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Former Tillamook Cheese CEO dies at 83

Harold Schild, former CEO/President of Tillamook Cheese passed away on September 10, 2020 after a short illness at the age of 83.

Schild served as CEO/president of Tillamook County Creamery Association for 9-years, retiring in 2002 after 44 years with the Creamery. He was instrumental in moving Tillamook Cheese from being a Northwest product to a brand that is now nationally recognized. Although he directed numerous major shifts in the company over the years, the most impactful was the decision and ultimate construction of a second cheese factory in Boardman. This development enabled Tillamook Cheese to grow exponentially over the years.

Schild was also the driving force behind the creation and construction of the first large visitors facility at Tillamook Cheese. Although he had no idea at the time just how big of tourist attraction the visitor's facility would turn into, it is now part of the Tillamook Cheese brand and lore.

Schild was a self-made leader who attended only one year of college before going to work at Tillamook as a cheesemaker,

beginning his climb through different levels of responsibility and management with the company. In the early 1970's he became the manager of the "Grade A" department, which was designed to get local dairy products such as milk, ice cream and butter into local stores. This department had always operated at a loss, but had been created as a service to give local farmers access to products made from their own milk. He quickly turned the sale of these products into a significant piece of the Tillamook Cheese legacy and brand name.

Although Schild spent much of his career in management, employees continued to regard him as a friend and co-worker who had come up through the ranks with many of them. He was also regarded as a person who had a deep commitment to the community of Tillamook, and felt that the community and TCCA were one in the same.

His leadership style was built on developing positive, meaningful relationships with the employees and farmers he worked with. It wasn't unusual to see him walking through the plant greeting individual employees by name,

knowing and caring about them and their families.

Having grown up on their Swiss-family farm in Tillamook, Schild understood the challenges, as well as the advantages, of being on a dairy. He earned the respect of local farmers, as well as state and national dairy leaders, due to his extensive industry knowledge and passion.

Outside of his work at Tillamook Cheese, was actively involved in the community. He was a long-time Tillamook School District board member, the owner of two local restaurants (Swiss Chalet, Hadley House), the play-by-play voice of the Tillamook Cheesemakers on KTIL and a life-long, active member of the Tillamook Church of the Nazarene.

Schild is survived by his wife of 63 years, Betty, daughters Cindy Lewis (Tillamook), and Jody Sherbondy (Denver, CO) and son Randy Schild (Tillamook), as well as 10 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held on Sunday, Sept. 20, 2020 at 3 in the afternoon at the Tillamook High School football field grandstands where social distancing practices can be followed.



Harold Schild

A WEEK OF WILDFIRES



Al and Carol Fisher's home is surrounded by smoke Wednesday evening as over 100 firefighters battle the 250 acre Pike Fire. Photo by Joe Warren

Community effort saves homes from devastation

The Tillamook County Sheriff's Office reported Sunday, Sept. 13, the Pike Road Fire was at 25 percent containment at 5 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 12, and was mapped at 220 acres burned. Most of the heavy equipment used to construct the fire line has been released from the fire and are now available to assist with other fires if needed.

The sheriff's office said mop up and addressing hotspots is ongoing. As of Saturday afternoon, Sept. 12, seven crews, two dozers,

one logging shovel, seven engines, and two tenders remained assigned to the fire.

Much work remains to be done and Oregon Department of Forestry (ODF) is requesting the public not to travel into the fire area or the homes in the area. The sheriff's office has maintained constant patrol in the area, and as of Sept. 12, there were no reports of looting or burglaries in the Pike Fire Area.

As a reminder, ODF has temporarily closed the Tillamook State Forest to all recreational activities through Monday, Sept. 14. On Monday morning, the temporary closure will be reevaluated and to see if the closure restriction can be lifted based on weather conditions and fire risk.

There are some safety issues that must be addressed. ODF wants to let landowners and residents know that burned trees can fall without warning and burned stumps holding tremendous heat appear benign but can seriously burn someone who steps into these ash pits. There will continue to be small fires burning on the landscape and you can help ensure this fire does not escape the fire line by utilizing these tips about how to keep an eye on the fire:

- Fire well within the perimeter (i.e.,

more than 500 feet in) is not a threat. The Oregon Department of Forestry will periodically patrol the burn area so as to monitor fire activity and take action as needed.

- Expect to see smoke and fire within the fire perimeter –smoke shows up better during early mornings and embers better at night.

- Learn to recognize the perimeter of the burn area –especially get to know features recognizable at night. This will help you determine where you are seeing fire.

- Become familiar where you have unburned fuels in and around the perimeter of the fire. Make sure you have at least 30' of defensible space around your home, driveway and other buildings by removing brush. Keep your roof and gutters clean of leaves and needles.

- If you see fire activity outside the perimeter, or significantly more fire activity than previous patterns, call 911 to report a fire.

The Sheriff's Office' wants to thank all the agencies, businesses, and individuals who gave of their time, materials and finances to assisted with the fire suppression and support of our fire fighters and to the displaced residents, both of our county, and of other counties that fled to our community.

Oregon begins road to recovery in aftermath of wildfires

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After a week of fire fighting efforts across the state of Oregon, Governor Kate Brown said Oregonians have been pushed to their limits.

"It's really hard for all of us to wrap our heads around the devastation that these fires have caused and the pain and the suffering that so many Oregonians endured over the past few days," Gov. Brown said during a Sept. 14 press conference.

So far, the Oregon State Medical Examiner has reported 10 fire related fatalities and 22 missing persons. Those statistics will continue to be updated daily.

But on a positive note, Gov. Brown said fire crews are feeling optimistic with the current forecasted weather, which should provide help to their efforts as temperatures drop and winds subside. Additionally, calls for assistance are being answered and resource crews from all over the country and Canada have been coming to help.

"We expect structural fire fighting teams from North Dakota and Michigan to join our response this week," Gov. Brown noted. "Michigan, California and Washington are providing resources to our emergency coordination center. Vermont and Nevada have reached out asking how they can help."

Also, FEMA, is also on the grounds of Oregon assisting with response. Gov. Brown said she recently sent a letter to President Donald Trump asking to declare a State of Disaster in Oregon, which will free up even more resources for state officials.

Oregon is also working with the National Guard to distribute 250,000 N95 masks to agricultural workers and impacted tribes statewide as soon as possible. The masks will provide a certain level of protection to outdoor workers across the state.

"The smoke blanketing the state is a reminder that this tragedy has not yet come to an end," Gov. Brown said.

Gov. Brown is encouraging everyone to donate to Red Cross and the Oregon Food Bank for victims of these wildfires. To assist recovery efforts, the state is asking three foundations: Ford Family, Meyer Memorial Trust, and the Oregon Community Foundation, to help in the recovery efforts by kickstarting the 2020 Community Rebuilding Fund. Other organizations will also be encouraged to donate.

"We will have a long road ahead, but I'm so heartened by these foundations and all Oregonians that are coming together right now," Gov. Brown said. "The only way out of this crisis is through it and we'll only get through it together."

Fire Update

Oregon Department of Forestry Fire Protection Director, Doug Grafe, once again gave an update on progress at the Monday press conference. Grafe said the state has passed the east wind event that rapidly moved fires across Oregon and they have had four days of good fire fighting conditions and continue making progress.

Although ODF was looking forward to forecasted rains early this week, Grafe said they're now slated to fall sometime on Wednesday into Thursday. Unfortu-

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Important Dates and Timelines for the General Election on Tuesday, Nov. 3



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Tillamook County Clerk addresses Vote-By-Mail System

By Fred Bassett, Tillamook County Democratic Central Committee Chair

"I feel we have a great system to get the ballots to people, and to get them back!" That was the fundamental message Tillamook County Clerk Tassi O'Neil shared with the Tillamook County Democratic Central Committee (TCDCC) as the guest speaker at their monthly meeting, Thursday, August 27. The meeting was held via Zoom chat.

"Here in Oregon we have an excellent vote-by-mail system," O'Neil said. She shared the fact that her experience in the Tillamook County Clerk's office spans more than 30 years, which means she has seen and worked on both types of voting practices - casting ballots in a defined polling booth location or voting by mail. She noted that Oregon's Vote-By-Mail system became law in 1998, which means that this year marks the 20th year Oregon voters have received and cast their votes by mail.

To make voting by mail even easier, or, at least less expensive, O'Neil told TCDCC that return

mailing envelopes are now postage paid. This practice started with the Primary Election in May of this year.

To address concerns expressed by members of the TCDCC over news announcements about possible voter fraud, and over announced changes to the United States Postal Service brought on by the current federal administration, O'Neil said her office, together with county clerks across the state, the Secretary of State and representatives of Oregon's central post office in Portland have and are continuing to meet to make certain all ballots are delivered and returned in the orderly fashion that has made Oregon's Vote-By-Mail system a model for other states.

In a brief interview with O'Neil held prior to the Aug. 27 meeting, she said that claims that Oregon's Vote-By-Mail system is "subject to fraud" is "absolutely absurd. Every signature is checked," O'Neil said.

She suggested that new voters and/or people who don't understand how Oregon's Vote-By-Mail system works, check the educational question and answer section of the Oregon Voters' Pamphlet, which will be in mailboxes prior to the mailing



Tassi O'Neil, Tillamook County Clerk

of ballots.

Not only does Oregon's Vote-By-Mail offer clear advantages for voters - convenience of voting in the comfort of their home, no standing in line at polling booths, ease of casting ballot by mail or in conveniently located ballot drop boxes around the county. These advantages are amplified by the restrictions on public gatherings brought on by the current pandemic, she said.

Additionally, as governmental budgets are squeezed by the effects of the current pandemic, O'Neil noted that there is a very clear cost advantage for her office in handling elections by mail. She noted that prior to 2000, she was required to staff approximately 40 polling places in Tillamook County with three to four staff members in each. In addition to the actual polling date, all of these staff members also had to be paid for a training period prior to the election. Although she has an expanded dedicated election staff during election cycles, it doesn't compare to the additional staff she was required to hire prior to 2000.

She shared some critical dates with TCDCC members:

- Deadline to register - Oct. 13;
- Deadline to change registration - Through Election Day, Nov. 3;
- Voters' Pamphlet mailing date - Oct. 14;
- Ballot mailing date - Oct. 14;
- Ballot mailing date - Military and foreign Sept. 19;
- Ballot mailing date - Out of state Oct. 5
- Ballot Return date and time - 8

p.m., Nov. 3

- Recommended final date for mailing ballot - at least one week prior to Election Day*

If there is any question whether a ballot will arrive by mail in time to be counted, O'Neil recommends using one of the county's nine ballot drop boxes. This year, this number includes two new drop boxes in the City of Tillamook. One is at the Tillamook County Public Library and the other is just outside O'Neil's office at the Tillamook County Court House (adjacent to the stairs at the northwest entrance to the building. For a full list of ballot drop boxes, visit <https://www.co.tillamook.or.us/gov/Clerk/Elections%202020/DROPSITE.media&sites.schedule.pdf>

For a complete recording of O'Neil's address to the TCDCC, visit https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCnSLbm36WaxOpY_WsQ8n5nA or <https://www.facebook.com/tillamookcountymocrats/>

For more information about the Tillamook County Democratic Central Committee visit TillCoDems.org.

Prepare for November general election

• The presidential general election is Tuesday, Nov. 3. The last day for new Oregon voters to register to vote for the election is Tuesday, Oct. 13.

• Oregon is Vote-By-Mail. You do not need to request an Absentee Ballot unless

you will not be at your home address between Oct. 14 and Nov. 3. Check the status of your voter registration now with the county clerk or online at www.oregonvotes.gov - My Vote.

- Ballots cannot be forwarded. The county clerk's

office starts addressing envelopes for insertion ahead of deadlines, so the sooner you update the more likely you will receive your ballot timely. Ballots will be mailed to all local active registered voters beginning Oct. 14. If you have not received a ballot by Oct. 23, call the county clerk's office.

• Voted ballots are due in the county clerk's office or in an Official Ballot Drop Box by 8 p.m. Election Day, Nov. 3. Postmarks do not count. Vote early. You do not have to wait until Election Day to vote.

• If you are concerned with mailing your ballot back through the Postal Service or if you wait until the last week before the election to vote, use an Official Ballot Drop Box. Do not mail after Tuesday, Oct. 27 - Use an Official Ballot Drop Box.

• If you have questions or concerns, call the county clerk's office at 503-842-

3402 for an official answer. Do not believe everything you see or hear. Ask the local office in charge.

Candidates on ballot

- Bay City**
Mayor: David McCall
Council: Liane Welch, Tom Imhoff, Melissa Rondeau
- Manzanita**
Mayor: Scott T. Galvin, Mike Scott
Council: Hans Tonjes, Thomas D. Aschenbrener, Randy Kugler, Jerry Spegman
- Wheeler**
Mayor: Doug Honeycutt, Heidi Stacks
Council: Gordon Taylor, Dave Bell, Michael Glowa, John Lawrence
- Tillamook**
Council, ward 1: Garrett Noffsinger
Council, ward 3: Brian Reynolds
Council, ward 5: No candidate filed
- Rockaway Beach**

- Mayor: Sue Wilson
- Council position 1: Nathan R. Beeman, Keith Cantrell
- Council position 2: Tom Martine
- Council position 3: Kristine Hayes, Geoffrey Grace
- Council position 5: Zandra Umholtz, Penelope (Penny) Cheek
- Nehalem**
Mayor: Bill L. Dillard JR
Council position 2: Stacy Jacobsen
Council position 3: Jim Welsh
Council position 4: Phil Chick
- Garibaldi**
Mayor: G. Whitey Forsman, Tim Hall
Council: Katie Findling, Judy Riggs, Paul Daniels, Norm "Bud" Shattuck
- County Sheriff**
Gordon A. McCraw, Josh Brown
- Tillamook PUD**
Subdivision 1: Doug Olsen, Maile Samek
Subdivision 3: Jordan Wolfe, Randy Foshee, Harry E. Hewitt, Cheryl Davy

Ballot Drop Box Sites

- SOUTH**
- **Cloverdale Drop Box** - 34370 Hwy. 101 South 10/14/2020 to 8 a.m. (open 24 hours) Cloverdale, OR 97112 11/3/2020 until 8 p.m.
- **Pacific City Drop Box** - Kiawanda Community Center 34600 Cape Kiawanda Drive 10/14/2020 to 8 a.m. (open 24 hours) Pacific City, OR 97135 11/3/2020 until 8 p.m.
- NORTH**
- **Bay City** - City Hall Drop Box- 5525 B Street 10/14/2020 to 8 a.m. (open 24 hours) Bay City, OR 97107 11/3/2020 until 8 p.m.
- **Garibaldi** - City Hall Drop Box- 107 6th Street 10/14/2020 to 8 a.m. (open 24 hours) Garibaldi, OR 97118 11/3/2020 until 8 p.m.
- **Rockaway Beach** - City Hall Drop Box- 276 Hwy. 101 South 10/14/2020 to 8 a.m. (open 24 hours) Rockaway Beach, OR 97136 11/3/2020 until 8 p.m.
- **Manzanita** - City Hall Drop Box- 543 Laneda Avenue 10/14/2020 to 8 a.m. (open 24 hours) Manzanita, OR 97130 11/3/2020 until 8 p.m.

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Volunteers stand ready to check people in to the evacuation center located at the Tillamook County Fairgrounds. Photos by Joe Warren



The kitchen at the 4-H Dormatory in the Tillamook County Fairgrounds is chalk full of food, beverages and supplies for people who were evacuated due to the Pike Fire. Another command station is set up at the Kilchis Grange Hall for first responders fighting that fire. Many local businesses, organizations and individuals have donated money, supplies or food to this community effort.



A family sits and enjoys dinner at the evacuation location at the Tillamook County Fairgrounds Wednesday evening.

Wildfires

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nately, these rains could bring thunder storms on east side of state, which could cause new fire starts.

"It's kind of a mixed bag relative to the weather, but overall, compared to what we dealt with, with the east winds, this gives us a lot of opportunity to make good progress," Grafe said.

Grafe said winds in south central Oregon could provide some challenges this week as well, but they are predicted to be relatively consistent.

Across the Oregon landscape, Grafe said they have made tremendous progress on establishing control lines on most fires throughout the state. On the coast, fire crews have held lines off the North Bank Lane Fire in Coos county for 4-5 days, which has Grafe "feeling very comfortable on containment there." At the Echo Mountain Complex, they are holding lines thanks to excellent work from crews. Positive work has also been happening at the Pike Fire in Tillamook County.

"We're holding lines on all those fires on the coast, I'm very proud of the work," Grafe said. "Absolutely immense amount of work, in four days, accomplished. That sets the stage relative to what we can accomplish in another five days."

Grafe credits their progress on the coordinated effort across all districts and communities. Lastly, Grafe made note of saying that as they begin to fly aviation crews for examination, the public must refrain from flying their own personal drones.

National Guard and Emergency Management Major General Mike Stencil said Monday that by the end of today (Sept. 14) the National Guard should have over 700 members mobilized for response efforts. Additionally by the end of the week, Stencil expects to have well over 1,000 guardsmen on duty.

143 guardsmen have been at Traffic Control Points throughout Oregon, including in Lincoln County. Also, 11 aircrafts

are in Oregon and available as they wait for the smoke to clear for examination.

"As you can imagine, our pilots are pretty frustrated waiting for this weather to lift," Stencil said. "But we're anxious and hopeful that we are going to be able to fly, most likely in South East Oregon in the next 24 hours."

Director of the Office of Emergency Management, Andrew Phelps, spoke briefly about the fatality statistics, and addressing rumors and rumor control surrounding the fires.

"Rumors can cost lives," Phelps said. "We're relying on government entities, official government sources and our media partners to make sure accurate information is being conveyed responsibly."

ODF thanks Tillamook County citizens for help in fighting fires

Kate Skinner
District Forester

Now that the smoke is clearing from Pike Road Fire, the Oregon Department of Forestry would like to thank the community for their support to the firefighting efforts. The fire began late Monday, September 7th. After the initial attack efforts and knowing there would be an extended attack at Pike Road, our office reached out for assistance for meals, heavy equipment and logistics and the community responded on all fronts immediately.

Over 150 firefighters had to be fed for day and night shifts and 10 restaurants and stores provided meals that met calorie requirements, prepackaged, and ready to go to the line. Many of those vendors donated the meals which we know was a huge sacrifice in the current economic environment.

When our office called on fire crews, fallers, loggers and road builders for equipment to assist, our phone rang off the hook. At one point there was over

30 pieces of equipment working on the fire from 13 companies building line and cutting trees for fire breaks. Due to the extreme weather conditions, the woods were closed to operations which allowed equipment operators to work on fires. We are now committed to getting everyone back to work as soon weather allows for

safe work in the forest.

It is less known that while Pike Road Fire was growing, there were two other fires ODF responded to behind the Blimp Base and MP 7 on Highway 6. The same operators and crews moved to assist ODF firefighters and South Fork

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OPINION

Speedbump

by dave Coverly



Letters to the editor

Campaign to restore access to the Doris Davis Trail

Classic Ridge Trail Access Campaign (TAC), a group of volunteers from the 200 plus home owners of the Classic Ridge and surrounding neighborhoods of Manzanita, are moving forward with asking the court for relief in order to restore trail access to the beach community. The group has made numerous efforts over the past months to reach out to property owners who built a fence earlier this summer across Doris Davis Trail. The response from the owners has been more fortification of the fencing and unfriendly communication with various residents of the Classic Ridge community.

The group details their plans to ask the court for

relief in their latest blog post. Their first step is to file a quiet title action in Tillamook County Court seeking a declaration that the public has a right to continue using the trail. According to the Oregon Supreme Court, if the public openly uses a trail for more than 10 years, without permission of the owners, then the public can acquire a prescriptive easement across private land. The trail has been used for well over 40 years by hundreds if not thousands of people, well before the present owners acquired the land. The goal of the action is to ensure the public has access to the trail they have utilized for over four decades and provide safe passage in the occurrence of a tsunami.

The group is also seeking to raise \$15,000 from community members to support the legal effort. A

long-time trail user passionate about securing the right for everyone to continue to use the trail is initiating this fundraising effort. Any funds not used for the litigation will be applied to other efforts to improve beach access from the neighborhood or donated to Trailkeepers of Oregon's work on the coast. Donations to support the efforts of the Classic Ridge Trail Access Campaign can be made online (<https://www.gofundme.com/f/doris-davis-reopening>)

Classic Ridge Trail Access Campaign is a group of volunteers from the 200 plus homeowners of the Classic Ridge and surrounding neighborhoods of Manzanita, Oregon. They are dedicated to ensuring trail access to the beach community and are open to all interested supporters. Learn more at <https://trailaccess5.wixsite.com/manzanita>.

Tales from the Library

Bill Landau
Extension Librarian
Tillamook County Library

Stop what you are doing and answer a question for me. What are your three favorite movies of all time?

Why do I ask? Because I am the guy who buys the DVDs for the library!

If we were to compile a list of everyone's favorite movies, chances are we would see a lot of overlap. Those are the DVDs I end up having to replace from time to time because the old copy just plain wears out! People literally love our DVDs to death sometimes! Some of the Star Wars films would definitely be high up on the list. Others opt for classics like Citizen Kane or Casablanca. The young-at-heart might choose Toy Story or maybe The Wizard of Oz (if you can handle those flying monkeys). And believe it or not, John Wayne westerns are always in high demand around here.

Another question... can you guess what the most requested film in our library is right now? There are currently 44 people waiting for Ford v Ferrari. And almost that many are on the list for Scarlett Johanssen's movie, Jojo Rabbit. That may seem like a long wait, but we have four copies of both films so the list moves right along. In fact, if you are looking for new block-



busters, placing a hold on those titles is the best way to get your hands on anything that is very popular. All you need is your library card, your pin number and our website (www.tillabook.org) and you can reserve the most popular items in our collection. If you are not sure how to place a hold, just give the library a call at 503-842-4792 and we will be happy to assist.

Building a library's DVD collection is a lot more than just buying the big blockbusters. We also pay special attention to what our patrons seem to enjoy. Because I know people around here love the old classics, I am always on the lookout for re-issues of titles that were previously unavailable on DVD. Just last week, I purchased the entire Bonanza TV series, as well as Robin Williams' breakthrough comedy series, Mork and Mindy. I also grabbed a newly remastered release of the original War of the Worlds film. And let us not forget one of my childhood

obsessions, The Creature from the Black Lagoon.

If this makes you think being the DVD buyer for the library means I can just buy all my own personal favorites, you would be mistaken. If that were the case, the library would have nothing but Disney movies and documentaries about the Beatles! But to create a balanced collection, I need to buy materials to satisfy every interest. I need to find an assortment of westerns, action films, TV series, romance, thrillers... and every other genre, too! Then there are the folks who only like documentaries or how-to videos, so I make sure I keep those new selections coming. Which reminds me, I just purchased a timely video to help with this stressful time. It is called "Relieving Stress with Yoga".

With all this said, there will be a day in the future when DVDs become obsolete, much in the same way VHS faded away. The industry is pushing consumers to stream videos online and many of the shows produced by Netflix, Hulu and other companies are not even available on DVD. So, let's enjoy it in the meantime. "Sit a spell, take your shoes off", pop in Beverly Hills DVD and "come and listen to a story 'bout a man named Jedd"...compliments of your Tillamook County Library.

Commissioners: please close all County beaches to vehicle access

On Aug 26, the Board of Commissioners unanimously decided to reopen the Tierra Del Mar beach to vehicle access. Without adequate planning or resources for enforcement support, the reopening has resulted in unsafe conditions day and night for residents and visitors alike. This decision needs to be reversed.

In reaching their decision, the Commissioners acknowledged that enforcement support from the Sheriff's office and OPRD rangers would be limited due to staffing shortages. As we have experienced since the reopening August 28, and especially throughout the holiday weekend, the only deterrent to prohibited vehicle use north of the beach access point, is stationing a patrol officer at the boundary. We have had that resource only sporadically; while effective when

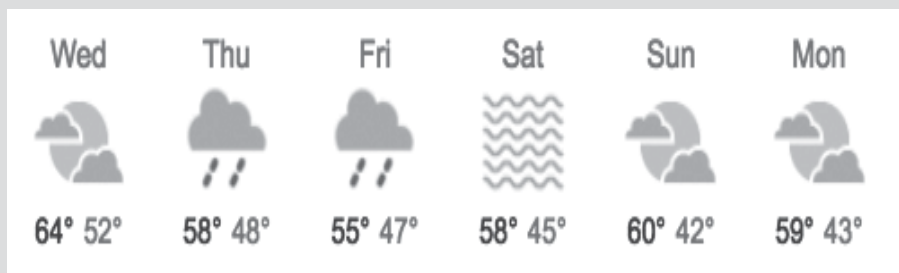
in place, this is a poor use of limited patrol resources. Once gone, drivers continue to ignore the only sign, see all the other vehicle tracks and cruise north. Some get stuck in the sand; some move when approached by Beach Patrol volunteers; others park, unload their dogs and kids and put out the lawn chairs.

We have watched scores of rowdy and impatient drivers (some alcohol-

emboldened) drive unsafely and recklessly. We have watched vehicles get stuck in the sand with a succession of Good Samaritans that get stuck trying to assist them. We have watched little children dart out as vehicles cruise by or back up unexpectedly. We have watched as birds are chased and drivers spin out, appar-

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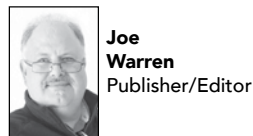
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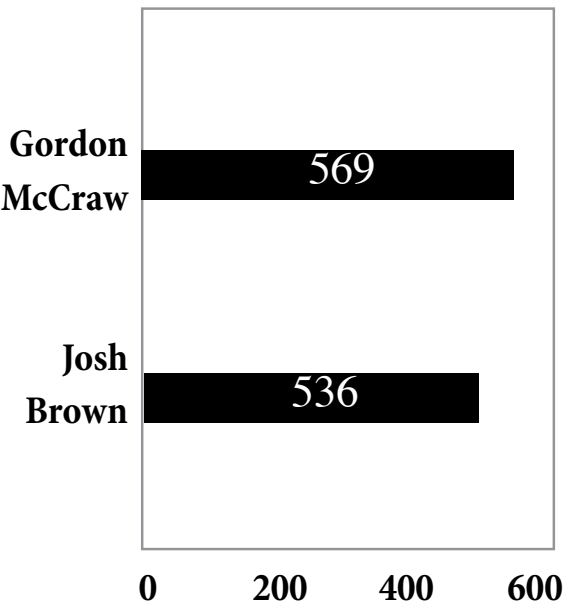
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OPINION

Letters to the editor

Letters

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ently just to watch the sand spray fly. The newly placed porta-potties were a welcome relief but overflowing before the holiday weekend was over.

In conjunction with deciding to reopen the Tierra Del Mar beach, the Commissioners announced they would be keeping the Pacific City beaches closed to vehicle traffic, except for dory fleet activities. As a Pacific City resident, Commissioner Yamamoto spoke of listening to other Pacific City residents on how enjoyable the beach was without vehicle traffic. We in Tierra Del Mar deserve the same consideration and responsiveness.

These are difficult and challenging times for us all. We want our public beaches to be safely enjoyed. Closing the Tierra Del Mar beach to vehicle access is a needed step in the right direction. Reopening should only be considered when adequate support resources have been identified. At a minimum that could include improved grading of the entrance access point off Sandlake Road, clearer signage and barriers placed on the beach, citations with posted information on fines, creating a fee system that covers the costs of assigning a full-time on-site patrol officer, and thoughtful engagement with the local community.

*Lynnae Rutledge
Tierra Del Mar*

Weber for State Rep. Dist. 32

Our law enforcement officers are under attack. One only need turn on the news or read the newspaper to see it. While it is easy to dismiss these attacks as Portland's problem, the hate of our first responders by extremists is evident here on the coast, as well.

At an anti-police demonstration in Seaside some time ago, we saw their message out in full force. I will give credit where credit is due; their actions remained peaceful and they didn't cause damage like their comrades in Portland. However, their message was just as hateful. Several held signs calling all police officers racist. The group regularly chanted, "All cops are bastards" in unison. Seaside Police Officers did an amazing job keeping peace despite the hatred being spewed at them.

We need leaders in rural Oregon who support our local police officers. These men and women are our neighbors who put their lives on the line every day to protect our homes, our businesses and our lives. In the race for the Oregon Legislature, Tillamook Mayor Suzanne Weber is endorsed by the Oregon Chiefs of Police Association, Sheriffs of Oregon, Oregon Coalition of Police and Sheriffs, and numerous local law enforcement officers. Debbie Boothe-Schmidt is endorsed by Indivisible North Coast Oregon, an extremist orga-

nization that has publicly endorsed defunding the police.

If you want to support our local first responders, your choice is clear. Vote for Suzanne Weber. If you want to defund the police, Boothe-Schmidt is your best option.

*Marlene Acker
Tillamook County*

Vote Boothe-Schmidt for State Rep. Dist. 32

Hello, my name is Nicholas Bowling and I am writing to tell you why I will be voting Debbie Boothe-Schmidt for State Representative of House District 32.

As a registered nurse, living and working on the North Coast I have seen countless residents struggle to access local affordable healthcare. Some residents struggle with transportation to Portland for specialty appointments. Others have to decide whether to buy food or life-saving medications each month. Other people have difficulty accessing local, affordable mental health or drug addiction services on the North Coast.

Debbie will work to lower healthcare costs while increasing access to quality, affordable care. Debbie will also work to increase funding for mental health services and drug addiction treatment. This is why Debbie Boothe-Schmidt is the best candidate for State Representative of House District 32.

Suzanne Weber is not the right choice for State Representative. Suzanne Weber supports Donald Trump, even though he ignored the COVID-19 pandemic for too long, continues to deny science, and refuses to listen to medical experts. Suzanne Weber also wants to cut a billion dollars of funding from Oregon schools, which pays for things like counselors, school nurses, and drop-out prevention programs. Suzanne Weber does not care about our health, access to affordable quality healthcare and should not represent House District 32. Debbie Boothe-Schmidt will actually fight for quality, affordable healthcare. Debbie is the right choice.

*Nicholas Bowling
Astoria*

Clearing up misinformation

There's a lot of misinformation beginning to surface about the Habitat Conservation Plan (HCP) being studied and considered by Oregon's Department of Forestry. Phase One of an independent study determined that an HCP is in the overall financial best interests of all the parties. A fair question is: how can this be if a HCP takes forestlands off the cut list and creates set asides?

Consider the Elliot State Forest north of Coos Bay. When the marbled murrelet went on the Endangered Species list, timber harvesting in the Elliot came to a halt. No more revenue

for the School Fund while lawsuits and studies were conducted. The State was forced to try and sell the Elliot. If there had been a HCP, timber revenue would not have been lost; there would have been no crisis because a HCP preempts endangered species litigation.

With more species posed to get listed as endangered, forestlands around us will be the next Elliot. More litigation and studies. Consider the loss of revenue and the hit on our local economy; the jobs and school funds that would be lost while it all got sorted out. It would be another pandemic. A HCP is an insurance policy that provides certainty and stability for all who depend on timber revenue from our State forests.

I'm hoping we can all do the math on this one, and keep our eyes on whose bottom line we're talking about here. We should all support a HCP because it makes the most financial sense for our community, and it safeguards our ability to live here, even in these uncertain times.

*Ron Byers
Tillamook*

The beaches are for everyone

Hmm, "close the Oregon beach." Is this what people in Tillamook County are requesting? Correct me if I am wrong, but I didn't think that sandbox and water sliding over it belonged exclusively to Tillamook County. It's part of the State of Oregon and our Governor dedicated many years to make sure it would belong to the public. So I thank you Tom McCall and would hope everyone would applaud him now and then for his vision. If those who complain about out-of-towners are willing to NEVER EVER go to a public park or travel out of Tillamook County, whine away. Otherwise, please be kind to our visitors. You do not know their stories, maybe a little drive helps them cope with difficulties in their lives.

*Sue Hanenkrat
Tillamook*

I support Boothe-Schmidt

Our economy here on Oregon's North Coast relies on our environmental resources. We all treasure these resources, be they forests, soils, waterways, or ocean. We all understand that we must protect these resources so our children and grandchildren will enjoy thriving communities now and for the future.

It would be wonderful if the big, multinational corporations that profit from our resources would have the foresight to protect them for the long haul—for instance, if big corporations replanted sustainably instead of in monoculture-style tree plantations. But these corporations are beholden to their shareholders, so they focus on short-term profits and cut corners on sustainable practices while opposing environ-

mental protections.

That's why we need Debbie Boothe-Schmidt to represent us in Salem. She knows that a stronger future for our region requires prioritizing our planet and protecting our air, water, and land for future generations. She supports 66 sustainable forestry practices that don't compromise our water supply, and she will protect our shores from offshore drilling. And unlike her opponent, Suzanne Weber, she doesn't rely on donations from corporate interests like the Koch Brothers, Tesoro, and Chevron, companies that are willing to exploit our resources without truly protecting them for the long haul.

Debbie knows the North Coast is more than just a tourist destination. It's our home. If you care about our environment, join me in supporting Debbie Boothe-Schmidt to be our voice in Salem.

*Debra Ferency
Warrenton*

Thank you David Birch

I would like to thank David Birch. He is a local businessman who deals with wasps, bees and insect removal. What made it so great is that he came over on a Saturday after 5 p.m. and on Labor Day Weekend.

Outstanding customer service, as a local business, he really delivers. Shopping locally is a great opportunity to thank local businesses and establishments. We are truly blessed in Tillamook. Shop locally. God bless local workers.

*Harry E. Wewitt
Tillamook*

Trump not the man for the job

This is a really peculiar presidential election. President Trump was in good shape, relying on a great economy, until it wasn't. Now he says only he can make it great again if he is re-elected. But, why is it no longer great? He doesn't want to speak about that, which is understandable since the economy tanked because he botched handling the Covid pandemic. But could we really expect him to make it great again? Trump was a lousy business man. He is wealthy because he inherited a fortune from his father, but his businesses went bankrupt six (6!) times. He even went bankrupt running a casino! How do you do that? Doesn't the house always win in the long run? You must be colossally stupid, colossal dishonest or a colossally bad businessman to do that, and take your pick. But, I digress. The point is, the most important thing Trump seems to be doing is trying to distract people from the specter of the six million Americans who have caught the Covid virus and the 180,000 plus Americans who have died from it. And his approach is to gin up riots by calling weirdos such as the patriot boys in Portland great patriots, and encouraging them to act out (remember his

rally where he told participants to beat up a protestor, and he'd pay their attorney fees?). The problem is, he is ginning up violence on his watch and then saying only he can stop it. Evidently Biden, who is denouncing violence on all sides, can't handle the job. Does Trump really think we voters are idiots? If there is anyone out there who believes his line of bull thwacky, I have a nice bridge in Brooklyn I can sell you at a very attractive price. Are there perhaps some adult Republicans out there?

*Jon Orloff
Rockaway Beach*

Listen to the will of the voters

I wanted to let the people of Garibaldi know that Paul Daniels, our recently recalled City Council member is circumventing the will of the voters by reportedly running AGAIN for a City Council position.

Mr. Daniels is clearly not listening to the people that voted by majority to approve a recall based on behavior unbecoming of a City Council member.

Notwithstanding the audacity of Mr. Daniels to run for City Council, his refusal to listen to the people of Garibaldi demonstrates that he certainly won't listen to us if he gets re-elected.

We have some good candidates vying for two council positions. I would encourage everyone to take a look and be ready to vote on November 3.

*Laurie Wandell
Garibaldi*

Keep it up and Trump will get reelected

Thank you in advance for submitting negative articles and thoughts which will insure another victory for "The Donald" in 2020.

*James Coffron
Netarts*

We need real COVID numbers

The PCR test was created to study viruses in a lab, and not as a diagnostic tool to detect viruses. Kary Mullis the biochemist who created the PCR test was adamant that it was not to be used for clinical diagnosis and he went head-to-head with Dr. Fauci regarding using it to diagnose HIV/AIDS in the 90's.

On page 38 of the CDC 2019-Novel Coronavirus (2019-nCoV) Real-Time RT-PCR Diagnostic Panel, "Detection of viral RNA may not indicate the presence of an infectious virus or that 2019-nCoV is the causative agent for clinical symptoms." As a result, this misapplication of the PCR test means the entire Covid event has been based on invalid "testing results."

Dr. Sherri Tenpenny points out that the longer the time between symptom onset and test, the more likely that the test will be

negative. Tests can go from negative, to positive, and back to negative as your immune systems clears the infection. No one knows exactly what a "positive" test means.

Due to a "flaw" in one of Connecticut's testing systems, 90 of 144 people who were tested for the virus between June 15 and June 17 received a false positive test. Testing "flaws" like this are being identified in every state. The testing is so unreliable that in Tanzania a pawpaw fruit, a bird, goat and an inanimate object tested positive for COVID after the President of Tanzania sent in these specimens because he didn't trust the validity of this test.

Many of these test kits were contaminated also invalidating the results and the invalid data continues to accumulate. In Florida they showed a 100% positivity which is statistically impossible. Then we have antibody tests and antigen tests lumped together skewing the testing results. Antibody tests don't have any demonstrated usefulness since they have not been evaluated by the FDA and independent evaluation showed a 50% false positive rate; also, they are intended to show evidence of a past infection, not a current one.

Now the CDC has flipped again recommending that those that are asymptomatic don't need to be tested until they show symptoms. This has been the kind of response we've seen in the medical/healthcare establishment starting with the WHO, CDC, Task Force, FDA, and state healthcare systems. It has become so politically charged people are left confused who to trust and what to believe. This PCR test for many has been elevated to a religion where no one is allowed to question the reliability of the test or the results. There's a raging debate about whether or not the virus has really been purified and isolated. The FDA admitted it had not been done in a CDC report. A Chinese study found that the test yields false positives 80% of the time. That fact alone, if true, renders the results unreliable. Finally, many doctors and microbiologists have come forward to say that the test cannot discriminate between SARS-CoV-2 and any other coronavirus. It cannot even tell if you have anything like an infectious event underway or if any of these coronaviruses have ever been infectious.

The moment of truth "This week the CDC quietly updated the Covid number to admit that only 6% of all the 153,504 deaths recorded actually died from Covid. That's 9,210 deaths. The other 94% had 2-3 other serious illnesses and the overwhelming majority were of very advanced age". Look at comorbidities.

Our entire existence right now is based on the numbers that "test positive". Does that mean they actually have the infection? Does it mean anything at all?

*Robin Kostrikin
Pacific City*

Fenceposts

As I write this, we are still on alert for a possible evacuation notice due to fires to the north and south of us. While Cape Meares itself is not on fire, we have an eerie yellow-orange sky, and the smell of smoke is too strong to remain long outdoors. At the start of this emergency, we lost power for 23 hours—a big shout-out to the PUD for getting us back in business so quickly. And we can't say enough about our dedicated firefighters, professional and volunteer, who are working day and night to keep us safe. I trust that by the time you read this column, the fires will be out and we'll have some blessed rain.

If there is a sure way to cool

off in this hot summer weather, it's white-water rafting. Dave Audet and his wife, Wendy Kunkel, recently spent four days rafting the Rogue River in southern Oregon. Dave is a big white-water rafter and is part of a group that rafts rivers around the country. That group had a trip to the Grand Canyon lined up for March when the pandemic hit and shut everything down. They have substituted a series of smaller, closer-to-home trips instead, with this trip down the Rogue being one. Wendy said the days on the Rogue were hot, but it cooled down considerably at night. They took one day off the river to hike, swim—or play cards. The food had all



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been purchased ahead of time for the Grand Canyon trip, so everything was organized for rotating shifts of cooking dinner when they set up their tents and camped along the river each

night. The adventure was a great way for Wendy and Dave to wrap up summer. Now all they need to do is figure out a safe way to travel in the COVID era to see their grandchildren in Chicago: by train, plane, car, or hang-glider?!

Salmon season has started! Remember basic etiquette when launching your boat: 1) use only your vehicle's parking lights if it's dark (don't blind those waiting to launch); 2) tie up your boat as far down the dock as possible before parking your vehicle; and 3) don't monopolize the boat ramp by rigging tackle at the dock (prepare tackle at home). As for taking out (hopefully weighted down with your

limit of salmon), here are another three tips: 1) be familiar with the water depth at various times of the tide on each side of the dock to avoid running your motor into the mud; 2) don't stop your boat partway up the ramp to pull the plug and let water out (do that up in the parking lot); and 3) don't clean your fish on the dock. Oh, yes, do remember to put the plug back in before dropping your boat in the water, and don't lock your keys in the truck when out shoving the boat off the trailer (we've seen both of these happen). Thanks for keeping things moving along at the Memaloose boat launch and elsewhere!



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Obituaries

Thomas Ralph Mills April 8, 1949 - Aug. 25, 2020



Thomas R. Mills, 71, of Bay City passed away on August 25th at his home.

Tom was born at Tillamook hospital to Alfred and J. Lucile Mills (Bradham) on April 8th 1949. He went to school in Tillamook and graduated from Tillamook high school in 1967.

After taking some college courses, Tom enlisted in the Navy on July 1st 1969 and served until June 14th 1972. He was a veteran of the Vietnam War and was very proud of his service to his country. Upon his discharge he entered the Naval Reserves, and subsequently the National Guard. He married Paula Rhoades on November 3rd 1979 at the Church of the Nazarene in Tillamook. The two of them purchased their home in Bay City in 1981, where they raised their family. Tom worked a variety of jobs, spending a number of years at Publishers Paper Mill (Now Hampton Lum-

ber) in Tillamook but his favorite job was as a small parts manager for SCS Interactive. Tom was an avid hunter / fisherman. He also enjoyed bowling league, shooting pool whenever he had the chance and casino trips with Paula. He was also a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles where he enjoyed playing Texas Hold 'em. Above all though his greatest joy came from spending time with his children and grandchildren. He was a family man and animal lover through and through.

Tom is preceded in death by his parents Alfred Mills and J. Lucile Mills (Bradham), and his sister Patricia (Parker)

Tom is survived by his loving wife of 40 years Paula (Rhoades). His Daughter Ameer, her husband Mike and their 5 children Ema, Eddison, Everhett, Brooklyne and Bryar. His Son Kevin. His Sister Jeanne (DeSward) and her husband Jack. His Brother Bill and wife Theresa. His Brother John, as well as countless nieces and nephews, and of course his beloved "Penny dog."

Due to Covid restrictions, there will be no services at this time.

Dianne Hampton (Jennings) Dec. 2, 1952- Sept. 5, 2020



Dianne Marie Hampton (Jennings) died in Tillamook on September 5, 2020, after a long battle with cancer, surrounded by her husband, children, sister, niece and nephew.

Dianne was born December 2nd, 1952 in Tillamook Hospital. In 1972, she welcomed her first daughter, Katherine Leona. She was the first of three daughters whom Dianne loved fiercely and who would endlessly challenge her and drive her to curse. In 1975, Dianne married Harold Hampton, who would become her life-long best friend, father to their daughters, and her greatest sweetheart. In 1977, they welcomed Jessica Lynn and in 1984, they had Ashley

Anne. She spent her years as the loving matriarch of her family and friend to everyone she met.

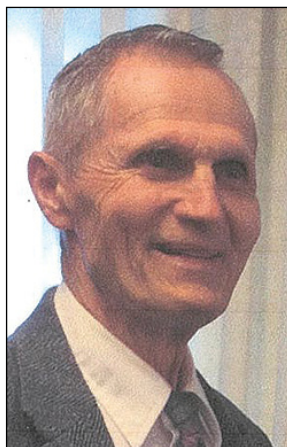
Dianne was a pillar of her community who opened up her home to everyone. She was a mother to all who came into her home, a friend to anyone who needed an ear, an incredible wife to her husband, the best mom to her children and the most loving Grammy. Her character is unmatched and we will miss her.

Dianne is survived by her husband of 45 years, Harold Hampton, her daughters, Kathe Hampton-Huntsman, Jess Hampton, and Ashley Hampton, her sister, Janet Lazarus, her grandchildren, Cody Dummer, Shelby Dummer and Nola Hampton-Bradley and many in-laws, nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her parents, Jim and Leona Jennings, her brothers, Larry and Denny, and her sister, Kathy.

Due to COVID-19, there will be no funeral in 2020. Our family plans to have a celebration of life to honor Dianne in 2021.

Donald Hearld Kiel June 25, 1935- Sept. 5, 2020



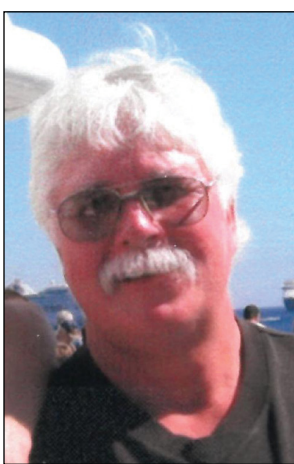
Donald Hearld Kiel born 25 June 1935 parents Harold Henry, & Anna Louise Genhle, passed away September 5, 2020. He was born in Ft. Wayne In. Two sisters Lorna Rybacheck & Lois Oestrich. His mother died when he was 8 years old. He was placed in Moose Heart Orphanage from

1944 till 1952. He left to live with his father in Chicago where he graduated high school in 1953. After school he joined the Army and spent 16 months in Korea. He was stationed in Seattle, where he met and married, Sandra Jan Cope. They had 4 children Mary Ann, Roberta, Vern and Donald Jr.

They moved to Chicago where he went to work for Nabisco. He then transferred to Portland. His wife passed away in 1993. He went to California to visit his sister where met and married Gwen.

They made their home in Garibaldi for 27 years. He loved fishing, crabbing, & clamming. They enjoyed square dancing. The did a lot of traveling. He was a member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints.

Don Lee Dials June 27, 1956 - Sept. 1, 2020



Don Lee Dials was born on June 27, 1956 in Scotia, California. He passed away peacefully with the love and support of family and friends on September 1, 2020 in Bay City, Oregon at the age of 64.

Don grew up in Bay City, Oregon with his parents Delbert and Bonnie Dials. Four brothers: Bill, Steve, Glen and Jim. Two sisters: Lori and Mary. Don attended Bay City grade school and Neah-Kah-Nie High School.

After completing school Don moved to Portland, Oregon and went to work for ESCO Steel Foundry as a crane operator, which he loved and spoke about for many years. After a few years, he returned home to the Tillamook area. He went to work for Publishers Mill where he held several positions including fork lift driver, kiln operator and mill maintenance.

Don was united in marriage to Donita Wyss on July 17, 1982. They were married for 20 years and together raised their three sons; Mike, Chris and Greg. Don had a strong work ethic, which he instilled in his sons as they were growing up. After many years of work at Publishers he applied his home remodel skills and ventured into construction, starting a business as a General Contractor. He was known for quality construction, which was evident in his remodels and new home construction throughout Tillamook County.

Don loved the outdoors and enjoyed hunting, fishing, camping and clam digging. He especially looked forward to hunting trips in central and eastern Oregon with family and friends.

Don is survived by his sons; Mike Dials of Valdez, AK; Chris Dials of Bay City, OR and Greg Dials of Tillamook, OR. He is also survived by brothers Steven Dials of Kent, WA; Glen Dials of Tillamook, OR; Jim Dials of Bay City, OR; his sister Mary Johnson of Anchorage, AK; many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his parents Delbert and Bonnie Dials, his brother Bill Dials, and sister Lori Gevoy.

A celebration of Life will be planned at a later date at the Dials Family property on the Kilchis River.

Katelyn Michelle Steinkamp DVM Feb. 24, 1992 - Sept. 5, 2020



Katelyn was born as the youngest child and only daughter of Mike and Janet Steinkamp. Katelyn grew up near Salem in St. Louis, Oregon working on the family farm, attending St. Louis Catholic Church, and Sacred Heart Catholic School. It was obvious from a young age Katelyn loved animals of all sizes, especially large animals. Katelyn attended Gervais High School and was active in student government, equestrian team, and especially the FFA. During this time her dream to become a large animal veterinarian became clear. This was a dream that would take Katelyn to school in Idaho, at University of Idaho and Indiana as a graduate of Purdue University's College of Veterinary Medicine in May 2018. Katelyn lived her dreams after graduation as a large animal Veterinarian serving animal agriculture in Breese, Illinois in 2018 and coming to reside in Tillamook, Oregon in February of 2019 working for

Pioneer Veterinarian Hospital until her sudden and shocking death. Katelyn is remembered for caring for her patients and their owners any time of day or night with compassion, professionalism and integrity. Katelyn is survived by her parents Michael and Janet Steinkamp of St. Louis, OR, brother Jason Steinkamp of Blackfoot, ID brother Andy (Anne) Steinkamp of Salem, OR Nieces Natalee and Sage Steinkamp of Salem, OR and Grandmother Peggie Spada of St. Paul, OR as well as many aunts, uncles and cousins. She also leaves a loving Tillamook family of friends, co-workers, clients and their owners.

Because of COVID-19 issues the family will be holding a private service and burial. Katelyn will be interred at St. Louis Catholic Cemetery near the family farm she grew up on. We ask that you hug your animals and share your favorite flavor of Tillamook ice cream with your family in Katelyn's memory. A larger celebration is anticipated after the COVID restrictions are lifted.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Sacred Heart Catholic School in Gervais, OR or any organization that cares for creatures large and small. Assisting the family is Unger Funeral Chapel - Mt. Angel, Oregon.

Harold Schild June 26, 1937 - Sept. 10, 2020



Harold was born June 26, 1937 in Tillamook, Oregon. He passed away September 10, 2020.

He worked for Tillamook Cheese for 44 years, CEO for the last 9 years retiring in 2002. Harold was an active member of Tillamook Church of the Nazarene, KTIL voice of the Tillamook Cheesemak-

ers for many years, loved flying his airplane, riding his motorcycle and cutting wood.

He is survived by his wife of 63 years, Betty; three children Cindy Lewis, Randy Schild and Jody Sherbondy; 10 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Celebration of a life well-lived will be held Sunday, Sept. 20, 2020, 3 p.m. at the Tillamook High School football stadium.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be sent to:

Tillamook Church of the Nazarene Building Fund or to the Harold Schild Memorial Scholarship in care of the Tillamook Education Foundation.

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Death Notice

Louise Augusta Fransen

Louise Augusta Fransen of Tillamook died on Sept. 10, 2020. Louise was born on Oct. 13, 1921. A private family grave side service is scheduled at Sacred Heart Cemetery in Tillamook.

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Extreme fire weather has caused rapid growth of fires throughout the northwest, and new ignitions have strained resources throughout the region. Conditions remain unsafe for forest employees to address hazards due to downed trees. Nationally, and within Oregon, firefighting resources are operating at maximum capacity and resources are severely limited.

These circumstances have created unprecedented fire and public safety concerns throughout the Siuslaw National Forest which is temporarily closing to public access. It will be re-evaluated regu-

larly as conditions change. The closure covers all National Forest forested, coastal, and sand areas d includes the Oregon Dunes National Recreation Area, Sand Lake, developed campgrounds, dispersed camping, dy use areas, wilderness areas, and all forest roads and trails.

Forest officials strongly encourage the public to avoid visiting the forest effective immediately. It is critical that forest visitors follow this important closure for their own safety and the safety of our neighboring communities, employees, and firefighters.

We appreciate Sonya



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Kazen alerting Fencepost readers that Tillamook County lags behind the State average in responding to the 2020 Census. While Oregon is responding at about 67%, fewer than 45% of Tillamook County households have completed the Census which is essential to assur-

ing our representation in national government and federal funding of essential programs. Go to census.gov to complete the short questionnaire for your household.

A million thanks to JoAnne Watters for calling with word that Nestucca Lion's Club did not do a Community Calendar for 2020-2021 due to Covid19. She generously offered an extra copy of last year's calendar for Fencepost reference in the year to come; we're grateful. Please call me with corrections if you have birthdays to add or subtract from what was published in last year's calendar and

be patient as we forge ahead with what may, at times, be a flawed birthday list.

Happy September birthday through the 8th to: Susie Bentley, Jenny Cabral, Jim Dieringer, Aurora Dillon, Juliana Fitch, Jeff Geil, Tim Inman, Sawyer Lane, Emma Nosack, Natasha Owens, Andrea Oulman, Aubrey Pippenger, Jeb Pippenger, Mike Polivka, Steve Shiels, Teresa Smith, Zachary Spidell, Shane Stuart, Emily Summers, Ray Wilkinson, and Skyler Wallace.

Happy September birthday through the 15th to: Tucker Bassett, Dale Baumgartner, Jamie Carv-

er, Nolan Dimmitt, Lynda Fletcher, Brandy Gearhart, Kristen Hagerty, Stacey Hagerty, Jerica Haltiner, Willie Haltiner, John Hurliman, Linda Hurliman, Lars Kellow, Dale Kiser, Garry Link, Sara Ogle, Gage Schmid, Brian Slavens, Michelle Wallace, Kim Weber, Erin Weisser and Bob Wilkinson.

Happy birthday this week to: Rylee Armstrong, Forrest Blum, Eric Carver, Joe Coloma, Sid Fisher, Danielle Green, Aaron Hagerty, Eric Hagerty, Erik Hanson, Jesse James Hill, Ray Maack, Logan Morrow, David Park, Donna Scheese and Logan Thomas.

The "Leaves are falling, Autumn is calling ..."

I really try to keep my fencepost column positive, but with all the craziness going on, it is really hard. I know we often have challenges living on the coast, but to be also suffering

from a pandemic, well, it is truly a double blow. A real positive effect during a pandemic or crisis is how folks come out of the woodwork to help each other. The Lions Club is out and about assisting folks, the Tillamook Cheese Factory is offering free lunch to

evacuees, I could go on and on, but I would be writing forever.

Of course, if you are reading this from out of town, please wait to visit us until these fires are completely out. The emergency teams are really busy getting people to safety. They just simply don't have the services to protect our vacationers too. I promise, when you return after this is over; you will be treated like gold. We miss you as much as you miss us. We are hurting right now. Let us heal.

Our International Police Museum is part of the Oregon Bottle Drop Redemption program for 501 (c) (3)'s. They would absolutely love to have your support



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through these trying times. If you have cans and plastic bottles you can donate to help them out, it would be greatly appreciated. Please contact them at 206 999 8474 if you can help them out. Your clean cans, glass, plastic and aluminum containers can be mixed together. When you call, they

will make arrangements to have them picked up. Let's keep our museum open for local visitors and tourists! The pandemic is hard on the IPM too.

As always, our Lions Club are right in the middle of helping folks through these hard times. They were able to bring two walkers for evacuees at the Tillamook fair grounds. These folks are beyond awesome! Be sure to thank a Rockaway Beach Lion folks.

The Fall Solve Beach Cleanup is still planned, but watch their website, just in case. It is at the Rockaway Beach Lions Club on Saturday, September 19th at 10am. Masks are required (hey, no problem) and sign up is online

only. The beaches really do need to be cleaned. It has been a rough summer and some visitors have used our beaches without respect. Bring gloves and hand sanitizer and any kind of garbage pickup device you have. Then, our wonderful Lions will serve lunch to all the volunteers! (https://www.solveo-region.org/search?sort_c=&sort_o=&opportunity_id=&page=1)

"Anyone who thinks fallen leaves are dead has never watched them dancing on a windy day." Be safe and hang in there. Hard times don't last forever. You are all in my prayers. That's "Rockaway Beach, "Sugar Coated!"

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Greetings Bay City! With our current situation in Oregon, the September issue of Ruralite from PUD came out just in time! It talked about September being the National Emergency Preparedness month. I hope your neighborhood captains helped you prepare, and that you had your emergency go-bag at the front door. Being the worry wart that I am, I have four emergency plans: (1) Shelter in place, (2) Shelter in the RV, (3) Shelter in the car, and number (4) No shelter backpack – leave now! I hope I will never have to activate plan 4, as with any emergency, being prepared may just save your life.

For information on how to receive your emergency preparedness packet, call the Bay City Volunteer Fire Department's non-emergency phone number (503)377-0233, City Hall at Bay City (503)377-2288, or Tillamook County Emergency Management Director, Gordon McCraw, at (503)842-3412 or FAX (503)815-3195. Thank you Gordon and our emergency management team of firefighters, Bay City Public Works employees, and our friends at Tillamook PUD. Think how many men and women from all these



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different agencies and organizations that it takes to keep us safe and our lives moving forward.

In times of trouble, neighbors need one another. We are so fortunate to have neighbors such as Jon Malcom and Don Backman who fell our hazardous trees broken by the wind storm, and helped Kin clean up the limbs. And thank you to our friends Gordon and Heidi McCraw for the loan of their generator when ours quit in the middle of the night, and to their friend Rod who helped deliver it. Also, when we needed our propane regulator replaced in the middle of evacuating, it was Stumpy at Tillamook RV Repair who got it fixed fast, took care of the warranty paperwork, and sent us on our way. Like I said, it takes a lot of people to keep us safe and our lives moving forward.

In the Oregonian's Pearls before Swine (Sept. 6th

issue), Goat asks Pig if he is worried about paying his rent. Pig asks "What day is it?". Goat answers "It's Sunday". Then Pig replies "Sundays I worry about the virus". It proceeds with Pig giving his worry schedule for each day of the week, and at the end of the script, Pig's worry schedule is packed. I think some of us see ourselves in Pig. From the Covid-19 pandemic, social unrest, economic crisis, disastrous weather across the country, and, closer to home, the wild fires taking over our neighborhoods and towns, we have a lot to worry about. I don't know about you, but I am asking myself "When will it end?", and "When will we recover from this?". I imagine that throughout history this question has been asked through every war, natural disaster, economic crisis, etc. Every family tree has similar stories of their hardships and loss, followed by stories of their bravery, stoicism, and faith. In the end, they did recover and overcome these enormous tragedies. They are our ancestors. We are connected to them; and if they could overcome these hardships, we can to.

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The Schooner Restaurant & Lounge management responds to recent confirmed COVID-19 case

Hilary Dorsey
Staff Writer

The Schooner Restaurant & Lounge closed operations Friday, Sept. 4, to sanitize and deep clean after an employee tested positive for COVID-19. The restaurant reopened Saturday, Sept. 5.

After learning the positive result, the restaurant took all action required by the CDC, as well as the Tillamook County Health Department. The employee and those they were in direct contact with are under quarantine for 14 days, and all areas of the restaurant are currently being sanitized.

General Manager Lexie Fields said the restaurant responded to the news of the employee who tested positive for COVID-19 as quickly as possible. They notified those who had been in direct contact – within 6 feet of each other for longer than a 15-minute period – immediately, and then provided a statement to all employees to inform

and educate them on the situation.

“After we took these measures and dealt with their concerns, we notified the public and were completely candid about what was happening at the restaurant,” Fields said. “The response from our customers has been overwhelmingly positive.”

The Schooner’s online response on Facebook was nothing but supportive and caring, Fields said.

Those employees who had been in close contact with the affected employee are quarantining for a two-week period, including Fields. Other employees who were not in close contact with the affected employee chose to self-quarantine as well, however, most employees felt comfortable enough to return to work after the 24-hour shut down and cleaning, as well as after speaking with the health department.

“We have four employees, including the affected employee, in mandated quarantine right now and

six others of their own volition,” Fields said. “Results from those employees who chose to get tested have all been negative. At this time, we only have the one employee who has tested positive.”

Fields said the restaurant has been following Gov. Kate Brown’s state mandated guidelines from the beginning of COVID-19 by requiring employees, as well as customers, to wear face coverings, practice consistent hand washing and sanitizing of common areas, excusing employees from work when they are sick and practicing social distancing. They have also limited reservation seating to no more than ten people in a group, arranged tables to be 6 feet apart from one another, posted signage on COVID-19 prevention in restrooms, installed hand sanitizer stations at all entry ways, blocked off every other booth seating, removed bar seating, and staff a host controlling entry into the restaurant at all times.

“I felt we had to take the

position, as a restaurant, that this is not something ‘dirty’ that we are trying to hide in shame from – it’s a virus that’s affecting millions of people, and the chances of contracting it

were, and remain, high,” Fields said. “I believe we handled the situation to the best of our ability with compassion and professionalism, and may possibly be a resource for

other restaurants that may face similar circumstances in the future.”

Send comments to: headlightreporter@countrymedia.net



The Scooner Restaurant and Lounge. Photo by Hilary Dorsey

Housing Commission members sought

The Board of Commissioners is seeking representatives from Tillamook County to serve on the Tillamook County Housing Commission. Formed by the Board in June 2018, the Housing Commission is charged with creating, maintaining, and implementing a strategic housing plan for the entire county based on work done by the Tillamook County Housing Task Force and housing needs data. The Housing Commission will provide a framework to support development and preservation activities which will increase and/or preserve workforce housing in unincorporated areas of Tillamook County, and to partner with incor-

porated cities for the same. The Housing Commission currently has two vacancies: one representative of a major employer and one at-large member. We are seeking applicants who can serve for a four-year term. If you meet one of these categories and would like to be part of the solution to the urgent housing crisis in Tillamook County, we urge you to apply. Membership application forms are available on the County web site under the Board of Commissioners’ page: <http://www.co.tillamook.or.us/gov/Boccc/>, under “Committee Applications”. Applications should be e-mailed to Isabel Gilda in the Commissioners’ office

at igilda@co.tillamook.or.us by 5:00 p.m. on September 30, 2020. For more information on how to submit an electronic application, call Isabel Gilda at 503-842-3403; for more information about the Housing Commission, please call Commissioner Bill Baertlein at 503-842-3403 or Tillamook County Housing Coordinator Jake Davis at 503-842-3408 ext. 3419.

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Staying connected to accurate information and to each other is critical during times like this. Between the COVID-19 pandemic, recent wildfires and other challenges, day-to-day life can start to feel unmanageable. The more equipped we feel to access the best information, the better we can respond in a crisis. And while word of mouth and social media information travel very fast in our rural community, it's a good idea to have trusted sources of accurate information to rely on.

Advance planning and communication can make a big difference in the heat of

the moment. Here are a few information sources that can help you plan.

- Emergency Preparedness: Follow, or consider joining, local emergency preparedness organizations.

- In North County - Emergency Volunteer Corps of Nehalem Bay: <https://evcnb.org/>

- In South County - South County Emergency Volunteer Corps: <https://south-countyevc.org/>

- In Central County - <https://www.readynw.com/edward@readynorthwest.com> at <https://www.readynw.com/>

- Public Safety Alerts: If you haven't already, it's a good idea to sign up for public safety alerts from both Nixle and Tillamook 911. These keep you up-to-date with relevant information on issues such as road closures, traffic accidents and extreme weather events. Alerts in Spanish or English are received as a text message on your mobile device or for the latest updates you can log onto their website: <https://local.nixle.com/tillamook-county-emergency-management/>.

A similar service is available through Tillamook County 911 with alerts via text and or phone. You can sign up at <http://www.tillamook911.com/>.

- Local News: For the latest local, on-line news, visit <https://www.tillamook-headlightherald.com/> or <https://www.tillamookcountypioneer.net/>. If you don't have access to or use the internet, consider having a family member or friend you can go to for information. You can also tune into KTIL radio at 95.9 FM, which often airs community news at a quarter to the hour (i.e. 7:45 AM).

- Social Media: If you use Facebook, there are many important pages you may want to "Like" and "Follow." It may even be worth setting up a basic or "shadow" account in order to follow key community pages. Some of these include:

- Tillamook County Sheriff's office on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/tillamookcountysheriff/>
- Tillamook Headlight Herald: <https://www.facebook.com/tillamookheadlightherald/>
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- CARE: <https://www.facebook.com/tillamook-care/>

- Tillamook County Wellness: <https://www.facebook.com/Tillamook-CountyWellness/>

- Pike Road Fire: Specific information regarding the local Pike Road fire can be accessed at this Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/pikeroadfirecommunityawareness/>.

- Air Quality: Air quality is a major concern during these wildfires and can worsen respiratory issues like asthma and COPD. The CDC has helpful information on this topic in English and Spanish on their wildfire page at https://www.cdc.gov/disasters/covid-19/wildfire_smoke_covid-19.html and the state of Oregon shares more information on this topic here: <http://oregonsmoke.blogspot.com/?m=1>.

Where do you get your information? If it is from somewhere not listed here, we'd like to hear about it. Our coalition and community partners are working hard to make it easier to get and share information during a crisis. Please email us at info@tillamookcountywellness.org and tell us your preferred way of getting up-to-date information that matters most to you.

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This "ready-to-go" lot is waiting for you! Nestled in the community of Netarts, this lot is out of the tsunami and flood zones. No HOA. I have a builder ready to create your new home and I can connect you with a lending institution that will provide a land loan, construction loan, and bridge it over to a conventional loan. This is a turn-key lot ready for YOU! **MLS#20-552 Call Mary \$49,000**

NEW LISTING

The Majestic Three Arch Rocks are the center of attention in this well-maintained one family home! Close-up ocean views and the Village of Oceanside is framed by the wall of windows in living area. Light & bright w/ high ceilings, open beams, wood fireplace and large deck make this a wonderful place to entertain or relax. En suite master with ocean view, jacuzzi & walk-in closet; lower level family room plus 2 guest bedrooms & 3 baths provides room for all. Large 2 bay garage. Surrounded by trees, this home is on a 1/3 acre lot and is just waiting for a firepit and all your outdoor activities! **MLS#20-535 Call Cyndi \$565,000**

NEW LISTING

Rare opportunity! Landmark hotel and restaurant located one row removed from oceanfront in the picturesque town of Oceanside, just 90 minutes from downtown PDX! Property consists of five guest rooms, an owner/manager residence, restaurant and lounge. Sensational up-close views of sandy beach, Three Arch Rocks and Cape Lookout. Just steps from the beach. Operate as an upscale lodge or bed and breakfast. Let your imagination be your guide with respect to the prime street level commercial space. Guest rooms boast wood floors, granite counters, upgraded bathroom fixtures, heat pumps and fantastic ocean views! Restaurant remodeled in 2015 including new kitchen and cafe equipment. A special opportunity and a savvy investment all the way around! **RMLS#20192126 Call Steph \$1,200,000**

NEW LISTING

Large blank commercial canvas in the heart of downtown Tillamook! Property borders Hoquarton Slough and Interpretive Trail. Level property with all utilities available. Located in the Hoquarton Waterfront Overlay District which allows uses such as retail, artisan manufacturing, live/work units, and public facilities. Be a part of the bustling downtown Tillamook commercial district. Let your imagination be your guide! **RMLS#20636170 Call Dusty \$185,000**

NEW LISTING

A wall to wall stunner! This extremely well cared for home is just minutes away from the beach with an emerald green forest view. Enjoy the many large windows allowing lots of natural light into this 4 bedroom/3 bath home with it's extra storage and beautiful floors. The master has a walk-in closet, door to the deck and a skylight that lights up the spacious bathroom. Access the downstairs through a circular staircase or through the full light glass door entrance to the hobby/family room with it's own bathroom, bedroom and more extra large windows. The fenced yard with it's privacy iron gate, double car 9'10" tall garage doors and 2 hot water tanks are just a few of the amenities that make this house unique. **MLS#20-592 Call Debbie \$385,000**

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Check out our new **LIVE BEACH CAM** overlooking the Three Arch Rocks in Oceanside

Fried rice with pork

Recipe & Photo Source: FoodHero.org

Number of servings: 8
Time for preparation (including preparation and cooking): 15 minutes

- Ingredients:**
- 2 Tablespoons low-sodium soy sauce
 - 1/2 teaspoon garlic powder
 - 1 teaspoon black pepper
 - 1/2 pound lean pork, ground or small cubes
 - 1 teaspoon oil
 - 1/4 cup carrot, sliced or grated
 - 1 cup onion, chopped
 - 1 cup chopped vegetables, fresh, frozen or leftovers (try broccoli, celery, bell pepper, peas or snow peas)
 - 2 cups cooled, cooked rice, white or brown

- Directions:**
1. Mix soy sauce, garlic powder and pepper together in a small dish. Set aside.
 2. In a large skillet over medium-high heat, sauté pork in oil until just lightly browned. If using ground pork, break into crumbles as it cooks.
 3. Add carrots, onion, and chosen vegetables. Sauté until tender, stirring frequently.
 4. Stir in rice and seasoning mixture, breaking up any clumps of rice. Continue to heat and stir until heated through.
 5. Refrigerate leftovers within 2 hours.



ODF

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Inmate crews on those responses. Both fires had potential for growth and they were controlled quickly and put into patrol and monitoring status.

There is still work to do to extinguish the Pike Road Fire but an even larger effort is needed across Oregon. ODF has established a dedicated phone line and email address for members of the public that are reaching out to offer resources and assistance with Oregon's wildland fire fighting efforts statewide. ODF will monitor and respond to incoming calls and messages at regular intervals on a daily basis.

Phone: 503-945-7207
Email: ODF_DL-2020Resourcehelpline@oregon.gov

We ask that callers and emails leave the following information so they can be reached for response by ODF.

- Name
- Type of Resource/Assistance
- Contact Phone Number
- Contact Email

ODF again wants to thank you for the support from citizens of Tillamook County.

Tillamook County Democrats

Monthly Meeting

Thursday, Sept. 24, 6:00 pm

Virtual meeting to be held on Zoom
All are welcome!

Guest Speaker: Marlene Putman, Administrator, Tillamook County Health and Human Services (TCHHS)
"TCHHS Response to Covid-19 in our Community"

To attend Zoom meeting, go to tillcodems.org. Click on "Join Us." Click on "Attend Virtual Meeting." Click on "Main Meeting Room."

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County talks Pike Fire, more evacuees expected from Lincoln County

Hilary Dorsey
Staff Writer

The Tillamook County Board of Commissioners held an emergency press conference Thursday, Sept. 10, to discuss updates regarding the ongoing fire situation in Tillamook County.

Sheriff Jim Horton said he took a tour of the Pike Road area earlier in the morning. The Pike Fire has damaged one small garage.

"I would imagine there is significant smoke damage within the homes,"

Horton said. "All the homes up there are intact and fire crews did an excellent job protecting the properties."

Local fire crews have been focusing on the structures. Oregon Department of Forestry (ODF) is focusing on fire suppression. The fire is at 175 acres, Horton said. There is currently no estimate on containment.

"Just about every local fire agency was involved," Horton said.

Tillamook Fire District and ODF are still on scene; other agencies have left.

Two additional fires

took place Wednesday, Sept. 9. Horton said the Wilson River Fire was less than an acre in size. The Long Prairie Road Fire was extinguished quickly as well. Fire crews responded immediately to both fires.

Two Nestucca, two Nehalem and one Rockaway Beach unit are assisting in Lincoln County.

"We are hearing some reports that people are starting to return to their homes in the evacuation area," Horton said. "I want to remind the public that they need to remain out of those areas until they

get the all clear from the sheriff's office or local fire district."

Horton said there is a possibility of deploying a drone to assess the damage of the Pike Road Fire. Crews have saved every home on Pike Road. Local logging companies have offered volunteers to help with the fires.

Incident command continues to operate. If you have an emergency, call 911. If you are looking for information and have general questions, keep an eye on the Tillamook County Sheriff's Office Facebook

page.

"We are set up at the fairgrounds," Commissioner David Yamamoto said. "As a backup, we have available the YMCA here in Tillamook, and as a backup to the backup, we've been in conversation with Misty Wharton of Nestucca Valley School District and she is willing to open up all her school buildings to house evacuees if that becomes necessary. We should be ready for more evacuees from Lincoln City."

Yamamoto said Tillamook County has stepped

up to do what needs to be done. Food has been donated to the fairgrounds. Horton said they have received so many donations, but if people want to donate, nonperishable snacks and bottled water would be best.

"We're trying to feed our crews and law enforcement officers as much as we can and we couldn't have done it without the community," Horton said.

(Send comments to: headlightreporter@countrymedia.net)

Tillamook County at 40 confirmed COVID-19 cases

Hilary Dorsey
Staff Writer

Tillamook County leadership discussed during a community update Friday, Sept. 11, updates regarding COVID-19 and the recent fires in the county and across Oregon.

Adventist Health Tillamook President Eric Swanson said the hospital's personal protective equipment (PPE) supply looks good. All of the staff is safe and ready to provide care.

Tillamook County Community Health Centers Administrator Marlene Putman said the county is at 45 COVID-19 cases, with 40 confirmed and five presumptive. One person has been hospitalized. As of Sept. 11, there have been 2,761 negative tests of COVID-19 tests and 2,801 total tests completed.

According to the health center, there are 14 active cases in isolation or quarantine, 31 closed cases and zero COVID-19 related deaths in the county.

"Our staff will continue to support and provide health care and human services for people who are currently out at the fairgrounds, as well as other folks who are out there," Putman said. "We'll be assisting and having our mobile clinic on standby."

The health center continues to test people who have symptoms of COVID-19. They expect to receive their Abbott rapid COVID-19 tests in the next couple of weeks and hope to test people who are asymptomatic at that time. Rapid testing can provide test results in as little as 15 minutes.

Putman said children are especially in need of vaccinations and immunizations. She recommends people wait until at least the end of September to get the flu shot in order for it to be most effective. Some insurance companies will only pay for the flu vaccine once a year.

Rinehart Clinic expects to receive their Rapid test soon as well. People can reach their COVID-19 line at 1-800-368-5812 for COVID-19 related questions.

Tillamook Family Counseling Center continues to provide behavioral health services and mainly virtual visits.

"Our mobile crisis team responds 24-7 to crisis intervention and emergency concerns," Executive Director Frank Hanna-Williams said.

You can reach the counseling center at 503-842-8201 or 1-800-962-2851.

A number of the staff was impacted by the fires by having to be on alert and having to isolate at times.

Tillamook County Sheriff Jim Horton said the last few days had been tense with fires that started on Pike Road.

"That was attributed to a

downed power line related to the high winds we were experiencing, which was a very odd weather pattern," Horton said. "East winds are not uncommon, but to have winds that strong, it's

very unusual."

The winds caused damage to power lines and trees. Incident Command was staffed at Tillamook 911.

A community shelter

was open at the 4-H dorm at the Tillamook County Fairgrounds. A large portion of Lincoln City had been evacuated and was at the fairgrounds.

Gordon McCraw, incident command, said there was a lot of first responder traffic going back and forth to Lincoln City. On the weather side of things, it was expected to be a couple

of days before the smoke cleared out.

(Send comments to: headlightreporter@countrymedia.net)

HELPING OUR CUSTOMERS NAVIGATE THESE CHALLENGING TIMES



Apparently, Bob Dylan was right: *"The times they are a-changing."* Hopefully someday, we'll get back to normal. But until then, we all have to adjust. It's certainly not a complete list, but here are some of the ways that Oregon Coast Bank is helping customers navigate these challenging times.

HELPING LOCAL FAMILIES

As coastal residents face an array of new financial conditions, Oregon Coast Bank is providing solutions.

- ◆ Many families have needed adjustments to their mortgage terms. Others are taking advantage of very low rates and refinancing. Some of our customers are buying new homes so that they can downsize. Still others, wary of the stock market, are purchasing real estate as an investment.
- ◆ A number of local families have asked to open lines of credit. Some are consolidating debt. Others desire a financial cushion in case of further challenges. For customers having trouble paying existing personal loans, we've offered tailored individual solutions.
- ◆ Perhaps it's because so many people are at home and have additional time for projects, but we've recently been arranging an increasing amount of construction and remodeling loans. Often those projects have included new home offices.
- ◆ Even the way we vacation is changing. We've been helping customers purchase RVs, which may be the perfect way to travel and social-distance simultaneously.

HELPING LOCAL BUSINESSES

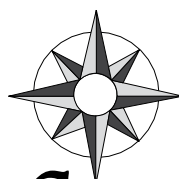
No question, the pandemic and economic restrictions have created extreme challenges for business owners. Some are adjusting to new financial realities with altered staffing levels, others have had to restructure their business models, some are attempting to embrace new pandemic-related opportunities.

- ◆ For businesses struggling to stay current with existing loans, we've provided solutions like extended maturity dates, payment deferrals, or interest only payments. We've also opened dozens of lines of credit for existing and new business customers.
- ◆ We've recently financed business property and buildings, fishing vessels, logging equipment, commercial vehicles, new inventory and facility improvements. When local businesses need funding, it's still business as usual at Oregon Coast Bank.
- ◆ Government stimulus programs have helped and continue to evolve. We successfully completed hundreds of SBA Paycheck Protection Program loans for existing and new customers. We're helping those same businesses take advantage of the forgiveness clauses included in those loans. As new government programs emerge, we'll help our customers take advantage of them.

EASY ACCESS TO YOUR BANKERS

- ◆ We're happy to announce that all of our Tillamook and Lincoln County bank lobbies are now open 8-5 Monday through Friday. Of course, our drive-up windows continue to provide touch-less service at all our locations.
- ◆ We now also offer great curbside service. If you're old enough to remember car hops, you get the picture. We're delivering coin orders, cashier's checks, loan documents, new account applications for signing, and more to customers waiting in our parking lots. And if it wasn't for our masks, you'd see we're smiling while doing it.
- ◆ Call during normal business hours and talk directly to a real person who really is in the office you are calling. No annoying automated *phone trees*. Our bankers will take the time to listen, understand your needs, and offer realistic solutions as quickly as possible.

It's reassuring to know that over the past 18 years, Oregon Coast Bank has provided more than \$800 million in financing to local families and businesses. During the pandemic, our lending has actually increased. Times will get better. But until they do, by working together, our communities can persevere. We're doing our best to do our part.



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702 Garage Sales

PIO Thrift store in Beaver is holding a fall CLEARANCE SALE Saturday, September 19th, 10am-2pm. Items are FOR DONATION ONLY. All proceeds to PIO Food Pantry.

706 Estate Sales

Estate Sale Sept. 18-20, 8am-4pm, each day or by appt. 5600 Long Prairie Rd. Tillamook, 503.842.6369.

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**HH20-331
NOTICE OF COMMERCIAL BUILDING DESIGN REVIEW**
The City of Manzanita Planning Commission will hold its regular meeting on Monday, September 28, 2020 at 4:00 PM via zoom, go to www.ci.manzanita.or.us for log in information. This meeting will include a public hearing to consider the following application:
Design review of addition to assembly area.
Location: 225 Laneda Ave
Assessor's Map: 3N-10-29BD, Tax Lots 15700
Applicant: Pine Grove Community House Inc (Lynne Gross, President)
Owner: Same as applicant
Zoning: C-1 (Commercial)
Criteria: This application will be evaluated against the design review standards listed in Sections 4.080, 4.090 and 4.137 through 4.156 of Ordinance 95-4, and the standards for the Commercial (C-1) zone listed in Section 3.040 of Ordinance 95-4.

The Planning Commission's review is for the purpose of making a decision on the above proposal. All documents in the above noted file including a list of approval criteria applicable to the request from the Manzanita Zoning Ordinance, the Comprehensive Plan and the Statewide Planning goals are available for inspection at Manzanita City Hall at no cost or copies can be obtained for \$.25/page. A decision for approval or disapproval of the proposal by the Planning Commission will be based upon these criteria and these criteria only. At the hearing it is important that comments relating to the request pertain specifically to the applicable criteria listed. At least seven days prior to the hearing, a copy of the staff report will be available for inspection at no cost, or a copy can be obtained for \$.25/page. For further information please contact Kristin Grasseh, Assistant City Manager, Manzanita City Hall, 368-5343, P.O. Box 129, Manzanita, Oregon 97130.

**HH20-332
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON
COUNTY OF TILLAMOOK**
Case No. 20PB05454
NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS
In the Matter of
CANDYCE WINDER,
Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that KEVIN W SPENCE has been appointed personal representative of the ESTATE of CANDYCE WINDER. All per-

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sons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with vouchers attached, to: Pacific Northwest Probate, LLC, 8865 SW Center Street Tigard, OR 97223, within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court or the personal representative.
Dated and first published on September 16, 2020.
KEVIN W SPENCE
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE

**HH20-333
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS ON
PROPOSED ORDINANCE #85
TILLAMOOK COUNTY
WORKFORCE HOUSING
PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION ORDINANCE**
Notice is hereby given that two (2) Public Hearings shall be held before the Board of Commissioners for Tillamook County pursuant to ORS 203.045(3). The first Public Hearing shall be held on Wednesday, September 23, 2020 at 10:30 a.m. The second Public Hearing shall be held on Wednesday, October 7, 2020 at 10:30 a.m. Both

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Public Hearings will be held in the Commissioners' Meeting Room A of the Tillamook County Courthouse, 201 Laurel Avenue, Tillamook, Oregon 97141; Teleconference 971-254-3149, ID: 736 023 979#, Live Video tctvonline.com. The purpose of these hearings is to consider and act on proposed Ordinance #85 in the matter of implementing a property tax exemption for workforce housing within unincorporated Tillamook County and providing the administrative procedures for compliance and enforcement of the

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exemption program. Copies of the proposed Ordinance and related documents are available on the Tillamook County web site at <http://www.co.tillamook.or.us/gov/comdev/>. Paper copies are available in the Tillamook County Board of Commissioners' Office. Interested persons can obtain more information by contacting the County Commissioners' office at (503) 842-3403. All persons are welcome to submit written testimony to the Tillamook County Board of Commissioners, 201 Laurel

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Avenue, Tillamook, Oregon 97141, electronic testimony via publiccomments@co.tillamook.or.us, or to appear and testify at the Public Hearings. Publish 9/16/2020. Posted pursuant to ORS 203.045(5)(b).

HH20-75 NOTICE OF REGULAR MONTHLY PUBLIC BOARD MEETING

The Port of Nehalem Commissioners will meet on Wednesday, Sept 23, 2020 at 6:30 pm in Room 7, NCRD, 36155 9th St. in Nehalem.

ESTATE SALE

Three Story Home: Everything in home for sale (unless posted).

Kitchen: small appliances, dishware, misc utensils
Dining room table, 5 chairs
Bedrooms: 2 twin beds, 1 queen bed, 1 king adjustable base and mattress, 1 queen adjustable base, 1 twin bed adjustable hospital style, dressers, 2 sets bedroom night stands
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HH20-329
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON
FOR THE COUNTY OF TILLAMOOK
PROBATE DEPARTMENT
In the Matter of the Estate of: TONY J. McCLASKEY, Deceased.
No. 20PB06163
NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the party stated below has been appointed and has qualified as the personal representative of the estate. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby required to present the same, with proper vouchers, within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, as stated below, to the personal representative at 2308 Third Street, P.O. Box 939, Tillamook, Oregon 97141, or they may be barred.
All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings in this estate may obtain additional information from the records of the court, the personal representative or the attorney for the personal representative.
Dated and first published: September 9, 2020.
DEBRA LEE McCLASKEY
Personal Representative
P.O. Box 939
Tillamook, Oregon 97141
CHRISTOPHER M. KITTELL
ALBRIGHT KITTELL PC

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HH20-320
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON
FOR THE COUNTY OF TILLAMOOK
PROBATE DEPARTMENT
In the Matter of the Estate of:

RESCHEDULED MEETING
The next Nestucca RFPD Board meeting will be
September 16th at 4:00 pm
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Kilchis House Assisted Living
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CLOSING DATE: September 25, 2020

ORGANIZATION: City Of Tillamook
OPENING DATE: September 1, 2020
LOCATION: Tillamook, Oregon
DEPARTMENT: Administration
JOB TITLE: City Recorder/Office Manager

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Housing/Homeless Case Manager
Temporary Position




CARE seeks a 20-40 hour per week Housing and Homeless Services Case Manager on a temporary basis.

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POSITIONS:
District-wide
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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. [Puzzle grid with numbers 1-6] DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: [Difficulty level indicators] © 2020 King Features Synd., Inc.

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Weekly SUDOKU by Linda Thistle [Sudoku grid] DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: [Difficulty level indicators] © 2020 King Features Synd., Inc.

HH20-318 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF TILLAMOOK In the Matter of the Estate of Case No.: 20PB05173 KATHRYN BURDETTE, NOTICE TO INTERESTED

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[Crossword grid with numbers 1-135]

Crossword answers on page 16

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PERSONS Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Douglas C. Burdette has been appointed personal representative of the Estate of Kathryn Burdette. All persons having claims against the estate are required to present them, with vouchers attached, to the undersigned personal representative c/o Lawrence, Lawrence & Queener P.C., 427 S. Holladay Drive, Seaside, OR 97138, within four months after the date of first publication of this notice or the claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the court, the personal representative, or the attorney for the personal representative, Benjamin F. Lawrence, at the above address. Dated and first published September 9, 2020. Benjamin F. Lawrence Lawrence, Lawrence & Queener P.C. 427 S. Holladay Drive Seaside, OR 97138 Attorney for Personal Representative

HH20-316 Notice to Interested Persons,
 In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon for Tillamook County, No. 20PB05887; In re Susan Roseanne Jill Sumerlin, Deceased. All persons having claims against the estate must present them within 4 months after the date of first publication of this notice or they may be barred. The address for presenting claims is: Marcine Jenck, Pers. Rep. c/o Richard E. Fowlks, Attorney, 1607 NE 41st Avenue, Portland, OR 97232. All persons whose rights may be affected by this proceeding may obtain additional information from the

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records of the court or from the personal representative or her attorney. Date of first publication September 2, 2020.

HH20-314 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF TILLAMOOK
 In the Matter of the Estate of: MATTHEW PAUL ELINSKY, Deceased. Case No. 20PB05528
NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Delora Elinsky has been appointed Personal Representative. All persons having claims against the Estate are required to present them, with vouchers attached, to the Personal Representative c/o Ashley Flukinger, Attorney at Law, LLC, 3645 Highway 101 N., Gearhart, Oregon 97138, within four months after the date of first publication of this notice, or the claims may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings may obtain additional information from the records of the Court, the Personal Representative, or the lawyer for the Personal Representative, Ashley Flukinger. Dated and first published on September 2, 2020. Ashley Flukinger, OSB No. 120864 Attorney for Personal Representative Ashley Flukinger, Attorney at Law, LLC 3645 Highway 101 N. Gearhart, Oregon 97138

HH20-312 IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR THE COUNTY OF TILLAMOOK
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 In the Matter of the Estate of: PRISCILLA G. STASEK, De-

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ceased.
HH20-313
 No. 20PB05708
NOTICE TO INTERESTED PERSONS
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months after the date of first publication of this notice, as stated below, to the personal representative at 2308 Third Street, P.O. Box 939, Tillamook, Oregon 97141, or they may be barred. All persons whose rights may be affected by the proceedings in this estate may obtain additional information from the records of the court, the personal representative or the attorney for the personal rep-

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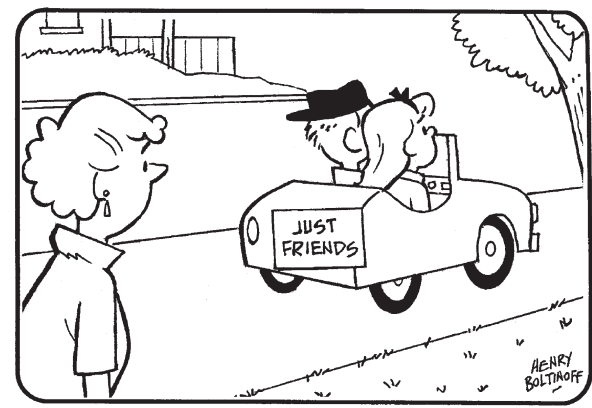
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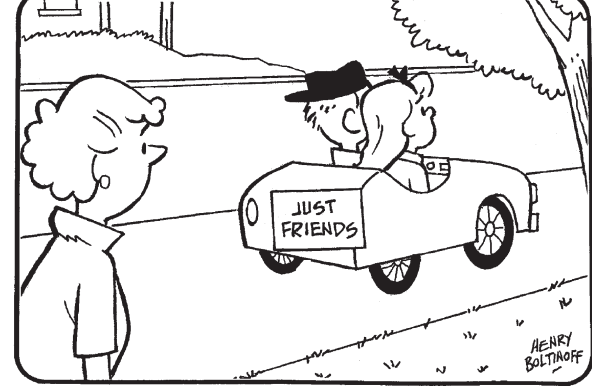
HH20-311 Estate of Anne Laurie MacRae
 Notice to Interested Persons
 Tillamook County Circuit Court
 Case Number: 20PB05611
 Notice: The Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Tillamook, has appointed Great Western Bank, as Personal Representative of the Estate of Anne Laurie MacRae, deceased. All persons having claims against said es-

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BY HENRY BOLTINOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



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| <p>Garibaldi NORTH COAST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 309 3rd St., (503) 322-3626. Pastor Sam McRae Sunday Worship Service 10:30 a.m. We invite you to join us.</p> | <p>Rockaway Beach ST. MARY BY THE SEA CATHOLIC CHURCH 275 S. Pacific St. (mailing: P.O. Box 390) (503)-355-2661 e-mail: stmarys1927@gmail.com Administrator/Rev. Mariano Escano Parochial Vicar: Fr. MacDonald Akuti Mass Schedule: Saturday (5:00 p.m.) Sunday (8:30 a.m.) (10:30 a.m.) Weekdays: Monday thru Friday (9:30 a.m.) Confessions: Saturday (4:00 p.m.)</p> | <p>REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH (LCMS) 302 Grove Ave. (503) 842-4823 Sunday Services: Adult Bible Class and Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Divine Worship 10:30 a.m. Pastor Beck Vicar Brinkert</p> | <p>OCEAN BREEZE BAPTIST CHURCH 2500 Nielsen Road, 503-842-1446, Pastor Kevin Birdsong. Sunday School 10 a.m., Sunday Morning Service 11 a.m., Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m. Wednesdays: Prayer Meeting, King's Kids and Teen Power Hour 7 p.m. "The end of your search for a friendly church." www.oceanbreezebaptist.blogspot.com</p> | |
| <p>Netarts NETARTS FRIENDS CHURCH 4685 Alder Cove Rd. West, (503) 842-8375. Pastor Aaron Carlson, Adult & Youth Worship Service: 9:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Nursery available Handicap Accessible Small Groups Website: www.netartsfriends.org All are welcome!</p> | <p>Tillamook BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH (CBA) 5640 U.S. 101 S. (2 miles south of Tillamook), (503) 842-5598. Sunday School for all ages 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Evening service 6 p.m. Nursery provided for all services. Everyone welcome!</p> | <p>ST. PETER LUTHERAN CHURCH (ELCA) 401 Madrona at 4th St. (503) 842-4753 Traditional Sunday morning worship 11 a.m. You are warmly invited to join us.</p> | <p>ST. ALBAN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH 2102 Sixth Street., (503) 842-6192. 9 a.m. Sunday Worship - Holy Eucharist Public Healing Service, every Friday of the month at 12 noon. Everyone is welcome. Handicapped accessible. www.StAlbansTillamook.com.</p> | |
| | | | <p>SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH 2411 Fifth St. (mailing: 2410 Fifth St.) Tillamook, OR 97141 (503) 842-6647 e-mail: sacredheart2405@gmail.com www.tillamooksacredheart.org Pastor: Rev. Mariano Escano Mass Schedule: Saturday (6:30 p.m.) Sunday (8:30 a.m.) Spanish (12:30 p.m.) Weekdays: Tuesday thru Friday (8:00 a.m.) First Saturday each month: (9:00 a.m.) Confessions: Saturday (1:00-2:30 p.m.)</p> | |
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Dated and first published September 2, 2020.
Great Western Bank, Personal Representative, c/o Edgel Law Group, 1800 Blankenship Road, Suite 370, West Linn, Oregon 97068.
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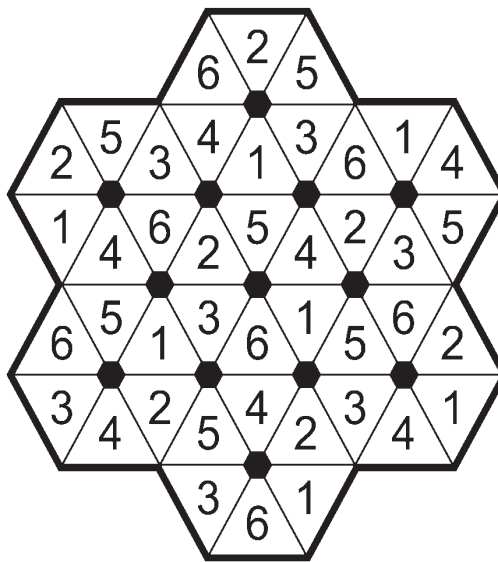
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