown Heirs and Persons Claiming an Interest in the Property; and Occupants and

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Parties in Possession. SUMMONS - CASE NO. 25CV00364, IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF TILLAMOOK. TO: ESTATE OF WALTER HUNTINGTON, ESTATE OF JOAN B. HUNTINGTON, and ALL OTHER UNKNOWN HEIRS OR PERSONS CLAIMING AN INTEREST IN THE PROPERTY, three of the above-named defendants. You are hereby required to appear and defend the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action within thirty (30) days from the date of the first publication of this summons, and in case of your failure to appear and answer, plaintiff for want thereof will apply to the above entitled court for the relief prayed for in its complaint, to-wit: 1. For judgment that declares the sum owing to Plaintiff on the Contract is \$17,095.90 which is comprised of the principal amount of \$16,426.16; earned but unpaid interest of \$636.74, accrued through January 17, 2025; plus late charges of \$33.00; together with interest accruing on the principal amount from January 18, 2025 at the rate of 7.350% per annum (\$3.31 per diem) until paid; plus up to \$5,000 in Plaintiff's reasonable attorney fees plus its costs and disbursements incurred herein; plus interest at the contract rate of 7.350% per annum on the full amount of the judgment from the date judgment is entered until paid; 2. For the immediate recovery of possession of that certain 2007 Skyline Homes Westridge 1200CTC Manufactured Home, Serial No. 2F91-0113-W-B and 2F91-0113-W-A, Home ID No. 318083 to enable Plaintiff to foreclose its security interest therein by disposing of that Manufactured Home in accordance with the terms of the Contract and state law; 3. Directing the Tillamook County Sheriff, or any other law enforcement personnel from any other county, to take possession of and secure said Manufactured Home from whomever is in possession and wherever located and thereafter release

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it to Plaintiff, through its authorized representative; 4. Specifically authorizing Plaintiff and the Tillamook County Sheriff, or any other law enforcement personnel from any other county, to enter upon the real property owned by Defendant Bay Air Mobile Home Park, LLC nka DOLO Properties, LLC for the sole purpose of taking possession of and removing the Manufactured Home from said real property; and

5. For such other and further relief as the court deems just and proper. NOTICE TO DEFENDANT: READ CAREFULLY!! YOU MUST "APPEAR" IN THIS CASE OR THE OTHER SIDE WILL WIN AUTOMATICALLY. TO "APPEAR" YOU MUST FILE WITH THE COURT A LEGAL PAPER CALLED A "MOTION"

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OR "ANSWER". A MOTION OR ANSWER MUST BE GIVEN TO THE COURT CLERK OR ADMINISTRATOR WITHIN 30 DAYS FROM THE DATE OF FIRST PUBLICATION SPECIFIED HEREIN ALONG WITH THE REQUIRED FILING FEE. IT MUST BE IN PROPER FORM AND HAVE PROOF OF SERVICE ON THE PLAINTIFF'S ATTORNEY OR, IF THE PLAINTIFF DOES NOT HAVE AN ATTORNEY, PROOF OF SERVICE UPON THE PLAINTIFF. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, YOU SHOULD SEE AN ATTORNEY IMMEDIATELY. IF YOU NEED HELP IN FINDING AN ATTORNEY, YOU MAY CALL THE OREGON STATE BAR'S LAWYER REFERRAL SERVICE AT (503) 684-3763 OR TOLL-FREE IN

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OREGON AT (800) 452-7636. If you are a veteran of the armed forces, assistance may be available from a county veterans' service officer or community action agency. Contact information for a local county veterans' service officer and community action agency may be obtained by calling a 2-1-1 information service. This summons is published by order of the Honorable Mari Garric Trevino, Judge of the above-entitled Court made on the 10th day of January, 2025, directing publication of this summons once each week for four consecutive weeks in a newspaper of general circulation in Tillamook County, Oregon.

Date of first publication: January 21, 2025 Date of last publication: February 11, 2025. Eleanor A. DuBay, OSB #073755, Of

NOTICE OF SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET HEARING


Neah-Kah-Nie School District No. 56 will consider a proposed supplemental budget for the fiscal year July 1, 2024 to June 30, 2025 at a meeting to be held at the Neah-Kah-Nie School District 56 District Office Board Room, 504 North Third Avenue, Rockaway Beach, Oregon. The meeting will take place Monday, February 10, 2025, at 6:30 pm as part of the regularly scheduled board meeting. A public hearing for the proposed supplemental budget will be held. A copy of the supplemental budget document may be inspected or obtained on or after February 1st, 2025 at the Neah-Kah-Nie School District 56 District Office between the hours of 8:00 AM and 4:00 PM or viewed on the Neah-Kah-Nie School District’s website at [www.nknsd.org](http://www.nknsd.org)

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED BUDGET CHANGES

AMOUNTS SHOWN ARE REVISED TOTALS IN THOSE FUNDS BEING MODIFIED

Maintenance Fund 275			
Resource	Amount	Expenditure	Amount
Miscellaneous Revenue	350,000	Building Maintenance	671,000
		Reserved for next year	309,000
Revised Total Resources	980,000	Revised Total Requirements	980,000

Comment: Unexpected revenue from an insurance claim and expenses relating to repairs from tornado that occurred on Nov. 11, 2024



## Tillamook School District No.

Certified:

- Academic Interventionist @ South Prairie (268)
- SpEd Teacher @ TJHS (260)
- Instructional Coach @ South Prairie (306)
- Elementary Teacher, 2024/25 School Year Only @ Liberty (307)
- Behavior Intervention Specialist @ Liberty (308)
- Language Arts Teacher, 2024/25 School Year @ THS (317)

Classified:

- General Educational Assistant- OYC, 7.5 hrs/day, 182-day calendar@ WRS (300)
- SpEd/Special Care Educational Assistant, 7.5 hrs/day, 182-day calendar @ THS (304)
- Bus Driver @ Transportation (332)
- SpEd/Special Care Educational Assistant, 7.5 hrs/day, 182-day calendar @ SP (347)
- Food Service Helper, 3.75 hrs/day, 183-day calendar @ East (349)

Extra Duty:

- Chess Coach, 2 Positions @ East (282)
- Assistant Baseball Coach @ THS (339)
- Assistant Softball Coach @ THS (340)

Substitute:

- Substitute Teacher (318)
- Support Staff Substitute (319)

To view job details, qualifications and more job postings, visit our website [www.tillamook.k12.or.us](http://www.tillamook.k12.or.us)

Questions? Contact: Hannah Snow Roberts, [hsnowh@tillamook.k12.or.us](mailto:hsnowh@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

### SCHOOL DISTRICT

Preparing children for an ever-changing world

POSITIONS:

District Office

Payroll & Benefits Clerk, Posting #547 – Salary range \$56,264-\$64,629, Closes February 18th

Neah-Kah-Nie High School

Head Softball Coach, Posting #544

Assistant Softball Coach, Posting #545

Garibaldi Grade School

Special Education Teacher, Posting #543

Nehalem Elementary School

Special Ed Instructional Assistant, Posting #546, \$20.20 per. hr.

Neah-Kah-Nie Middle School

SUBSTITUTES NEEDED – PLEASE CONTACT ESS.COM

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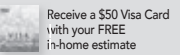

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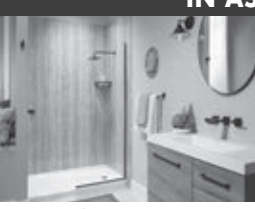


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Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally  
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United Paws' Kittens of the Week: Gabriel & Linus



Meet Gabriel & Linus, the coolest cats at United Paws. These exceptionally loving and gentle brothers are Zen masters, demonstrating an exceptional ability to enjoy one day at a time. These two overcame adversity early in life to become happy, healthy kitties who now care for smaller foster friends who find themselves at UP.  
Gabriel is an angel, soulful and strong-spirited. After receiving extra special care, he recovered from some health issues and became the love of his Foster Mama's life. She said, "Gabriel's will to live and thrive are inspirational." Gabriel loves to be held and snuggled, and the minute you sit, he will be there to warm your lap.  
Linus is a black and gray tabby with a gorgeous, ticked coat that makes him irresistible. Playtime is his specialty, and he seeks out toys to conquer and his brother to wrestle. When playtime is done, he soaks in pets, especially on his soft spotted belly. Linus loves lap time too, and is a pro at squeezing in with Gabriel to ensure a lap full of love.  
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Even Exchange by Donna Pettman

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1. Victor

2. Park chair

3. Knight's garb

4. Salve

5. Label

6. In easy reach

7. Loftier

8. Saber

9. Pace

10. Arc

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Coldest season

Seashore

Tree-enclosed area

Witch's brew

Tasteless

Hale

Steering tool

Waltz or foxtrot

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8			6					
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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  
♦♦♦ HOO BOY!

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SNOWFLAKES

by Japheth Light

There are 13 black hexagons in the puzzle. Place the numbers 1 - 6 around each of them. No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon shape along the border of the puzzle.



DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ♦♦♦

♦ Easy ♦♦ Medium ♦♦♦ Difficult

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HOCUS -FOCUS BY HENRY BOLTHOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.

Differences: 1. Shovel is shorter. 2. Arm is lower. 3. Snow is missing from mailbox. 4. Doorknob is missing. 5. Zipper is missing. 6. House is not as wide.

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