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# Utility Bills Draw Attention By Evan Kramer



The bi-monthly water and sewer bills were delivered to residents of Port Orford last week and they drew more attention than normal because of the higher amounts.

The water-sewer utility bills went up for two reasons. The base rate for the sewer portion of the bill went up by \$17.33. This is to pay for the Revenue Bonds recently passed by city voters to replace the sewer outfall and make improvements to the sewer treatment plant on Arizona Street. The other reason many bills went up is the meter reading was for the July-August period. This is the driest time of year, when people are watering their gardens and yards.

The water-sewer bill changed in the amount of detail it shows this month. The categories for water loan repayment fund, water construction fund, water equipment fund, bonded sewer debt fund, debt reserve fund and sewer equipment fund are all followed by an amount of 0.00. According to city clerk Patty Clark those categories will disappear completely in the bill for the September-October

period. All that will remain on your bill will be three categories. They are one for previous balance, one for water and one for sewer. The city still maintains the categories for the different funds but they are now to be found in the annual budget.

Wonder how to figure out how much you're paying for water and for sewer usage. The base rate for water is \$29.91 for each two-month billing period. This base rate includes the former water construction fund and water equipment reserve fund which amount to \$5.66 per billing period. On top of the \$29.91 base rate water consumers pay \$2.38 per thousand gallons of water used.

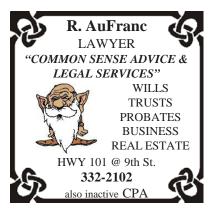
The base rate for sewer usage is \$36.60 per two-month billing period. In addition to this users pay \$3.91 per thousand gallons of water used. Sewer usage fees are based on water used. Each thousand gallons of water used costs the consumer \$6.29 between the water and sewage usage fees.

There is a partial solution to the cost of sewer usage fees in summer. Port Orford residents can purchase a water-metering device from the City for \$36.75 and either install it themselves or have someone install it for them. The \$36.75 represents the City's cost plus 10%. Fittings

to attach the water-metering device to an outside faucet can be purchased at Mc-Nair True Value Hardware or Coos-Curry Supply. The water-metering device is made of brass and is numbered. Three or four have been purchased by city residents and public works superintendent Dave Pace says he has more on order.

How will a water-metering device save money? The city water meters register all water going to a property. With a water-metering device in the yard the city crew would then read both the city meter and the resident's water-metering device. For example if your city water meter reads 10,000 gallons and the water-metering device reads 2,000 gallons the consumer would pay the base sewer rate of \$36.60 plus 8,000 gallons of water at \$3.91 for a cost of \$31.28. The consumer would also pay the base water rate of \$29.91 plus 10,000 gallons of water at \$2.38 per thousand gallons for an amount of \$23.80. The savings by having a water-metering device would be \$7.82. According to city clerk Patty Clark the billing periods of May-June and July-August see the highest amount of water usage. The water-metering device could pay for itself in one to three years for people who garden and want to have a green lawn.

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#### Walt Schroeder to Lead Hike

Curry General Hospital invites walking enthusiasts to join Walt Schroeder, Curry County historian and trail enthusiast, when its monthly Sole Pursuits program features a two-mile walk through the Woodruff homestead east of Gold Beach, Saturday, Sept., 13.

Since the trailhead is off the beaten track, participants should meet at 9:30 a.m. in the parking lot east of the hospital emergency room. Carpoolers can follow Schroeder about 16 miles up the south bank of the Rogue River to the former Woodruff acreage. The hike is set from around 10 a.m. to noon.

Those wishing to carpool from Brookings can arrange to leave The Brookings Clinic parking lot at 9 a.m.

The Woodruff Homestead is "relatively easy," but with a couple of steep spots.

Hikers will loop through woods and meadows on property first homesteaded by T. Huntley about 1890. The homestead was 27 acres but the occupant often grazed cattle on the forest lands, according to Schroeder.

A cabin was built in a 24-by-35 foot dugout space using cedar posts, debarked Douglas-fir poles and 1-by-6-inch boards attached with square nails. Some house debris is still there. At one time the place included horse stalls, animal pens, garbage dump and fenced pasture. The homestead was abandoned about 1948.

Organizers suggest that out-of-shape walkers bring a buddy to help them back to their cars, if needed.

Sole Pursuits is an incentive walking program organized by Curry General Hospital. Volunteer guides lead monthly hikes along the shore, through woodlands and in the Siskiyous.

Upcoming hikes include:

October 4; tour the upper cliffs and banks along the Rogue River with guide Jim Coffee. Walk 12 miles from Foster Bar to Paradise Lodge for dinner, bed and breakfast. Jet-boat home. The \$110 registration fee helps raise money for the hospital's cardiac rehabilitation center. Few spaces remain open for this adventure.

November 1; Ed Gross, retired forest service scientist, leads a stroll along the Winchuck River Redwood Trail near the Oregon-California border.

December 13; join music producer Tony Kalhagen for the Nesika Beach Art Walk. The walk concludes with a bonfire and potluck.

For more information or to register for the Walk to Paradise, phone Sole Pursuits at Curry General Hospital, (541) 247-3187; or 1-800-445-8085, ext. 187.



#### Blanco Trap Club News By Bill Oleson

Residents of the Port Orford area can take their minds off the recent water/sewer bill by attending (free of charge) the annual Pacific International Trap Association trap competition at Cape Blanco's Trap Club September 12, 13 and 14. Our club facilities are located off Grassy Knob Road, first driveway to the left after leaving Highway 101.

Trap shooters from across the Pacific Northwest will be here competing along with those of us who live in Coos and Curry County. The Pacific International Trap Association (P.I.T.A.) is represented in Alaska, Hawaii, Montana, Idaho, Washington, Oregon, California, Nevada, and Arizona plus Western Canada. There are 14 trap clubs in Oregon associated with the P.I.T.A. Almost as many trap clubs in Oregon do not belong to P.I.T.A. However, many of their members do shoot the P.I.T.A. circuit. It requires considerable membership effort to sponsor and run a P.I.T.A. trap meet.

Visitors can expect to observe the 50 pair Doubles competition beginning at 5:00pm September 12. This activity features two targets thrown at the same times at approximately 38 mph.

Saturday, September 13, starting at 8:30am features the beginning of the 16yard Singles event. Only one target is thrown at a time at 46 to 47 mph. All targets are monitored with a speed gun similar to law enforcement speed checks. Visitors should provide themselves with adequate hearing protection. The Handicap event will start at the close of the Singles event. Shoot offs between ties are held after the Handicap. An exciting feature, Saturday evening, is the 60 target Draw Backer featuring teams of two trap shooters each competing under the lights against targets thrown from the 27yard line.

Cape Blanco's trap club is fortunate to be supported by a number of local businesses including: Breuer Construction LLC, The Downtown Fun Zone, Brush Prairie Farms (George Bussman), the Sea Crest Motel, Port Orford News, Castaway Motel, BNT Promotional Products (North Bend).

Sunday, September 14, is a repeat of Saturday's events.

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Fisherman's Grotto Restaurant, North Bend, will be providing lunches and the Saturday evening banquet. The Grotto served us well last year and helps fill a void when we lost our facilities (including a kitchen) to a fire several years ago. Visitors are welcome to purchase lunches from the Grotto. Lavatory facilities will again be provided by CTR, Brookings.

#### Run to the Rogue

Join us Friday, September 19 for the annual Run to the Rogue Potluck supper and Community Night. The Confederated Tribes of the Siletz will arrive around 5pm at the Community Building for a meal hosted by the Port Orford community.

Bring your favorite main course, salad, or dessert to the Community Building at 5pm. Label utensils and serving containers, hot dishes in crock-pots, preferred.

Community Music Night will follow the meal. Contact Kass at 332-7308 regarding musician sign-up in advance. The event is sponsored by the Port Orford Arts Council in conjunction with Joan Geiser who has organized the Pot Luck for over 6 years.

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#### Square Dance Lessons By Patty Reese

The big Labor Day dances were a roaring success again this year. Dancers from Texas to Alaska were present to celebrate the end of summer with the Beachcombers. Friday night eight squares danced to the calling of Denny Lantz of Medford, Coleeta Quigley of Coquille and Dayton Jones of Milwaukee. Saturday morning found five brave squares splashing in the waves on Battle Rock Beach. Quite a crowd gathered to see what was going on and lots of free lesson coupons were given out. Saturday night eleven squares enjoyed an excellent dance called by Darrell Newell of Hillsboro. Sunday morning the pancake breakfast was well attended and smooth running. Those blueberry syrup lovers just can't get enough of the special sauce served at the Beachcombers breakfasts. Sunday night nine squares again took to the floor to the rowdy calling of Denny Lantz.

Round dancers were not left out but had plenty of multi-level cues by Marian Cook of Grants Pass and Ed Phillips of Brookings. They certainly spend a lot of time making sure their programs are well balanced and fun.



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The much-anticipated start of square dance lessons is upon us. If you've wished you could join the fun now is your chance. Ed Phillips of Brookings will kickoff the Beachcombers 2003 Western Square Dance class on Sunday afternoon, October 5. Lessons are held weekly and last approximately six months. You'll be dancing long before graduation though. Traditionally, beginners are invited to the December Holiday Dance and get to try out their new skills with the veteran dancers.

Lessons are held at the Cove on Nicholson Drive. Beginners start at 3:30 and dance until 5:00. (For you football fans, that squeezes in dancing between the games...isn't that nice?) Dress is casual. Cost for each lesson is \$3.00 per person but the first one is free so you have nothing to lose.

"PLUS lessons" will be offered before beginner level class so new students are invited to come early and watch the more advanced moves of PLUS level, For more information call Patty at 332-1425 or June at 332-3521.

#### Letter to the Editor,

Thank you, as always, for publicizing our most recent free health screening – "Get Worked Up!" Those who took advantage of Coast Physical Therapy's senior fitness assessment, and Curry County Home Health's body fat analysis and foot inspections, learned invaluable facts about their personal health.

Big plaudits to Bev Sutter and Julia Cleveland who drove up from their Brookings—ased physical therapy office to lead us through the assessment "gauntlet."

Our appreciation, too, goes to Diane Cassidy, R.N., with Curry County Home Health & Hospice; Katrina Montgomery with Port Orford Community Ambulance; Curry Catering; and Gail Wilcox of Sea Breeze Florist.

Finally, much kudos to our feel-good team, Cathy Davis and Esther Giffin, Port Orford massage therapists, who volunteered shoulder, head and foot rubs.

Sincerely,

Curry Family Medical providers and staff

#### Senior News By Mary Yoder

September 4 was the Rotary luncheon. Volunteers working were head cook Ed Dowdy, Nancy Dowdy, Carol Suchy, John Suchy, Arlynne Mossholder and Savannah Tremmel. All did a fine job. The luncheon was very nice and pie for dessert made by Ed Dowdy.

September 13 will be a rummage sale from 8:00am till 1:00pm at the Center.

Sunday, September 14 is the breakfast from 8:00am till 1:00pm. Rummage sale from 8:00am till 1:00pm. There are new volunteers taking care of the rummage sales. Lois Ambrose, Bobbetta Kron and Dottie Clothier – and yes, what's his name is the top one. If you haven't met him take time to come down to the sale. He'll be there for you.

Blood pressure is every Thursday morning.

Walking group Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursdays at 8:30am. Art and quilting class every Wednesday from 9:30am to 3:00pm. Hearing aid 9:30am to noon on September 23.

September 15 pinochle at 7:00pm.

September 15 is the casino trip at 10:30am.

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The joy of living fills my heart

And father God I pray

That I may share this joy

With all who cross my path today.

[Editor's note: Mary - we're glad to have you back writing your column for the Senior Center and that you're feeling better. Thank you for all you done and have done for our community. - Evan]

#### **Bandon Beach Walk**

The Curry General Hospital Breast Health Network will provide free event registrations – worth \$25 each — to the first four Curry County walkers or runners who save a seat on a chartered van headed for the Bree's Foundation "Beach Walk For Breast Health" Sept. 27, in Bandon.

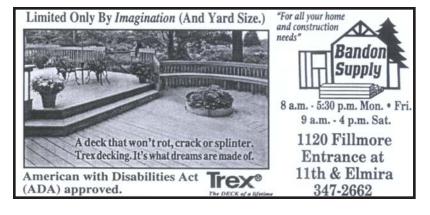
"We're calling it Bandon Beach Walk or Bust!" Joyce Mathis, BHN coordinator, said. "It's really going to be fun."

Bree's Foundation partners with the Curry Breast Health Network to support breast health education and outreach in Coos and Curry County. The fund-raising event will highlight a five-mile walk/run, beginning and ending at the Bandon jetty. Speakers, music, refreshments and t-shirts are included.

"Space is limited," Mathis says. "So please reserve your seat as soon as possible."

The chartered van will leave at 7:25 a.m., from Curry General Hospital in Gold Beach. It will pick up participants at 8 a.m. at the Curry Family Medical clinic in Port Orford. Participants will register at 8:30 at the Bandon Jetty. The walk/run begins at 9 o'clock.

To vie for the free registrations or reserve a van seat, phone the Curry Breast Health Network at 1-800-445-8085, x187. Funding is made possible by Trust Management Service, LLC.





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#### **Quilt of Hearts**

The Gold Beach community's *Quilt of Hearts* – co-sponsored by Curry General Hospital's Breast Health Network and the Gold Beach Quilt Guild – will hang for public viewing in the Gold Beach Senior Center through September.

The quilt is comprised of blocks designed by the public. Each block includes names of survivors and those who have died of breast cancer.

The Curry Breast Health Network organized the project to help promote the importance of early detection in battling one of the most prevalent women's cancers. Public comments are encouraged for the quilt notebook that accompanies the quilt.

Since its unveiling at Klamath First last October, the quilt has been shown in the Gold Beach Visitor Center, Shore Pines,



Curry Public Library, Gold Beach City Hall, Pistol River Friendship Hall, The Brookings Clinic, Washington Mutual, the Curry County Fair and Interior Cover Ups.

The quilt will be exhibited next month in Curry General Hospital during National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, and in breast health presentations throughout the year.

Also in October, those who worked on the Port Orford *Quilt of Hearts* are invited to attend a special reception , 11 a.m., in the Quilters Corner. Ruth Jamieson will cater the luncheon. The Port Orford quilt is on display through September in the Port Orford City Hall Council Chambers.

Meanwhile, Brookings-Harbor quilters are now completing blocks for a similar project in the south county. Both Port Orford and Brookings projects were fund-



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The Gold Beach project was funded by Curry General Hospital and by a grant from Trust Management Services LLC via the Curry Health Foundation.

For more information, contact Curry General Hospital's Breast Health Network office at (541) 247-3187.

#### **Curry Public Transit Grant**

Curry Public Transit, through Curry County, has been allocated a considerable grant for the operation and expansion of the Coastal Express division of Curry Public Transit. Coastal Express operates between Brookings and North Bend Airport. This service is designed and exists to serve ALL of the public not just the elderly and disabled. Coastal Express handles cargo shipments as well as passengers. The buses are also available for charter service.

The granting of this fund is open to comment, pro and con, of the general public at large. Comments are welcome and encouraged. They made be made by writing to or orally communicating with William Dooley, Manager, Curry Public Transit, PO Box 1444, Brookings, OR 97415, or by calling 541-469-6822, 541-247-7506, or 541-332-5771. Comments will be received until October 3, 2003 at 5:00pm.

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The Work is generally described as follows:

Installation of approximately 950 ft. of 6-inch diameter C-900 PVC water distribution pipe including, but not limited to, the following:

- a. New air /vacuum relief valve.
- b. New fire hydrant.
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- d. Three new services and one service reconnect/ relocation
- e. Testing and disinfection

One copy of the Bidding Documents including Plans and Specifications may be obtained at the office of the Engineer upon receipt of a nonrefundable payment of \$25 for each set of Bidding Documents. Return of the Bidding Documents is not required. SHN Consulting Engineers & Geologists, Inc. 365 N 4th, Coos Bay, OR 97420 541/266-9890 is the Engineer.

Bidding Documents can be reviewed at the office of Engineer and at the Bay Area Plan Exchange, 2744 Woodland Dr., Coos Bay, Oregon.

Each bid must be submitted on the prescribed Bid Form in a sealed envelope plainly marked "WATER DISTRIBUTION MAIN, Langlois Market to Townley Ln." and with the name and address of the Bidder, the date and hour of the bid opening, and be delivered to the location specified above by or before the bid closing time. Bids shall be completed in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders

and accompanied by a Bid security, payable to the Owner in an amount not less than 10 percent of the amount of the bid, to be forfeited to the Owner in the event of failure of the Bidder to execute the Contract. The Successful Bidder will be required to furnish the additional Bond(s) prescribed in the Bidding Documents.

Prior to submission of its bid, Bidder and subcontractors proposed for the work shall be registered with the Oregon Construction Contractor's Board, and thereafter comply with the requirements of ORS 701.035 to 701.138.

No Bid will be received or considered by Owner unless the Bid contains, or is accompanied by, a statement by the Bidder as a part of the Bid that the provisions required by ORS 279.348 through ORS 279.380 including ORS 279.350 pertaining to prevailing wages be included in the Agreement and are to be complied with.

In accordance with ORS 279.027, each bid shall contain a statement as to whether or not the bidder is a "resident bidder" as defined by ORS 279.029. In determining the lowest responsible bidder, the Owner shall, for the purpose of awarding the Contract, add a percent increase of the bid of a nonresident bidder equal to the percent, if any, of the preference given to that bidder in the state in which the bidder resides.

For information concerning the proposed Work, contact Ron Stillmaker, P.E., SHN Consulting Engineers & Geologists, Inc., 365 N 4<sup>th</sup>, Coos Bay, OR 97420-0150, Telephone: 541/266-9890.

In accordance with ORS 279.027, the Owner reserves the right to reject any bid not incompliance with all prescribed public bidding procedures and requirements, and may reject for good cause any and all bids upon a finding by the Owner that it is in the public interest to do so. No bidder may withdraw or modify a bid after the hour set for the receipt of bids and thereafter until the lapse of 70 days after the bid opening.

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# Bringing Out Our Best by Reverend Grace Lee Bonnell

Have you ever noticed that no matter how careful you are with your intentions and your words, people just don't hear what you are saying? And the more you try to explain the more inaccurate and illogical things get? Do we take this type of misunderstanding personal? Do we let what other people think about us upset us? I don't think I am the only one who has observed this anomaly.

The truth here in all these questions is that we are the only ones who know the original intention and how we answer the questions that followed, depends on that truth.

In many cases we would do well to remember the saying, "What other people think of me is none of my business." Not that we don't care about others or that we are carefree about our actions. We simply have no control over any thought, action or deed other than our own. We are only responsible for ourselves.

The word 'responsibility' is a wonderful word that has gotten somewhat of a bad wrap. If we look at the word and play with the order and the spelling it may lend itself to solving many of these kinds of questions. Take the word apart and add the little word' to' and we have: ability to respond. When we look at it this way we can take it as a reminder that we always have ability to respond and how we put that response into motion is our ultimate choice and responsibility.

Thought for the week: There is never a day so bleak that there is nothing for which to express joy.

A couple of weeks ago I invited relationship questions. Not that I feel expert, but suffice to say my years of experience has given me perspective, which I am happy to share for your consideration. That invitation is still open. Send your questions to "Bringing Out Our Best" @ Port Orford Today P.O. Box 49 Port Orford, OR 97465. Any questions/perspectives used in the paper will not use the sender's name.

#### **Port Commission Meets**

The Port of Port Orford Commission meets on Tuesday, September 16, 7:00pm, in the city hall council chambers.

#### **Chamber News**

The Port Orford and North Curry County Chamber of Commerce held their board meeting on Monday at the Paradise Café.

Chamber members discussed the September membership meeting, which will be a mixer, hosted by the Point Orford Heritage Society. It will be on Monday, September 22, at 6:00pm, at the Coast Guard Museum. This meeting is open to Chamber and non-Chamber members and will feature finger food, music and good company in a historic setting.

The Chamber is looking for members to run for election to two board positions for three years terms, starting in January 2004.

The Chamber has its first new brochure in ten years. 30,000 copies were delivered to the Chamber in July of this year. The brochure is printed on 8 /12 x 14 glossy paper and features photos of the Cape Blanco Lighthouse, Hughes House, the Coast Guard Museum, Battle Rock Beach and Humbug Mountain, and the Port of Port Orford on the cover. There is a map on the back of the brochure as well as the Chamber web site address, email address and phone number. The brochure was beautifully designed and typeset by Chamber president Ronn Kerr with assistance from several board members.

Copies of the brochure have been sent to the Oregon State visitor centers in Brookings, Astoria, Ashland and Portland. Copies have been distributed to visitor centers in Crescent City and Klamath and 2,000 copies were taken to the Oregon State Fair. Copies have been delivered to chamber office/visitor centers in 50 Oregon cities and counties including Albany, Canyonville, Eugene, Mt. Hood, Pendleton, Seaside and Yachats. More locations for the brochure are being determined and they will receive packets of them. 9,850 have been distributed so far.

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**Movie DVsuite** - Includes PCI Firewire board, cable and video editing software for only \$18.99. A deal so good I bought one myself! Only one available.

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Also new this week are Onslaught Booster cards for Magic The Gathering, AD&D manuals, a new shipment of cables, etc.

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#### Letter to the Editor,

#### To my friends and neighbors:

I baked a pie that spilled juice into my oven, so before I left for Gold Beach on Wednesday, I turned on the self-cleaning option of my new GE stove. When I reread the directions yesterday, I realized I was supposed to clean the oven before using the self-cleaning option. Go figure. So the fresh juice spill, coupled with high heat, caused a great deal of smoke, my fire alarm went off, and I was long gone. I want to take this opportunity to thank Cathy Boden and Mary Linda Guerin, neighbors who went above and beyond the call of duty, when they heard the alarm and saw smoke in my little cottage. Besides calling the Fire Department, they tried to find my friends to locate a duplicate key. You both win the "Excellent Neighbor" award. And my thanks to the Port Orford Volunteer Fire Department for their quick response, thereby avoiding extensive damage. Special thanks to Chief Randy Foster for dropping by to explain what had transpired. Finally, thanks to all the folks who have come by or called to offer help. Because of the quick actions of all involved, my home suffered only minimal smoke damage. Is it any wonder I love this wonderful little town? However, I understand that my two cats, especially the black one, were working the crowd trying to find a new home. They are back in my fold, after my promise to carefully read the directions of any new-fangled machines I acquire.

Wormly and gratefully,

Paula Cracas

#### **Writer's Group Meets**

The Writer's Group meets the third Wednesday of each month for mutual/constructive support, exploring markets, and submitting. Bring your written sample to read. September 17, 7 pm. For further information please phone Grace Bonnell, 332-0516.

#### **Bandon Cranberry Festival**

The Fifty Seventh Annual Bandon Cranberry Festival takes place this weekend, September 12, 13 and 14. The theme of this year's festival is Mardi Gras.

The Cranberry Court Coronation and Awards Ceremony takes place on Friday night, September 12 at the Sprague Community Theater at 7:00pm.

The Festival Parade is at 10:00am on Saturday in Old Town. The Weedem Seedum and Bandon by the Sea Garden Club Flower Show and Plant Sale takes place on Saturday from 10:00am to 5:00pm at The Barn in City Park.

The Festival Market takes place on both Saturday and Sunday from 10:00am to 5:00pm in Old Town. This year the Market features 50 booths of arts, crafts and food and live music on stage all day.

Faber Farms offers a Cranberry Farm Tour on Sunday from 11:00am to 4:00pm. Get a map to Faber Farms at the Visitors Information Center in Old Town. Enjoy the Cranberry Festival Golf Challenge at Bandon Dunes on Sunday from 11:00am to 2:00pm. "Beat the Pro" and "Closest to the Pin" win sets of new irons. The Festival closes with the Salmon Derby Awards on Sunday at 4:00pm at the Stage in Old Town.

#### **Red Cross Blood Drive**

Did you know that the Pacific NW Regional Blood Services of the Red Cross must collect 5,000 pints of blood each week to meet the needs of their patients? The Langlois Lions will sponsor a Red Cross blood drive Thurs., Oct. 9 at the Lions clubhouse from 1 to 4:45.

#### **Langlois Lions Bingo**

The public is invited to play bingo, Friday, Sept. 12 at 6:30 pm at the Langlois Lions clubhouse on Floras Lake Loop in Langlois. Bingo is one of the fundraisers that enables Langlois Lions to contribute to the Shoes for Kids program.

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#### **Police Log**

August 31: Suspicious circumstances on Arizona. Vehicle backed over embankment. Owner of vehicle taken home.

September 3: Report of dog at large on Sixth Street and Jefferson creating traffic hazard. Report taken and referred to animal control.

Chester S. Ostrowski, 48 years of age, was arrested for violation of court order and transported to Curry County Jail.

Report of vehicle on fire at Eleventh Street near Oregon Street. Port Orford Fire Department extinguished fire. No further action.

Report of suspicious circumstances on Nineteenth Street, persons hearing strange noises coming from bushes. Checked area. Unable to locate anything.

September 6: Assist other agency. Check welfare of child on Twentieth Street. Child okay.

Report of someone yelling for help behind Ray's Market. Unable to locate.

#### Safety Tip of the Week

Wet driving weather is just around the corner. Make you vehicle safe by checking tire tread and replacing your worn out windshield wipers.

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#### **Bodywork Technique**

The Curry General Hospital MS Support Group invites anyone with MS, friends, caretakers or family members to hear a presentation and demonstration by Laura Greathead, Breema bodywork practitioner, when the group meets for its regular monthly session, at 10 a.m., Thursday, Sept. 11. The group will meet in the hospital conference room, just to the west of the hospital's main entry, 94220 Fourth Street, Gold Beach. Refreshments will be served.

Breema fosters healing and balance through simple movements that invite the recipient to breathe and release tension. It accepts every condition of the body as a starting point toward greater vitality, Greathead says.

Also during the meeting, sign-ups will be offered for those wishing to partici-

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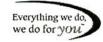
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pate in the group's first field trip to the Agness Pow Wow, Saturday, Sept. 20.

For more information, phone Pat and Jack Oden in Brookings at 469-9864. In Gold Beach, phone Lois Collum at 247-0880. Those who cannot attend the support group meetings are welcome to phone Curry General Hospital with comments or questions: (541) 247-3187 or 1-800-445-8085, ext. 187.

#### **Gambling Addiction**

Sandy Bucksen, addiction specialist with Curry County Human Services, will discuss gambling addictions when Curry General Hospital and the Gold Beach Kiwanis kick off their free breakfast talk series, Wednesday, Sept. 17, in Curry General Hospital's Curry Cafe.

Bucksen's presentation is set from 7:30 to 8 a.m., and will include telltale signs of a "pathological gambler," and treatment options available in Curry County.

"More than 900 residents of Curry County have serious problems with gambling," she says. "But only about a dozen look for help annually." Oregon has more types of gambling available than any other state except Nevada, Bucksen says. The largest state tourist attraction is a casino on the north coast...

Free coffee and tea will be served. Full no-host breakfasts also are available.

The group will host speaker Laurie Fisher, director of Curry Prevention, when it meets in regular session Wednesday, Oct. 15, in the Curry Café. The public is invited to attend.

For information, phone Curry General Hospital, (541) 247-3187.

#### **Lighthouse Hours**

Cape Blanco Lighthouse has changed its hours. Until further notice the Lighthouse and Greeting Center will be open Wednesday through Sunday from 10:00am to 3:30pm. It will be closed on Monday and Tuesday.

The Lifeboat Station located at Port Orford Heads and the Hughes House located at Cape Blanco State Park will remain open Thursday through Monday from 10:00am to 3:30pm. They will be closed on Tuesday and Wednesday.

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#### Red Hat Society Event By Jeri Thurkow

Now that summer is officially over it's time for all you Port Orford ladies to get out, kick up your heals, and have some real fun! We're the Divine Sisterhood of Port Orford Red Hat Ladies and we've got plans galore. Up next is a Red Hattin' Evening at Paula's Bistro on the highway in Port Orford. It's happening there from 6:00 to 8:00pm on Thursday, September 11 and it's an opportunity for all the newer members to get together and meet some the not so new members. We'll all be greetin', meetin' and lightly eatin' so please call to let our fearless leader, the Queen Mum, Micki Snyder, know that you'll be there in full regalia. Call at her shop, Micki's on Main, at 332-0235 or a home at 332-96265 ASAP.

Now sure what the Red Hat Society is all about? Here's some information that

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#### **Prostate Cancer**

To mark Prostate Cancer Awareness Month, Curry General Hospital announces a free telephone workshop, "New Advances in Better Bone Health for Men Living with Prostate Cancer," set for Friday, Sept. 26.

Sponsored by Cancer Care, Inc., the workshop can be heard over any telephone, from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Pacific Standard Time.

Topics will include screening for bone health, risk factors, the role of nutrition, exercise and calcium supplements, living with bone metastases, tips for managing bone metastases and quality-oflife considerations.

Speakers are Joseph M. Lane, MD, Professor of Orthopaedic Surgery, Weill Medical College of Cornell University, Chief of Metabolic Bone Disease Service, Hospital for Special Surgery, New York and Susan Slavin, MD, PhD, Assistant Attending, Division of Genitourinary Oncology Service, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, New York.

While no phone charges apply, pre-registration is required. Participants can register on-line at <a href="https://www.cancercare.org">www.cancercare.org</a>; or by phoning (212) 712-8400.

For more information, phone Curry General Hospital at (541) 247-3187; or toll-free at 1-800-445-8085, ext. 187.

might help. This is a group of ladies who are dedicated to having fun after fifty (and before!) who come from all walks of life. We believe silliness is the comic relief of life, and since growing older is much better than the alternative, let's just have fun! Rules? Dues? Structure? Nope, not really. We do decide on places to meet and fun things to do as a group. We over-50's do wear our red hats and something purple as well (from the poetry about "When I grow older I'll wear purple." and gather as a group to just enjoy fun things. This get together at Paula's Bistro is just for socializing with one another.

So, 'til we hear from you, this is the Countess of Scribe wishing you fun, laughter and merriment every day of your life.

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#### **Hospice Volunteer Training**

Are you looking for a meaningful experience in your life? Do you wish to "give back" to your community in a profound way? Have you every thought of becoming a Hospice volunteer?

Curry County Hospice is beginning their annual Hospice Volunteer training on September 30 in Port Orford. The training consists of ten information packed sessions covering end-of-life care and choices, therapeutic communication, grief and loss, legal issues and much more.

The classes are beneficial for anyone seeking to improve their understanding of the needs of people facing a terminal illness, as well as to better understand the dynamics of grief loss. Although patient-care volunteers are required to have training, persons who take the training are not obligated to volunteer with the Hospice program.

This agency is seeking interested persons to volunteer in many capacities with the Hospice program. Needs of Hospice include patient-care volunteers, office assistance, friendly visitation, equipment

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delivery, fundraising and errands, to name a few. People of all backgrounds and talents are able to give service and benefit from volunteering with the Hospice program.

The Port Orford training sessions take place at the Zion Lutheran Church, 2015 Twentieth Street on Tuesdays, from 1:00 to 3:30pm, from September 30 through December 9. Contact Eileen Watt-Smith, the volunteer coordinator, for more information at 332-0273 or 1-800-535-9472.

#### Fire Danger Reduced

The continued rain showers in the area have allowed Coos Forest Protective Association to lower fire restrictions. CFPA announced this morning (September 9) that it will go to Industrial Fire Precaution Level (IFPL) 1 on all private, county, state and BLM lands in zones CS-2 and CS-5. Zones SK-1 and SK-2, private lands within the Siskiyou National Forest, will drop to IFPL 2.

The drop to IFPL 1 allows workers in wildland areas to operate throughout the

## **Bartlett's Cafe**

Thursday, September 11

**Meat Loaf** 

Friday, September 12

Linda's Choice

Monday, September 15

Tamale Pie

Tuesday, September 16 **Spaghetti** 

Wednesday, September 17

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day as long as they have fire tools and an adequate water supply. A firewatch service of no less than one hour after the operation shuts down is also required.

Industrial Fire Precaution Levels regulate those working in forested areas with power driven machinery.

CFPA's Regulated Use Closure, which restricts certain public activities in wildland areas, has been suspended in zones CS-1 and CS-4. The Regulated Use Closure remains in effect in all other areas.

Weather forecasts are calling for warmer weather towards the end of the week, which could tighten restrictions. Fire managers advise residents to continue to exercise caution when working or recreating in wildland areas and to follow all restrictions set by local authorities. Burning permits are still required and can be obtained by calling the nearest CFPA office in your area.

For further information on fire danger levels and closures, contact the CFPA 24-hour closure information line at (541) 267-1789.

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#### **GARAGE SALES**

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**NEW MOVIES THIS WEEK: "View** From the Top", "Last Call", "Bulletproof Monk", "The Core", "Malibu's Most Wanted", "The Junction Boys", "Confessions of a Dangerous Mind", "The Private Life of Sherlock Holmes (DVD)", "Sleeping Beauty (DVD)", and "Russian Ark". In our New Arrivals section we've added "Road to Singapore (DVD)" Please remember items are due back by 3:30pm the next business day. The Downtown Fun Zone. Open 9:30-6 Mon-Thurs and 9:30-7 Friday and Saturday. Closed Sundays.

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#### Jubilee Committee Meeting

The Port Orford Fourth of July Jubilee committee meets on Wednesday, September 17, 6:30pm, at the Wheelhouse Restaurant.

#### **Utility Bills Draw Attention Continued from Front Page**

The base rates for water and sewer do not include any usage. If you don't use any water during a two-month billing cycle you will still pay a base rate of \$66.51. This base rate applies to single-family houses and each unit in a duplex, triplex or apartment building. RV parks and business buildings are counted for one base rate. The amount of water used does not affect your base rate with low end and high end users paying the same.

Patty Clark gave me an information sheet put out by the Oregon Association of Water Utilities on water conservation. According to the publication "the biggest single cause of high water bills is a leaking toilet. It can waste hundreds of gallons water per day." The publication states that a leaking toilet can waste 200 gallons of water per day. The publication recommends several indoor water conservation techniques including turning off the water when shaving or brushing your teeth, taking a five minute shower (saves 21-26 gallons of water), installing a low flow shower head (saves 20 gallons water every five minutes) and most importantly "repair leaks as soon as they occur.

Dave Pace said that he had checked the city reservoir on the North Fork of Hubbard Creek and that it was full. This was before Tuesday night's rainfall. He said the city had hired a company to do leak detection testing on the water system and that they would begin that work later this month.

#### Chamber Mixer

Port Orford Chamber to hold Evening Mixer for members and prospective members, Monday, September 22 at 6:00 p.m. at the Coast Guard Museum. The evening is being co-hosted by the Heritage Society. Come enjoy an hour with friends, share your vision for Port Orford and meet new people. If you are interested in bringing an hors d'oeuvre to share please call Grace at 332-0516 or Anita at 332-0865.

#### **City Council Meets**

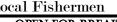
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