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New Councilor and Judge By Evan Kramer

The Port Orford City Council met on Monday night and began with appointment of a councilor to replace Jake Marshall. Mayor Jim Auburn appointed David Smith. Councilor John Hewitt made a motion to approve the mayor's appointment and it passed 4-1 with councilor Milton Finch voting no. Auburn appointed Smith to the council personnel and finance subcommittee, chamber liaison, and as CTR (Curry Transfer and Recycle) and streets liaison. Smith is the president of the Chamber of Commerce. He follows in the footsteps of his brother Todd who served on the city council in the 90's before moving to Portland.

Mayor Auburn said the council had interviewed three candidates last Friday for the open position of municipal judge created when David Pesonen resigned. They chose Langlois resident Bruce Murdock and he was sworn in that afternoon. Murdock formerly practiced law in California.

The council then heard citizens concerns including remarks from Port commissioner Ed Dowdy who spoke on behalf of protecting the assets of the Port District including their property at Fifth and Washington Streets. He said

the Port may possibly build something larger than 35 feet tall and 6,000 square feet. He advocated keeping the current 4-C zoning which allows for 45 feet tall buildings and larger building sizes. Shirley Nelson said she lived above the Port property and spoke of the unfairness to people living above the Port property of a large building impairing their view. Gayle Wilcox handed the council a letter dated May 29 signed by 23 business and property owners within the Refinement Plan area in opposition to the plan. She started to read the letter but Mayor Auburn refused her permission and said it had already been entered in the record at a previous meeting.

Mike Murphy's city administrator's report showed an improvement in the water loss situation. For the month of August the public works department treated 6,680,000 gallons of water and used 505,000 for backwashing leaving 6,175,000 gallons for consumption. The city metered 3,669,180 gallons of water and lost 2,505,820 gallons of water for a loss rate of 40.6%. Murphy told the council they had found 13 water leaks so far which have been fixed and they were still looking into the situation and will start checking water meters with the larger meters being checked first.

Chief Mark Creighton's police department report showed a total of 165 citations issued in August and \$25,649 collected from citations for last month. The department purchased two used police cars from the Portland Police Department including a Chevrolet Camaro.

John Hewitt reported that Tseriadun State Park will reopen on October 1.

Milton Finch reported that at the last Parks Commission meeting there had been only one person making input on the old city jail. Finch made a motion to approve the parks commission recommendations on the Buffington Park host duties and it passed unanimously.

Councilor Steve Abbott reported that the watershed committee meeting in October would include a field trip to the city's Hubbard Creek reservoir. He said the public was welcome to attend. The watershed committee meets on the third Wednesday of the month.

Mayor Auburn said he would be flying to Washington this Thursday to attend a subcommittee meeting chaired by Senator Ron Wyden. He had been invited to the meeting and will speak in support of the Copper Salmon Wilderness bill.

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New Councilor and Judge Continued from Front Cover

The council approved Ordinances 2008-01 and 2008-02 adopting the Port Orford Comprehensive Plan and Zoning Map of 1989. On a motion by John Hewitt they voted 6-0 on a motion to adopt Ordinance 2008-03 which makes additions to the city's comprehensive plan.

The council next dealt with the controversial and confusing to many Ordinance 2008-04. Changes had been made to it since last month's meeting. It had been altered to **take out** the sections making a building footprint of over 6,000 square feet, height of over 35 feet and building length of over 125 feet as conditional uses. Also changed was the section on off street parking which now refers only to new buildings on Highway 101 and requires them to have off street parking behind, under or to the side of the building. Ordinance 2008-04 amends and adds to the zoning Ordinance #278 and the sign Ordinance #367-87 and includes these in the municipal code. It creates a new Battle Rock Mixed Use Zone (10-MU).

Councilor Hewitt made a motion the council approve the findings of the planning staff less the conditional uses. This was necessary before adopting the Ordinance. Councilor Jim Campbell said he couldn't vote for any of it since they hadn't allowed any public comment on the changes. He said he wanted more public input! The vote was 3-2 in favor of the motion with Hewitt, Abbott and Ed Beck voting yes and Campbell and Finch voting no with David Smith abstaining.

John Hewitt next made a motion to approve Ordinance 2008-04 as amended. The city's lawyer Shala McKenzie was questioned about voting on an Ordinance which had been changed since the first reading at last month's council meeting. She said it was a grey area and referred to a minor versus a major change. She said if the change was less restrictive it is a minor change and it was fine to vote on the Ordinance as revised since it is less restrictive. The vote was 3-3 with Hewitt, Abbott and Beck voting yes and Campbell, Finch and Smith voting no. Mayor Auburn was put in the position

he doesn't seem to enjoy and had to vote and break the tie. After thinking it over he voted yes and the motion passed. He was concerned about sending the matter back to the planning commission and starting anew.

The council accepted Resolution 2008-05 by a 6-0 vote. This put the city council in support of the Copper Salmon Wilderness Bill.

The council approved Resolution 2008-06 by a unanimous vote. This approves the donation of chairs and tables from the American Legion Hall to the Port Orford Fire Department.

The council voted 6-0 on Resolution 2008-07 concerning designation of marine reserves. To quote from the Resolution, "the common council does not support the State unilaterally imposing a network of marine reserves but are in support of fishermen and community nominated marine reserve sites for all the ecosystem and economic benefits they hold."

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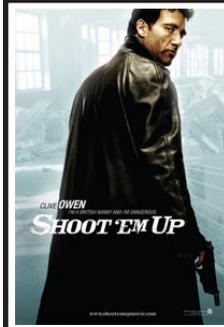
09-05 Police received a complaint from a person who advised that someone was photographing them inside their home. A report was taken for invasion of privacy, and is currently under investigation.

09-06 A citizen brought an I-Pod to the police department they found at Buffington Park. It was later returned to the owner.

09-06 Police were contacted by a citizen who requested a male subject be trespass from their residence. The male subject was contacted and was given a trespass warning.

09-07 Police were contacted by a citizen who requested a female subject be trespass from a residence. The female was contacted and given a trespass warning.

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09-12 while police were conducting a pedestrian crosswalk enforcement operation near 18th and 101, a large creepy rat about the size of a possum walked right out onto the roadway in front of police without using the crosswalk. To add to the creepiness, the rat missing one front leg and only able to run in a circle, would hunch down keeping one eye open as vehicles passed over it. Cautious of being mauled by the rat, police stayed in their patrol vehicles and used one vehicle to keep traffic at a safe distance while Jerry from Port Orford Garage saved the rat by scooting it to the side of the roadway where it escaped into the brush.

09-13 Police were called to a disturbance in the area of Idaho and 10th Street regarding a complaint that he was cornered by two pit bulls. The complainant and dogs owner were arguing when police arrived and the situation escalated until the dog's owner was arrested for Disorderly Conduct. An additional male who tried to help the arrested subject was additionally arrested for Disorderly Conduct and Obstructing Governmental Administration. Additionally the dog's owner was cited for permitting a dog to run at large.

09-13 Police assisted a female subject just south of Port Orford with a vehicle and stood by for traffic control until a tow truck could arrive and remove the vehicle.

09-13 Speeder of the week: driver traveling 73 mph in a posted 30 mph zone. Police stopped the vehicle and when the driver was contacted found out that the driver was from Korea and could not understand English which probably accounts for not knowing what speed he was traveling. I wonder how many Won's equal \$427.00.

Chiefs Note: Our department conducted two pedestrian enforcement operations during the past two weeks. About 60 vehicles were stopped, and two pedestrians were warned for not yielding to vehicles. We issued about five citations and warned the rest. There appears to still be some confusion as to what constitutes a crosswalk. In Oregon there are crosswalks at every intersection whether marked or not. The pedestrian generally has the right of way unless they step directly in front of a moving vehicle. If a pedestrian walks into the roadway between intersections they must yield the right-of-way to all vehicles.

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Rudi Breuer

Rudolf A. “Rudi” Breuer, 66, passed away after a valiant two-year fight with cancer. He died at his home with Barbara, his wife of 44 years, at his bedside. Rudi is survived by his wife and their three sons, Rudolf Tyson Breuer of Port Orford, Craig A. Breuer of Henderson, NV, and Mark J. Breuer of Las Vegas, NV, as well as their five grandchildren and three great grandchildren. Rudi is also survived by his brother, Fred O. Breuer of Henderson, NV.

Rudi Breuer was born in Maffersdorf, Germany (Sudetenland) in 1940 in the same house as his mother Hermine and his grandfather Oskar Porsche. Rudi delighted in explaining that all three generations were born in the same house but in different countries – his grandfather in the Austro-Hungarian Empire prior to World War I, his mother in Czechoslovakia during the years before World War

II, and Rudi in Germany after Hitler occupied the Sudetenland in 1939. The family immigrated to West Germany in 1945 after their properties were confiscated by the reformed Communist government in Czechoslovakia. In 1955, the family immigrated to the United States, and never regretted that life-changing decision.

Rudi is fondly remembered by those who knew him well as a wonderful husband and father, a professional with the highest integrity, and a generous man who loved his adopted country. When he wasn't building a custom home or a recording studio during his over 40-year career, he enjoyed trap shooting, skiing, coaching soccer and baseball, and racing and cruising his 37-foot sloop with his family off the Ventura coast.

With that well-known twinkle in his eye and love of life, a few of Rudi's last

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words were, “God bless America,” and “Protect the Second Amendment.”

At his request, there will be a simple graveside ceremony on Wednesday, September 19 at 11:00am at the Langlois Cemetery for family and friends. In lieu of flowers, contributions in Rudi's memory may be made to the Port Orford Rotary Scholarship Fund, P.O. Box 1284, Port Orford, OR 97465.

Heritage Society Benefit

It's that time of year again. Get out your dancing shoes and prepare for a great evening. On Saturday night, October 6, the annual benefit dinner/dance sponsored by the Point Orford Heritage Society will be held at the Port Orford Community Building. The event will begin at 6:00pm for Happy Hour. Dinner follows at 7:00pm with a choice of halibut or prime rib as the featured entrée. The popular band, Timber Wolf, will be offering many of your favorite tunes for dancing and listening.

During the evening many special items and offers will be displayed and offered to the attendees as articles for a silent auction. All proceeds from the auction will go into the Society's treasury for use in restoration and improvement of the museum and park site. Admission is \$50 and tickets are available from museum directors or call Joan McDow at 332-1073. Hope to see you there.

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Medicine Wheel By Carol Berger

The first planning meeting for the Port Orford Medicine Wheel Project will be held on Sunday, Sept. 23rd at 1 pm in the City Hall Council Chambers. Creation of the Medicine Wheel next March will be facilitated by life coach and Port Orford resident Charlene Wolfe, who says, "It will be an event in which the entire community can participate. It will be an education for our children and provide an enduring place of quietude and serenity for our community."

A medicine wheel is a stone circle laid out on the land with markings to the

four directions of east, south, west, and north. Utilizing the Medicine Wheel as a focal point with meditation and contemplation, supports our return to a state of balance that will reflect out into the community, fostering unity. It is a way of praying, energetically projecting intent, affixing attention, and awakening our inner potential.

Our Medicine Wheel will be created on the Spring Equinox next year. Charlene will be giving a presentation on Medicine Wheels and asking for ideas, feedback, and questions from the community at the planning meeting on Sept. 23rd. She would like to see everyone in the community get involved with the planning and creation of the Port Orford Medicine Wheel.

For more information, please contact the Port Orford Arts Council at 332-0487 or check out our website at www.portorfordart.org.

This event is sponsored by the Port Orford Arts Council and a grant from the Coquille Tribal Community Fund. Founded by the Coquille Indian Tribe, the Tribal Community Fund has distributed close to \$2 million to support projects in the areas of education, health, public safety, arts and culture, problem gaming treatment, and historic preservation in a five-county region of Southwestern Oregon. This year the Fund awarded grants totaling \$634,148. For more information, visit the Fund's website at www.coquilletribalfund.org.

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Marijuana Plants Seized

On Sept. 10, a Curry County Deputy and U. S. Forest Service Law Enforcement Officer located a large marijuana growing operation while flying over the area of Cedar Creek in South Curry County in an Oregon Air National Guard helicopter.

Fourteen or fifteen gardens were spread through about a 2 mile section of Cedar Creek adjacent to the California-Oregon border. This is forestland property belonging to the U.S. Forest Service and the State of Oregon.

Due to the size of the operation it was not seized until September 13. Personnel and vehicles were requested from and provided by the Curry and Coos County Sheriff's offices, US Forest Service, DEA, SCINT, the Air National Guard, Curry County Road Dept., JOMET (Josephine Marijuana Eradication Team) and a private helicopter company.

Two teams walked in on foot, one from the west end and one from the east end, starting at 7am. It took about 3 hours to cover the 2 miles. Additional officers were brought in by helicopter and a total of 30 people were used in the eradication effort.

A campsite was located but no one was found. The marijuana gardens were at times connected by water systems and the marijuana plants were being watered with drip irrigation systems. Battery

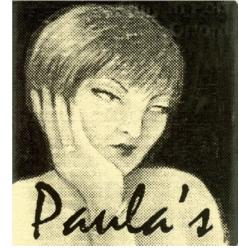
powered timers and other similar equipment were being used to water the marijuana plants.

Over 9,000 marijuana plants with a potential street value of several million dollars were seized and removed by helicopter.

During the operation two officers were airlifted from the scene. One officer was transported to Sutter Coast Hospital to be treated for dehydration problems and the other suffered a sprained ankle.

Sheriff Allen Boice commented, "This is the largest marijuana grow [sic] seized in the history of Curry County. A sophisticated marijuana grow operation such as this is the work of an organized criminal drug organization. Investigation and seizure of an operation like this requires cooperation between law enforcement agencies. The Curry County Sheriff's office will continue

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to work with other state and federal agencies to identify and prosecute those responsible."

One Way Street Signs

The one way street signs have arrived, and have been installed on 13th Street and Tichenor Street in the area of Driftwood School. 13th Street east of Hwy 101 has been designated one way eastbound, and Tichenor Street designated one way north bound from the school. School District 2-CJ had done a nice job marking off the area for the buses to load and unload students. This should make a substantial contribution to the safety of the children in this area.

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Letter to the Editor,

Dear Friends of Elk River,

As many of you already know, we reached a long-awaited milestone yesterday!

Calling it "a jewel that is deserving of protection for future generations," Congressman Peter DeFazio and Senator Ron Wyden introduced legislation to protect Copper Salmon as Wilderness. Their House and Senate bills are identical and stand-alone (not attached to Mt Hood Wilderness or a spending bill). We understand that Senator Gordon Smith is also 'on board'.

Having worked toward this goal for 13 years, we have many people to thank. However, we're not at the back-patting stage quite yet. First we need to express thanks to Wyden and DeFazio for recognizing Copper Salmon's importance to our local economy and we also need to encourage them to see this key bill through to enactment.

Jerry and I hope many of Elk River's friends will take a moment to fax quick thank-yous to Ron and Peter. Sending Gordon Smith a note of appreciation/



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Congressman Peter DeFazio: fax 202-225-0032 / phone 202-225-6416

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Senator Gordon Smith: fax 202-228-3997 / phone 202-224-3753

In addition to prompt thank-yous, Copper Salmon Wilderness needs letters of support published in newspapers throughout the Nation. If you have any questions or need help writing a letter to your newspaper, email information@foer.org or give us a call. We're in the book.

For the Wild & Scenic Elk River and her forests,

Sharyn & Jerry Becker

Harvest Wednesdays

Our last two Harvest Wednesdays at The Common Good food pantry have

been a success! Thanks especially to Lee Kincaid for her fresh vegetables from her garden. They made a big hit and a bit of health at the same time for our needy families. By the way, did you know that zucchini and squash cross pollinate? Someone donated a wonderful looking round squash shaped vegetable with zucchini spots and coloring last Wednesday. The crosses make wonderful eating too although you never know what the flavor and texture will be on the inside.

Remember there are two more September Harvest Wednesdays at The Common Good behind Ray's Food Place, 1405B Idaho Street at 10:00AM. So if any other gardeners have extra zucchini (or other vegetables/fruit), drop it off at The Common Good on Wednesday. (Remember when you didn't have to lock the doors on your cars except in late summer when zucchini would magically appear inside your car? Now it would be lovely to have them magically appear at The Common Good.) Thanks to all for your help.

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Pinwheels for Peace

In today's world, peace needs to become more than just a word. On September 21, Bandon will take part in an International art and literacy project, Pinwheels for Peace by "planting" pinwheels with messages of peace in front of City Hall on Highway 101.

Pinwheels for Peace is an art installation project started in 2005 by two Art teachers, Ann Ayers and Ellen McMillan, of Coconut Creek, Florida, as a way for students to express their feelings about what's going on in the world and in their lives. In 2005, groups in over 1,325 locations throughout the world were spinning pinwheels on September 21st - there were approximately 500,000 pinwheels spinning throughout the world.

This project is non-political - peace doesn't necessarily have to be associated with the conflict of war, it can be related

to violence/intolerance in our daily lives, to peace of mind. To each of us, peace can take on a different meaning, but, in the end, it all comes down to a simple definition: "a state of calm and serenity, with no anxiety, the absence of violence, freedom from conflict or disagreement among people or groups of people."

The Sunday morning adult class members at Unity of Bandon created pinwheels. As part of the creation process, they wrote their thoughts about peace and living in harmony with others on one side and decorated the other side. On September 21, 2007, keep a lookout for the pinwheels in front of the City Hall building - the spinning of the pinwheels in the wind will spread thoughts and feelings about peace throughout the country and the world!

For more information, go to <http://www.pinwheelsforpeace.com> or call 541-347-4696.

Senior Center News

Congratulations to Mr. And Mrs. Woo, winners of the handsome fish wood carving, done by local artist Jerry Stoopes. The carving was offered as the prize in our recent raffle.

Our first game day on Monday was lots of fun and we'd love to see more members attend the next game day on Monday, Sept. 24, from 1:30-3:30pm. We've got card games, scrabble, checkers, chess and more.

On Tuesday, September 18 the Senior Center welcomed the bicyclists from Driftwood School when they stopped by for refreshments at the end of their ride.

Saturday, Oct. 6, from 9:00am - 1:00pm, the Bargain Basement will have a "bag sale". All the clothing items you can fit in a brown grocery bag for \$2.00. The Senior Center member meeting and lunch will be on September 25 at 11:00am followed by dime bingo.

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Senator Wyden Speaks Out

U.S. Senator Ron Wyden (D-OR) issued the following statement in response to General David Petraeus's testimony before the U.S. House Armed Service Committee:

"General Petraeus's focus on selective military successes in Iraq obscures the larger problem: military tactics are not bringing about political reconciliation.

"For four and a half years, the Bush administration has been telling the American people that if we stay the course in Iraq conditions will change. Conditions have changed. They have gotten worse, forcing our courageous men and women in uniform into refereeing a dangerous civil war. It is the Iraqis – not the American Armed Forces – who must make the tough decisions that will bring about political reconciliation in their country. Therefore we must make it clear that American troops will not serve as their crutch forever.

"I continue to fight for a time-table for withdrawal from Iraq. Our troops have served their country bravely and honorably. It is time to bring them home."

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Fire Siren Goes Off
By Mike Murphy

The fire siren (a.k.a. noon whistle) stuck today (Monday), and continued a long blast until it could be manually shut off. There had been some work completed on the siren, and they thought it was fixed. However, it apparently is NOT fixed. This happened several months ago, and that is why we don't have the noon whistle any more.

The siren itself is not broken; it is only the timing system. The tsunami warning system is totally separate, and should work whether we have the noon whistle or not, just as the fire siren works independently of the timer. This timer issue affects only the noon whistle, not the fire or tsunami warnings.

If this had been a tsunami warning, the siren would blast for 3 minutes, in a up and down pattern, just like it does for a fire (basically it is an on and off pattern 5 seconds on, 5 seconds off). There are two other sirens, one at Arizona Street lift station, and one at the water reservoir on Coast Guard Hill. These sirens will also follow the same pattern, three minute blast, up and down (or on and

off). All three sirens will be activated at the same time.

I hope this helps to clarify the siren situation, and eliminates some confusion.

Pat Bry

A memorial service will be held for Pat Bry on Sunday, September 23, 2:00pm, at the First Community Church in Port Orford. Pat Bry passed away on September 14. She retired from the Oregon State Parks and Recreation Department working out of the Humbug Mountain district. Bry was also very active in the Port Orford Jubilee Committee having served for many years in the positions of treasurer and president.

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Nearshore Fishery

The Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife (ODFW) will hold a public meeting to discuss the Commercial Nearshore Fishery Management Plan and 2008 season for the Commercial Limited Entry Black Rockfish/Blue Rockfish and Nearshore Fishery. The meeting will be held at Port Orford City Hall on Thursday, September 27, from 6 to 8 pm.

The meeting will include potential revisions and updates to the Interim Commercial Nearshore Fishery Management Plan and discussion with industry on ideas regarding issues and possible management options for the upcoming 2008 season.

If you have questions, please contact Carla Sowell at (541) 867-0300 extension 222 or Brett Wiedoff at extension 258.

Cross County Athletes Shine By Mick Lane

The annual Blanco/Driftwood Invitational Cross Country meet was held last Wednesday at the Pacific High School

course. 156 athletes from 8 schools participated on a cool overcast afternoon perfect for running and low times.

The girls' teams were first to run and when the leaders emerged from the trees and sprinted to the finish line 3 runners from Myrtle Point led the way. Tara Mitchell led our team and made an excellent showing by finishing 13th in a field of 77. Tara's time was 13:40, just over a minute behind the winner. Other notable Eagles were Fay Parry 26th, Bennett Wahl 28th, Olivia Wahl 39th. Excellent efforts were turned in by Gina Legg, Heather Hardcastle, Anne Maddi, and Catherine Dow. Our girls finished 7th in the team competition.

The boys team really put it together on this day. Jonathan Everest flew through the course in 11:11 and came across the finish line in first place a full 8 seconds ahead of the next runner. Isaac Wagner was right on their heels and finished 3rd in 11:32. Impressive runs were turned in by Mike Wagner 25th and Charlie Jensen 44th in a field of 79 boys, while good showings followed by John Foster, Manuel Finley, Camron Mundell, and Wyatt Ells. The boys were the 5th placed team.



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Coach Heckard was extremely proud of her runners and looks forward to their next meet at Bullard's Park in Bandon on September 18th.

The first home volleyball game is at 4:00 on Friday, September 21st in the Blanco gym.

We desperately need a volunteer middle school boys assistant basketball coach. If you are interested in working with the best kids in the state, contact the district office at 348-2337.

You Are Invited!!

You are invited to an appreciation reception at Port Orford Arts Council Office on Friday September 28th at 7:00 PM. There will be a drawing at 8:00 PM for the art glass sculpture "Dalriada" donated by local artist Hugh McKay.

Tickets are 2 for \$5 or 5 for \$10 or 20 for \$20 and available at Chetco Federal Credit Union and Downtown Fun Zone. You do not need to be present to win. Proceeds to go to the PO Skate Park Addition Fund.

Please make checks payable to: City Of Port Orford with a notation at bottom "Skate Park Fund". For more information, tickets or to make a donation please call: 332-8000, 332-1002 or 348-2140 or write: PO Skate Park Committee c/o P. McKenzie, 94540 Elk River Rd, Port Orford, OR 97465

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Drift Boats and River Dories

Author and model ship builder Roger Fletcher will offer a free presentation on drift boats and river dories at 7:30pm Thursday, September 20, at Gold Beach Books. Using early video footage of river pilots, plus his own ship models, Fletcher will provide an historical overview of river pilots and their boats. According to Fletcher, the spawning grounds for the drift boats and river dories that now ply rivers around the world are Oregon's own Rogue and McKenzie Rivers.

After his presentation, Fletcher will answer questions and sign copies of his new book, *Drift Boats and River Dories, Their History, Design, Construction and Use*. The heavily illustrated volume preserves the history of the Rogue and McKenzie River pioneers who designed, built, and used the early river dories as fishing platforms. Those craft were specifically designed for whitewater rivers.

The presentation is free and open to all ages. The bookstore is located at Pacific Highway 101 and First Street in Gold Beach.

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What color is your library? Now is your chance to tell us what color you would like to see on the exterior of the new Port Orford Library. The color will be selected soon, so if you feel strongly about bright blue with orange trim, or not, then take a minute to write down your choice and drop it by the library before September 24.

Oregon Coast Highway

Lifting Oregon out of the Mud: Building the Oregon Coast Highway. *Book talk with author Joe R. Blakely on Friday, September 28 at 7 p.m. at the Port Orford Council Chambers, 555 W. 20th St. This free event is sponsored by the Port Orford and Langlois Public Libraries.*



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MISCELLANEOUS

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK: "Make it a habit to ask yourself: What's going on inside me at this moment? That question will point you in the right direction." Eckhart Tolle compliments Now & Then Port Orford Mercantile now open Friday and Saturday 10 AM to 4 or 5 PM.

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Live Theater in the Works

Rehearsals are in full swing for *Sylvia* at our new space. It is full of laughter and activity and we're having a great time.

We are still in the midst of remodeling as well. The light booth is almost finished and the lights are ready to hang. The back door is almost in, the carpet goes down next week, and we need to hang lots of twinkly white lights. We are still looking for 25 more chairs and we have to buy and install acoustic panels. The first show will be performed on a "platform stage", but we hope that we can raise enough money soon to build risers for the chairs.

Preparations are also being made for our gala opening night event. October 12th is, as you probably already know, our official opening. Tickets for the show that night only will be \$25.00 which includes a complimentary Theatre 101 wine glass (full of wine), wonderful hors d'oeuvres, an official *Sylvia* souvenir, and a chance to mingle with the cast and crew after the show. The show starts at 7:30, but the party begins at 6:30.

Tickets for additional performances on October 13, 14, 19, 20 and 21 are \$10.00 and all tickets go on sale October 1. A round of applause to all of you who have so generously volunteered to help us - we really appreciate it. There is usually someone at the theatre most afternoons so if you're curious, stop by for a tour! You can recognize us by our yellow Theatre 101 t-shirts!!

Oregon Beach Cleanup

Mother Nature smiled down at nearly 4,000 volunteers doing their part to improve Oregon as part of the 24th annual SOLV Great Oregon Fall Beach Cleanup. Volunteers searched high and low along the 363 miles of the Oregon coast to clean up more than 30 tons of trash and debris.

Volunteers commented that the beaches seemed fairly clean this fall. There were no shortage of oddities found, though, including a tent, picnic table, roll of carpet, hand blown glass paperweights, a football, toilet, gigantic truss, old wooden rain gutter, two full beer bottles (among the many empties), a burned up recliner, boat fender, industrial wire spindle and four glass floats. Volunteers also collected an abundant supply of cigarette butts, plastic, Styrofoam, chairs and metal. The Rockaway site had people from all over the world participate, including England, Japan, and Canada. And five goats lent a leg (or four) outside Newport.

"This event really shows how much we can accomplish when everyone gives a little bit," said SOLV Program Director Erin Peters.

It Whispers...So Listen

Port Orford Library will have pertinent books on display during September, which is National Ovarian Cancer Awareness month. I'll bet that you know of someone who has or is an Ovarian Cancer survivor, but do you know the symptoms? Do you really know? Do you know that all women are at risk once they have reached childbearing capability? As with any cancer, early detection is crucial, but with ovarian cancer that's not easy.

While the symptoms of ovarian cancer (particularly in the early stages) are often not acute or intense, they are not silent; they whisper, so listen.

Be sure to mark you calendar for September 27, when between 2 and 4pm we will have an open house tea. During that time a lay person will be available to help answer some of your questions, guide you to more information available, just chat and help you be aware of what to look (listen) for. And, this isn't just a "woman thing"; we welcome anyone who knows a woman they care about.



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