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# Services Set for Howard Lichtig By Evan Kramer

A memorial service for Judge Howard Lichtig will be held this Friday, October 6, at 1:30pm at the Port Orford Community Building. He died as a result of a motorcycle accident on Interstate 5 near Cottage Grove on Thursday afternoon. He was heading up to a judicial conference in Bend on his Harley Davidson when a truck moving over into the left lane forced him out of that lane and into the guard rail.

Lichtig practiced law in Port Orford for sixteen years before being appointed to the Circuit Court in May of this year by Governor Ted Kulongoski to replace Judge Hugh Downer. Before that Lichtig practiced law in the East Bay area in California and was a juvenile court judge. He served as the Port Orford municipal judge for several years but resigned when he was appointed to the Circuit Court.

Howard Lichtig was a very well liked person in Port Orford where he practiced law and Langlois where he lived. When he was appointed to the Circuit Court it was the culmination of a 30 year plus law career for him. Not only was it exciting for him but also for his many friends and acquaintances in the north Curry County community. We were as thrilled as he

was that he had become the Circuit Court Judge. And now we're shocked and saddened at the loss of this wonderful and very empathetic human being.

There were many sides to Howard Lichtig besides the law. He and his wife Flo have big hearts and love dogs. There are nine of them currently and each one has its own story of how it came to live in the Lichtig household. One day while talking with Howard out by Highway 101 a stray dog came running by us. I watched as it ran out in the street but not Howard. He took off in swift pursuit of the errant dog in an effort to save it from itself. I don't know if he ended up adopting that one or not, but over the years Howard and Flo welcomed many dogs into their home. Howard's favorite dogs were his poodles which he got from a rescue shelter.

Howard was the pack master and den leader for our local Cub Scout Pack 98 the past ten years. He enjoyed being part of the Cub Scouts and served as pack master for about ten years in California also.

Howard and several of his friends got together monthly for many years where they played poker for penny ante stakes. The purpose wasn't to beat the other guy out of any large sum of money but to enjoy each other's company, tell jokes and relax and enjoy life.

Howard served in the US Navy for four years and later on took up flying and got his pilot's license. He took Valerie and I for our one airplane flight over Curry County many years ago and it was something seeing our house from the air. He enjoyed working with his hands and was good at carpentry, plumbing and electrical work. Speaking of working with his hands, Howard was also quite good at magic and sleight-of-hand.

Howard had filed for a full six year term on the Circuit Court which represents Curry and Coos County in August. He was the only person to file for the November ballot for the position. According to Curry County Clerk Rene Kolen by state law Howard's name will remain on the ballot but be struck through. It is too late for anyone else to get their name on the ballot so the position will be decided by write in votes, rather than an appointment from the governor.

People wanting to do something in memory of Howard Lichtig are asked to give a donation to their local animal shelter; or they can make a donation to the ALS (Lou Gehrig's disease) Society in the name of Howard and William Lichtig.

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10-05	Full 10-06	10-07	10-08	10-09	10-10	10-11	10-12
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H1110 7.3	H1144 7.9	L0608 0.8	L0648 1.4	L0729 2.2	L0811 2.9	L0858 3.5	L0953 4.0
L1714 0.9	L1802 -0.1	H1218 8.4	H1253 8.7	H1331 8.7	H1411 8.4	H1455 8.0	H1546 7.4
H2317 7.4		L1849 -0.8	L1937 -1.2	L2026 -1.3	L2119 -1.0	L2215 -0.5	L2319 0.0

# Services Set for Howard Lichtig Continued from Front Cover

(William was one of Howard's brothers.) Donations can also be made to the Port Orford and Langlois libraries or to Cub Scout Pack 98, PO Box 98, Langlois, OR 97450-0918. Flo Lichtig asked us to express her appreciation for all the thoughts and kind words and love they have expressed for Howard these past several days.

# Herzog Fights for Reductions By Evan Kramer

The Coos-Curry Electric Board of Directors met on Friday, September 30 with all six board members present. The meeting began with comments and questions from the public. The board was asked about the outsourcing of the billings and mailings (Sterling Bank Portland), emergency calls (Minnesota) and hiring a lawyer from Portland. They were told the importance of keeping jobs locally for the benefit they have on our economy and to weigh the benefit of supporting the local community. Board president Daryl Robison said these is-

sues will be looked at during the ongoing budget process which culminates on November 13.

Karen Jensen asked if the board has access to the employee's personnel files and Robison told her no.

Lou Mincer asked about progress on reducing electric rates and Robison referred to the ongoing budget process finishing up by November 13. He said all the analysis would be done by then and that the board needed to know the impact of reducing rates. The budget process will be quite intense.

Chief Financial Officer Doyle Eden gave the Form 7 financial report. The company's margin through August 31 of this year is \$2,293,000 on revenue of \$18,974,000. Revenue fell far short of budgeted for the month of August at \$2,107,000 while \$2,414,000 was budgeted. The Coop lost \$125,000 in August due to decreased revenue. Eden said the Coop was doing quite well and noted there were other years that weren't as good. He declared the health of the cooperative as good.

Gary Schlottmann spoke under staff reports and said the tree trimmers from Cape Sebastian to Myers Creek were not doing a good job. He said they weren't cleaning it up and had left trees and brush that would present a problem.

Daryl Robison attended the NRECA (National Rural Electric Cooperative Association) meeting in Fairbanks. He was the only board member to attend. Many things were discussed including the difference between an investor owned and member owned electric cooperative. The goal for investor owned coops is to maximize profits. Robison said the board needed to do a better job communicating with the members. He said costs of power will go up in 2011. He spoke of the need for a balance between the environment and rates. Other things discussed at the meeting included support for renewable sources of power, technical and engineering standards, the Energy Star program, and involvement with economic progress. He said that 24% of the members of coops will pay more for Green Power. 454 people participated in

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the conference which Robison described as worthwhile.

Board member Pete Radabaugh attended the NWPPA-BPA (Northwest Public Power Association - Bonneville Power Administration) allocation conference. He said by April 2008 the Cooperative will need to sign its 20 year contract for power and that the board needs to figure out by then which way they will go.

The Board is working on bringing someone in to provide education for the new members rather than have them attend training out of the area. They are working on a timeframe and cost for classes.

Board member John Herzog spoke under new business and said we should address what the public said about rates. He said he wanted to give something back to the members. He recommended giving them 200 free kilowatt hours a month. David Itzen told Herzog that the board needed to run an orderly meeting and that his issue was not on the agenda. Herzog said he was tired of being orderly. General Manager Werner Buehler said they were working on lowering the rates. Daryl Robison said he couldn't support Herzog's idea until after the board goes through the budget process. Gary Schlottmann said the board would have an answer to the members by November. Buehler told people not to assume the Coop would lower rates. Herzog summed up his feelings by saying "process schmosess" frustrated by his attempts to lower the owner-members rates.

200 free kilowatts a month would represent a savings of \$12.60 to the residential consumer. The Coop pays about half that or  $3\phi$  per kilowatt hour for electricity.

### Letter to the Editor,

I am writing to express my shock and dismay at the unanimous passing of City of Port Orford Ordinance 2007-05 at the Monday, September 18, City Council meeting. My very serious concerns and disappointment are from two points of view; one as a Port Orford Planning Commissioner and the other as a private citizen.

As a Planning Commissioner, I feel strongly that this proposed Ordinance should have been presented to the Planning Commission first, so that public hearings could have been held before the Planning Commission. Then, after hearing citizen input and Commissioner discussions, the recommendations from the Planning Commission should have been sent to the City Council for action.

As a private citizen, I am outraged that the City Administrator and City Council would take it upon themselves to take action, without citizen input, that effectively shuts down two successful businesses in town that cater to the working people of Port Orford, as well as those of us who have retired here and enjoy supporting all businesses, including the very efficient, clean, and economical "transient business" of Doc's Taco's and The Big Dog. The two transient business in town serve a much needed service of local fast food at reasonable prices, which I believe complement our local restaurants, rather than hurting them.

I can only hope that this "pushed through" ordinance 2007-05 will be reversed, and quickly. The groundswell of Port Orford citizen outrage demands it!

David F. Holman City Planning Commissioner

#### **Cub Scout News**

Cub Scout Pack 98 would like to thank Sandy and Scott Luhr from the Little Shop of Horrors for hosting a fundraiser this past Saturday. The money raised will help fund the Pack's field trip on Jerry's Jet Boats this weekend. Thank you to all who stopped in to purchase all sorts of goodies from the shop, to eat yummy donuts, or to make a donation to Cub Scout Pack 98.

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As many of you know by now, Pack 98 lost our beloved pack leader, Howard Lichtig, in a motorcycle accident last week. We are all saddened by this great loss. In Howard's spirit, we will continue to work with our young men in character development, good citizenship, personal achievement, and adventures. We appreciate your continued support.

### **Rotary Club News**

Last week the Rotary Club of Port Orford honored president-elect Bill Hawkins with a Paul Harris award. This award recognizes Rotarians and non-Rotarians for substantial contributions to The Rotary Foundation (www.rotary.org/foundation). Bill joins the club's eleven Rotarian Paul Harris Fellows who have made the commitment to contribute generously to The Rotary Foundation's goal to promote good will and improve the lives of people through worldwide humanitarian and educational programs. Bill has served the club as international service chair for several years and is recognized as a generous supporter of local and international community projects. The club looks forward to his leadership next vear (www.PortOrford Rotary.org).

### **Rural Fire Board Meeting**

The Port Orford Rural Fire District board meets on Wednesday, October 11, from 5:30-6:30pm at the Senior Center. Agenda items include an insurance report.

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### Police Report by Chief Creighton Creighton@popd.org

09-23 Police received a report of a hit and run accident that occurred at Rays Food Place on September 22 between 7:30 and 8:30pm. The suspect vehicle is maroon in color and paint samples have been taken for crime lab comparison. If anyone saw anything or might have found some damage on your vehicle but didn't know you were involved in an accident, please contact the Port Orford Police Department at 332-9013.

09-25 Police took a report of a stolen Craftsman tool box taken from the vicinity of the Common Good on 09-24-06 sometime between noon and 4:00pm. Police are investigating the incident as a theft. If anyone found the tool box or saw anything please contact the Port Orford Police Department. The information can be anonymous and the owner has offered a reward for the return of the tools.

09-25 A vehicle was stopped for speeding in the school zone. It was determined the driver had no operators license, and after an investigation by police he was issued a citation for no operators License, Speeding in a school zone, and for two counts of open container of alcohol in a vehicle. He was additionally charged with possession of controlled substance marijuana, and his passenger was issued a citation for allowing unlawful operation of a motor vehicle, because she was allowing him to drive it.

09-25 Police received a report that someone was climbing their fence on Ninth Street. An information report was taken, and the person has been told not to do that again.

09-26 A male subject was contacted on 12th Street and issued three citations to appear in Circuit Court for disorderly conduct. These crimes stemmed from three earlier cases reviewed by the Curry County District Attorney.

09-26 A female was contacted and issued citations to appear in Circuit Court for Criminal trespass I, Criminal Trespass II, and Criminal Mischief II. These crimes also stemmed from an earlier case.

09-29 Police were called to a home on Deady Street by a male thinking he was in danger, and was out of control. Police assisted by talking to the subject to calm him down.

09-29 A male subject was contacted on Ninth Street for a loud stereo, and was issued a citation for violating city ordinance for unlawful noise.

09-30 Police responded to Idaho Street on an assault complaint.

09-30 This weeks speeder was clocked at 62 mph in a 30 mph zone. When contacted the subject was surprised he was in a 30 mph zone. I wonder if he would also be surprised to know that the speed on Highway 101 is only 55 mph.

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09-30 Police were dispatched to a power line down on 13th Street. Our Port Orford Rural Fire Department was already on scene, and had the situation under control. I would like to thank all of our fire volunteers for the wonderful job they do in our community. They always respond fast and efficiently, and get the job done without delay. Our community should be proud of their dedication, and grateful for all the hard work these volunteers do.

CHIEFS NOTE: Our department was deeply saddened by the passing of Circuit Court Judge Howard Lichtig. Howard was a good man and dedicated to Curry County, and the City of Port Orford. He worked for years as our Municipal Court Judge and did an exceptional job. Our deepest sympathy goes out to his wife and family. Curry County lost a great man and Judge Lichtig will be sorely missed.

#### Lenihan Trio at Paula's

The Pete Lenihan Trio plays at Paula's Bistro on Saturday, October 7, from 7:00-10:00pm.

### Letter to the Editor,

I would like to add my voice to that of Mary and Pat Evans in regard to the recent ordinance on "transient" businesses.

There is no other way to construe this unnecessary ordinance than as a direct harassment of two specific businesses. The real motivation here can be nothing other than personal in nature, as these are established businesses that most if not all of us in the community frequent and support. It is ridiculous to think that either of these businesses could possibly move their trailers around town every

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Carol Berger

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# True Stories & Other Fictions in Northwest Oral History

with Tom Nash



Friday, October 6, 7:00pm Langlois Library Free

Where does history end and folklore begin? Tom Nash looks at the elements of folklore embedded in supposedly nonfiction stories of frontier Oregon and the West.

This free program is funded by the Oregon Council for the Humanities in conjunction with the National Endowment for the Humanities

### **Book Signing Sunday**

This Sunday, October 8, at 2pm, Brookings resident and Oscar award winner Elmo Williams will sign copies of his new book Elmo Williams, A Hollywood Memoir.

In 1954, Williams won the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences Award (the Oscar) for editing the classic film, High Noon. He also produced and directed many other enduring movies, including Tora! Tora! Tora!, The Poseidon Adventure, 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, for which he received another Oscar nomination, and The Longest Day.

"Fate has thrown me some interesting curves," said Williams, the farm boy turned film editor, director and producer. As a child, Williams traveled with his family in a covered wagon to a new life in a New Mexico homestead. In 1932, the teenaged Williams went to work as a gopher for film editor Merrill White and within three years he was a partner in an editing company in London. Williams' career bloomed to include also producing and directing.

His new memoir covers early childhood through his years working behind the scenes with fellow Hollywood movie legends to his pensive reflections at age 93. The publisher calls it "a story of hard work rewarded with a deeply fulfilled life, and of one man's effort to communicate with others in the universal language of film — and of laughter."

In addition to his new Memoir, Williams will also be signing copies of his late wife Lorraine's collection of holiday let-

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ters, The Letters that Hollywood Loved, released last year, for which Williams wrote the Forward.

The event is open to all ages without charge. Those unable to attend may reserve signed copies for later pick-up by telephoning (541) 247-2495. Gold Beach Books is located at the corner of Pacific Highway 101 and First Street in Gold Beach.

### **School Board Meeting**

The Port Orford/Langlois School Board meets on Monday, October 9, at 7:00pm, at Blanco School in Langlois.



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### **Internet Project Update**

R. Scotty Auble, president of CurryISP, Inc., announced today that the company has been disqualified for a grant from the USDA Community Connect Project for this funding year.

"This is a setback in immediate opportunities to fund the project", said Auble. "We don't have any other funding options on the table at this time, but are actively seeking alternative sources in both the public and private sectors."

Auble said the USDA disqualified the grant application based on a technicality. He said the USDA encouraged Curry-ISP, Inc. to apply again next May, provided the program receives funding from Congress again.

Another board member for the company said, "This community needs a reliable high speed internet option and we are still unable to locate other providers willing to commit to a timeframe. In a recent newspaper article, a contractor working for Verizon said they may offer DSL here in a year or two, however this is still unconfirmed."

According to Auble, much valuable work that can still be used in the project was done in preparing the USDA grant application, including a detailed network design, project budget estimates, and work timetables. This work, as well as the community partnerships that were developed, will ease the process of applying for other funding.

"In completing the application we developed a detailed business plan that shows the feasibility and sustainability of our business model. We can show other prospective funders and partners that this is

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a viable project as a result of our efforts," said Auble.

The company also announced that so far it has been unable to obtain 501c(3) tax-exempt status from the IRS. Because of this, donations to CurryISP, Inc. cannot be deducted as charitable contributions on federal or state income tax for 2006. The company apologizes to donors that were counting on a deduction, and is offering to refund donations upon request until December 31, 2006. All donations received will be used to implement the high-speed internet project when the necessary funds have been obtained.

CurryISP, Inc., is a non-profit corporation formed specifically to provide high speed internet to Port Orford and vicinity. CurryISP, Inc., can be contacted by U.S. mail at CurryISP, Inc., P.O. Box 49, Port Orford, OR 97465, or by email at info@curryisp.com.

### Letter to the Editor,

The Friends of the Langlois Library is hosting a Harvest Fest Dinner on Saturday, November 4, 6:30pm at the Port Orford Community Center. Tickets are \$15/adult; \$10/kids under 12. Menu: grilled sausages with sautéed onions & peppers; two salads; rolls; pies; apple cider; coffee & tea. There will be entertainment and door prizes, and you'll have a final opportunity to view and bid on the wonderful silent auctions items donated for this occasion. Bidding will close at 7pm, and the drawing for the van raffle will also happen at 7pm.

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Nancy Angelesco Library Director

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### **True Stories**

The Port Orford & Langlois Public Libraries are please to sponsor an Oregon Chautauqua program by Tom Nash entitled True Stories and Other Fictions In Northwest Oral History. This free, public program will take place on Friday, October 6, 2006, 7:00p at the Langlois Library. This program is funded by the Oregon Council for the Humanities (OCH).

# Edward **Jones**

MAKING SENSE OF INVESTING

Where does history end and folklore begin? Tom Nash looks at the elements of folklore embedded in supposedly nonfiction stories of frontier Oregon and the West. His material is drawn from Oregon oral histories that were recorded primarily in the 1930s and 1940s, and are now held at the State Library in Salem. These oral histories reveal the hand of the interviewer in both subtle and bold ways. Literalists took down every hiccup and

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expletive along with the story, while wordsmiths perked up dull recitations and fictionalized uneventful details. Collaborators became so involved that their own narrative vision interacts with the story being told in the interview.

When oral histories reveal the threads of legend, the stories undoubtedly become more engaging. Are we duped by elements of tall tale and legend, or do they reflect the dynamic interplay between events and memory? And what, ultimately, is the role of fiction in history?

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#### Letter to the Editor,

In a world just about buried under its own refuse a sad story comes to light. Todd, a Port Orford resident and the local pioneer of trash to treasure recycling has been barred from his hunting ground. Apparently one disgruntled citizen called the garbage company and complained about Todd being allowed access to our garbage. There might be reasons, but they are ridiculous. He was told that the trash needed to be protected from identity thieves.

Others feel disgruntled over paying to throw something away that someone else may find a use for. "I paid for that space in the landfill and by jingees I want it filled". Anyone else that thinks that's absurd, please raise your hand. Landfills are overflowing. Recycling is important. Very often (although clearly not here) dumps sort the garbage and offer perfectly good refuse a second chance for a

nominal price. Usually to cover the salaries of the people that sort and sell it. Urban Ore in Berkeley is one example. This is a good thing. Todd provided this service to the community of Port Orford for free.

Here's an idea. Protect your sensitive documents by shredding or tearing them up. Todd has no use for them, but if identity theft runs rampant in town, better safe than sorry. Have a heart for the planet and let someone have what you don't want, even if you paid to put it in the landfill. Or here's a novel concept, save the money and give it away.

Catherine Buchanan

### Letter to the Editor,

We have been coming to Port Orford from Langlois once or twice a week all summer to have lunch at Doc's Tacos, then at The Big Dog when Doc's closed for the season. Thanks to the city council for making those trips unnecessary as of October 18th. We can now take the shopping we did at the hardware store, the market, the quilt store, etc. back to Bandon since our lunches will be there from now on.

Bah Humbug to whoever thought ordinance 2007-05 was a good idea!

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### **Port News Updates**

There were several good pieces of news concerning the Port, Dock and Commercial fishing industry last week.

An ad hoc committee was formed on Friday, September 28 to undertake a "jetty study" that will build a fact based timeline of the jetty's actual performance. Has it really been helpful, or was the design flawed? A group of volunteers have begun sorting through old files to isolate key documents and will present updates to the Port Commission.

Scoping consultant Elizabeth Sheehan, and Director of Financial Consulting for Shoreline Enterprise Pacific, Adam Zimmerman, were in town to conduct studies for a possible Marine Research Station at the Port. There were meetings with Leesa Cobb and Valerie Mecum of the Port Orford Ocean Resource Team (Poort) and other local leaders and officials. A reception was held on Thursday evening

at the Poort office in TriAngle Sq. where a number of citizens and commercial fishermen brainstormed economic improvement ideas for the Port and dined on a buffet of fresh seafood.

At the League of Women Voters candidates debate, all four candidates running for city council identified the Port and Dock as the city's most valuable resource and that the city must work closely with the Port in developing the Refinement Plan.

#### **Costume Sale**

The Waterfront Players will hold its second Annual Costume and Properties Sale on Saturday, October 7 from 10 am to 4 pm, and Sunday, October 8 from Noon to 4 pm.

The sale will take place inside the Waterfront Players in the East Wing of Pony Village Mall, next to Colleen's Crepes. This annual sale will help to make stor-



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age available for some substantial recent donations.

Some of the items for sale include vintage clothing and hats, camouflage and military uniforms, Victorian clothing, costumes and parts of costumes from all time periods, small pieces of furniture, chairs, china, decorator accessories of all kinds, antiques, electronic equipment, fireplace accessories, miscellaneous fabrics, artificial plants and flowers plus other interesting odds and ends.

In addition to the above, wood products including plywood flats, risers, odd size plywood pieces, wood trim of all widths and other miscellaneous building materials will be available.

The Waterfront Players is a non-profit, 501(c)(3) organization, with the mission to teach, explore and perform theater. Proceeds of the sale will defray costs of upcoming classes and productions.

### **Monthly Nutrition Class**

The Curry County WIC Program (women, infants and children) is holding its monthly nutrition education class on Thursday, October 12, at 10:00am at the Health Department, located at 1403 N. Highway 101 in Port Orford. WIC clients are encouraged to attend, and the public is welcome. If you have any questions regarding the WIC program, please call 332-4041. WIC is an equal opportunity program and employer.



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### **Prudential Seaboard Properties**



### Letter to the Editor,

It's a good thing for the City Council to try to anticipate change and plan for it, and plan for growth and livability in the future. However, the recent action they've taken on transient businesses seems to be a solution in search of a problem. We only have two transient businesses here, Doc's tacos and the Big Dog hamburger wagon, neither of which are any problem at all. So it doesn't seem fair at all to tell them that they can't conduct their business here, which is basically what the City Council is saying. It's one thing if you have pushcart vendor setting up on the sidewalk, you might want to make them move every two hours, but both of these businesses are located on private property, and because they are leasing private property they have a fundamental right to use it. Both of these businesses contribute to the livability of our town, and the City Council should recognize that, and grandfather them in.

Respectfully,

Tom Whitehead

#### **Can and Bottle Drive**

The Parks Commission is holding a can and bottle drive. We would like to add an additional infant swing, and fix up the playground at Buffington Park. Please call Lori at 332-0910 for pick-up.

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### **Sunset Garden Club News**

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The Club members would like to extend their best wishes to Rob Ashdown, entering his first year at OSU. Rob is our first recipient of our first scholarship to a Pacific High graduating senior planning to pursue one of the many plant related fields of study. Congratulations and good luck.



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### **American Legion Notes**

Port Orford Post 76 will meet again on Tuesday, October 17. The meeting will be conducted in the Legion Hall beginning at 7:00pm. Dinner will be served at the conclusion of our discussions. Members and their spouses and any Veterans interested in joining us are encouraged to attend. The United States Navy was established on October 13, 1775. Post 76 and our local Boy Scout Troop will place the American flag in front of Port Orford businesses to celebrate this 231st birthday on Navy Day, October 27.



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#### Letter to the Editor,

Vinny and I would like to thank all those who came by to enjoy viewing Vinny's special first art show. We loved seeing all of you enjoy his artwork so much. It was our pleasure. Thanks to Ray's Food Place for sharing goodies and drinks by sponsoring the show and Driftwood Elementary School for providing a great location.

Smashing, loved it,

Thank you

Vinny Armi and mom

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NEW VIDEOS THIS WEEK: "X-Men the Last Stand", "Ancient Relic", "GI Joe Sigma 6", "Thank You for Smoking", "The Little Mermaid, Platinum Edition", and "Glass House, the good mother". In our New Arrivals section, we've added "A Chorus Line". Please remember items are due back by 3:30pm the next business day. Reservations must be prepaid so cannot be taken over the phone. Downtown Fun Zone, Inc. Open 9:30-6 MonThurs and 9:30-7 Friday and Saturday. Closed Sundays.

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Following a "major disaster" in Curry County people will have to rely on each other for help in order to meet their immediate life saving and life sustaining needs. First responders who provide fire and medical services will not be able to meet the demand for services. Factors such as number of victims, communication failures, and road blockages will prevent people from accessing emergency services they have come to expect at a moment's notice through 911.

The CERT training to be covered on Nov. 11 includes Disaster Preparedness, Fire Safety, and Disaster Medical Operations Parts 1 & 2. Nov. 18 training will be Light Search & Rescue, CERT Organization, Disaster Psychology, Terrorism & CERT, and Course Review & Disaster Simulation.

CERT is about readiness, people helping people, rescuer safety, and doing the greatest good for the greatest number. CERT is a positive and realistic approach to emergency and disaster situations where citizens will be initially on their own and their actions can make a difference.

Through training, citizens can manage utilities and put out small fires; treat the three killers by opening airways, controlling bleeding, and treating for shock; provide basic medical aid; search for and rescue victims safely; and organize themselves and spontaneous volunteers to be effective.

Class size limited to 30. Contact Michael A. Brace, Curry County Emergency Services Coordinator at (541) 247-3208.