Fullhart takes over as tennis coach

By Rongi YostCorrespondent

Susan Fullhart will take over the reins as Sisters High Schools (SHS) girls varsity tennis coach this spring. Tennis has always been a part of Fullhart's life, and she's excited about her team and the season ahead.

Fullhart played tennis in high school and has played recreationally ever since. The past several years, Susan has played singles on the USTA (United States Tennis Association) team and has traveled to Eugene, Salem, and Medford to compete.

"My game's not pretty, but I get the job done," said Fullhart. "I'm just very competitive and scrappy. I've never had pretty strokes, but I can win points."

Susan's three boys, Sam, Ben, and Paul, all played four years of varsity tennis at SHS. The entire family, including Don, Susan's husband, are die-hard players and play together whenever they get the chance.

"Tennis has been a real connector for our family," said Fullhart. "We play together all the time. The boys are a lot better than I am, but they still take me out for a hit and I'm honored. They're out there hitting

those hard top-spin shots, and I'm chasing them down with a big smile on my face and loving every minute of it"

Fullhart has been involved in SHS tennis from its inception. When the boys tennis team started under Boyd Stuwe in 2006, Susan helped out in a variety of ways: driving, taking care of uniforms, and reporting scores, and she has stayed connected ever since.

Fullhart has watched the SHS girls play tennis and gone to their matches for years and is thrilled with the opportunity to coach.

"I'm very tactical and will be able to strategize with the girls," said Fullhart. "I think I will be a good coach at all levels. I'm good with the girls who are there to strictly have fun with their friends, and also good with the ones who want to go to state. I will work with them to try and achieve that goal.

"I'm excited about tennis from a competitive perspective, a fitness perspective, and the fun of a life-long sport, and look forward to building relationships and working with the girls."

Susan is also looking forward to working alongside the boys coach, Bim Gander.

"Bim has so much

MOVIE HOUSE

STARTS FRIDAY

Fri., March 6 - Thurs., March 12

FOCUS (R)

Fri 5:15, 7:30

Sat 2:45, 5:15, 7:30

Sun 2:00, 4:15, 6:30

Mon-Thurs 6:30

McFarland USA (PG)

Fri 7:15 • Sat 4:30, 7:15

Sun 4:00, 6:30



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Susan Fullhart.

knowledge and experience as both a player and a coach," said Fullhart. "And, I love his enthusiasm for building the boys and girls programs at SHS. He's just awesome, and so great to work with."

Wreck on an icy road...



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Cloverdale firefighters responded to a bus that overturned on an icy Highway 20. The incident is under investigation.

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Thursday~Mar. 5

Faith Hope & Charity Vineyards Live Music! 6 to 9 p.m. \$5 cover. For additional information go to online to faithhopeandcharityevents.com or call 541-526-5075.

Friday~Mar. 6

FivePine Lodge & Conference Center Annual Sisters Area Chamber of Commerce Awards Ceremony 5:30 p.m. for no-host social hour, and 6:30 p.m. for awards. \$35 per person. Reserve by March 4 by calling 541-549-0251 or email jeri@sisterscountry.com.

Sisters Community Church Living History Museum noon to 2 p.m. The students of Sisters Christian Academy invite you to meet with famous characters from history! For more information call the

school at 541-549-4133.

Faith Hope & Charity Vineyards Live Music with Tom & Heather Duo 6 to 9 p.m. \$5 cover. And Fondue Friday is \$30 for two! For info: faithhopeandcharityevents.com or call 541-526-5075.

Sunday~Mar. 8

The Belfry Sisters Folk Festival "Celebration of Song" with Martyn Joseph, Keith Greeninger & Many More! 6:30 to 9 p.m. \$20 adults, \$10 students. For tickets call 541-549-4979 or go online to sistersfolkfestival.org.

Sisters Library Diane
Jacobson Speaker Series
with Jon Renner, "Spreading
Our Wings" 1:30 p.m. Aviator
and SHS teacher Jon Renner
will discuss the Sisters High
School Flight Science Program.
Free! Sponsored by Friends of
the Sisters Library. Info: 541977-8285 or sistersfol.com.

Monday~Mar. 9

The Open Door at Clearwater Gallery Live Music with La Jeder 7 p.m. No cover! For more information call 541-549-4994 or go to theclearwatergallery.com.

Thursday~Mar. 12|

Hood Avenue Art Live Music with Doug & Katie Cavanaugh 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. \$10 donation for Circle of Friends. Beverages for purchase from Three Creeks Brewery. For info: 541-719-1800 or hoodavenueart.com.

Faith Hope & Charity Vineyards Live Music with CinderBlue 6 to 9 p.m. \$5 cover. For info go online to faithhopeandcharityevents.com or call 541-526-5075.

Friday~Mar. 13

The Belfry Sisters Classic
Old-Time Radio Experience
7 p.m. SCORE will perform two
live radio broadcasts from "My
Friend Irma" and "Suspense."
Donations gladly accepted.
Doors open at 6 p.m. For more
info call 541-318-5407.

Faith Hope & Charity Vineyards Live Music with Jeff Jackson 6 to 9 p.m. \$5 cover. And Fondue Friday is \$30 for two! For info go to faithhopeandcharityevents.com or call 541-526-5075.

Saturday~Mar. 14

Black Butte Ranch Fat-bike Cow Patty Crit 12 to 4 p.m. 2- to 4-person short-track fatbike race for 15 or older. \$25 at the event (fat bikes provided; helmets and closed-toe shoes required). Info: 541-595-5877 or blackbutteranch.com.

The Belfry "Revival at the Belfry" with Anastacia, Leif James, The Mostest, the JZ Band, Kaleb, Doc Ryan & the Neil Band, Andy Fecteau & his Orchestra 8 p.m. \$10. Sponsored by Redbird, Bend Roots & Deschutes Brewery. For info call 541-815-9122 or go online to belfryevents.com.

Monday~Mar. 16

The Open Door at Clearwater Gallery Live Music with Kevin & Deb (NTT) 7 p.m. No cover! For additional information call 541-549-4994 or go to theclearwatergallery.com.

Tuesday~Mar. 17

The Belfry Frontiers in Science, "Mathematics: It is Everywhere" 7 p.m. Free, with Dr. Ryan Derby-Talbot. Presented by the Sisters Science Club. Doors open at 6 p.m. for refreshments. For info: sistersscienceclub.org.

Thursday~Mar. 19

Metolius Property Sales Sisters Area Chamber of Commerce Mix-n-Mingle 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Members and prospectives are welcome to this quarterly mixer! For more info call 541-549-0251.

Faith Hope & Charity Vineyards Live Music with The Substitutes 6 to 9 p.m. \$5 cover. For additional information go to online to faithhopeandcharityevents.com or call 541-526-5075.

Friday~Mar. 20

Paulina Springs Books Author Reading & Slideshow with Tim Palmer, "Field Guide to Oregon Rivers" 6 p.m. With refreshments. \$5 admission refunded upon purchase of featured book. For more info call 541-549-0866 or go to paulinasprings.com.

The Belfry Live Music with Quick and Easy Boys 8 to 11:45 p.m. For more information call 541-815-9122 or go to belfryevents.com.

Faith Hope & Charity Vineyards Live Music with Appaloosa 6 to 9 p.m. \$5 cover. And Fondue Friday is \$30 for two! For more info: 541-526-5075 or faithhopeandcharityevents.com.

Saturday~Mar. 21

Faith Hope & Charity
Vineyards Live Music with
Scott Helter for Roger's
B-day Bash! 6 to 9 p.m.
\$10 cover. For additional
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