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Election Results

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Here are the "unofficial final" election results for Curry County. On some statewide votes, our county totals may not be indicative of the final statewide result. To save space, not all the write-in/also-ran/over/under votes are listed, nor are all results listed where only one person ran. Percentages are rounded if needed. You can get state and county results online at <http://egov.sos.state.or.us/results>.

Registered Voters - Total 14,467
Ballots Cast - Total 11,423
Voter Turnout - Total 79%

U.S. President

George W. Bush(R) 7302 57%
John F. Kerry(E) 5195 41%

U.S. Senate

Ron Wyden(D) 6838 55%
Al King(R) 4986 40%

U.S. House

Peter A. DeFazio(D) 7130 57%
Jim Feldkamp(R) 5155 41%

Secretary of State

Bill Bradbury(D) 6152 50%
Betsy Close(R) 5703 46%

State Treasurer

Jeff Caton(R) 5796 49%
Randall Edwards(D) 5284 44%

State Senator

Jeff Kruse(R) 7034 60%
Bruce Cronk(D) 4756 40%

State Representative

Wayne Krieger(R) 7535 61%
Charles Hochberg(D) ... 4809 39%

Curry Co. Commissioner #2

Marlyn A. Schafer(R) . 6634 54%
Cheryl Thorp(D) 5511 45%

Curry Co. Commissioner #3

Lucie Labonte(D) 5701 46%
Craig L. Mickelson(R) .. 5412 44%
Stephen R. Bradley(I) ... 1132 9%

Curry County Treasurer

Isabella Brock 5458 56%
Linda James 4305 44%

Port Orford Mayor

James J. Auburn 389 76%
Write-ins 121 23%
Under Votes 157

City of Port Orford City Council (Vote for 3)

Carl D. Eskelson 389 23%
Stephen Abbott 348 21%
Milton C. Finch, Sr. 331 20%
Emily Francona 323 19%
Allison Mysiewicz 238 14%

Port Orford Police Levy

Yes	No
426 66%	224 34%

Adopt New Port Orford Charter

Yes	No
263 42%	358 58%

State Measures

(asterisks indicate county winners,
underlines show statewide winners)

#31 - Candidate Death

Yes*	No
<u>6982</u> 58%	5062 42%

#32 - Mobile Home Fees

Yes*	No
<u>6945</u> 57%	5173 43%

#33 - Medical Marijuana

Yes	No*
4246 34%	<u>8163</u> 66%

#34 - State Forests

Yes	No*
3891 33%	<u>8068</u> 67%

#35 - Limit Medical Liability

Yes*	No
<u>6241</u> 51%	<u>6029</u> 49%

#36 - Same Sex Marriage

Yes*	No
<u>8133</u> 65%	4407 35%

#37 - Property Compensation

Yes*	No
<u>8290</u> 68%	3922 32%

#38 - SAIF Corp.

Yes	No*
4029 34%	<u>7843</u> 66%

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Date	Time Tide	Time Tide	Time Tide	Sun		Moon		Phase				
								Rise	Set	Rise	Set	
Thu Nov 4, 2004	6:06a 5.5	10:44a 4.7	3:54p 5.9	11:31p 1.1	6:56a 5:07p	10:59p 1:55p	3Q					
Fri Nov 5, 2004	7:00a 5.7	12:11p 4.4	5:15p 5.6		6:57a 5:06p	12:02a 2:21p						
Sat Nov 6, 2004	12:28a 1.3	7:40a 6.0	1:20p 3.8	6:36p 5.6	6:58a 5:05p	1:05a 2:44p						
Sun Nov 7, 2004	1:19a 1.4	8:12a 6.4	2:13p 3.1	7:46p 5.7	6:59a 5:03p	2:09a 3:04p						
Mon Nov 8, 2004	2:03a 1.5	8:41a 6.9	2:57p 2.2	8:47p 5.9	7:01a 5:02p	3:14a 3:24p						
Tue Nov 9, 2004	2:43a 1.7	9:09a 7.4	3:37p 1.2	9:42p 6.2	7:02a 5:01p	4:21a 3:45p						
Wed Nov 10, 2004	3:22a 1.9	9:38a 7.9	4:18p 0.2	10:34p 6.4	7:03a 5:00p	5:31a 4:07p						
Thu Nov 11, 2004	4:01a 2.2	10:10a 8.3	4:59p -0.7	11:25p 6.5	7:04a 4:59p	6:45a 4:34p						

Computer Corner
By Valerie Jean Kramer

A report recently issued by AOL found that 20% of home computers were currently infected by a virus or worm, and 80% by some kind of spyware or adware. Despite these figures, most home users think they are safe. That's called living in denial folks! We've been thru this before in this paper but perhaps it's time to talk about it again. It's important! Not only are you at risk of losing your own data, including any passwords, credit card numbers, or other data that may pass through your computer, but your computer is likely to become an enemy agent used to attack other people's machines. There are four main types of protection you need to use: Windows Critical Updates, Anti-Virus software, a Firewall, and anti-spyware software.

Windows Critical Updates are called that because they are "Critical." Failure to install them promptly means that simply

having your computer connected to the Internet for a total of about 15 minutes may result in your computer becoming a zombie used to attack other computers. In fact, the odds are quite good that this WILL happen! You do not have to run any particular program, visit any special web site, or do anything else to be a victim. All that is necessary is that you are connected to the Internet! Anti-virus software does NOT protect against this kind of threat.

All current versions of Windows have a "Windows Update" feature. Depending on the version of Windows, it may be on the Start Menu or under "Start Menu / All Programs". Run this feature at least once a month to check for, and download any available updates. If you get updates, you should run it again when the first set has completed installing because often some updates cannot be applied until after others have finished. Keep running it until there are no more critical updates

to apply. Microsoft usually releases new updates on the second Tuesday of the month but they sometimes release some at other times so checking once every week or two is not unreasonable. Microsoft does not charge for this service.

Most people know they should have Anti-Virus software on their computer. That is true but it is not enough. You must also use it's update feature to get updates from the manufacturer on a frequent basis (I'd recommend at least weekly.) As fast as anti-virus software is improved to block new viruses, the virus writers come out with new versions that aren't blocked. Because viruses can spread quite quickly on the Internet, you have to keep your definitions very current or risk being infected. I personally prefer the Norton Anti-Virus but McAfee is also good. You can also get a free A/V program which is supposed to be good from www.grisoft.com.

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Firewalls are still a mystery to many computer users. Basically they act as a sentry checking any packets traveling between your computer and the Internet before they are allowed to pass. This can help protect against Trojan horse programs and the kinds of attacks that are blocked by Windows critical updates. Windows XP has a firewall built in but by default it is turned off. Service Pack 2 turns the firewall on but it is not enough. The XP firewall checks only packets coming into your computer and not those going out so it can't alert you to the activity of Trojan horses or various forms of spyware. A good commercial firewall is recommended. If you have a permanent Internet connection a hardware firewall is a MUST! Again, I prefer the Norton product but many people swear by Zone Alarm which can be downloaded free from www.zonelabs.com. If you are using a software firewall, be sure to check for updates to it's definitions on a frequent basis. As with antivirus software, you need to keep current.

"Spyware" is a generic term covering a variety of types of code that records your

activities and reports them to someone else. There are three programs I recommend to protect you and, unfortunately, all three must be used for the best security. The good news is that they can all be downloaded for free. They are Spyware Blaster (www.javacoolsoftware.com/spywareblaster.html), Spybot Search & Destroy (spybot.safer-networking.de/en/index.html), and Lavasoft's AdAware (www.lavasoftusa.com). Once again, it isn't enough to run them once and forget them. You need to update their definition files and re-run them on a fairly frequent basis (at least every week or two.)

Do NOT trust sites that offer to check your computer for infections online. Some may be legitimate but others use the opportunity to attempt to sell you products that you may not need or that are not well written. Some may even use the test to attempt to install malware on your computer! This is a relatively recent development and not much has been written about it yet. When it comes to security, it's hard to go wrong by sticking to well-known products from recognized industry leaders unless you really know what you are doing. For more

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information, see www.cert.org/tech_tips/home_networks.html.

Good luck and safe computing!

Halloween Bingo

Approximately 106 people attended the Bingo Bash at the Community Building on Friday, October 29. Big winner of the evening was Wade Phillips. He received the \$25 door prize. John Foster won original costume in the amount of \$20. Funniest costume in the amount of \$10 was won by Willowsong, and the scariest costume in the amount of \$5 was Alisha Benavidez.

Once again the members of ESA Sorority outdid themselves in the food area. We received a total of \$1,278.77 for the evening, which will go to various benefits. The caller for the evening was Kari Engdahl with helpers Joyce Hodge and Michelle Wagner. Other workers were Gladina Foster, Bonnie Smith, Priscilla Lang, Linda Houck, Gina Schnell, Thelma Belcher, Patsy Campbell, Shelly Sweet, Deb Gehrke, and Mary Loan. A special thanks goes to Brent Hodge, Dennis Gehrke, Chris Wagner, and Frank Smith for their help in setting up the area and with the cleaning. Watch for the next bingo event, which will be the St. Patrick's Day bash on March 18 if all goes well.

The ESA Sorority hopes to see all of you then.

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Call for an appointment

Coos-Curry Electric Update

The Board has interviewed three different audit firms and selected Moss-Adams, LLP as CCEC's new auditor ending a 47-year history with the previous auditor. The Audit will be done on time, complete and correct.

Most of the Employee Performance Evaluations have now been completed for all employees. The evaluations help identify areas of expertise or need for improvement, areas that would benefit by continuing education seminars, and, identifies management's expectations. Several employees have reached retirement options and CCEC will have a plan in place to train or hire replacement people, as needed, for those positions.

The changes from the budget planning for 2004, our past operations in the red, the need for the increase in the Basic Service Rate and Bonneville's per kWh rate increase, and, changes in personnel

or management require that the budget for 2005 be carefully constructed, and approved by January 2005.

The Board has approved the activation of the Member Action Committee (MAC) for Re-Zoning and Board Compensation issues. Each Board member has appointed a member to this committee. David Itzen, Vern Kolen, and Dale Thomas will act as board liaisons with the MAC, with support from the CEO/General Manager. The MAC will make recommendations to the Board. Then the Board has the final decision to approve, change, or continue present policies.

A joint Board/Employee Health Insurance Committee has been meeting with different insurance companies to determine which health insurance package would be most beneficial to the cooperative and its employees.

Tax attorneys from Seattle have also been retained to help reduce our tax

penalties from the Pegasus stock sales. They have been able to secure some reductions and are working on others.

This update is to let you know that Board, Management, and the Employees of CCEC are putting forth great effort and time working together to correct past problems and upgrade our Co-op's business strategies and plans. Great progress has been made with more to come. CCEC's 2004-05 goals are: to continue excellent Member service while improving the financial integrity and business structure of the Cooperative.

School Board Meets

The Port Orford-Langlois 2CJ School District Board meets on Tuesday, November 8, 7:00pm, at the Pacific High School Library. Agenda items under old business include strategic plan adoption, job descriptions, time clocks and academic excellence student selection.



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Port Orford Library News By Tobe Porter, Director

You are invited to a very special book signing reception at the library from 2-4:00pm on Sunday, November 7. The young authors of *From Sea to Summit*, the R.A.D. guide to hiking in Curry County will be on hand to answer questions, tell tall tales and autograph your copy of this book of 15 excellent trail adventures. If you enjoy hiking in our beautiful area, this book is a must. There will be copies available for purchase at the low, low price of a \$10.00 donation. The R.A.D. Outdoor Club is a program of North Curry Families and Children's Center (NCFCC).

"Brown" brought us another big order of new books, all on the shelves waiting for you. Try *Delights & Shadows* by new poet laureate Ted Kooser, or feast your eyes on (get ready, you won't believe this one) *Foxfire 12*. Remember the classic for teens, *The Outsiders* by S.E. Hinton? Don't miss his long-awaited new book for adults—*Hawkes Harbor*. Lots of science fiction in this order: *The Runes of the Earth* by Donaldson, *Tanequil* by Terry Brooks, and Frederik Pohl's latest,

The Boy Who Would Live Forever to name but three. And one more I just have to mention: a children's book called *Lu and Swamp Ghost* by James Carville.

We're about to embark on a very bold and innovative fund raising effort that invites everyone in the community to be an ambassador for our library. Full details will be revealed next week, but here is a hint: it's called "The \$300,000 Challenge." Think how exciting it will be to move the money thermometer to nearly \$800,000! Until next week...

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The Fair features crafts and collectibles that are perfect for gift giving or personal pleasures. The Lions Club will offer lunch and sweets. The Fair will be held on Saturday and Sunday, November 19 and 20 from 9:00am to 4:00pm at the Langlois Lions Hall, located on Floras Lake Loop, the first road south of Langlois. Just look for the signs. Don't miss this chance to visit with old friends and new.



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Joseph Paul Kirchgesler Feb. 27, 1911 – Oct. 30, 2004

Graveside services will be held for Joseph Paul Kirchgesler, 93, of Port Orford, Friday, November 5, 2004 at 2:00pm at Denmark Cemetery in Langlois. Joseph was born February 27, 1911 in Aberdeen, S.D., the son of Margret and John Kirchgesler. He died October 30 in Coos Bay.

Joseph had an adventurous spirit and had many interesting stories to tell of his move west as a young man. He spent a few years in the Alaska frontier working on various jobs including logging shows, running trapping lines, and gold mining before joining the US Navy in 1942 where he served during WWII as a Seabee in the South Pacific Campaign.

Joseph married Catherine Laffey of Pawtucket, R.I. October 20, 1945. They moved to Tillamook and then on to Port

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Orford where Joseph was a member of the Western States Plywood Co-op where he worked as a mill worker. He loved to fish the Elk and Sixes Rivers and spent many hours beach combing at Cape Blanco.

Joseph is survived by his wife, Catherine; sons and daughters-in-law, John and Lila of Langlois, Jim of Anchorage, Alaska, Jerry and Liv of Port Orford; daughter and son-in-law, Jane and Raymond Manicke of Reedsport; brother, Jack Kirchgesler and wife Jo; sisters and brother-in-law, Treasa Hatzenbeller, Rita Kern, Veronica and Jake Bender; sister-in-law, Phyllis Kirchgesler all of the Midwest; eight grandchildren, three great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews.

Joseph was preceded in death by his parents; brothers, Anthony, William, and Peter Kirchgesler and sister, Elizabeth Papke.

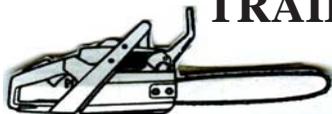
Services are under the direction of Myrtle Grove Funeral Service-Bay Area, 269-2851 and Port Orford Funeral Service, 332-3400.

Letter To the Editor,

Thank you Curry County voters. Thank you to Republicans, Democrats and Independents for participating in our election. Special thanks go to all of the volunteers who worked so hard to register voters, and then to get out the vote. Thank you to the League of Women Voters for their work in informing people about the candidates and the issues. Thank you to all of those folks who wrote letters to the editor in support of their candidates or their issues. Well done, Curry County.

Pat Sherman, Chair,
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Charlie Roberts was born in Scottsbluff, Nebraska to Charles F. and Maybel Roberts on November 9, 1929 and passed away on October 28, 2004. The family moved to Gordon, Nebraska where they lived until 1942, moving to Long Beach, California.

Charlie married Mary Hammett on June 6, 1977 and they moved to Sixes, Oregon. Charlie loved being an over-age 4-H-er...raising everything from ducks to quail, then cattle, then sheep and so many other little feathered critters.

Charlie loved woodworking in his shop; he always had two or three projects going at once. Charlie was a "tinkerer", never running out of things to do.

Charlie served four years in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War. He was a Past Master of the Port Orford Masonic



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Charlie leaves behind his wife Mary Roberts, children Kent and his wife, June Roberts of Corona, California; Chuck Roberts of Redlands, California; Sherry and her husband, Mike Taylor of Redlands, California; and Rick Roberts of Shasta, California. He also leaves behind his stepchildren John and his wife Peggy Hammett, of Douglas City, California; Judy and her husband Steve Wagner of LaVerne, California. Also 14 grandchildren and one great grandson.

Charlie will be missed by all who knew and loved him but he remains alive in hearts forever.

A celebration of Charlie's life was scheduled to be held on Wednesday, November 3 at the Port Orford Christian Center.



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The family suggests that donations be made to the Port Orford Library Building fund in Charlie's name.

Committee Members Wanted

The Chamber of Commerce is putting together a committee to create implementation guidelines for the theme of Art, History and Healthy Recreation along the Hwy 101 downtown area. The committee will be comprised of a Chamber Board member, a city councilor, a member of the Arts community, a member of the Historical community, someone from the Recreation community, a realtor, a businessperson at large and a citizen at large. If you would like to be on the committee please send a letter of interest to Theme Development, Chamber of Commerce, PO Box 637, Port Orford, OR 97465. Deadline is Nov. 15.

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All walkers can meet with their leashed pets at 11:30 a.m., at the South Coast Humane Society office, 828 Railroad Ave., in Brookings.

Kicking off the special event, Buck Rosendahl of Woolf's Dog Bakery & General Store, will give a free presentation on dog nutrition. The group plans to begin the walk by noon.

Leader Vicki Cooley, director of the humane society office, will lead the group. Participants can join the walkers or leave at any point along the way. The route will follow Railroad Avenue to Alder, turn east, then hug Highway 101 south across the Chetco River into the port area. Low tide will make the beach accessible.

Shuttle cars can be parked at Sporthaven Park for those who do not plan to retrace their steps.

The walk totals about 2 1/2 miles one way, and is considered easy. Organizers suggest wearing sturdy walking shoes or boots, and bringing snacks, water, weather-proof clothing and headwear to ward off cool winds or rain.

Sole Pursuits will wrap up its 2004 season with an easy stroll through Jim Coffee's private tree museum in Ophir, Dec. 11. At the same time, the final walking card winner will be drawn for a \$50 cash prize, sponsored by the Chetco Federal Credit Union.

For details, or to pick up a free walking card, phone Curry General Hospital at 1-800-445-8085, ext. 187; or 541/247-3187.

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Fair Theme Contest

The search is on for a fair theme for the 2005 Curry County Fair scheduled for July 28-31 in Gold Beach. The contest is open to the public with an entry deadline of November 15, 2004.

The theme is used throughout the fair in all departments and the parade. Past themes included "Blue Jeans & Country Dreams", "Whales, Sails, & Pirate Tails", and "Struttin Our Stuff", "Dancing Waves & Fun Days!" which proved to be excellent themes for Curry County's main summer event. This year's theme should

be linked with one hundred fiftieth anniversary of Curry County.

The fair welcomes suggestions for Grand Marshal for the 2005 Grand Parade held Saturday during the annual fair. Suggestions should be accompanied by indication as to why that person should be considered for Grand Marshall. A brief biography should accompany each submission. The deadline for suggestions is December 30, 2004.

Suggestions are unlimited. The winner of the theme contest will receive a season pass to the 2005 Curry County Fair, a fair tee shirt, and name recognition in media

and advertising reports. Identical or similar themes will be chosen by the date postmarked.

Deliver entries and suggestions to the Curry County Fair, 29392 Ellensburg, Gold Beach, Oregon 97444, curryfair@harborside.com, phone (541) 247-4541, fax (541) 247-4542.

Kudana Marimba Ensemble

The Kudana Marimba Ensemble will fill the Port Orford Community building with an African beat that will lift the spirits of all ages this Saturday, Nov. 6, at 7:30 pm. The concert is FREE thanks to the generous sponsors – Port Orford Arts Council, North Curry Chamber of Commerce, Curry Health District/Curry Family Medical, and North Curry Families and Children's Center. Donations will be accepted at the door to cover the rest of the costs and to support the R.A.D. Outdoor Club who is hosting the Band. R.A.D. will also sell desserts and refreshments.

There are still a few openings in the Band's two workshops earlier on Saturday at 1:00 and 3:30. The workshops are limited to 8 people and cost \$25 a person. Call NCFCC at 332-1042 to sign up.

Everyone is invited to come and dance. What a great healthy way to spend the evening. Let's get energized.

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RAD's First Book Signing

The R.A.D. Outdoor Club, sponsored by North Curry Families and Children's Center would like to thank the Gold Beach community, especially Ted Watkins of Gold Beach Books, for supporting our latest project, From Sea to Summit, a RAD Guide to Hiking in Curry County.

Our book signing last Sunday was a huge success! We sold over 20 books and were able to share our project stories with local community members. Several folks who came to the event had played an important role in the project. Others were amazed at the outcome these youth accomplished in one short year.

If you missed this event, two more book signings are planned for upcoming Sundays from 2-4pm, Nov. 7 at the Port Orford Library, and Nov. 14 at Winter River Books in Bandon, and one coming soon in Brookings.

Thank you for supporting the youth of our County! Books can be purchased at these locations for a \$10.00 donation to our Club:

Bandon — Winter River Books

Langlois — Lee's Market

Port Orford — True Value Hardware, Downtown Fun Zone, North Curry Chamber of Commerce Visitors Center, Port Orford News

Gold Beach — Gold Beach Books, The Bookworm, Forest Service Office

Brookings — The Book Dock, Words & Pictures Book Store

This project was funded by the Forest Service, Pacific Northwest Region Title II and Title III funds and The Ford Family Foundation. If you have any questions about this project or any other NCFCC project call 332-1042.

Floras Lake Trails Improved

The Cape Blanco Management Unit received assistance from the Northwest Youth Corps (NWYC) September 27 through October 8 for projects along the Oregon Coast Trail at Floras Lake State Natural Area. Lead by OPRD seasonal Rick Gearhart, two crews of teens helped construct two footbridges, complete minor trail resurfacing, and rerouted a portion of the Oregon Coast Trail near Floras Lake.

The NWYC crews, consisting of two crew leaders and approximately 10 teens each and ranging in age from 14-19, worked very hard to complete their projects. In fact, they worked so hard, Rick had to find more work for them to do on their last day, which of course was easy to do.

The first crew, working September 27 – October 1, completed both foot bridges located approximately 2.5 and 3 miles from the trailhead parking area, as well as minor trail resurfacing and brushing along 3,380-feet of the Oregon Coast Trail. The second crew constructed 1,990-feet of new trail located approximately 3 miles from the trailhead parking area. This was a reroute project necessary to keep hikers away from the progressively eroding cliff.

“[The NWYC are] very good, hard workers. We are very happy with the work the NWYC has done for us. They get a lot of work done in a day's time,” said Rick.

They completed all the projects assigned to them, and when asked if they crews worked well, Rick said, “It's usually a challenge to keep them busy.” The last day was used for brushing and surfacing other parts of the trail near Floras Lake that needed some tender loving care.



Thank You For Your Support!

From:

Linda James

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Writers Group Meeting

POW (Port Orford Writers) Group will be meeting Sunday, November 7, at 6:30pm. The challenge for this week is to write a half page describing a place using only and exactly five sentences and eliminating all references to human beings, including yourself. This is a challenge indeed, as your sentences should be grammatically correct and very long to accomplish the task.

You might ask, "what is the purpose of learning to write long sentences"? When you are writing stories, it sometimes comes up that an action scene is called for, and you will not want to break the flow of the dramatic event by chopping it up into short sentences (unless of course, you are depicting the gasping breath of the protagonist, or the fiercely beating heart). Practice makes it easier to do this when it is called for.

For poets the challenge is to describe a place using only and exactly five verses, eliminating all references to human beings. Each verse should be a "sentence" complete onto itself, not dripping into the next verse, and not using two sentences in one verse.

If you write, but feel disgruntled with these guidelines, I urge you to do the assignment in a disgruntled manner. Stretching the brain is just as painful sometimes as stretching tight tendons. Disgruntlement is something we can all relate to.

POW Group is dedicated to helping each other become better writers.

To get directions to POW (Port Orford Writers) Group, call Susan at 332-1111.

RAD Book Signing

Members of the RAD Outdoor Club will be signing their new book, "From Sea to Summit" at the Port Orford public library this Sunday, Nov. 7, from 2:00pm until 4:00pm. Refreshments will be served. The RAD Club is part of NCFCC and Pacific High School and has been under the leadership of recreation specialist and avid outdoorswoman Cathy Boden since 1998.

The book, sub-titled; "The RAD Guide to Hiking in Curry County Oregon," is a collection of 15 hiking trails that are easily accessible to the general public, including some handicapped capable areas. The club members under the direction of Boden and assistant Ann Vileisis worked on the book for a whole year and came up with a grant to get 3700 copies published.

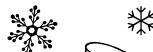
There are five hikes each in the three geographical areas of the county, north, central and south. The hikes range in area from mountain peaks to beach trails and will provide the hiker with the total experience of Curry County. In addition, you'll get lessons in ferns, plants, wild-life, berries and mushrooms, in addition to learning about the soil, trees, scrub, rivers and forest in general. The book contains over 100 hand-crafted illustrations as well as terrain maps and photos of the hiking areas.

This Trail Guide and Field Manual is a must for all residents and visitors who love the outdoors and Curry County. For more information about the book, book signings and RAD visit <http://RADventures.org> or <http://ncfcc.com>.

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Letter to the Editor,

Every since we moved a year ago from Bandon to Port Orford I experience "deja vous". Just judging by reading "letters to the editor" and talking to new acquaintances here in town I keep getting reminded of Bandon in the early 1990's. We had a dictatorial Town Manager who was not held in check by our divisive City Council. The end result was messy and unpleasant.

I am appalled that a town-employee is not called on the carpet for meddling in politics instead of doing only what his job description calls for. How is it possi-

ble that councilors go along with their subordinate by considering the Administrator's resolution? (It is my opinion that Measure 37 should be re-written after eliminating loopholes pro and con, which are any lawyers delight.)

Since when does a Town Administrator do the "hiring and firing?" It is my opinion that the Council, speaking for the townspeople, should choose, select, and then instruct the Administrator to follow orders.

Last but not least, I just wonder why it is even considered to look for an interim Chief of Police if the town has a qualified

and willing to serve individual right here under their nose. (I keep hearing the name Mark Creighton in many conversations). A town with just over one thousand population should never go outside to look for a new Chief unless absolutely necessary. It invites individuals who want to use our town on their next resume.

Christine Marohl

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Cell Cycle is trying to help raise \$20,000 for Melissa's doctor's visits and her recent surgery from her new physician. Cell Cycle will donate 100% of the money raised to Melissa's cause. The more cell phones that are collected, the more money Cell Cycle will be able to donate. They are collecting those outdated, unused, and broken phones and then donating the proceedings to help fund Melissa Fraley's recent surgery.

Cell phones may be recycled by dropping them off at the house at 1036 Washington (corner of Eleventh Street) in Port Orford. There is a drop box on the front porch.

Melissa Fraley thanks people for their support and reports that the surgery was a success, but that she still needs to pay for it. Any and all cell phones collected will help.

Langlois Library News

Come one, come all, to the 8th Annual Langlois Holiday Fair, sponsored by the Langlois Lions and the Langlois Public Library Foundation. This gala event will feature vendors of all kinds, selling crafts and collectibles for gift giving or personal pleasures. A luscious lunch and succulent sweets will also be available, courtesy of your friendly neighborhood Lions. The fair will be held on Friday and Saturday, November 19 and 20, 9:00am to 4:00pm, at the Langlois Lions Club on Floras Lake Loop (the first road south of Langlois; just look for the signs). Don't miss this opportunity to visit friends, old and new, and maybe get a few great holiday gifts to boot!

Is the wet weather getting you down? If so, perhaps what you need is a good book to cuddle up with. Terry Brooks continues his high fantasy series High Druid of Shannara is his latest book, Tanequil. Are you a Shakespeare fan? Perhaps you'd like to learn a bit more about the man himself by reading Stephen Greenblatt's Will in the World: How Shakespeare Became Shakespeare, short-listed for 2004 National Book Award for Non-fiction. Suspense fans may want to try

the new Tess Gerritsen novel Body Double, featuring Boston Medical Examiner Maura Isles and Homicide Detective Jane Rizzoli. Finally, check out the Little Black Book of Stories by the always-outstanding A.S. Byatt, acclaimed author of Possession.

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Port Report

The last Strategic Planning meeting for the Port of Port Orford will be held Thursday, Nov. 4 at 7:00pm at city hall. If there are not many changes to the Draft Plan it may be adopted at this meeting. If you are a user of the Port, this is a very important meeting. There are copies of the draft at the library and the port office.

The Elk River Salmon have arrived and there have been about a dozen commercial boats a day fishing off the mouth. Salmon Trollers are getting upwards of \$4.50 per pound, one of the best prices ever, due mainly to the bad press (and

deservedly so.) that farmed salmon has received recently. In may the press started reporting the health advantages of "wild" salmon versus farmed salmon. The public response is beginning to bring back a local industry that has been dead since 1991.

Every year each fishermen puts \$10 into a pool for the biggest fish contest. Tony Cotter of Hallmark Fisheries reports that Orion Ashdown on the F/V Paiute has the biggest so far at 41.2 pounds and this is a gilled and gutted weight.

Sunset Garden Club

The next meeting of the Sunset Garden Club of Port Orford will be held at the Port Orford Senior Center on Friday, November 5 at 1:00pm. The programs will be presented by Lisa Ehle of By the Sea Landscaping and she will be discussing "Water Wise Gardening". We will also be doing planning for our booth at the Port Orford Christmas Bazaar to be held at the Community Building on Saturday, December 4. For further information call Joan McDow at 332-1073.

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Dr. Charlie Hochberg

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Appreciation Dinner

A special dinner is being planned by the Port Orford Christian Center for the people of Port Orford. The dinner is being given to thank the people in the community for their support over the past several years in raising funds for the new church kitchen, and as a thank you for the many volunteers here in Port Orford that

gave so generously of their time to help others.

The dinner will be a traditional Thanksgiving feast with turkey, masked potatoes and gravy, vegetables and dessert. There's no charge for the meal. But if you would like to make a donation, all proceeds will go towards our new Youth

Program, which will help youth in our community.

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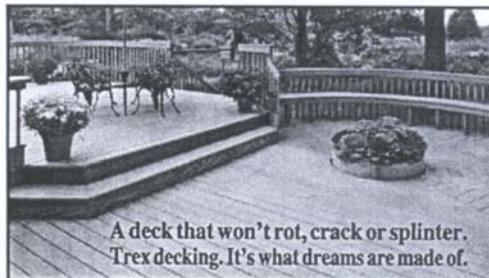
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Pick of the Week By Evan Kramer

The endless election is over and now it's time to celebrate the return of the Kudana Marimba Ensemble to Port Orford's Community Building. This is a free concert by the group from Eugene and has been one of the highlights of the year in their past performances at the Community Building. Kudana Marimba will get you up and out of your chair and dancing all night to an African beat played by the many membered Ensemble. I've had a good a time as possible when Kudana Marimba has played in Port Orford. I hope those of you who haven't given them a chance yet will show up at the Community Building this Saturday night, November 6, starting at 7:30pm.

The concert/dance is brought to you free of charge thanks to the generosity of the Port Orford News, North Curry Chamber of Commerce, Curry Health District/

Curry Family Medical and the North Curry Families and Children's Center. Thank you to these groups for making it all possible.

Take it from me this is as good as it gets in Port Orford. Don't miss the Kudana Marimba Ensemble on Saturday night.

Friday Night Lights

The feature motion picture this week at the Savoy Theater is this fall's hit movie about high school football, "Friday Night Lights", based on H. G. Bissinger's book of the same name. Academy Award winner Billie Bob Thornton, Lucas Black and Derek Luke star in this movie about the Permian High Panthers football team from Odessa, Texas.

The movie earned a high 7.1/10 rating on the Internet Movie Database (www.imdb.com) web site with 1,479 people voting.

Letter to the Editor,

Residents in my neighborhood and our town were disturbed by illegal fireworks Tuesday night, coming from a local business/residence. The owner of this business should know how frightening this is to dogs, and how inconsiderate to neighbors and their pets on an otherwise peaceful, Port Orford evening.

I talked with the owner and those responsible and was verbally and vulgarly told that I must get off their street (a public city street). Five of the thugs pursued me on foot for over three blocks until I found safety at an open business at which time they retreated. This business is a nuisance and disgrace to our community that doesn't deserve our patronage.

Law enforcement was called but because of the distance involved for a Sheriff Deputy, the four vehicles at the business dispersed before the officer arrived. Citizens, if you still have a chance, please pass the police levy that our community needs.

Don Walz