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## Fiddlers Fill Building By Evan Kramer

The Port Orford Community Building was packed to capacity on a rainy and windy Saturday night, March 15. Over 400 people squeezed in to listen to Hanneke Cassel and Ryan McKasson display their fiddle playing skills. The two national fiddle champions were accompanied by Ryan's sister Cali on keyboards while Hanneke's mother Dianne leant her guitar playing abilities to the evenings musical program. The stage was attractively decorated in designs appropriately done in St. Patrick's Day green and white with the help of a host of friends.

Cassel and McKasson took turns playing on some songs and joined their talents on others. Hanneke, who attends the Berklee College of Music in Boston played several songs she has written including "The Funk Bridge", "Ben's Nightmare" and "The Blossom". She wrote some of these at the Valley of the Moon fiddle camp in Scotland which she attended last summer. Although we thought it would be difficult to improve on last year's performance Hanneke has managed to improve technically we suspect because of her new interest in classical violin. We appreciate how fortunate we are to have such excellent talent from Port Orford.

McKasson, clad in his Scottish finery including a green kilt performed some songs written by James Scott Skinner, who we were informed was not only quite a fiddle player but something of a showman on stage. Ryan displayed his great sense of humor several times including a joke about pronouncing the words butter and better.

During the second half of the performance Hanneke stepped to the microphone and announced she was going to do something she had never done before on stage. She launched into the singing the song "**Red is the Rose**" to an appreciative audience. Another talent she displayed earlier in the performance was a dance inspired by "Riverdance"?

The musicians were rewarded with a well deserved standing ovation at the end of the performance. They then gave the over 400 people in attendance a rousing encore and the evening's performance ended with a second standing ovation.

Bravo and thanks for the show. Hope we see you back in Port Orford performing again next year or sooner.

## A Visit to Cleveland by Valerie Jean Kramer

I just got back from a week visiting with my folks in Cleveland, Ohio. You know,

the mistake on the lake; the place where the river catches fire; the place where even the founding father (Moses Cleaveland) didn't stay; the place where the mayor set his hair on fire with a welding torch while trying to be, "one of the guys"; the place where the mayor had to turn down a White House dinner because it conflicted with his wife's bowling night; the city that has had such well loved mayors as "Perk the jerk" and "Dennis the menace." *That Cleveland.*

Cleveland has changed a lot since I grew up there. Then it was a gritty industrial city. Now most of the steel mills, oil refineries, and other heavy industry has either shut down, moved on, or cleaned up. Terminal Tower is no longer a railroad station and no longer dominates the skyline. Municipal Stadium has been torn down but the Indians have a new ball park. A gigantic building that was formerly a plant to build tanks (as in treads, guns, and war) is now the exhibition center. While I was there, we went to the Sportsman's show and saw acres of boats, RV's, and outdoor equipment. At the same time a computer show was going on in another part of the building. A permanent ferris wheel pierces the roof in a glassed-in bubble giving a great view of the airport next door. For all its faults, Cleveland seems to be a growing, thriving place where lots of things are happening!

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Date	Midnight to Noon				Noon to Midnight				Sun		Moon		Phase
	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set	Rise	Set			
Thu Mar 27	1:14a	7.0	7:47a	0.5	2:03p	5.9	7:39p	2.1	6:06a	6:39p	10:18p	8:27a	
Fri Mar 28	1:47a	7.0	8:30a	0.4	2:52p	5.6	8:17p	2.5	6:04a	6:40p	11:15p	9:07a	
Sat Mar 29	2:25a	6.9	9:20a	0.4	3:50p	5.3	9:02p	2.9	6:02a	6:41p	12:12a	9:52a	
Sun Mar 30	3:11a	6.8	10:18a	0.4	4:59p	5.2	10:01p	3.2	6:00a	6:42p	1:05a	10:43a	
Mon Mar 31	4:09a	6.6	11:24a	0.4	6:14p	5.2	11:17p	3.4	5:59a	6:43p	1:56a	11:39a	3Q
Tue Apr 1	5:19a	6.5	12:32p	0.3	7:23p	5.5			5:57a	6:44p	2:42a	12:40p	
Wed Apr 2	12:40a	3.1	6:37a	6.5	1:37p	0.1	8:20p	6.0	5:55a	6:46p	3:25a	1:46p	
Thu Apr 3	1:54a	2.6	7:50a	6.7	2:34p	-0.1	9:07p	6.5	5:54a	6:47p	4:04a	2:54p	

### Official Weather

Provided by the City of Port Orford  
Public Utilities Department

Date	High	Low	Rain
Fri Mar 7	52	35	.17
Sat Mar 8	52	35	.01
Sun Mar 9	53	49	.33
Mon Mar 10	52	43	.30
Tue Mar 11	53	36	.10
Wed Mar 12	53	37	.03
Thu Mar 13	52	42	.10
Fri Mar 14	51	44	.62
Sat Mar 15	52	50	.50
Sun Mar 16	55	49	.47
Mon Mar 17	60	54	Trace
Tue Mar 18	61	54	.38
Wed Mar 19	60	46	2.42
Thu Mar 20	57	42	---

### Hospice Volunteer of the Year.

Donna Smith of Port Orford was honored recently as Curry County Home Health & Hospice Volunteer of the Year. This award, presented here by Lou Berens, Volunteer Coordinator is based on

nominations by the volunteers and staff. They nominate the person who deserves special recognition for going above and beyond the call to embody the Hospice philosophy of assisting patients and their families to meet the challenges of terminal illness in their own homes in their own ways.

The only person surprised by the award was Donna herself. She has not only helped families and patients in the Hospice setting, she is co-leader of the North Curry Bereavement Support Group which meets twice a month for those who have lost loved ones, has sold raffle tickets, worked in the County Fair booth, and single-handedly trimmed the Port Orford Light Up a Life Tree. Patients and their families appreciate Donna's flexible responsiveness to their needs and her tactful empathy. The staff are grateful for her cheerful enthusiasm, insight, and communication skills.

Donna also works tirelessly for the American Cancer Society Breast Health Network. She has organized the free weekly group which meets to offer and learn more about Therapeutic Touch, and is a member of Lightin' Bugs. She is an accomplished artist who donates her work to the causes she supports. Donna's award is a ceramic angel.

It occurs to the author that there is probably more than one angel in Port Orford now. An awful lot of people would agree. Thanks, Donna.

### Attention Chessplayers

Chessplayers! Bay Area Chess Club meets Friday evenings from 7:30pm on, at 625 Virginia Avenue (between the North and Southbound lanes of Highway 101) in North Bend. Call and ask about upcoming tournaments, both rated and unrated. Contact Mark Claiborne, President (541) 269-3912 or e-mail at keeper@ucinet.com for more information.

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Senior News  
By Mary Yoder

Just have to tell about the corned beef and cabbage dinner March 14 - really turned out great - big crowd - delicious food. The volunteers who made it so special were: June Dennison, Lee Hyle, Buddy Lee, Gayle Lee, Dick Clothier, Bobbetta Kron, Glorene Godfrey, Peigi Stahl, Bill Butts, Paulene Lenox - as cashier. Hope they do it again next year. Oh yes, Thursday, March 13 these volunteers did the work: Betty Harper, Greta Carver, Jan Dacayana, Chet Dacayana. Setting up tables June Dennison and Norma Ellis. This is how the bills are paid - all these volunteers working and earning the money.

March 17 was pinochle. The Ladies High was Ruth Goetter and Ladies Low was Beth Newkirk. Men's High was E. David Klein and Men's Low was Henry Kron.

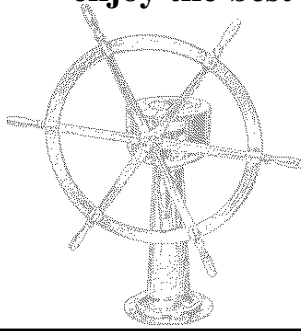
Have you noticed the decorations in the center? It takes time and thought to do this. The ones who did it this time were Thelma Lagace and Loraine Hass - good job.

March 20, Thursday - Volunteers working were Betty Harper, Jan Dacayana and Chet. Beth Newkirk and Lorraine Hass. Then on March 22 the luncheon. Those working were Loraine Hass, Patty Young, Roald Young, Thelma Lagace, Kay Neal, Bill Butts doing dishes, Peigi and Clair Stahl. There was a Hat style show: Prettiest hat Bessie Laurson, Funniest Hat Thelma Lagace, Bessie Laursen gave a talk about

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Kay Neal was the Van driver for several days - nice going Kay. E. David Klein had a birthday March 18 sorry this is late. Hope you had a nice one.

I just have to say this - the home made rolls made by Pattie and Roald Young were really nice. Have you ever ate some of the pickles at the luncheon? Gee are they good. They aren't bought. The ladies make them at home. Well once more I hope I haven't left any one or anything out.

March 22 was the dance. The music by the Champaynes was very nice. The luncheon at the break was neat - those working were Lee Hyle, Bobbetta Kron, Betty Harper, Art Klima and Mary Yoder. Remember we will be having a dance in April. Best come and enjoy.

Will close with this.

Do you wish the world were happy?  
Then remember day by day  
Just to scatter seed of kindness,  
As you pass along the way.

### Oregon Spring Beach Cleanup

Mark your calendars! March 29 10am-1pm. Get out your heavy rubber gloves and join thousands of other volunteers as they participate in "The Great Oregon Spring Beach Cleanup".

There will be access point coordinators at Cape Blanco State Park, Battle Rock City Park, Ophir Rest Area, and Gold Beach on the South jetty. These are meeting sites for signing in, getting SOLV garbage bags and receiving safety tips.

This annual event gives citizens of the local area a chance to participate in enhancing the cleanliness of a beautiful asset, our beaches. Through the beach clean up we help provide cleaner, safer beaches for both Oregonians and the invaluable tourist who visit our beaches to enjoy. I am hoping that together we can make this years annual beach clean up a big success!

If you would like more information on this years "Spring Beach Cleanup", call Laura Rhodes at Humbug Mountain State Park (541) 332-6774 - Monday - Friday 8am to 4:30pm.

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**Recycle Act**  
 By Steve Greenwood

I would like to congratulate all recyclers in Curry County in working together to attain a 31% recovery rate for calendar year 1995. This rate far exceeds the 15% mark required of Curry County by the 1991 Recycling Act.

Residents of Curry County should be proud of the cooperative efforts of recycling collectors, recycling processors, Curry County staff, City staffs and all other recyclers/waste reducers in developing and implementing excellent recycling/waste reduction programs. Your efforts have helped Oregon attain a 34% statewide rate and have moved the state toward the 50% recovery rate targeted for 2000 by the 1991 Recycling Act.

In 1983, Oregon adopted the Opportunity to Recycle Act. It established the Solid Waste Management Hierarchy which

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continues to guide solid waste management today. The Hierarchy sets clear public policy that waste prevention, reuse, recycling and composting should be practiced first as waste management options before turning to incineration and disposal.

The State has progressed in recovering more of its waste. However, despite the fact that Oregonians recycle more material each year, the State will not reach its year 2000 50% recovery goal with current 1995 wasteshed (county) recovery rates. Materials with good resource value are still being disposed in significant amounts and Oregonians continue to generate more waste each year.

DEQ staff are committed to helping Oregon attain the 50% mark and to assist in efforts to improve and expand recycling programs and waste reduction efforts. During this summer's legislative session, the Department will recommend statutory



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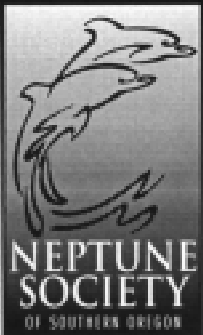
and programmatic tools to emphasize waste prevention, as well as to continue progress towards legislative proposals, please contact Bob Barrows of the Solid Waste Program in our Salem office. His number is (503) 378-8240 ext. 269.

Again, congratulations on your significant recycling achievement.

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## South Coast Head Start

South Coast Head Start Parent Policy Council is having it's second annual Pre-School Carnival on Saturday, April 5, from noon until 4:00pm, at the Harding Gym on the Marshfield Campus in Coos Bay.

There will be games, prizes, food and lots of fun for the family. The events are especially designed with pre-schoolers in mind.

South Coast Head Start offers a comprehensive social service and preschool program for income eligible children and their families. Head Start provides activities to children that help them grow mentally, socially, emotionally, and physically.

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The Cub Scouts from Pack 98, Port Orford-Langlois, held their Pinewood Derby Saturday, March 15 at Driftwood School. Twenty-four Scouts participated in the races. The Scouts make their own cars from a standard kit which includes a block of pine, wheels, axles and numbers. The boys did an excellent job with their cars and there were many close races with several runoffs required to break ties. There was also a special division for adult family members of the Scouts which had eight entries.

Pack 98 wishes to thank the Awana Club, Keith Rowling and Chuck Lawson for allowing the Scouts to borrow their track, setting it up and helping run the races. Their "electric eye" finish line was critical to running fair races considering how close some of the were.

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were: 4th-Perry Ashdown, 3rd-Levi Anderson, 2nd-Brett Martin, and 1st-Patrick Marsh. The second grade Wolves: 4th-Anthony Armi, 3rd-John Miles, 2nd-Matthew Harrison, 1st-Ward Chamberlain. The Bear Den (third grade); 4th-Nick Puhl, 3rd-Shannon Bowman, 2nd-Nate Wayne, 1st-Russell Lynn. The fourth and fifth grade Webelos placed: 4th-Robert Ells, 3rd-Matt Wayne, 2nd-Ryan Spencer, and 1st Pete White. The overall winners were: 4th place-Russell Lynn, 3rd place-Matthew Harrison, 2nd place-Ward Chamberlain, and 1st place-Pete White. Also participating were Justin House, Keith Pace, Aaron Hood-Foster, Travis Fraser, Robbie Ashdown, Justin Merryman, Kyle Pace, and Thomas Denn.

### NCFCC

NCFCC wishes to express appreciation for the work that outgoing Chair, Judy Shay has contributed to the organization. Ms. Shay of Langlois teaches Computers at Blanco and for SWOCC and will continue to serve on the NCFCC board. Larry Blount, who served as Secretary/Treasurer will now assume the role of Chair. Mr. Blount, contributes hundreds of volunteer hours per month to NCFCC and his many other efforts including Chair of Region 7 Workforce Quality Committee, chair of 2CJ School board, serving to help develop such projects as the newly forming region wide Child Care Resource and Referral for Coos and Curry counties. Martha Weaver-Britell will assume the position of Secretary/Treasurer. Ms. Weaver-Britell has been active in many organizations in the community such as the Friends of Cape Blanco, the Parks Commission, the City Council and many more. NCFCC partners with many state and county agencies and organizations to help insure that all children grow up healthy and prepared for the future. If you would like to learn more about NCFCC, or would like to volunteer at the Youth Center, call Tere Tronson at 332-1042,

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### **Melissa Weinblatt**

Melissa Weinblatt, Pacific High School sophomore, was selected to attend the Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation (HOBY) seminar in Portland March 20th through 23rd. Buzzy Nielsen, PHS junior who attended the conference last year, returned to the conference this year as an honored alumni.

Weinblatt was one of approximately 200 other sophomores from Oregon who were selected based on their outstanding leadership potential as demonstrated by their school performance and involvement with community activities. During the conference, dynamic leaders from the fields of business, education, government, and the arts conducted programs on many aspects of our changing world and the challenges confronting future leaders. The program is designed to develop an awareness of present and future issues by actively involving seminar participants in discussions and informal debates. Students par-

ticipated in a talent presentation, special awards banquet and had the opportunity to talk with speakers on a one-to-one basis in small groups.

All costs for students attending the HOBY seminar were paid by Oregon sponsors including corporations, business and community service organizations who support leadership education.

Buzzy is the son of Diane Nielsen of Langlois, and Melissa's parents are Georgia and William Weinblatt of Port Orford.

### **Elk River Watershed**

The USDA Forest Service, Powers Ranger District will begin a revision of the Elk River Watershed Analysis to expand the original version with additional information. The revision will include new or updated information of the social, physical and biological processes within the Elk River watershed.

The information that comes from a watershed analysis provides the basis for

future land management activities on Federal Lands, including monitoring and restoration programs. Watershed analysis is not a plan, but rather a process that gathers information that will be used for future planning and to help evaluate the results of past plans.

The process is intended to provide decision makers with the best available information with which to evaluate possible management activities within the watershed. The public is invited to help develop this analysis by sharing information that will make this a better analysis for us to use.

If you feel you have information that would be helpful in the Elk River Watershed Analysis Revision process, or would like a copy of the original watershed analysis, you are invited to contact: Max Yager, Elk River Revision Team Leader, Powers Ranger District, Highway 242, Powers, Oregon 97466 or telephone (541) 439-3011 or fax (541) 439-7704.



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## City Employee Arrested

Port Orford city employee Niki Addington was arrested on Wednesday morning, March 19. She was picked up at Port Orford City Hall by arresting officer Curry County Sheriff's officer Mark Creighton. Port Orford Police Lieutenant Lou Ball was involved in investigating the case.

Addington was arrested without incident and taken to the Curry County Jail where she was lodged on the following warrants: Using a minor in a Controlled Substance Offense, Conspiracy, Attempted Possession of a Controlled Substance, and Initiating a False Report.

Bail was set at \$125,000. She appeared in court on March 21 and was let go on a conditional release (own recognizance). She is to appear back in court in Gold Beach on April 28 and enter a plea.

Addington works as the municipal court clerk for the City of Port Orford. She was hired through the South Coast Business Employment Corporation.

Sign on a septic service truck

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## Letter to the Editor,

There has been so much controversy over a new ambulance service coming into our community to administer emergency care that I would like to inform you of what this service could mean to you and your loved ones. This is nothing against the service we have now - this is just an opportunity for us to be cared for the best way possible in that "golden hour."

Let me be the first to commend Port Orford Ambulance Service for the job they have been doing, however, now we have the opportunity to receive the highest level of care in the state. National Registry does not recognize Oregon E.M.T.

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I am sure many of you have heard rumors about a certain paramedic service. I advise you to please investigate these rumors for yourself. When you do you will soon realize the expanded scope of practice and the higher level of care a paramedic is able to offer you and your loved ones.

If you would like to investigate further, please feel free to contact me anytime at 5300639. Leave a message and I will get back to you.

Sincerely,

Timothy Novotny



## Juice & Java

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The Curry County study group that went to Belize will hold a public meeting on April 24, at 7pm in Port Orford at the Port Orford City Hall, Council Chambers. This date has been rescheduled from April 1st. The 10 members will present their perceptions of Belize's sustainable tourism efforts and how what they have learned applies to Curry County. The group went to study a functioning nature-based tourism economy in action. Programs included both experiencing the kind of nature-based tourism products offered in Belize and how they are offered to the public, meeting with government officials, business owners, tourist industry workers and conservationists. The following are some of the specific issues which were explored: marketing, delivering visitor experiences, coordinating with other businesses and industries in the community, creating public and private partnerships, meeting conservation goals and resolving resource management issues. All interested persons are encouraged to attend.

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Parade entries are due by July 1st in order for an entry to be judged. As in past years, the competition in some categories is tough. So, if you dream of a ribbon for your effort, it's time to get started on your entry. And, remember entries are judged by how well they keep to the Jubilee theme.

To be a part of the fun, pick up a Parade Entry form in Port Orford at the Chamber of Commerce office. For more information or to receive an entry form call Martha Weaver-Britell at 332-9775.

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**Samantha Is Okay**

Here is the story regarding Samantha the dog. She belonged to James Mattas. He committed suicide in Port Orford on the afternoon of Sunday, March 17, having earlier in the day fired off one round at Pitches' Tavern and holding a gun to the head of owner Nancy O'Brian. Mattas killed himself inside his trailer. He owned a female Collie named Samantha. She was not shot or injured. She was taken to the Curry County Animal Shelter by the Sheriff. After Flo and Howard Lichtig were contacted by Mr. Mattas's brother, Robert, who lives in Illinois, they went to Gold Beach and got the dog out of the pound on Friday, March 21. She is staying with the Lichtigs until Robert Mattas can come and pick her up.

**Worms and Lunch  
at Langlois Public Library**

This month's Fourth Friday program "Gardening Potpourri" features Eileen Mulligan from Marsh Haven Farm. She will talk about the wonder of worms for your garden. The program starts at Noon this Friday. Bring a sack lunch and a gardening item to trade.

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### Roaring Sea Open House

Everyone is invited to enjoy the featured artists and musicians at the Last-Sunday-of-the-Month Open House at Roaring Sea Arts, 41687 Highway 101 South, Port Orford, from 2pm to 5pm, March 30.

Featured this month are: pencil sketches by Myrtle Point artist Wally Eubanks; wearable art by Maxine Leveridge of

Bandon; and paintings and prints by Langlois artist Annie O'Mohondro.

Informal music performances will be presented as usual by the Kammeroque Ensemble, with guest flutist Connie Garnick, at approximately 2:15, 3:15 and 4:15.

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usual, pot-luck. It's always fun, and always more fun with more people. If you have questions, Call Donna at 332-4444.

### Youth Conservation Corps

The Curry County Commission on Children and Families (CCCCF) is pleased to announce the availability of 1997 Oregon Youth Conservation Corps (OYCC) and Marine Board (OMB) funding. CCCCCF is looking for local community-based programs which will engage youth in meaningful work within well supervised, cohesive and productive work crews; and to enhance job skill acquisition and educational development of participants as they increase social skill and improve their self esteem.

The deadline for submitting proposals is April 11, 1997. If you wish to have the project guidelines and required forms mailed to you and/or you have questions, please call the CCCCCF office at 247-5600. Forms are available in the CCCCCF office, lower level of the Curry County Courthouse.

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### Port Orford Beautification

Residents of the area who are interested in the beautification of Port Orford and how to make our town a more attractive and liveable is invited to the City Council Chambers Wednesday, April 2 at 6:30 PM. The Quality of Life Beautification Committee of the Community Resource Team has invited Laura Waggoner from the Oregon Urban Forestry Department to give a special presentation at that time.

Ms. Waggoner will offer ideas and advice on the many ways the Urban Forestry Department can help with the beautification of Port Orford. Subjects covered will include making the best use of volunteers and how to involve the youth in our projects, preparing for planting and determining the Oregon Department of Transportation guidelines for planting trees along Highway 101.

If you are at all interested in this project, please make plans to attend this presentation.

### Gun Show at the Fairgrounds

A gun show will be held in the Docia Sweet Hall at the Curry County Fairgrounds on Saturday, March 29, from 9:00am to 5:00pm and Sunday, March 30, from 9:00am to 4:00pm. For more information call Camie or Ken Dougherty at 541-347-2120 or the Curry County Fairgrounds office at 247-4541.



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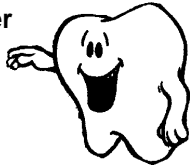
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### Council Accepts Legion Hall

The Port Orford City Council met on Monday night and by a unanimous vote accepted the American Legion Hall and land from the Legion. The Legion had a couple of stipulations in the gift to the City and they were agreed to in the vote.

The Council considered the Enterprise Zone and by a 5-1 margin voted to support Port Orford's continuing participation in

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the program. The current designation for the joint North Curry County and Port Orford Enterprise Zone ends on June 30, 1997. The council voted to exclude motels, recreational vehicle parks and destination resorts from discounts in sewer and water bills in the Enterprise Zone.

### Promotions Committee

The Gold Beach Chamber of Commerce is seeking (2) members to represent the chamber on the Promotions Committee.

These are volunteer positions, two year terms, coming available as of May 31st. The committee meets monthly to coordinate and develop various promotions activities for Gold Beach.

Applications for appointment are available at the chamber office. Last day to submit is April 11. If you have any questions about these positions, please call Shannon Clarno or Laurel Fuhry at the chamber 247-7526 or Wendy Lang 247-2090.



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Poem (author unknown)

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### Letter To The Editor

The Committee To Elect Rocky Raccoon would like to thank not only the 300 people in the district who voted for Rocky, but also the 58% of the electorate who returned ballots who either could not or would not vote for Bill Oleson. The election made it clear that the good folks of this district are concerned about the quality of life in Port Orford area, and are also concerned about the welfare of the local wildlife.

Rocky is here to stay.

Sincerely

The Committee to Elect Rocky Raccoon

### Spring Gray Whale Migration

March 22 - 29 from 10am till 1pm Battle Rock City Park and Cape Blanco State Park will be staffed by volunteers to share their knowledge about the Gray whale migration. Twenty thousand gray whales pass within three miles of the Oregon Coast twice a year. During the Spring Migration, if the weather is good, you may see whales within a few hundred yards of coastal headlands. The Northern migration takes place in the early spring and the southern migration takes place in early December. The full round trip from Baja calving lagoons to the Bering Sea is 10,000 miles, the longest known for any mammal.

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We are asking the communities for their support in helping us achieve these goals. We need in kind donations of services and materials, plus volunteers to assist with our many programs. Any concerns or questions about our programs should be directed to the following: Lyn Spikes - dog adoptions (541) 412-0325, Charm Anderson - cat adoptions (541) 469-2658, Linda Bitz - thrift store (541) 469-5008, Arlene Hambly - building/shelter (541) 469-0602. Calls concerning the county animal shelter should be directed to Ted Hawkinson, Animal Control Officer (541) 247-2345. Port Orford individuals interested in organizing a chapter of the S.C.H.S. or volunteering for any of our programs, please contact "Cat Conscious" (541) 332-9104

## Bereavement Support Group

The regular meeting of the Bereavement Support Group will be on Friday, March 28, 1997 at noon in the Spaghetti West Restaurant (formerly Truculent Oyster Restaurant), 236 - 6th Street, Port Orford.

Anyone who is grieving the loss of a spouse, child, relative, partner, or friend is invited. For more information, please call Donna Smith at 332-1300 or Luana Berens, LCSW, at Curry County Home Health/Hospice at 247-7084, 469-0405, or 1-800-535-9472.

## Gala Theater Party

A gala theater party will be held by the Curry County League of Women Voters on Sunday, April 13, at the Brookings-Harbor Performing Arts Center at 2:00pm. In addition to the play, complimentary champagne and hors d'oeuvres will be served and gift items will be auctioned.

The play is a comedy entitled "Let's Murder Marsha." Tickets at \$10 per person are available by calling 332-5250 or 332-9002. This is the major fundraising event for the County League this year.

## Whale Watching Week

The Sping 1997 Whale Watch Week continues through Saturday, March 29. Locally, whale watch volunteers will be at Face Rock Wayside in Bandon, Cape Blanco Lighthouse, Battle Rock City Park and Cape Sebastian from 10:00am to 1:00pm observing the northbound migration of the gray whales. You can spot the volunteers by their "Whale Watch Spoken Here" signs. For spotting the whales try a pair of binoculars or just give it a little time.

The program is sponsored by the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department and the Oregon State University Hatfield Marine Science Center.

"The doctors X-rayed my head and found nothing."

--Dizzy Dean explaining how he felt after being hit on the head by a ball in the 1934 World Series.

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--Philip Streifer, Superintendent of Schools, Barrington Rhode Island.



## 5th Edition Now Here!

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We also have the Magic Encyclopedia, a \$19.95 book with color pictures of all the Magic cards thru the Homelands expansion including errors and promotional cards. A similar but black-and-white book is also available for the Middle Earth card game.

Dragon Dice are also back in stock. This time we were able to get the original starter pack as well as the various kicker boxes.

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## Que Pasa Amigos?

Help Over the Rainbow provide horseback riding for children with special needs and enjoy an authentic Mexican dinner. It takes place at the American Legion Hall in Port Orford on Saturday, April 5, from 5:00 to 8:00pm. The dinners consists of a homemade enchilada, deluxe taco, beans, rice, dessert and drink. Cost is \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for children.

A silent auction will be held and music be provided by the Soprano Singers under the direction of Diane Cassel starting at 7:00pm. Don't miss Una Fiesta Grande

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