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### Wyden Visits Port Orford By Evan Kramer

U.S. Senator Ron Wyden came to Port Orford on Saturday afternoon for a town hall meeting which was attended by a standing-room-only crowd of about 100 people in the council chambers.

Wyden reminded people of his pledge 10 years ago when he was elected senator that he would hold an open meeting in every county in Oregon once a year – a pledge which he has kept. Wyden thanked county commissioner Lucie La Bonte for all the work she has done on behalf of the salmon fishermen and the reauthorization of the county payments.

Wyden talked about the importance of making choices and priorities mentioning the \$273,000 allocated to Port Orford for the next fiscal year for dredging. He said we need to cut subsidies to the oil companies and had filibustered against a bill on the Senate floor for five hours that would provide \$20 billion in subsidies to the oil companies.

Wyden said he was one of 23 senators to vote against the war in Iraq. He said there are real threats to our country but because of the Iraq war we'll have diminished capacity getting other countries to help us in the future. Wyden said we need a plan for winning the peace in Iraq.

He said the Senate needs to do an up or down vote on whether to stay in Iraq, noting that President Bush has said we will be there until at least 2009.

Wyden was asked if we were building permanent bases in Iraq. He said he would support prohibiting building permanent bases but said very large facilities are being built.

Wyden responded to a question about Guantanamo said that if we close it where are we going to put the dangerous people. He said we needed to set up a legal structure for people to be heard.

Wyden advocated a paper trail for every ballot in response to a remark about voting machines. He said he would like to take Oregon's vote-by-mail process nationwide but the Constitution provides that elections are carried out at the local level.

Wyden was asked how we can negotiate to lower health care costs. He said health care costs will gobble up everything we have and that he has spent six months working on health care reform. Wyden said the country spent \$1.9 trillion on health care in 2005 in a country of 290 million people. He said that was enough money to send every family of four a check for \$25,000 to take care of their health care needs. Wyden said he wanted

to get everyone under the health care "tent".

Wyden was asked about the eleven million illegal immigrants. He said he had voted for the Isaacson amendment to secure the borders before dealing with other issues. He also voted to beef up provisions against employers of illegal immigrants. He reiterated the importance of securing the borders. Wyden spoke of being the son of immigrants from Germany who went through the process legally. He asked the question, "What do we do about long term immigrants who have been model citizens?" and also spoke about all the jobs done by illegal immigrants like washing dishes, cleaning motel rooms and picking fruit. He described the immigration system as broken.

Wyden was told we were talking about illegal immigrants because we we're not talking about the war in Iraq, global warming, the deficit and the loss of the middle class. Wyden said in response to the loss of the middle class he supports a flat tax system saying the middle class squeeze is extraordinarily important.

Wyden described the 1986 immigration bill as a "band-aid." He said none of the proposed immigration bills puts illegal

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L0436 0.2	L0515 -0.5	L0554 -1.0	L0635 -1.5	L0716 -1.8	H0036 7.9	H0121 7.8	H0211 7.5
H1106 4.9	H1157 5.2	H1243 5.4	H1328 5.5	H1412 5.6	L0800 -2.0	L0844 -1.9	L0930 -1.7
L1548 3.0	L1632 3.3	L1715 3.4	L1758 3.5	L1843 3.5	H1457 5.7	H1543 5.7	H1629 5.9
H2159 7.2	H2234 7.5	H2312 7.7	H2353 7.9		L1931 3.5	L2025 3.4	L2127 3.2

**Wyden Visits Port Orford  
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immigrants ahead of immigrants on legitimate lists.

Jerry Becker spoke to Wyden about the Copper Salmon Wilderness proposal. Becker has worked on this for many years and told Wyden he hoped that the people who have been working on it achieve their goal. Becker introduced chamber president David Smith who told Wyden we need to get it done. He asked Wyden what he could tell the people about getting it done. Wyden told him, "I would like to get it done." Wyden continued that he wanted to give Senator (Gordon) Smith a chance to weigh in on his views. Wyden said the Copper Salmon proposal could be put in with the Mount Hood Wilderness proposal. Jim Rogers told Wyden that Smith had told him we're going to get this thing done. Wyden finished by saying he would introduce a bill once Smith weighs in.

Wyden spoke of the Internet as the great equalizer and most open democratic system there is. He said the phone and cable

companies want to change that to more of a pay for play system.

The question is how will Smith weigh in and will Copper Salmon become a reality or will people be asking Wyden about it at his next town hall meeting in Port Orford three or four years from now?

**Wyden Pledges Internet Help  
by Dana Amarisa**

Senator Ron Wyden, during his Town Hall meeting at City Hall on Saturday, vowed to help Port Orford in its efforts to bring high speed internet to town. His question and answer format gave Scotty Auble, president of non-profit CurryISP, Inc., the chance to explain our thwarted efforts to get national carriers to commit to providing us high speed internet service and to ask for Wyden's support of our recent USDA Community Connect grant application so we can provide the service ourselves.

Clearly surprised that dialup is our primary method of internet access, Wyden said he would look into our grant application this week, drawing applause from

the standing-room-only crowd. Auble's point to Wyden was that providing high speed internet access should be treated as a necessary utility like running water and electricity instead of a luxury that only large or rich cities can afford.

"We'll continue to have a dialogue with Senator Wyden about how to solve this problem, not just for us, but for other communities like us," Auble said after the meeting.

Anyone wanting to support local efforts to bring high speed internet to town should contact a CurryISP board member at [letters@curryisp.com](mailto:letters@curryisp.com) or Scotty Auble 332-0842, Ed McQuade 332-4003, Valerie Kramer 332-6565.

**Correction**

The Port of Port Orford Commission has scheduled a planning meeting for Thursday night, June 8. Last week's paper had the incorrect time and location for this meeting. The correct location is the Port office and the meeting will begin at 6:00pm. The public is invited to attend and give their input about future uses of Port property.



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by Chief Creighton

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Culinary tip: Always remember to cook sheep or lamb meat at 325 degrees for at least 30 minutes.

05-30 Police were contacted regarding a subject unlawfully burning at 1:30am on Hamlet Street. Fire personnel were dispatched to the fire, and it was put out by them. Police later contacted the male subject and issued him a citation for violation of the municipal code for the unlawful burning. The fine can be as much as \$750.00 for burning without a permit, or for any unlawful burning.

06-01 Police responded to a home on Ninth Street on a 911 complaint of a male subject attempting to break into the home. A female resident was trying to hold the door closed to prevent the male from entering while she was calling 911. There was a child also in the residence Police arrived within minutes but the suspect had already left the area. Information was taken and police with the assistance of a county unit located the suspect at a trailer. Chad Ivy was arrested without incident, and transported to the Curry County jail where he was lodged for Burglary, Menacing and Disorderly conduct. The case is pending review by the Curry County District Attorney.

06-02 Police were contacted by a concerned citizen about receiving an E-mail from one of the Visa Company's that stated there had been some unauthorized charges on their account and wanted personal information on the account (called phishing) She reported them to both credit card company's. When you receive one of these E-mails call your visa company immediately and don't go to the special site the E-mail request asks you to go to. Remember it's always a

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06-02 Police assisted Pacific High School staff with student bag checks of the graduating class prior to their departing after graduation. Graduating students each year are transported by volunteers to an unknown location for an alcohol free graduation outing. This has been a priority of our high school for some years, and helps prevent after graduation celebrations where alcohol might be a contributor to youth deaths and injuries. It has been a very successful program, and our department was glad to assist.

06-03 Police assisted Port Orford Ambulance by escorting them to South Coos Hospital because of a potential volatile person who was being transported there.

CHIEFS NOTE: Thanks to information provided by our citizens, the residential burglary at 13th Street has been solved and the case is pending arrest of two suspects. Almost all the property has been recovered and returned that was stolen from the home. Our Department will soon be conducting a Pedestrian Violation program in town which you will be reading about next week. We plan to conduct our first enforcement the week of June 12. If anyone is interested in volunteering to help we need someone to work a video camera, and several people to act as decoys in crosswalks. If you're interested contact me.

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## Carnival or Health Fair?

Between the watermelon-eating championships, dart games, blood testing and carpal tunnel screenings, this year's Coos-Curry Electric Cooperative's (CCEC) health fair promises to concentrate on fun, prizes and wellness, "no matter what you call it," according to an announcement from Curry General Hospital, long-time sponsor of the event.

Free health screenings and festivities are planned from 9am to noon, Saturday, June 24, in the Showcase Building at the Gold Beach Event Center (fairgrounds). A myriad of health and medical information booths will include free screenings for blood pressure, bone density, vision, hearing, oxygen saturation and carpal tunnel syndrome. Additionally, the CCEC will fund free cholesterol and glucose tests for the first 70 registrants.

At 10am, Joyce Mathis, certified instructor of "Better Bones & Balance" classes,

will present a demonstration of key movements and exercises designed to ward off osteoporosis, a bone-thinning disease in aging people.

Also during the event, Curry General Hospital and the Curry Health Foundation invite participants to register for the Gold Beach Inaugural Watermelon-Eating Championships set for 10:30 that morning in the Showcase. Those who can put away the most slices of watermelon in 10 minutes will win a beautiful Okuma "Fin-Chaser" fishing rod and reel donated by the Rogue Outdoor Store, Mark Cogan, executive director of the foundation, says.

Other participating in the health carnival will include Dr. Paul Coelho of the Oregon Coast Spine Institute, Robin's Screening, South Coast Community Resource Center, North Bend Medical Center, Lincare, the Curry Breast Health Network, Priority Footwear, Health Gallery Nutrition Center, Hearing Health

Care, The Eye Center, Pregnancy Care Center, Cal-Ore Life Flight, Sutter Coast Hospital, Curry County Home Health/Hospice and the Pharmacy Express.

For more information, contact the Curry Health District at (541) 247-3187 or 1-800-445-8085, ext. 187.

## Letter to the Editor,

I apologize to those who were expecting the movie "R.V." with Robin Williams last week. Sony pictures, who owns the rights to "The DaVinci Code" and "R.V." decided it was more profitable for them to keep the latter a third week.

This was not my decision and I hope with this summer's lineup of movies it will make up for it.

Sincerely,

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## Change the Board By Evan Kramer

Ballots have been mailed in the Coos Curry Electric Coop board of director's election and need to be mailed back no later than June 21. This election presents owner-members of the Coop a chance to make a big change in the makeup of the board.

I heartily endorse John Herzog, Gary Schlottmann and Daryl Robison for the board to replace the three incumbents. One reason to vote for a slate is so coop owner members won't get "Shanked" again. Please reread former board member Jean Shank's resignation letter at [www.weowncooscurryelectric.com](http://www.weowncooscurryelectric.com). She served on the board less than a year and a half and resigned after being isolated and kept out of the decision making process by the other board members. The lesson learned is one board member cannot make positive changes on their own.

After Shank resigned the board advertised to fill the opening and Daryl Robison was the only person who put his name in for the position but it was advertised for a second time and once again he was passed over. That demonstrated to

me the board was not interested in choosing the best person. (This is not an attack on Gary Doran). Daryl Robison is the most qualified and knowledgeable of the six people running for the board. He worked for CCEC for 22 including time as assistant general manager. Now we can right the wrong when he was not appointed.

Robison, Schlottmann and Herzog will stand for a more open Coop as opposed to the current board and management who make too many decisions behind closed doors. Why can't we know how much the general manager and other top employees are paid and why are the details of the general manager's severance package a secret. Employee morale is also a big problem at the Coop and these three new board members if elected will be dedicated to changing that situation.

Please vote.

## Letter to the Editor,

The 'spin' by Coos-Curry Electric Coop Board incumbents and a few of their supporters in several Curry County papers have reached a fever pitch lately. If

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If your answers to the above questions are yes, then your best chance for positive change is to vote for those NEW board members: John Herzog, Daryl Robison, and Gary Schlottmann.

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### Letter to Editor,

Don't be fooled by Coos-Curry Electric Directors' last ditch effort to be re-elected. Thomas states Herzog, Robison and Schlottmann accused him of going to Hawaii and Florida on CCEC trips. None of us made this statement, but other Board members and management did go. Thomas stated they have reduced expenses in all areas, when the fact is the company financials show expenses have increased substantially from 2003 to 2005. Interest on long term debt up 37%, Administrative Expenses up 19%, Consumer and sales Expense up 17%, Distribution Expenses up 33% and the debt in your cooperative has increased from \$10 million to \$30 million. This debt is the result of poor Board of Director's leadership and business decisions! It is time for a change! Coos-Curry Electric continues to outsource jobs and services. They continue to spend your money on supporting the incumbents with numerous ads. Thomas is making false statements in order to garner votes. He openly admitted at the candidate forum in Brookings last week that there is no IRS regulation requiring the Board of Directors to be downsized as he previously stated. He

also sat beside Gary Schlottmann at the forum and states Schlottmann would not debate him, another falsehood.

If you want honest and fair Directors that will work to restore employee moral, stop out of control spending, provide service to its members, reduce monthly meter charges, vote in three new Board members. Herzog, Robison and Schlottmann. For some reason the ballots have been delayed, but you should have them by the time this is printed. Please take the time to vote for a change, the future of your cooperative is at stake.

Daryl Robison

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### Letter to the Editor,

Vinny Armi completed another swell school year; a tad under straight A's again. Thank you school district teachers. Vinny is a 15 year old autistic student at Driftwood.

Who to thank? Bonita Stout is at the top of the list. Bonita is Vinny's aid at school. We could not imagine school without her. Thank you for being you, Bonita. Mr. Chris Sheehan, Vinny's special, special education teacher - what a guy. In the two years you were here, the school district never heard a peep from me. It's because you are fabulous. This in itself should have spoken louder than words. I was deeply saddened to hear that you will not be coming back next year. I wish you all the best.

Thanks to all the subs - Sheila and all the rest. Enjoy your summer.

Carlene Armi, Vinny's mom

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### Rotary News by Anita Thomas

The business meeting of the Port Orford Rotary Club held on June 1 was highlighted by the presence of three Students of the Month along with their close family members. The Rotarians regularly honor outstanding students for their achievements and accomplishments.

Shane O'Brien from the Driftwood School was selected as the May Student-of-the-Month for his dedication to achieve excellence in the classroom with his respectful attitude toward teachers and fellow students. Shane has a cheerful attitude and is a consistent achiever who never complains.

Abe Newman of Pacific High School was selected as Rotary's June Student-of-the-Month based on his academic performance and membership in National Honor Society and his participation in

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the Rotary Youth Leadership Camp. He is also commended for his four-year dedication to the music program and the distinction of earning the John Phillip Sousa Award. His dedication to our Community has been demonstrated by over 600 hours of community service work along with a role as youth counselor. Abe is enrolled in college to begin earning a degree in Chemical Engineering.

Peter Wayrynen of Pacific High School was selected as Rotary's May Student-of-the-Month due to his excellent academic performances and his athletic performances. Peter has been selected as a delegate to the National Youth Leadership Conference in Washington D.C. this summer. He has had a leading role in student government.

The Community of Port Orford salutes these fine Students-of-the-Month!

To learn more about Rotary, go to [www.portorfordrotary.org](http://www.portorfordrotary.org).

### Department Recognized

Chief Creighton recently received a certificate of recognition from the US Attorney General, and the National Shooting Sports Foundation for the department's dedicated efforts in promoting firearms safety education to gun owners by distributing free safety material and voluntary gun-locking devices. Chief Creighton stated "This was a successful nationwide firearm safety education program called CHildSafe that was funded through grants from the US Department of Justice with supplementary funding from the national Shooting Sports Foundation, and was a very good program". According to Chief Creighton "We still have some free gun locks for parents who want to participate in keeping their children safe from accidental gun discharges, and the locks can be picked up at the Police Department".



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The event is limited to the first 120 children 10 years old and younger that sign up in person on each day (120 for Saturday and 120 for Sunday). Sign ups will not be carried over from one day to the next. Upon sign-up, participants will be advised of the approximate time when

it will be their turn to fish. To provide a more quality fishing experience we will only fish two kids at a time. Each young angler will be welcome to fish on one day only (either Saturday or Sunday, but not both). The event will be held rain or shine, so be ready for the weather. Each child on the sign up sheet will receive a free starter kit (hooks, sinkers, lure and bobber). Additional prizes will be given away, including mail boat trips, rods and reels and a fully stocked tackle box. This event is provided free of charge, so we ask for your cheerful acceptance of our efforts. For more information, contact the hatchery prior to June 10 at (541) 332-7025. We hope to see you for Free Fishing Weekend at Elk River Hatchery!

## School Year Over

The 2005/06 Port Orford/Langlois school year ends on Thursday, June 8 so be careful driving as there will be more young people about during the day.

## PHS Scholarship Awards

Pacific High School seniors had already been awarded over \$150,000 in federal and state grants previous to the graduation ceremony on Friday, June 2. On graduation evening, an additional \$280,000 in scholarships was awarded to the Pacific High Class of 2006.

Some of the scholarships awarded including a Chetco Federal Credit Union one for \$1,000, a Port Orford Rotary scholarship for \$2,000, an OSU diversity award for \$7,200, and Embry Riddle scholarship for four years at \$10,000 a year for a total of \$40,000. 16 of the graduations seniors were awarded scholarships. Thanks to high school counselor Jerry Cox for his tremendous efforts once again on behalf of our graduation seniors.

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## Letter to the Editor,

A big thank you to all the people who made my twenty years at Chetco Federal Credit Union a very happy time in my life.

Thanks to Norma Anderson for giving me a big retirement party on Saturday and also to my co-workers that helped make it a wonderful day. I will miss you all.

Thelma Belcher

## Another Kramer Trip (Part 2) Continued from Last Week

### 2006-04-28 Friday

As we continued on south on I-5 it seemed to just get hotter and hotter. We seem to be cursed in that whenever we go on a trip, we hit record high temperatures or at least a heat wave. While it could have been much worse, we weren't to have much respite for many days. At 6:27pm

we got gas again at a Chevron station in Monrovia, California at a mere \$3.23/gal. Valerie's friends live in Monrovia so we were soon at the end of the first leg of our journey.

We hadn't been able to pick up our email since we left home so we did a little research on Valerie's friend's Internet connection and found several WiFi hotspots listed in the area. We set out to do a little "war driving". "War driving" is where one takes a portable computer and drives around looking for wireless Internet connections. They weren't hard to find. Seems like about every other house had a WiFi connection and about 80% of them were wide open to anyone who wanted to use them. We weren't interested in illegal access however so we drove on. One local hotel offered WiFi but it's access was restricted to guests. We finally found a teahouse, Aloha Boba, which offered a very nice free WiFi service along with some very

tasty tea and other goodies. We collected the waiting 170+ emails and Aloha Boba became our Internet base for the next few days.

### 2006-04-29 Saturday

Saturday morning began with some chores. We had to pick up our email (and send our replies to yesterday's emails) and Valerie needed to get a prescription refilled. Transferring a prescription and dealing with insurance issues out of state can be a real headache but we eventually got it figured out.

Once the chores were done, Evan went off to spend a couple of days with a friend who was having some medical problems while Valerie rested and tried to cope with the heat.

### 2006-04-30 Sunday

On Sunday, Valerie happened to see part of a poker tournament on TV and got interested in the poker craze that's been sweeping the country. Evan returned and we visited Aloha Boba again to catch up on our emails. We then met up with our hosts at Rod's Grill for dinner.

Rod's Grill on Huntington Drive in Arcadia is a landmark that is currently threatened with extinction. A local Mercedes Benz dealer is attempting to get the city to use it's eminent domain powers to condemn the restaurant so it can buy the property cheaply, demolish the buildings, and turn the land into a parking lot for it's cars. This seems like a particularly severe abuse of the new eminent domain laws to us and if all Rod's meals are as good as the ones we had, it would be a real loss to the community as well. Great food at reasonable prices – If you're in the area, check out Rod's Grill while you still have a chance.

### 2006-05-01 Monday

On Monday we both went to visit Evan's friend, Larry, in the hospital. Afterwards

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## Another Kramer Trip! Continued from a prior page

we went to Vroman's Bookstore in Pasadena where Valerie found enough to read to see her through most of our trip, including a book on playing poker. We also checked out Bungalow News across the street. It is a typical old-style newsstand with a vast assortment of newspapers and magazines as well as a large selection of paperbacks. This sort of business seems to be dying off but at least this one is still around.

Our next stop was at a 99¢ store in Pasadena. "Dollar Stores" or "99 Cent" stores seem to be popping up all over these days. Sometimes one can save a lot at these stores but other times you get what you pay for (if you're lucky.) Caveat emptor.

Following our foray into the bargain basement, we once again tilted at the windmills of prescription medicines and insurance companies this time coming off victorious thanks to adequate planning and our previous experience.

We needed gas. The same Chevron station that was \$3.23 on Friday was now up to \$3.27 but their pumps weren't working.

This was also the day of the huge immigration protest in downtown Los Angeles and elsewhere so we stayed well away from the crowds. If anything, it seemed like the freeways were a little less crowded than normal. Speaking of freeways, I meant to mention that the drivers in Los Angeles all seem to be homicidal maniacs with no regard to the law whatsoever (including the laws of gravity, inertia, and the law that says two objects (cars or trucks) can't occupy the same space at the same time. Despite our continued observance of speeders in Port Orford, I have to say that Oregon drivers are much more courteous and respectful of the laws than those found in LA. There doesn't seem to be much effort made to enforce traffic laws down there any more. It's really quite disgusting to see civilization fall apart so blatantly.

Once more to Aloha Boba's for email then a stop at Trader Joe's to get rations for the next part of our trip. Finally we stopped at a Shell station for gas. When Evan started pumping it was \$3.29 but while he was filling the tank, the signs were being changed to \$3.35. Things were looking scary with so many more miles to go!

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## 2006-05-02 Tuesday

At 8:34am we left Monrovia with 1,063.1 miles done and many more to go. By 10:00am we had reached Victorville where we stopped for much-needed cold drinks and a chance to walk the dog. Back on I-15 we enjoyed listening to FM 98-99 (98.1, 99.7, 98.9). You can enjoy this part of our trip in your own home by visiting their web site at [www.thehighwaystations.com](http://www.thehighwaystations.com) then click on the "listen live" link. Along with music, they have a lot of ads and information about events in the greater Los Vegas area and particularly at Primm, Nevada at the state line.

The giant thermometer in Baker, California read 99°F when we passed through but it was so hot neither of us felt like stopping to eat. We finally stopped for lunch at Primm which has absolutely exploded in the last few years. What was once little more than a small, rather grubby, casino is now a massive complex of casinos, stores, and amusement park rides. It would have been fun to spend some time there but we had things to do and Honey Bear was not happy with the heat so on we went.

**To Be Continued Next Week**

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### Telling Stories

by Tobe Porter, Library Director

As much as I enjoy reading, I like hearing a good story even more. If you do too, then please plan to be at the Port Orford Community Building at 2:00pm on Saturday, June 17 to hear Master StoryTeller Will Hornyak.

I met Will over 10 years ago at "Stories by the Sea," a program put on by the

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Saturday ..... Chili Colorado, Rice & Beans  
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### Police Training

On May 27 Port Orford Police sponsored an ASP (Expandable Baton) and pepper spray class at Port Orford City Hall. The Coos County Sheriff's Office provided Deputy West who is a DPSST certified self defense instructor to instruct and certify the officer's who took the training. Participating in the class were Port Orford Police, Coos County Sheriff's Deputies, Bandon Police, and Coquille Police. Chief Creighton stated "It is important to insure our officers have ample certified training in all equipment we use in the field". "I would like to thank the Coos County Sheriff's Office for providing a certified trainer to departments like ours who are in need of training". "This type of cooperation between agencies is an essential component to delivering public safety to all we serve".

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Critics hailed the show as "Fun and frolic! Wacky and outrageous with a hysterical anything goes sense of fun!" N.Y. Times. "You don't have to be Catholic to love Nunsense!" Entertainment Tonight. "Inspired madness! Go see it!" Jewish Post and Opinion. "Guaranteed to lift your spirits. The show has been a hit with audiences all over the country, and has resulted in several sequels, following the antics of the Little Sisters of Hoboken.

Our production will feature local talent and be directed by Port Orford resident, Perri Rask. Roles are available for five women between the ages of 18 and 80 who must be able to sing. Auditions



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will be held at the Port Orford Community Building on July 7th at 7:00 p.m. Those auditioning should bring a prepared song of their choice, and be prepared to read from the script as requested. Scripts are available for early reading. To check out a script or for any other questions, call Perri at 332-0852. Watch your newspapers for updates!

### Fundraiser a Success!

Thank you to all who stopped by the Cub Scout Pack 98 food table at the Cedar Expo on Sunday, May 28th to purchase some goodies. With the sale of muffins, sandwiches, homemade desserts and cheesecake slices, Pack 98 raised \$135.



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### Flag Burning

The Port Orford American Legion Post is presenting a retirement celebration. We will incinerate our American flags that are worn, faded, tattered or torn. The ceremony will take place on Wednesday, June 14, at 7:00pm at the American Legion Hall. Please bring your flags to the Port Orford Senior Center Monday through Fridays from 9:30am to 1:30pm.

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## CLASSIFIED ADS

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**CLASSIFIED ADS** are \$3.50 for the first 25 words or less, and 10¢ each additional word (if any.) Our normal deadline for submission is 3:00pm Tuesday to be in that Thursday's paper. Downtown Fun Zone, Inc., 832 Hwy 101, Box 49, Port Orford, OR 97465 (541) 332-6565.

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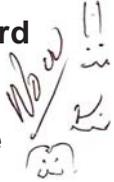
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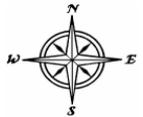
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## Scholarship Award

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