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National Email Scam Reaches Local Energy Users

Portland General Electric, Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural and Pacific Power customers are targets of a widespread scam over email.

The scam emails have so far claimed to be from Atmos Energy, a natural gas utility based in Dallas, Texas and PG&E, a combined natural gas and electric utility in San Francisco, California, that is not affiliated with PGE in Oregon. The emails have been sent to people throughout the United States including to customers of PGE, NW Natural and Pacific Power.

The fraudulent billing message tells customers that their Atmos or PG&E bill is ready and provides a hyperlink to view it. If the recipient clicks on the link, it takes them to a compromised website that harbors malware. Anyone who receives this email should not click on any hyperlinks.

If PGE, NW Natural or Pacific Power customers are not sure about the authenticity of an email that appears to come from their utility, they are encouraged to go directly to the PGE website, www.portlandgeneral.com, NW Natural website, www.nwnatural.com, or Pacific Power website, www.pacificpower.net where they can log into their accounts and review their statements.

If you have any questions regarding this scam, customers can also contact PGE customer service at 503-228-6322 or 800-542-8818, NW Natural at 800-422-4012 or Pacific Power at 888-221-7070.

New Year's Holiday Season High Visibility Enforcement Stats

The Oregon City Police Department and the Oregon State Police participated in a High Visibility Enforcement (HVE) detail this holiday season.

On December 27, 2013, and December 28, 2013, Oregon City Police Department officers and Oregon State Police troopers focused on looking for drunk or drug impaired drivers on Hwy 99E and Hwy 213 in the Oregon City area. They worked shifts on DUII grant time during this period looking for impaired drivers. The participating officers & troopers conducted 5 DUII investigations and issued 30 citations for traffic violations during this period. Those traffic violations included speeding, failing to wear seat belts, failing to obey traffic control devices, driving

Community Calendar

Back Country Horsemen, Territorial Riders Chapter...

Second Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. Beaver Creek Fire Dept.

This is a brand new BCH chapter, come join us.

For information call 503-637-3878 or see www.bcho.org.

Beavercreek Committee for Community Planning (BCCP)...

"As needed" basis, Beaver Creek Fire Station at 7:30 p.m.

Beavercreek Charitable Trust...

Fourth Monday, BCT Henrici Community Room at 7:00 p.m.

Beavercreek Grange...

First Saturday, Beaver Creek Grange at 1:00 p.m.

Beavercreek Lions...

First and Third Saturday, Beaver Creek Grange at 7:30 a.m.

Beavercreek Elementary School PTO...

Second Tuesday 6:00 p.m.

Beaver Creek Telephone Directors Meeting...

First Thursday, Henrici Road Offices at 7:00 p.m.

Boy Scout Troop #139... Mondays, Beaver Creek Grange at 7:00 p.m. Website: <http://www.troop139.net>

Carus Community Planning Org. (CPO)...

Second Thursday, Grandview Baptist Church at 7:00 p.m.

Carus School PTA...

Second Tuesday, School Library at 7:00 p.m.

Clackamas River Water Board Meetings...

Third Thursday, 16770 SE 82nd Dr. at 7:00 p.m.,

Clarkes/Highland Community Planning Org. (CPO)...

First Wednesday of January, February, March, June, September and December, 7:30 p.m. at the Clarkes Grange.

Contact: Susan Nielsen, clarkes-highland@yahoo.com.

Clarkes Parent/Teacher Group...

Third Monday, School Library at 6:30 p.m.

Cub Scout Pack #183...

Den Meetings, Second & Fourth Tuesday, Beaver Creek Elementary School at 6:30 p.m.

Equestrian Trails, North Valley Chapter...

First Tuesday, 6:00 p.m. dinner (optional) followed by 7:00 mtg (Clackamas Elms). For information call 503-632-5610 www.oregonequestriantrails.org or find us on Facebook,

Hamlet of Beavercreek Board Meetings...

On Thursday, the week before the monthly meeting, at 7:00 p.m. in the Beaver Creek Fire Station Meeting Room.

Hamlet of Beavercreek Community Meetings...

Fourth Wednesday, Beaver Creek Grange at 7:00 p.m.

Hamlet of Molalla Prairie Board Meetings...

First Tuesday, Fountain Valley Dental conference room, Noon to 2:00 p.m. info 503-789-7179, www.hamletofmolallaprairie.org

Hamlet of Molalla Prairie Community Meetings...

Rural Community Meeting, third Wednesday, Molalla
Public Library at 7:00 p.m., www.hamletofmolallaprairie.org

Hamlet of Mulino...

Third Thursday, Mulino Head Start, 13700 S. Freeman Rd.
at 7:15 p.m. For information call 503-632-0202

Oregon City/Beavercreek Mom's Club...

Monthly business meetings. If interested in attending,
please contact ocmoms@yahoo.com

Oregon City Commission Meetings...

First & Third Wednesday, City Hall at 7:00 p.m.

Oregon City Kiwanis...

Every Friday, Berry Park Retirement Community, 13669 S.
Gafney Ln, at 7:00 a.m.

Oregon City School District Board Meetings...

2nd Monday, District Board Room, 1306 12th St., Oregon
City at 7:00 p.m.

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The BCCP is a non profit organization formed in 1998 to
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of our local news and items of interest
that impact our small rural community.

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**Church Directory
for the Beavercreek,
Carus, Clarks and
Oregon City Areas**

**Beavercreek Baptist Church**

15660 S. Leland Rd.
503-632-7505

E-Mail: bchurch@bctonline.com

Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. (Youth Only 10:45)

Sunday Worship: 9:00 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.

Youth: Wednesdays from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Ladies Bible Study: Thursdays at 9:00 a.m.

Women's Breakfast: 1st Saturday at 9:00 a.m.

Beavercreek Community Christian Church

Services held at the Beavercreek Grange
503-266-1965 or 503-320-3882

Breakfast: Sunday, 9:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship: 10:30 a.m.

**Beavercreek United Church of Christ
"The Ten O'Clock Church"**

23345 S. Beavercreek Rd.
503-632-4553

Where God is Still Speaking!
An Open and Affirming Congregation
Pastor: Rev. C. Bunny Oliver

Worship and Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.

Hospitality Hour & Seasonal Potlucks: 11:15 a.m.

AA Meetings: Mondays at 7:30 p.m.

Oregon City Ward 3

The Church of **Jesus Christ** of Latter-day Saints
Henrici Rd between S. Beavercreek Rd and Hwy 213
Bishop Blake Price 503-650-2194

Sunday Meetings: Start at 1:00 a.m.

Women's Enrichment: 3rd Tuesday's, 6:30 p.m.

Youth Activity Night (12-18 yrs): Wednesdays 7:00 p.m.

Bryn Seion Welsh Church

22132 S. Kamrath Rd.
503-630-5317

Sunday Worship: the 2nd & 4th Sunday at 11:00 a.m.

A nondenominational Christian Church - open to all!

Potluck following the service

Carus Community United Methodist Church

22765 S. Hwy 213
503-632-4186

Sunday Worship: 10:45 a.m.

Sunday School (Sept. - June): 9:30 a.m.

Clarks United Methodist Church

18773 S. Windy City Rd.
503-632-7778

Sunday Worship: 9:00 a.m.

Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.

United Methodist Women: 2nd Wed., 9:30 a.m.

Church Directory
for the
Beavercreek, Carus,
Clarkes and Oregon City
Areas continued



First Baptist Church of Oregon City

819 John Adams St.
Oregon City, OR
503-656-3854
1baptistchurch.org

Praise & Worship: Sundays 10:30 a.m.

Kidchurch: Sundays 10:30 a.m.

Middle/High School Youth Groups: Wednesdays, 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Grand View Baptist Church
(Corner of Hwy 213 & Leland Rd.)
503-632-8100

Bible Study: 10:00 a.m.

Main Service: 11:00 a.m.

Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

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* All services interpreted for the Deaf

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Lower Highland Bible Church

24353 S. Ridge Rd.
503-632-4741
lohibi@bctonline.com

Sunday Worship: 11:00 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

The Bridge: Clarkes General Store & Eatery, Mondays, 6:30 PM
For add'l info and activities check our Facebook page

Oregon Trail Free Will Baptist Church

14595 S. Henrici Rd.
503-557-8559

Sunday School for all ages: 9:45 a.m.

Sunday Worship: 10:55 a.m.

Sunday Evening Bible Study: 6:00 p.m.

Sunday Youth Group: 6:00 p.m.

Thursday Evening Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.

AWANA Childrens Program: Thursdays, 6:15 p.m.

Prince of Life Lutheran Church

13896 S. Meyers Rd.
Oregon City, OR 97045
503-657-3100

Sunday Worship: 8:30 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

Sunday School & Learning: 9:40 a.m.

St. John the Apostle Catholic Church

417 Washington St., Oregon City
503-742-8200
www.stjohn-oc.org

Saturday Mass: 5:30 p.m.

Sunday Mass: 8:30 and 10:30 a.m.

Sunday School: During Services

St. Paul's Episcopal Church

822 Washington St.
503-656-9842

Sunday Worship: 7:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:00 a.m.

Wednesday Evening Worship: 7:00 p.m.

AA Meetings: Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

Stone Creek Christian Church

21949 S. Hwy 213
503-632-4218
www.Stonecreekonline.com

Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship, Traditional: 8:30 a.m.

Sunday Worship, Contemporary: 10:00 and 11:30 a.m.

* Ministries for Infant thru High School ages during Contemporary Services

Wednesday Nights Live: Dinner at 5:15 p.m., Clubs 6:15 - 8:15

Li'l K Kids Club: for preschool (ages 3 through 5)

KiDMO Kids Club: 1st through 6th grades

SCSM for Youth: 7th through 12th grades

Community Involvement:

Food Distribution: Wednesdays 1 pm to 4 pm

Ministry to Homeless: Third Thursdays

Trinity Lutheran Church & School

16000 S. Henrici Rd.
503-632-5554
www.trinityoc.org

Sunday Services: Traditional, 8:15 a.m.

Contemporary, 11:00 a.m.

Education Hour: Sundays, 9:45 a.m.

Thursday Morning Adult Bible Class: 10:30 a.m.

Youth Group: 7th to 12th grades, 3rd & 4th Sundays, 5:00 p.m.

Quilting Bee: 2nd Saturday, 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

J.A.M.: K thru 5th Grade, Wednesdays, 6:30 p.m., September thru May

Men's Prayer Breakfast: Saturdays, 7:30 a.m.

with suspended licenses, and driving uninsured. They also investigated 5 other crimes or violations as a result of the HVE detail, including possession of controlled substances and attempting to elude police. The Oregon City Police Department will be participating in upcoming HVE details in 2014.

Beavercreek Grange Hands Out Dictionaries to Third Graders

On Tuesday, January 14, 2014, six members of the Beavercreek Grange travelled south of Molalla to the Butte Creek Elementary School.

The reason for the trip was to give out free dictionaries to all the third grade students. This is an activity that the Grange does annually. Each child was given a dictionary which had a place for them to put their names and they were encouraged to do so at that time. They were told that the books were theirs to keep and take home. Extra books were left in case new students should arrive during the school year.

The children were very excited about receiving the dictionaries. It was a great experience enjoyed by all who



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participated.

Beavercreek Grange #276 meets the first Saturday of the month at 1:00 p.m. at 22041 S. Kamrath Road. One block south of the intersection of S. Beavercreek/Leland and Kamrath Roads in downtown Beavercreek. The community is invited to attend a meeting and learn more about the Grange and its programs.

What the Beavercreek Grange **really** needs in addition to your attendance at its functions is your participation in the organization! The Beavercreek Grange could use new members. If you would be interested in what the Grange is all about you can find the information at the websites below.

** "The National Grange founded in 1867, is a non profit, nonpartisan, fraternal organization that advocates for rural America and agriculture. With a strong history in grassroots activism, family values and community service, the Grange is part of more than 2,100 hometowns across the United States."*

For more information go to <http://www.clackamasgrange.org/beavercreek.html> or <http://www.nationalgrange.org>.

* taken from the National Grange website.

Towncenter Xpress Shuttle Service Expanded to Harmony Campus

Clackamas Community College is offering free weekday shuttle bus service during peak hours from MAX Green Line at Clackamas Town Center to Clackamas Community College's Oregon City campus. Due to increased student demand and feedback, CCC is adjusting the schedule of its second free shuttle bus, and it will make an additional stop Mondays through Thursdays at CCC's Harmony Community Campus in North Clackamas. The new winter term shuttle schedule is effective Monday, Jan. 13.

With the support of a \$30,000 TriMet grant, CCC provides free shuttle service Monday through Thursday from 6:45 a.m. to 6 p.m. between Clackamas Town Center and CCC's Oregon City and Harmony campuses. On Friday from 7:30 to 11:25 a.m., free shuttle service is offered between Clackamas Town Center and CCC's Oregon City Campus. Shuttle service is offered during the academic year, but not during breaks.

Riders meet the Towncenter Xpress shuttle bus in the parking lot under the MAX Green Line stop. At CCC's Oregon City Campus the bus meets riders near the bus turnaround at the main entrance of the college. At CCC's Har-

mony Campus in North Clackamas, the bus meets riders in front of the CCC Harmony building. The new shuttle schedule for winter term is posted on the CCC website.

The service is open to the public and there is no cost for passengers. CCC will continue to monitor ridership and will adjust shuttle schedules based on student needs.

Happy New Year From the Oregon City Library!



Don't forget to add these great library events to your calendar!

NEW! One-on-One Technology Tutor Appointments:

Date/Time: By appointment

Cost: Free

Location: Oregon City Public Library, 606 John Adams St., Oregon City

Description: Dumbfounded by your new device? Scared of social networks? Eager to learn about e-books? Confused by computers? Mildly perplexed by Microsoft Office? Interested in the Internet? We're here to help! Make an appointment with a skilled librarian today! We can help you get started with a variety of devices, software programs, library databases, and web applications.

To book an appointment with a technology tutor, please submit the online form and we will contact you to set up a



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Teen Wii Night – New Super Mario Bros.:

Date/Time: Thursday, February 6, 6:30-8:00 PM

Cost: Free

Location: Oregon City Public Library, 606 John Adams St., Oregon City.

Description: Young adults in grades 6 through 12 come show off your *Wicked Mario* skills. Snacks will be provided!

February First Friday Film – *The Dark Side of Chocolate: Child Trafficking and Illegal Child Labor in the Cocoa Industry*

Date/Time: Friday, February 7, 6:30 PM

Cost: Free

Location: End of the Oregon Trail Interpretive Center, 1726 Washington Street, Oregon City

Description: Before you bite into that Valentine's Day chocolate, consider this: where did it come from? Much of the chocolate in the United States comes from cocoa farms in

the Ivory Coast, many of which use child labor and slavery, human trafficking, and other abuses. This 2010 film explores those abuses and what consumers can do.

A Night of Poetry and Music:

Date/Time: Thursday, February 13, 7:00 PM

Cost: Free

Location: Oregon City Public Library, 606 John Adams St., Oregon City

Description: Area poet Mick Dack joins forces with concert pianist Richard Turnoy to present a poetry reading like no other! Join us for this pre-Valentine's Day event in the intimate atmosphere of the Carnegie Library.

Family Heirloom Arts Workshop:

Date/Time: Thursday, February 20, 6:30 PM

Cost: Free

Location: Oregon City Public Library, 606 John Adams St., Oregon City

Description: Learn how to preserve your family history with Lisa Kagan's Family Heirloom Arts Workshop! Join Lisa Kagan as she shares her own process in uncovering her family history and creating an illustrated family heirloom book. She will offer tips for getting started in creating your own illustrated family heirloom book. Participants will explore how to uncover hidden family treasures, conduct interviews, research, write, illustrate and design their book. Personal history projects are a wonderful way to preserve your family stories, honor your ancestors, deepen your understanding of your relationship with your own life, and share the wisdom and experiences of the past with future generations.

Lisa Kagan is an artist, writer, educator and personal historian. Her business, Family Heirloom Arts, is dedicated to helping individuals and families celebrate their life stories through the creation of illustrated heirloom books and custom art. Lisa offers Family Heirloom Arts presentations and workshops for adults and children throughout the Pacific Northwest.

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Other times by appointment

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Alpacas at Marquam Hill Ranch Hosting Alpaca Classes Feb 15

Bob and Danise Cathel, owners of Spring Harvest Fiber Mill, will be teaching us the art of crocheted rug making and 15" cricket loom weaving.

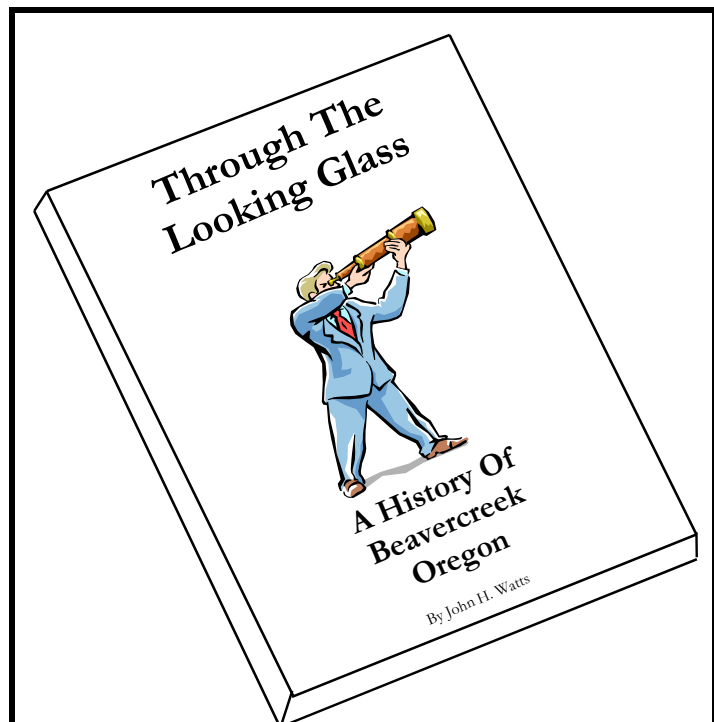
Crocheted Rug Making Class - Saturday, February 15, 2014 from 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.

We'll be using alpaca rug yarn making hot plate trivets or small rugs depending on your speed! The class is free if you purchase your rug yarn from us or if you pur-

chase it from somewhere else the class is \$25.

We have neutral colors in stock. A crochet hook will be supplied. Please reserve your space and/or pay ahead of class date.

15" Cricket Loom Weaving Class - Saturday, February 15, 2014 from 12 noon - 5:00 p.m.



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Over 200 pages of the early history of the Beavercreek area with index

ALL Net proceeds to go to the Grange Building Maintenance Fund!

For More Information
E-mail the Bulletin at:

b_bulletin.info@beavercreekbulletin.org

put "Beavercreek History" in the subject field and your contact info in the body of the message

OR CALL 503-632-6525

Bob and Danise will teach us how to weave using a 15" cricket loom. The reservation for this class needs to be by Feb 12, 2014, so that they can bring your loom. Cost is \$200/person (Price includes your loom, supplies & snacks).

For more information, please contact Jennifer Cameron at Jennifer@mhralpacas.com, or call 503-407-3699.

Gift Certificates Available. Reservations and payment be-

fore class is required.

Marquam Hill Ranch is located at 35835 Oregon Hwy 213, Molalla, OR 97038.

Huckestein Named VP of College Services

Jim Huckestein has been named the Vice President of College Services at Clackamas Community College. The college Board of Education approved the hire at its January meeting.

Huckestein has 22 years' experience in community colleges. He served as the vice president of Finance and Operations at Linn-Benton Community College for the past six years where his responsibilities included auxiliary services, institutional research, communications services and facilities.

He served as a member of the evaluation team for the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities accreditation visits. Huckestein also worked with the LBCC Foundation in a variety of capacities.

Huckestein earned a bachelor's degree in Business Administration and an MBA at Portland State University. He will begin work at CCC on Monday, Feb. 3.

Thank You Beavercreek!

The Beavercreek Lions would like to thank everyone who assisted them with the toy and food drive this last holiday season.

About 83 people showed up to help wrap gifts at the Beavercreek Grange on December 20, 2013. There was also a potluck dinner available to make sure everyone was well fed and ready to go to work. The potluck dinner was hosted by members of the Grange.

Six graduates from the Coffee Creek Correctional Facility in Wilsonville attended escorted by their advisor. The women at Coffee Creek are the ones who are responsible for the decorations on the barrels used for the donations.

In all, 90 local families were served with boxes of food and presents for their children for Christmas.

The only snafu was there were not enough people available to deliver the boxes of food and gifts on December 21, 2013, so, the people doing the deliveries had to come back to the Grange three times in order to pick up more deliveries.

The Lions would like to express their gratitude for those who helped out and made Christmas for the families who have fallen on hard times a whole lot better! Thank you!

**The Gleaners
of
Clackamas County
Food Assistance Program**
For more information call
503-655-8740
Monday thru Friday 8 am to 3 pm

Where Are The Boundaries of The Hamlet?

http://www.beavercreekbulletin.org/Misc/Beavercreek_Hamlet_Boundary_map.pdf

Legacy Health Activates Visitor Restrictions at Hospitals

The flu season is here and the number of patients testing positive for influenza is on the rise. Many of the cases have been quite serious and even life threatening. In response to increased hospitalizations of patients with the flu, Legacy Health has decided to implement the following visitor restrictions immediately:

No more than 2 visitors per patient at one time

Hospital visitors ages 18 and younger are limited to immediate family members only

The flu season lasts for months, not weeks. There is still time to get vaccinated in order to help protect yourself and your loved ones.

Legacy Emanuel Medical Center in partnership with Immunize Oregon and the Multnomah County Immunization Program offered FREE flu shots to people age six months and older on Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Monday, January 20, 2014.

People age 12 and older were also able to receive a free tetanus/diphtheria/pertussis vaccination. Pertussis commonly referred to as whooping cough, is very contagious. County health departments declared pertussis outbreaks in Oregon and Washington in 2012. Eighty three percent of people who die from pertussis in the U.S. are less than three months old and often catch it from adult family members.

Alaska, Pain Management and Permaculture on Seasoned Adult Agenda

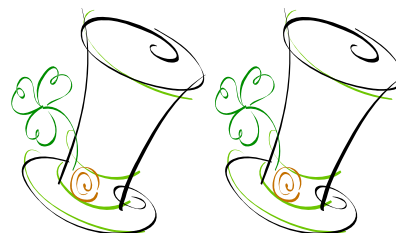
The Seasoned Adult Enrichment Program (SAEP) presents weekly programs for seniors and retirees at Clackamas Community College's Harmony Campus. The program provides seniors in the County with an educational experience designed and administered by "seasoned adults" in the community.

All classes are held Wednesdays at CCC's Harmony Road campus in room 191 unless otherwise indicated. All sessions begin at 9:30 a.m. This winter's SAEP schedule follows:

Jan 22 - "X-Rays, Helicopters & Medical Appointments, Oh My!"

Nick Schaeffer of Precision Castparts talks about his experience using specialized X-ray equipment to scan both helicopters and medical implants for design flaws.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER



At Beavercreek Grange
In Beavercreek on
Kamrath Rd
On March 15, 2014
From 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm
For only \$7.00 adults
And \$4.00 for kids 6 to 12

Grange: America's Family fraternity
American Values, Hometown Roots

Jan 29 - "Adventures in Alaska"

Debbie Baker Antcliffe, John Antcliffe, and Jim and Madeline Roberts share their adventures in Alaska.

Feb 5 - "Permaculture Techniques"

Lichen June shares a film about permaculture and leads a discussion of this alternative farming technique.

Feb 12 - "Field Trip to Pacific Hazelnut Farms and Candy Factory"

Pacific Hazelnut Farms in Aurora produces an assortment of nutritional hazelnut products. Participants will travel by van to Aurora.

Feb 19 - "Pain Management Tools & Tips"

Clinical geropsychologist Dr. Martha Green discusses her work in pain management.

Feb 26 - "A Musical History of Clackamas County"

Jerry Hermann & the New History Minstrels barbershop quartet add a new dimension to their genre of music by teaching about the history of Clackamas County.

Backyard Burning Allowed

March 1st - June 15th
October 1st - Dec 15th

Call Before You Burn
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503-632-0211

www.clackamasfire.com/documents/fireprevention/openburningregulations.pdf

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☎ 24-Hour Message Line ☎

**New Biking and Walking Path
Now Open**

Portland Parks & Recreation (PP&R) and the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) announce a major new biking and walking path along the Columbia Slough in north Portland. The Columbia Slough Trail, between N. Denver and Vancouver avenues, is now open for use. The paved path, more than a mile in length, is a major part of the 40 mile loop trail. It offers bicyclists and pedestrians an off-street alternative while providing amazing views of surrounding scenery, birds and wildlife from the shore of the slough.

The Columbia Slough Trail project cost an estimated \$610,000. PP&R staff completed the project design and construction management. ODOT contributed \$460,000 via ODOT Community Enhancement funding. PP&R provided the balance. The project is the final of ODOT's seven I-5 Delta Park Community Enhancements. These projects were funded with the Community Enhancement funds, based on the recommendations of the Community Enhancement Advisory Board convened by ODOT.

Mar 2 and 9 - "CCC Theatre Production: Neighborhood 3: Requisition of Doom"

Enjoy a Sunday matinee performance of "Neighborhood 3: Requisition of Doom" by Samuel French. Begins at 2:30 p. m. in the Niemeyer Center's Osterman Theatre at CCC. Purchase tickets online at www.TheatreCCC.org.

**Thank You
For a Wonderful Year!**

Dear Neighbors,

Children's Center stands in awe of the loyalty of our donors and volunteers who are committed to helping our community's most vulnerable young citizens. You continue to stand up on behalf of children who have suffered from abuse and neglect - children who cannot stand up for themselves.

It is only because of the support of our neighbors and friends that Children's Center was able to provide nearly 450 medical evaluations in 2013 alone for children who were suspected victims of abuse or neglect. More than a third of the children referred were also seen for concerns of drug exposure - a rising problem in our community.

There will be many resolutions made and broken at the start of a new year. But I want you to know, that because of Clackamas County's commitment, Children's Center is resolved to shine the light on child abuse as a first step in keeping kids safe. Hope will continue to live at Children's Center bolstered by the care and compassion our community shows for vulnerable children.

We are honored to stand beside each of you - friends, advocates, donors, and volunteers - as we invest in the safety, healing, and justice of our children. As Nelson Mandela stated: "Safety and security don't just happen, they are the result of collective consensus and public investment. We owe our children, the most vulnerable citizens in our society, a life free of violence and fear."

Please feel free to contact me if you are interested in being part of our 2014 initiatives to make Clackamas County safe for all children. You can also learn more on our website at www.childrenscenter.cc.

Sincerely,

Barbara Peschiera

Children's Center Executive Director

503-655-7725

**All You Can Eat
Breakfasts**

8:00 AM TO 11 AM

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Seven projects were selected to receive funding, most of them City of Portland projects focused on bicycle, pedestrian and livability improvements.

I am glad to hear this valuable project is complete and can begin further enhancing Portlanders' quality of life," says Portland Parks Commissioner Amanda Fritz. "I appreciate the extensive work of both our PP&R staff and ODOT to provide these improvements with enhanced bike and transportation options for everyone to enjoy."

Among the benefits of the trail are safe passage for bikes and pedestrians under I-5, mountain views and access

tween Canby and Wilsonville, began operations in 1914. The fifth Canby Ferry continues to provide an efficient and inexpensive transportation link from 6:45 a.m. to 9:15 p.m. daily.

"This is the first proclamation this board has made, because we save them for very special occasions," said Board Chair John Ludlow.

Clackamas County, the City of Canby, the Canby Chamber of Commerce and other organizations will celebrate the 100th anniversary throughout 2014 with special events and programs each month.

The Canby Ferry, owned and operated by the Clackamas County Transportation Maintenance Division, transports more than 80,000 vehicles each year. The three-minute, 800-foot crossing saves commuters time and fuel costs and provides a nostalgic journey for tourists, local residents, shoppers and history buffs.

More information about the ferry is available at <http://www.clackamas.us/roads/ferry.html>.

The first Canby Ferry was powered by horses pulling a cable. It ran from 1914 to 1916, when it was replaced by a gas-powered ferry.

Park Ave to Close During the Day Through Feb 7

Clackamas County will close Park Avenue between SE Oatfield Road and McLoughlin Boulevard (Highway 99E) during daytime hours through February 7th. The closure will be in effect from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. daily.

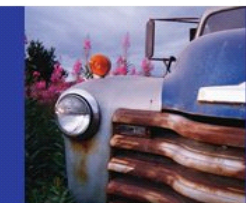
The closure is needed in order for a utility company to perform conduit work related to TriMet's Portland-Milwaukie Light Rail project.

The work zone will be open to emergency, garbage and postal vehicles; school buses and local businesses.

New Library Building Update

In December, information about bonds for library construction was presented to the City Commission by bond counsel, Carol Samuels of Piper Jaffray. Although the library will have a substantial amount of money saved, it will be necessary to borrow funds for a project this size. The library plans to repay this debt using funds dedicated to it from the Library District. However, the borrowing of funds for any purpose must be approved by the voters of Oregon City, though there are no tax implications.

In January, a committee reviewed proposals and the selection of an architect for the project.



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through habitat for birds and other wildlife. Bicyclists, runners and walkers can access the trail at entry points at Vancouver and Denver Aves. PP&R also created a connection from the trail to N. Schmeer at Whitaker Road for additional access. Future improvements include a trail extension to Delta Park.

"ODOT was pleased to provide funding to make this project possible," said Jason Tell, ODOT Region 1 Manager. "ODOT is now designing another project that will connect the Columbia Slough Trail across Denver Avenue to complete this section of the 40-mile Loop. This new connection will serve recreational riders and commuters traveling to jobs in the industrial area. We continue to enjoy a great partnership with Portland Parks & Recreation."

Clackamas County Celebrates the Canby Ferry Centennial in 2014

The year 2014 is "Canby Ferry Centennial Celebration Year" in Clackamas County, as proclaimed by the Board of County Commissioners Thursday, January 9, 2014.

The Canby Ferry, which crosses the Willamette River be-

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Springwater Corridor Trail Completed

The public was invited to celebrate the completion of the 21 - mile Springwater Corridor Trail at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, February 1, 2014, at Boring Station Trailhead Park. The grand opening celebration marks a milestone for urban trails in the region – The paved Springwater Corridor Trail now extends from downtown Portland to Boring.

Clackamas County Parks recently completed the final 2.25-mile segment of the Springwater Corridor Trail, from Rugg Road to Boring Station Trailhead Park.

"It's exciting to see the vision of this incredible urban trail finally complete," said Jeroen Kok, strategic planning, development and resource manager. "The trail extends across a very interesting and varied landscape across the Portland region and will be enjoyed by users of all ages and abilities for years to come. Clackamas County is very proud to be able to complete the last segment of this outstanding project that so many people have envisioned for so long."

The final project included: Widening and paving 2.25 miles of trail surface with 10 foot-wide asphalt and 2 to 4 feet of compacted gravel shoulders; significant drainage improvements; a new bridge deck and railings; improvements at the intersection of Telford and Haley Road; and enhanced signage and street crossings.

The Oregon Department of Transportation's transportation enhancement program and Metro's voter-approved 2006 Natural Areas Bond Measure provided funding for the project, with additional financial support from Clackamas County Parks. Portland Parks and Recreation owns the trail right-of-way.

Clackamas County would like to thank project partners at ODOT; Murray, Smith & Associates, Inc.; C&M Excavation and Utilities LLC; Metro; Clackamas County Department of Transportation and Development; Clackamas County Board of Commissioners; Portland Parks & Recreation; the City of Gresham; Oregon State Parks & Recreation; the Friends of Boring Station; and to the residents along the trail for their support and understanding during construction.

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To get the Oregon City Farmers Market newsletter
go to <http://orcifyfarmersmarket.com>

The Tax Forms are Coming! The Tax Forms are Coming!

It seems that every year the library receives fewer forms and later in the year. However...we do get tax forms, so please check with us about what we have received. 503-657-8269 ext 1017.

Valentine Bingo & Dinner

"The Ten O'Clock Church"
February 15, 2014

Don't miss this fun Valentine's event on Saturday, February 15, 2014, at "The Ten O'Clock Church." There will be great Bingo prizes and the dinner will include open face shrimp sandwiches, green salad and a Valentine dessert. (A non-seafood option will also be available).

Dinner will be at 5:30 p.m., with Bingo beginning at 6:30 pm. The cost for dinner is \$7 for adults, \$4 for kids ages 6-



The Beavercreek United Church of Christ "The Ten O'Clock Church" FOOD PANTRY

The food pantry at the Beavercreek United Church of Christ, aka, Ten O'Clock Church, is open to those in need. If you find yourself in need of help, please call the number below and leave your name and phone number. Someone will return your call.

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12, 5 and under free.

Bingo cards are \$5 each or 3 for \$10.

Clackamas County Seeks Volunteers for Advisory Boards and Commissions

The following are listed as current openings on the Clackamas County advisory boards and committees. They are among about 50 boards and commissions approved by the Board of County Commissioners.

Any resident who would like to apply for a citizen volunteer group, may do so by applying on the online application at <http://www.clackamas.us/miscapp/application.jsp>.

The name of the advisory group is shown below with its deadline for applying.

Clackamas County Planning Commission, Feb. 14 -

<http://www.clackamas.us/pressreleases/pr20140121c.html>

Compensation Board for Elected Officials, Feb. 18 -

<http://www.clackamas.us/pressreleases/pr20131216a.html>

Aging Services Advisory Council, Feb. 27 -

<http://www.clackamas.us/pressreleases/pr20140121b.html>



Beavercreek Fire Station Calls

The following are the alarms for the Beavercreek and Clarkes response areas for Clackamas County Fire District #1 from December 20 2013 - January 20, 2014. Submitted by Alexis Barbknecht, Clackamas County Fire District #1

12/23 - 17:40 - Fire Incident Dispatched & Canceled En Route

12/24 - 00:26 - EMS/Rescue - S Hwy 213 #60

12/25 - 07:44 - EMS/Rescue - S Spangler Rd

12/27 - 15:53 - EMS/Rescue - S Ferguson Rd

12/28 - 11:19 - False Alarm - S Leland Rd

12:22 - False Alarm - S Leland Rd

12/29 - 12:49 - EMS Incident Dispatched & Canceled En Route - S Leland Rd

23:05 - EMS/Rescue - S Spangler Rd
12/30 - 07:35 - Mot Veh Acc/Non Inj - S Spangler Rd/ S Beavercreek Rd
 21:31 - EMS/Rescue - S Beatie Rd
01/02 - 20:34 - EMS/Rescue - S Kirk Rd
01/03 - 04:36 - EMS/Rescue - S Foothills Ave
01/08 - 22:36 - EMS/Rescue - S Lee Dr
01/09 - 11:34 - Unauthorized Burn - S Ferguson Rd
 15:13 - EMS/Rescue - S Ferguson Rd
01/10 - 12:43 - Assist Invalid - S Beavercreek Rd
01/11 - 05:50 - Power Line Down - S Carus Rd
 11:51 - EMS/Rescue - S Beaver Glen Dr
01/13 - 19:43 - EMS/Rescue - S Lance Ct
01/14 - 09:09 - (blank) S Beavercreek Rd
01/15 - 12:03 - Lock-out - S Schuebel Ln
01/16 - 10:57 - Medical Assist - S Hwy 213
 11:36 - EMS/Rescue - S Ferguson Rd
01/17 - 18:37 - Mot Veh Acc/Non Inj - S Carus Rd/ S Penman Rd
01/18 - 10:05 - Good Intent - S Spangler Rd
 14:35 - EMS/Rescue - S Bluhm Rd
 16:46 - Public Service Assistance - S Spangler

**Clackamas Fire Dist #1
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the 3rd Monday of the Month
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Happy Valley, OR 97086
Contact: Karen Strejc
503-742-2646**

Master Recycler Course Returns to Clackamas County

The regional Master Recycler course is making its annual visit to Clackamas County this spring. The course provides an in-depth, hands-on opportunity to learn about recycling and thoughtful consumption - and then use that knowledge to make an immediate difference in the community.

The eight-week class, offered only three times a year in the Portland region, meets once a week in the evening and twice on Saturdays for half-day field trips. The spring 2014 session begins April 2 and runs for eight consecutive Wednesdays at Clackamas County's Development Services Building, 150 Beavercreek Rd, Oregon City. There are two Saturday field trips.

Registration opened on Thursday, Jan. 9.

Participants agree to attend all classes and field trips and, after completing the course, put their skills to work to help others conserve natural resources by volunteering 30 hours of public outreach. Master Recyclers staff information booths at community events, provide presentations in the community, work on original projects, and inspire their neighbors and co-workers.

Month At A Glance February

Birthstone: Amethyst

Flower: Violet

Astrological Signs: Aquarius: January 20 - February 18
Pisces: February 19 - March 20

Dates To Remember:

National Freedom Day - Feb 1

Groundhog Day - Feb 2

Boy Scout Day - Feb 8

Valentine's Day - Feb 14

Presidents Day - Feb 17

Items of Interest:

Super Bowl Sunday - Feb 2

Attendance at all classes and tours, and an agreement to complete the 30 volunteer hours, are required to be considered for the Master Recycler certification.

Applications are being accepted through noon, March 5. There is a \$50 fee to cover course materials, and limited scholarships are available. For more details or to apply, go to www.masterrecycler.org or call 503-545-8976.

To ensure a positive learning experience and adequate support for volunteers, class size is limited to 30 people. Applications will be received up to the deadline and then 30 people will be selected by a weighted lottery.

The regional Master Recycler Program is administered by the City of Portland Bureau of Planning and Sustainability, and sponsored by Metro, the City of Portland, Clackamas County, Washington County, the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality and Recycling Advocates.

see beyond the apparent. From a distance, my collages appear to be paintings. Up close, they are complicated jumbles of separate parts. These collages are similar to our own lives; appealing when viewed from afar but somewhat surprising when inspected more intimately."

CCC's Wilsonville campus is located at 29353 SW Town Center Loop East, Wilsonville. Exhibit hours are Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. The exhibit is open to the public and there is no cost to attend.

Police Blotter

As a public service this paper has started a new column that will inform you of burglaries and other police matters that occur within 5 miles of the Beavercreek Bulletin's office in the downtown area. Be informed. Be safe!



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Works by Artist Susan Schenk on Display at CCC Wilsonville

Clackamas Community College Wilsonville Campus presents the work of collage artist Susan Schenk. The show opened Monday, Jan. 6, and runs through Feb. 27 in the main lobby.

Schenk uses discarded materials as paint to foster the idea of finding beauty in the overlooked. She transforms magazines, maps and other ephemera into appealing images. Schenk describes her work, "My art is an invitation to

Prowler - Dec 31, 2013, 6:52 a.m., 15700 Block S HENRICI RD, Oregon City, OR (1.252 miles).

Juvenile Problem - Jan 1, 2014, 1:00 a.m., 15400 Block S KIRK RD, Oregon City, OR, (1.185 miles).

Burglary, Residential - Jan 2, 2014, 1:06 p.m., 15800 Block S BEAVER GLEN DR., Oregon City, OR, (0.757 miles).

Burglary, Residential - Jan 5, 2014, 9:26 a.m., 15700 Block S HENRICI RD., Oregon City, OR, (1.250 miles).

Burglary, Residential - Jan 16, 2014, 1:02 p.m., 19500 Block S HENRICI RD., Oregon City, OR, (2.944 miles).

Drugs/Vice - Jan 21 2014, 10:27 a.m., 21000 Block S MOSSY ROCK CT., Oregon City, OR, (1.172 miles).



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Suspicious Person - Jan 24 2014, 1:14 p.m., 15100 Block S DALES AV., Beavercreek, OR, (0.776 miles).



The January meeting of the Hamlet of Beavercreek took place on Wednesday, January 26, 2014, at the Beavercreek Grange on Kamrath Road with approximately 51 people in attendance.

The meeting was called to order at 7:03 p.m. by Chair, Tammy Stevens.

The guest speaker for the evening was Mike McCallister, Planning Director for Clackamas County Planning and Zoning.

Mr. McCallister announced that there will be two openings coming up on the nine member Clackamas County Planning Commission. He encouraged anyone who was interested to apply. The Planning Commission reviews land and policy issues and makes recommendations to the Clackamas County Board of Commissioners. They meet on average twice a month or about 20 meetings per year.

He addressed those present about two issues. The first was Home Occupation Permits. The second was Temporary Permits for Care.

Home Occupation Permits:

These are permits required to operate a business on the property you reside on. They are allowed in rural areas of

the County. The permit when approved is good for a three year period. At the end of the three years a renewal is required to continue to operate.

The applicant will have to fill out a new application. Notices will be sent out to all land owners within 500-750 ft. of the boundaries of the property. When the application is filed and accepted a minimum 15 day comment period begins. This gives neighbors an opportunity to weigh in and share information with the County. There is usually a 25-30 day period before the County issues a decision.

If the permit is denied the applicant has the right to appeal the decision. If an appeal is filed it goes to a public hearing.

There are three levels for these permits. Level One is for a very low intensity business. Basically no traffic, etc.

Level Two permits are required for businesses and neighbors on properties of two acres or less. There are also traffic limits for the business.

Level Three is required on properties and neighboring properties of three acres or more in size. More things are allowed in a Level Three business such as more traffic, 1500 sq. ft. maximum size allowed for the business and up to 5 employees.

All storage has to be enclosed in a building. None can be outside. Adequate parking space is also required.

Mr. McCallister also addressed the issue of non-compliance and the remedies the County can take including taking an individual to court, getting judgments and filing liens against the property.

Chair, Tammy Stevens, asked if the Hamlet could be put in the loop to get copies of the renewal notices that are



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sent out to adjacent property owners so the Hamlet can do a follow up. Mr. McCallister thought it was a good idea, but stated that the County has been working for the last 2-3 years on transitioning to a new computer system to make it easier to share information. More work is necessary to get up to speed.

Temporary Permits for Care:

Rural areas allow an RV, Mobile Home or Manufactured home to be put on private property for care of a family member. There are standards that need to be met such as a signed note from a licensed physician proving the need. The person seeking the permit needs to prove that they are providing care for the person in question, does not allow to place the home on the property for property maintenance uses, applicant needs to prove that the person who needs care cannot stay in primary residence on the property, the home cannot be more than 100 ft from the primary residence and needs to use same driveway and septic system and electrical meter.

This permit is good for two years in agriculture/forest areas and three years in other areas. At the end of the term the renewal has to be applied for with the same criteria as the first application. If the person who needed the care no longer lives on the property the home needs to be removed. If the home is not removed the property owner can be taken to court and the judge can issue judgments as well as liens against the property.

Land Use Applications:

Z0592-13: Applicant, Bradley White, for a machine shop called "City Machine Shop." Mr. White and his wife were in attendance as well as neighbors and other machine shop owners.

Mr. White shared his history and that of his years in the

machining business. He answered all questions and others gave testimony on his behalf. There was one dissenting opinion. Noise and environmental issues were discussed and at the end of the discussion the Hamlet recommended approval of the application.

There were no public comments/questions.

The highlights of the November meeting were read by Secretary Joan Martinez. They were approved by acclamation. There were no minutes for a December meeting as none was held since it fell on Christmas.

It was shared that a land use issue for the old Schuebel School property had been heard in December at the Hamlet Board meeting and is moving through the process with support from the Hamlet and Planning Commission.

It was also noted that the Hal's Construction land use issue will go before the Planning Commission on January 27, 2014. This was followed by the Treasurer's report.

Christine Kosinski gave a brief transportation report that she is still working on the Holly Lane issue and has also been watching the South End Transportation issue.

Elizabeth Graser-Lindsey reported that she was bicycling on Beavercreek Road near the Chevron Station in

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Beavercreek and noticed that the road needs fixing due to all the cracking of the asphalt. She stated that upgrading Beavercreek Road from Henrici Road to the grade school is in Tier One of the TSP. Elizabeth requested that the Hamlet apply to the County to fix that stretch of road. Tammy Stevens asked Christine Kosinski to draft a letter to the County regarding the matter.

James Lindsey gave a report on the progress on the kiosk he is building at the Korner Park in downtown Beavercreek. He requested an additional \$80.00 to finish the project. He was projecting the weekend of January 25th to get most of it finished. He was asked if he needed volunteers to help. He said it was not necessary, but would welcome the assistance.

The Christmas Tree Lighting was discussed. It was shared that the expense of buying lights that do not last more than one season at a cost of about three hundred dollars has become an issue. Hollywood Lighting was contacted and a meeting took place to see if maybe the job of lighting the tree, etc. would be cost effective. It was suggested, to get the cost down, asking businesses in the core area if they would like to come onboard?

Beaver Creek Telephone has assisted the Hamlet in lighting the tree for about three years now. Ben Muffett



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and Phil Lantz have brought out the boom trucks in order to reach the top of the tree. The tree has grown to a height that will make that process unacceptable in the future.

A sign in sheet was available and requests were made for volunteers to help out. Tammy Stevens stated that if no one volunteers for the various community activity committees that there may be community activities that will not take place in the future.

Brad Charlson stated that the males in the Grange are getting up in age and that some of the projects that need to be done could use some help.

A raffle was held that included a free pass to the all-you-can-eat first Saturday Grange breakfast, a yard ornament and several Valentine's Day candy offerings. The meeting was adjourned at 8:37 p.m. The next meeting will be on Wednesday, February 26th.

Everyone is encouraged to attend the monthly Hamlet Community meetings and the quarterly Town Hall meetings to participate and share ideas and concerns on the issues pertinent to our community. Members 18 years of age and older who live, own a business, or property within the Hamlet area may vote on Hamlet issues. The Hamlet of Beavercreek Boundary Map is located online at <http://goo.gl/maps/Vr5w1>.

The Community meetings take place on the fourth Wednesday of the month at the Beavercreek Grange on Kamrath Rd at 7:00 p.m. The Town Hall Meetings will occur every quarter. For more information, please call the Hamlet Information Line at 503-632-8370 or visit the Hamlet web site at <http://HamletOfBeavercreek.org>.

Carus Elementary School News

February Calendar of Events -

Feb 5 - Late start
Feb 7 - Battle of the Books Ends
Feb 7 - Father/Daughter Dance
Feb 12 - Late Start
Feb 14 - Hamill and Keyser Field trip
Feb 17 - Holiday, No School
Feb 19 - Late Start
Feb 19 - PTA Mtg, 6 p.m.
Feb 26 - Late Start
Feb 28 - Mar 1 - Spirit Day: Pajama Day

Registration Open for Beginning Farmer Course

OSU Extension Small Farms Program is offering a beginning farmer course at the North Willamette Research and Extension Center in Aurora, Oregon. The classes are every Wednesday evening from 4:30 - 9:00 p.m. beginning February 26 through April 5, 2014. A cohort of beginning farmers will meet every Wednesday evening for six weeks to learn the ins and outs of managing a farm. They will hear expert farmers tell tales of their first harvest and offer advice on how to buy a tractor. This unique educational opportunity is called Growing Farms: Successful Whole Farm Management.

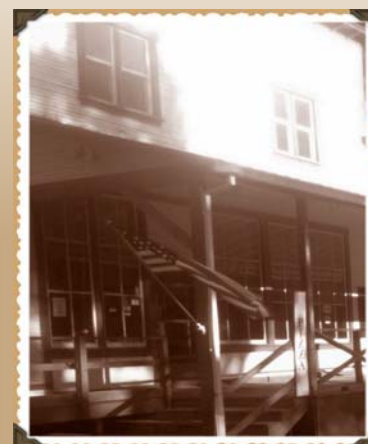
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Third Annual Crab Fest and Art Show Saturday February 15

The event will be held at the Museum of the Oregon Territory located at 211 Tumwater St., Oregon City.

There will be fresh Dungeness Crab, an art raffle and a wine tasting presentation by Willamette Valley Vineyards.

The Art Show will be from 4:00 pm - 8:00 p.m. with the dinner at 5:30 p.m.

Tickets are \$60 which includes admission to the museum, dinner and beverage. \$25 of ticket price is tax deductible.

Buy your tickets online at <http://www.eventzilla.net/web/event?eventid=2138999020> or by calling the museum at 503-655-5574.

The OSU Small Farms Program developed Growing Farms and will be offering it for the fourth year at the North Willamette Research and Extension Center in Aurora. To assist metro area beginning farmers, the West Multnomah and Clackamas County Soil and Water Conservation Districts are offering scholarships to help with Growing Farms tuition.

Growing Farms is designed for farmers in their first five years of farming and those seriously pursuing farming. The course focuses on providing farmers with the planning tools and knowledge to successfully develop or sustainably develop a farm.

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Stevens-Crawford Heritage House Reopens

The Stevens-Crawford House reopens on Thursday, February 6th at 12:00 p.m.

Visit the new exhibit of artifacts commemorating World War I.

The house is located at 603 Sixth St., Oregon City, OR It is open Wednesday thru Saturday from 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.



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The Museum of the Oregon Territory Re-opens Feb 1

The museum opens at 11:00 a.m. Join us for special events throughout the day.

11:00 am - 4:00 pm:

In our new theater space, learn about the power of Willamette Falls in Portland General Electric's new movie *Willamette Falls: Where the Future Began*, exploring the falls vital importance to local culture, ecology and economy.

Learn more about how the potential of the Falls led to

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advances in manufacturing with the new exhibit *Industries and Engineering*. Appreciate the newly restored mural, *Fishes of Clackamas County* by renowned comic book cover artist Alex Schomburg, and feast on *Dished*, an exhibit of the changing culinary tastes in Clackamas County.

12:00 pm:

Modern Folk Songwriter "Spider Moccasin," a Warm Springs/Wasco Tribal Member, presents a concert of acoustic songs for youth, introducing contemporary inter-tribal issues.

1:00 pm:

Share the Blessing Song of the Confederated Tribes of the Grande Ronde as they unveil new wood carvings honoring Salmon of the Falls.

2:00 pm:

Take an insider's look into the history of West Linn Paper Company

3:00 pm:

Enjoy a free Paper making Arts Workshop for kids and adults alike.

Throughout the day:

Original Oregon City Mill photography with a watercolor look by Ray Tatyrek, and millworker's oral histories with author/historian Sandy Carter.

Lodging discounts at the Best Western Rivershore and NRG Kayak trip discounts available.

Sponsored by US Bank and Oregon's Mt. Hood Territory.

"The Ten O'Clock Church" Upcoming Events

Feb 2 - Installation Sunday/Interim Pastor, the Rev. Pat Ross

Feb 8 - Stand for Peace, 11 a.m. - noon

Feb 9 - Mountain Music Sunday in the Fellowship Hall, 10 a.m.

Feb15 - Valentine Bingo, Dinner at 5:30, Bingo at 6:30 (See article on page 10-11).

Feb26 - Labyrinth Walk, 7 p.m.

Yoga on Wednesdays at 7 pm, \$5 per session.

Clackamas County Offers Free Class for Women Impacted by Domestic Violence

If you have been emotionally or physically abused by a current or former intimate partner, the Women's Empowerment Project (WEP) can help you break the cycle.

Sponsored by Clackamas County Community Corrections, WEP is specifically designed for women wanting to create healthy, violence-free lives. **The 14 week class is free.** Topics include: the cycle of violence, coping mechanisms, effects of abuse on children, and safety planning. The First class begins on Wednesday, February 12th,

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Sundays: Steak Specials

Karaoke Tuesday,
Thursday & Saturday
Open Mic on Wednesday
& DJ Glen on Fridays

Upcoming Events:

February 2 - Super Bowl Party!!! Come root for your team!
We are having a potluck and game menu.

Lots of specials and prizes!

February 14 - Valentines Day! We will have a special couples menu available! Call for Details!

Come In And Check Out Our NEW Menu!

ALSO...

We have also been busy doing renovations including the new Café expansion. Other changes are in the works to better serve you! Come check us out!

Dont forget our website with upcoming events all the time
<http://www.buffalobillskissinkates.com>

Holidays are approaching, and yes, we can cater that special event for you. Take a break and relax. We can do the food and clean up!
For information email Kristina at holidayk282@gmail.com or Paul MacKenzie at paulwmackenzie@gmail.com

from 2:30 p.m. until 5:00 p.m.

If you, or someone you know, is interested in the WEP class, please contact Patricia Barrera, Victim Services Program Coordinator patriciabar@co.clackamas.or.us or call 503-655-8776.

Clackamas County Veteran's Services to Receive \$45,405.00 from Outreach Grant Program Funding

The 2013 Oregon Legislative Assembly has provided the Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs (ODVA) with \$600,000 in funding for the Veterans' Extended Outreach Grant Program (VEOGP) to support county veteran service offices. This provision marks the first time money has been allocated for a competitive grant to increase outreach to veterans.

The goals of the grant program are to serve veterans statewide to greatest effect, improve outreach to veterans, inform them of their benefits, and file claims on their behalf.

The VEOGP's Evaluation Committee met on January 15, 2014, to consider applications for grant proposals submitted by 26 of the 34 eligible State's County Veteran Service offices for the 2013-15 Grant Awards. The committee consisted of two ODVA employees and two County Veteran Service officers chosen by the director, and one member of the Veterans Advisory Committee chosen by that committee's chair.

ODVA's Veteran Services Division Administrator Eric Belt said the proposals were thoughtful, innovative and targeted to meet the needs of local veteran communities. "The core of most proposals focused on a unique combination of staff enhancement, outreach and technology upgrades to meet the challenges of serving veterans and their family members," he said.

After a thorough review and evaluation, 19 proposals were selected for full funding based upon ranking. The remaining seven proposals were selected for an equal share of partial funding that was predicated on the availability of funds.

Annual Rummage Sale and Lunch "The Ten O'Clock Church" Coming in March

Another HUGE Rummage Sale will be held at Beavercreek United Church of Christ aka "The Ten O'Clock Church". It will be Friday, March 28th, from 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. and Saturday, March 29th, from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. There will also be an extra day, Saturday, April 5th from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

There will be an abundance of vintage and collectable items along with clothes, shoes, books, housewares, bedding, seasonal decorations, toys, games, jewelry, tools, electronics, furniture, plants and much more.

The women's group will be serving a delicious lunch from 10:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. each day. The lunch will include their famous chicken noodle soup, sandwiches and pieces of HOMEMADE PIES!!

The address is 23345 S. Beavercreek Rd. in Beavercreek. The proceeds will be used for the church's local and wider missions including the food pantry.

If you would like to donate items to our sale, we are seeking unique collectibles, craft items, tools, clothing, plants etc. Please be sure all items are clean and saleable. If you have questions or need assistance with donating, please call Shelley at 503-655-0700.

Park Ave to Close During the Day Jan 23 - Feb 7

Clackamas County will close Park Avenue between SE Oatfield Road and McLoughlin Boulevard (Highway 99E) during daytime hours from January 23 through February 7th. The closure will be in effect from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. daily.

The closure is needed in order for a utility company to perform conduit work related to TriMet's Portland-Milwaukie Light Rail project.

The work zone will be open to emergency, garbage and postal vehicles; school buses and local businesses.

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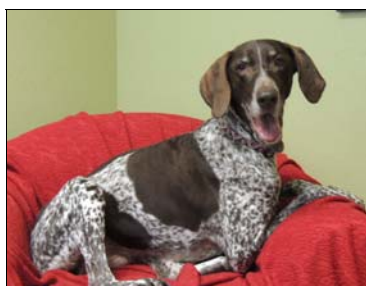
Register Today For The 7th Annual Family Focus Forum: “Navigating Transitions”

Event Date: Saturday, February 8, 2014 - 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

The 7th Annual Family Focus Forum: Navigating Transitions, being held Saturday, February 8th at Oregon City High School. This free event includes workshops on issues important to all families and their students — pre-school through high school — and includes a keynote address by Paige Hirt. Learn more at <http://www.familyfocusforum.org/home> and register online.

Only 450 seats are available for this fantastic event so register early. Childcare, lunch, and the chance to win fun give-a-ways included with registration.

Our 4 Legged Friends



My Name
is
“MOLLY”
and I’m
available for
Adoption!

Hello... my name is “Molly” and I’m available for adoption. I’m a German Shorthaired Pointer.

I’m a 6-7 year old spayed female and I weigh approximately 60 to 100 lbs. As you can see I’m liver and white in color with folded ears.

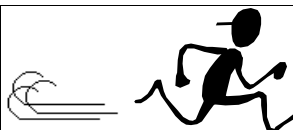
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“Good golly, I am Miss Molly and I am the dog for you. I’m friendly, happy, and ready for my home for the holidays. I’m past all that silly puppy stuff and while active, I’m also quite willing to cuddle. Let’s start with obedience lessons (to bond and learn together), then we could move on to another fun activity. Golly gee, are we going to have a good time! I do best with no cats in my home.”

For more information on me or other dogs available for adoption, please call the shelter at 503-655-8628 or come by for a visit and a little one-on-one. You can also see us at the Clackamas County Dog Control website at:

<http://www.clackamas.us/k9man/adoptpet.jsp>

The shelter is located at 13141 S.E. Hwy 212 in Clackamas, Oregon. I’m available from 12:30 to 4:30 p.m., Thursday thru Monday. I’d sure love to get the chance to meet you. “MOLLY”



See you next month... The
Editor!

The January meeting of the Beavercreek Grange took place on Saturday, January 4, 2014, at 1:00 p.m. following the First Saturday "All-You-Can-Eat" Breakfast.

It was announced that the Beavercreek Grange would be hosting Clackamas County Pamona on January 25th. A menu for the event was discussed.

It was approved to pay for the bond from the Nat'l Grange. It was also noted that a new appointment needed to be made to the Executive Committee due to the death of Neil Cullison. Gary Dumolt was elected to the position.

After a short break the 2014 calendar was discussed.

The Parkinson's Disease Foundation was chosen as the recipient of the money collected in 2013 during the monthly meetings for birthdays and anniversaries. It will be donated in the name of long time Grange member Neil Cullison.

There was also more discussion on advertising place-mats for the dining room. Price quotes are being sought to see if the idea is feasible.

Kim and Ed Schettig were chosen to be the "Father" and "Mother" of the Grange for 2014.

The 2014 Clackamas County Fair theme, "We're Serving Up Fun," was discussed and plans for the Beavercreek Grange's entry in the Grange booth competition was now begun in earnest.

It was decided to have a cake walk at the February meeting. This is always a popular event.

The next meeting will take place on Saturday, February 1, 2014 at 1:00 p.m. The public is welcome to attend.

Effie Celebrates 103!



Family and friends helped our dear friend and member of Beavercreek Church of Christ, Effie Roeger, celebrate her 103rd birthday at coffee hour following the January 12th worship service. Many of Effie's family attended and graciously brought the birthday cake.

We love you Effie!

Beavercreek School News

PTO Auction -

Our school's Annual Auction is nearing and we are still looking for any personal donation items to place in our silent or oral auction. Please send them to the school along with the blue form that was sent home before the Winter Break. There are also copies in the front office of the school.

If you do not have a student at Beavercreek Elementary and would like to donate to the auction, please drop off your donations at the school office. If you need more information, please feel free to call the school at 503-785-8350. We need everyone's help to make this event be the best it can be. Thank you! So mark your calendar for February 21