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**Don't Miss
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County Fairs this week!**

County Fair Week

This is the week for both the Curry and Coos County Fairs and we plan to attend at least one and hope you all consider doing the same. For this week we'll let the Fair publicity take over the front page of the paper and we'll have some fun.

Music abounds at the Curry County Fair this year with two concerts, Battle of the Bands and Talent Show at the outdoor stage and musicians playing inside Artisan Hall all four days, July 29-Aug 1.

Sweet Town Little will be rocking the fair on Friday afternoon, July 30, 5-8 p.m. Sweet Town Little a local Country rock band consisting of Scott Perry, songwriter and vocalist on guitar, keyboard, Paul Lopez on lead guitar, Dave Amato on drums, Lance Kessler on bass, with Debby Phillips as Band Manager. They recently competed in the Colgate Country Showdown, taking second place locally. Currently the band is competing in the "Last Band Standing" and made it to the second round of competition taking place on August 4 in Medford.

For more information on Sweet Town Little call 541-661-1187 or on the web-

site www.sweettownlittle.com or email sweettownlittle@gmail.com

The concert on Saturday is The Israelites, which is a ska, rockstay, reggae band, proclaiming on their CD that there music is a Jamaican celebration. They are playing on the outdoor stage 5-7:00pm. Their website is www.TheIsraelites.org

Music and performances in Artisan Hall include Radio Play samplers by the Ellensburg Theater Company Saturday noon, Rogue River Jam musicians Jan Burris and Sharon Guinn, after they compete in Battle of the Bands on Thursday; Willow in Homemade Jam on Saturday 1-3:00pm, Billie Ruth and Isamu Furuichi.

Artisan Hall is filled with arts and crafts by Curry's Own artists, photographers and crafters along with refreshments and the Creative Art Department as well as musicians and performers and arts and crafts demonstrations, all under the supervision of Alexandra Eyer, who will be painting portraits at her booth.

Motorsports at the Fair

Motorsports at the Curry County Fair is a three day major event with all the favorite competitions, the Truck Pull on Friday night, a pulling sled challenge;

Tuff Trucks on Saturday night with equal prize money for the women's Tuff Puff; and on Sunday afternoon is one of the recent favorites among the competitors, the Mud Drag Races.

"This will be the best Motorsports event the fair has ever seen," says James Hagood, coordinator of the Tuff Trucks Committee.

"There are lots of folks from Brookings," says Hagood, "and professional Sled Pullers from Grants Pass, Eugene and Portland area and for the Mud Drags there are folks from Coos Bay and Myrtle Point."

The Truck Pull begins at 8:00pm on Friday, July 30.

"There are thirteen (13) classes in the Truck Pull and in each class it is \$100 winner takes all," says Hagood. "There is everything from 2wd stock trucks to Super Heavy Weight Diesels."

"The Tractor Truck Pull Sled weighs 39,000 with 29,000 in the slide box," says Hagood, "it has 18 gears and he (the operator) can gear it down to 18th gear so that a Suzuki Samuri can pull it or he can put it into first (gear) and the big tractor truck pullers can't pull it.

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**County Fair Week
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The pulling sled is designed for fast and efficient competition. "It is self-propelled, so it doesn't have to be towed back into position for each pull and it measures the length of pull and the speed electronically so that people do not need to be on the track to do that manually."

"If you can get over 2 mph pulling it, that's good," says Tom who is arranging for the sled to come over to the coast.

"A full pull out the door is the big deal," says Hagood. That will get the big cheers!

On Saturday the Tuff Trucks and the Tuff Puff competition begins at 7:00pm with many of the locals flying their trucks over the jumps as well as contenders from several counties around.

The Tire Pit, is the finale of each run, sometimes more final than others, as Tuff Truckers hit the throttle to make it all the way through. All the tires are being supplied by Precision Performance of Gold Beach.

"When we get that pit dug and all those tires it it," says Hagood, "I want to plant a sign right in the middle of it 'Your Truck Stuck Here.'"

Mud Drag Races are all afternoon on Sunday, August 1, beginning at 1:00pm.

"It is side-by-side racing on a sixty-five (65') foot strip, through the mud, won by process of elimination," says Hagood.

Members of the Tuff Truck committee have been avidly participating in Mud Bog and Mud Drag Races in Coos Bay, Camas Valley, Myrtle Point and elsewhere, reports Hagood.

"There will definitely be mud stuck on the ceiling!" exclaims Hagood.

Letter to the Editor,

Let's get a few things out in the clear.

Treasurer Izzy Brock is my friend. However, her being my friend does not cloud my judgment nor would I make a statement in a public forum unless I believed her to be in the right.

Let's take a look at the "issues."

Mrs. Brock made the accusation of sexual harassment. Commissioner Waddle said that was "retribution." on her part. That is patronizing and insulting at best. He stated that "he could not remember the incident and blamed his memory on his age." Look! If something of that nature happened or did not happen...that is something that you do NOT forget (excepting alzheimers or other forms of dementia).

The commissioners consistently say "It is our interpretation of the law...." and use their interpretation as fact. No less than 5 counties in Oregon use the same treasury practices as Treasurer Brock. Some of those counties are larger... some smaller. Those counties are not in violation of state law and neither is Curry County.

When state law was violated by Commissioner Waddle by giving out the account numbers for the Curry County bank account in a public meeting, he once again referred back to his inter-

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pretation of law. His interpretation is incorrect but that does not stop him from admitting a mistake nor apologizing to the County Treasurer or the constituents of Curry County for his gross interpretation.

Now, commissioners Waddle and Rhoades are attacking the County Treasurer on the basis of her educational background. Ok! I have a college degree and am an educator. I can assure you that academic paperwork does not necessarily mean that one is qualified to do the job. Treasurer Brock has been in her position for 7 years and our county has remained solvent. Now, I would guess that about 90% of the people of Curry County do not have a college degree. Does that make the people of Curry County unqualified for their professions? It sounds to me that you are an elitist. I would assume that you would accept the donations and the votes of these ignorant, unqualified masses of Curry County. Interpretation? Perhaps.

Speaking of elitists...Phil Colozzi who was referred for budgetary appointment by Commissioner Waddle questioned Treasurer Brock's educational qualifications as well. She meets the qualifications set forth by the State and the County and she has met the moral standards set forth by the constituency. Mr. Colozzi goes on to rail about government waste but I remind him that the Treasurer does not set policy for county employees nor does the Treasurer have the power to approve construction (with or without permits) nor anything of the sort. Mr. Colozzi, it appears to me that if Commissioner Waddle sneezes, you are there to wipe his nose. I've read Commissioner Waddle's statements and your statements look all too familiar. If one is going to use "cut and paste" you should at least change the font. As Treasurer Brock makes investments, she must give a monthly treasurer's report.



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Sincerely

Ted Burdett

Port Orford Library Donors

The Port Orford Library Foundation thanks the following donors who sponsored a day at the Library in June:

A Happy Birthday to sister June from Ann.

Condolences to the Gulf Coast Habitat, Zora Redwing.

This library is my favorite place to spend my birthday said Bev Manes.

The reader board was filled with messages to honor Jim Rhoades, and to send love and support to his family. Our thanks to all of you who sponsored a day in Jim's name.

There were too many to list, so here are just a few to remind us of how much he is missed.

In memory of Jim Rhoades, a great gentleman. Ours is a lesser town. You made a difference in our lives. Our deepest sympathy to the Rhoades' family. For all you did for our library Jim Rhoades.

To sponsor a day at the library, come fill out a form with your message and agree to pledge 25c for every item checked out on the day you select, up to \$25.00. We will contact you with the computer-generated count of items checked out on your day. All monies raised from this program go to the Port Orford Library Endowment Fund.

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Letter to the Editor,

I am sorry to get this out so late, but it's out now.

The Port Orford Jubilee would like to extend a great thank you to everyone involved in making the 4th of July a great success. I want to congratulate our Grand Marshall, Sonja Mason and our first Jubilee Queen, Ali Dunay. Thank you to our singer for the National Anthem, Aloka Nowell. Aloka did a great job.

We also thank the Port Orford Fire Department, Port Orford Police Department, Public works and the Parks Commission, with all of their help, we had a very safe holiday weekend.

The Parade went on as it always does. There were a lot of entries this year, except for the emergency that the Fire Dpt the Ambulance and the Rescue vehicle had to respond to, the Parade was a great success. Thank you Delores Finch, the Parade coordinator. A hearty thank you to the Parade Judges, Sam Scaffo and his wife Mary Scaffo, Carl Faris and River Bolle' and last but not least Mike McGinnis. They did a great job deciding who the best was and so on.

The Jubilee also thanks the band The Substitutes for putting on a great performance.

The list goes on and I thank each and everyone that made this 4th a great success.

As for the expense versus the income, we are not in the black yet.

Expenses equaled \$8026.60, of which \$6000.00 was for the Fireworks. Let me explain about the fireworks, we are contracted with Western Fireworks to buy \$6000.00 worth every year, in return they add more fireworks because we honor the contract each year. The last two years they have covered the insurance needed to cover Fire Department personnel setting them off. So we are always looking for donations for the Fireworks each year. The TLT grant from the City, \$1500.00, does help some. I was told year before last that we received too much money as the display was too long, from a TLT member. We are looking forward to putting on a great show next year, but we need to raise \$4800.00, between now and the 1st of July next year. I can say that a few people donated \$100.00 a piece towards the fireworks next year and I thank you for that.

Income= \$1892.97, from pin sales, donations, concert tickets sales, concessions at Battle Rock, the Duck race and the 50/50 drawing.

Total = a negative **\$6134.33-** we didn't do so good at raising monies for next years show, but we have a year to do so.

I would like to extend a personal thank you to the Jubilee members, Vice President Val Powell, Secretary Delores Finch, Concessions Coordinator Kristie Powell and Millie Haas, our Decorations Coordinator.

I guess I could go on with the Thank you list, but the paper can print only so much.

Again, thank you to all that helped make this July 4th a great success.

Milton C Finch Sr, President
Port Orford Jubilee

Concert in the Park

On Sunday afternoon August 1st the Point Orford Heritage Society is sponsoring the 3rd annual Coast Guard Picnic and "Concert in the Park" at the Port Orford Heads State Park. Bring your chairs, blankets and a picnic lunch and prepare to enjoy a great Sunday afternoon of exceptional music by the Oregon Coast Lab Band. These talented young musicians from Coos Bay and North Bend have earned rave reviews and are annual winners at the Sacramento Jazz Festival. The concert will begin at 1 PM with the presentation of colors by a Color Guard from the North Bend Coast Guard Station. The Lifeboat Station Museum will be open from 10 to 3:30.



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Redfish Rocks Update

By Ben Reder

Community Team Intern

From discussing scientific research to exploring and developing community opportunities, the Redfish Rocks Community Team monthly meeting is a great way to stay informed and contribute to a grass-roots collaborative effort. At this month’s meeting the Community Team shared their recent accomplishments in making great strides towards the implementation of the team-wide and individual working group’s goals and objectives. Here are just a few of the highlights.

The Socioeconomic Working Group announced that the Curry County Economic and Community Development Department will be launching a county-wide travel data survey. In regards to Port Orford, there will be specific questions directed towards identifying economic opportunities associated with Redfish Rocks Marine Reserve & Marine Protected Area. The survey will be released later this summer.

The Biological Working Group shared the news that they recently reviewed the Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife’s (ODFW) draft biological monitoring plan. The document is currently undergoing final revisions. ODFW is gearing up to jump in the water to conduct video research and collect baseline data for the marine

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reserve, marine protected area, and comparison areas.

The Enforcement & Compliance Working Group is currently working with the Army Corps of Engineers, Department of State Lands, Oregon Department of Transportation, and Oregon State Parks and Recreation Department to implement several shoreline marker buoys that will denote the boundaries of the protected areas.

The Education and Outreach Working Group reported that they are making headway in establishing and strengthening partnerships within the community. The working group shared that they will be holding a photo contest and public speaker event set for late August 2010. Stay tuned for additional details!

The Redfish Rocks Community Team has been extremely busy, and at each monthly meeting there is much to discuss. Jimbo Jennings captured the essence of participating in the group when he described the Redfish Rocks Community Team’s actions as a “fair shake at us all learning without prejudice...just participating together,

to see what happens.” The purpose of the Team is to collaborate and develop recommendations for Redfish Rocks, considering biological and socioeconomic information, and to serve as liaisons to the community on matters regarding Redfish Rocks. The monthly meeting is the venue where all Port Orford residents can participate in this project. We invite you to attend.

Come to learn, to participate, and to contribute to the progress of the Redfish Rocks Community Team. The monthly meeting is held on the first Monday of every month from 6:00 – 8:00 pm in the Council Chambers at City Hall. If you would like more information, please attend one of our meetings or call Briana, Redfish Rocks Community Team Staff, at 541.332.0627.

Last Day for Registration

The last registration day for the Shoes for Kids program will be held Wednesday, July 28th from 10 am to 3 pm outside the Common Good building. The Shoes for Kids program provides new shoes, new socks, and hygiene kits at no cost to needy students in the 2CJ school district.

Groundfish Closures

Fishery managers today announced two changes to the ocean groundfish sport fishery effective at 11:59 p.m. on Friday, July 23.

The fishery beyond the 20-fathom line (as defined in regulation) will be closed in order to minimize catch-and-release mortality of yelloweye rockfish. Anglers may occasionally catch, but cannot keep, yelloweye rockfish while fishing for other species. Yelloweye, along with canary rockfish, are considered overfished by NOAA Fisheries and a certain percentage of those caught and released must be reported as mortality

In addition, sport anglers from boats may no longer retain cabazon because the harvest cap for the year is close to being met.

According to Lynn Mattes, Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife sport groundfish program leader, yelloweye rockfish generally live in deeper waters so bringing the fishery inside 20 fathoms will protect that population while allowing anglers to continue to fish for other bottomfish such as black rockfish and lingcod.

“Yelloweye catch has been up along the entire Oregon Coast,” Mattes said. “After consulting with the Sportfish Advisory Committee we decided to pull the fishery into 20 fathoms to protect yelloweye while still offering a fishery for other species.”

The Sportfish Advisory Committee advises ODFW on marine sport fisheries and its members include private anglers, charter boat operators and a port representative.

The cabazon fishery will close to retention on July 23 because managers estimate the harvest cap of 15.8 metric tons will have been met. Sport boat anglers may continue to harvest other legal species such as black rockfish,

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lingcod and greenling, while shore anglers may still keep cabazon.

Waypoints for the 20-fathom line may be found at www.dfw.state.or.us/MRP/regulations/sport_fishing.

Letter to the Editor,

With summer being more than half over (can you believe that!), it's time to start thinking about the coming school year. And once again, the Port Orford Christian Center will be holding their annual Children's Fun Day.

Last year, between 90 -100 children from grades 1-8 received all the school supplies they needed to start the school year, all due to the generosity of the people in our community. They not only received their supplies, but they had a great time doing it! Bag decorating, face painting, air hockey and more was available to entertain the children. Along with this, a hot lunch was served to the children, their siblings and their parents – all of this was free.

The event this year will be held on Saturday, August 21, from 11:00am – 2:00pm in the gymnasium at the Port Orford Christian Center, located at the corner of Tenth and Washington. Along with the school supplies being given out, the Common Good will be in the Friendship Hall of the church with their Shoes for Kids Program (which includes giving out shoes, socks and hygiene items – all of this is free).

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Gail Conwell, Women's Ministry
Port Orford Christian Center

Needed items: Pencils, spiral notebooks (wide and narrow ruled), notebook paper (narrow ruled), peeche folders, Kleenex, glue sticks, rulers, bottles of glue, pens, protractors, Fiskar kids scissors, erasers (large pink ones), colored pencils, and Crayola crayons.

City Council Election

The deadline is nearing for entering the Port Orford City Council November election. Signature petitions need to be turned into City Clerk Patricia Clark by August 18. Three people have filed their petition papers for Mayor and they have all been verified. They include Jim Auburn, Milton Finch and Scott Luhr. Two people have filed for the three city council openings and had their signature petitions verified and they are John Hewitt and Christine Richardson. Three other people have taken out signature petitions but have not returned them to city hall.

Letter to the Editor,

Many Port Orford people go to Coos Bay often for shopping, medical appointments, etc.

This week there is another reason to go: Oregon Coast Music Festival. Always held the last two weeks in July, the festival features three wonderful concerts at the end of this second week. Orchestra members come from all over the United States and Canada and most have been coming for several years. Some musicians are local. This is world class music in our backyard.

Thursday night's annual Pops Concert is titled "Ladies and Otherwise" and features music from Carmen and Evita, "Dance of the Seven Veils (Salome)," and others; 7:30 p.m. at Marshfield High School. On Friday night violinist Steven Moeckel and pianist Paula Fan will perform works by Beethoven, Richard Strauss and Edward Elgar at the Hales Center, Southwestern Oregon Community College at 7:30. The final orchestra concert, directed by James Paul, will be at Marshfield at 7:30 with works by Mozart and Sibelius. Mr. Moeckel will play Max Bruch's Violin Concerto No. 1.

Call 541-267-0938 or 877-897-9350 for ticket availability. If you cannot get to Coos Bay, come to Zion Lutheran Church at 4:00p.m. Sunday, August 1, to hear three of the Music Festival musicians in a string trio. They will perform works by Telemann, Sibelius, Martinu, and Dvorak. Tickets available at the Fun Zone or at the door.

Shirley Nelson

Port Orford Library News By Tobe Porter, Director

It was a very good year and I'll tell you how I know. Our Library Technician just tallied our end-of-the-year statistics and: 37,025 items were checked out from July 1, 2009 to June 1, 2010. The

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public Internet computers were used 16,193 times during the 2,323 hours we were open, and the library attendance was 31,617. What we're really happy about is that all those numbers are up from last year – our first year in the new library.

Our kids' program, Strictly Social, has moved to Tuesdays at 11:30am. This is time set aside for babies to four year olds and their parents/caregivers to come hang out in our fantastic kids room. We now have a TV so everyone can enjoy our books on DVD. It's TV without guilt as the kids watch their favorite books come to life on the big screen.

Our Family Game Night happens the third Friday of every month at 6:00pm. We offer fun for everyone – from checkers to online adventures to bust-a-gut Wii multi-play games. It's a great way to spend a summer Friday evening.

Children of all ages are invited to "Make a Splash with Music" on Saturday, July 31 at 1:00pm. Aye, Matey, you can enjoy nautical songs and games from the islands right here at the library.

As we start our third year in the new library, we thank all of you for your support and interest and hope that you will continue to come in seven days a week all year. Got to keep those stats up you know!

Stan Johnson Resigns

The Commissioners of the Port of Port Orford would like to notify the community of the resignation of Commissioner Stan Johnson at the July 20 regular board meeting. Stan was elected to the Port Commission in May of 2007 and has served since July 3 of that year. Stan brought a wealth of knowledge and experience to his position and always dealt fairly and equitably with all of the stakeholders of the district. He served as Secretary/Treasurer, was the Port's representative to the Oregon Coastal Zone Management Association and represented well the Port and community of Port Orford at those meetings.

To Stan and his wife Sandy, thank you for all you have brought to our community, you will be missed.

Port Commissioners
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My Apology

by Timothy Allen Maynard

Many people may know who I am and what I was involved in. If not, my name is Timothy Allen Maynard and I was involved in the vandalism incidents at the Pacific High School including the fire. The following letter is my apology to the community of Port Orford and to the students and staff of the Pacific High School.

There comes a point in everybody's life when you realize that the stakes have suddenly and drastically changed. Unfortunately, some of life's lessons must be learned the hard way. As all those years of merely bouncing along with the pleasures of life taking you exactly where you want to go when you want to go there, abruptly comes to an end. When the care-free "ride" of your life slams head-first, at a hundred miles an hour, into a brick wall and life immediately stops dead in its tracks, does reality set in deep.

I am not writing this letter to receive pity or for people to feel sorry for me, because I do not deserve it. I'm just writing this to inform the community how sorry I truly am and that I did not have this planned, even though, to most people it won't matter. I just want to take this time out to be perfectly honest and write this apologetic letter to all the students and staff of the Pacific High School, as well as to the people of the community of Port Orford and to everyone who has been affected by what I have done. I know there are NO excuses, and I am not going to make any, because I cannot change what I did.

There are most definitely many people demanding an explanation and I send my deepest and sincerest apology to each and every one of them, because I do not have one. Yet still there are many people pondering on what could possibly drive somebody to do something so inconsiderate of other people and undoubtedly wanting justice. Really, I don't blame them, but who could. Quite frankly I honestly believe I do not have the right to blame anyone. I only have myself to blame. We all have choices to make in our lives, and no one can make our life's choices, but ourselves.

I am not a criminal and for those who know me, they would say the same thing. This was way out of my character and I am more than willing to put myself in the community's service for as long as it takes to redeem what little of my reputation is left. I just made a horrible decision and I hope and pray that the people of Port Orford give me a second chance.

I know now that I have a serious alcohol problem and I am taking steps to better myself. I know through my actions I will prove I am worthy of the second chance I was granted. Thank you for your time. And a special thanks to all who have supported me and still are.

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Letter to the Editor,

Good News! Parking at Battle Rock is almost as good as before. Maybe we were premature to criticize the Council and the developer over the loss of it.

But then, if it was going to be this way all along, why didn't they just tell us and defuse a lot of contention? OR, is it possible that this new parking configuration came about as a result of the scrutiny and expressions of dissatisfaction of the public? Now if that is the case, then instead of eating a little crow (including a few feathers) we really would be entitled to a few congratulatory pats on the back. What'a ya think, Folks?

Speaking of thinking, Friends let's think. The election is coming up. Qualifications! Qualifications! Qualifications! I can't say it enough. Management skills, marketing skills and ethics ... a lot of you out there possess these qualities in abundance. Please step forward and file by August 15th. Believe me, we the people are tired of what we have and will support you as long as you honestly try your best for the good of our town. We need a reasonable plan for intelligent growth and the legislation



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to enforce its implementation. And we need you to lead us from here to there !

Respectfully,

Jim Hajek

Letter to the Editor,

The Port Orford Music Club will have its first meeting on Wednesday, August 4, from 7:00-9:00pm and each Wednesday thereafter. The club meeting room is located at 921 N. Oregon Street (Highway 101) across the street from Circle K. Just follow the signs to the back of the building. The Club is open to musicians (guitarist, vocalist, mandolin, violin, harmonica, etc.) with the desire to work on their performance skills with other musicians. A coffee house/restaurant size (small) stage will be set up for your use with microphones, amp, mixer, and sound equipment. If you are just starting out and you need to get over your "stage fright" or you have played for years and just need some feedback on your act...and meet other local musicians this club is for you. A jam session will end the meeting.

John Rask
541-366-1123

Blessing of the Fleet

The Port Orford Friends and Wives of fishers often in the night bid a good night to our fishers, men, and women leaving home and harbor for the fishing grounds. And after a fishing trip the fishers are welcome home, even on the wings of a storm. Through it all, our fishers will be calm, courageous and confident. Every time a boat is taken out into the water there are potential dangers and the uncertainty of whether or not enough seafood will be caught to make the trip profitable. The reason for the event is blessings that fishers return safely from the waters and blessings for a bountiful harvest.

Please join us for this year's Blessing of the Fleet and Community Potluck. This year's Blessing will be lovingly performed by Doug Jamieson and we are happy to announce that John MacRae will be returning for another year with his wonderful sea songs. The event will be held on the first Saturday of August 7th at 11:00, Port Orford Fishermen's Memorial- Port of Port Orford.

Monthly Water Report

The City of Port Orford Public Works department keeps statistics on water and wastewater production. For the month of June the department produced 6.539 million gallons of drinkable water and metered 2.73 million gallons for a loss rate of 58% or 3.796 million gallons of water. 10,000 gallons of water was used for flushing the system.

The wastewater treatment plant received and treated 4.271 million gallons of waste water flow.

City Council Meets

The Port Orford City Council meets on Thursday, August 5, 3:30pm, in the city hall council chambers.



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NEW VIDEOS: "Clash of the Titans", "Repo Men", "Vincere", "The Art of the Steal", "Batman Under the Red Hood", "Jesse Stone: No Remorse", and "Operation Endgame". Please remember all items are due back by 3:30pm the next business day. Reservations must be pre-paid so cannot be taken over the phone. Downtown Fun Zone, Inc. Open 9:30-5:30 Mon-Thurs and 9:30-6:30 Friday and Saturday. Closed Sundays.

DIGITAL CAMERA and Photoshop lessons, call Steve @ 541-332-0353 or stephen@earthseaimagery.com.

CD / DVD / GAME WON'T PLAY? Don't throw it out! Fix it! Downtown Fun Zone, Inc. now offers disc cleaning/repair services. (single sided) \$3.00 for basic cleaning, \$5.00 for deep scratches. See store for details.

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Letter to the Editor,

South Coast Community Resource Center would like to thank everyone for their recent donations of products and cash for the non-food pantry. Volunteers have been out selling the cookbooks and making cookies made from the recipes to sell and promote book sales. We have gone to the farmers markets in Brookings, Port Orford and now in Gold Beach to let people know that we are working hard towards stocking the non-food pantry. The volunteers have been giving out information pamphlets at the markets to explain our organizations mission and giving a better understanding how we are helping our communities of Curry County. Thanks to all the wonderful donations the non-food pantry is now here to help those who need our help. We have helped many families in Curry County since beginning this program in December. With your donations we hope to be able to continue to reach out to many more families. One of our best resources is the parenting class that is being taught weekly in Brookings and Gold Beach. If anyone is interested please call 541-247-2412.

Thank you from the Board of SCCRC

Some State Park Programs

For more info, call 541-332-6774 Ext. 5. All programs are open to the Public.

Saturday, July 31, 10:00am "Superheroes at Port Orford Heads" Port Orford Heads State Park. Meet at Visitor Parking Lot

Sunday, August 1 7:30am "Birds are Everywhere" Cape Blanco State Park. Follow Horse Camp sign to designated parking area

Monday, August 2 10-11:00am (Drop in) "Wildlife Watch" Port Orford Heads State Park. Meet ¾ of the way down "Headlands Trail"

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Ugly Dog Contest

Wanted: Ugliest Dog in Curry County. Reward: \$250 cash. The fun begins at 5 p.m. on Saturday at the Curry County Fair, inside the main entrance on the East.

Catherine Powers and the Dog Shelter volunteers will be doing what they do so well, encouraging all the dogs to do their best during the contest to determine the Ugliest of them all for the big cash prize and the one with the most Attitude for \$25 and the Best Costume of another twenty-five.

The dog contestants are welcome to enter the fairgrounds at the Main Entrance on Saturday at 4:30 p.m., on a leash, get a limited pass specifically for the contest area for the person on the leash, get signed in at the registration table and prepare for competition. All dogs and their people must stay within the competition area and at the conclusion of the contest must leave the fairgrounds.

Contestants must be accompanied by their own personal doggie hygienic disposal bags.

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“Ugly is the new beauty,” she says.

Piano Fund Drive/Reception

Every music lover in Port Orford should be there. The Kawai Grand Piano is at the church. The free Gala Reception follows the concert. To contribute \$25.00 or more, pick up The Piano brochure at the church, the library, the next concert or phone 541-332-9002 and one will be mailed to you. Watch The Banner at the library through the days, weeks and months as keys are filled in. Find three friends and purchase one key for \$100.

Lovers of the Mildred Hill Concerts have one week to get tickets for Sunday, August 1 at 4:00 pm, Zion Lutheran Church. Returning this summer is the Alameda String Trio from Portland. (Michael Grossman, violin, Michelle Mathewson, viola and violin, and Katherine Schultz, cello.) They will delight you with a variety of great music rang-

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Tickets are available from Downtown Fun Zone, at the door or by phoning 541-332-9002. Cost is \$10.00 with students 18 and under free. This third of four concerts in the 2010 season promises to sparkle with exciting playing. Those who attended in 2009 will remember how they felt about the music making.

Photo Contest

To celebrate Redfish Rocks Marine Reserve & Marine Protected Area and our local marine environment, the Redfish Rocks Community Team (RRCT) is hosting the “Waters of Port Orford” photo contest. Entry is free. All ocean lovers who have taken striking photos of Redfish Rocks Marine Reserve or of our local marine waters are encouraged to enter!

Please contact the Redfish Rocks Community Team Staff for official contest rules and regulations (RedfishRocks@gmail.com) or 541.332.0627 or stop by our office at 351 W Sixth Street).

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PORT COMMISSION OPENING

The Port Commission of the Port of Port Orford is seeking to appoint an interested individual to fill the vacancy for Position 5. The appointment will run to June 30th 2011. The only requirement for the position is that you be a registered voter of the Port District. If you are interested in serving in the local governance of the Port, please stop by the Port Office at 300 Dock Rd or call 541-332-7121.

LOST & FOUND

REWARD! LOST GLASSES 4th of July weekend. Nike frames w/Transitions Lenses Black Case. Pls call 530-842-6538.

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GARAGE SALE Oak table antique rocking chair computer table aluminum boat junk etc. Sat. July 31 8-2 #16 Geer Circle.

LAST WEEK'S GARAGE SALE at 1906 Jackson to the couple who were interested in the twin beds – They are available if you would like them. 541-332-0906.

YARD SALE: Saturday July 31, 10 a.m. – 2 p.m. No early birds! 630 Tichenor. Please park at Port Overlook and walk up. Many items only \$1.00.

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