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The Beavercreek Bulletin Turns 10!

It is hard to believe, but the Beavercreek Bulletin Turns 10 with this issue and the eleventh year of publication begins. The first issue was published in September 1998.

Growing from a one and a half page newsletter to a 20 page per month publication has been quite a learning experience!

This could not have been done without the support of the local businesses who advertise in these pages. I would like to tell them "Thank You! I couldn't have done it without you."

They also can not do it without you. So, if you see a business in the paper that offers a service you need, why not give them a call. Stay close to home and spend your hard earned money locally. I'm sure they would appreciate your support.

Every year at about this time I ask for input. How do you think the paper is doing? Do you have any suggestions? How could the paper be better? I'm always open to suggestions, so please feel free to contact me. I can be reached at 503-632-6525 or you can e-mail me at b_bulletin. info@beavercreekbulletin.org Thank you! The Editor

2nd Annual Beavercreek Hamlet Happening To Be Held

The second Annual Beavercreek Hamlet Happening will be held on Saturday, September 13, 2008, at the Hopkins Demonstration Forest, formerly the Hopkins Memorial Tree Farm, 16750 S. Brockway Dr. The event will be held from 3:00 to 7:00 p.m.

The Happening will be held this year with the Mulino Hamlet also in attendance. This Hamlet is just to our South and has been newly created within the last year.

This will be a great opportunity for the residents of the two Hamlets to get together and meet one another over good food, music and fun.

This is a potluck event (always my favorite as you can try other peoples cooking!) so bring one of your favorite recipes.

The Hamlet will provide hamburgers, hot dogs, drinks and eating utensils. If you wish a liquid refreshment stronger than soda you will need to bring your own. It is requested that those attending also bring their favorite comfy outdoor chair.

There will be a raffle held as well as horseshoes for

Community Calendar

Beavercreek Committee for Community Planning (BCCP)...

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

Beavercreek Charitable Trust...

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

Beavercreek Hamlet Monthly Community Meetings...

Fourth Wednesday, Beavercreek Grange at 7:00 p.m.

Beavercreek Hamlet Town Hall Meetings (Quarterly)...

To be announced

Beavercreek Grange...

Second Saturday, BeavercreekGrange, potluck at 6:00 p.m. meeting at 7:00 p.m.

Beavercreek Lions...

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

Beavercreek Elementary School PTO...

Third Tuesday 7:00 p.m.

Beaver Creek Telephone Directors Meeting...

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

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

Boy Scout Troop #745...

Mondays, Grandview Baptist Church at 7:00 p.m.

Carus Community Planning Org. (CPO)...

Second Thursday, Stone Creek Christian Church, 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, 7:00 p.m. Call Gary Hartt for more information at 503-632-6955.

Clarkes Parent/Teacher Group...

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

Cub Scout Pack #183...

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

Pack Meeting, Third Tuesday, Beavercreek Grange at 7:00

Cub Scout Pack #197 (Carus School area)...

For information, call 503-632-7358 or 503-632-4382

Equestrian Trails, North Valley Chapter...

First Tuesday, 6:00 p.m. dinner followed by a 7:00 meeting. For information call 503-632-3258

Mulino Community Planning Org. (CPO)...

Third Thursday, Mulino Airport, OPA Bldg 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...

2nd Monday, District Board Room at 7:00 p.m.

The Beavercreek Bulletin Published Monthly by the Beavercreek Committee for Community Planning aka BCCP

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

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those who would like to try out their skills.

We will also have live music which will be performed by local musician Tiffany Carlson.

It is also hoped, to have bingo as well as a scavenger hunt for the children.

There will be a table with Urban/Rural Reserve, upcoming election and general community information. So if you have any questions about the Hamlet, please feel free to ask as we are very fortunate to have residents in our midst who are involved in all phases of our community as well as at the County and Metro level.

So come have some fun, meet new people and learn more about your community. The Editor

Church Directory for the Beavercreek. Carus. Clarkes 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

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

Youth Fellowship: Sundays at 4:00 p.m.

Beavercreek Ward

The Church of **Jesus Christ** of Latter-day Saints Henrici Rd between S. Beavercreek Rd and Hwy 213 503-656-3192 Bishop Karl Brady

Sunday Meetings: Start at 9:00 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.

Clarkes 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.

Back issues available upon request while supplies last

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



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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Lower Highland Bible Church

24353 S. Ridge Rd. 503-632-4741

Sunday Worship: 11:00 a.m. Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.

Mid-Week Worship: Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

Men's Group: Thursdays at 7:00 p.m.

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 Service: 9:00 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.

UCC Food Pantry Community Help Line 503-724-1095

Stone Creek Christian Church

21949 S. Molalla Ave. 503-632-4218

Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Sunday Worship, Traditional: 9:00 a.m. Sunday Worship, Contemporary: 10:30 a.m.

"Ministries to all ages" New Preacher, effective March 08

Trinity Lutheran Church & School

16000 S. Henrici Rd. 503-632-5554

Sunday Services: 8:15 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Education Hour: 9:45 a.m. Various Bible Studies

Whitewater Sundays: 6:30 p.m.

Preschool thru 3rd grade: Begins September 3 Children's Choir Practice: Restarts in the Fall Adult's Choir Practice: Restarts in the Fall

Quilters Guild: Mon 9:30 a.m.

Business and Residential Computer Service Launched in Beavercreek

The community benefits from additional local computer expertise

Practical Computing Solutions, an authorized Microsoft, Dell, and SonicWall reseller is announcing immediate availability on a new line of products and services. We think our new products can really benefit the local area.

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Alternatively, we also provide custom-built systems and peripherals with free delivery for those wanting something other than Dell. Other products include printer, copier and fax toner supplies and a line of family friendly Internet security systems.

"SonicWall" has the right idea with their "Total Secure" products that we offer. We spent months researching antivirus and anti-spyware systems and only back their unified solution.

We are especially excited about the upcoming release of our new service plans. What the area needed was an alternate to all those expensive 'geek' services, but creating a completely different approach was a massive challenge. We had to go back and look at what other companies were doing wrong and not fall into those same traps. Our vision was to combine the best of onsite and remote capabilities into a friendly non-traditional approach.

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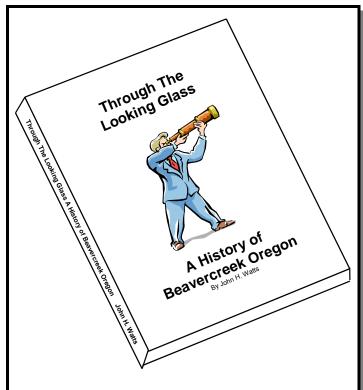
We realize our month by month growth has been mostly

from word of mouth referrals and are very encouraged by the response. So far this has been a successful strategy and we plan to continue developing compelling solutions.

ABOUT PRACTICAL COMPUTING SOLUTIONS, INC.

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Clackamas County Arts Alliance Presents New Art in Public Spaces Exhibit at Skylight Gallery

A new art exhibit called "Four Universes" will be on display through October 8, in the Skylight Gallery, located on the fourth floor of the Sunnybrook Service Center, 9101 SE Sunnybrook Blvd., Clackamas. The building is open to the public Monday-Friday, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

"Four Universes" is a juried art exhibit featuring four artists from Clackamas County and is a program of the Clackamas County Arts Alliance Art in Public Spaces. The exhibit features original acrylic works by Barry Mack of Lake Oswego and Norma Piper of Estacada, as well as 3D ceramic works by Scott Starbuck, Damascus, and Sara Swink, West Linn.

The artworks range from representational to the abstract and demonstrate everything from the inner human psyche to the natural beauty of the Northwest. Each work is a testament to the creative talent residing in Clackamas County.

The Clackamas County Arts Alliance is a division of the County's Tourism and Cultural Affairs Department and supports, develops and promotes access to the arts in all County communities.

Clackamas County Committee for Citizen Involvement Met August 19

The Committee for Citizen Involvement (CCI) of Clackamas County will met Tuesday, August 19, 2008, from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. in the Public Services Building, 2051 Kaen Road, Oregon City, 4th floor, room 497.

The proposed agenda included a report from Clackamas County Planning Division, a report on the Hamlets and Villages program, recap of the County Fair, discussion of electronic land use applications, planning for the October CPO Leaders Meeting, and an update on Metro Committee for Citizen Involvement (MCCI).

More information can be found on the county Web site at www.clackamas.us/citizenin/

The Committee for Citizen Involvement is a processoriented committee, providing resources and opportunities for citizens to participate effectively in Clackamas County's land use planning and decision-making process.

The Committee meets the third Tuesday of the month from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. For more information, contact Barbara Smolak, Citizen Involvement at 503-655-8552

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Grant Will Support Manufacturing Leadership Academy

Area business and industry will benefit from a new grant Assailant target areas awarded to the Customized Training and Development Services at Clackamas Community College. The \$49,815 grant from the Department of Defense and the Manufacturing 21 coalition will be used to develop a leadership academy for supervisors in defense-related manufacturing.

Participants in the leadership academy will be selected from area manufacturers that are part of the defense logistics supply chain. The academy will include a Leadership Summit and two Saturday workshops a month for nine months. The workshops will cover topics such as decision making, self confidence, communication and conflict resolu-

Grants were awarded to several local schools and businesses including Clark College, Benchmade Knife Company and Miles Fiberglass. They were awarded funds from the US Department of Defense Materials Science and Manufacturing Research Grant. The total fund was procured through the joint efforts of the Pacific Northwest Defense Coalition and the Manufacturing 21 Coalition. These are federal funds allocated to support the growth of manufacturing companies that supply products to the United States military.

Community Corrections Offers Public Safety Classes in September

Clackamas County Community Corrections and the American Council on Criminal Justice Training will be offering two

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free public safety education courses on Saturday, Septem-

"Personal Protection Strategies for Women" will be held in the morning, from 10:00 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. The presentation will cover:

Myths about sexual assault

Profiles of offenders

What to do if victimized

Where you are most at risk

Personal self-defense techniques

Strategies for avoiding date rape

Personal defense devices and weapons of opportunity

"Self-defense Tactics for Women" will be held in the afternoon, from 1:45 - 4:15 p.m. This moderately physical hands-on class is designed for women and teens and will teach:

Verbal commands Defensive postures Body language Kicking techniques Striking techniques Scenarios



Classes will be held in the Clackamas Hwy. 212/224 area. Pre-registration is required and registration closes September 10. Classes are open to members of the community age 14 or older. Class size is limited and minors must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian.

To learn more about these classes or to register, contact: Rex M. Mercer at 503-722-6017 or 503-655-8262 or e-mail rexmer@co.clackamas.or.us .

Hamlet Elections Around the Corner!

Two years ago when the Hamlet was organized, four members of the Hamlet's Board of Directors were elected to two year terms:

Bill Merchant - Chair

Joan Martinez - Secretary

Norm Andreen – Board Member

Elizabeth Graser-Lindsey – Board Member

At the September 24th, 2008, Town Hall Meeting of the

Hamlet, these positions will again be filled. The Chair is elected first, then the Secretary, then Board Members.

Anyone running for Chair or Secretary who is not elected



may run for Board Member. If you would like to run for Chair, Secretary, or Board Member, please submit your name to the Nominating committee. You may do so in the following ways:

By Email: Chairman@HamletOfBeavercreek.org By phone: Call 503-632-8370 and leave a message Or Mail to:

Hamlet of Beavercreek Nominating Committee Box 587 Beavercreek OR 97004

Nominations will also be accepted at the Community Meeting, August 27th, 2008, that will be held at the Beavercreek Grange on Kamrath Road., at 7:00 p.m.

For a complete description of the duties of the Board of Directors and Officers, please see ArticleVI of the Hamlet's Bylaws. You may Download them from the Hamlet's web site at: HamletOfBeavercreek.org/files.

The file is named HoB_Bylaws_070328.

You may also download them from the Beavercreek Bulletins main page. Just click on the "Newly Adopted Hamlet By-Laws" link. This is your Hamlet. Your participation makes it vital.

Have You Returned Your Hamlet Survey?

If you have not returned your Hamlet Survey, please do so as soon as possible.

You may return it to the Beavercreek Fire Station or Beaver Creek Cooperative Telephone Company's offices on Henrici Road. Your input is very important.

If you did not receive one, please call 503-632-8370 and leave a message and your call will be returned. Thank you for your participation. The Editor

Opportunity Online Grant Program Brings Needed Computers to Oregon Libraries

The Oregon State Library estimates that the new Opportunity Online Grant Program announced by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation on July 15th will increase the capacity of Oregon's public libraries to meet the growing demand for public access computers by about 20% over the next two years.

"These new computers are greatly needed because most of our public libraries are still struggling to meet the demands of the public," commented State Librarian Jim Scheppke. "We thought we might be ahead of the curve by now, but we're not."

In the latest State Library statistics for Oregon public libraries there were a total of 2,216 public access computers in Oregon public libraries. The State Library estimates that the computers are used an average of 10,800 times a day, seven days a week, in all 129 Oregon public libraries.

The new Opportunity Online Grant Program will provide 57 Oregon libraries with 604 computers over two years. The Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation will invest nearly \$1 mil-

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lion and Oregon libraries will need to need to provide nearly \$600,000 in matching funds. Matching funds can come from any local funding source. The libraries were selected by the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation as libraries that serve high concentrations of people in poverty and libraries that are at risk of having outdated computer technology.

Providing public access to the Internet has become one of the top services in Oregon public libraries over the past decade. "Our public libraries perform a tremendous service for many thousands of Oregonians by enabling them to be connected to health information, employment information, business information, not to mention their family and friends," said Scheppke. "Our public libraries are the first place many people turn to get connected. Increasingly, getting information and registering for services and filing forms



can only be done online and our libraries are where people go to do that."

The Opportunity Online Grant program is the third major grant program that has helped most Oregon public libraries build and sustain a public access computing service in their communities. The State Library has successfully applied for all three programs beginning with the State Partnership Program in 2001.

The State Library is working with the Bibliographical Center for Research in Aurora, Colorado, which is administering the Opportunity Online Grant Program for several states in the West.

Clackamas County Library will receive 10 computers from the grant with a value of \$26,000.00.

Clackamas County Water Environment Services' Biosolids Program to Undergo Routine Audit

Clackamas County's Water Environment Services' (WES)

"Normally, audits only occur if there is a concern or problem. We requested this audit to ensure we are doing everything possible to uphold the standards of the NBP."

"We welcome any advice or suggestion that will improve our already exemplary biosolids management program," added LaPierre. "In fact, we are planning to request a NBP-sponsored audit every two years and conduct internal audits in between, with the goal of not only meeting NBP standards, but exceeding them."

Unclaimed Prizes Held Over!

Did you attend the Annual Backyard Bash on August 9th at Beaver Creek Cooperative Telephone?

Did you have to leave early before all the prizes were announced? Or, perhaps, you had a hard time hearing what was being said?

Well, this is your lucky day. If you still have your tickets and want to find out if you won a prize go to www.bctelco. com/byb-2008-auction-winners.htm to see if you won a prize. If you've won a prize you can still pick it up at the Henrici offices. Good luck!

If you do not have Internet access, you can go to the Henrici office and check your tickets against the list of win-



NEW BAR HOURS!

Mon - Thurs 9:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m. Fri - Sat 7:00 a.m. - 1:00 a.m. Sun 7:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.

Fri & Sat Evenings: Live music 8:30 - 12:30 Sun: Bloody Mary Specials & Free Pool Happy Hour 4:30 - 6:30 Mon- Fri

September Band List

Sep 5: Anything Goes (Rock)

Sep 6: NO BAND!

Sep 12 - 13: Undercover (Variety)

Sep 19 - 20: Secondhand Buzz (Rock)

Sep 26 - 27: Stepchild (Rock)

Oct 3 - 4: Sonny Hess (Blues/Jazz)

21950 S. Beavercreek Rd.

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Tri-City Service District underwent a Biosolids Environmental Management System audit conducted by a representative from the National Biosolids Partnership (NBP) August 18-20.

The audit, which was performed by KEMA-Registered Quality Inc., is the first internal audit for WES since going through the certification process to become an NBP-certified agency for biosolids in August 2007. Tri-City Service District was the 17th in the country to obtain certification.

"We welcome this audit because we are an innovative organization that constantly seeks ways to be proactive in providing our customers top-notch service," said Mona LaPierre, WES environmental monitoring manager.

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Obituaries

the Beavercreek Bulletin as information available



HARVEY R. CLARK

A service was held at 3 p.m. Monday, August 18, 2008, in Willamette National Cemetery for Harvey R. Clark of Beavercreek, who died Aug. 13 at age 64.

Harvey R. Clark was born March 15, 1944, in Vanport. He retired from the Burlington Northern Sante Fe Railway. He married Lena Thomas.

Survivors include his wife; daughters, Shelley Caldwell and

Dianna Suit; Son, Scott; sister, Ona Mae Smith; seven grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Remembrances to the American Cancer Society. Arrangements by Cornerstone. *Originally appeared in the August 16, 2008, Oregonian.*

SHARON HARTSELL

1944-2008

An educator, counselor and supporter of many worthy



causes, Sharon Hartsell lived a life devoted to helping students succeed. An innovative teacher, Sharon was especially known for helping those who struggled with study, work and life skills.

Known as "Shad" or "Shaddy," she was born Sharon Jane Slama in San Francisco on March 7, 1944. She was the daughter of Alex Slama and Ruth Helen

Ellis. Alex died in World War II and Sharon was raised by Ruth and Marty Krumm of San Bruno, Calif. A graduate of Mercy High School and San Francisco State University, Sharon had several degrees and certificates in teaching, psychology, counseling and home economics.

An elementary school teacher and social worker in and around Modesto, Calif., Sharon married George Hartsell on Aug. 25, 1973. The couple moved in 1976 to a 4.5-acre site in Colton. She worked as a teacher in elementary schools in

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Clackamas County, at the Timberlake Job Corps, the Molalla Alternative School, and for several years on the main campus at Clackamas Community College, where she retired. She held a master's degree in psychology from Lewis & Clark and was certified as a family counselor and reading specialist. Friends recall how Sharon could work well with people who did not believe in themselves. She loved helping people put their lives back together and often donated her time to support battered women, juveniles in need and others.

As a social worker, she was known for using her love of cooking to help families living on government-subsidized food stocks to have healthier and more interesting meals. She began teaching in Hickman, Calif., when there was a major campaign to bring young professionals into the teaching profession. She was a natural, fell in love with the work, and continued to be an educator all her life, even helping young relatives and others who loved learning from Sharon when no one else could get through to them.

Sharon died Aug. 15 after years of chronic illness. A memorial service will be held at 6 p.m. Thursday, Aug. 21, in

Room 133 at the Dye Learning Center at Clackamas Community College.

In lieu of flowers, contributions should be made to a favorite charity. Arrangements made through Wilhelm Funeral Home.

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She is survived by her husband, George Hartsell of Colton; step-daughter, Tina Hartsell of Topeka, Kan.; sisters, Dr. Melania Johnson of Beavercreek and Jennifer Krumm of Gladstone; brothers, Tom Krumm of Eugene and Joe Krumm of Milwaukie; six nieces and nephews; a beloved aunt, Clara Beaton of Santa Clara, Calif., and dozens of cousins and other relatives in California, across the USA and overseas. *Originally appeared in the August 19, 2008, Oregonian.* (Cont. Pg 16, Col 1 - Obituaries)

"Best of Category" by National Association of Counties

During its annual convention, The National Association of Counties (NaCo) presented the Clackamas County Arts Alliance with its 2008 Achievement Award in Arts & Historic Preservation, for the Alliance's Art in Public Spaces program, designated "Best of Category."

For the past seven years, this program has exhibited artwork in various public offices and libraries. More than 150 Clackamas County artists participated, including many who never publicly exhibited before. The program has two goals: creating a welcoming and pleasant environment for citizens as they conduct business and, provide opportunity for local artists to exhibit their work.

The nomination was submitted in an essay titled "Arts Alliance - Public Spaces For Not-So-Public Faces." Commissioner Martha Schrader represented the County at the convention and accepted the award on behalf of Arts Alliance staff and board.

The Clackamas County Arts Alliance is a division of the County's Tourism and Cultural Affairs Department and supports, develops and promotes access to the arts in all County communities.



Backyard Burning Allowed Between Oct 1st & Dec 15th Call Before You Burn It's the Law! 503-632-0211

Clackamas Community College September Calendar of Events

Sept 1 - Labor Day Holiday Closure

Clackamas Community College will be closed in obser-

vance of the Labor Day holiday.

Sept 8, 15, 22 & 29 - Job Seeker Information Sessions

Free job seeker information sessions are held each Monday at Clackamas Community College. Sessions are at noon at CCC's Oregon City campus, Community Center, room 100. For information call 503-657-6958, ext. 2316, or e-mail wfdsinfo@clackamas.edu

Sept 3, 10, 17 & 24 - Chrysalis: Women Writers

Local author Pat Lichen guides women writers of all levels through discussions of their work. Chrysalis meets from noon to 2:00 p.m. in the Literary Arts Center, Room 220 in Rook Hall. For information, call 503-657-6958, ext. 2220.

Sept 17 - CCC Harmony Community Campus Grand Opening

CCC's newest facility at the Harmony Community Campus will provide a home for the college's thriving health sci-

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Sept 19 - New Student Experience

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Sept 25-Oct 12 - Clackamas Repertory Theatre: "Waiting for Godot"

The CRT season's final production is the timeless classic "Waiting for Godot," starring Ernie Casciato, Jayson Shanafelt and Tobias Andersen. "Waiting for Godot" opens Thursday, Sept. 25, and continues through Sunday, Oct. 12. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, shows begin at 7:30 p.m.; Sunday matinees begin at 2:30 p.m. Individual tickets range from \$21.50 for adults to \$11.50 for students. For ticket information visit the Web site at www.clackamasrep.org.

Sept 29 - Fall term begins

Fall term classes begin at Clackamas Community College.

Fatal Traffic Crash on Hwy 211 South of Estacada

On August 22, 2008, at approximately 2:30 p.m. a 1998 Mazda pickup driven by Polly Peterman, age 39, from

Donaldson, Iowa, was westbound on S. Hillockburn Road when it failed to stop at a stop sign and entered onto Highway 211. The pickup was struck in the driver's side by a northbound 2005 Peterbuilt flatbed truck transporting lumber products.

Peterman was pronounced deceased at the scene. She was using safety restraints. Passenger Deborah Brandenburg, age 51, from West Richland, Washington, was transported by LifeFlight to Legacy Emanuel Hospital with serious injuries.

The Peterbuilt truck's driver, Joseph Pratt, age 54, from Vancouver, Washington, was not injured.

Oregon State Police troopers from the Portland Area Command office are investigating. Estacada Fire Department and ODOT assisted at the scene.



Back-to-School Movie Night A Community Event

Come and enjoy the BCT Back-to-School Movie Night on Friday, September 19th at the Beavercreek Community Park, located off of Leland Road. There will be free food starting at 5:00 p.m. and an animated movie, "Surf's Up" beginning around 7:00 p.m.

The animated movie, "Surf's Up" is rated PG and enjoyed by all ages. Bring the family by for great food, popcorn, candy and entertainment.

To learn more about this event or to find out how your organization can get involved, please contact Amanda Hughart at 503-632-2537.



Fall Studio Tour Set for October

On October 24th, 25th & 26th from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p. m. the Fall studio tour for the Open Studios of Beavercreek will take place and it will include 33 local artists at 14 different studios.

Come take a beautiful drive in the country and find that special something you can't go home without.

Checkout the artists, have a cup of coffee, eat a cookie, and perhaps do a little holiday gift shopping.

Don't forget to pick up a punch card at one of the studio locations for a chance to win a gift certificate good for shopping with any of their participating artists.

Check out the website and download the tour map at: www.openstudiosofbeavercreek.com

The summer studio tour was a great success! It was attended by many local residents. The artists would like to thank all who came. They hope to see you again in October!

The Open Studios of Beavercreek was formed in 2003. At that time there were only seven artists. Last year the number 07/26 - 07:18:00 - S. BROCKWAY Rd - Medical had grown to 22 local artists.

The June 2008, tour had a total of 26 artists. For the Octo- 07/27 - 06:55:17 - S. BEAVERCREEK Rd - Accident, ber Tour it is expected that there will 33 artists involved. As you can see, the organization is growing every year.

The more artists the more variety. We are indeed fortunate 07/29 - 12:49:02 - S. BEAVERCREEK Rd - Medical to have so many creative individuals living and working in our midst!



Beavercreek Fire Station Calls

The following are the alarms for the Beavercreek and Clarkes response areas for Clackamas County Fire District 07/31 - 09:26:24 - S. TONYA Ct - Unauthorized Burning #1 from July 20 - August 20, 2008.

Submitted by Shelby Martin, Clackamas County Fire District

woods or wildland fire

18:46:56 - S. MOSIER Rd - Building Fire

potential accident

07/28 - 07:05:27 - S. CASTO Rd - Medical

13:20:23 - WARNER MILNE Rd - vehicle acc w/injuries

07/30 - 04:19:07 - S. SWANSEA Ln - Medical

08:05:44 - S. STONERIDGE Dr - False alarm

14:43:59 - DIVISION St - Medical

14:55:43 - DIVISION St - Medical

15:20:34 - S. TREE TOP Dr - Medical

15:09:17 - MOLALLA Ave - Vehicle acc w/injuries

15:59:53 - HAZELWOOD Dr - Medical

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07/20 - 00:48:54 - PIN OAK Dr/CLEARBROOK Dr -**Building Fire**

10:02:21 - S. BEESON Rd - Medical

14:53:07 - S. BEAVERCREEK Rd - Grass Fire

07/21 - 08:39:03 - S. KAMRATH Rd - Medical 10:31:30 - S. MCBURNEY Rd - Medical

07/22 - 13:13:51 - S. LOGAN Dr - Medical 21:15:01 - S. BUTTE/S. JEWELL Rd - No incident found

07/23 - 14:32:11 - S. DANS Ave - Unauthorized Burning 17:42:24 - S. CAMELLIA Ct - Medical

07/24 - 12:35:21 - S. BUTTE/S JEWELL Rd - Forest,

17:30:13 - S. HWY 213/S. SPANGLER Rd -Potential Accident

23:49:55 - S. BEAVERCREEK Rd - Medical

08/01 - 09:32:01 - S. THAYER/S. MAPLELANE Rd Power line down

08/02 - 06:51:00 - S. UPPER HIGHLAND Rd - Medical

08/03 - 13:36:19 - S. YEOMAN Rd - False alarm 19:21:55 - S. HWY 213 - Medical 21:07:49 - S. HWY 213/S. KIRK Rd - Unauthorized burning

08/04 - 07:59:21 - S. NEWKIRCHNER Rd - Medical 12:36:10 - S. LESLIE Ave - Medical

08/05 - 21:51:42 - S. BEAVERCREEK/S. VALLEY VISTA Rd - Mot veh acc/no injuries

08/06 - 10:03:42 - S. LELAND Rd - Medical

14:15:57 - S. THAYER Rd - Public Service

14:50:05 - S. YEOMAN Rd - False alarm

08/07 - 13:24:23 - S. WOODGLEN Way - Unauthorized Burning

14:00:09 - S. BEAVERCREEK/KAEN Rd Medical

15:34:17 - S. MARJORIE Ln - Medical

08/08 - 16:26:25 - S. MACDONALDS PI - Unauthorized Burning

17:58:44 - PROSPECT St - Building Fire

08/09 - 08:40:21 - S. SHADY FOREST Ln - False Alarm

10:30:18 - S. BEAVERCREEK/FERGUSON Rd - Accident

17:01:22 - S. MARJORIE Ln - Medical



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08/10 - 20:41:32 - S. BEAVERCREEK Rd - Medical

08/11 - 08:49:20 - S. LAMMER Rd - Medical

08/12 - 14:56:29 - S. UPPER HIGHLAND/RIDGE Rd Accident

17:32:55 - S. WILSHIRE/S. MEADOW - Medical

08/15 - 05:29:11 - S. CLOUDVIEW Dr - Medical 12:40:47 - S. HWY 213/S LELAND Rd - Vehicle acc w/injuries

18:31:12 - S. UPPER HIGHLAND Rd - Medical

Metro Presents Region's First Walking Guide

In July, Metro unveiled a new regional walking guide designed to connect residents with newly protected natural areas, scenic parks, historical sites, main streets and com-

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mercial districts throughout the Portland-Vancouver area. The 240-page Walk There! guidebook, indexed by city, offers 50 detailed routes organized by walk type and color-coded regional sections.

Thanks to support from Kaiser Permanente, local governments and community groups, Metro developed this comprehensive walking guide with every level of walker in mind – with routes that vary from easy strolls to longer distance walks with elevated terrains. A number of routes in the guide are suitable for individuals with mobility assistance devices or strollers. An informational bar on the first page of each route lists the difficulty rating, GPS coordinates for the start location, and distance. Each section offers a detailed map and description that explores the location's rich history and landscape.

Pocket-sized copies of Walk There! can be picked up at Metro at no charge. The guidebook will be distributed through multiple venues, including Kaiser health education classes and other programs, community walking events and DriveLess/Save More booths. The guide can also be ordered online for a \$5 shipping fee at www.oregonmetro. gov/walk. Visitors to the web site can find pick-up locations or download all 50 featured walks.

Have You Turned In Your Hamlet Survey?

Hamlet Surveys were sent out to residents of the Hamlet of Beavercreek in July.

It is very important that these surveys are returned to either the Beaver Creek Cooperative Telephone offices on Henrici Road, Oregon City Golf Club, Beavercreek Fire Station or mailed.

On Saturday, August 9, 2008, yours truly as well as Bill Merchant, Chair of the Hamlet of Beavercreek, attended the Backyard Bash at BCT's Henrici Road location. This was done to meet and talk to those who attended about the Bulletin and to ask if they had received their surveys and if so, had they returned them. We had a map showing

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the Hamlet's boundaries and most people who stopped by the table were not even aware that they lived in the Hamlet. Bill Merchant spoke to them about the Hamlet and they were given surveys to fill out and return.

On Saturday, August 23, 2008, from 10:00 to noon Judy Andreen, Chair of the Public Relations Committee, and Christine Nist, a resident of the Hamlet were at the Corner Park to answer questions and hand out surveys to those who needed them.

This survey is very important to the Hamlet. It will let the Board members of the Hamlet as well as County officials know what the people of Beavercreek want to see for the Hamlet's future.

If, for some reason, you did not get a survey, please call the Hamlet Helpline at 503-632-8370 and leave a message. The Editor.

New Clackamas County Bike Map to be Released

The first Clackamas County bike map, Bike It!, to be produced in 14 years will be released at two special events in

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September:

- Kaiser Sunnyside Transportation Options Fair: 11:00 a. m. 3:00 p.m., Thursday, September 4, at the Kaiser Sunnyside Medical Center, 10180 SE Sunnyside Rd., Clackamas. (Bike map to be released during a noon ceremony with officials from Kaiser, Clackamas County and TriMet.)
- Clackamas LIVE!: A Taste of Food, Entertainment, Sports, Art & Spirits: 11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m., Saturday, September 13, North Clackamas Park, 5440 SE Kellogg Creek Dr., off Highway 224 in Milwaukie.

The 2008 Clackamas County *Bike It!* map is a full-color, full-size, waterproof map showing the entire County on one side and the urban area of the County on the other side. The map provides a wide variety of information to help bicyclists determine the best routes for them, whether riding for work or recreation.

Map features include:

Bike lanes, paved multi-use roads and planned multi-use paths

Roadways, divided into four categories based on suitability for bicycles to share with vehicles – most suitable, moderately suitable, less suitable and difficult connection.

Hard-surfaced roads and gravel roads in Mt. Hood National Forest,

Single-track and double-track mountain bike trails
The map also highlights 10 recommended bike rides in



both urban and rural portions of the County, from seven to 73 miles long, from relatively flat farmland to uphill all the way. Each recommended ride has its own map, ride summary, elevation profile and points of interest.

Bike It! will be released over the noon hour on September 4th at the Transportation Options Fair in the Fountain Courtyard at the Kaiser Sunnyside Medical Center. The 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. fair will include educational displays and exhibits, as well as a bike commute workshop by the Bicycle Transportation Alliance (BTA) and the opening of a new TriMet bus stop on the Kaiser campus. The public is welcome to attend; free bike maps will be given to people who attend.

The map will also be available free at Clackamas LIVE! a day-long celebration of Clackamas County on September 13 in North Clackamas Park in Milwaukie. The fun will include music, entertainment, crafts, food, a fine art show, dancing, wine and beer from local wineries and brewers, and an adult kickball tournament. The event is free, though there is a \$7 charge to get into the music performance area.

Bike It! was researched and designed by Clackamas County Planning Division staffers Scott Hoelscher and Lori Mastrantonio and GIS Specialist Jim Lugosi with the support and involvement of the County's Pedestrian/ Bikeway Advisory Committee.

The map is funded through a grant from Metro, as well as support from Kaiser Permanente, Oregon's Mt. Hood Territory and the Clackamas Regional Center TMA. Maps will be available for sale at the county, in bike shops and recreational facilities, and other venues. Proceeds will be used to update the map in future years.

Welding Students Work with State on Improved Bear Trap

Bears don't read. They won't understand the sign on the side of the newest Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife bear trap that reads "Manufactured By Clackamas Community College Welding Department."

CCC welding instructors and students are proud of the handiwork they created over the past several months for the ODFW. Students in Dave Williams' welding fabrication class have been working on the trap for the last three terms, taking the project from conception to design to blueprint to welding fabrication, with revisions along the way.

"It's a beautiful trap," said Don Vandebergh, district wild-



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life biologist for the ODFW's North Willamette District. "We think this will be a real effective and functional tool for us."

Welding students also benefited from the experience. "We are always interested in providing students at the Community College with real-world projects," said Paul Wanner, chairman of the Applied Technology Department at CCC. "We look for opportunities to collaborate with industry and public agencies."

The trap is designed with modifications that make it easier to use in tight quarters in the field. Additional improvements make the trap safer to set. "The project gave Clackamas welding students a great educational experience," said instructor Dave Williams.

CCC offers a full range of welding programs to meet the growing demand for welders in the State. The college has a fully equipped, 34-booth welding and fabrication facility, offering a wide array of welding curriculum for the professional welder including American Welding Society certification. The department recently gained a Computer Numeric Controlled (CNC) plasma cutter to add to the program's state-of-themarket facilities and course offerings for students.

For more information about welding at CCC, contact Paul Wanner at 503-657-6958, ext. 2691. For information about the ODFW, contact Rick Swart at 971-673-6038.

Customized Training Moves to Oregon City Campus

Customized Training and Development Services (CTDS) at Clackamas Community College have relocated to the college's Oregon City campus from the Harmony Community Campus. The move is one of the changes in connection with the opening of the new CCC facility at Harmony Community Campus.



Since 1983, CTDS has provided training to employees and managers of area business and industry, serving nearly 7,000 people per year. CTDS staff assists employers through meeting individualized training needs that help businesses stay competitive in today's global marketplace.

The public is invited to attend an open house at CTDS new offices in CCC's DeJardin Hall. The open house on Thursday, Sept. 25, from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m., and includes tours of the building, light refreshments, and networking with businesses and workforce and economic development partners.

Forestry Resumes Seasonal Road Restrictions for Hunting on West Tillamook

The Oregon Department of Forestry (ODF) will resume road restrictions this fall in the western part of the Tillamook State Forest to improve deer and elk escapement during hunting season.

Some roads will be closed to motorized use during general archery and rifle hunting seasons in September, October and November. Selected roads in the North Fork Trask River, Hembre Ridge and Little North Fork Wilson River areas will be gated and signed.

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> Controlled access during those three months is designed to reduce hunting pressure in these areas where expanded clearcuts have left the deer and elk more vulnerable.

> ODF accelerated its rate of clearcut timber harvest in recent years in the western part of the Tillamook State Forest to convert diseased stands of Douglas-fir to disease-resistant species of trees. This has resulted in larger clearcut areas. Deer and elk generally benefit from openings created by clearcuts as more forage is available to them, but cover for hiding tends to decrease.

ODF is partnering with the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW) and the Tillamook Chapter of the Oregon Hunters Association (OHA) in this program.

Motorized access by ODF staff or contractors working in those areas may occur on occasion. Maps of the road management areas are available at the Tillamook ODF office located at 5005 Third Street, Tillamook and at the Tillamook District's Web site at http://egov.oregon.gov/ODF/



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If you have questions about the road management program, contact Bob Teran at the Tillamook ODF office 503-842-2545 or Herman Biederbeck at the Tillamook ODFW office 503-842-2741.

Oregon Fisheries Update

This information changes weekly, so for the most current info go to www.theguidesforecast.com

Willamette Valley/Metro -

Anglers wanting to fish the mainstem Columbia have their eyes on the dam counts at Bonneville. Counts will increase dramatically in early September, just in time for the September 1st opener of what will likely be a very productive fall salmon fishery from Tongue Point to Bonneville Dam.

Summer steelhead are still providing good opportunity in the gorge but effort is shifting as anglers prepare for the coming salmon run.



Sturgeon fishing in the lower Willamette remains slow with warm water temperatures contributing to poor catch rates. The recent storm event may improve conditions.

With the North Santiam river level and flow stable, steelheading has improved but the bite is light, so use sensitive equipment.

The Sandy was showing a little milky color over the weekend although it did produce some steelhead.

It's still too early for coho in the Clackamas but they should be showing soon. Steelheading is slow with no fish being recycled from the hatchery for the last 2 weeks.

Scheduled to be stocked with trout are Faraday Lake, North Fork Reservoir, Small Fry Lake, Clear Lake and Leaburg Lake.

Northwest -

Catch rates in the Buoy 10 fishery are surprising anglers and biologists alike. Anglers averaged better than .5 fish per rod over the last week with chinook making up the bulk of the catch. Managers will meet by phone today to discuss the remaining quota for this fishery. Chinook in the 15 to 25 pound range are taking both fresh herring and spinners downstream of the Astoria Bridge with the Oregon side of the river producing the best results.

Ocean coho fishing off the entire Oregon Coast is now closed and rough seas may subside by the weekend. Albacore tuna will still be a top priority for ocean anglers as we enter the season when live bait becomes the preferred



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method for taking fish.

Crabbing is improving in the lower Columbia River but effort is light. Salmon trollers are working the crab grounds heavily so prepare for gear conflicts if you drop crab gear.

A sharp rise in north coast streams should bolster summer steelhead opportunities in the Wilson and Nestucca Rivers. Some early Coho may show as well with the Trask and North Fork Nehalem the best options. Early fall chinook may also be on tap on Tillamook Bay by the weekend but the ocean bubble fishery won't open until September 1st.

Rumors of early chinook are coming from the lower portions of the Siletz and Alsea Rivers. Weak tides favor herring trollers this weekend with crabbing a good second option.

Southwest -

With ocean coho now closed, anglers are pursuing rockfish, lingcod and at times, tuna. The all-depth halibut summer season remains open every Friday through Sunday.

As of August 18th, boat anglers may no longer retain cabezon as the quota has been met. Anglers fishing from shore can still keep them.

Ocean crabbing closed on August 14th but has been improving in coastal bays and estuaries. Crabbing will improve as Dungeness harden into fall. Soft tides this coming weekend favor good results.

Fish the tailouts on the North Umpqua for a fair to good chance at a summer steelhead. The mainstem and South Umpqua are reliable for smallmouth.

Fishing offshore out of Gold Beach has been good when the ocean has allowed. Rogue Bay trollers are experiencing occasional flurries of chinook catches. Coho are in the mix and have occasionally been mistaken for chinook. Upriver, fishing for summer steelhead adults and half-pounders has been good from Agness to Gold



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Surf perch fishers are landing good numbers of fish to two pounds or better on south coast beaches.

Rock fishing offshore out of the Port of Brookings has been excellent and lingcod catches are improving. Tuna fishing has been spotty and required a 50-60 mile trip this week.

Diamond Lake has continued to fish well for jumbo rainbow trout, although action is slowing as the water warms up.

Section 5 of the Rogue River is scheduled for trout planting.

Eastern -

Odell anglers are making fair to good catches of kokanee averaging 10 inches. They're not yet showing signs of spawning. The algae problem is all but gone.

Green Peter has been slow to fair for kokanee with trolling most effective.

Steelhead are entering the Deschutes in decent number now. Trollers at the mouth are seeing fair but steady action on plugs. Early mornings are producing for anglers throwing spinners on the lower river

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VIRGINIA B. SIEL

A funeral was held at 10 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 28, 2008, in Sunnyside Centenary United Methodist Church in Portland for Virginia B. Siel, who died Aug. 22 at age 93.

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Virginia B. Thomas was born July 5, 1915, in Portland. She graduated from Washington High School and was a telephone operator for Pacific Northwest Bell. She also lived in Aloha and Beavercreek. In 1944, she married Donald C. Siel.

Survivors include her husband; daughter, Dianna V. Siel-Hurlic; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Remembrances to the American Heart Association. Arrangements by Ross Hollywood. *Originally appeared in the August 26, 2008, Oregonian*.

Campaign for Clackamas County Extension and 4-H District Kick-Off Rally Sept. 7

A Kick-Off Rally for the Clackamas County's Extension and 4-H District Formation Campaign will be held Sunday, September 7th at the Oregon City Golf Course, 20124 Beavercreek Rd. in Oregon City. The event will be held from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The rally is open to all and will include refreshments, music, speakers and an opportunity for volunteers to sign up for a variety of assignments to help get the word out about forming the district. Voters will decide the issue during the Nov. 4 election.

The event will include a food drive to help the needy. Bring non-perishable food items for the Oregon City Golf Club's Food Drive through the Sunshine Division.

* Editors note: The Kick-off Rally for Clackamas County's Extension and 4-H Service District is sponsored, paid for and authorized by "A Special District for Extension!" PAC.

Background

On July 17th the Clackamas County Board of Commis-

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sioners unanimously approved sending to the voters a plan to form a Clackamas County Agricultural Extension Service and 4-H District. The territory in the proposed district includes all of Clackamas County except the City of Johnson City.



Since 2003, Clackamas County has provided federal timber funding to augment Extension's programs. The loss of the federal funding following fiscal year 2008-2009 will leave a major hole in the County's budget and will affect a number of its departments and partner programs - including the Extension Service.

"The cut in Federal revenue allocated to the County has led to budget cuts that affect many programs" said Clackamas County Commission Chair Lynn Peterson. "Forming a Clackamas County Agri-

cultural Extension and 4-H District will allow a dedicated source of funding for the important Extension Service programs that benefit the entire community."

For the past 90 years, the Agricultural Extension Service has served residents of Clackamas County to provide unbiased university, research-based information to address local issues, problems and needs. Extension helps farmers and forest owners to improve the productivity and profitability of their lands, teaches youth practical life skills that prepare them to be contributing members of their communities and addresses critical environmental quality questions facing rural, suburban and urban residents.

"Clackamas County has a long and proud tradition of supporting Extension Services to the residents of the County," said Commissioner Bill Kennemer. "Today with this ballot measure, voters have the opportunity to create a special district with long term sustainable funding to continue Extension's important mission."

Clackamas County has the largest 4-H program in the



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 pager number below and leave your phone number. Someone will return your call.

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State, with more than 5,000 youth, kindergarten through 12th grade, participating in community clubs and in-school and after-school programs.

"With the loss of Federal Secure Rural Schools funding to augment Extension's programs, we had to act in order to save this program," said Commissioner Martha Schrader. "There's a lot of talk these days about being green and sustainable. None of this is new to Extension programs in the County. Extension has been teaching our citizens about sustainable agriculture, forestry and gardening for years."

The proposed rate for the creation of the Service District is 5 cents (a nickel) per \$1,000 of assessed property tax valuation. The creation of a Service District would generate approximately \$1.5 million for the upcoming fiscal year to provide long-term sustainable funding for Extension Service in Clackamas County.



Beavercreek Lions News

The Oregon City Lions Club is off and running. Chartering of this newest Lions Club in District O occurred early this month. At press time the club was approaching 30 members. Its goal is to have 50 members by the time of the Charter Night.

Charter Night is set for Friday, September 19 with a nohost beginning at 6:00 pm. The event will be at the Ainsworth House on Lot Whitcomb (access from Leland Road). The club has the use of Ainsworth House for that evening plus free use for one full year for its meetings. OC Meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at 4:30 pm.

The Beavercreek Lions Club is the sponsoring club and Head Guiding Lion is Frank Wille. He is assisted by Art Van Alstine, Jenny Collier and Jim Jaggers.

MHSU VISIT

Club members are reminded that the Mobile Health Screening Unit will be in Oregon City on the afternoon of November 20, 2008. The unit is being brought in to serve the Homeless Student Program in the Oregon City School District. Screenings will also be offered to students in the Oregon City Service Learning Academy at the Jackson Campus. The unit will need be manned from 12:00-4:30 pm.

BOARD ACTIONS

- 1. \$100 to the Clackamas County Historical Society.
- 2. \$150 to Lion Sue Jaggers for Quilts
- 3. \$200 to the District effort for the pre school in San Blas, Mexico

- 4. \$250 for school supplies
- 5. Adopted a Meals on Wheels route in Beavercreek

NEW DISTRICT O PROJECT

District O has a new project to support a priviate pre school in San Blas Mexico. Clubs, including Beavercreek, have donated funds to help build a covered play area, a refrigeration unit and school supplies for the Tres Palamas 1 (CCSD #1), while protecting public health and the Wil-

SIGHT AND HEARING

passed on to Lion Art.

School age children are served through the KEX Kids Fund administered by our Oregon Lions Sight and Hearing Foundation. Those needing hearing aids can also access the KEX Fund through a separate endowment. The Foundation also has a low vision program that helps students by providing equipment.

In addition to these programs, the club can refer individuals for surgeries to restore sight or hearing. In the past the club has sponsored individuals for cataract surgery and cochlear implants.

Another Accident! Luckily This Time No Fatality

On the morning of Saturday, August 9, 2008, there was an accident at the intersection of S. Ferguson Road and S. Beavercreek Road. Anyone trying to get through Beavercreek that morning is aware of the crash as the roadway was closed for a number of hours and people had to take detours.

Lea Dell Robertson, age 82, of Oregon City was driving westbound on S. Ferguson Road in a 2002 Gold Ford Taurus when she pulled out in front of the 2001 blue Ford truck driven by Donald Raines, age 45, of Beavercreek. Mr. Raines was driving Northbound on S. Beavercreek Road.

Mr. Raines swerved to try to avoid the crash and collided with Ms. Roberson's driver rear quarter panel. He then crashed through the fence at 21981 S. Beavercreek Road at 23, 2008, meeting that were approved as read. the residence of Mike Mullikin and broke PGE power pole #450. Both vehicles were towed from the scene.

Luckily no one was injured in this accident. Both drivers were wearing lap/shoulder belts.

An investigation into the incident was conducted by the Clackamas County Sheriff's Office.

Clackamas County's Water Environment Services (WES) Hires Local Construction Manager for Tri-City Wastewater Capacity **Expansion Project**

A builder of wastewater treatment plants and other facilities in the Northwest was selected August 7 to become what is known as the Construction Management/General Contractor (CM/GC) for Clackamas County's short-term wastewater Capacity Management Program (CMP.)

The Clackamas County Board of County Commissioners (BCC) approved a \$10-million contract for Slayden Construction Group, Inc., of Stayton, Oregon to complete portions of construction for the CMP project. The project is designed to increase sewage treatment services for residents and businesses in Clackamas County Service District No. lamette River.

The total project, estimated at \$116.6 million, includes Any referrals for eyeglasses or hearing aids need to be expansion of the Tri-City Wastewater Treatment Plant in Oregon City, improvements to the Kellogg Creek Treatment Plant in Milwaukie, sewer pipelines connecting to Tri-City. It also includes repairs to the 82nd Drive Pedestrian Bridge which carries a major pipeline across the river to the Tri-City Plant.

> The expansion is a key part of the strategy to serve CCSD #1, which has leased treatment services from Tri-City because the Kellogg Creek Plant is currently over capacity and can no longer meet the wastewater demand of the District. Work at the Tri-City Plant will start after Labor Day. The early work package includes mobilization, excavation, yard piping, foundations and piling construction. For more information, contact Amy Kyle at 503-353-4561 or visit the project Web site at www.RiverHealth.org.



The monthly Hamlet Community Meeting took place at the Beavercreek Grange on Wednesday, August 27, 2008, at 7:00 p.m. with 18 members and guests in attendance.

There was no guest speaker.

The meeting was called to order at 7:05 p.m. by Chair Bill Merchant.

Secretary, Joan Martinez, read the highlights of the July

There were questions asked regarding the work being done across the road from the Beavercreek Saloon and Restaurant. They were stopping traffic in order to run utilities under the road to serve the new subdivision.

Someone asked about the new triple wide going in next to Skyles Drilling. The Board had no information on what was being done on the site at this time.

The Treasurer's report was given and the Board asked for approval to spend up to \$500.00 for the 2nd Annual Hamlet Happening on September 13th. It passed.

The Nominating Committee report was given. There are 7 individuals who have been nominated to fill the 4 vacancies. The four vacancies are Chair, Secretary and 2 board members. It was noted that two of the candidates have not filed their application for the election as of August 27th. It was also noted that the application deadline was Friday, August 29, 2008.

It was noted that one candidate was out of town. They will be contacted as will the other nominee, to make sure they get their application in by the deadline. There were no nominations from the floor.

Christine Roth, who is our County liaison, gave an expla-

nation of the voting process and how it will be done at the September 24th Town Hall Meeting that will take place at Beavercreek Elementary School.

There was only one land use action before the members. It was a proposed changed to ZDO 220 (Zoning and Development Ordinance 220). The proposal was for amendments to Section 802, Two and Three-Family Dwellings, and Section 301, Minimum Lot and Structure Design Requirements. These are housekeeping changes to remove the RA-2 designation from Section 802. There will be a Planning Commission hearing at 6:30 p.m. on September 22, 2008, at the Sunnybrook Service Center, 9101 SE Sunnybrook Blvd., Clackamas. There will also be a Board of County Commissioners hearing at 9:30 a.m. on October 29, 2008, 2051 Kaen Road, Oregon City.

The members were also advised as to land use decisions that were decided since the last meeting.

The Hamlet Happening was also discussed. More information is available elsewhere in this issue. Volunteers are needed to help set up and clean up after the event. If you would like to volunteer call 503-632-4330 and ask for Judy. This is a community event and community participation is vital!

There was an update on the "Welcome to the Hamlet of" that is to be added to the "Beavercreek" sign in front of Skyles Drilling. It should be up soon.

The History and Design Review Committees were also briefly discussed.

So far about 250 surveys have been returned to the dropoff sites (Beaver Creek Cooperative Telephone Company, Beavercreek Fire Station and Oregon City Golf Club).

Surveys will be available at the Hamlet Happening and at the Oregon City Farmer's Market.

Christine Kozinski made various reports on the status of the Beavercreek Road Concept Plan, Clackamas River Water rate increases, Oregon City Code and Ordinance changes, the purchase of the McLean Clinic by Oregon City for County offices as well as the new Wilco Store in Oregon City and an update on the proposed subdivision on Thayer Road that was denied, but is still being negotiated.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

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://www.beavercreek_Hamlet_Boundary_map.pdf

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.

2008 BCT Backyard Bash Results Are In

For 2008 the Backyard Bash raised \$4,445.00 for local non-profits.

The event was held on August 9th at the company's Henrici Road location.

The money raised will be split amongst the 8 non-profits in attendance: Fill-A-Stocking, Fill-A-Heart, Dove Lewis Animal Hospital, Beavercreek Charitable Trust, Beavercreek Lions Club, Oregon City Children's Theatre, Pioneer Community Center/ Meals on Wheels, Clackamas Women's Services and Oregon City Relay for life. Each non-profit will receive a little over \$555. This was a great event, thank you for your attendance!

Our 4 Legged Friends



My Name is "MICKEY" and I'm available for Adoption!

Hello... my name is

"Mickey" and I'm available for adoption. I'm a Mc Nabb/

I'm a 1 year old male and I weigh approximately 30 to 60 lbs. As you can see I'm black and white in color.

Here is what I have to say about myself!

"Hello, my name is Mickey. I love to be in the great out-doors! I am young and still need some training, but I learn fast and am eager to please. I walk well on lead when I have a harness on and I love to play fetch. Would you please come play with me today, I would love to be your forever friend!

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:

www.co.clackamas.or.us/dc/adoptdog.jsp

The shelter is located at 2104 Kaen Rd., in Oregon City. 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. "MICKEY"

Tenth Annual Beavercreek Fall Festival and Marketplace October 11!

Get ready for a FUN community event and an opportunity to get a jump start on your holiday shopping! Beavercreek United Church of Christ (The Ten O'Clock Church) will be hosting the Tenth Annual Beavercreek Fall Festival

and Marketplace on Saturday, October 11, 2008. A gathering of talented area artisans and crafters will offer a variety of top-quality hand-crafted items and goodies for sale, starting at 9 A.M. and continuing until 3 P.M. The Festival will be happening at 23345 S. Beavercreek Road, about 2 miles South of Beavercreek on Ten O'Clock Hill. Signs will guide offering a comprehensive 13 session Boating Skills and

Along with the artisans' wares, there will be a raffle, featuring items from our artisans, generously donated to help fund church projects. The "Angels in Action" table will offer consecutive weeks starting on September 11th at the Portcreative opportunities to children who attend the Festival. The "Blessed Temptations" table will be laden with a variety of mouth-watering baked goods, preserves and snacks to take home and share with the family. You can also pick up ily members attending the class and using the same text

Boating Skills and Seamanship Class Offered by USCG Auxiliary

Flotilla 76 of the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary is Seamanship course starting September 11th and running through December 11, 2008.

This course will be held on Thursday evenings for 13 land Water Pollution Control Lab at 6543 N. Burlington Ave. from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm. The cost for the course is \$45.00 which cover the text and materials. Additional fam-

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the kitchens of the Ten O'Clock Church chefs - well-known by contacting Barbara Korsmo, 503-669-4190, or email for their fabulous home cooking!

break and enjoy coffee, tea, sweet treats or a tasty lunch at "The Garden of Eatin". A certain pie maker received a proposal of marriage from an obviously satisfied pie customer Skills and Seamanship course is much more comprehenat a previous Festival!

Proceeds from the Fall Festival will fund various church projects, including mission work, food pantry and youth pro- law requires everyone to have an Oregon Boater's Card in

You will find treasures galore at the festival and will support projects that benefit the community at the same time! Bring your friends, neighbors, colleagues and relatives and join the folks at the Tenth Annual Fall Festival and Marketplace for a great time!

a copy of the church cookbook, a collection of recipes from may purchase a work book for \$10.00. Please pre-register korsmobj@hevanet.com. You may also contact Earl Mark-Shopping is hard work we all know, so you can take a ham at 360-574-5704, or by email earlm_cgaux@netzero.

> Unlike the one day Boating Safety class, the Boating sive in nature.

> In 2009, Oregon's Mandatory Boater Safety Education order to operate a vessel on the waterways of the State.



See you next month... The Editor!