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September 2013

3rd "Stars in the Park" Concert Well Attended

On Friday, August 9, 2013, the Korner Park in downtown Beavercreek was abuzz with activity. This was the evening that the 3rd Annual "Stars in the Park" Concert took place.

The artist for the evening was the Rae Gordon Band. Rae Gordon, a Cascade Blues Association's Muddy Award Winner for Best Female Vocalist, was on hand with her band to rock the park from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Mother nature also decided to get into the act with a few rain drops including a little thunder and lightening off in the distance. As the concert ended a double rainbow made its appearance to the delight of those still on site. What a wonderful end to a wonderful evening!

This year had the highest attendance ever. People came prepared with lawn chairs and blankets and settled in to hear the Rae Gordon Band with it's Blues and Soul music. Rae Gordon's voice has a very dynamic range and has been described in the media as "Add equal parts of Janis Joplin's pain, Aretha Franklin's soul and Grace Slick's power; mix them thoroughly, and add a big gob of gooey molasses and you have Rae Gordon's voice".

Attendees were also treated to food served by "Thelma's Grub Tub". Thelma, aka Cheryl Boffard, served favorites such as "taco in a bag" and pulled pork sandwiches.

Also on hand were Jan Wallinger and Ron Webb, owners of Beavercreek's local winery, Forest Edge Vineyard, located on Spangler Road. They served their red and white locally made wines as well as beer by Seven Brides Brewing in Silverton.

Also on site was "Exper-Teece" Hair Design, located in Downtown Beavercreek, who held a drawing. The winner won \$100.00 worth of products and/or services.

There was also a raffle where the winner won half of the money raised. The winner won \$101.00. The other half went to the Hamlet.

Clackamas County Commissioners Amend County Parks Ordinance to Include Visual Inspections of Personal Property

The Clackamas County Board of Commissioners (BCC) has unanimously approved amendments to the County

Community Calendar

Back Country Horsemen, Territorial Riders Chapter...

Second Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. Beavercreek 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, Beavercreek 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, BeavercreekGrange at 1:00 p.m.

Beavercreek Lions...

First and Third Saturday, Beavercreek 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, Beavercreek 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, Beavercreek 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 Elmers). 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 Beavercreek Fire Station Meeting Room.

Hamlet of Beavercreek Community Meetings...

Fourth Wednesday, Beavercreek 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 Meeings...

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 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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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.

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23345 S. Beavercreek Rd. 503-632-4553

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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.
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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.

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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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: 8:15 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. **Education Hour:** Sundays, 9:45 a.m.

Thursday Morning Adult Bible Class: 10:30 a.m. Whitewater For 9th - 12th Graders: Sundays, 6:30 p.m.

Bell Choir: Wednesdays, 6:45 p.m. **Quilters Guild:** Mondays, 9:30 a.m.

J.A.M For Kindergarten thru 5th Grade: Wed., 6:30 p.m.

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

Parks Ordinance that will allow for visual inspections of personal items belonging to people entering the parks.

The changes take effect immediately.

The amendments change County parks rules to provide new authority for the Sheriff's Office, and other designated individuals, to perform visual inspections of personal property items such as coolers, bags and backpacks. Those refusing inspection will be directed to leave the park premises

Administrative searches are routinely conducted for purposes other than law enforcement, such as courthouse and airport security, and at large public venues such as concert halls and sporting arenas.

Under the amended ordinance, anyone possessing alcohol on County park property without a permit – and even then only in designated reserved picnic areas and campsites – will be asked to leave the park. The amended ordinance also prohibits glass or glass bottles on County park property unless otherwise allowed by permit.

These changes were prompted by increased recreational use of the Clackamas River resulting in public safety issues and environmental concerns related to drunkenness, littering and trespassing.

Commissioners unanimously agreed that these issues had to be addressed.

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"This ordinance transcends politics," Commissioner Tootie Smith said. "We were elected to govern and govern we will."

"It's time to take back the Clackamas River," said Commissioner Martha Schrader. "This is a family-friendly ordinance. People don't want to see one of our pristine rivers sullied by garbage."

"This is our backyard. It's public property and we get to set the rules to protect it from certain elements," said Chair John

"Our job is to protect the public and we do that through the hard work of the Clackamas County Sheriff's Office," said Commissioner Jim Bernard. "And we do that also by enacting laws that protect life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

Commissioner Paul Savas added, "People have a choice. If they don't want their coolers and backpacks inspected, they can turn around and go elsewhere. People have a right to enjoy the park safely." For more information about the amended ordinance please visit www.clackamas.us

New Rules on Forest Truffle Harvest - Requires Permit

Truffle hunting - a hobby pursued in Oregon's forests, not the grocery store candy aisle - has a new set of regulations. These fungal delicacies that grow beneath the soil's surface were designated a "special forest product" by the Oregon Legislature earlier this year. Anyone who intends to collect truffles in the forest this fall must have a permit issued by the landowner.

House Bill 2615 amended the State statute on the harvesting of special forest products, ORS 164.183, to broaden the category of "edible mushrooms" to "edible fungi," thus including truffles. Other special forest products already subject to harvest regulation under the law include firewood, cedar shake bolts, and greens such as tree boughs and salal. HB 2615 also places a requirement on individuals and businesses that buy truffles harvested in Oregon's forests to maintain a record of their purchases.

The Oregon Department of Forestry will make available new special forest products permit forms by October 1, 2014. For the 2013 truffle season, the department has prepared interim forms for landowners and buyers to use which can be picked up at any local ODF office.

Location and contact information for ODF headquarters and field offices can be found on the web, www.oregon.gov/odf.

> Back issues available upon request while supplies last

Clackamas Community College September Calendar of Events

September 2 - Labor Day Holiday Closure

Clackamas Community College will be closed in observance of the Labor Day holiday.

September 4 - 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 503-594-3254.

September 20 - New Student Experience

The NSE begins in Randall Gym and runs from 8:00 a. m. to 4:00 p.m. This event provides an opportunity for new students to become familiar with Clackamas Community College. For more information, call 503-594-3284.

September 25 - CCC Inservice

CCC is closed to the public on Wednesday, Sept. 25, for all-staff Inservice activities. The Oregon City Campus bookstore will be open from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

September 19 - October 6 - CRT: 'The 39 Steps'

Clackamas Repertory Theatre presents the comedy "The 39 Steps" directed by Tim True. "The 39 Steps" was adapted by Patrick Barlow from the novel by John Buchan, from the movie by Alfred Hitchcock, and an original concept by Simon Corble and Nobby Dimon. Evening performances are Thursdays through Saturdays, beginning at 7:30 p.m., and Sunday matinees begin at 2:30 p. m. Individual tickets are \$12 - \$24. For tickets, please visit www.clackamasrep.org or call 503-594-6047.

September 30 - Fall Term Begins

Fall term classes begin at Clackamas Community College.

Preventive Health Care Services for Women Vary Widely Across

Oregon

Screenings for women also fall national below averages, cording to a new report that examines the quality and utilization of health care in Oregon

Clinics across Oregon show wide variation in screening pracIssues of the

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tices for breast cancer, cervical cancer and Chlamydia, according to a new report released August 14, 2013, from the nonprofit Oregon Health Care Quality Corporation (Q Corp). For cervical cancer and Chlamydia screenings, the average rates of clinics providing this care were below national averages.

The Information for a Healthy Oregon report also shows that a considerable number of women in Oregon received breast cancer screenings both before and long after the United States Preventive Services Task Force (USPTSF) recommended ages. In 2009, USPSTF changed the recommended age group for biennial breast cancer screenings from 40-74 years to 50-74 years. Yet, the report shows that 26 percent of women over the age of 85 received these tests.

In addition to information about women's preventive care, Information for a Healthy Oregon also includes data on potentially avoidable Emergency Department (ED) visits and hospital admissions. The report shows that potentially avoidable ED visits decreased significantly over the last year. For the first time, the report also includes data on hospital readmissions within 30 days of a previous hospital stay. In Oregon, one in nine hospital admissions by adults was followed by a readmission within 30 days.

"Since 2008, we've played a unique role in convening our community members to develop and evolve the most comprehensive health care data and analytics in Oregon," says

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Mylia Christensen, executive director of the Oregon Health Care Quality Corporation. "As Oregon continues to lead the country in health care innovation, Information for a Healthy Oregon will help demonstrate the impact of efforts to transform health care to meet the Triple Aim goals of improving overall health, enhancing the patient experience of care and reducing costs."

Q Corp is also working with local initiatives to help track the progress of efforts to improve health care. This year, Information for a Healthy Oregon examines the performance of clinics that are recognized by the Oregon Health Authority as Patient-Centered Primary Care Homes. Recognized primary care homes are accessible, accountable and offer comprehensive, continuous and coordinated care to patients and families. For women's preventive care, Information for a Healthy Oregon reveals that recognized clinics achieved a significantly better rate for Chlamydia screenings than non-recognized clinics. Recognized primary care homes also had significantly higher rates of providing well-child visits for children 3-6 years of age, appropriately using antibiotics for children with sore throats, and performing eye exams and kidney disease monitoring for people with diabetes.

Eight of Oregon's largest health plans, two managed Medicaid organizations and the Oregon Health Authority's Division of Medical Assistance Programs contributed claims data for this report. Combined, this data represents care



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Q Corp is part of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation's Aligning Forces for Quality (AF4Q) initiative, a program in 16 communities across the United States. In November 2012, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services announced that Q Corp is one of the first three organizations in the U.S. to become a certified Qualified Entity to receive Medicare fee-for-service data. For more information about Information for a Healthy Oregon, including a copy of the report, visit www.Q-Corp.org.

Stevens-Crawford Heritage House Opens Lace & Beadwork Exhibit

The Stevens-Crawford House is now showing a special exhibit entitled "Treasures of Lace, Beadwork & Embroidery 1900-1930"

From personal adornment to the simplest household object embellished with needlework see the many examples of the arts of embroidery, lace making and beading.

Visit the 1908 four-square family home built for Harley Stevens Sr. The house includes 15 rooms furnished with the personal belongings of the family. The house is located at 603 6th Street, Oregon City, OR 97045. For more information, please call 503-655-2866. The house is open Thursday through Saturday, 12:00 pm to 4:00 p. m. The last tour begins at 3:30 p.m. Admission is FREE.



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Thank You Forest Edge Vineyard

The Rae Gordon Band concert in the park on August 9, 2013, was a great success! A big thank you goes to Forest Edge Vineyard for stepping in at the last minute to offer adult beverages at the park venue. Vineyard owners Ron Webb and Jan Wallinder hustled around, getting the necessary permits just in time to bring their tent and set-up to the concert. In addition to offering several Forest Edge vintages, they partnered with 7 Brides Brewing of Silverton which made a number of beer selections available – there

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was something for every taste!

Food and beverages made a complete dinner/concert night out for the enthusiastic crowd. Thanks, Ron and Jan!

Editors Note: Forest Edge Vineyard is located at 15640 S Spangler Road in Beavercreek! See their ad elsewhere in this issue.



New Library Design: The Heart of the Matter

What do YOU want to see inside the new library?

Carnegie Park and Carnegie Library have been designated as the site of future library expansion. One big aspect of figuring out what the new library will look like is figuring out what is inside the library, how the interior space is used, and how much space is devoted to specific services.

We need your help and want your input! Please start thinking (or keep thinking) about what you'd like to see inside the new library and how you would like to see the space used. Bring your ideas to the initial public meeting on this topic to be held on Thursday, September 5th at 6:00 p.m. at the Oregon City, City Hall, 625 Center St., Oregon City.

Can't make it to the meeting? Email Library Director Maureen Cole at mcole@orcity.org or call 503.657.8269 ext 1010. There will be more public meetings, to be announced later.

UCC Food Pantry Community Help Line 503-593-2338

New Student Experience at CCC Sept. 20

Students who are entering Clackamas Community College for the first time this fall are invited to attend the annual New Student Experience orientation on Friday, Sept. 20, at the Oregon City campus.

New Student Experience (NSE) is held every year prior to the first day of fall term classes. NSE is a one-day class designed to help students get acquainted with campus, connect with CCC faculty and current students, learn about academic programs and extracurricular activities, and become familiar with critical resources to be a successful student. The theme of this year's event is "Becoming Clackamas."

Students who participate in NSE can earn one free, transferable credit. Register online through myClackamas at www.clackamas.edu for CRN# 243042.

NSE begins at 8:00 a.m. in the Randall Gym at CCC's Oregon City campus and continues until 4:00 p.m. A pizza lunch is included for all participating students.

For more information about New Student Experience, please email the Admissions and Recruitment Office at out-reach@clackamas.edu or call 503-594-3284.

Clackamas Historical Society Presents One Hundred Years of Steamers on the Willamette

2013 Feature Exhibit

Beginning with the launch of the side-wheeler *Lot Whitcomb* in Milwaukie on December 25, 1850, steamers

seed.

Giant Hogweed can be difficult to identify due to its simi-



larities with common plants like Queen Anne's lace, Cow Parsnip, and Poison Hemlock. All of plants these have white umbrella-shaped flowers deeply lobed or lacv leaves. There is

feature that separates Giant Hogweed from similar species causing plant lovers to want it in their yards - its size. This toxic plant is downright prehistoric in appearance and can grow from the ground to 10-15 feet in height in a matter of months. It typically produces 20,000+ seeds per



carried passengers and freight up and down the Willamette River for over one hundred years.

Visit our new exhibit showing the ships that were built and operated in Clackamas County.

211 Tumwater Dr, Oregon City, OR 97045 503-655-5574

Open Wednesday through Saturday 11:00 am to 4:00 pm Free Admission

Giant Hogweed Discovered in Clackamas County

Giant Hogweed, (*Heracleum mantegazzianum*), has been found in urban and rural settings in Clackamas County and surrounding areas in recent years. This invasive plant causes severe burns and even blindness in some cases. It appears to be spreading throughout the region by friendly sharing of plant starts and spread by

plant and can easily spread into surrounding, unsuspecting yards and natural areas.

While all plants have at least some positive aspects for people and ecosystems, this one is not worth having anywhere in Clackamas County. Due to public health concerns, local, State, and Federal weed control programs are working hard to eradicate all detected infestations from the region.

Please help control this dangerous plant by reporting any sightings to the Oregon Invasive Species Hotline (http://oregoninvasiveshotline.org/) or the Clackamas County Soil & Water Conservation District at 503-210-6000, or send a message to weeds@conservationdistrict.org. The Clackamas County Soil & Water Conservation District is a tax funded, conservation-focused special district that provides free control services for this and other high priority invasive species threatening Clackamas County.



Clackamas County Historical Society Quarterly Meeting to be Held

Thursday September 26, 2013, at 7:00 p.m. the Historical Society will be holding their quarterly meeting at the *Museum of the Oregon Territory located at* 211 Tumwater Dr., in Oregon City.

The Special Guest Speaker will author and mountaineer Jon Bell - "On Mount Hood - A Biography of Oregon's Perilous Peak" A Biography of Oregon's Perilous Peak tells the story of Oregon's greatest mountain, a mountain that has shaped the very land of the Northwest. The mountain itself helps create the notorious Oregon rains and deep alpine snows, it draws millions to its textbook beauty every year; it paved the way for snowboarding in the mid 1980s, its forests provide some of the purest drinking water in the world. and its snowy peak captures the attention of the nation almost every time it wreaks fatal havoc upon climbers seeking the summit. Through an engaging mix of first-person narrative, including an epic trip around the mountain on the storied Timberline Trail, and the stories of countless climbers, scientists, historians, and overall characters who have helped make Mount Hood the lively feature that it is, On Mount Hood builds a compelling story of a legendary mountain and its impacts on the people who live in its shadow every day.

Clackamas County Tourism Announces Opening of 2013 Development Grant Program

Tourism grants are now available for development opportunities in Clackamas County

The 2013-14 Clackamas County Tourism Development Program grants are now available. According to Jae Heidenreich, program manager, this year's grant funds, which will be awarded to enhance the County's tourism assets, have doubled over last year to \$200,000. All Tourism grant programs are funded by a County Transient Room Tax and are administered by the Clackamas County Tourism & Cul-

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tural Affairs Department (CCTCA) under the guidance of the Clackamas County Tourism Development Council (TDC).

The application process is open to public, private and nonprofit organizations whose projects benefit the greater public interest in tourism development. This year, tourism development grant applicants can seek a grant minimum of \$5,000 and a maximum of \$100,000 for a single project. Applicants are required to attend a grant application workshop. Two workshops will be offered in September 2013 for those interested in submitting an application.

Successful applications will likely focus on at least one of the "Three Pillars" of Clackamas County Tourism: Outdoor Recreation, Agritourism or Cultural/Heritage Tourism. Eligible projects might range from tourism-infrastructure development to employing technology to capture visitor feedback to developing new heritage experiences. Projects building on local tourism assets and highlighting Clackamas County's unique qualities will be of particular interest.

"We were encouraged by the caliber of projects that emerged from last year's streamlined grant program, and are seeking leading-edge business ideas with strong commercial potential," said Daphne Wuest, TDC board chair. "We are excited to support tourism projects that inspire overnight stays and have the strength of community energy and private/public partnership to back them up."

Pre-applications are due by October 14, and the Development Grant Application Packet must be completed in its entirety no later than November 18, 2013. Program overview, application packets and all details are available online at www.mthoodterritory.com/about-us/grants. Award decisions will be announced in December 2013.

Tourism in Oregon is defined as: "Economic activity resulting from tourists. Tourist means a person who, for business or pleasure, recreation or participation in events related to the arts, heritage or culture, travels from the community in which that person is a resident to a different community that is separate, distinct from and unrelated to the person's community of residence, and that trip requires the person to travel more than 50 miles from the community of residence; or includes an overnight stay."

Successful grant applications will showcase tourism-related projects that have the potential to become significant and self sustaining, and are aligned with the goals and priorities outlined in the TDC's 2012-17 Master Plan mthoodterritory.com/pdf/master_plan.pdf and in CCTCA

2013-14 Priorities bus_plan_accomplish.pdf.

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OMSI Ignites Taste Buds With a Cooking Series Beginning Aug 27

An evening to spark your thoughts and ignite your taste buds: sound appetizing? The Oregon Museum of Science and Industry (OMSI) and Portland Monthly Magazine will offer Cook For Life, a series of seasonal, health-centered cooking classes addressing the latest culinary topics and trends. Presented by Regence, the new quarterly feature will make its debut beginning August 27 at Theory eatery, where food meets science.

Upcoming Cook for Life events:

- * The Paleo Life: Tuesday, October 22, 2013
- * Raw Foods & Juicing: Tuesday, January 14, 2014
- * Cooking for Kids: Tuesday, April 15, 2014

Tickets:

Tickets are \$25 dollars per person. Class includes small plates of each dish plus refreshments. 100 percent of the net proceeds will benefit OMSI.

Cook for Life is created in partnership with Portland Monthly, OMSI and Regence, with support from National College of Natural Medicine and KGW NewsChannel 8.

Clackamas County Swat Team Executes Search Warrant in Oregon City

A joint effort between the Oregon City Police Department and the Clackamas County Inter-Agency Task Force lead to a search warrant for unlawful possession of a firearm by a convicted felon.

The Clackamas County SWAT Team served a search warrant this morning around 6:00 a.m. at a residence in the 13500 block of Gaffney Lane in Oregon City. No one was injured as a result of the warrant although one subject was transported to the hospital for a pre-existing medical condition. A total of five subjects were detained in the residence. Several firearms and ammunitions were seized.

Four of the subjects were arrested. Christopher Martin Hawley, 35 years old, was arrested for Felon in Possession of Firearm (X7), Unlawful Possession of certain short barreled firearm, Theft I (Stolen firearm). Scott Micaulen Thornberg, 24 years old, was arrested for PCS Meth. David Shawn Gelbrich, 31 years old, was arrested for Parole Violation. Danielle Nicole Yochum, 25 years old, was arrested for a PCS Meth Warrant.

Got Any Ideas for Articles?

Feel Free to E-Mail or call the paper with your suggestions! 503-632-6525 or b_bulletin.info@beavercreekbulletin.org

HOPE Grant Supports Health Care Training

More than 115 people gained training and jobs in health care through the Healthcare Occupations Pathways to Employment (HOPE) grant at Clackamas Community College over the past three years. The grant, a consortium of seven Oregon community colleges and Work-

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Over the past three years, the Department of Labor grant provided funding to train, place and retain Oregonians in the health care field. HOPE utilizes the Oregon Career Pathways model to deliver training for in-demand health care occupations that lead to credentials recognized by industry. By aligning trainings with existing career pathways, participants were able to upgrade existing skills to higher wage positions in the health care field.

The grant was aimed at unemployed, dislocated and incumbent workers facing barriers to employment. Participants were referred to the program by sources such as the Oregon Employment Department and WorkSource

Clackamas, workforce services located at Clackamas Community College. Health Science instructors at CCC provided the instruction and training.

Participants in the program at CCC received training and were placed in jobs in health care fields including certified nursing assistants, clinical lab assistants, dental assistants, emergency medical technicians, medical assistants and others.

For more information about the HOPE grant at CCC, please contact Jodi Stapleton at jodis@clackamas.edu or call 503-594-3857. For information about training leading to employment call Worksource Clackamas 971-673-6400.

CCC to Host Small Farm School

Clackamas Community College will host the Small Farm School on Saturday, Sept. 7, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

The Small Farm School is an all-day event for beginning farmers and small acreage landowners. Field and class-room workshops address small farm topics such as cattle and poultry management, berry and vegetable production,

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tractor safety and operation, on-farm veterinary care, soil health and other topics.

The event is sponsored by OSU Extension Service, Clackamas County Soil & Water Conservation District and CCC. The cost is \$65 for adults and \$40 for youth. For more information, please visit http://smallfarms.oregonstate.edu/small-farm-school.

Local Offers Painting Classes!

Victoria Knight grew up here in Beavercreek and attended Molalla High School where she graduated in 1979. She has recently returned to the area of her childhood. She is a professional Graphic Artist-turned-muralist and has been working in her field since 1994.

She also loves to teach, so she holds 2 hour classes for all levels of artists (ages 10 and up) who are non-artists, hopefuls, beginners, interested, capable, advanced, or genius, etc., but want to have a great experience without the pressure of performance. Her students copy her in their own style stroke-for-stroke. In just 120 minutes, the stu-

Where Are The Boundaries of The Hamlet?

http://www.beavercreekbulletin.org/Misc/ Beavercreek Hamlet Boundary map.pdf

dents complete their own masterpiece without her ever touching their painting - ever! Every class is different and new

In the classes acrylics are used. She provides everything: aprons, brushes, easels, paints, and canvas. It is sooooo fun! The cost is \$25 per person/class and preregistration is necessary. You can register online at www. victoriaknightpaintings.com. Check out the calendar and sign up under "MASTERPIECE in MINUTES". People can also schedule private parties... She's mobile! See Victoria's ad elsewhere in this issue.

15th Annual Fall Bazaar Oct 12 "The Ten O'Clock Church"

Mark your calendars for the 15th Annual Fall Bazaar, Saturday, October 12th, from 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m., held at the "The Ten O'Clock Church", (Beavercreek United Church of Christ) 23345 S. Beavercreek Rd.

This popular event has been happening every October since 1998 and consists of many very talented Artisans offering a wide variety of quality creations and gifts that will simplify your holiday shopping.

Some of the creations include: Hand-painted Ornaments, Hand-crafted Jewelry, Soy Candles, Therapeutic Heat Bags, Dog Treats & Toys, Catnip Pillows, Dried Dressing & Soup mixes, Water Color Prints, Hand-made Cards, Lap Quilts, Knitted Hats & Scarves, Soaps & Body Products, Fused Glass Creations, Tasty Baked Goods, Candies, Stepping Stones, Plants and Much More.

The RAFFLE table will be back again, and each vendor is donating an item for the raffle drawings. PLUS, there will be a mouth-watering LUNCH of homemade soup, sandwiches and pieces of our famous HOMEMADE PIES to purchase and enjoy. A slice of heaven!.

Proceeds will support a number of church programs, including the Food Pantry. Canned food donations are invited.

Tell your friends, neighbors, colleagues, and relatives about the Annual Fall Bazaar and join us for a great time. **VENDORS:** There is still room for more vendors, so if you would like to reserve a space, call Bonnie 503-632-7435.

Info Rates \$1.00/day

To Post Your Organization's Info Call 503-632-6525

Month At A Glance September

<u>Birthstone</u>: Sapphire Flower: Aster

Astrological Signs: Virgo: August 23 - September 22

Libra: September 23 - October 22

Dates To Remember:

Labor Day - Sep 2 Grandparent's Day - Sep 8 Patriot Day - Sep 12

Int'l Day of Peace - Sep 21 First Day of Autumn - Sep 22

Items of Interest:

Nat'l Hispanic Heritage Month - Sep 15 - Oct 15

Constitution Week - Sep 17 - 23 (U.S.)

Clackamas County Master Gardener Program for September 9

Speaker: Harry Landers, Portland Parks and Recreation

Time: 7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m., September 9, 2013

Address: Milwaukie Center, 5440 SE Kellogg Creek Drive,

Milwaukie, OR **Tele:** 503-653-8100

The meeting is free and open to the public

Topic: Year in the Garden - a Behind the Scenes Look at the Portland Rose Garden

Harry Landers of the Portland Parks and Recreation Department will share insights about the Portland Rose Garden. Learn about this treasure of Portland from the man who knows it best.

Clackamas County Berry Production for 2012

Last year, Clackamas County's blueberry production value was more than \$10 million, producing almost eight million pounds of blueberries.

Though blueberries top the list, they aren't the only berry Clackamas County farmers grow.

Clackamas County's 2012 berry production values:

Blueberries: \$10.7 million

Marion and other blackberries: \$7 million

Strawberries: \$1.4 million Black raspberries: \$1.4 million Red raspberries: \$1.3 million Evergreen blackberries: \$521,000

Boysenberries: \$353,000

Total small fruit and berries: \$22.9 million

"What If Heroes Were Not Welcome Home?"

On exhibit at the Oregon History Museum August 24 - September 29, 2013

During World War II, Japanese Americans born and raised in Hood River, Oregon served heroically with the United States Armed Forces in the South Pacific and in Europe. At the same time, many of their family members were unjustly incarcerated in concentration camps on American soil. When these soldiers returned home to Oregon at the end of the war, the welcome they received was anything but heroic.

This exhibition uses first-hand accounts, photos, letters, and historical documents to show how wartime events brought national notoriety to the small community of Hood River. Visitors will be invited to make meaningful connections between the past and present--exploring the promise and reality of American democracy and equality. Exhibit curated by Linda Tamura & Marsha Matthews.e Oregon History Museum is located at 1200 SW Park Avenue in the downtown Portland Park Blocks, and is open Monday - Saturday from 10 AM - 5 PM, and Sunday from Noon - 5 PM. Regular admission is \$11, and is free for OHS members and Multnomah County residents. For more information please visit WWW.OHS.ORG.

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OSBA Will Seek to Defend PERS Reform Bill in Court

The Oregon School Boards Association filed papers in

August with the State Supreme Court seeking to join in defending against a lawsuit against Senate Bill 822, the only PERS reform legislation passed in 2013.

Betsy Miller-Jones, OSBA's executive director, said reform of the Public Employees Retirement System is a necessary step in putting Oregon's schools back on firm financial footing. OSBA proposed PERS reform legislation, Senate Bill 754, this session. Though the bill did not receive a hearing, many of its components have provided a baseline for continuing negotiations over reforming PERS.

"SB 822 does not provide the PERS savings we had hoped for," Miller-Jones said. "But because its provisions affect all of our members, and because its legal standing could affect future PERS legislation, we believe it is important that we take part in its court defense.

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OSBA hs filed papers with the State Supreme Court asking that OSBA be allowed to intervene in the litigation and urging the court to uphold the modifications made during the 2013 session.

OSBA continues to support the governor's efforts to call a special session this fall with the goal of passing more meaningful PERS reforms.

OSBA is a member services agency for nearly 1,400 volunteer and locally elected school board members in school districts, education service districts and community colleges. It also provides services to charter schools and their boards.

OSBA has joined with business and parent/student groups to support PERS reform. The coalition's website can be found at www.fixpersnow.org.

Tidbits from the Beavercreek Demonstration Farm

Hello from the new neighbors! The Clackamas County Soil and Water Conservation District has recently purchased the Roaring Creek Ranch in the Hamlet of Beavercreek. We are very excited to use this wonderful opportunity to practice what we preach by using the methods and conservation practices we recommend to landowners on our demonstration farm.

This has been a very exciting venture for us and every day we discover new things about our farm! Recently, we have noticed we have four apple trees with ripening fruit. Of course, we have no idea what varieties they might be. All of the trees could do with some aggressive pruning. It also wouldn't hurt to get a better idea of the varieties and when they ripen. It sounds like an opportunity for some volunteer assistance! Anyone interested should contact the Clackamas County Soil and Water Conservation District.

In addition to the vegetation, we are very interested in the wildlife on the property. Wildlife is one of the key priorities of the District, so we want to take every opportunity to evaluate wildlife habitat at the farm. We invited Habitat Conservation Biologist Elizabeth Ruther with the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife out to the farm to observe the current habitat.

What we found was that there are great opportunities for a variety of wildlife species already present on the farm. We have a mix of good and not-so-good critters roaming the place, and each one gives us clues as to how we can enhance habitat at the farm. The absence of a few species was also a good indicator of the wildlife potential if we can improve habitat.

It was great to hear that there are plenty of ways to improve wildlife habitat without reducing the ability to effectively farm the property. That's a win for everyone, and reinforces the message we provide to our landowners: farming and wildlife do not have to be mutually exclusive.

If you are interested in future volunteer opportunities at the Beavercreek Demonstration Farm, give us a call at 503-210-6000.

Red Cross Rewards Blood Donors

With the arrival of Labor Day and the unofficial end to summer, the American Red Cross encourages eligible donors to roll up a sleeve and give blood or platelets to help

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ensure sufficient supplies over the holiday weekend.

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that they may be helping to save more than one life.

"The summer may be coming to an end, but the work of the Red Cross is far from over," said Darrin Greenlee, Interim CEO of the Red Cross Pacific Northwest Blood Services Region. "As you make plans for this Labor Day holiday, please also make time to give blood and help patients who depend on your lifesaving donation."

How to donate blood

Simply call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit redcrossblood.org to make an appointment or for more information. All blood types are needed to ensure a reliable supply for patients. A blood donor card or driver's license or two other forms of identification are required at check-in. Individuals who are 17 years of age (16 with parental consent in some states), weigh at least 110 pounds and are in generally good health may be eligible to donate blood. High school students and other donors 18 years of age and younger also have to meet certain height and weight requirements.

Home Rescue Program Offers up to \$30,000 to Homeowners Statewide

Wednesday, August 28th at noon, a new State foreclosure prevention program aimed at helping homeowners struggling to make their payments will be available. The "Home Rescue Program" provides up to a year of monthly mortgage assistance with a maximum benefit of \$20,000. Program participants are also eligible for up to \$10,000 to bring their mortgage current, if they are behind.

Homeowners can learn more about the program online at www.OregonHomeownerHelp.org. The website features a

short eligibility questionnaire and application video to guide applicants through the process. Participants must meet income qualifications; demonstrate a 10% loss in current income, and additional criteria. Applicants do not need to be behind on their loan. It is recommended that interested applicants visit www.OregonHomeownerHelp. org before applying to become familiar with the process. Demand for assistance is high and application space is limited, so homeowners worried about making their mortgage payments shouldn't hesitate to apply.

New application slots will be available every two weeks on Wednesdays at noon until all program funds are exhausted. Applicants are strongly encouraged to apply as soon as the application cycle opens. More information about the application cycle and Frequently Asked Questions are also available on the website. If you need immediate assistance, foreclosure counselors are available statewide for confidential, free support. You can find your nearest foreclosure counselor at www. OregonHomeownerSupport.gov.

The "Home Rescue Program" has a budget of \$30 million and is expected to help approximately 2,500 homeowners statewide. The program is funded by the United States Treasury's "Hardest Hit Fund", which allocated \$220 million to Oregon in 2010 to administer foreclosure prevention programs. To date, the Oregon Homeownership Stabilization Initiative has provided more than \$113 million in assistance to more than 7,500 homeowners. Performance reports for OHSI can be found online at www.OregonHomeownerHelp.org.



Teen Wii Night - Super Smash Bros.

Date/Time: Thursday, September 5th, 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Cost: Free

Location: Oregon City Public Library, 606 John Adams

St., Oregon City

Description: Young adults in grades 6 to 12 are invited

to come play Wii and eat snacks!

Business Development Discussion Offered at Library

Date/Time: Thursday, September 12th at 7:00 p.m.

Cost: Free

Location: Oregon City Public Library, 606 John Adams

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Description: Attention entrepreneurs! The Library and

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Possible Other Victims Sought After Arrest and Conviction of an On-line Sexual Predator

The Clackamas County Sheriff's Office is seeking help from the public in search of other possible victims after the arrest and conviction of an on-line sexual offender.

On August 21, 2013, 23 year old Nicholas Tyler Kienle was sentenced to 13 months in prison by Clackamas County Judge Heather Karabeika for Online Corruption of a Child in the First Degree and Sexual Abuse in the Second Degree.

Mr. Kienle intentionally sought out and met a 14 year old victim by the use of Facebook. The Clackamas County

Sheriff's Office conducted a search warrant on Mr. Kienle's computer and located many images and videos of possible other unknown named victims. The Clackamas County Sheriff's Office Child Abuse Team is concerned there are other victims and asking for your help. If you know someone who has been a victim in this case, the Sheriff's Office wants to know about it.

If you or someone you know has been victimized by Mr. Nicholas Kienle please contact us using the Clackamas County Sheriff's Office Tip Line -- by phone at 503-723-4949 or by using the on-line e-mail form at http://www.clackamas.us/sheriff/forms/tip.html Please reference Clackamas County Sheriff's Office Case #12-08877

The public can also submit crime-tip text messages to the Clackamas County Sheriff's Office from a cell phone. All users have to do is send a text message to CRIMES (274637 on your phone keypad) -- with the keyword CCSO as the first word in the message body.

Guitar Player Brooks Robertson to Perform

Date/Time: Thursday, September 19th at 7:00 p.m.

Cost: Free

Location: Oregon City Public Library, 606 John Adams

St., Oregon City

Description: Treat yourself to an evening of extraordinary music with the virtuosity of finger-style guitar player, Brooks Robertson. "Brooks Robertson just doesn't need much more than two thumbs, eight fingers and six strings on a wooden box to carry his listeners away." This program is co-sponsored with Friends of the Oregon City Library.

Clackamas County Town Hall Meeting to be Held!

Meet your County Commissioners - Learn about current issues. Sponsored by the City of Lake Oswego.

Date: Wednesday, September 11th, 7 - 8:30 p.m. **Where:** Lake Oswego City Hall - Council Chambers, 380

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Blueberry Farm Loop Classic A Farm To Farm Cycling Event

The event will take place on September 21, 2013. It Starts and Ends at The Flower Farmer, located at 2512 N. Holly St, Canby, OR.

Your cycling journey will take you through some of the most beautiful and important farmland in the world. The views of the farming valley and majestic Mt. Hood are breathtaking. Each farm rest stop is unique, and a farmer will be there to take you on a tour and show you what they raise or make.

Select from three courses:

- 1. Under 10 miles (flat and easy)
- 2. 23+ miles (flat roads and rollers)
- 3. 45+ miles (advanced)

Pre-registration only \$17. Day of event \$20. Kids under 10 are free!

Wineries and other farms who belong to the Molalla Country Farm Loop and the Canby Farm Loop are located along the way and welcome you to stop in as well. For more information go to: www.molallafarmloop.com/events.php

Social Media Monday To be Held Sept 9

Date/Time: Monday, September 9th at 7:00 pm

Cost: Free



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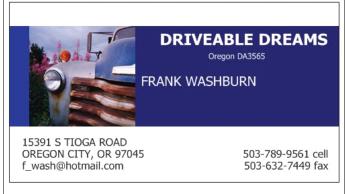
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Location: Oregon City Public Library, 606 John Adams St., Oregon City

Description: Ever wonder what's so social about social media? Curious about how to share photos of your grandkids on Facebook? Get your questions answered at Social Media Monday. Facilitator Trevor Dodge, an English instructor at Clackamas Community College, has taught a class on social media and has all the right credentials to answer your questions on this powerful yet sometimes puzzling medium. If you have a laptop or other digital device which you'd like to practice on, please bring it.



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Oregon State Parks Invites Public to Contribute to Future of Salmonberry Corridor Through Master Planning Process

The Oregon Parks and Recreation Department (OPRD) will convene two public meetings in mid-September to gather input from local residents and visitors on future uses for the Salmonberry Corridor, an 86-mile stretch of land that encompasses the Port of Tillamook Bay Railway. The meetings mark the start of a yearlong master planning process which will ultimately direct long-term resource management and recreational use within the Corridor, a proposed trail, rail-to-trail, and rail-with-trail that that connects eight cities between Tillamook and Banks.

The first meeting will be held at the west end of the Corridor on Wednesday, Sept. 11th from 6:00 to 8:00 p. m. at the Oregon Department of Forestry building

(located at 500 3rd St. in Tillamook). The following evening, Sept. 12th, a meeting will be held 6:00-8:00 at the east end of the Corridor from the Banks Fire Hall (located at 300 Main St. in Banks). Special accommodations to enable those with

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disabilities to participate in the meetings can be arranged by calling 503-986-0750 at least 72 hours in advance.

Those who cannot attend are invited to submit written comments by sending them to OPRD, Attn: Rocky Houston, 725 Summer St. NE, Suite C, Salem OR 97301.

After the initial meetings, OPRD will conduct natural resource and regional recreation assessments to identify opportunities and constraints to the development of the Corridor. Findings from this research will be presented during a second round of meetings to be held in the spring of 2014. Later meetings will present planning concepts and finally a draft master plan. Until then, updates on the planning process will be posted at www.salmonberrycorridor.wordpress. com.

Elevated Readers Book Club Sept 5

Date/Time: Thursday, September 5th, 6:15 p.m.

Cost: Free

Location: Oregon City Public Library, 606 John Adams

St., Oregon City

Description: The Elevated Readers Book Club discusses Mr. Penumbra's 24-hour Bookstore by Robin Sloan. For more information please visit www.orcity.org/library or contact Betty at barmstrong@orcity.org.

Failed weld on Canby Ferry Results in Temporary Closure

The Canby Ferry, which returned to service in mid-July after six months of retrofitting and repairs, was recently taken back out of service for about two weeks as workers determined how best to fix a failed weld.

Inspections show that the faulty weld does not appear to be

related to the recent retrofitting.

The Ferry normally transfers people and vehicles across the Willamette River between Canby and Wilson-ville, from 6:45 a.m. to 9:15 p.m. seven days a week except on major holidays and when the water levels rise to 70 feet or higher.

More information about the Canby Ferry are available at www.clackamas.us/roads/ferry.html.

Are Your Auto Insurance Premiums Higher Than They Should Be?

Oregon Insurance Commissioner Laura Cali is alerting consumers that auto insurers cannot charge them more just because they dropped coverage at some point in the past. This applies to consumers who dropped coverage and didn't break the law by driving while uninsured.

"Consumers who believe they are paying more because of a legitimate lapse in coverage should call our consumer advocates and we'll look into it," Cali said. "Agents should also help their clients understand when they are required to have coverage and when they can safely drop coverage they don't need without being penalized."

Motorists might drop coverage for many legitimate reasons - they are not using their vehicle while away at college or on military service, they are using alternate transportation, or they no longer own a car, for example.

Yet, the Insurance Division's consumer advocates say consumers call regularly to say their rates increased after a lapse in coverage or that they were told their premi-



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ums would go up later if they didn't maintain coverage in situations where coverage wasn't required by law.

"We are committed to ensuring that Oregonians are treated fairly by insurance companies and agents, and we will take action against companies and agents who don't comply with the law," Cali added.

Insurance companies can require someone who is applying for insurance to explain why they went without coverage. Many companies provide a checklist so consumers can identify the valid reason that they dropped coverage.

Consumer advocates answer questions about all types of insurance and help with complaints from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p. m. Monday through Friday. Call 888-877-4894 (toll-free).



The August meeting of the Hamlet of Beavercreek took place on Wednesday, August 28, 2013, at the Beavercreek Grange on Kamrath Road with 27 residents and guests in attendance.

There was no guest speaker. It was announced, however, that next month there will be several speakers. The speakers will be discussing Code Compliance and include Code Administration and Enforcement, the Clackamas

County Sheriff and District Attorney as well as a videographer to tape the meeting for playback on YouTube.com.

Amy Manning shared that her child attends Beavercreek Elementary. Due to changes at the school district the school does not have enough books as well as other supplies for the classroom. Amy made an appeal to those present to collect box tops and soup can labels that have the "Box tops for Schools" logo and bring them to future meetings to help support the students. There was also discussion about possibly having a jar at the first Saturday Breakfasts at the Grange for attendees to place their coupons in. Amy will contact the Governor of the Grange to see if that would be possible.

The minutes of the July meeting were read and approved by acclamation.

There were two land use applications before the residents. It was discovered that one wasn't in the Hamlet's juisdiction and assumed to be sent in error.

The second one was an application by Stein Oil, owners of the Beavercreek Chevron station, on Beavercreek Road. The application was to expand the existing building and move the commercial pump to the west side of the property. It was suggested that the County be sure all regulations are followed in the process.

Two land use hearings were also discussed. One for a property on Holly Lane that operates a ferret shelter. The application was denied by the Planning Director. A hearing was held August 22nd. The owners of the

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property do not know the outcome of the process at this time as it is ongoing.

The next was the denial of an application for properties on George Road in Estacada. The hearing is to take place August 29, 2013.

Next was an application to partition acreage on Steiner Road into two parcels. The request is enabled persuant to State approval of Ballot Measure 49. It was approved subject to conditions.

A financial report was given on the Flea Market & Craft Fair held in July. A financial report on the "Stars In the Park" concert will be made available in September.

One of the outcomes of the concert was an interest in the Beavercreek Park on Leland Road and why nothing has been happening. Discussion followed to see if there was interest in the Hamlet getting involved with the property.

Christine Kosinski gave a report on the ongoing grass roots effort by residents of Holly Lane to save their neighborhood from encroachment by Oregon City. About 30 residents met with the County's Traffic Engineer. They voted on several issues. They voted that they did not want the road widened and bike lanes installed, but they would be in favor of covering the ditches and installing a gravel shoulder.

Norm Andreen thanked those who were instrumental in putting on the "Stars in the Park" concert and thanked Forest Edge Vineyard for stepping in when the original vendor for the wine and beer backed out due to technical difficulties.

Elizabeth Graser-Lindsey gave a Transportation System Plan report. She has been on a citizen advisory committee

for the past two years. She reported on possible transportation improvements for our area.

Tammy Stevens announced that the Board of County Comissioners has approved the first year audit on Industrial land. Ms. Stevens believes several items are problematic as regards Goal 1 (citizen involvement) and intends to appeal the decision via LUBA. She will be doing this as an individual and not as a Hamlet Board member.

It was announced that the Small Farm School will be held again this year at CCC on September 7, 2013.

James Lindsey, local resident of Beavercreek, and a Boy Scout with Troop 139, gave his presentation to those present regarding his Eagle Scout Project which will be building a Hamlet informational kiosk for the Korner Park. He submitted plans and two materials bids for consideration. James is the son of Barry Lindsey and Elizabeth Graser-Lindsey of Beavercreek.

John Burke and Scott Stein were thanked for their recent community project that entailed the cleaning and painting of the "Hamlet of Beavercreek" sign in downtown Beavercreek. Boy, does it look better!

There was an update on the Hals property code violation progress.

A raffle was held for a car wash at the Red Barn Car wash, a hanging basket of flowers and a Powerball ticket.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:00 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

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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.

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Beavercreek Fire Station Calls

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

7/20 - 15:34 - EMS/Rescue - S Ferguson Rd



Beavercreek UCC "The Ten O'Clock Church" Upcoming Events

- 9/11 Stand for Peace, 6:00 7:00 p.m.
- **9/17 -** Labyrinth walk, Soup Supper 6:30 p.m., Walk at 7:15 pm
- 9/29 Kick-Off Sunday with Progressive Lunch
- **10/12 -** Annual Fall Bazaar 9:00 a.m. 4:00 p.m. (See article on page 12).
- **10/26 -** BOO! Bingo, Dinner 5:30 p.m., Bingo 6:30 p.m.
- Yoga, Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m. Only \$5 per session.

 Ballroom Dance with Miss Page, Sundays at 6:00 p.m.

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- 21:05 EMS Incident Dispatched & Canceled En Route S Hwy 213
- 7/21 21:30 Unauthorized Burn S Leland Rd
- **7/23 -** 04:56 Medical Assist S Carus Rd
 - 11:41 Assist Invalid S Ferguson Rd
- **7/24 -** 07:55 Mot Veh Acc/Non Injury S Hwy 213/ S Carus Rd
 - 14:40 False Alarm Dispatched & Canceled En Route S Carus Rd
- 7/27 18:48 EMS/Rescue S Kirk Rd
- **7/29 -** 16:21 Mot Veh Acc/Non-Injury S Hwy 213/ S Carus Rd
 - 18:07 EMS/Rescue S Rachel Ct
 - 20:41 EMS/Rescue S Camellia Ct
- 7/30 13:42 EMS/Rescue S Foothills Ave
 - 18:45 False Alarm S Wilshire Cir
 - 20:44 EMS/Rescue S Wilshire Cir
- 7/31 06:18 Service Call S Dans Ave



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12:58 - EMS/Rescue - S Hwy 213

20:52 - Good Intent Call - S Beavercreek Rd

8/01 - 14:02 - EMS Rescue - S Brockway Rd

21:42 - EMS/Rescue - S Williams Rd

8/02 - 17:57 - Unauthorized Burn - S Schuebel Ln

8/04 - 01:22 - EMS/Rescue - S Clearview Ct

07:20 - EMS Dispatched & Canceled En Route S Hwy 213

8/05 - 14:42 - EMS/Rescue - S Wilshire Cir

18:30 - EMS/Rescue - S Mitchell Ln

20:19 - Medical Assist - S Wilshire Cir

20:57 - Water Problem - S Ferguson/S Henrici Rd

22:52 - Unauthorized Burn - S Schuebel Ln/ S Audrey Way

8/06 - 15:15 - False Alarm - S Carus Rd

18:11 - Building Fire - S Beavercreek Rd

8/07 - 22:14 - EMS/Rescue - S Beavercreek Rd

8/12 - 06:43 - Mot Veh Acc/Non-Injury - S Hwy 213/ S Spangler Rd

10:04 - EMS/Rescue - S Ferguson Rd

8/15 - 17:16 - Mot Veh Acc/With Injury - S Spangler/ S Kamrath Rd

17:34 - Water Rescue Cancelled En Route Adjacent To: Timothy Lake

20:39 - EMS/Rescue - S Beavercreek Rd

8/17 - 13:00 - Unauthorized Burn - S Mint Lake/ S Steiner Rd

13:48 - EMS/Rescue - S Ferguson Rd

16:41 - Unauthorized Burn - S Hawthorne Ct

8/18 - 13:07 - Unauthorized Burn - S Hawthorne Ct

8/19 - 17:10 - Unauthorized Burn - S Evans Ct

21:04 - Unauthorized Burn - S Ferguson Rd

8/20 - 13:13 - EMS/Rescue - S Clearview Ct

Editors Note: I'm sorry ladies and gentlemen, but what are people thinking! Not only is burning out of season, but with the fire danger as high as it is.... I'm speechless!

Murder Arrest in Oregon City

Shortly before 4:00 a.m. on August 26, 2013, police were called to the residence at 1020 Hazelwood Drive for an adult male not breathing. When police arrived it was soon determined he had died.

The deceased has been identified as Brian Romo, 42 years old. Brian lived at the residence where he was found with a roommate. Brian Romo's cause of death was from a stab wound to his chest.

Tony Lopez Lozano, age 34 has been arrested and booked at the Clackamas County jail for murder. Lope-Lozano is being held without bail and charged for stabbing his domestic partner at their home in Oregon City.

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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. "CLYDE"



See you next month...
The Editor!