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Thursday, August 19, 1993



Bed Tacks? No Problem!

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Voters Reject Recall by Evan Kramer

2CJ school district voters decisively rejected a recall attempt aimed at 5 school board members. Larry Blount, Marilyn Cuthbert, Marilyn Haga, Michael Knapp, and Donald Smith will continue to serve their terms of office. 1361 ballots were cast in the vote by mail election. The 2CJ school district encompasses northern Curry County and part of south Coos County. Ballots were tabulated by the elections departments in both counties. The "no" votes prevailed by a similar margin in each county - 57% No recall, 43% in favor of recall.

The election was to a large degree a referendum on the extension of superintendent Dick Wold's contract by the school board and his performance in that job.

Classes begin on September 7, the day after Labor Day, for students in the 2CJ district. Registration for classes takes place on August 26 & 27. Students and teachers will meet and greet new principals at each of the three schools this year. The new principals are Michael Nickless at Pacific high school, Phil Sword at Blanco junior high school and Harry Shipman at Driftwood Elementary school. Last year's Blanco principal Finney Van Riper remains at Blanco, now as a full time teacher. Besides the opening of the white school building in Langlois the

other big change this year is the moving of the kindergarten classes from the high school to the elementary school.

The other big news of the week to me is the grey whales feeding in the ocean off Port Orford. Every day that I've been down to either the jetty or Battle Rock park I've seen them. I spotted three last Saturday at the jetty, one yesterday at the jetty and at least three this morning at Battle Rock. Cheryl Douglass informed me yesterday that Don Giles will come to Port Orford in November and present a whale watching seminar. Mr. Giles received 47 letters and over 190 signatures requesting he return to Port Orford. By the way, see the whale watch alert information given to us by Cheryl elsewhere in this paper.

Bed Tax Committee by Evan Kramer

On Thursday evening the Bed Tax committee met at the Port Orford city hall council chambers. The members of the committee consisted of Jim Grantland, George Kennedy, Alan Mitchell, Dean Madison and Rosey Roselius.

The bed tax is a 6% tax collected from people who stay at motels within the Port Orford city limits. There is approximately \$35,000 available for use by local non profit groups for projects related to enhancing the tourist related values of the area. The city collected \$53,000 last year of which \$18,000 went to the city parks system.

The Port Orford Beautification committee which is made up of the members of the Sunset Garden club and Back Acres

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Election Results

	Yes, Recall	No Recall
Larry Blount	581 (43%)	780 (57%)
Marilyn Cuthbert	561 (41%)	794 (59%)
Marilyn Haga	571 (43%)	762 (57%)
Michael Knapp	544 (41%)	792 (59%)
Donald Smith	551 (41%)	782 (59%)

No 2CJ School Board members were recalled.

FREE LISTING for public events.

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Events occur in Port Orford unless otherwise specified. Information must be received by Tuesday for inclusion in Thursday's edition.

Thursday, Aug. 19, 1993

- 12:00pm - Rotary meets at Senior Center. For info, 332-6325
- 2:15pm - Pinochle at Bandon VFW Hall, Bates Rd. & Hwy 42S 347-9277
- 5:30pm - Lions Bingo at the Port Orford Community Building
- 7:00-9:00pm Genealogical Society meets at the LDS Church. For info call DeBoyd Smith 332-7633 or Rachael Davis 332-2495
- 8:00pm - Opening Night for "Move Over Mrs. Markham" an adult British Comedy by Ray Cooney and John Chapman. Sorry, but it's SOLD OUT! Docia Sweet Hall at the Curry County Fairgrounds, Gold Beach. Adults \$7, Seniors/Students \$5, Age 4-12 \$2.50. 247-2721
- 8:00pm - AA meets at Zion Lutheran Church. 332-4381

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Message information - 332-4444.

Friday, Aug. 20, 1993

- 6:00-9:00pm Dinner at the Bandon VFW Hall, Bandon. 347-9277
- 8:00pm Opening Night for "Show Boat" at the Ocean Crest School auditorium (10th & Allegany Ave, 1 block west of Hwy 101 in Bandon.) 347-2506 or 347-9881
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Saturday, Aug. 21, 1993

- All Day Saturday Market, outdoors at the Fairgrounds in Gold Beach. Market info (503) 247-7165, RV & Camping info (503) 247-4541
- 11:00am Sheep Dog Trials at the Sixes River Hotel, Sixes. Final trials at 1:30pm. Non-profit barbeque too.
- 5:00pm - Indoor Outlaw Karts at the Curry County Fairgrounds in Gold Beach. Gates open 2pm, practice laps at 3pm. Adults \$5, 6-12 \$2, Under 6 Free, Pit Pass \$10. For info call Ron Pearce 469-6213 or the Fairgrounds Office at 247-4541

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Parks and Recreation.

Workers will meet on Saturday, August 21 at the Port Orford airport (end of Airport Road). Meet at 8:30am.

For more information, call the Park Service at 332-6774 or Basil Andrews at 332-4625.

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9:00-Noon Pacific High School Volleyball practice begins under coach Kate Martindale. 347-2568

9:30am - TOPS OR 769 meets 1403 Hwy 101. For info, call Pat 332-1175

12:00pm - Chamber of Commerce membership meeting at the Wheelhouse Restaurant 332-8055

4:00-7:00pm Pacific High School Soccer practice begins under coach Bill Karath. 347-2309

5:00-6:30pm Pacific High School Cross Country Racing practice begins with coach Jim Kistner. 347-3769

6:00pm - TOPS OR 871, meets at 1403 Hwy 101, rear door. For info call Becky 332-2335

7:00pm - Port Orford VFD meets at fire hall. For info, 332-3681

Tuesday, Aug. 24, 1993

9:30am - Hearing aid clinic at the Port Orford Senior Center. 332-5771

9:30-11:30am Representatives from the South Coast Business Employment Corp. will be at Bandon City Hall. For info or an appt., call 269-2013

12:00pm - AA Meeting, 1403 N. Oregon St. 332-4381

12:30pm - Bridge at the Port Orford Senior Center 332-5771

1:00-3:00pm Bingo at the Gold Beach Senior Center. 247-7506

7:00-8:00pm Sixes VFD Practice at fire hall. For info, call Ray 332-6325

7:00pm - Langlois VFD meets

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5:30pm Bingo at the Bandon VFW Hall, Bates Rd. & Hwy 42S, Bandon. 347-9277

6:30pm - Bingo at the Gold Beach Moose Lodge.

7:00pm - Democratic Central Committee meets in the blue room of the courthouse annex in Gold Beach.

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7:00pm - Port Orford Community Ambulance meeting 332-3681

7:00-10:00pm Fun Night at the Gold Beach Senior Center, 247-7506

7:30pm - Langlois Lions meet at their clubhouse on Floras Lake Loop Rd. For info, call 348-2500

7:30pm - Mickey Gilley Concert at the Curry County Fairgrounds in Gold Beach. Admission \$18

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Whale Watching Alert

We received this report from Cheryl Douglass concerning whale harassment on Saturday, August 14.

"2 Zodiac boats (large black motorized rafts) with members of out of town dive clubs chased several whales, (who had been feeding at Port Beach,) past Battle Rock. This isn't legal. The whales kept changing direction, speed and diving rhythm, attempting to elude boaters who stayed right next to or immediately behind whales. This continued throughout the day. I spoke with these people and explained the situation. Their response was pretty much, 'In your face. What are

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you going to do about it!' Then they went out again and chased the whales. There were several witnesses including tourists at the kiosk overlook.

Monday morning I made phone calls to different agencies. They stated that unless it is stopped, our whales will feel threatened and move permanently to another area. If these incidents are reported they will come to Port Orford and stop the violators."

The National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) is the Federal agency responsible for protecting whales under the Marine Mammals Protection Act of 1972 and the Endangered Species Act of 1973.

NMFS provides guidelines for vessel and aircraft operators when whale watching off the West Coast. If you fail to follow the guidelines, your actions may be interpreted as harassment of whales. Your cooperation in following the guidelines is essential to protect these endangered animals. For further information, phone or write the National Marine Fisheries Service representative at either OSU Marine Science Center, Newport, OR 97365 (503-867-3011 or Post Office Building, Coos Bay, OR 97420 (503-269-1861).

Aircraft operators should maintain an altitude of 1,000 feet when you're within 100 yards surface distance from a whale.

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a rapid change in direction or speed;

escape tactics such as prolonged diving, underwater course changes, or underwater exhalation;

evasive swimming patterns such as swimming rapidly away at the surface;

attempts by a female to shield a calf from a vessel or human observer by tail swishing or other movements to protect her calf.

Vessels within 100 yards of whales, should not operate any faster than the slowest whales are swimming and maintain a constant speed.

Do not operate your vessel to separate a whale from a calf or to herd or drive whales.

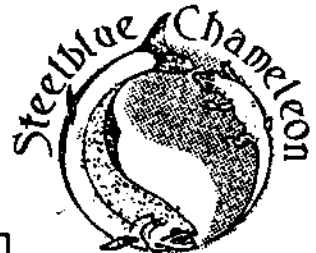
Report offenses to:

Oregon State Police, 1-800-452-7888
or National Marine Fisheries Service,
Tom Gaffney, 503-325-5934

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Langlois Library News Release

When you visit the Langlois Public Library this month, you will be able to enjoy the wonderfully charming painting, "Out My Back Yard" by June Sabin.

June, a long time resident of Langlois - in fact she was born there - began painting in 1975. Her first instructor was Charles Quarles who encouraged June to continue with her fine work in oils. Not too long ago June decided she would rather work with pastels and watercolors. The artwork in the library is a beautiful watercolor of holyhocks and it gives library patrons a real understanding of why June received the "Best of Show" award at the Coos County Fair this year. Congratulations, June!

During these last long days of summer, be sure to stop by the library for a book and a look. Library hours are Tuesdays through Fridays, 1:00-7:00 pm and Saturdays, 10:00 -2:00 pm.

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Budget Committee Openings

The 2CJ School Board identified three open budget committee positions at the regular meeting held on August 10th. The positions open are #2, Floras Creek; #4 Elk River, #7 District-wide.

Interested persons can obtain committee application forms from the district office or a school board member. Applications need to be filed with the district office by Friday, September 10th.

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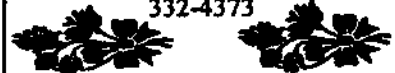
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All three County Health Department sites will be holding clinic on Thursday, August 26th from 9:00-11:30am and 1:00-3:30pm.

We look forward to seeing you there! Please call your local Health Department if you have any questions. The number in Port Orford is 332-4041.

Port Orford Tide Report

Courtesy of the Port Of Gold Beach

Date	High	Low	High	Low
Thu Aug. 19	12:47am 7.7	7:30am -0.4	1:39pm 7.5	7:52pm 0.8
Fri Aug. 20	1:40am 7.3	8:09am 0.1	2:16pm 7.8	8:46pm 0.5
Sat Aug. 21	2:36am 6.7	8:48am 0.7	2:57pm 7.9	9:45pm 0.3
Sun Aug. 22	3:37am 6.1	9:33am 1.4	3:44pm 7.9	10:44pm 0.2
Mon Aug. 23	4:48am 5.5	10:18am 2.1	4:34pm 7.8	11:53pm 0.2
Tue Aug. 24	6:11am 5.1	11:17am 2.7	5:34pm 7.6	NONE ---
Wed Aug. 25	7:40am 5.1	1:05am 0.2	6:40pm 7.4	12:26pm 3.1
Thu Aug. 26	8:56am 5.3	2:14am 0.2	7:51pm 7.3	1:42pm 3.2

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garden club presented a proposal to correct erosion at Battle Rock Park including landscaping and the construction of a viewing platform near the visitor center. Garden club member Marcia Donaldson spoke about the problems with erosion of the cliffs at the park and said the Beautification committee wanted to hire a landscape architect to help with their proposals. They asked for \$3300.

Mayor Delaine Kennedy present the proposal for the City of Port Orford asking for \$16,000 for new playground equipment at Bufflington Park.



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Sunday, August 29

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Rick Cook, representing the Port Orford Arts Council, submitted a request for \$5100 for promotional material and banners for the Arts Festival '94, additional copies of the Shops and Sights brochures, and funds for the Indian lecture series.

The Jubilee Committee was represented by Sandy Cockrell. Their request totaled \$2800 for use in advertising and promoting the 1994 Fourth of July Jubilee celebration.

The Port of Port Orford submitted a proposal for \$12,000 for use in paving the area referred to as the "boneyard" along with other improvements.

The Port Orford Chamber of Commerce was represented by president Janelle



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Haller. The Chamber had a detailed proposal consisting of the following requests. \$7,500 for building expansion of visitor center/chamber office. \$12,000 to be used for advertising and promoting Port Orford. \$4,000 for reprinting Port Orford color brochure. \$28,000 for creation of position of Chamber of Commerce director. The Chamber's total request was for \$51,500.

The total requested by the 6 groups was \$90,300. The bed tax committee took no action at Thursday's meeting. They will reconvene on Thursday evening, August 26, at 7:00pm in the city hall council chambers. The meeting is open to the public.

Letter to the Editor

Someone said "If you aren't part of the solution, you are part of the problem".

The recall election is behind us, it is time to set our differences aside, and work together as the "solution" for the welfare and education of our children. Education of our children to meet the problems of the 21st Century must be a priority. As parents we need to get involved with our children's education on a daily basis. We must set goals and challenge our children to meet their full potential. Our children require an education that will allow them to compete in a new world of technology and global awareness. Let's work together and find the way.

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