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Good-bye Jim by Evan Kramer

Last Thursday morning, Thanksgiving Day, Jim Grantland died at his home in Port Orford. Jim and his wife Linda own and run the Grantland Mayfield Gallery. I was shocked by the suddenness of Jim's death. We didn't even realize he was sick until we got back from our trip to Las Vegas. A friend of Jim's informed us he had been diagnosed with cancer in several places and was in bad shape. Then, on Thanksgiving afternoon, we heard that he had passed away that morning.

When Jim and Linda bought the building that houses their gallery it was a much different place. For one thing it was only one story with an attic and only about a third of the bottom level was useable as retail space. The Grantlands undertook the complicated task of turning the old building into a showcase art gallery and a home for themselves on the second story of the building. Jim served as his own contractor on the job and performed quite a transformation on the old structure. The gallery opened in July of 1992 and has proven to be very successful.

Jim was involved with many community organizations. He and Linda have lived in Port Orford for three years and they both rolled up their sleeves and became active citizens. Jim and Linda were members of the Lightin' Bugs. Jim was a member of the Port Orford Rotary Club. Jim and Linda both frequently attended

city council and planning commission meetings. Jim served as a volunteer on the City of Port Orford Bed Tax Committee for the last two years. His fellow committee members twice elected him chairman of that group. He prepared several professional spread sheets for the committee and put in a lot of effort into the job.

Jim was an active member of the Port Orford Arts Council and served as president of that group for two years. One of his specialties artistically was designing and constructing works of stained glass.

Jim was involved with the local whale watch program. He had developed a project to pick up the sound of grey whales in the bay and amplify them so people at Battle Rock could hear them and had proposed a broadcast system that would allow tourists driving through town to hear the sounds on their car radios!

Jim was an active member of the Port Orford Chamber of Commerce. At the time of his death Jim had been nominated for a position on the Board of Directors. I'll engage in a little bit of "what if" here and say I believe he would have been elected to the Board and gone on to be one of its most active and influential members. This is a real loss for the Chamber. Jim was instrumental in paving the way for the Chamber hiring a part-time paid office manager. He believed in keeping the Chamber visitor center/office open and put both his money and his time into

it. He personally staffed the office on several occasions and organized a group of local business people who donated \$10 each per month for additional hours for the office worker.

This Saturday!

Jim and Linda have a Great Dane named Zack. If you haven't met Zack he's quite an imposing fellow at 175 pounds. One time when Valerie and I went out to dinner with Jim and Linda I noticed Jim wrapping a small portion of his dinner in a napkin which he told me was for Zack. Jim explained that Zack would smell his breath when he got back from being out, expecting a little goody and Jim would have something for him.

Besides his wife Linda Jim is survived by his father, two daughters, one son and four grandchildren. A memorial service for Jim is being planned and we should have more details next week.

Last of The Whale Burgers

Valerie and I ate lunch at the Whale Cove restaurant last Saturday and split a Whale Burger. Now that may not sound very significant and it wouldn't be except the Whale Cove went out of business this Monday, November 28. Butch and Leslie Ramey were in the restaurant on Tuesday cleaning it up for the final time.

We enjoyed many an enjoyable hamburger and other meals at the Whale Cove. I appreciated the extremely pro-

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Collis Heads Republicans

James Collis, Brookings resident and long-time Republican was elected Chairman of the Curry County Republican Central Committee (CCRCC), at the recent CCRCC meeting held in Gold Beach, OR

Mr. Collis brings his distinguished experience to this important post. He served in the US Navy for twenty-three years, sixteen as a Navy pilot. He retired in 1966 holding the rank of Lt. Commander. After active service, Mr. Collis, served an additional 17 years with the Dept. of Naval Intelligence, in Washington DC. He moved to Brookings in 1986, where he has been until recently involved in the computer business. He now considers himself retired. Collis Lane in Brookings is named after his father William J. (Jack) Collis, who resided in that community from 1949 to 1957.

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Mr. Collis states the primary goal of his administration to be: "to have the citizens of Curry County recognize the best solutions to our political and economic problems, will be achieved through the programs and candidates offered by the Republican Party". A CCRCC spokesperson added: "We believe with Jim Collis as our Chairman we can expect the Republican Party of Curry County to con-

tinue its growth, and influence towards better civil government, we are proud to have him aboard".

Other Officers elected were: Vice Chairman: Howard Walter, Treasurer: Kathleen Bell; Alt. Chair.: Cliff Ross; and Alt Vice Chair.: Norma Fitzgerald. Mrs. Jerri Walter volunteered to remain as CCRCC Secretary.

Port Orford Tide Report Courteey of the Port Of Gold Beach

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Thu	Dec. 1	9:18am	8.7	3:18am	2.3	10:59pm	6.2	4:34pm -1.4	
Fri	Dec. 2	10:04am	8.9	4:09am	2.4	11:52pm	6.4	5:23pm -1.9	
Sat	Dec. 3	10:50am	8.9	5:01em	2.6	NONE		6:11pm -2.0	
Sun	Dec. 4	12:42am	6.5	5:53am	2.6	11:38AM	8.8	6:59pm -1.9	
Mon	Dec. 5	1:31am	6.5	6:46am	2.7	12:30pm	8.4	7:45pm -1.5	
Tue	Dec. 6	2:21am	6.6	7:42am	2.8	1:20pm	7.8	8:34pm -1.0	
Wed	Dec. 7	3:14am	6.6	8:46am	2.8	2:15pm	7.0	9:21pm -0.3	
Thu	Dec. 8	4:02am		9:53am	2.7	3:17pm	6.3	10:10pm 0.4	

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- Whole Food Store 1/2 gal Swiss
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- 2. Tim Armi Designer/Builder 5 rose bushes & 2 rose trees
- Carlene Armi 2 home made Christmas Stockings
- 4. Downtown Fun Zone 10 movie rental gift certificates
- 5. Sentry Market \$25 gift certificate
- 6. Swinney's Expresso 1 free expresso
- Coos Curry Supply 1 gallon white paint
- 8. Post Orford Pharmacy (2) \$25 gift certificates
- Bartlett's Cafe (2) \$25 gift certificates
 The Jam Stand - 1 Blackberry Jelly
- 11. Sisters Natural Grocery nice purse

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- Wheelhouse Restaurant \$15 gift certificate
- 18. Kar Kare Klinic 2 gallons antifreeze
- 19. Monty's Texaco A case of oil
 20. Place of Beads 2 Indian pictures
- 21. Nickles Myrtlewood Slow moving sand display
- 22. Circle K one free coffee
- 23. Western Builders Supply \$50 prehung door

24. Color Co-Motion - 1 free tree prunning

There will be a stand in front of Sentry Market to purchase raffle tickets for \$1 each, all next week volunteers are still needed. Raffle tickets will also be sold at the Christmas Botique.

Friends of the Library Bazaar

Bazaar-time at the Port Orford library: this Saturday, Dec. 3, from 9-5. The Friends of the Library will hold its annual Christmas fund-raiser, with handicrafts, plants, home-made goodies, white elephants, some special books - etc. Coffee, punch and cookies on hand, too. Come to the library!

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The city of Coquille and the Coquille Chamber of Commerce are coordinating a Christmas tour scheduled for Saturday. Dec. 3rd from 11 am to 3 pm. The tour will include three local houses, the Saint James Episcopal Church, and the Coquille Valley Art Center.

The featured residences are the Winningham home at 774 North Collier, sponsored by the American Business Women, the Amling home at 924 South 1st, sponsored by the Coquille Valley Soroptomists, and the Todd Home at 250 West 4th, sponsored by Chapter CC of the P.E.O. Sisterhood. Each home will be decorated for the holidays by their sponsoring organization. Food and gift items will be for sale at each of the homes.

The art center will provide coffee and cookies as well as a fine selection of local art for that special someone on your list.

Live holiday music will be performed at the center from 1-1:30 and 2-2:30. Refreshments are included in the admission. price.

The Episcopal Church will feature pipe organ music from 1-2 pm. They will be celebrating their 100th birthday soon and encourage everyone to stop by and visit.

Admission to the tour is \$5. Tickets may be purchased at the Coquille Chamber of Commerce, Katydid's Gifts in Coos Bay. the Country Merchant in Bandon. Schroeder's Furniture in Myrtle Point, or at any stop on the tour, except the church. Proceeds from the ticket sales will be donated to the Christmas lighting fund. This tour is designed for adults only. It is also requested that no high heeled shoes be worn.

For more information, call the Coquille Chamber at 396-3414 or the city promotions office at 396-5131.

Chamber Election

The Port Orford Chamber of Commerce is holding an election for three Board of Directors positions. Six candidates have been nominated to run in this election. They are as follows:

Viola Cuatt

Ron Culbertson

Priscilla Harris

Clayton Lyons

Frank Smith

Dick Wold

Ballots have been mailed to Chamber members and are due back by the December Board meeting on Monday, December 12. The ballots will be counted at that meeting. The three positions on the Board are for three years.

Lightin' Bugs Christmas Lights Contest Entry Form

Deadline to Enter: Thursday, December 15, 1994

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Gourmet Gophers

The 4-H club, Gourmet Gophers, will be having their first meeting on Friday, December 2, at 7:00pm, in the Port Orford City Hall conference center.

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Bruce Mate and Don Giles will lead the training sessions.

Giles will also present a one day outreach training session in Port Orford, Dec. 11th from 8:30 to 4:30, at the City Hall.

Last year, volunteers helped people spot hundreds of whales at three viewpoints in the Brookings area.

Volunteers will be stationed at Cape Sebastian, Cape Ferrelo and Harris Beach State Park Dec. 26th through Jan. 2nd from 10 am to 1 pm. For information phone (503) 563-2002.



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Dear Editor,

We would like to thank the Fun Zone crew and everyone else for their unconditional support, caring, prayers and concern on the behalf of Tim O'Hearn, our Dad.

To help clear the air we would like to keep everyone updated on Tim's progress.

Tim is still in the hospital in Eugene, Sacred Heart. He will not need a wheel-chair or electric bed. He is using a walker and making progress. There is feeling in his arms to the wrists. He can shuffle a few steps on the walker, but his legs are still tingling, like they've fallen asleep.

Tim is expected home around Dec. 23rd, by hospital standards. Tim's goal is around the 12th of Dec.

We are holding a bottle drive for Dec. 3rd and 4th. If you have refundable bottles and cans to donate please call #332-2725 or 332-7150 and we will pick them up. Or, if you would, drop them off at #42528 Hensly Hill Rd.

Personal donations and cards can be sent to Tim O'Hearn, P.O. Box 919, Port Orford, OR 97465.

Thank you

Family Members' of Tim O'Hearn

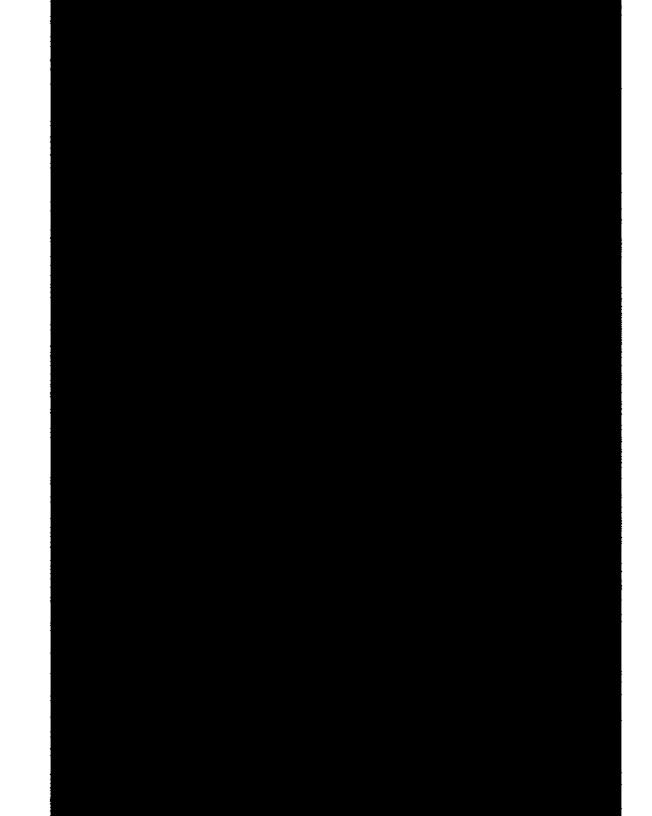
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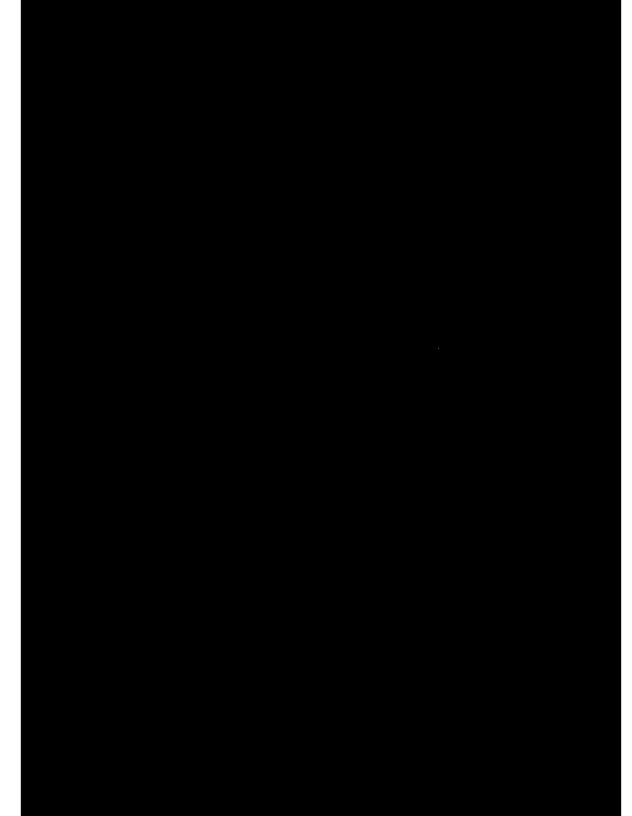


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Arts Council Meets

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The meal will start at 6:30pm. Bring your favorite Chili fixin' and/or beverage. The Arts Council will furnish coffee, utensils and paper plates.

The meeting will begin at 7:30pm. As always, an open floor period will be available for ideas and suggestions. Please come and join the fun.

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COMDEX Report by Valerie Jean Kramer

COMDEX, The COMputer DEalers' EXhibition, was pretty tame this year. I really didn't see any "knock your socks off" new software or hardware. There were lots of new "toys" and minor improvements but nothing to get really excited about.

The products that seemed to be generating the most interest this year were IBM's new OS/2 Warp operating system, Microsoft's Windows 95 (due out sometime before 1996), and Intel's Pentium processor.

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to rise from it's current "also ran" status to become next year's standard like Windows is today. The new version, by most accounts, is good enough to warrant the change. I had hoped IBM would be passing out copies at COMDEX to encourage people to try it in the hopes they would recommend it to others. No such luck. I had a chance to work with the prior version on a friend's machine and liked it well enough that I'll at least try the new version on my computer. Here's hopeing.

Windows 95 was originally scheduled for the end of 1994 and now some sources predict it won't ship till the end of 1995. That isn't all bad because it means Microsoft is taking the time to be sure they ship a solid product that isn't riddled with bugs. It's too early to tell whether it will be a winner although it has a good chance just because of the Windows name.

The Pentium has taken a beating lately with the discovery of several bugs in it. They are minor and workarounds exist but this will likely slow sales just as they were taking off thanks to Intel's lower prices and massive ad campaigns.

Next week, I'll try to tell you what really got me excited at COMDEX!