

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Booster Club Presents "Pink-out" Game

At the Sisters High School basketball home games against Cottage Grove on Friday, February 6, the Outlaw Booster Club will hand out pink pom-poms to all fans, as a way of supporting the SHS efforts toward cancer awareness. For more information about the club call Pam at 541-771-4979.

18th Annual Coffee House Benefit for Arts at SHS

The 18th Annual Coffee House celebrating arts at Sisters High School will be held in the SHS commons from 7 to 9 p.m. on Wednesday, February 18. Enjoy hands-on creation stations, a silent auction, art demos and live entertainment! The \$5 admission fee includes complimentary coffee, with all proceeds benefiting Sisters High School Arts programs and the Senior Visual Arts Scholarship. Info: Bethany at 541-549-4045 or bethany.gunnarson@sisters.k12.or.us.

Career Funds Available

Kiwanis' Career Opportunity Fund provides financial assistance to start, augment, or complete a career (vocational, technical, artistic or general). It's available to qualified adults over 25, residents of the Sisters School District. Applications are at www.sisterskiwanis.org, the Sisters Habitat for Humanity office, the FAN office, or by calling 541-410-2870.

The Library Book Club

Read and discuss the *Author! Author! Literary Series selection*, "This is the Story of a Happy Marriage" by Ann Patchett, with other thoughtful readers at the Sisters Library. The Library Book Club will meet on Wednesday, February 25 from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Questions? Please contact Linda at 541-312-1074 or lindak@deschuteslibrary.org.

Women's Cancer Support

The next meeting of "Support Our Sisters" will be at 10 a.m. on Thursday, February 26. Women who have been diagnosed with cancer are invited to share experiences and information on resources, and celebrate being cancer survivors. For location or other info, call Maggie at 541-815-8131 or Jan at 541-549-2015.

Family Fun Story Times

Family Fun Story Times for kids ages birth through 5 are held at the Sisters Library at 10:30 a.m. on Thursdays. Songs, rhymes and crafts are interactive and designed to grow readers!. Caregivers must attend. For information call 541-312-1072.

City Seeks Volunteer

The City of Sisters is accepting applications for an "out-of-city" volunteer (term ends 8/1/15) for the Sisters City Parks Advisory Board. The board advises the city council on acquisition, development and maintenance of public parks, trails, and open spaces. Applications are online at www.ci.sisters.or.us or at Sisters City Hall, 520 E. Cascade Ave. Submission deadline is 5 p.m. Friday, February 20. For more information contact Pauline Hardie at 541-323-5208 or phardie@ci.sisters.or.us.

All Veterans Invited!

Sisters VFW Post 8138 and American Legion Post 86 will meet tonight, Wednesday, February 4 at 6:30 p.m. at Sisters City Hall (and the first Wednesday of each month). All veterans in the Sisters area are encouraged to join. For more information call Lance Trowbridge at 541-903-1123 or Bill Anttila at 541-549-1132.

4th Annual Science Fair

On Saturday, February 21, noon to 4 p.m., the Sisters Science Club presents the annual Sisters Science Fair at Sisters High School. It's an interactive experience of learning and fun for all ages, FREE! See displays, experiments, robots, 3D printer, planetarium and more. For more info call 541-815-8626.

Join the Chorale!

Come join the fun! The Sisters High Desert Chorale has rehearsals every Monday from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. at Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church, 386 N. Fir St. No auditions and all voices welcome! For more information: 541-549-1037 or email lidenmezzo@gmail.com.

Digital Downloads Lab

On Wednesday, February 11 from 9:30 to 11 a.m. at the Sisters Library, a free open lab is offered where you can get help on eReaders, eBooks, digital music and more. Space is limited; register in person at the library or call 541-312-1072.

Child Car Seat Clinic

The Sisters-Camp Sherman RFPD will hold a Child Passenger Car Seat Clinic on Thursday, February 12, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Sisters Fire Hall. A certified car seat technician will make sure that the seat fits your child properly and that it has not been recalled. Info: 541-549-0771.

Habitat Slideshow

At 7 p.m. on Tuesday, February 17 at Sisters City Hall, team leaders Jack and Mary Ann McDonnell will share slides and stories of their Habitat for Humanity Global Village Build in Kyrgyzstan last fall. They plan to lead another trip this September and will have information to share. Question? Please call 541-549-1193.

Gary Albertson to Speak

At 1:30 p.m. on Sunday, February 8, Friends of the Sisters Library presents Photographer Gary Albertson on "Journey to Darkness." The presentation is part of the Diane Jacobsen Speaker Series. For additional information call Leanne at 541-977-8285.

Little League Registration

Early registration for Sisters Little League baseball/softball is open through Saturday, February 28, and includes a free skills camp! Register at Sisters Park & Recreation District. For more info call Eric Beckwith at 541-420-3615 or visit www.sisterslittleleague.org.

Seeking Brass Players

Would you like to be part of a Sisters Brass Quintet? Chris Patrick plays middle and high brass and seeks a tuba, trombone, French horn and two trumpets. Call Chris at 541-588-0083 or 541-595-5238.

Women's Drum Circle

Women are invited to join a gathering of kindred spirits for a time of connection and resonance. Bring your drum, rattle, shaker and friends (drums are also available) the first Saturday each month, 10 a.m. to noon, to The HarmonyHouse, 17505 Kent Rd. The next drum circle is on February 7. For directions or more info call 541-280-1821.

Darkness to Light Child Abuse Prevention Class

KIDS Center presents the award-winning child sexual abuse prevention training, "Stewards of Children" on Thursday, February 12 from 5:30 to 8 p.m. at Sisters High School. The training is free, and includes childcare and dinner. Adults are encouraged to learn to recognize the signs of abuse, ways to respond and much more. Questions? Call 541-306-6029 or go to www.d2l.org.

Sisters Children's Choir

Rehearsals for the Sisters Children's Choir take place every Monday at 4 p.m. at Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church. Children, pre-K to 2nd grade, are invited to get ready for the spring concert! For more info: 541-390-4615 or sisterschildrenschoir@gmail.com.

2015 Mr. SHS Pasta Feed

It's time once again for the Mr. SHS Pasta Feed! The event will be held at 5 p.m. on Sunday, February 22 at Sisters Community Church, along with a silent auction. All Mr. SHS contestants and their escorts will serve a delicious homemade spaghetti dinner, followed by a "slave" auction. Cost is \$5 (kids under 5 free!) with all proceeds going to Sisters FAN. For info: Michele Hammer at 541-549-4045.

Get Assistance Enrolling for Health Insurance

Oregon Health Authority will offer assistance on enrolling and re-enrolling for Oregon Health Plan on Wednesday, February 11 from 1 to 6 p.m. at the Sisters Fire Hall. This is free, and no appointment is needed. Bring employer and income information, current policy numbers, social security number or alien resident card. Questions? Call 541-323-4270.

Annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper

The Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration invites the community to enjoy buttermilk, plain and blueberry pancakes with syrups, sausage, homemade applesauce, OJ, coffee and tea at the annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper, from 5 to 7 p.m. on February 17. Adults are \$4, kids 4 to 12 are \$2 (under 4 free) and a family of 4 or more just \$10. For more information call Cathy at 971-237-1876.

Special Presentation on Human Trafficking

On Sunday, February 15, speakers from Oregonians Against Trafficking Humans (OATH) will be hosted at St. Edward the Martyr Catholic Church from 5 to 6:30 p.m. Their presentation is geared for 6th-graders and older, including parents and grandparents. A light meal and fellowship will follow the presentation, and childcare for young children will be provided. Questions? Please call 541-549-9391.

Tickets Available for Annual Benefit Auction

The Sisters Christian Academy Benefit Auction, "Experience your National Parks," will be held on Friday, February 27 at 6 p.m. at FivePine Conference Center. Enjoy hearty appetizers and live, silent, and dessert auctions. Tickets are now available, \$28 each or a reserved table of 10 for \$300. Call 541-549-4133 to purchase.

Hunter Education Class

For a hunter's education class that begins Monday, February 9, you may register online at www.odfv.com. It runs two nights per week for three weeks, plus a required field day. Info: Rick, 541-420-6934.

Circle of Friends Offers Mentoring Classes

Mentoring works! Be someone who matters to someone who matters. Become a friend; someone who listens, someone who cares, someone who helps a young person grow and succeed. Circle of Friends in Sisters will provide training sessions at 6 p.m. on Thursdays, February 19 (part 1) and February 26 (part 2). RSVP to Beth at beth@acircleoffriendsoregon.com or call 541-588-6445. To learn more go online: www.acircleoffriendsoregon.com.

Pet of the Week



JACKSON is a handsome fellow who was brought to the Humane Society of Central Oregon shelter as a stray, so not much is known of his past. But it is evident that Jackson is the strong, independent type who comes around on his own terms. If you're looking for a calm, sweet boy to help fill your home with warmth and love, Jackson may be the one for you! Come down to the shelter and get to know him today!

Call the Humane Society of Central Oregon at 541-382-3537

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Pet Place...

... is for FREE pets seeking homes and LOST & FOUND animals. The information is published free by The Nugget Newspaper.

FOUND MINI-HORSE: A mini-horse was found on Friday, January 23 on Fadjur Lane, in the Desert Sand Development. He may have come from Lower Bridge, the Dry Canyon area...or? Please call 541-815-7403.

Lost pets? HSCO (Bend), 541-382-3537; BrightSide Animal Center (Redmond), 541-923-0882; Deschutes Co. Animal Control, 541-388-6596; Sisters Vet Clinic, 541-549-6961; Black Butte Vet Clinic, 541-549-1837; Broken Top Vet Clinic, 541-389-0391; and go to [Facebook.com/FurryFriendFinderBend/?ref=ts](https://www.facebook.com/FurryFriendFinderBend/?ref=ts)

SISTERS AREA CHURCHES

Shepherd of the Hills Lutheran Church (ELCA)
386 N. Fir Street • 541-549-5831
shepherdofthehillslutheranchurch.com
10 a.m. - Sunday Worship

Sisters Community Church (Nondenom.)
1300 W. McKenzie Hwy. • 541-549-1201
10 a.m. - Sunday Worship Service
sisterschurch.com | info@sisterschurch.com

Mountain Range Christian Church (Nondenom.)
Meets at Rio Restaurant • 541-390-0569
9:30 a.m. - Sunday Worship

St. Edward the Martyr Catholic Church
123 Trinity Way • 541-549-9391
5:30 p.m. Saturday Vigil Mass
9 a.m. & 4 p.m. Sunday Mass
8 a.m. Monday-Friday Mass

Calvary Chapel (Nondenominational)
484 W. Washington St., Ste. C & D • 541-588-6288
10 a.m. - Sunday Worship

Chapel in the Pines
Camp Sherman • 541-549-9971, 541-389-7410
10 a.m. - Sunday Worship

Seventh-Day Adventist Church
386 N. Fir Street • 541-595-6770, 541-306-8303
11 a.m. - Saturday Worship

The Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration
68825 Brooks Camp Road • 541-549-7087
8:30 a.m. - Ecumenical Sunday Worship
10:15 a.m. - Episcopal Sunday Worship
Sunday School and childcare at both services

Sisters Church of the Nazarene
67130 Harrington Loop Road • 541-389-8960
10:45 a.m. - Sunday Worship | sistersnaz.org

Westside Church - Sisters Campus
442 Trinity Way • 541-549-4184
9 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. - Sunday Services | westsidechurch.org

Vast Church (Nondenom.)
1700 W. McKinney Butte (SHS) • 541-719-0587
9:30 a.m. - Sunday Worship | vastchurch.com

New Hope Christian Center (Assembly of God)
222 Trinity Way • 541-549-2277, 541-504-9221
10:30 a.m. - Sunday Worship
sistersnewhopechristiancenter.com

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints
68885 Trinity Way • 541-977-2766, 541-549-4587, 541-549-1385
10 a.m. - Sunday Sacrament Meeting

Baha'i Faith Meetings
Call for location • 541-549-6586
10:30 a.m. to noon - Sunday Devotional Gatherings

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