



# BEAVERCREEK BULLETIN

By and for residents of Beavercreek, Oregon

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## October Town Hall Recap

Voting for the 2018 Hamlet elections took place at the October meeting. There were four open seats and three candidates applied. Residents voted and all three were elected including Bill Merchant, Christine Kosinski, and Tammy Stevens. Each has served as a director for many years, and will now continue their support of the Hamlet of Beavercreek for another two-year term. The board has the power to appoint and fill the fourth open seat per the bylaws, which can be found at [www.beavercreek.org](http://www.beavercreek.org).

Since July 2017, several meetings have included a discussion about whether the Carus Community Planning Organization (CPO) may want to join the Hamlet of Beavercreek, as they may otherwise go inactive or dissolve. The Hamlet expanded before to include Kelmsley Estates because they came to the CPO and requested representation. Recently two CPOs in the Sunnyside area combined to form a larger CPO for better representation.

The Carus CPO represents people along the northern part of Highway 213 and Leland near the church. Board members said that many people in the northern part of Carus feel more a part of Beavercreek, while the southern tract feel like they're part of Mulino. The board is speaking to the Mulino Hamlet about the possibility of splitting the Carus CPO by proximity.

Members asked about pros and cons. Board members pointed out that if Carus has no representation, residents will not be

## Community Meetups

**Beavercreek Charitable Trust** Fourth Monday, BCT Henrici Community Room at 7:00 p.m.

**Beavercreek Grange** First Saturday breakfast 8:00-11:00 a.m., meeting at 1:00 p.m.

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

**Beaver Creek Cooperative Telephone Directors' Meeting** Second Thursday, 15223 S Henrici Rd at 6:00 p.m. Register: [jbrooks@bctelco.com](mailto:jbrooks@bctelco.com)

**Community Forestry Day** Second Saturday, Hopkins Demonstration Forest at 8:30 a.m.

**Clackamas County Planning Commission** Second and Fourth Monday, 150 Beavercreek Rd at 6:30 p.m. Public hearings and work sessions.

**Clackamas River Water Board Meetings** Second Thursday, 16770 SE 82nd Drive at 6:00 p.m.

**Equestrian Trails, North Valley Chapter** First Tuesday, Clackamas Elmers, optional dinner at 6:00 p.m. followed by 7:00 p.m. meeting. Info: [oregonequestriantrails.org](http://oregonequestriantrails.org) or 503-632-5610.

**Hamlet of Beavercreek Board Meetings** Third Thursday, Beavercreek Fire Station Meeting Room at 7:00 p.m.

**Hamlet of Beavercreek Community Meetings** Fourth Wednesday, Beavercreek Grange at 7:00 p.m.

**Hamlet of Mulino** Third Thursday, Mulino Airport Pilots' Lounge, 26749 S Airport Rd at 7:15 p.m. Info: 503-632-3700.

**Kiwanis Club of Oregon City Meetings** Second, Fourth and Fifth Thursday, Jimmy Os Pizzeria, 1678 Beavercreek Rd at 12:00 p.m.

**Oregon City Commission Meetings** First and Third Wednesday, City Hall at 7:00 p.m.

**Oregon City/Beavercreek Moms Club Meetings** Second Monday, 18955 S End Rd at 10:30 a.m. Info: [ocmoms@yahoo.com](mailto:ocmoms@yahoo.com).

**Oregon City School District Board Meetings** Second Monday, 1306 12th St in the District Board Room at 7:00 p.m.

proactively notified nor will they have a say in land use issues, which could be problematic given their close proximity to the rapidly growing City of Oregon City. Absorbing the Carus CPO means that the Hamlet of Beavercreek will be notified of all land use issues and will communicate to all members.

If Carus joins, more people may attend the monthly meetings. Residents asked if it would dilute the board's current activities or have financial implications; the board said it would not beyond needing more snacks for meetings. Additional funding needs would be submitted to the County. Another pointed out that the

Beavercreek Community Park on Leland - which is now part of the Carus CPO - would become part of the Hamlet. Members voted 17-1 in favor of allowing the Carus CPO to join. The next step is to speak in depth with the Carus and Mulino CPOs.

Michelle Amend from Clackamas County Code Enforcement joined as a guest speaker to share what's changed, what they're working on, and how residents can help them improve. She shared a document with a list of codes enforced in Clackamas County, and who the appropriate enforcement agencies are. For example, they handle accessory structures, building codes, garbage and trash, graffiti, and home business (among others), but not animal abuse (Sheriff's Office), landlord/tenant (civil issue - contact an attorney), roads (Road Concerns) or standing water (Vector Control), among others. Download the full document here: [www.clackamas.us/codeenforcement](http://www.clackamas.us/codeenforcement).

Code Enforcement staff handle about 350 cases each. They are currently hiring additional staff to reduce that number to about 225 cases each. They have added two trucks for a total of three in service. They prioritize cases that are life, safety, and building code related. For all other code violations, they must receive at least two confidential complaints to investigate. Confidentiality is protected by law. Michelle quipped that "there's a difference between 'complaining' and making an actual 'complaint'" based on codes.

She addressed a list of concerns that had been submitted to Code Enforcement by members of the CPO Summit - a coalition of local CPOs - including an individual receiving notice that a their complaint had been logged, which was previously not in place. Residents asked about code violations they had observed such temporary care facilities expanding beyond what was permitted, a horse boarding facility with a setback violation, and others. Michelle will check on status.

Code Enforcement also collaborates with a

## About the Bulletin

Beavercreek Bulletin is a monthly newspaper by and for residents of The Hamlet of Beavercreek, Oregon. Our mission is to inform and educate residents on key issues that affect the Hamlet in order to protect and preserve our rural way of life. It is published by the Beavercreek Committee for Community Planning (BCCP), a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization.

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Voting at the October Town Hall meeting. Source: Bulletin

number of agencies to help those who are in code violation but in need of care from Health & Human Services, Veterans Outreach, and many others. Michelle said, "We all are human and nice people and we do try to work with people."

Road funding and the vehicle registration fee for passenger vehicles and motorcycles was discussed at a recent Community Leaders meeting that included board members from CPOs and Hamlets. The County is planning a series of community meetings to share info and get public feedback, which will be shared on NextDoor.com. Commissioner Ken Humberston was in attendance and shared that, while the County has the most road miles in the tri-county area, it has few sources of funding compared to Washington and Multnomah Counties. Previously roads were funded through timber sales, but that has reduced from \$15 million to around \$1 million today.

Ken also gave an update on the Cross-Laminated Timber project, discussed his goal of getting high-speed internet in every home and business in Clackamas County, and his upcoming trade mission in China on behalf of the County.

Land use applications included notification that the County is seeking input on its long-range land use and transportation projects for 2019-2020. The Hamlet submits a letter with requests that are important to the area, including help with ditches, shoulders on the

## Next Hamlet Meeting

**November 28 at 7:00 PM**  
**Beavercreek Grange**

roads, and support for the dangerous intersections at Kamrath and Leland, as well as Beavercreek, Steiner, and Yeoman.

Others included an applicant on Moore Rod requesting a new home occupation permit, which residents supported; a Measure 49 request to partition a subject property on Beavercreek Road into two parcels that was left for the commission to determine; and a design review request for the commercial buildings on Rifle Way. Another last-minute inclusion was for a review of the marijuana production license that would limit the number of producers allowed per tract in certain districts (Ag/Forest, Timber, Exclusive Farm Use), as some land owners have allowed multiple licensees on the same tract of land thus making agricultural land seem more commercial/industrial with multiple indoor and outdoor grows abutted next to each other. That will go before the Planning Commission on November 26, 2018.

Oregon City is also reviewing several code

revisions including Accessory Dwelling Units. The board attended a hearing at the County regarding the request to add a 10 acre solar farm off Killdeer Road, and a decision will be known in another month or two. The Park Place Concept Plan remains in the Land Use Board of Appeals (LUBA). The Evergreen Development across from Oregon City High School has been delayed due to issues with sewer. They also decided to change their name to the Village of Beavercreek.

The board shared that four people have volunteered to help with upcoming projects. Additional volunteers are needed to help with the Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony at Korner Park. If you're interested in volunteering, email [info@beavercreek.org](mailto:info@beavercreek.org).

The flashing yellow light being added near Oregon City High School will most likely happen in early 2019. It will inform drivers when students are present so they know to slow to 20 mph, and will be off when it's acceptable to drive the regular speed limit.



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The Hamlet of Beavercreek sign has been moved due to development; however, the Beavercreek Saloon has agreed to put it in their lot. The board is working to get permits in place.

Tom Salzer of Clackamas Soil & Water Conservation District shared that their new development is moving along, but they've hit a snag with water pressure for sprinklers in the building. The board continues to work with Beavercreek Elementary and multiple local agencies to discuss solutions to the traffic issues during dropoff and pickup times.

Next month's guest speaker will be Bob Cochran from Clackamas Community College speaking about the bond update.

The Hamlet of Beavercreek is here to protect and preserve the rural culture of the area, and serves to help all residents. Monthly meetings are the best place to share feedback and learn how to get involved. Join us at 7:00 p.m. the third Wednesday of each month at the Beavercreek Grange.

## Election Day is November 6

The Clackamas County Clerk has completed installing all-new ballot boxes throughout the county. The new boxes have enhanced security, increased capacity, improved visibility, and improved accessibility! Locations nearest to Beavercreek include:

Clackamas County Elections - 1710 Red Soils Ct. Oregon City, OR 97045

Molalla Public Library - 201 E 5th Street Molalla, OR 97038

Oregon City - City Hall - 625 Center St Oregon City, OR 97045

## Accident at Beavercreek Memorial Cemetery

An accident occurred around 6:00 a.m. on October 10 that caused several headstones to



be damaged. A driver was going north on Kamrath Rd. on his way to work and went through the Cemetery's fence at a high rate of speed. The Clackamas County Sheriff's report states that the driver had dropped his coffee mug and it lodged between the accelerator and the console, causing the car to increase speed, and that he wasn't able to dislodge it.

At least a dozen older headstones were damaged and will need repair and/or total replacement including one from 1903. Insurance is likely to cover the repairs, according to Laura McKay who works for the Cemetery. They wish to notify the families; however, given how old some of the headstones are, they do not have contact information in their database for the following:

- \* Ellen & Otto Limon
- \* Stanley & Catherine Edmark
- \* Fred & Margarite Purvine
- \* Harold & Dorothy Hines
- \* Zeima & Earl Fillis
- \* WF Moehnke
- \* CA Moehnke
- \* Ed Harris
- \* William Harris
- \* Dan Alexander

If residents have information, please contact Laura at [lauramckay@yahoo.com](mailto:lauramckay@yahoo.com).

## Donate to the Annual Christmas Gift Shop

For many years now The American Legion Auxiliary has been helping veterans and their families with Christmas gifts, gift wrapping and mailing gifts. Each year around Thanksgiving time, they open up their Oregon VA Hospital Gift Shops to patients. They have VA Facilities in Portland, Lebanon, The Dalles and Roseburg. Each of the locations have similar gift requests. Gifts must be NEW and of approximate value of \$15. Below is a list of suggested gifts.

- \* Birdhouses / Feeders
- \* Small Appliances (no irons)
- \* Jewelry Boxes
- \* Board Games
- \* Toys / Dolls (no Barbie's)
- \* Kitchen Towel sets
- \* Men's / Women's Wallets
- \* Gloves (not work style)

- \* Outside Thermometers
- \* Watches
- \* Afghans / Quilts
- \* Flashlights / Small Tool Sets
- \* Flannel Shirts (larger sizes)

Gifts may be dropped off at Beavercreek Saloon or at the American Legion Department office in Wilsonville from 8-4 Monday through Friday, 30450 SW Parkway Avenue, Wilsonville, OR 97070. Gifts can be dropped off throughout the month of November. The Portland Gift Shop will open November 24. For more info, contact [alaor@alaoregon.org](mailto:alaor@alaoregon.org).

## Now Checking Out Laptops for In-Library Use

The Oregon City Library has nearly doubled its Internet access! Thanks to generous donations given to the [Oregon City Library Foundation](#), the Library now has a laptop cart with 12 Lenovo Chromebook laptops available



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These laptops are designed to be borrowed for in-library use only. Their operating systems will disable if taken outside the Library. They can be borrowed for up to four (4) hours with a maximum session time of three (3) hours, and the session timer will begin upon logging in with your library card. LINCC library card holders whose accounts are in good standing and over 18 years of age are eligible to check out laptops. No holds or reservations can be placed on them.

In anticipation of this laptop cart project, the Library also invested in [wireless printing](#) access. Extra computer mice and headphones were purchased and processed by the Library's technical services team for patrons to check out; earbuds (\$1) and flash drives (\$5) are available for purchase at the Hello Desk. While these additional services complement the laptops, they are also available to all library users during their visits.

Along with the donors, Foundation, and library staff members that made this project happen, we would also like to thank the staff at the [Libraries in Clackamas County](#) (LINCC) for all of their technological know-how, service, and continued support. For more details on the Laptop Borrowing Procedures, click on the picture above or visit: [www.orcity.org/library/library-laptop-borrowing-procedures](http://www.orcity.org/library/library-laptop-borrowing-procedures)

## Free Food Market for Those in Need

All in need are welcome to visit the #ClackCo

Health Clinic at 110 Beavercreek Rd in Oregon City on the 1st Tuesday of each month from 10-11:30 a.m. to access FREE fresh and healthy fruits, vegetables and pantry staples. No identification required. Just bring bags or boxes. Questions call 503-282-0555. Visit Beaver Creek Health Clinic el 1º martes de cada mes para acceder a frutas y verduras frescas y saludables, y productos básicos de la despensa gratis para usted y su familia. ¿Preguntas? 503-282-0555

## Beware of Deceptive Fishing Licensing Website

Better Business Bureau Northwest + Pacific has seen a rise in complaints nationwide regarding a licensing website claiming to be based in Idaho. Consumers report [FishingLicense.Org](#) in Coeur D'Alene, appears to be selling fishing licenses but is, in fact, selling downloadable informational guides.

BBB initially warned about the company in August 2017 but has continued to see complaints increase. In the past three years, the company has received [26 complaints](#), with 14 reported in the last year.

Consumers claim when they complete an online search for "[fishing license](#)" the search engine leads them to a page on FishingLicense.Org. The page tells the user they can purchase, renew or replace their license. But after a purchase is made, the consumer discovers they ordered an informational guide. The website does offer verbiage stating the consumer is purchasing an informational guide, however, the site is set up to appear as if visitors are actually purchasing a license.

Since more than 140 million Americans are involved in outdoor activities, BBB suggests consumers follow this advice before purchasing a license online:

- \* Read the fine print. The FishingLicense.Org website does state that it is a private company and not

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affiliated with any government agency, but the warning can be easily missed. Be sure to review all the information on a website before making a purchase.

- \* Contact government agencies. To make sure consumers are getting exactly what they pay for, they should contact the state's department of fish & wildlife or department of licensing before purchasing a license. It's also wise to research the type of license and costs on these secure, official websites.
- \* Specify the online search. Consumers are easily drawn to click on these two websites since they have high rankings on online searches. BBB advises using keywords such as the consumer's state and a specific license type instead of vague license searches.

- \* Start with trust. Before purchasing online, consumers should also check business profiles at [bbb.org/northwest-pacific](http://bbb.org/northwest-pacific) or on the [BBB App](#) to see if a business is accredited, in good standing, and read consumer reviews and alerts.

Anyone who believes they may be a victim of a scam can report it to BBB. For more trustworthy tips on online purchases, visit [bbb.org/shoppingonline/](http://bbb.org/shoppingonline/).

## Sheriff's Office Supports Breast Cancer Awareness Month

The Clackamas County Sheriff's Office joined law-enforcement agencies around the nation to participate in the "[Pink Patch Project](#)" in October. It was one part of a larger Sheriff's Office push to spark discussions during [Breast Cancer Awareness Month](#). Residents may have seen Sheriff's Office deputies in the community wearing star patches with embroidered pink stitching to promote breast cancer awareness.

The Sheriff's Office ordered 200 of the special #PinkPatchProject badges from The

Emblem Authority, joining over 250 agencies nationwide participating in the campaign.

## Support Clackamas Fire's Annual Programs

During the months of November and December, the Fire District will be asking for your help in supporting two of their annual programs. From October 15 to November 16, they will be collecting gently used coats and blankets, as well as hats, gloves, scarves, and socks for Feed the Hungry, Inc. and the Clackamas Service Center. Their annual Operation Santa Claus program, November 24 to December 10, is focused on helping those in need throughout our community. Donations of new toys and non-perishable food items are received through donation barrels at the Beavercreek Fire Station, during the parade in Beavercreek on November 25, and at local businesses, schools, and other community partners, and then distributed back into our community. Visit [clackamasfire.com](http://clackamasfire.com) for details.

## Health Insurance Open Enrollment Begins Nov. 1

Open enrollment is the health insurance sign-up period for people who buy health insurance for themselves and their families. It runs from Nov. 1 to Dec. 15. For people who don't get coverage through their job or another program, it is most likely the only time to sign up for 2019 health insurance and get help paying for coverage at [HealthCare.gov](http://HealthCare.gov).

## No Access to Healthcare?

Clackamas Volunteers in Medicine provides healthcare at no cost for low-income, uninsured and under-insured adults in Clackamas County. The clinic is open Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons, and every Thursday evening. CVIM also provides no cost eye exams, and low cost glasses, on Monday afternoons and Wednesday evenings. Call 503-722-4400 to speak to someone who can

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## Medicare Enrollment Assistance Available

Medicare annual enrollment is open through December 7, which means any changes to your Medicare Advantage or prescription drug plans must be made before then. If you need assistance with your open enrollment materials, Certified Senior Health Insurance Benefit Assistance (SHIBA) Volunteer Counselors are available to help. Find Medicare 101 presentation dates and Individual Counseling and Enrollment Workshops in Clackamas County by visiting <http://bit.ly/2QDZJSc>. For more information, call 503-655-8269 Option 4 (Monday to Thursday).

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## Oregon City's Newest Park Named Tyrone S. Woods Memorial Park

The City of Oregon City's Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee has accepted and will recommend Oregon City Commission approve the name, Tyrone S. Woods Memorial Park, for a new 9.1-acre park located in the Caufield Neighborhood.

Tyrone S. Woods was a native Oregonian and a 1989 graduate of Oregon City High School where he was a star wrestler. Woods was a Navy Seal and served several decorated combat tours in Iraq and Afghanistan. He lost his life in 2012 in service to his country while working for the CIA.

Nominations for the park name were submitted online over a 5-week period; over 400 suggested names were provided. These

submittals were narrowed down to 4 names that received 8,572 public votes August through September, the majority for Tyrone S. Woods Memorial Park.

The park, located at the intersection of Glen Oak Road and High School Avenue is slated for construction Spring 2019. The park will include an open lawn area, playground, picnic shelter, boardwalk, walking path system, and off-leash dog park.

## Preventing Chimney Fires

A chimney fire in Canby in October reminds us of the importance of chimney maintenance. Following are tips to know when you have a chimney fire and how to avoid one.

The Chimney Safety Institute of America explains how to tell if a chimney is on fire:

- \* Loud cracking and popping noise
- \* Flames shooting from your chimney
- \* Low, loud rumbling noise that sounds like a freight train or airplane overhead
- \* A lot of dense smoke
- \* An intense, hot smell

If you're in doubt about whether your chimney is on fire, dial 911 immediately.

Here are a few simple tips to prevent a chimney fire from starting in your home:

- \* Hire a professional and certified chimney sweep to inspect and clean your chimney annually.
- \* Cleaning your chimney is not a DIY job. There is little margin for error with the consequences putting you and your family at risk.
- \* Only burn dry or cured wood. Burning wet or uncured wood leads to more creosote buildup in your flue. It's that creosote buildup that usually leads to the ignition of a chimney fire.
- \* Don't burn garbage in your fireplace. Not only does garbage contain chemicals that are dangerous to inhale, it can also

lead to more dangerous buildup of combustible materials in your chimney.

\* Keep your fireplace clean.

Never start a fire on top of a bed of coals or ash for a previous fire. Doing so can cause the fire to burn even hotter than normal, sparking a chimney fire.

\* Install a smoke alarm and carbon monoxide detector close to your fireplace.

## Vendors Sought for CCC Craft Sale

Clackamas Community College (CCC) is holding a craft sale and food drive, 10 a.m.-2 p.m., Nov. 27 and 28, in the Community Center on the Oregon City campus, 19600 Molalla Ave. Take part in this event as a vendor by registering with CCC's Associated Student Government office. The priority deadline for applications is Friday, Nov. 2. After this date, as space allows, more vendors will be permitted on a first-come, first-served basis.

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For setup times, a list of suggested food donations, applications or more information, call Cynthia Boettcher at 503-594-1823 or email [cynthia.boettcher@clackamas.edu](mailto:cynthia.boettcher@clackamas.edu).

## Free Cat Food During 'Season's Feedings'

Every cat deserves a little holiday gift this year, especially the outdoor feral and stray cats lucky enough to be brought through the Feral Cat Coalition of Oregon's (FCCO) spay/neuter clinic in December. As part of its Season's Feedings cat food drive, FCCO is offering free cat food to caregivers who bring in their feral and stray cats to FCCO's spay/neuter clinic in December.

Throughout November the nonprofit is collecting dry cat food generously donated by individuals and local pet stores. If you are feeding feral or stray cats, call FCCO today at 503-797-2606 to schedule a spay/neuter appointment. All surgeries are performed by licensed veterinarians at FCCO's SW Portland clinic. Services are donation-based and include a spay/neuter; vaccinations; flea and ear mite treatment; and an ear-tip. Caregivers throughout December will receive free cat food. For more information visit [feralcats.com](http://feralcats.com).

## Sheriff's Office Domestic Violence Sweep in October

On Wednesday, Oct. 17, 2018, the Clackamas County Sheriff's Office Domestic Violence Enhanced Response Team (DVERT) worked with agencies throughout Oregon -- as well as agencies across the country -- to arrest persons with outstanding family-violence warrants. Locally, they made 18 arrests during the sweep, on a variety of charges. Nationwide, the 16th Annual Family Violence Apprehension Detail included over 300 county sheriffs' offices, police departments, probation departments, and community agencies from 29 states. All agencies served outstanding arrest warrants -- with charges ranging from harassment to murder.

In Clackamas County alone, by 10 p.m. Thursday, this massive enforcement effort resulted in the arrests of 18 men and women brought to the Clackamas County Jail on existing arrest warrants on a variety of charges, some of them DV-related. A PDF of Clackamas County mugshots and arrest charges (ranging from strangulation to assault to other crimes, including theft and DUI) secured during yesterday's sweep is attached. (These figures may be updated as more agencies report in.)

Clackamas County results:

- \* 269 warrant attempts
- \* 18 arrests at this writing
- \* 59 local law-enforcement members participating

This collaborative effort, commonly known as the SWEEP, helps raise awareness of the problem of family and domestic violence in our communities. It also demonstrates to offenders that they will be held accountable for their violence. For more information on DVERT, click here:

<http://www.clackamas.us/sheriff/dvert.html>

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# **Beavercreek PTO Holiday Craft Bazaar**

Previously the BCT Holiday Bazaar

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## Friends of Trees Planting Day

The Oregon City Friends of Trees chapter is organizing a city-wide tree planting even on December 1st, 2018. If you have room for trees along your street or in your yard, you're eligible to receive a free street tree planting inspection and the option to adopt a tree for your yard or street for a \$35 co-pay. The deadline to order trees is November 10th.

If you don't have room for trees but still want to help out, the group will be planting street trees all around the neighborhood on December 1st from 9am-12pm (noon). Hot coffee, breakfast treats, and a hot lunch are all provided - as well as gloves and tools. Just wear clothes for the weather and sturdy shoes for tree planting. More information and sign up form are available at [www.friendsoftrees.org/oc](http://www.friendsoftrees.org/oc) or [oregoncity@friendsoftrees.org](mailto:oregoncity@friendsoftrees.org).

## Community Grants, Awards & Opportunities

New Openings on Advisory Boards and Commissions (Due 11/5). Clackamas County Commissioners are seeking interested residents to serve on county Advisory Boards and Commissions (ABCs). These ABCs offer residents the opportunity to become very involved in specific activities and the goals of Clackamas County. Get all the details at <https://bit.ly/2Py1d3k>.

Recreation Trails Program Advisory Committee (Due 11/16). Oregon Parks and Recreation Department (OPRD) is seeking volunteers for two vacant positions on the Recreation Trails Program (RTP) Advisory Committee: Equestrian representative and Water trail representative. Those interested in serving must submit an OPRD grant advisory committee appointment interest form by Friday, Nov. 16. The form is available online:

<http://www.oregon.gov/oprd/GRANTS/Pages/RTP-Committee.aspx>

Community Health Council Patient Representatives. Is your doctor located at a Clackamas County Health Clinic? Do you have a passion for quality healthcare and helping others? If so, you now have an opportunity to be a member of the Community Health Council! Apply today to join this important patient advisory board that represents the needs and interests of the people who are served by #ClackCo health services at [bit.ly/2JOipc9](http://bit.ly/2JOipc9) or call 503-742-5926.

Emergency Warming Center Volunteer. Your warm and caring heart needed! Emergency Warming Centers protect people who are homeless on freezing cold nights, and when wind and/or flooding makes sleeping outdoors dangerous. Want to volunteer? Learn more and sign up today at [bit.ly/2AoNPq5](http://bit.ly/2AoNPq5) or [211info.org](http://211info.org)

Volunteer as a Rep Payee. Assist older adults and individuals living with disabilities who need help with budgeting, balancing checkbooks, or bill paying. Help people living with limited income/assets who often have no one to help them. Money Management Program volunteers make it possible for our clients to live independently, protect them from financial abuse and preserve their dignity. This service is free to eligible individuals. Volunteer positions vary in flexibility and can occur in our office or at home, depending on the position. Learn more at our website:

[www.clackamas.us/socialservices/money.html](http://www.clackamas.us/socialservices/money.html), call 503-650-5623 or email [ommp@clackamas.us](mailto:ommp@clackamas.us).

See You Next Month!  
- Bulletin Editors



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



### NW Contexture Beavercreek

15660 S Leland Rd  
503-632-7505  
www.nwcontexture.org  
Sunday School: 10:45 a.m.  
Sunday Worship: 9:00 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.  
Last Sunday of month brunch & service at 10:00 a.m.  
Ladies Bible Study: Thursdays at 9:30 a.m.  
Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.

### Beavercreek Community Church

Services held at the Beavercreek Grange  
503-320-3882 Pastor: Larry Swayze  
Sunday Breakfast: 9:15 a.m.  
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Worship: 11:00 a.m.

### Beavercreek United Church of Christ

"The Ten O'Clock Church"  
23345 S Beavercreek Rd  
503-632-4553  
www.beavercreekucc.org  
We're a Progressive Church and Welcome Everyone.  
We are LGBTQ friendly.  
Pastor: Jennifer Seach  
Worship & Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Hospitality Hour follows worship.

### Oregon City Ward 3

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints  
Henrici Rd between S Beavercreek Rd and Hwy 213  
Bishop Jerry Swertfeger 503-632-8634  
Sunday Meetings: Start at 1:00 p.m.  
Women's Enrichment: Third Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m.  
Youth Activity Night (12-18 yrs): Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

### Bryn Seion Welsh Church

22132 S Kamrath Rd  
971-295-4311  
www.brynseionwelshchurch.org  
Sunday Worship: the Second & Fourth 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: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School (September - June): 9:30 a.m.

### Christian Science Church

First Church of Christ, Scientist, Oregon City  
9th and Center Street  
Oregon City, OR 97045  
503-655-1071  
Sunday Worship and Sunday School: 11:00

### 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: Second Wednesday at 9:30 a.m.

### First Baptist Church of Oregon City

819 John Adams St  
Oregon City, OR  
503-656-3854  
www.1baptistchurch.org  
Praise & Worship: Sundays 10:30 a.m.  
Kid Church: Sundays 10:30 a.m.  
Middle/High School Youth Groups: Wednesdays 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

### Grand View Baptist Church

Corner of Hwy 213 & Leland Rd  
503-632-8100  
Women's Bible Study: Monday 9:30 a.m.  
Main Service: 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 5:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Awana 7:00 p.m.  
\* All services interpreted for the Deaf  
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### Living Hope Church

19691 Meyers Road  
Oregon City, OR  
503-655-7390  
www.livinghopechurchoc.com  
Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.  
Worship: 9:00 a.m. Hymn Service  
10:15 a.m. to 10:45 Social time  
10:45 a.m. Contemporary service

### Lower Highland Bible Church

24353 S Ridge Rd  
503-632-4741  
www.beavercreekbiblechurch.com  
Sunday Worship: 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
The Bridge: Fellowship at Clarkes General Store & Eatery, Mondays, 6:30 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 Children's 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  
503-742-8200  
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. &amp; 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.

**St. Philip Benizi Church**

18211 S. Henrici Rd.

503-631-2882

[www.philipbenizi.com](http://www.philipbenizi.com)

Mass Schedule:

Mon, Wed-Fri: 8:00 a.m., Tues: 6:30 p.m.

First Saturday of each month: 8:00 a.m. w/ anointing of the sick

Sat: 5:30 p.m. Vigil, Sun: 8:00 &amp; 10:30 a.m.

Reconciliation: Sat 4:30 - 5:00 p.m.

Adoration: Thurs 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

**Stone Creek Christian Church**

Main Campus: 21949 S Hwy 213

Maple Lane Campus: 14228 S Maple Lane

503-632-4218

[www.stonecreekonline.com](http://www.stonecreekonline.com)

Sunday Worship: 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m. and 12:00 p.m.

Sunday School: Adult - 10:30 a.m., Student (Jr/Sr High) Noon

Ministries for infant thru elementary - all services

Monday Eve: Women's Bible Study, 6:30 p.m.

Tuesday Eve: Kid's Club, Pre-K thru 6th grade, 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Family Dinner, 5:30 - 6:00 p.m.

Wednesday Eve: Youth Group (7th-12th Grade) 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

(at Maple Lane Campus) Family Dinner from 6:00 - 6:30 p.m.

Thursday Morning: Women's Bible Study, 9:30 a.m.

Saturday Morning: Men's Bible Study, 8:00 a.m.

Food Distribution: Food Basket, Wednesdays, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

**Trinity Lutheran Church**

16000 S Henrici Rd

503-632-5554

[www.trinityoc.org](http://www.trinityoc.org)

Sunday Services: Trinity Worship at 9:30 a.m., Adult

Bible Study at 11:00 a.m., Children's Sunday School at 11:00 a.m.

Holy Communion: First &amp; Third Sundays

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

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

## Events Calendar for the Beavercreek, Carus, Clarkes, and Oregon City Areas

**Library Events Calendar**

Programs and workshops offered by the Library are FREE. View the website event calendar or the download/print version here.

**Open Knitting**

Wednesdays, 6:30-9:00 p.m.

Knit-A-Bit, 6925 S Beckman Rd.

We have open knitting from 6:30 to 9 every Wednesday evening at the shop. In case you're not familiar with us, we're your local yarn shop - Knit-A-Bit and we're on Beckman Road across the street from the church.

**Social. Art. Work.**

November 5-December 7

November 6, 12:00-1:00pm - Artist's Reception

CCC Alexander Gallery, 19600 Molalla Ave.

Pippa Arend is the co-founder of p:ear, an organization that mentors Portland's homeless youth. "Social. Art. Work." is an exhibition of Arend's pen and ink portraits inspired by the youth she has worked with over the last 17 years. The exhibition is

supported by the MacArthur Fellowship prize. The Alexander Gallery is free and open to the public, Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., with the exception of campus holidays. For more information on Clackamas Community College's art exhibits and performances, visit [www.clackamas.edu/art](http://www.clackamas.edu/art).

**CCC's Lobby Hero Play**

November 8, 6:30pm - Opening Night

November 8-18, Thu-Sat, 7:30pm -

Performances

Sunday matinees at 2:30pm

Niemeyer Osterman Theatre, 19600 Molalla Ave.

Written by Kenneth Lonergan, the Tony Award-nominated play follows Jeff, a young security guard who finds himself in a dilemma over a murder case implicating the brother of his supervisor. Adding to Jeff's confusion is his attraction to a rookie police officer who is in a complicated relationship with her partner. The play works to explore racial profiling, sexual harassment and police corruption, all in the confines of an apartment building lobby. Tickets are \$11 for adults, \$9 for seniors and

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\$5 (or pay-what-you-can at the door) for students. There will also be a 10 a.m. pay-what-you-can matinee Friday, Nov. 16. For tickets, visit [www.clackamas.edu/theatre](http://www.clackamas.edu/theatre) or call 503-594-3153.

### **Beavercreek PTO Holiday Bazaar (Previously Hosted by BCT)**

November 10, 9:00am-4:00pm  
Beavercreek Elementary School  
21944 S Yeoman Rd, Beavercreek

Come shop over 100 local artisans selling one-of-a-kind crafts and gifts, just in time for the holiday season! Local coffee and food trucks will be on site selling delicious food throughout the event. First 100 shoppers get a free raffle ticket. Enjoy live entertainment with dance performances. Come support your local PTO by shopping at the event. Perfect for the whole family! If you have any questions, email us at: [beavercreekPTOholidaybazaar@gmail.com](mailto:beavercreekPTOholidaybazaar@gmail.com)

### **ODFW Free Fishing Days**

Nov. 23-24 (Friday & Saturday), Thanksgiving Weekend  
Learn more: <https://bit.ly/2IHdL63>

### **Operation Santa Claus Parade**

November 25, 6:00-9:00pm  
Starts at Beavercreek Fire Station 10

The sleigh bells from Operation Santa Claus have been ringing for the citizens of Clackamas Fire District #1 since 1974. Firefighters recognized the need to provide toys and food baskets to families and individuals that were less fortunate, and not likely to experience the joys of the holiday season. Hence, Operation Santa Claus was formed. During this holiday toy and food drive, fire district volunteers and employees lead Santa's fire engine parade down neighborhood streets to collect toys and non-perishable food items, which are used to fill hundreds of food boxes for families in need. Donated new toys bring a little extra Christmas cheer to children. Donated funds are used to purchase items for food boxes,

and help cover miscellaneous expenses. Operation Santa Claus is 100% funded by donations from members of the community and does not solicit funds or donations over the phone. See the Beavercreek parade route here: <https://bit.ly/2CTFzjt>.

### **Apprentice Applicator Recertification**

November 30, 8:00am-4:50pm  
Clairmont Hall 19600 Molalla Ave.

This workshop fulfills the Oregon Department of Agriculture's (ODA) yearly continuing education requirements to renew pesticide apprentice applicator licenses. Esta clase se enseña en español también. Cost: \$80. Contact Loretta Mills at 503-594-3292 or [lorettam@clackamas.edu](mailto:lorettam@clackamas.edu).

### **Community Christmas**

December 1, 4:00pm  
Beavercreek Grange

Join the festivities of the community with a potluck dinner at the Grange Hall. We are providing the Turkey and Ham, Stuffing, potatoes and gravy, rolls, coffee and punch (including Gluten Free options). Please bring a veggie, salad or dessert and see local entertainment and community groups during dinner. Santa is due to arrive at 6 pm to lead a parade down to the park for more entertainment, cookies, hot cocoa and more followed by the annual tree lighting! Come on over!

### **Annual Tree Lighting Ceremony**

December 1  
Korner Park

Join your neighbors at the annual holiday tree lighting ceremony at Korner Park! There will be musical guests, holiday refreshments and goodies, a visit from Santa, and more. Stay tuned for more details.

### **Herb Gifts and Holiday Decorating**

December 1, 8:00am-12:20pm  
Clairmont Hall 19600 Molalla Ave.

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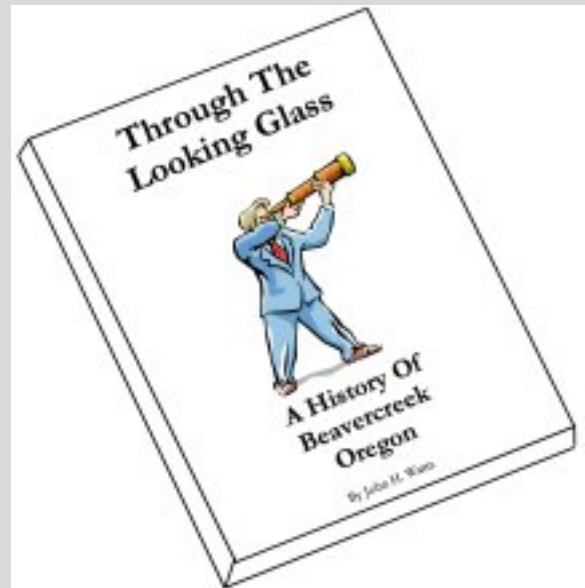
Learn how to make herb gifts and holiday arrangements including which herbs and plants are appropriate for use. Cost: \$45. Contact Loretta Mills at 503-594-3292 or [lorettam@clackamas.edu](mailto:lorettam@clackamas.edu).

### **Pesticide Core Training**

December 7, 1:00-4:50pm  
Clairmont Hall 19600 Molalla Ave.

This workshop qualifies participants for four CORE credits as required by the ODA. Cost: \$40. Contact Loretta Mills at 503-594-3292 or [lorettam@clackamas.edu](mailto:lorettam@clackamas.edu).

Email your event to  
[editor@beavercreekbulletin.org](mailto:editor@beavercreekbulletin.org) to  
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# Thanksgiving

