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## Congratulations Graduates!

## Thanks By Evan Kramer

Many people helped out with the first Port Orford Volkswalk. Every walker received a 16.9oz bottle of Oregon Pacific water. We thank Roy, Eric and Niels Martin for donating twelve cases of their locally bottled water to the volkswalk. A person wishing to remain anonymous donated some fine quality coffee for the volkswalkers. Frank Smith of the Port and Starboard Restaurant let us use his large coffee urn in which we made the much appreciated coffee. The Port Orford Arts Council in the form of Rick Cook helped organize and promote this event while Tobe and John Porter from the Arts Council took the lead in that organization's presentation of storyteller Will Hornyak.

Hornyak was well received by the audience who showed up on Saturday night for an evening of old fashioned but never out of style evening of storytelling. The only props he works with are his expressive hand and facial gestures and different voices for the characters in his stories. He started by talking a little about storytelling and came up with the interesting comment that a writer is a failed storyteller. One of his most pleasing stories concerned a fish who had been caught and instead of being thrown into

the frying pan was trained by its new owners. The fish grew lungs and even learned to walk and talk. Hornyak did an impression of the fish walking to much laughter. It's obvious from Hornyak's skills as a storyteller and the audience reception that storytelling is not a lost art form.

The Yachats Coastal Gems volkspport club did the majority of the work. They checked in all the walkers and issued them their start cards. They arrived in town on Friday and starting that afternoon laid out the arrows and tape for both walks which totaled 13.4 miles. The idea for the Volkswalk came from Carl Miller, owner of the Castaway Motel. If he hadn't got the ball rolling there would have been no Volkswalk.

Yachat Coastal Gems member Phil Hanson told me on Monday afternoon they had counted approximately 150 walkers who signed in. Most of them completed both walks or at least the 5K alternatives. Hanson was enthusiastic about the Cape Blanco walk. He said he felt it was the best Volkswalk in the state. He told me many of the other volkswalkers were really impressed with that walk and the sheer physical beauty of that area. Volkswalkers spotted bear, deer and an otter along their walks as well as enjoying the springtime blooming of the

rhodies, wild irises and azaleas. While we're on the subject of plants thanks to the Sunset Garden Club for holding a plant sale at the Community Building during the Volkswalk and the Master Gardeners for setting up a table and dispensing advice and written information.

We don't know yet if this Volkswalk is going to become a yearly event. Anyone have any comments?

## Court Is In Session

The Port Orford City Council approved the interim appointment of a municipal court judge at their Wednesday, May 22 meeting. The judge selected was recommended by city manager Dotti Myers. The name of the interim judge is Lee Forrest. He is a retired Los Angeles police officer currently living in Brookings. Forrest was on the oral review board which interviewed the candidates for Port Orford police chief. The motion to hire Mr. Forrest as interim judge stated that the appointment was for a period of time not to exceed 6 weeks. Forrest was asked whether or not he was going to throw the book at people as far as the traffic fines were concerned. He

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Date		High	Low	High	Low
Thu May 30	11:05am	5.8	4:52am 0.1	10:23pm 8.0	4:27pm 2.4
Fri May 31	11:55am	6.0	5:35am -0.6	11:04pm 8.3	5:13pm 2.5
Sat Jun 1	11:46PM	8.5	6:20am -1.1	12:46pm 6.2	5:59pm 2.6
Sun Jun 2	NONE	—	7:06am -1.5	1:34pm 6.4	6:48pm 2.7
Mon Jun 3	12:32am	8.5	7:51am -1.6	2:23pm 6.5	7:39pm 2.8
Tue Jun 4	1:17am	8.3	8:37am -1.5	3:12pm 6.6	8:34pm 2.8
Wed Jun 5	2:09am	8.0	9:27am -1.2	4:04pm 6.7	9:38pm 2.8
Thu Jun 6	3:08am	7.4	10:19am -0.7	4:59pm 6.9	10:44pm 2.7

### Official Weather

Provided by the City of Port Orford  
Public Utilities Department

Date	High	Low	Rain
Sat May 18	58	48	.51
Sun May 19	59	42	—
Mon May 20	61	47	.49
Tue May 21	55	44	.47
Wed May 22	57	53	.10
Thu May 23	58	46	—
Fri May 24	62	51	—

### Curry County Fair & Rodeo

"Get Your Kicks in '96" at the Curry County Fair and Rodeo, "It's more fun when you participate," says Ron Crook, Fair Manager, and adds, "It's time to start getting ready to be a part of one of the finest little county fairs in the West."

"Mark July 25-28, the last weekend of the month, on the calendar," says Crook, "and then plan on fun, fun, fun."

"Whether planning on being in the parade, or exhibiting a handmade or home-grown favorite, sharing the thrills of carnival, taking in the Rodeo, cheering and jeering at the Demolition Derby, sharing the Fair with the Junior Fair Court, now is the time to make preparation to participate," according to Crook.

Exhibitors are getting entry numbers and papers now from the Fairgrounds. Entry numbers, tags and forms will be avail-

able for residents of the southern end of the county at Mory's and for northern county residents at the Coos-Curry Electric Office in Port Orford. Exhibitor's Handbooks will be there as well as at supermarkets throughout the county by June 12<sup>th</sup>.

Demolition Derby participants may pick up entry packets at the Fairgrounds now.

Tickets will be available early in June for the carnival and the Rodeo.

Entry forms for horses, livestock, poultry and rabbits as well as for the Parade are in the Exhibitor's Handbook.

Junior Fair Court applications are being accepted from throughout the county. Girls who will be entering the third grade are invited to send photographs and information to the Fairground Office.

Contact the Fairgrounds at 29392 Ellensburg, Gold Beach 97444, or FAX 247-4542, or call 247-4541.

# Thank You!!

## Together we can make a difference, Bill Roberts

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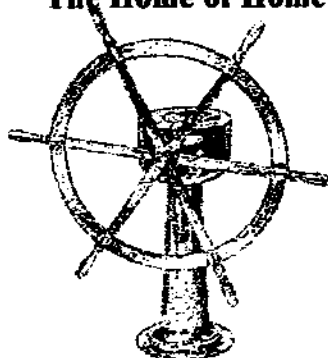
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**Letter to the Editor,**

This letter is to express concern about the possible County budget cuts which the County Commissioners will be forced to take due to the failure of the proposed budget on election day. It is also an avenue to praise the county on the excellent programs that have been in place over the years for the benefit of the citizens of Curry County.

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Among the excellent programs is an outstanding one, in the name of the Curry County Health Department. Over the years I have witnessed the dedication of not only the Director, Barbara Floyd, but that of all the department staff involved in providing health services to the citizens of Curry County.

In my activities with citizens and organizations within the county I am made

aware on a regular basis of the importance of the programs provided by the Health Department. Without the availability of the following programs, the health of our citizens would be greatly jeopardized:

Immunizations for the elderly and children

WIC Nutrition Program for Mothers and Children

Communicable Disease Control

Starts Program

Inspection/Issue of permits and Water Testing

Family Planning

Perinatal Program

The above are only a few of the necessary services currently provided by the Health Department which protect not only the citizens but Curry County's future. This letter is to ask the Commissioners to please consider the health needs of Curry residents as a high priority when taking the actions necessary to balance the budget.

Patricia A. Trombly

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### Post-Grad Scholarship

Senator Brenda Brecke announced today the availability of a scholarship for individuals entering graduate study to commence in the fall of 1996. The scholarship will be awarded to persons pursuing an advanced degree in political science, public administration, public policy or a related field.

Sprint Corporation, in coordination with the Women's Network of the National Conference of State Legislatures, will provide scholarship funds. Each award will be in the amount of \$2000.

The scholarships will be based on a variety of factors, including scholastic achievements, written statements by the applicant, community/school involvement and letters of recommendation. Applications and supporting documentation are due no later than June 5, 1996 and are available through Sprint's office at 1-800-705-7772.



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"This scholarship presents an excellent opportunity to obtain financial assistance for someone who is going to be facing the expense of graduate school," said Brecke. "Hopefully, the availability of such funding will encourage more students to seek careers in political science and public policy."

### R.S.V.P.

The Youth Empowered by Seniors, (Y.E.S.), Project of Curry County is looking for people who are interested in making a difference in a child's life by becoming a Mentor to a student in school for one hour a week. A Mentor is a positive adult role model who can form a bonding friendship with a child and help foster productive lifestyles by example. All mentoring is done on the school campus in the classroom or in an established center, such as the library or cafeteria.

Adults of any age are invited to participate as mentors. Currently the Y.E.S. Project Coordinate and Coordinator are working with school counselors and teachers to identify students who could best be served by this project. Parents are an important link of this support system and parental consent is required for any child to participate in the program.

For more information on how you can become a mentor, contact Scott Hoy or Lorelei Kurz, by calling 247-2422, or by stopping by the R.S.V.P. office, downstairs in the County Courthouse building.

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### Square Dance

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Johnny Nichols will call the squares starting at 8:30pm. Denise Harris will cue the rounds. Pre-rounds will begin at 8:00pm.

All square dancers are welcome and we invite anyone interested to observe.

Don't forget to mark your calendars for the big July 4<sup>th</sup> Celebration, featuring our own float, big breakfast, dancing Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights and lots of RV parking.

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## Letter to the Editor,

Our community depends upon volunteers to put up the American Flag along the Hwy. 101 and in front of many of our town businesses that have donated for this service. Unfortunately it seems we need to also have a volunteer guard because, unfortunately, our flag was stolen. If anyone has any information regarding this theft please contact Curry Family Medical, 332-3861, with no questions asked.

Thank you.

Curry Family Medical

## Report from Langlois RFPD By Tobe Porter

Nothing but good news to report - the people responded with a resounding 71% "Yes" vote to the district's request for a larger tax base. There were smiles all around on Wednesday morning when I spoke with Chief Mike Murphy and some of the other fire fighters, each of whom asked that I thank the voters.

I know that it is difficult to express just how important a new tax base is to the district and how good it feels to have such a strong show of support from the members of the community you serve. The best way I know to express all that is with a simple, and sincere, thank you.

How do I set my LaserPrinter to "Stun"?!?

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**THE NORTH CURRY FAMILIES' AND CHILDREN'S CENTER**



**JUNE 1996**



**NORTH CURRY**  
**ACTIVITIES CALENDAR**

**The North Curry Families' and Children's Center**

**905 Oregon Street, P.O. Box 1145**

**Port Orford, OR 97465 call 332-1042**

**North Annex located at 1403 Oregon, Port Orford  
call 332-9191**

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**June Highlights**

**June 5 - Last day of School for Driftwood and Blanco - Full day**

**June 7 - Last Day of School for Pacific High School - Half day**

**June 10 - August 2 - Bandon Summer Recreation Program for youth 7-14 - See  
back of calendar for more details!**

**New AIAnon every Thursday - Zion Lutheran Church**

**Bay Eye Clinic at Curry Family Medical - Friday June 14.**

**June 24-28 -Vacation Bible School - Langlois Community Church, K-6 grade, 9:30-12**

**Look for the opening of the Youth Center this month!**

# North Curry Activities

- a service of North Curry Family

			<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">                     Each Wed. :                      Comm. Church                      @ 7:00PM                 </div>
<b>Sun. June 2, 1996</b> 6:30p Royal Rangers Every Sunday at Christian Center, Info: Gary Doran 332-6161	<b>Mon. June 3, 1996</b> 9:30a TOPS @ N. Annex 6:00p TOPS @ N. Annex 7:00p PO Fire @ Fire Hall 7:30p Langlois Water Board	<b>Tue. June 4, 1996</b> 9:00a Annex Health/Vets 10:30a Friends of PO Lib 12:00p AA @ North Annex 6:30p Lion's Club @ Truculent Oyster 7:00p Lang Fire Drill 7:00p PO Planning Comm 7:15p Langlois Lib Bd	<b>Wed. June 5, 1996</b> 9:00a North 10:00a Annex- 10:00a COMMON 1:00p Langlo 6:00p JUBILE 7:00p Diabet Group @ N An 7:30p Langlo
<b>Sun. June 9, 1996</b> CHILDREN'S DAY	<b>Mon. June 10, 1996</b> 9:30a TOPS @ N. Annex 12:00p Chamber Board Meet 6:00p TOPS @ N. Annex 7:00p Lang Fire Bd 7:00p PO Comm Children's Ctr Public Meet 7:00p PO Fire @ Fire Hall 7:00p PO City Council	<b>Tue. June 11, 1996</b> 9:00a Annex Health/Vets 12:00p AA @ North Annex 7:00p Lang Fire Drill 8:00p 2CJ School Board	<b>Wed. June 12, 1996</b> 9:00a N Anne 9:30a Manmo call for app 10:00a Annex- 10:00a COMMON 1:00p Senior 7:00p PO Lib
<b>Sun. June 16, 1996</b> FATHER'S DAY	<b>Mon. June 17, 1996</b> 9:30a TOPS @ N. Annex 6:00p TOPS @ N. Annex 7:00p PO Fire @ Fire Hall	<b>Tue. June 18, 1996</b> 9:00a Annex Health/Vets 9:00a Annex-Employ Dept 12:00p AA @ North Annex 6:30p Lion's Club @ Truculent Oyster 7:00p American Legion 7:00p Audubon Board Meet 7:00p Lang Fire Drill	<b>Wed. June 19, 1996</b> 10:00a Annex- 10:00a COMMON 1:00p Langlo @ Comm. Chun 7:00p PO Wat 7:30p Langlo
<b>Sun. June 23, 1996</b> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">                     Langlois Community Church                      Vacation Bible School K-6th                      June 24-28 9:30a-12:00p                 </div>	<b>Mon. June 24, 1996</b> 8:00a PO City Council Workshop/Call 332-3681 for time & place 9:30a TOPS @ N. Annex 12:00p PO Chamber of Comm. @ Paradise Cafe 6:00p TOPS @ N. Annex 7:00p PO Fire @ Fire Hall	<b>Tue. June 25, 1996</b> 9:00a Annex Health/Vets 12:00p AA @ North Annex 7:00p Lang Fire Drill 7:00p PO Parks @ City Hall	<b>Wed. June 26, 1996</b> 9:00a Annex 10:00a Annex- 10:00a COMMON 11:00a Senior 7:00p Port O Ambulance @
<b>Sun. June 30, 1996</b> 2:00p Roaring Sea Arts Studio-Gallery Open House			



# Calendar - June 1996

Family Families' and Children's Center-

<p><b>Wed. Langlois m. Church Club 6:00PM</b></p>			<p>3:00p Lang Lib Rec Prog (Preschool-8)</p>
<p><b>June 5, 1996</b> North Annex / WIC Annex-Mental Hlth COMMON GOOD Langlois Food Bank JUBILEE @Truculent Diabetic Support N Annex Langlois Lions</p>	<p><b>Thu. June 6, 1996</b> 9:00a N Annex-Health 10:00a Lang Lib Pre-School Stories 12:00p PO Rotary Club 5:30p PO Lions Bingo 8:00p ALAnon@ Zion Luth</p>	<p><b>Fri. June 7, 1996</b> 6:00p Langlois Sr. Potluck @ Firehall call 348-2227 7:00p PO Arts Council Meeting @ Sr Ctr</p>	<p><b>Sat. June 8, 1996</b> 11:30a PO Sr Ctr Luncheon 3:00p Lang Lib Rec Prog (Preschool-8)</p>
<p><b>June 12, 1996</b> N Annex-probation Mammogram @ CFMC or appt. Annex-Mental Hlth COMMON GOOD Senior Ctr Board PO Library Board</p>	<p><b>Thu. June 13, 1996</b> 9:00a N Annex-Health 10:00a Lang Lib Pre-School Stories 12:00p PO Rotary Club 5:30p PO Lions Bingo 8:00p ALAnon@ Zion Luth</p>	<p><b>Fri. June 14, 1996</b> 12:00p Bereavement Gp @ Zion Luth Ch 1:30p BAY EYE CLINIC @ Curry Family Medical Call For Appt.</p>	<p><b>Sat. June 15, 1996</b> 3:00p Lang Lib Rec Prog (Preschool-8)</p>
<p><b>June 19, 1996</b> Annex-Mental Hlth COMMON GOOD Langlois Food Bank Church PO Watershed Meet Langlois Lions</p>	<p><b>Thu. June 20, 1996</b> 9:00a N Annex-Health 10:00a Lang Lib PreSchool 12:00p PO Rotary Club 4:00p PO LIB 1-6 GRADE 5:30p PO Lions Bingo 7:30p Friends of Cape B. 8:00p ALAnon@ Zion Luth</p>	<p><b>Fri. June 21, 1996</b> 1:00p SHIBA @ Senior Ctr</p>	<p><b>Sat. June 22, 1996</b> 11:30a PO Senior Ctr Luncheon 3:00p Lang Lib Rec Prog (Preschool-8)</p>
<p><b>June 26, 1996</b> Annex-Corrections Annex-Mental Hlth COMMON GOOD Senior Ctr Members Port Orford nce @ Mortuary</p>	<p><b>Thu. June 27, 1996</b> 9:00a N Annex-Health 10:00a Lang Lib PreSchool 12:00p PO Rotary Club 4:00p PO LIB 1-6 GRADE 5:30p PO Lions Bingo 6:00p NCFCC Public Meet. 7:30p Sixes Grange Meet. 8:00p ALAnon@ Zion Luth</p>	<p><b>Fri. June 28, 1996</b> 12:00p Bereavement Gp. @ Zion Luth Ch. 7:00p Fourth Friday @ Langlois Lib.</p>	<p><b>Sat. June 29, 1996</b> 3:00p Lang Lib Rec Prog (Preschool-8)</p>
			<p>To include activities on future Calendars, mail information to NCFCC, PO Box 1145, Port Orford, 97465, or contact Maureen at 332-1042</p>

# NORTH CURRY FAMILIES' AND CHILDREN'S CENTER



**YOUTH CENTER** Steve Martin has been hired as the new Youth Center Facilitator the A-frame in Buffington Park. The City of Port Orford has signed the final lease agreement. The insurance is set up and the volunteers are ready to proceed with the modifications necessary for the building code requirements for handicap accessible. Plans are to open mid June if all goes well! The Youth Center and NCFCC will host an open house at the July 4 Jubilee including games, tournaments and even a float in the parade. If you would like to help build the float or have a large flatbed to loan for the event please call Maureen or Tere at 332-1042. Thanks to **Umpqua Community Development Corporation** for their collaboration on this project. They really deserve applause for their assistance in getting us through the administrative barriers.



**Summer Recreation Activities for Youth:** NCFCC is coordinating with the City of Bandon Summer Recreation program. Bandon has developed an excellent program of day camps for kids ages 7-14 starting June 10 and running for 8 weeks Monday through Friday. Day camps run from 8am-4pm and activities will include skating, swimming, sports, arts, crafts, bus adventures, games and hikes. Swim lessons will also be available. Morning camps for preschool and early elementary children are offered with a pizza party, cookie baking, fun and games, puppet making, beading tennis, cheerleading and more. You may register by mail. The full booklets of classes are available at the Langlois library, the Port Orford library and the Driftwood and Blanco. **NCFCC may be able to offer free bus transportation and possible scholarship help with the classes. Call Tere at 332-1042.**

**CHILD CARE LINK:** Have you ever considered being a child care provider? Call Brenda Sims 332-8044 at the North Annex for information on training, resources and more! Parents can also call for child care referrals. We can provide you with information on workshops and scholarships and much more!



## A N N E X      N E W S

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**County and State services available locally** - The North Annex houses a variety of services including: The Health Department-Tuesday & Thursday from 8:30-4:30, Senior & Disabled Services-second Tuesday of the month, Veteran's Representative here every Tuesday, Mental Health - Wednesday, Thursday, A.A. meets every Tuesday from 12-1pm, AFS for Food Stamps, Employment on the third Tuesday of the month, Diabetic Support Group 1st Wed., 7-9pm at the Annex.

IF YOU HAVE ACTIVITIES THAT YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE LISTED IN THIS CALENDAR, PLEASE CALL MAUREEN AT 332-1042. THE JULY CALENDAR DEADLINE IS JUNE 24.

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**Elk River Hatchery**  
 By Elizabeth White

All of our fry are ponded now, and the hatch house is empty. We have a total of 592,000 fall Chinook fingerlings for Elk River, Chetco River and Hunter Creek. We also have 78,000 winter Steelhead fry for the Chetco River. They are growing quickly and have lots of energy. We are still feeding frequently and everyone is invited to help feed them with us. The coded wire tagging of our fall Chinook fingerlings started on May 21<sup>st</sup> and will continue until June 4, 1996. Two shifts are working in the tagging van on week days 6am until 10pm., so come out and see how it is done!

This year Oregon will have a free fishing weekend on June 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>. On Saturday June 8<sup>th</sup> we at Elk River Hatchery will have a fishing pond for youths seven years of age and under. This pond will have lots of catchable 8-12 inch rainbow trout in it, and we will provide the fishing poles to catch them with. The pond will be open from 8am to 5pm, or until all the fish are caught. Each youngster will be allowed to keep the first 3 fish they hook and land! We will help clean and package your trout for the trip home. Bring your kids out to experience the excitement of catching a fish! And its all free!!

We at Elk River Hatchery extend an invitation to all interested persons to visit our facility. If you would like to Volunteer some time on one of our projects

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**Hike The Old Highway**

Join Dorthea Petersen on Sunday, June 2, for a 2 hour nature walk from Humbug campground north, following the old highway. Hikers from Brookings and Gold Beach meet at the Gold Beach Forest Service parking lot at 9:30am for carpooling. All other hikers meet at the Humbug campground gatehouse at 10:00am. Humbug State Park is located 4 miles south of Port Orford along Highway 101. Bring water, snacks, and enjoy botany, birds and history and a fantastic view looking down at the new Highway 101 and the ocean.

**Bonsai Club Meets**

The June meeting of the Far West Bonsai Society will be held Monday, June 3, from 7:00 - 9:00pm in the recreation room of the Port Orford Trailer Village on Port Orford Loop Rd. Plans will be made for the coming Bonsai Exhibit to be held July 4<sup>th</sup> in association with the Jubilee. The July exhibit will be held at the Driftwood Elementary School.

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Topics for the June meeting will be propagation of plant materials and care and training of the Japanese White Pine. Visitors and prospective members are welcome.

For your interest there are several books and magazines in the Port Orford Public Library. For further information please call 332-7633 or 332-1041.

**Apply For Junior Fair Court**

Girls who will be entering third grade this fall are invited to apply for a position on the Junior Fair Court.

Deadline for applications is June 15.

Entrants should deliver to the Fairgrounds a current school photograph of themselves (preferably one suitable for publication) along with printed information: Name, Address, Birthday, Parents, School, Favorite Subject, Favorite Hobbies and Activities, along with a handwritten statement "Why I would like to be a member of the 1996 Curry County Fair and Rodeo Junior Fair Court."

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**By Martha Weaver-Britell**

One of the best things about the campaign has been all the support I received. Whenever I needed something, people really came through. I want to thank everyone who worked with me, and everyone who gave me their good wishes and prayers. I want you all to know that you made this win possible.

Voters are tired of empty promises and easy answers that don't really solve our problems. I believe in speaking the truth, and I'm looking forward to working with local people to make a real difference. I promise to avoid sound bite answers that may get votes, but don't get job done.

I believe it is the job of our State Representative to get things done for local people. My approach will be positive. I am confident that working together we can each achieve the happiness that our Country's Constitution guarantees us the right to pursue.

I'm looking forward to the fall campaign. Changes are needed in our State Legislature, and I'm ready to talk about them with the voters.



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**Senior News**

**By Mary Yoder**

Those who worked on May 23 were Beth Newkirk, Jane Black, Greta Carson, Thelma Lagace and Leo Welch.

The May 25 luncheon volunteers were Lorraine Hass, Greta Carson, June Dennison, Kay Neal, Thelma Lagace, Peigi Stalh, Dick Clothier, Clare Stalh and yes he's back Jim Galford - Welcome back. He brought Mrs. Galford too.

The dance on Saturday night the 25<sup>th</sup> was real nice. The band called Memphis played - every one had a good time. June Dennison and Leo Hyle did the chores. Aren't you glad we have so many great Volunteers? Now next Sunday the 2<sup>nd</sup> is the birthday party as I said before, all are welcome birthday or not.

Oh yes, Wednesday May 29 we found out who the new officers are. That was our annual meeting also membership meeting. More about that next week. May 1<sup>st</sup> is ice cream social for kids and everyone else - come join the fun.

Did you notice at the end of what I wrote last week - She's a few sandwiches short of a picnic! Add to that A few spoons

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short of a full set, or a flower short of a an arrangement. I think they hit it right on the nose - don't you?

**Democratic Women's Lunch**

Democratic women in Curry County are meeting at noon for a no-host luncheon at the Chowderhead Restaurant in Gold Beach on Highway 101 on Saturday, June 1. The topic will be some of the initiatives on the November ballot.

Democratic women and their guests are invited to attend. For more information call 469-4215 or 247-7944.

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