

BEAVERCREEK BULLETIN

By and for residents of Beavercreek, Oregon

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September Hamlet Recap

The guest speaker this month was Stacy Ludington from the Clackamas County Office of Sustainability. A core part of her job is to educate people on how to properly recycle, as well as hosting workshops on how to clean with less toxic chemicals by making your own "green" cleaners.

When the Chinese government informed the U.S. and Europe last year that it would no longer accept recyclables due to contamination, it led to major shifts in what counties would accept at the curb. Oregon is adapting by finding new local markets for recyclables, but in the meantime the change means more is thrown out. The County is also asking privately owned sorting facilities to update their machinery, but it's expensive.

Stacy shared a recycle guide flyer (found at clackamas.us/recycling) and discussed the main rules for mixed recycling and glass. She emphasized that the recycle symbol is meaningless when it comes to recycling -- the symbol and number are indicators of the type of plastic, not whether it is recyclable.

Surprises on what cannot be recycled include to-go containers, also called clamshells, which is so thin it breaks apart and the machines mistake it as paper; coffee cups or frozen food boxes, which are lined with plastic; and tin can lids or plastic containers under six ounces - such as medicine containers or small yogurt containers, as they are too small.

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

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 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.

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

Lesser known recyclable items include five gallon buckets, and thick-layered cartons that items like broth, soy milk, soup, etc. come in, as the layers allow machines to take the useable parts and discard the rest. Labels do not need to be removed from tin cans, as they get burned off in the smelter. Stacy suggests putting small bits of paper into a larger paper bag, otherwise the machines may discard them, and that tape does not need to be removed from cardboard boxes.

Plastic bags including grocery bags or any "stretchy" bag can be recycled, such as bread

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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bags, water bottle bag wrappers, paper towel wrappers, and more (whether or not it has the recycle symbol per above). Also, the bottle deposit was raised to ten cents and includes more bottle types. Recycle locations can be found at OregonMetro.gov/FindaRecycler.

Stacy shared a list of items that do not belong in garbage, such as medical sharps, electronics, batteries and other hazardous waste, and more. A resident asked if and how solar panels could be recycled, which the County will follow up on. Another asked whether we would see a styrofoam or plastic bag ban similar to Portland, and Stacy said she had not heard of that extending to unincorporated Clackamas County at this time.

The agenda had two land use applications including the request for a forest template test to establish a single family residence on Killdeer Road. The board explained that this occurs when a property is zoned as Timber. A 160 acre square centered over the property is used to determine the number of parcels it touches, as well as dwellings on those parcels. It's very "black and white," the board said, and "no set of inputs is going to make a difference" on whether one can proceed with a template test. Residents voted 34 in favor of "no comment at this time" and two abstained.

The second land use application was by Mountain Meadow Solar who is requesting photovoltaic a solar power generation facility (passive solar panels) to be added on 10 acres on Killdeer Road. Almost 40 neighbors from the area around Mountain Meadow, Yeoman, and Killdeer roads were present at the meeting in opposition to the application. The board spoke with the land owner and he chose not to attend, and the business owners could not attend due to travel.

The board had received emails and letters from many residents in opposition, which will



The well-attended September Hamlet meeting with almost 40 residents. Source: Bulletin

be sent in entirety to the hearings officer along with a letter from the Hamlet. The board stated that they are not here to approve or support the application, but to serve as a conduit to the County while providing residents helpful information for the hearings and how to best prepare.

The board emphasized that written comments received by the County planning staff by October 8 will be considered in the recommendation to the hearings officer on October 18. The contact is Clay Glasgow at clayg@clackamas.us. It's also crucial to organize as a group and present in a united way at the public hearing. The typical order of presentation is: applicant, staff, anyone in favor, anyone opposed. It's an informal, face-to-face discussion in which the hearings officer is reviewing the code and what makes sense for this particular application.

One resident said Lane and Yamhill counties have put a moratorium on solar development. One resident had reviewed 20 previous applications for solar developments in Clackamas County and all were approved. The important thing to address is the conditional use. The group discussed the Timber District Ordinance and what is allowable with regard to solar, as well as several possible angles to pursue with the hearings officer related to zoning, erosion, and road use and safety in the event of an emergency, among others.

Next Hamlet Meeting

October 24 at 7:00 PM Beavercreek Grange

Residents expressed other downsides of a solar farm in a residential neighborhood including a 10-20% reduction in property values, a cyclone fence with barbed wire and high voltage signs being a safety hazard to wildlife and neighborhood children, a water runoff issue that would compound existing drainage issues and could trigger nearby landslide areas, the potential for increased pesticide use which would go into the well water, current issues with water pressure that may be intensified by a commercial facility, the potential for school bus stop changes.

A resident who is a mortgage lender suggested it would be more difficult to get a loan next to a solar facility. One suggested the nearest power station was 3.3 miles away, which would require an upgrade to power lines to export power. A suggestion was made to put the solar farm on land that is not in agricultural or timber production, such as an

old landfill site or similar.

A resident had visited another solar development by the same business owner in Colton, saying it was "really ugly" and that the neighbors have cited runoff issues and are afraid of pesticides in the pond. They also said the builder promised to add trees or shrubs to beautify the perimeter but nothing had been done. If this one goes through, he said, residents should ask the builder to create a decommission fund as there's no promise they will remove it after the 30-year agreement expires.

A resident suggested contacting 1000 Friends of Oregon who has been working with the State and Oregon counties for years on maintaining the agricultural land base while balancing the need for renewable energy sources. The board again emphasized the importance of showing up in person at the meeting with a unified front. Residents voted



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to oppose the application with 36 in favor, zero opposed and two abstaining. The board voted four in favor, one opposed, and two abstaining.

The board reminded everyone that Hamlet elections are happening at the October meeting. Bill Merchant, Christine Kosinski, Tammy Stevens are running for re-election and there will be one open board seat which will be appointed by the new board. For old business, the Hamlet is asking people to join the volunteer list for when project help is needed. Email info@beavercreek.org to be added.

The County is instituting a new \$30 vehicle registration fee to pay for road maintenance with 40% of taxes collected going to cities and 60% going to the county. They spoke with cities, but none of the CPOs or Hamlets so the County is working fast to rectify that through a Community Leaders meeting. Of the 60% going to the County, the Hamlet board and other community leaders are doing what they can to ensure some monies come to rural areas. Regarding the tax itself, a resident asked if lightly used farm vehicles are taxed the same as heavy use. The County understands that is not fair and the board is continuing that discussion, as well as on Veteran's vehicles.

The Willamette Falls Legacy Project is starting to seek help. If you're interested, get in touch with the Hamlet board. If you have a PO Box, you can now use the Street Addressing feature which allows you to have a "street address" rather than a PO Box, which is useful for shipping packages. The Hamlet website at beavercreek.org is currently using Meetup.com for the back-end, which is limiting. Volunteers will be updating it to make it more useable and useful to the community. A resident has also volunteered to create a "little free library" at Korner Park where residents can take a book and leave a

book. It will also house the Beavercreek Bulletin.

The board recently met with the Clackamas River Water (CRW), our regional water service provider, to get an update on water issues in our area after two wells went dry this summer near Yeoman Road. One of them, whose well is 265 feet deep, said they contacted 25 well companies who all quoted a three to six month wait. Just one in St. Paul was able to come out and take a look. In the interim, they got cisterns and water from the fire station to care for themselves, horses, and chickens. Another resident in proximity of Yeoman said they recently got annexed into CRW, which took a year.

Previous meetings have discussed the potential for increased development by Oregon City putting a strain on Beavercreek's water supply. The good news is that CRW has a certified water right that can't be revoked. The bad news is that Oregon City, West Linn, Lake Oswego and others have conditional use rights, which can be revoked at any time. If the water levels get too low - and they're getting lower every year - then rationing could be implemented similar to what was done in California in recent years. Residents are encouraged to attend public CRW meetings to learn and share.

The Beavercreek Elementary School pickup and dropoff was changed this year after public and parent meetings deemed it unsafe, however, new safety issues have arisen. Traffic is backing up down the busy Beavercreek road, which has led to near-accidents. The groups are meeting again soon to discuss new options.

The October Hamlet meeting is a Town Hall with guest speaker Michelle Amend, Clackamas County Code Enforcement Department, and attended by Katie Wilson, Liaison, Clackamas County Elections.

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.

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Backyard Burning Season Delayed

Dry conditions in our area mean that Backyard Burning has been delayed to October 15, 2018. In the event that date shifts again, the best way to stay informed is to call 503-632-0211. Outdoor or "open" burning includes any burning outdoors. A fire in a "burn barrel" is open burning. Other examples include burning piles of yard debris, burning stumps to clear land and burning construction debris or the remains of demolished structures. Lean more at clackamasfire.com/burn-status.

New Water Rights Handout Available

By <u>Cathy McQueeney</u>, Clackamas Soil & Water Conservation District

Water rights are a frequent topic of conversation during the long, hot summer here in Clackamas County. How can one obtain a water right? Do I need one? And, frequently, just what is a water right?

A water right is the legal right of a user to take and use water from a water source such as a river, stream, pond, groundwater well, or lake. In Oregon, under the Oregon Water Code of 1909, all water belongs to the public. With few exceptions, cities, businesses,

farmers, and other water users must obtain a water right from the Water Resources Department (WRD) in order to use water from any source.

Generally speaking, landowners with water flowing past, through, or under their property do not automatically have the right to use that water without authorization from the WRD.

New Handout Provides Simple Guidelines, Information

Amy Kim, the District 20 Watermaster, has a lot of experience answering people's questions about water rights. She recently shared a new handout Understanding Water-Use Regulations in Oregon. This 2-page, easy to read document covers the following questions:

- What are the water-use authorization options?
- What else should you know about the use of your water right?
- How do I obtain a water right permit in the State of Oregon?
- What sources of water are exempt from the permitting process and how can the water be used?
- Who is my local Watermaster?

Get the handout:

conservationdistrict.org/?wpfb dl=657.

Water is a Finite Resource

Water may seem plentiful here in Clackamas County, which includes numerous lakes and rivers, streams beyond counting, and rainfall that lasts for months on end, but this resource is limited. There are many demands on Oregon's water resources and trying to address everyone's water needs is a difficult task.

Water is used for irrigating cropland and producing livestock. It is needed for domestic, use including drinking water, for recreation, and industrial manufacturing.

Water is also necessary to the survival of our native fish and other aquatic life, as well the health of our many watersheds.

The Clackamas Soil and Water Conservation District provides FREE technical resources to help landowners find ways to conserve their water resources. This allows them to be successful land managers while still protecting our resources for people down stream and into the future. Our conservation planners can provide valuable information on topics such as irrigation efficiency, mud and manure management, streamside/riparian restoration, and more. For additional information, contact us at 503-210-6000.

Beavercreek Dog Owner Takes Honors at Dog Agility Championship

Patty Bensene and her dog Raven of Beavercreek took top honors in two categories at the United States Dog Agility Association Western Regional Championships in Prunedale, Calif., Sept. 1-3. Hundreds of canine athletes and their handlers gathered at the Manzanita Park Sports Complex to compete for top honors as well as qualification to the Cynosport World Games, the National Dog Agility Championship to be held in Arizona this fall.

Raven, a 5-year-old German shepherd, took first place in her height class (20") in the Performance Masters Challenge Biathlon, which requires mastery on both a standard agility and jumpers course, each of European-style design; and in the Performance Speed Jumping category.

Bensene, a professional dog trainer, said she started agility in the late 1990s: "I was an athlete and wanted something to do with my dog as a team." She added that Raven has been the #1 tournament German shepherd in USDAA for three years and is also a truffle



hunter. Congrats Patty and Raven!

Hearing Loss Happens at Any Age

This school year, SAIF doesn't want students to fail their hearing tests. That's the message behind two new PSAs from Oregon's not-for-profit workers' compensation company, available at

https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL33 1BVFvRJ3JrgaiUb5t5KJhWWFpsLCfv.

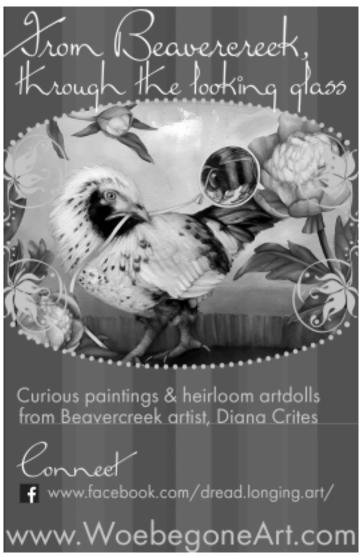
"We tend to think hearing loss only happens as you age, but exposure to loud noises can cause hearing loss at any age," said David Johnson, SAIF's industrial hygiene supervisor. "And whether you're not wearing proper hearing protection in high noise environments, or listening to music too loud while you're studying, you're putting your ears at risk."

SAIF recommends employees wear hearing protection when exposed to noise above 85 decibels. The National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders (NIDCD) estimates lawn mowers have between 80 and 100 decibels; headphones at top volume can be as high as 110 decibels. More information on hearing loss at any age can be found at saif.com/noise.

Safe Online Surfing

Your kids are starting to settle back into the school routine, and, as they do, many of them are carrying phones with them to class. They are also spending more and more time online for legitimate reasons — whether it is for typing exercises, research for a speech or practicing math. While technology is an awesome tool for educators, there are steps that you can take to set your child up to be both successful and safe online.

To that end, the FBI has developed a



computer literacy program called "Safe Online Surfing" or "SOS". Teachers and administrators can utilize this program in the school setting — or parents can use it one-on-one with their children at home. The Safe Online Surfing program includes age-specific materials for grades three through eight, and it is now also available in Spanish. This program is completely free for you to use.

SOS is a series of grade-appropriate online games that allow your child to have fun while learning some important lessons. The student will explore what good online etiquette looks like, how to manage cyber bullies, and how good passwords and double authentication help keep them safe. They will learn about what they should do before downloading that new app or game onto their phone — and how to screen friend requests in a responsible way. And, they will also be able to investigate the

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dangers of plagiarism and privacy violations.

Here are some helpful tips for parents, as well:

- Talk to your kids about what kinds of information, photos and videos are appropriate to share and what's not. Remind them that even sending one picture to a friend can lead to an entire school seeing what might be a child's most embarrassing moment.
- Teach your kids how to limit the information they put online. They shouldn't be posting their full name, date of birth and school information on social media platforms or give it to third party vendors.
- Train your kids that free software, apps and downloads may sound great but in some cases they can be illegal. In other cases, you are opening up your phone and computer to potential malware attacks.

If you are a parent or educator interested in learning more about the Safe Online Surfing program – go to sos.fbi.gov.

Survey for Veterans to Improve Clackamas County Services

Clackamas County Veterans Services Office helps military veterans and their families get the benefits they have earned. VA benefits are not received automatically and navigating the benefits process can be confusing. The County is seeking input from Veterans on the best way to connect with them to share information via various social media sites. If you are a Veteran, share your feedback with the County in this short, anonymous survey: www.surveymonkey.com/r/KGYBYXF. If you have questions about VA claims or other veterans' benefits, call 503-650-5631. Learn more about Veterans Services online at www.clackamas.us/socialservices/veterans.html.

One Dead by Drunk Driver on Beavercreek and Henrici

On Tuesday September 11, 2018 at approximately 11:05 p.m. Clackamas County Sheriff's Office deputies responded to a reported injury traffic crash at the intersection of S Beavercreek Rd. and S. Henrici Rd. It was reported that there were two vehicles involved and that one of the vehicles was on fire. Once deputies arrived on scene it was discovered that one of the involved vehicles was fully engulfed in flames. Deputies performed CPR on the operator of one of the vehicles until medical units arrived, however they were unable to save the patient. Identification of the deceased is pending family notifications.

Following the investigation the operator of one of the vehicles, identified as Douglas M. McCann, 20 years old from Oregon City, was arrested for Manslaughter, DUII, Criminal

Mischief I X2, Reckless Driving, and Reckless Endangering, and transported to the Clackamas County Jail where he was booked. The investigation is continuing and anyone who may have seen Mr. McCann on September 11, 2018 is urged to call the CCSO Tip Line at (503) 723-4949 or leave an online tip here: https://web3.clackama s.us/contact/tip.jsp. Please reference CCSO Case #18-25192.

Get Help with Healthcare Enrollment

For most people who buy their own health insurance, open enrollment is the only time of year to sign up for a health plan or switch plans. Open enrollment for 2019 coverage will run from Nov.1 through Dec. 15. Eight community groups and 34 insurance agencies have been awarded grants to publicize open enrollment and help Oregonians enroll.

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Scholarship Fraud

The start of the school year can be both highly anticipated and cause high anxiety. No matter how you look at it, college is expensive.

Between tuition, room and board, and the price of books, students can face overwhelming costs. For this reason, many people begin to search for scholarships and grants as a way to ease the financial burden. Unfortunately, many con artists have taken advantage of this fact and are luring people into scholarship and financial aid scams.

Today we will share some information with you that comes from our partners at the Federal Trade Commission about how you can avoid getting scammed on your way to college.

There are many companies that charge more than \$1,000 for assistance in finding financial aid opportunities and scholarships. Much of the information that they provide is available elsewhere for free.

Many fraudulent businesses will also guarantee that you will receive a scholarship or grant -- if you pay upfront for their services. Some will use high-pressure tactics, such as "buy now or forever miss this opportunity," to coerce people into paying right away. Another common tactic is to tell you that you have been selected as a "finalist" for a scholarship that requires a bank account number to confirm the identity of the student. Many of these deceitful companies will even offer a "customer satisfaction or money back" guarantee. However, if you look closely at the conditions, you will see that it is virtually impossible to get the refund.

So before you pay for help to find scholarships and grants, keep the following things in mind:

- Take your time to decide if you want to use a company that requires a fee. Do not let anyone rush or pressure you into a quick buy. Do research on the company and talk to a financial aid advisor before spending money. If it is a valid company, the offer will be still be available in a couple of days.
- Remember that the government never requires you to pay a fee to receive a "free" government grant. If the grant has been awarded to you, there will be no "processing fee."
- Take the success stories shared at seminars with a grain of salt. The company might have paid someone to share a glowing story. Try to find reviews from an outside source to confirm the validity of the company.
- Ask lots of questions. Figure out exactly how much money you are going to be charged, the services that they are promising to provide, and learn about their refund policy. Get this information in writing.

Some companies that offer to help you are legitimate and do provide services, but you should definitely do your homework and read all of the fine print ahead of time. And, again, be wary of paying for services that you can get for free elsewhere. If you have been victimized by a scholarship or grant scam or any other cyber fraud, be sure to report it to the FBI's Internet Crime Complaint Center at www.ic3.gov or call your local FBI office.

Taking a Home Inventory

More than 500,000 acres have been burned, and approximately 4,000 Oregonians have been warned to evacuate their homes this wildfire season. Over 300 earthquakes have also shaken the state this year, including a 6.2 magnitude quake just off the coast in August. These alarming facts mean it is critical for Oregonians to

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- 2. Review your insurance coverage Take time to discuss your policies with your insurance company or agent. Make sure you have the right coverage and know what to expect when you file a claim for disasters such as fire, earthquake, flood, tornado, theft, and ice storms.

For more details and other tips, visit dfr.oregon.gov/preparenow and https://www.ready.gov/september.

Living Well with Chronic Conditions or Diabetes Workshops

Sign up today for Clackamas County's six free Living Well Workshops that started in late September. Learn techniques and tools to help expand ones quality of life (or that of a loved one) while living with a chronic condition, and/or diabetes. Participants learn self-management techniques to fight fatigue, problem solve, make decisions and reduce stress. Additional topics include action planning, relaxation techniques, healthy food choices, physical activity and helpful ways to communicate. Learn more at bit.ly/2D6Xvss. Register by calling 503-650-5616 or email sfrost@clackamas.us



Community Grants, Awards & Opportunities

Elections workers needed. Want to be a part of the electoral process? Clackamas County's Elections Division is looking for election workers to serve the #ClackCo community and perform an important public service. We are seeking to enlarge our pool of seasonal, temporary help to help conduct general, primary and special elections. Most positions only work for 3-5 days. Have an interesting experience and witness democracy in action! Visit http://bit.ly/2odW9SD for more information and to apply. Positions open until filled.

Oregon GOSH Safety Award Nominations (Due 10/26). Much of the work to build and maintain safe and healthy workplaces happens behind the scenes, with unsung heroes - including individuals and organizations – dedicating themselves to pinpointing and eliminating hazards. Now is the time to shine a spotlight on their extraordinary work to send workers home safe to their families at the end of every work day. Nominations are being accepted for the 2019 Oregon GOSH Awards, which will honor organizations and individuals who make exceptional contributions to workplace safety and health. Applications are available at www.oregongosh.com/awards.

See You Next Month!
- Bulletin Editors



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



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15660 S Leland Rd 503-632-7505

www.nwcontexture.org Sunday School: 10:45 a.m.

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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.

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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.

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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.

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Sunday Evening: 5:00 p.m.

Wednesday: 7:00 p.m. Awana 7:00 p.m.

* All services interpreted for the Deaf Over 100 Sunday School Classes * Transportation and Nurseries Provided

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 Mevers 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. & 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

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 & 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

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

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

Bible Study at 10:45 a.m.

Holy Communion: First & 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

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.

Artist Leland John

September 17 to October 26 Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. CCC Alexander Gallery

Leland John, a former CCC art instructor, will exhibit a sampling of the past 50 years of his painting career. Traditional in style, these works capture the harmonious balance between humankind and nature. Many of the works in the exhibition will be for sale and proceeds will support the CCC Art Department. An artist's reception will be held Wednesday, Oct. 10, noon-1:30 p.m., in the Alexander Gallery. John will speak about his work at 1 p.m. Light refreshments will be served.

Make your own mini hoop house

October 6, 9:00-10:50am Clairmont Hall 19600 Molalla Ave.

Learn how to grow food year-round in a mini hoop house. Participants are encouraged to bring up to a dozen, 10 feet by 1/2-inch galvanized electrical conduit. Cost: \$20. Contact Loretta Mills at 503-594-3292 or lorettam@clackamas.edu.

VFW 1324 Auxiliary's 6th Annual Autumn Flea Market

October 6, 9:00am-5:00pm October 7, 10:00am-3:00pm Veterans Memorial Building, 104 S. Tumwater Dr. Oregon City

Are you looking for that one special item to finish the décor in your home? Do you just love unique and original items? Or, do you just love the thrill of the hunt? No matter your motivation, you never know what you may stumble across. We have vendors of all sorts: Craft Items, Home & Garden Décor, Antiques, Vintage & Collectibles, Kitchenware, Glassware, New-Used-Crafted Jewelry and much more. Proceeds from event

fees go to the Auxiliary Veterans Programs.

We welcome donations of personal hygiene products for our Veterans and Military members and their families who are in need. We also accept Cotton and Flannel Fabric as we make Lap Quilts and neck pillows for the Portland VA Hospital. Sorry, we do not accept other types of donations as we do not have space to store clothing and household goods and furniture.

We welcome volunteers who like to craft as in cut & sew fabric, crochet and knit. Contact Janice Wilson 503-708-6889 for more information.

Pesticide laws and safety

October 8-November 5, 1:00-4:50pm Clairmont Hall 19600 Molalla Ave.

Learn the laws and regulations related to application, handling and storage of pesticides. Participants will learn techniques for product selection, applicator safety and environmental protection. This workshop can be used as preparation for the Oregon Pesticide Laws and Safety exam. Cost: \$178. Contact Loretta Mills at 503-594-3292 or lorettam@clackamas.edu.

CCC Fall Jobs Fair

October 9, 10:00am-1:00pm Gregory Forum, 19600 Molalla Ave.

This free event is open to the public. There will be a veterans networking pre-event from 9 to 10 a.m. for veterans to have the first priority to meet with employers. This is an all-industry job fair where local employers with full-time and part-time employment as well as internship opportunities connect with CCC students, alumni and local job seekers. Nearly 60 employers are participating including: Jacobs Engineering, Clackamas Federal Credit Union, Intel, OHSU, Providence Health Services, PGE, UPS and Gresham Police Department. clackamas.edu/careerfair

Breaking the Silence: Stories of Oregon's LGBTQ Veterans [Film]

October 9, 1:00pm & 6:00pm screenings CCC VET Center, 19600 Molalla Ave.

Before September 2011, no person who identified as lesbian, gay, bisexual or transgender could serve openly in the United States military. Those

Local Events Calendar (continued)

who did serve were forced to do so secretly, at risk to themselves and their families. In 2011, Don't Ask Don't Tell was repealed, making it legal for LBG Americans to serve openly without fear of official reprise or discharge. In June 2016, the ban keeping transgender Americans from serving openly was also lifted. Shortly thereafter, the Oregon Department of Veterans' Affairs began to record the stories of veterans and service members from across the state who were forced to serve in silence. The result is this film.

The public is invited to this free event. Screenings will be followed by a presentation from Nathanial Bohme, LGBT veterans coordinator for the Oregon Department of Veterans Affairs. Light refreshments will be provided.

Open Studios of Beavercreek

October 12-14, 10:00am-5:00pm Various stops in Beavercreek

Take a lovely drive in the country and visit with 15 local Artists at 6 different studios offering fantastic art for show & sale. Learn how to win a \$50. gift certificate, check out our participating artists and download our map at our website: www.openstudiosofbeavercreek.com. Free admission.

Annual Beavercreek Fall Bazaar

October 13, 9:00am-4:00pm
Beavercreek United Church of Christ "The Ten O'clock Church"
23345 S. Beavercreek Rd. in Beavercreek

Mark your calendars for the 20th Annual Beavercreek Fall Bazaar at "The Ten O'clock Church." This popular event has been happening every October since 1999 and consists of many very talented artisans offering a wide variety of quality creations and gifts that will simplify your holiday shopping. There will also be a Raffle table with items donated from each of the vendors and a delicious lunch served by the women's group consisting of homemade soup, sandwiches and pieces of homemade pies. A slice of heaven! Tell your friends, neighbors, colleagues and relatives about the Beavercreek Fall Bazaar and join us for a great time.

Annual Holiday Craft Bazaar

November TBD Beavercreek Elementary

Save the date for the annual holiday bazaar, this year hosted by the Beavercreek PTO--with over 100 local vendors, enjoy live entertainment, get your photo with Santa and more! Come early, door prizes to the first 100 guests.

ODFW Free Fishing Days

Nov. 23-24 (Friday & Saturday), Thanksgiving Weekend

Learn more: https://bit.ly/2IHdL63

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.

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.

Community Christmas

December TBD, 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!

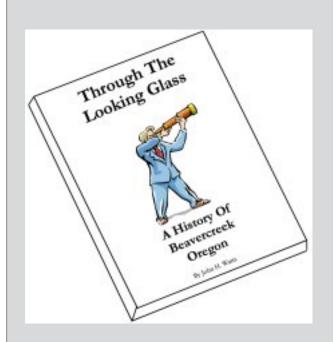
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Herb Gifts and Holiday Decorating December 1, 8:00am-12:20pm Clairmont Hall 19600 Molalla Ave.

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.

Email your event to editor@beavercreekbulletin.org to be included in the next issue.





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Beavercreek Fall Bazaar

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9AM TO 4PM



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